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### Wait a minute... By Kerry Craig

I finally got some information from the state house this week on that tidbit of information we discussed last week about pending legislation that could have an adverse effect on land owners.

The information we received. and passed on, might be better termed mis-information, I think.

A lady in Jim Parker's office said that they had received bunches of calls about the issue and that it was not the intent of the legislation to produce the results forcast in the letter we quoted from last week.

She also said that amendments had been made in the measure to insure the rights of property owners - in the event the bill ever did pass.

Now, for some other unfinished business. Unfinished business that looks like it may stay that way-the sonic booms.

We have discussed what causes the unsettling booms and what airplanes might be able to produce such things.

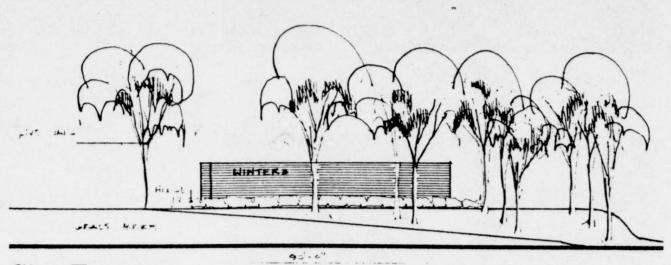
We have also talked about what Air Force officials had to say about the deal.

So far either nobody knows or nobody is talking. At this point, it could be anybody's guess as to who is doing it.

Late Tuesday, we talked with an Air Force honcho-the same one we have been communicating with for the past few weeks-about the latest booms.

As expected, he said he had not been able to find out who was guilty, but that he was still trying to find out.

A couple of weeks ago it was suggested that the top-secret, super-fast, high-flying SR-71 spy plane could be the guilty one. Now, we learn, our contact has contacts in the Pentagon. And he has called them to ask about our booms - just in case the military might flying some kind of *classified* something around here. Want to make any bets on that one? Also the computer tapes at Ft.Worth Center, the place that controls and watches over all airplanes in this area, may have been erased for re-use and they wont tell anything now. It could be some fly-guy that just sneaks around sonicbooming this area and one in Oklahoma. About the only thing I know for sure about the sonic booms at this point is that they are not being caused by Joe and his Cessna 150-I don't think, and K.W. just wouldn't do that sort of thing. On to other good things. It must really have been a trick to move the dirt for the ground breaking for Stacy Dam to the Ballinger High School. One thing for sure, if they had done the deal at the dam site, a lot of folks would have been enjoying a lot of mud. With all the claims of who is the "Home of Stacy" between Coleman and Ballinger, the location for the formalities was surely a major confrontation in the battle. At any rate, the long-awaited dam is now being built. Expectations of lots of folks for increases in population and business can now begin the test. The city council is waking up to the realization that the budgets over the past couple of years has not been what it should have been.



### **City Entrances**

quests for a solution to a poten-

tial flooding problem from the

residents of the Sunlawn

The rains of last Friday pro-

duced runoff that threatened to

get into some homes and made

the residents of Paloma,

Roselane, and West State

Streets aware of the potential of

flooding in that area similar to

floods of a number of years ago.

on the problems, the council

agreed to seek cooperation from

the landowners along the creek

After hearing the comments

Addition.

New entrances to the City of Winters are being planned by the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce and the Women's Service League. The planned entrances, (pictured above) will be placed on each of the major highways coming into Winters. The first of the Park-like entrances will

be on U.S. 83, north and south of Winters. The brick structure will bear the name of the city and the surrounding area will have Live Oak trees, hedge, flowers, grass, and will be lighted at night.

# Winters Council hears water woes, budget woes

Members of the Winters City the city spent than it took in dur-Council heard complaints and reing those years.

> The "bottom line" showed the city budget was exceeded in 1984-85 by \$23,345 with a transfer from the Water Fund to the General Fund of \$6,000 to make a General Fund deficit of \$28,345.

In 1985-86, the over-budget expenditures totaled \$11,377 with an additional \$4,000 from the Water Fund to leave a deficit of \$15,377.

In both years, the deficit was made up by using reserve funds held by the city.

In 1986-87, the city is looking and to clear the grass and weeds at a projected deficit total of

one of them and park the other for a reserve vehicle and cancel the insurance on the two and get

a refund on the insurance. The council noted a reduction in repairs and additional equipment.

The council, several years ago, decided to purchase police cars from the Texas Department of Public Safety rather than to buy new cars. The lower cost of the used patrol cars would allow each officer to have his own patrol car.

The council noted that it was human nature for a person to take better of a vehicle that he was solely responsible for than

West Texas Utilities files for rate increase

West Texas Utilities Com- commercial operation December pany has filed for an increase in 24, 1986. WTU's share of the its retail electric rates, citing the cost as majority owner is \$275 costs of completing a new coal- million, which increased the fired power plant as making the Company's total investment in move necessary.

"We have said over and over again that it would be necessary our rates, the Company does not Oklaunion Power Station was its expense and earn a completed," said Gary Moore, reasonable return on its invest-WTU's local manager in Winters, adding that WTU's last years ago.

the Company's annual retail revenue. This is a 23.9 per cent in-March 31, on which the case is based. The request was filed May 19 with cities in the WTU service area and with the Public

Untility Commission of Texas in Austin.

Moore said there is no such thing as a "typical customer," but that the new rates, if approved, would mean that a residential electric customer using 625 kilowatt-hours per month would pay \$10.83 more per month than previously. A commercial customer using

1.500 kilowatt-hours would pay \$29.94 more.

"To put this request in its proper perspective, our overall residential revenues will be only six to eight per cent higher than they were two years ago," Moore said. "The decline in fuel costs since then just about offsets this increase."

facilities by 75 per cent. "Until this cost is reflected in

to increase rates when our have to opportunity to recover ment," Moore explained.

Construction at Oklaunion rate request came almost three started in May 1982, and the plant was completed on time and The rate changes being well within the original budget. sought would add \$50,361,475 to Industry surveys show that Oklaunion was the most economically constructed coalcrease over the test year ending fired power plant built during the mid-1980s.

> The plant will provide 25 percent of WTU's total generating capacity. The long-term contract

for low sulphur western coal diversifies the Company's fuel base and will help stabilize fuel costs, which in recent years have been affected by sudden changes in natural gas prices.

Other company's owning shares of the plant are Public Service Company of Oklahoma and Central Power and Light Company, both associated with

WTU as members of the Central and South West System; the city of Brownsville and Oklahoma Municipal Power Authority.

Usual procedures at the PUC indicate that a full-scale hearing of WTU's case would be held in late summer, with a final order by the Commission coming late this year. This would make it

There are cuts being made to attempt to keep the city's head above water. You might say that the alligators are slightly below the hip pockets now.

These cuts are affecting the entire city structure. Just how the city got into that shape is a good question. Part of the how is now near Austin in another job.

In looking at how that top city job was handled in the immediate past, and we are really seeing it now, it is somewhat apparent that the city's best in-(See Wait page 8)

from the water way and to seek help from Runnels County to clear the creek from the city limits to F. M. 53.

After the city gets the creek deficit of \$7,252. cleared, officials said, it would become the responsibility of the land owner to keep the creek clear.

Mike McDonald, representing the Winters Chamber of Commerce and the Women's Service League, told the council of plans to construct entrance plazas on the major highways coming into Winters.

The small park-like areas would feature a brick structure with the city's name in large letters, Live Oak trees, flowers and hedge. Lights would also be installed to light the sign at night.

The plazas are planned for U. S. 83 both north and south of the city initially and then on F. M. 53, east and west of Winters.

The city was asked to provide maintenence on the parks along with water and electricity. The council agreed to check into the possibility of participating on the project.

Fred Wright, representing General Telephone, appeared before the council in his routine, semi-annual visit to update the council on work being done by the telephone utility and to see if the council had any questions or problems with the telephone service.

The council was told that Scott Cable, the television cable service company, was for sale, again. Don Dooley, representing the cable company asked the council to extend the company's franchise agreement with the city until 1997. The present franchise will expire in 1989.

The council gave tentative approval to the request and made plans to discuss the request in the first meeting in June, at which time some minor changes in the franchise would be discussed.

The final item on the council agenda was of the most importance for the council and the city.

MacIlvaine told the council that he had prepared a summary of actual expenditures for the city for 1984-85 and 1985-86 and projected from last week to the first of October of this year. The bot- agreed to do was to remove two tom line showed how much more police cars from service and sell

\$25.252 in the General fund. That figure includes a transfer from the Water Fund of \$18,000 and an actual General Fund

The last budget surplus for the city of Winters was fiscal year 1983-84.

The city administrator said, "The whole idea behind the major part of the discussion was reduction, between now and the end of the year on October 1, of city expenditures. We have already done some things to cut down on the amount of money we are spending by pricing things ahead of time, not making any purchases over \$50 without prior approval and that's helped.'

MacIlvaine, in explaining his projection, said, "The transfers from the Water Fund, \$6,000 in 1984-85, \$4,000 last year and this year is \$18,000, well they took that \$18,000 to try and balance the budget. Theoretically, in that budget, that the city has, there should be an \$8,000 budget surplus. Well, there are several things that happened, sales tax revenues coming in \$6,000 below anticipated and things like that."

The council was told that the city cannot operate in a deficit, that the revenues and the expenditures should balance, at least. The city also needs a reserve fund.

One of the reasons, for past deficits, included the late mailing of tax notices.

In commenting on the large transfer of funds from the Water Fund to the General Fund, MacIlvaine said, "This \$18,000, we can't do that any more. That is another danger sign of a city in trouble. Not having a six-week reserve of funds is another danger sign. So the signs are right there."

He continued by saying, "My feeling is that we need to tighten up now so we have less than half of the deficit amount, hopefully we can get to zeros but, there is not a whole lot of time (four months left in the fiscal year)."

In tightening up on the expen-City Administrator Chuck ditures, a general reduction has already been instituted, but there are things that cannot be reduced, the amount of power used and other things.

One of the things the council

one shared with someone else. The move to reduce the police fleet from five vehicles to three would, according to the city adiministrator, give the department a back up car. Right now, if a car were to break down, there is no money to repair or

replace it. The administrator asked, "Do you want to plan to operate with three cars and know that you have a back-up car and know that you are not going to go below three cars, or do you just want to let outside factors determine that?"

He said, "What I want to do is to get to where we can replace the cars on a regular basis and when we run five, we can't do that because half the price of the car is tied up in the insurance on the two cars. A replacement car would cost about \$4,000 and the insurance on the two being removed from service about \$2,000. Let's say that we ran five and we paid the \$1,800 to buy insurance and one broke down, it would be \$6,000.

"This way, if one dies, and they all have over 100,000 miles on them, and we get down, we'll never go below three cars and the money will be available to (See Police page 8)

**Spring Band Concerts** Thursday, May 21 Winters High School Auditorium

# City to make water hook up

City officials say that parts of Winters will be without water for a short time next Tuesday morning as crews shut down the water system in order to hook the new water treatment plant into the water system.

The area to be affected by the water cut-off will be bounded by Main Street on the west and Jewell Street on the east. And by Tinkle Street on the north and Broadway on the south. The water will be cut off in

tions are completed. City officials said that the new

The Oklaunion Power Plant, almost three years since WTU's situated near Vernon, went into last change in basic retail rates.

Winters Farmers Market Association to meet, plan Grand Opening soon

The Winters Farmers Market Association will have their next meeting on Wednesday, May 27 at 8 p.m. in the Education Building at St. John's Lutheran Church in Winters. The Association would like to extend their sincere appreciation and thanks to the Runnels County Farmers Union for donating the money for the liability insurance. Without insurance, the Market would not be able to operate.

Plans are being made for the Grand Opening Ceremonies to be held Friday, June 12 at 8:30 a.m. and the Market to be open at the conclusion of the ceremonies. The location will be announced at a future date.

Everyone is invited to attend the meeting to learn what the Farmers Market is all about.

### **Social Security sets** date for June visit

Edwin Draughon, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his June visit to Winters. He will be at the Housing Project Office on Monday, June 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.

# Winters High School names honor students

The announcement was made Tuesday of the top honor students of the Senior Class at Winters High School.

Valedictorian is Michelle Wheeler. Michelle will graduate with a grade point average of 96.065. In High School she has been active in the Blizzard Band, the Student Council, Annual Staff, National Honor Society, and the Texas Association of Future Educators. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wheeler.

The Salutatorian for the Class of 1987 is Shane Groves. His grade point average is 94.52. Shane has been active in the Blizzard Band, serving as Drum Major the past year, in the National Honor Society, and active in 4-H work and in showing livestock. Shane is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Groves.

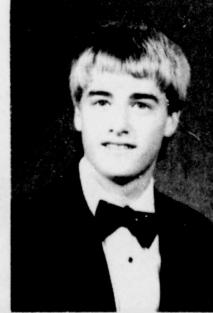
The Awards Day activities at Winters High School are slated for 8:00 a.m. Friday in the High School Auditorium.

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water treatment is nearing completion and should be ready to go on line by the middle of July.



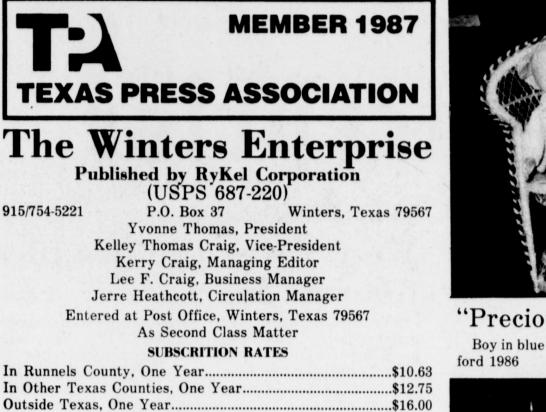
Michelle Wheeler Valedictorian



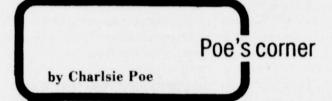
Shane Groves

Salutatorian





Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing, or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this newspaper will be gladly corrected upon due notice of same being given to the editor in writing personally at this office.



### **Parade of Dolls**

The most unusual entry at the Z. I. Hale Museum Doll Show Sunday was a group of porcelain dolls made and dressed by Dorothy Bedford.

Her collection included the Campbell Soup Twins, two sets of Bylo baby dolls and "Precious pink. One doll wore Gladden restored and beautifully dressed

handmade; the case was constructed by Donald Hambright, doll and dress were made by his wife, Nora. This was a gift to his mother, Mildred, and was entered by Clarence Hambright. Melba Emmert found a trea-

sure in her mother's trunk. She had lovingly stored ten dolls that belonged to her five girls. Moments", a boy dressed in blue All were baby dolls from 45 to checked gingham and girl in 55 years old and have been





# "Precious Moments"

Boy in blue checked suit and girl in pink. Made by Dorothy Bed-



Dione quintuplets by Dorothy Bedford 1986

wedding dress, one of the "Lit- Krause's first grade room were tle Women" set and a Tiny Tears baby doll.

An internationl flavor was added by Soon Lee who brought a large Korean doll in formal dress and a wedding couple. She said that the bride always wears red and green and the women all company.

Ellen Meyer brought an original G. I. Joe doll and her Shirley Temple doll, now 50 years old.

displayed. Also a beautiful doll

in party dress that reminded

given away by Fred Young at

Debbie Lloyd's doll in wed-

Lloyd. Ivey Wood's doll flaunted

a wide flaring crocheted skirt.

One room was reserved for

An antique doll dressed in red velvet and old lace, belonging to Heathcott who brought a small La Frances Johnson, was china doll that belonged to her

Wendy Arredondo, who brought "The Praline Lady", a Cambina doll made in New Orleans; Danielle Benson, a doll made by her grandmother; and newborn baby doll was displayed by Haedee Perez. Mrs. Krause's baby doll was wearing a new wear removable collars to blue and white checked dress eliminate so much laundry work. and bonnet she made for the oc-A chinese couple entered by casion. She also displayed a Charlsie Poe kept them Korean doll, a gift to her from the Kim family.

Carolyn Slaughter's collection included 11 dolls of all types, from her childhood.

Brenda Bahlman's first grade room was represented by Amy

# **Two Winters residents** graduate from McMurry

Dewey Sanford Whitfield, both spring of Winters, received degrees ceremonies. May 10 from McMurry College, Abilene.

Bachelor of Business Administration-Management

# Hospital

Notes

ADMISSIONS May 12 **Kyle Whitten Robert** Owen May 13 Matt Whitten May 14 Ella Grant **Evangelia** Cortez May 15 Kristi Taylor May 16 John Bahlman **Raymond Schwartz** May 17 None May 18 Jesus Gonzales Winnie Patterson

DISMISSALS May 12 None May 13 Ascincion Fernandez Jake Whitten Robert Owen May 14 Kyle Whitten May 15 Matt Whitten Minnie Bredemeyer May 16 None May 17 None May 18 Kristi Taylor Raymond Schwartz

Jesus Tamez

Joe Frank Guajardo and degree from McMurry in the commencement

Dewey Sanford Whitfield received a BBA-Accounting Joe Frank Guajardo received degree in the commencement ceremonies.

> Joe Frank is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rios of Winters. Dewey is the son of Nada Whitfield of Amarillo and the late Mr. Whitfield.

> McMurry is a four-year liberal arts college jointly owned by the Northwest Texas and New Mexico Conferences of the United Methodist Church.

Addressing the 153 graduating seniors at McMurry commencement was Valleau Wilkie, Jr., executive vice president of the Sid W. Richardson Foundation of Fort Worth.

Honorary doctorates were conferred on Rev. Kenneth Ford, district superintendent of the Abilene District, Northwest Texas Conference, United Methodist Church; and the Rev. Russell Parchman, district superintendent, El Paso District, New Mexico Conference, United Methodist Church.

### **Card of Thanks**

We wish to thank everyone for all the cards, letters, flowers, pone calls, donations and help while Buster was in the hospital and since his return home.

Special thanks to the VFW and Auxiliary and our friends for having the Bar-B-Que for us.

You have truly helped us through a bad time and we will always remember and appreciate what you have done for us.

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# Donn Doyle

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#### **Campbell Soup Twins**

Bedford's 80 year old baby dress by Melba. There were in baby and another's dress was made from a party dress that belonged to Mary Helen Bedford over 40 years ago.

Mrs. Bedford didn't bring her Dione quintuplets because she said there was too many of them.

ago with the purchase of \$100 in groceries. beds, cradles, highchairs and ding dress was just as beautiful strollers. One life size girl doll as when purchased 20 years ago. stood guard over the babies. She was presented by Dickie

Mary Margaret Leathers presented five dolls, all about 30 years old, from her daughters, Meg's, collection. Included were two Madame Alexander dolls in

great-grandmother Heathcott. Jane Wyatt's room was represented by Heather Watkin's some of us these dolls were Cheerleader and Una Patel's big bird. the grocery store about 30 years Teri Ledbetter and Anise Lee

from Nancy Randolph's Kindergarten both brought baby dolls.

While Mrs. Bedford was packing her dolls for the trip home I inquired about her interest in dolls and how it started. She and her husband operated

Day Care Center for 45 years in Houston with the help of their son and his wife. It was called Texas Tots and accomodated 150 children. They also had a smaller nursery called 'Mamaw's". They still had these nurseries when she began making rag dolls about 15 years ago. Always fascinated by dolls she bought patterns and made characters such as Betty Boop, Country Cousins, Popeye, Sweet Pea and Olive Oyl. She didn't intend to sell any of them but when offered \$40 each, she couldn't resist.

Before the doll stage, Mrs. Bedford said she decorated eggs of any kind; duck, goose, bird, chicken, ostrich and emu.

After nursery days; raising four girls and one boy and becoming a widow, Dorothy was living in Austin when she and Gladden were married in March of 1984.

Soon after coming to Winters, when Ann Rogers opened her shop, Dorothy took lessons from her and started making porcelain dolls. She is delighted with the work and has no problem about what to do with them.

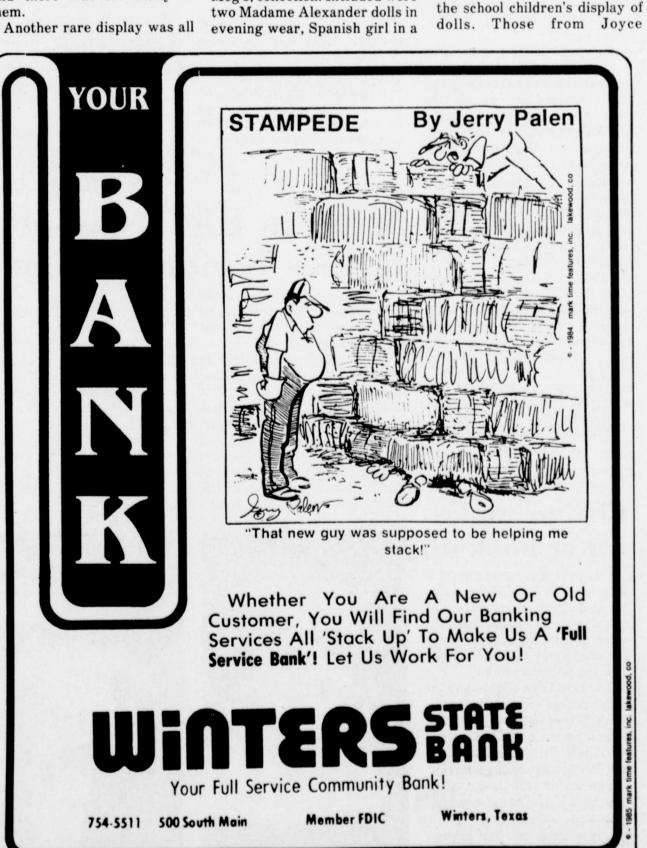
Together she and Gladden have over 60 grand and greatgrandchildren. Everyone gets a birthday present and birthday remembrance.

#### Visitors

Recent out-of-town visitors in the home of Mrs. Charles Kruse, Jr., were Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Barker of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Adami of Seagraves; Mrs. Charles Adami, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Nesloney, Sr., and Miss Edwina Adami, all of San Antonio; and Charles H. (Chuck) Adami of Vernon.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS!









# **Donna Parker to marry Doyle Barker**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker of Kermit, Texas, wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Donna Jean, to Mr. Doyle Preston Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lindsey of Cleburne and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Barker of Winters.

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The couple plan to exchange vows July 25, 1987 at 2 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church in Kermit.

Davis. The bride-elect is currently employed by the San Angelo Independent School District and her fiance is currently employed by Alderman-Cave Milling and Grain Company of Winters, Texas. The couple plan to make their home in San Angelo.

#### Friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend the ceremony and reception following.

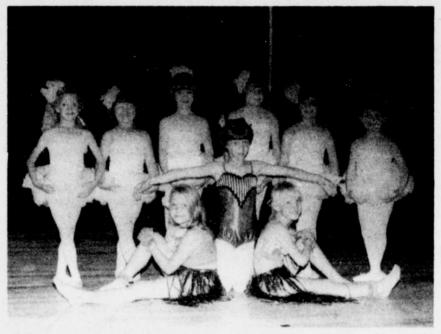
# Charles, Dorothy Myers to be honored on 50th anniversary

Charles and Dorothy Myers of Chaplains and is serving as a the Fellowship Building of the of the TRTA. Wingate Baptist Church in ding Anniversary.

858 Canyon Court, Abilene, will member of the Executive Board be honored Sunday, May 24 with of the Baptist General Convena reception from 2 to 4 p.m. in tion of Texas. She is a member

Shortly after moving to observance of their 50th Wed- Abilene in 1957, Charles became the Pastor of the Wingate Bap-Charles was born July 17, tist Church where he and 1913 in Cumby, and Dorothy was Dorothy continue to faithfully born November 25, 1916 in serve. She has been the Church Brownwood. They met in 1935 at Organist and Sunday School

The Winters Enterprise, Winters, Texas, Thursday, May 21, 1987 3 Mary's School of Dance recitals set for Saturday, 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in Winters High School Auditorium



### Kindergarten and first grade

(Back Row, 1-r)Tarra Burnes, Amanda Williams, Monica Parramore, Judy Spill, Tamara Thorpe, Tamara Turner. (front row, l-r)Angela Shoemake, Jeanna Kozelsky, Jennifer



## Second and Third Grades

Staci Springer, Jana Jackson, Cheri Dry, Christi Burton, Marie Spill.



Three and Four year olds

(Back row, l-r)Kristin Goff, Michelle Paschal, Summer Ferguson, Allison Wells, Casey McDonald, Kelli Slimp, Jana Presley. (front row, l-r)Angela Craig, Fallen Perrie, Angela Jacob, Justin Meyer, Jade Richards, Shelly Meyer, Whitney Rogers.



Three and four year old Lori Bredemeyer, Courtnee Hooten, Kyla Colburn, Andi Ledbetter and Brittney Tekel.

#### **Card of Thanks Card of Thanks** We would like to say "Thank I would like to thank all my

You" to all of our families and friends and neighbors for all the

Howard Payne University and were married May 21, 1937 at First Baptist Church in Brownwood.

They have one son and daughter-in-law, Ed and Kris Myers of Abilene.

Charles has been a Baptist Pastor for more than 50 years and during their marriage, the couple have lived in Brownwood, Fort Worth, Naples, Leonard, Houston and Abilene.

They moved to Abilene in 1957 where he served as Chaplain of Hendrick Medical Center for 25 years until his retirement in 1982. She is a retired teacher from the Abilene Independent School District. He is a Mason, a Rotarian,

member of the College of

Teacher for this same period of time.

The members of the Wingate Baptist Church cordially invite friends of the couple to attend.

### **Card of Thanks**

We would like to thank Bro. Hooton of the Church of Christ for the beautiful service and the kindness he showed to our family.

Also a special thanks to everyone for the cards, flowers, and memorials. And to the women of the Church of Christ for all the wonderful food.

Thank you to the Bahlman Quartet and to Mike Meyer and staff.

The family of Susie Bryan

M-F 8-

Sat. 9-11 754-5569



## Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Grades

Jamie Sims, Ashley Allcorn, Jennifer Boles, Shana Poehls, Lisanne Smith.

#### **Card of Thanks** Adami-Henniger

## reunion held

Mrs. Charles (Lenora Adami of San Antonio, formerly a longtime resident of Winters, and Mrs. Walter (Hildegarde) Kruse, of Winters, were honored on their birthdays on Sunday, May 10, 1987. Seventy-three relatives and friends met at the Winters Community Center to enjoy both food and fellowship.

The function was inspired by the enthusiasm of Mrs. Lenora Adami, who was eager to see her many friends and relatives and to have them share the joys of her ninety-sixth birthday.

Attending the festive affair to celebrate with the honorees were Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Adami, of Seagraves; Charles H. (Chuck) Adami, of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adami, of Winters; Dr. Bernard Adami and Jeven, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Adami, of San Marino, California; Mrs. Delia Keele, of Midland; Mrs. Louise Adami, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. James Burleson, Melinda, Janie, and Michael of Arlington.

Miss Edwina Adami, of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Nesloney, Sr., of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wayne and Tyler, of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. James Keele, of Houston; Mrs. Ella Henniger, of Ballinger; Mrs. Kathryn Gregory, of Midland: Mrs. Ruth Ann Henniger Reeves, of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Winton Milliff, of Robert Lee; Miss Emma Henniger, of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

Dear Friends: We just want to say Thanks to all the nice people that have played a part in our lifes for so many years. The prayers, food, visits and

many other nice things to numerous to mention. We both love life.

The Carl Baldwin family

Kruse, of Big Lake; Dennis Kruse, of Midland; Mrs. Hilda Ann Kruse Henriques, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bridges and John, of Elgin; Mr. and Mrs. Doug Burrous, of Crane; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Davis, Laurie, Rachel, Benjamen, and Joshua, of Crane; Julie Henniger, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Henniger, of Denver City; Rick Baker, of Midland; Mrs. Lera Henniger, of Denver City; Donald Kruse, Terry, and Brad, of Winters; Michelle Campbell, of Ballinger; Mrs. Charles Kruse, Jr., of Winters; Pastor Steve Byrne, St. John's Lutheran Church, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Barker, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wayne, of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Michaelis, Robin, and J. J., of Wingate; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Onken, of Winters; Kenneth Onken, of Ft. Worth; Mrs. and Mrs. Erwin Schroeder, of Winters; Miss Lucy Kittrell and Mrs. Laura Pace, of Winters. After enjoying a bountiful

barbecue meal with all the trimmings, the group spent several hours reminiscing and taking pictures before returning to their respective homes.

friends for all of the expressions of love shown to during this time of sorrow and loss.

A special thanks to the Revs. Curtis Morton and Glenn and nurses who attended to me Shoemake, David Speegle, Lillian Cooper, and the Winters Hospital. Funeral Home for the beautiful service.

First Baptist Church and the Southside Baptist Church for the delicious meal. May God bless each of you is

our prayer.

prayers, cards, phone calls and food, while I was in the hospital and after I returned home.

A "Thank You" to the doctors while in Angelo Community

A special thanks to Pastor Stephen Byrne and my lovely Also a special thanks to the family for all the prayers, love and concern.

> May God bless you all. Rosalie E. Simpson

The Roy Calcote family

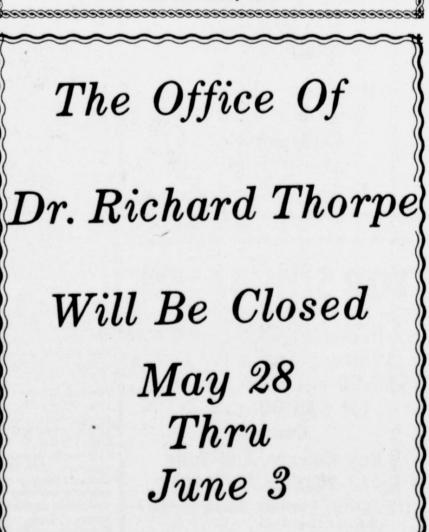
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O. When I purchase a home using a VA loan guaranty, will the income of my spouse be considered?

Styes often recur

A. The Veteran's and the spouse's income are considered in determining ability to repay the loan.

Q. Can a non-veteran assume a GI loan?

A. Yes. VA approval is not required before a veteran or a nonveteran assumes a GI loan. However, before the veteran-seller can be released from liability in the case of loan default, the buyer must be a credit-worthy obligor who is acceptable to the VA.

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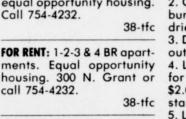
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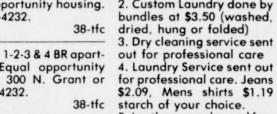
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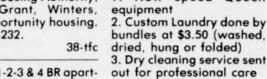
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## **TGSPB** accepting nominations for five board openings Texas sorghum producers will

elect five directors to the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board (TGSPB) this summer. The board was organized in 1969 to research and develop new markets for grain sorghum.

This summer's election is the beginning of a statewide districting plan developed earlier this year. The plan-created by TGSPB for better representation in sorghum producing regions-will divide Texas into five regional districts by 1989. There will be three directors from each district on the board. "We are dedicated to fair

representation of each sorghum producing region of Texas." noted K. B. Parish, chairman of Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board.

"In 1985, Texas producers turned out to vote on a referendum that would make the assessment program statewide instead of the 29 counties participating at that time," said Parish.

"At the same time, TGSPB held at-large elections to replace four directors whose terms had expired and fill three additional positions creatd by the board, bringing the total number of directors on the board to 15," he said.

Parish added, "South Texas was well represented at the polls and the votes from farmers in that area moved four directors to that region. After the 1985 elections, there were eleven directors representing the High Plains and four for South Texas.'

"This year, with five positions open, voters will elect three directors in the High Plains and two in East Texas, creating three districts in Texas-the

### Wool Judging Team travels to Del Rio

The Runnels County Wool Judging Team traveled to Producer Wool & Mohair in Del Rio this past weekend. Ten 4-H'ers participated in this activity. H.

3rd high in the Mohair division.

These two youth, plus Bobby

Jennings, of Ballinger, made up

Barbara Belk, of Norton, Tam-

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The Junior members were:

the Senior team.

High Plains and two in East Texas, creating three districts in Texas-the High Plains, East Texas and South Texas. The South Texas District will not participate in the elections this summer," he explained.

By 1989, the 15 statewide positions will represent five districts-the Northern High Plains, the South Plains, East Texas, South Texas and the South Central region," he added. "Each district will be represented by three directors and, in future elections, we will elect one director from each region every two years. Directors serve six year terms.

Anyone involved in grain sorghum production within the regions represented by TGSPB and paying Texas grain sorghum assessment (including farm owners, tenants and sharecroppers) may be nominated for a TGSPB position and/or vote in this year's elections.

Nominations must be filed with the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board, P.O. Box 530, Abernathy, Texas, no later than July 15, 1987. Forms must be signed by the nominee and ten eligible voters and must include their current mailing addresses. Nomination forms, although not required, are available from the TGSPB offices at the above address.

TGSPB will provide ballots to eligible voters prior to the election. These ballots must be postmarked before midnight August 15, 1987. Persons qualified to vote who do not receive a ballot 15 days prior ro the election may obtain one at their local County Agricultural Extension Office or grain elevator.

Miles. All of the young judges faced stiff competition down South.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Belk, of Norton, Mrs. Mary Edmondson, of Ballinger, Mrs. Teresa Strube, of Ballinger, and Todd Swift, Ass't County Extension

The dates that this regulation are in effect is May 26 to Octhe designated area are asked to abide with these regulations. The regulation reads as follows:

The portion of Runnels County beginning on the west county line at the point of intersection with the Colorado River, east-southeasterly along the Colorado River to its intersection its intersection with the north county line, thence westerly along the north Runnels County line to the northwest corner of the county, thence southerly along the west county line to the Colorado River, the point of beginning, is regulated by the Texas Herbicide Law. In regulated areas, no permit required from October 1 to May 26 of the year following. Use of regulated herbicides is prohibited between May 26 and October 1 of each year. And further, amine and other nonvolatile formulation may be used in the regulated area between the days of May 26 and October 1 each year, provided that first. the user obtain a permit as prescribed by the law prior to such use.

## **Planning** ahead tober 1, 1987. All persons within for elderly care

Open communication and planning between adult children and their aging parents can ease the transition of dependency in a family, says gerontologist Dr. Judith Warren. "Increasing fraility can be a daily reminder of a parent's mortality," says the Texas A&M University Agriculwith U.S. Highway 83, thence tural Extension Service home north along U.S. Highway 83 to economist. "It's not always easy to accept that a parent is no longer the strong person you used to depend upon. Remember, parents probably feel the same way," she adds. "It's difficult for most people who have been selfsufficient to accept any level of dependency," The best way to deal with this situation is to talk with your parents before a crisis occurs, says Warren. Discuss future "what ifs" because tentative plans can provide some insurance against making unsatisfactory decisions. Warren cautions, "Avoid making assumptions about your aging parents' abilities, feelings, and needs without talking with them

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"Additionally, the bill creates

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and two appointed members of

the Veterans Land Board to

authorize loan guarantees. This

helps ensure both the quality of

the loans and that true farm and

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"We greatly appreciate the in-

Land Office program."

### Legislature okays plan to restart Texas farm & ranch finance program

loans.

Land Commissioner Garry Mauro and Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower today applauded the Legislature for passing legislation that will provide loans for land to Texas farmers and ranchers and will help producers diversify into alternative cash crops. The legislation corrects problems in the Texas Farm and Ranch Finance Program caused by a change in federal tax law.

"This bill, co-authored by Sen. Tati Santiesteban (D.-El Paso) and State Rep. L. P. (Pete) Patterson (D.-Brookston), cures the program's problems with federal tax laws so now we can get on with the Texas Farm and Ranch Finance Program," Mauro said. Recent tax reform on the federal level made it impossible to use The Winters Enterprise, Winters, Texas, Thursday, May 21, 1987 5

# **Extension** at Home By Pat Hohensee

**County Extension Agent** 

# of laughter

Researchers in family relationships identify a sense of humor or laughter as an indicator of strong families. When family relations become strained or the family experiences difficult financial times, laughter is harder to generate, or may cease to exist.

Holding on to our sense of humor is serious business. Sometimes to only way to bear our burdens is to laugh and bear them anyway. Life is tough, but without laughter it is intolerable.

Recent medical studies indicate a connection between immunity and the mind. For instance, deep laughter releases substances into the body that seem to block pain. Some physiologists have found that stressful events often precede illness. Then, control over stressful events is important. Physicians doing some serious

and his staff, and we owe our thanks to Senator Santiesteban and Representative Patterson. The family farmers and ranchers of Texas are the beneficiaries of their work," Hightower said.

The Texas Farm and Ranch Finance Program will provide up to \$100,000 to qualified Texas farmers and ranchers for the purchase of 50 acres or more of land. Eligibility requires the applicant to be a Texas resident for at least five years. Also, 35 percent of the gross income in the previous three years must have come from a farm or ranch.

The healing power research on laughter as medicine have found that it increases respiratory activity, oxygen exchange, muscular activity and heart rate. Laughter also stimulates the cardiovascular system, sympathetic nervous system, pituitary gland and the production in the brain of endorphins, the body's natural painreducing enzymes. It looks like a good laugh can do more than just cheer you up. Has happened to us, we are not doomed. Laughter allows hope.

There are great moments of mirth in every family that conjure up scenarios of dealing with very serious problems in unconventional ways. Humor often defuses anger and heals pain.

When families come together in shared laughter, they enjoy a deep feeling of common humanity and unity. Laughing at our troubles presents us with an offer we can't refuse.



The applicant's net worth must also be less than \$250,000.

Those interested in more information on the Land Office's loan program may call 1-800-292-FARM. Those interested in more information on TDA'S loan guarantee program may call the TDA at (512) 463-7574.



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### Hormone Herbicide severely limited the amount of **Regulated** area

The Northwest part of Runnels County will be in a Herbicide Regulated area again this year, according to Allen E. Turner, Runnels County Extension Agent. The law and the da and Kendra McCown, of area are the same in 1987 as they were in 1986.

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federal tax-exempt bonds to make loans for family land transactions. The reform also land a person coulkd own or had ever owned and still make a loan under the program.

"Once the governor signs the bill into law, the program can pick up where it left off on loan applications we had already received from Texas family farmers and ranchers," Mauro said.

Mauro added that the Land Office has already pending 236 applications and 10 loans ready to be acted upon immediately once the bill becomes law.

However, changes in the federal tax law made the program extremely difficult, if not impossible, to administer and there was no choice but to suspend the program until the Legislature could meet to cure those problems. Under the federal tax legislation, taxexempt bonds may not be used to finance land purchases between family members.

Senate Bill 1333 by Sen. Santiesteban, carried in the House by Rep. Patterson, allows the program to issue taxable bonds, in addition to the tax-exempt bonds, to allow purchases among family members.

The bill also provides for guarantees of these loans by the Department of Texas Agriculture's Family Farm and Ranch Security Program, allowing the bonds to be more attractive to purchasers and lowering the interest rate to program users. The bill also contains a number of cleanup amendments to bring state law into conformance with the state Consititution and federal tax laws.

"Joining the GLO's Farm and Ranch Program with TDA's Family Farm and Ranch Security Program, through SB 1333, will especially benefit the family farmers and ranchers of Texas who are trying to diversify into new cash-value alternative crops like wine grapes, blueberries, and nursery stock," Hightower said. "The \$10 million in loan guarantees that are available from TDA can now 'sweeten the pot' for family farmers and ranchers who want to diversify their operation by purchasing land through the

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# **Obituaries**

### **Jon Edwards**

Jon Ezra Edwards, 87, of Dublin, died Wednesday, May 13, 1987 at a Dublin hospital.

Services for Jon Ezra Edwards were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday at the Patrick Street Church of Christ in Dublin with Frank Briscoe officiating. Burial was in the Earth Garden of Memories Cemetery, directed by Harrell Funeral Home.

Born in Erath County, he was a lifelong resident. He was the secretary for the City of Dublin for seven years and was a member of the Patrick Street Church of Christ.

Survivors include two daughters, Daphine Hudson of Forth Worth and Vencie Hutchison of Waco; five sisters, Reba Carter of Clairette, Eula Vural of Dickerson, Alene Cozy of Winters and Ocie Stinnett and Bobby Adcock, both of Anson; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

### **Roy Calcote**

Roy Calcote, 60, of Winters, died at 9:10 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, 1987 at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a brief illness.

Born July 27, 1926 in Wheeler, Texas, he came to Winters in 1950.

He married Dixie Parker April 7, 1951 in Winters and had lived here most of his life. He owned and operated Calcote and Sons Dirt Contractors since 1971. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Dixie Calcote of Winters; five sons, Larry, Rick, Danny, Billy and Mike, all of Winters: one brother, Raymond Calcote of Farmington, New Mexico; three sisters, Lorene Cranfield of Amarillo, Ruby Needham of Amarillo and Juanita Calcote of San Angelo; nine grandchildren. One daughter, Karen preced-

ed him in death.

## **Ila McCollum**

Ila Mae McCollum, 77, of Tuscola, died Wednesday, May 13, 1987 in an Abilene nursing home.

Born in Abilene, she graduated from Wylie High School. She moved with her family outside Buffalo Gap near Lake Abilene, where she lived for 53 years. He had also lived in Rogers community east of Tuscola for 15 years. She was in the farm and ranching business and was a member of the Buffalo Gap Bapitst Church.

She was the widow of Jewel McCollum.

Survivors include a son, Bobby Joe McCollum of Tuscola; a daughter, Barbara Willis of Abilene; three sisters, Orthrene Young, Vivian Muston and Audine Doran, all of Abilene; three brothers, Ira Forrest, who lives near Lake Abilene, Lester Forrest of Evant and Wayne Forrest of Hawley; two grandsons; and three granddaughters.

Services for Ila Mae McCollum were held at 10:30 a.m. Firday, May 15, at the Buffale Gap Baptist Church with the Revs. Wayne Heinze and Paul Kinley officiating. Burial was in Buffalo Gap Cemetery, directed by Fry Funeral Home.

### **Bill Moore**

James William (Bill) Moore, 89, of Winters, died at 8:40 p.m. Friday, May 15, 1987 at the Senior Citizens Nursing Home after a brief illness.

Born September 3, 1898 in Hiawassee, Georgia, he moved to Whitewright, Texas as a young man and after school was employed by the Truitt Furniture and Funeral Company. He came to Winters in 1919 and married Stella Bridwell November 10, 1920 in Winters. He worked for Streets Sheet

Metal and Gambills Department Store and was associated with

sons, Ellis Zane Moore and Billy George Moore, both of Winters; two daughters, Mittie Jean Ley of Van Wert, Ohio and Cynthia Autrey of Temple; 11 grandchildren; eight greatgrandchilren; and three nieces.

Services for Bill Moore were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, May 17, in the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Glenn Shoemake officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

### **Ruby Estep**

Ruby Currie Estep, 84, of Paint Rock, died May 12, 1987 at 4:35 a.m. in Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Ballinger.

Born April 14, 1903 in Concho County, she was a homemaker and a member of Paint Rock First Baptist Church.

She married Willard Estep June 1, 1924 in Paint Rock, he preceded her in death July 20, 1968.

Survivors include one daughter, Dorothy Cribb of Paint Rock; three sisters, Mary Mosteller of Paint Rock, Ethel King of Kerrville and Grace Malone of Runaway Bay; two brothers, Roy Currie and Floy Currie, both of Paint Rock.

Services for Ruby Currie Estep were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, 1987 in Paint Rock First Baptist Church with Rev. David Brooks officiating. Burial was in Paint Rock Cemetery, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home. Nephews served as pall-

bearers.

### Yellow Rose of **Texas Festival set**

The Cross Plains Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi is sponsoring their second Annual Arts and Crafts Fair entitled "Yellow

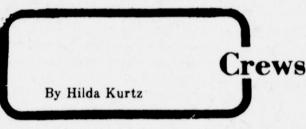


### Nursing Home news

by Elaine Miller **Activity Director** 

Easter has come and gone, Spring decorates our home from **Brownies and Pre-Kindergarten** class, it really reminds us Spring has sprung. Thanks a lot children. Thanks also goes to Farmers Seed and Supply, volunteers who paint finger nails, who help play bingo, bring cookies for Saturday morning, for the cake for the birthday party, those who keep the lawn looking pretty. To Pastors and piano players and those who make music for us.

We have some new residents



Billie Moore, due to the death of his dad, Bill Moore, Winters, his

wife and other relatives. Seventeen Crews neighbors did a good face lift on the gym Saturday evening. Afterwards sandwiches, chips and freezer cream was enjoyed by the Fred Watkins, the Dale Duggans, the Ken Bakers, the Osbornes, Chester McBeth, myself and the Gibbs.

Bill Moore, Winnie Patterson, Flora Burton, Margurite Mathis, Willie Lou Nichols and Manuela Esquivel. We are glad to have them and hope they enjoy their stay with us.

Our birthday party will be Thursday, May 21 at 3 p.m. Birthdays this month are Rex Hamner and Margurite Mathis. Family and friends are invited. Our new Bingo Champ Banner

hangs on Ruby Miller's door.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Bill Moore and Carl Baldwin.

We hope the public enjoys seeing our new sign-we are proud of it.

south and west got more. Coleman Foreman received 101/4 inches. Mrs. Effie Dietz, 8 3/10 and I managed 8 inches.

A couple of Jewel and Richard Denny's kidos were down from Wichita Falls during the week. The Wilbert Alcorns were in

San Angelo Saturday to see the Johnnie Densons. Jarrell, Maurine and Allie Giles, Brownwood, spent Sunday with Fairy and Wilbert,

# **Rita I. Powers** presented award

Rita I. Powers, daughter of L.B. and Mary Watkins, was presented with the Pi Gamma Mu award, for Outstanding Student in Psychology/Sociology, 1986-87 following the induction ceremoney held on April 29 at Angelo State University. Pi Gamma Mu is an international honor society in social science. Rita was unanimously selected for this honor by the faculty based on her grades and other criteria. She has maintained a 4.0 GPA in both her major (psychology) and her minor (biology), and has an overall GPA of 3.94. Rita plans to graduate from ASU in May 1988 with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology, at which time she will begin work on a Master's in Psychology.

Earlier this year, Rita was inducted into Alpha Chi, the National Honor Scholarship Society at ASU. She has also been a recipient of a Carr Academic Scholarship for three years.

Rita resides in San Angelo with her three children-Cheryle, Angie, and Amber.



Toby and Melinda Gerhart of The Colony, Texas are proud to announce the birth of son born Monday morning, May 18, 1987, at Plano General Hospital.

Gregory Don weighed seven pounds, six and 3/4 ounces and was 19<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kvapil of Brenham. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gerhart.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gerhart, Mrs. Dora Busher, and Mrs. and Mrs. Elmer Kvapil of Rowena.

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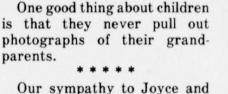
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Services for Roy Calcote were held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Glenn Shoemake and Rev. Curtis Morton officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

his sons in Winters Sheet metal in for many years.

Mr. Moore was a member of the Presbyterian Church and Odd Fellows Lodge. Survivors include his wife, Stella Moore of Winters; two

### **ASU to hold Summer Youth Enrichment** Program for school age children

ment Program at Angelo State University will offer short courses for school age children throughout the summer with classes in the areas of physical science, recreation and sports, fashion, art, and personal ly August. improvement.

ment Program is sponored by ing Education.

The Summer Youth Enrich- from four to 12 days, depending upon the course. The first offerings begin the week of Monday, June 8. A total of 58 classes are being offered, including several sections of tennis and golf instruction scheduled through ear-

Classes include study in the The Summer Youth Enrich- areas of prehistoric reptiles, prehistoric mammals, sharpenthe Angelo State University ing thinking skills, money Division of Adult and Continu- management, football ofshirts-n-shoes, ficiating, The short courses will run bandannas-n-bows, tennis, golf,

Rose of Texas Arts and Crafts Festival." This event will be held at the Treadway/Cross Plains City Park on Highway 36, just west of the Cross Plains city limits on Saturday, June 6, 1987, from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m.

We welcome all artists, whether your talent be oils, water colors, bronze, or crafts. Food spaces are also welcome. Call right now to get your space. For availability of spaces contact Mary Dunn at (817) 725-7136 or Cathy Permenter at (817) 725-6712/6564. Size of spaces will be 10' X 10' at \$15 or 20' X 20' at \$25. There will be an additional charge of \$5 for electricity. These ladies will be able to answer any questions you might have about the spaces. But you do need to call now to get your space before they are all taken. Make plans to be in Cross

Plains. ACT NOW!!!

drawing, typewriter keyboarding, prehistoric man, computer activities, calculators for beginners, and life science.

Instruction fee for classes are from \$12 to \$28.

For more information and a full class schedule of the Summer Youth Enrichment Program at Angelo State contact the Adult and Continuing Education Margie Williams and baby, Office at 942-2339.

### Wilmeth Friendly **Helpers** Club met

The Wilmeth Friendly Helpers Club met with Thelma Tubbs on May 13.

Those members attending were: B. B. McNeill, Grace Barker, Lessie Robinson, Oma Lee Overman, Eva Wright, Joyce Broadstreet, Genevevie Denson, Rosalie Simpson and the hostess, Thelma Tubbs.

The next meeting will be held May 27 with Rosalie Simpson as hostess.

### Sew and Sew met

The Wingate Sew and Sew Club met May 12, 1987, in the Wingate Lions Club Building with nine members present.

Pauline Huckaby served as hostess. A quilt was quilted for Pauline and a custom quilt was finished.

The next meeting will be May 26, with Lorene Kinard as hostess. This meeting will be time to pay dues.

Sorry to hear of Larry Calcote's dads death. Our sympathy to Larry and Bobby and other relatives.

On Tuesday Nila Osborne and Stefanie McGallian came and got some roses out of Mrs. Effie Dietz garden. Effie enjoyed the cake she brought. On Wednesday Jessie Collom got water bound and came to use Effie's phone to call Larry and Alfred Collom, who got her car out of the high water and visited awhile. Jessie was a lot of help calling help for Effie since her electricity was off for eight hours. On Sunday Clarence Hambright came out and mowed the grass and sprayed wasp. Hopewell church visitors Sunday were, Woodroe and Winnie

Fred Worthington, Banning, California and Mrs. Amber Fuller of Holiday Day Nursing Home, Coleman. WMU met Monday at 9 a.m. in the church fellowship hall.

Rodney, Bernie, Gene and Brian Faubion, Harvey Mae and Noble Faubion, Eileen, Jermey and Tiffany Prater, visited James Pape, of Hobbs, New Mexico, in the home of Walter H. Pape in Santa Anna Saturday night.

Margie and Walter Jacob hosted a supper and 42 night Saturday. Enjoying the event were Hattie Minzenmeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jacob, Mr. and Mrs. James Halfmann, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holle.

Hildegarde and W. A. Asbury, San Angelo, spent Saturday with me, they did odd jobs for me.

The Robert Kraatz family attended the Winters Pizza Hut ball game in Robert Lee. Winters came from behind and won. Daughter Melinda was one of the team.

During the week in the Doug Bryan home were, Kelly, Vicki and Alex Blackerby, Kendra and Jason Nitsch and a friend, Ahren, Dewitt, Frances, Lelon and Doris Bryan.

Some rain reports are six inch close around Crews, further

Gary Hill, Eastland, spent Sunday with his folks, Robert and Claudie Hill.

Kat Grissom came home Friday after a stay of Thursday night in an Abilene hospital for treatments.

Eighty-two were present honoring Mrs. Louise Michalewiz, Ballinger, on Mother's Day, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Wieshuhn (a daughter) with a Bar-B-Que supper in Wall.

These publicity stories are terrible. Half the lies they tell about me aren't true. Curtiz Michael

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeff Russell, of Dallas, are proud to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Mary Claire, who was born Thursday, May 7, 1987 at 6:05 p.m. at Methodist Hospital in Dallas.

She weighed eight pounds, two ounces and was 191/4 inches long.

Paternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Tommy Russell of Winters. Maternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Royce Laycock of Dallas.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Middlebrook of Winters. Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Ben Blake of Fairfield, Illinois.



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### Call: **Runnels Co. Crimestoppers** 365-2111 or call the operator, and ask for **ENTERPRISE 67574**

We Can Beat Crime

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**Runnels** County

## **Crime Of The Month** May, 1987

The Runnels County Crimestoppers crime of the month for May is a burglary that occurred at the COUN-TRY STORE which is located west of Ballinger at the intersection of the Country Club Road and F.M. 2111.

The actors in the burglary entered the business by breaking the glass in the front door. Taken in this burglary was a bank bag containing \$300.00 in cash and checks. This burglary occured on the night of April 26. If you have any information that will lead to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons involved please call RUNNELS COUNTY CRIMESTOPPERS at 365-2111 or dial the OPERATOR and ask for ENTER-PRISE 67574. You do not have to give your name and your information will be worth a cash reward of up to \$1000.00.

HELP RUNNELS COUNTY CRIMESTOPPERS AND HELP YOURSELF WITH A GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION AT ANY RUNNELS COUNTY BANK.

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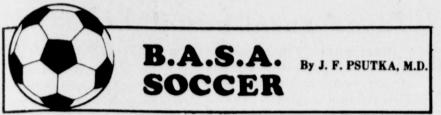
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The Soccer Executive con- Soccer Associations. This will be tinue to meet every three weeks an excellent match with a or so throughout the late Spring skillfull demonstration of soccer and Summer. We have a number as both of these teams play at a of important items to detail and very high level. we must also prepare for the

Their game will be preceeded by an Under 14 game scheduled Firstly, I would like to correct between the Ballinger Warriors an error that I made in the and the Abilene Titans. This transfer of soccer scores in the game is scheduled for 12 noon Under 10 age group. The and the match between the Bob-Winters Gremlins did not lose a cats and the Bandits will be game as was reported by me played at 2 p.m. Everybody is inearlier. The scores should have vited to see how soccer can really be played.

This year your Soccer Association is offering a scholarship valued at \$500. to a graduating student of Ballinger The final league standings are High School. The association has enjoyed an extremely good first season and we would like to My apologies to team coaches show our appreciation by giving and players of the Winters something back to the Gremlins. Their season was

community. The student will be selected We are planning a soccer proon the basis of scholarship, motion in Ballinger, Saturday, leadership, character and May 30, 1987. We have invited athletic participation. At preth San Angelo Bobcats and the sent we have nine applications. Abilene Bandits to play a match Our Awards Committee will

in Ballinger. These teams are make the selection this week. both Under 19 and are excellent One of the most important private clubs, who play in a items that we regularly discuss number of tournaments in the at our meeting is the building of a soccer complex. We desperately need to build a new field with The Abilene Bandits are composed of players from Abilene the attending paraphernalia. We Cooper and Abilene High. They are currently looking at three

different proposals. We would like to start shaping and planting the fields this Fall so that we may begin playing in the Fall of 1988. This will be a huge endeavor, but well within our grasp.

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#### Winters Public Schools BREAKFAST MENU MONDAY

Biscuits, sausage, gravy, applesauce, milk TUESDAY

Blueberry muffins, oatmeal, apple juice, milk

WEDNESDAY Cheese Toast, Honey Nut Cherrios, sliced peaches, milk

THURSDAY Biscuits, sausage, gravy, orange juice, milk

> LUNCHROOM MENU

May 25-May 28 MONDAY WEST SIDE

Hamburgers, mustard, mayonnaise, French fries w/catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, Tropical Island Bars, milk

EAST SIDE Tacos w/meat-cheese, pinto beans, tossed salad, sliced peaches, Tropical Island Bars, milk

> TUESDAY WEST SIDE

Combination, chicken legs, steak, fish, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, brownie pudding, hot rolls, milk EAST SIDE

Same WEDNESDAY

## WEST SIDE

Ham-cheese sandwich, French fries, catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, mustard, mayonnaise, ice cream milk EAST SIDE

German sausage, sauerkraut, fried potatoes, ice cream, cheese rolls, milk

THURSDAY

(Have A Nice Summer) WEST SIDE Hamburgers w/cheese, potato chips, tossed salad, pork'n beans, chocolate chip cookies, mixed fruit, milk EAST SIDE.

### Same

One of the marks of a gentleman is never to show that he's tired.

E. V. Lucas **READ THE CLASSIFIEDS!** 

### **Jim Ned Public Schools** LUNCHROOM MENU

May 25-May 29 MONDAY

**Cook's Choice** TUESDAY **Cook's Choice** 

WEDNESDAY Cook's Choice THURSDAY Cook's Choice

FRIDAY **Cook's Choice** Last Day Of School!!

Have a nice summer!



The faculty, staff, board members and their families had a most delightful time at the pot luck supper at Mark and Mary Mahaffey's home near Shep Friday night, May 15. Thank you, Mark and Mary, for your hospitality.

Mrs. Sneed's fifth and sixth grade classes will take their field trip Friday, May 22. They will visit the Abilene Reporter News, bowl on the Hardin-Simmons University campus and have a picnic lunch. The classes are excited about this long anticipated event.

Steven Sneed has received his ninth certificate for reading and reporting on ninety library books. Congratulations Steven. Only two more weeks of school and so many things yet to be accomplished. Everyone is anxious for the last day of school and vacation time.

I do not believe in fate that falls on men however they act; but I do believe in a fate that falls on them unless they act. G. K. Chesterton

### The Winters Enterprise, Winters, Texas, Thursday, May 21, 1987 7 **Cpl. Mark Kollmansberger participates** in Marine exercise Sardinia 87

Marine Lance Cpl. Mark Kollmansberger, son of Dennie Kollmansberger of Route 1, Ballinger, Texas recently participated in excercise Sardinia 87 with 26th Marine Amphibious Unit, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

During the week-long operation which took place on the island of Sardinia, Kollmansberger participated in a combined landing and cross training exercise with Spanish and Italian Military Forces.

The exercise featured participation of all elements of the Marine Amphibious Unit. Following the tactical phase, Marines trained together with their allied counterparts to improve their abilities with individaul and crew served weapons systems as well as individual and unit tactics.

He joined the Marine Corps in March 1985.

### J'Lynn Russell initiated into sorority

J'Lynn Russell, daughter of is a graduate of Winters High Mr. and Mrs. Tommy L. Russell, School. At Baylor, Miss Russell Box 855 of Winters, Texas, has is also a member of Alpha Tau been initiated into Kappa Delta Delta. Sorority at Baylor University, The Epsilon Chi Chapter of Waco. Miss Russell is a soph- Kappa Delta at Baylor was omore, majoring in nursing. She founded in 1983.

### **Children's Miracle Network Telethon set**

Tune in to the excitement on Saturday and Sunday, May 30 and 31, on KCBD-TV, Channel 11, for the annual Children's Miracle Network Telethon. You will be entertained by national and local stars and shown how the children of West Texas and Eastern New Mexico are benefitting from your contributions to the telethon.

"One hundred percent of all the money raised stays in Lubbock to help the sick and injured children at Lubbock General Hospital's Children's Pavilion," said Jacque Hastings, director of the Lubbock General Hospital Foundation and Telethon Coordinator. "Last year we raised over \$185,000, and we hope to have another record-breaking year this time, too."

Marie Osmond and John

### **Blackshear twins** join U.S. Navy

Dovle and David Blackshear, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Blackshear of Vernon, Texas, have joined the U.S. Navy. They will report for basic training August 24 in Orlando, Florida. Upon completion of basic training, both will begin training in

Schneider will host the Telethon from Disneyland in Anaheim, California, bringing 21 hours of entertainment and some of today's most exciting stars. Locally, the Telethon will be hosted by Karin MCay and Abner Euresti on Channel 11 beginning at 8 p.m. Saturday and ending at 5 p.m. Sunday.

Volunteers throughout the community donate their time and talents to the Telethon. Channel 11 donates the 21 hours of air time, with 20 minutes of each hour broadcast live from the hospital.

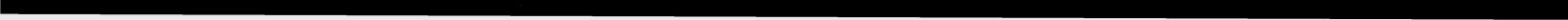
To make a donation or for more information, please call 806/743-3322. The Telethon is cosponsored by the Lubbock General Hospital Foundation and the Texas Tech Medical Foundation.

To do one's duty sounds a rather cold and cheerless business, but somehow in the end it does give one a queer sort of satisfaction.

Somerset Maugham

The twin brothers are grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Walker of Winters; Mrs. Ruth Boothe of Ballinger; and nephews of Mr. and Mrs. C. J.

Price Good Wed. May 20 thru Sun. May 24	Sonny's	West	<b>Dale G</b>	rocery	OPEN 6a.m 7p.m. MonSat 7a.m7p.m. Sunday
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Extra Lean Ground Chuck \$169 Ib.	Extra Lean Beef Cutlets \$229 Ib.	Taterland French Fries 79¢	Big Country Franks <sup>12-02.</sup> Pkg. 79 <sup>¢</sup>	Bananas 3 Ibs. For <b>1</b>	Corn on Cob 5 \$1
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Police –

### buy a replacement car."

The administrator told the council that he had surveyed several towns the size of Winters and found that most police departments had fewer officers and that all department had fewer patrol cars than Winters. Most town have two cars and only Winters and Hamlin have five officers. He said that with five men and three cars Winters would be staffed comperably.

In discussing the cuts, Chuck said, "You have to make some hard decisions, sometimes they are right and sometimes they are wrong, but you have to do something and when you look down the whole list of things there just isn't a whole lot left (to cut). The police department is now projected to spent about \$16,000 more than was budgeted, and what we are trying to do is to try to stretch things out.

"It is not a short range thing, it is long range thing because you have got to get on a paying deal and, if we don't do this now, you know, try and get this deficit number to zeros now, then it is going to get worse, much worse."

In looking at the budget figures for the police department, it can be noted that the department has had a fivepercent increase in its budget each year.

The only other cut discussed and approved was a slight reduction in the amount spent for firefighters convention and training trips.

The city official said that all other departments had already been cut back.

"The reason we want to do this," Chuck continued, "is the next thing alternative that I see is a reduction of manpower, it's now or never.'

### Wait ---

terests came in somewhere behind first place.

The same is not true with our present city administrator.

I am going to get into a bit of hot water but, what the heck.

# **Business loans available** for Texas rural residents

Authority is available to guarantee loans for Texas rural residents for use in creating new business or expanding existing eneterprises, L. Lynn Futch, FmHA Sate Director, said today

"Although the Farmers Home Administration guarantees a loan made by a commercial lender, we are interested in the economic health of our rural communities and welcome inquiries about this program," Futch said. "Our business and industry program was created primarily to provide jobs in rural communities and towns up to 50,000 in population.

"There may be many people

The Winters Rodeo Ass. is seeking entrants for the 1987 Rodeo Queen Contest.

Contestants must be members of WRA and be enrolled in school as a soph, junior, or senior in the fall of 1987.

scholarship along with a buckle and tiarra.

# Deadline for entering the con-

The Runnels County Horse Club will be having their monthly Play Day, Sunday, May 24, starting at 2 p.m.

Prizes will be given to all 1st place winners with ribbons going to second through fifth place winners.

The arena is located two Highway 158.

# Let's Jitterbug!

The YMCA will be offering two night sessions of Jitterbug Dance lessons from 7-9 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20 and 27.

For more information or class registration, contact the Southwest YMCA in San Angelo at 944-9622.

not familiar with the opportunities available under the B&I program, especially the fact that we can guarantee loans for a variety of sizes of business, including family-size enterprises," he added. "We are especially interested

in rural areas of Texas who are

in anything we can do to help improve job opportunities for farmers who are trying to find new occupations."

Mr. Futch said information about the program can be obtained from the FmHA office located at 2203 Federal Building, Abilene, Texas 79601, telephone (915) 672-1181.

**Deadline for Rodeo Queen Contest set** 

test is Friday, May 22 5:30 p.m. For more information contact any rodeo director or Country

The winner will receive a \$200

**Play Day slated** 

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For more information contact Kathy Hampton at 915-365-3423.

The cost is \$12 per person or

**Memo from** the Chamber

We are pleased that plans for organizing a Farmers Market have jelled and that it will be in operation this summer. It will be a good source of income for the participants and the consumers will enjoy the fresh food. Details will be forthcoming.

We continue to anticipate a big turn out for the Bass Classic on June 6. Participants will be competing for the \$500 cash prize and nine other gifts or merchandise certificate awards. If you have not completed your \$30 entry form come by the Chamber office and do so. Hopefully this event will be a big drawing for out of town visitors and will be held annually or semi-annually. We do have a beautiful lake and are happy to promote the use of this facility.

Don't forget that the Winters Rodeo Association will be hosting the 8th annual Winters Open Rodeo on Friday, June 19 and Saturday, June 20 at 8 p.m. The parade will be on Saturday, June 20 at 2:30 p.m. Make plans to attend thse events.

Hope to see you at the grand opening and ribbon cutting for Jerolyn's Jewelry & Gift Shop Saturday, May 23rd at 9 a.m. see advertisement in another section of the paper.

### Church services to be held in park

The Second Baptist Church in Winters is going to hold church services at the Winters Park, Sunday, May 24, at 7 p.m., with an ice cream supper following. Everyone is invited to attend.

## **VFW Post #9193 to** hold Installation

VFW Post #9193 will have Installation of officers and Ladies Auxiliary Tuesday, May 26 at 7:30 p.m.

A covered dish supper will be served.

The first Presidential news conference to be televised was held by **President Eisenhower on January** 19, 1955.

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# Texas' rural hospital in crisis

Rural hospitals in Texas are in a financial crisis which has steadily worsened in the 1980s. Twenty-one rural Texas hospitals have closed since 1984, with a large number of those closing in the last twelve months.

The problems faced by rural hospitals have been studied for several years by the Southwest Center for the Study of Hospital and Health Care Systems, based in Houston. In a recently released study, the Center claims that the downward economic spiral for rural hospitals can be traced back to the early 1980s. The cause of the problem is complex.

According to Gerald E. Sussman, PhD, director of the Center, "The combined effects of low occupancy, Medicare certification problems, and lower operating margins in small rural hospitals present a pessimistic outlook for the continued viability of many of these rural hospitals, particularly in a poor economy." Dr. Sussman Suggests that more recent data and continued study are needed, focusing on the effects of hospital management, community support, and the state's recent higher unemployment rates.

Because rural hospitals depend heavily on Medicare reimbursement, hospital administrators blame tighter Medicare accreditation standards, peer review requirements, and reduced Medicare payments for their financial instability. The Center's study does not bear this out. Dr. Sussman states, "More objective data suggest these factors are secondary, mainly aggravating the existing financial problem but not providing its root cause. In particular, hospital performance didn't appreciably worsen between 1983 and 1984 when Medicare's prospective payment system and peer review were introduced." The Center will continue to monitor the rural hospital situation to see if these

for rural hospitals, Dr. Sussman and his staff also are actively seeking solutions to the crisis. Commenting on the Center's interest in rural hospitals, Dr. Sussman stated, "We are trying to discover what it is that makes certain hospitals perform better than others and how hospitals with similar problems can be organized and managed to improve their present status." The Center is purusing the concept of hospital networking as an economical approach to providing needed medical services to the people of Texas, particularly those in the sparsely populated, rural parts of the state.

The Southwest Center for the Study of Hospital and Health Care Systems is a private, nonprofit research corporation, funded by grants from organizations interested in health-care issues. The Center's mission is to study factors which affect the growth, development, and delivery of health-care services.

### **Family Planning Clinic date changed**

The regular Family Planning Clinic will be held May 27, 1987. Applications are taken from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. Dr. Thorpe is the physician in charge. Family Planning services available in this clinic will include: consultation, physical exam with a Pap test, laboratory examination, appropriate methods of birth control, birth control supplies and education regarding birth control and continuing supervision.

This program provides free exams for Medicaid clients and charges a small co-pay fee to those who are income eligible. Private patients are welcome to participate.

The clinics are held at 601 Pierce and Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. of Coleman, Texas is the provider for the Texas Department of Human Services.

For more information concerning this clinic please call 754 - 4443.

A mosquito must spend at least a minute and a half on your skin to complete her meal

Cobbler at 754-5650. Workshop scheduled The Workshop is designed to provide the businessman with procedures and information

necessary to participate in Federal contracting opportunities, both Prime Contracting and Sub Contracting.

Workshop Content -Understanding the government Market Place

 How to get on a Bidders List -Reviewing a government solicitation (Advertised bid or proposal)

Administrative Actions after Contract Award

-Sub Contracting

Many small businesses miss out on sales opportunities with the federal government because they lack prime and subcontract information. This special Workshop is to provide procurement information and instructions on how to increase the opportunities of selling your products or service to the federal, state or local government, or to federal prime contractors.

This Workshop will offer an excellent opportunity to expand the utilization of resources, and

Our new administrator, when he accepted the position, was to receive a salary increase at the end of 90 days. His 90 days were up this week and when the raise was mentioned, he declined the raise.

Not only that, but he doesn't get \$300 worth of gravy for a vehicle, either.

# **Memorial Day Tourney slated**

The Winters Country Club has slated a Memorial Day Tourney with Tee Time to be at 10 a.m.

Entry fee is \$8.50 which includes lunch.

All golfers welcome to come play and have lunch. Guests lunch can be pruchased. See you on the Tee!!

### Youth to host Bike-A-Thon May 23

The Assembly of God Christ's Ambassadors (Youth Group) are endeavoring to raise funds to sponsor youth activities this summer.

Bike-A-Thon on Saturday, May 23, 1987 from 7 a.m. until..., plans are to ride approximately eleven miles.

tacting individuals and/or businesses asking for sponsors. Your help will be appreciated. If you would like to sponsor

someone and are not contacted, please call 754-5400.

\$20 per couple.

### **Dale Sewing Club** met recently

The Dale Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. Clifford Lehman, handwork was done and Mother's Day gifts were exchanged.

Present were: Mrs. G. W. Scott, Mrs. Fred Young, Mrs. Virge Fisher, Mrs. Oliver Wood, Mrs. Norbert Ueckert, Mrs. Floyd Wood, Mrs. Gene Virden, Mrs. Leland Hoppe, Mrs. George Onken, Mrs. Ralph McWilliams, Mrs. Walter Kruse and Mrs. I. W. Rogers.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Norbert Ueckert on May 26.

**Card of Thanks** 

The Young Adult Department of First Baptist Church wishes to express our sincere gratitude for the over-whelming response to the recent Hamburger Lunch held to benefit Keith and Shelia Paschal. Special thanks to Mac We are going to conduct a Oil Field Company, Peoples National Bank, West Dale Grocery, Winters Enterprise, Winters Funeral Home, Winters State Bank, Marvin Bedford, Bill The young people will be con- Hamilton and Mac Sayles. The generous donations of time,

also, enable your business to become diversified in its product mix.

Sponsored by Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE), U.S. Small Business Administration, Lubbock, Texas.

The Workshop will be held at the Royal Inn. Highway 80 West, Abilene, Thursday, June 4, 1987, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Buffet Luncheon Available, dutch treat.

Fee is \$20 per person, advance reservations, \$22.50 per person at the door.

Fee includes materials and refreshements.

Pre-Registration is recommended. Make check pavable to: SCORE and mail to: SCORE. 2106, P.O. Building, Abilene, Texas 79601.

Confirmation will be mailed promptly.

We will attempt to make special accommodations for the handicapped when requested. For further information call SCORE, Abilene Chapter, 915-677-1857.

### Spring Recital slated

On Sunday, May 24, piano students of Susan Conner will be presented in a Spring Recital at 2 p.m. at the Winters High School auditorium. Also performing will be students of Lillian Cooper.

Students appearing on the program will be Jeanna Kozelsky, Heather Watkins, Chris McCaslin, Jaime Bahlman, Leslie McDonald, Linsey Brown, Mark Deike, Rachel Edwards, Shauna Nitsch, Jamie Brown, Alisa Presley, Brooke Killough, Shane McCaslin, Heath Watkins, Jennifer Boles, Angela Bryan, Kristin Deike, Shana Poehls, Brian Faubion, Sara Jackson, Melinda Kraatz. Ashley Allcorn, Brandon Boles, Kimberly Deike, J. J. Michaelis, Susan Bryan, Kathryn Kozelsky, Susan Minzenmayer, Barbie Bradley and Landa England.

Awards to be presented include theory certificates and medals, and Guild certificates. Special recognition will be given to the students who will be performing at the Texas Music **Teachers Convention in Odessa** this June.

The public is most welcome to attend the recital and the recep tion following the recital.

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Of The Winters Store **Starts At** 3:30 P.M. Friday And **All Day Saturday** 9:00 - 5:00

Door prizes will be given away at 5:00 p.m. Friday and every hour on the hour Saturday

> A grand prize of a diamond pendant will be given away at 5:00 p.m. Saturday-need not be present to win.

A fishbowl drawing for discounts ranging from 10 to 20% will be given on all purchases of \$10 or more.

Sterling Silver is 40% off



