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KIDS' KORNER



"See you at the pole" gathering took place in front of Winters High School on September 11 as part of an annual statewide event. The student-led activity takes a stand for Jesus, offering prayers for the school, campus, teachers, and others.

Winters students involved were (l to r, standing) Carla Smith, Tabatha Grohman, Jamie Sims, Teri Vogler, Kim Thompson, Mandy Hall, Ed Bredemeyer, Brenna Mikeska, Jennifer Boles, Kelli Biddix, Jay Cowan, and Mary Mostad.

Kneeling: Rachel Edwards, Robyn Parramore, Rhonda Bethel, Tiffany Donica, Cara Bahlman, Kristen Deike, and Jennifer Matthews.

Sitting: Kelly Thompson, Tandy Reagan, J.G. Heidenheimer, Linsey Brown, Cara Cathey, and Holly Cathey.

Three Winters men charged in assault

At 10:15 p.m. on Thursday, September 12, the Winters police department was called to the intersection of North Arlington and West Parsonage in regard to a fight. Arriving officers located a 21 year old black male, Tyrone Watkins, currently of Winters, and discovered he had been a victim of severe head trauma resulting from an assault.

Mr. Watkins was transported to North Runnels Hospital and subsequently transferred to Humana Hospital in Abilene by the North Runnels Hospital Emergency Service.

After investigation by the responding officers, three subjects

were arrested in connection with the case: Roman De La Cruz was arrested for aggravated assault with a deadly weapon; Tracey Price, arrested for aggravated assault; and Felix Rios Cortez, Jr., arrested for Class A assault.

The subjects were then taken to the Runnels County jail and booked. Bond was set at \$25,000 for the felony assaults and \$1,000 for the Class A assault. All three were released from the jail after posting bond.

Investigation continues by the Winters police department and further charges are pending in the case.

Runnels County Fields Crop Tour September 25

The Runnels County Fields Crop Tour is scheduled for Wednesday, September 25. The tour begins at 7:45 a.m. at the Gary Jacob farm located approximately one mile northwest of Poe's Corner on Highway 153. Hot breakfast burrito's compliments of the Winters Young Farmers, will be served. Farmers will view replicated grain sorghum variety test and discuss post-emergence herbicide and variety.

At 9:30 a.m. the tour travels to the Lange Brothers farm in Norton where cotton variety tests will be viewed and boll weevil stick research and cotton aphids will be discussed.

At 10:35 a.m. it is on to the Ray Dierschke farm in Rowena. Refreshments, courtesy of Texas Production Credit Association, will be served. Effects of fertility on crop termination, timing and proper use of harvest-aid materials, and defoliation plots are items to be discussed at this location.

At 11:45 a.m. the group will convene at the SPJST Hall in Rowena for a catered lunch by The Shed.

Speakers include Dr. James Supak, Extension Agronomist, of Lubbock; Dr. Tom Fuchs, Extension Entomologist, of San Angelo; Rick Minzenmayer, Extension Agent-Entomology (PM), Runnels-Tom Green Counties; Dr. Billy Warrick, Extension Agronomist, of San Angelo.

Register at each tour stop for door prize (shotgun) to be drawn during lunch.

Blizzards improve but lose battle

The Blizzards showed they had some offense last Friday night against the Coahoma Bulldogs. Although Winters lost 40-19, Big Blue displayed improvement over last week's action.

Winters scored the first touchdown of the night on a 1-yard plunge by Jody Guy. Jamey West kicked the extra point to make the score 7-0. This was the result of a good 65-yard offensive drive by the Blizzards.

The lead was short-lived as the Bulldogs returned the kickoff 85 yards for a touchdown to tie the score at 7.

After two more touchdowns for Coahoma, the Blizzards finished the scoring for the half. Jamey West kicked a 38-yard field goal that was a nice touch to the

Blizzard scoring arsenal.

Coach Slaughter said, "Jamey came into his own this past week in both kickoffs and extra points. When I saw him warm up before the game, I knew field goals and extra points were a definite possibility tonight."

The half ended with a 21-10 Coahoma lead and Winters was still in the game.

The Blizzards came back tough in the second half with West again at work with a 34-yard field goal. The Bulldogs scored another touchdown to make the score 28-13.

But the Blizzards weren't through. Jody Guy intercepted a pass over the middle and ran it back 65 yards to the 1-yard line. Jim Calcote took it into the end

zone for the score. The point-after attempt was no good.

At 28-19, the Blizzards' chances were looking good. But the defense was unable to hold the Bulldogs who scored two touchdowns in the fourth quarter, for a final score of 40-19.

"The kids played much better this week than last, and they will continue to improve," stated Slaughter.

	Winters	Chma
First downs	13	8
Rushing Yards	141	332
Passing Yards	136	12
Comp-Att-Int	7-17-1	2-4-2
Punts	4-17	2-43
Penalties-yards	4-64	3-28

School tax rate stays same

The Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District set the ad valorem tax rate at \$4.44 per \$100 property valuation. Twenty-three cents (\$.23) is for maintenance and operation, and \$.21 is for debt service.

This rate, along with the County Education District rate of \$.80, totals \$1.24. This is the same rate as last year's tax.

The current rate, coupled with a 20% homestead exemption voted in August and the annexation of the Wingate School District, should lower most homeowners taxes.

In last week's *Enterprise*, a state required notice showed that the \$1.24 tax rate will provide \$5,710 per student in state and local revenues. This is an increase of \$866 over last year's figure of \$4,844 per student.

County taxes set

The Runnels County Commissioners Court approved a 3 million dollar budget for the next fiscal year. The Court met on Tuesday, September 10. County Judge Michael Murchison said this was a small decrease in the budget from last year.

Murchison also stated that no decrease in services from the county should be noticed because of cuts in the budget. "Small decreases were taken from a lot of departments along with some fee increases to reach an overall lower budget," Murchison said.

The tax rate was set at \$.58 per \$100 valuation. The overall tax base for the county decreased, increasing the effective tax rate to 56.6 cents for this year. Last year's tax rate was \$.55.

Winters takes on the Eagles

This Friday night Winters goes to Goldthwaite to try the Eagles in the last non-district game for the Blizzards.

Goldthwaite is 1-1 for the season with a 47-0 win over Hamilton in the first game of the season and then a loss to Marble Falls 9-6.

The Eagles return nine starters from a 10-2-1 season last year.

"They have good kids again this year but not as much speed as last year," says Blizzard coach Dan Slaughter. "We're going to have to stop their off-tackle play and the option in order to win this one. Our kids played better against Coahoma, but they are still not happy."

The Blizzards will have to improve as much this week as they did last week to be able to play against Goldthwaite.

Coach Slaughter's goal for the Blizzards this week is to not let the Eagles have the big play and not turn the ball over.

No new injuries were sustained this week. David Roman should be back this week for at least part of the game. David will be wearing a brace on his leg but his mobility should not be hindered.

The Eagles are picked as a 33-point favorite over the Blizzards, according to the Harris ratings which rates Goldthwaite as 13th in the state.

The game starts at 8 p.m. in Goldthwaite. Back the Blizzards!

Artists display work at North Runnels Hospital

by Kay Colburn

Sunday afternoon, September 22, between the hours of 2:00 and 5:00, the lobby of the North Runnels Hospital will become the exhibit hall for eleven local and area artists. These artists will be showing paintings they have donated to the hospital to be enjoyed by patients, visitors, and personnel. This is a community project sponsored by the members of the Winters Woman's Club.

Club members contacted artists and paid for framing the varied paintings. The paintings will become the permanent property of the hospital and will be enjoyed for years to come by those who visit the hospital as patients and friends. Refreshments will be served by the club members to

all who come to view the paintings and to show appreciation to all hospital board members, personnel, and local doctors.

Winters is very fortunate to have the quality health care that is still available to local and area residents and the Winters Woman's Club is proud to be able to undertake this project. Many of the artists will be greeting guests on Sunday afternoon and their generosity in giving these paintings to the hospital and to the community is welcomed and appreciated beyond words.

There will be no charge to see the paintings and the public is urged to visit and enjoy the paintings before they are re-hung in

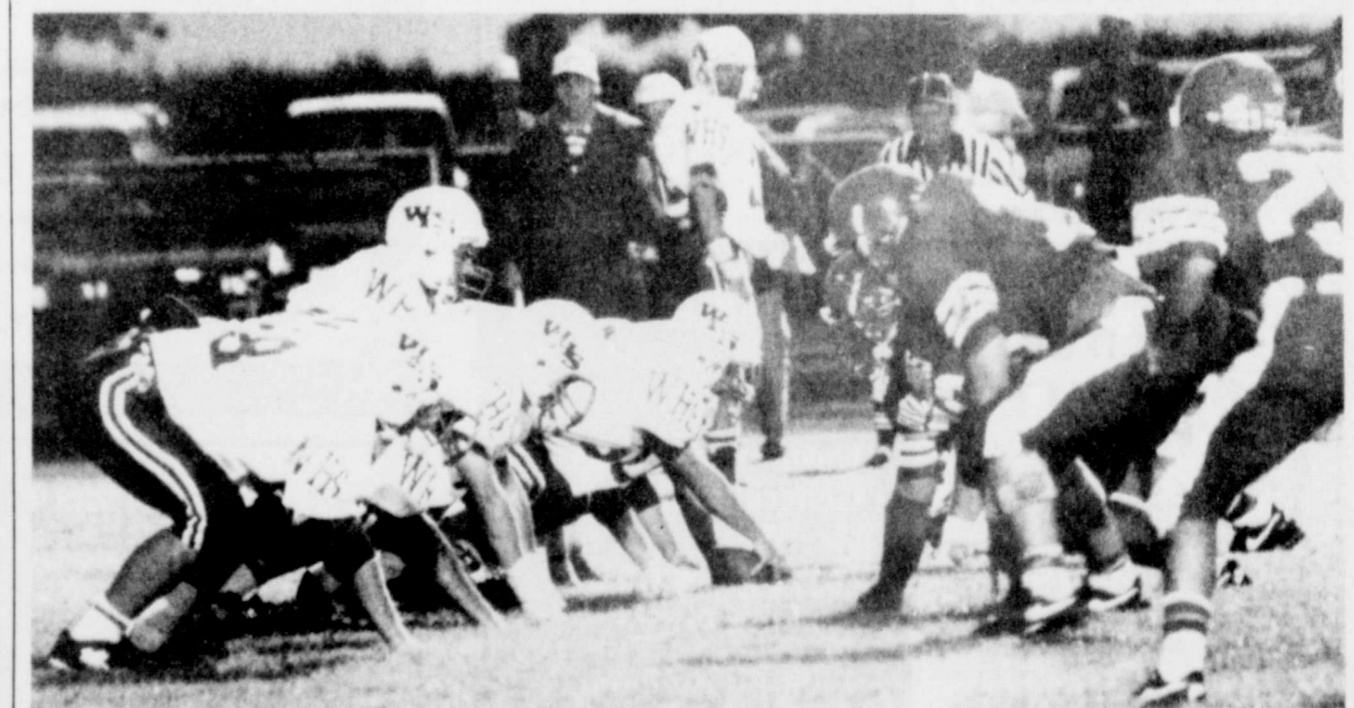
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WHAT'S HAPPENING?

- Sept. 19-11:30-1 Chamber Community Lunch at First United Methodist Church hosted by Women's Service League
 - 5:00 pm Goldthwaite here (7-8-JV)
 - 6:30-10 pm EMT Course at NRH
- Sept. 20-Noon Senior Citizens Meal
 - 7:30 VFW Bingo #3-00086-6563-8
 - 8:00 Goldthwaite there (V)
- Sept. 21-9 am 4-H Dog Dip at Alderman-Cave
 - 9-11 a.m. Jr. Hi Cheerleading Clinic
 - 9:30 am Lions Club Golf Tournament
 - Shep Domino Party
- Sept. 22-10:45 am First United Methodist Church Organ Sunday
 - 11:30-1:30 King Ranch Chicken Dinner at Methodist Church
 - 2-4 Masonic Lodge Open House - Winters & Wingate
 - 2-5 Art Exhibit at NRH Lobby
- Sept. 23-27 2:30-5:30 Latch-Key Program adds 2nd graders
- Sept. 23-9:30-10:30 Social Security Rep. at WHA
 - Noon Senior Citizens Meal
 - 6:00 City Council to meet
 - 6:30-10 pm EMT Course at NRH
- Sept. 24-Noon Lions Club
 - Fire Dept. Auxiliary to meet
 - Knights of Columbus to meet
- Sept. 25-7:45 a.m. Runnels Co. Fields Crop Tour
 - 9 am Ministerial Alliance
 - Noon Senior Citizens Meal
 - 6:30 CPR Class at NRH
- Sept. 26-VA Follow Up Clinic Dyess
 - 10 a.m. 39+ at FUMC-Luncheon at noon
 - 4:45 Haskell there (7-8-JV)
 - 6:30-10 pm EMT Course at NRH
- Sept. 27-Noon Senior Citizens Meal
 - 5-7 Woman's Club Spaghetti Dinner at School Cafeteria
 - 7:30 *Haskell here (V)
 - 7:30 VFW Bingo #3-00086-6563-8
- Sept. 28-9-11 a.m. Jr. Hi Cheerleading Clinic
 - 2 p.m. Best Ball Golf Tournament at Winters Country Club
 - 8 p.m. Winters Square Dance at Community Center

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The Blizzard offense, under the leadership of quarterback Albert Bernal, prepares to make yardage against the Coahoma Bulldogs.

OIL BUSINESS . . .

By Reg Boles ©1991



Something big happened the other day, and you probably haven't even heard about it.

It is a major shift in the dynamics of the oil patch, with deep-seated causes and possibly some far-reaching consequences. Although, the immediate effect is slight, the psychology of the change could be a major blow to the domestic offshore industry.

I know, get to the point. For the first time ever, the North Sea surpassed the Gulf of Mexico as the offshore region with the most drilling rigs working. The lead is only 5 or 6 (out of 100 for each), but the change is something to take notice of.

I believe this is just another indicator that everybody, especially major oil companies, think the only place to make a buck in the oil patch is overseas. I think their reasoning is logical (large reserves at lower costs as compared to domestic sources), but I think it is getting a little out of hand.

As a matter of fact, I think majors are going to miss out on some real revenue here, by ignoring the U.S. altogether. Not every international project is better than every domestic project, just because it is NOT a domestic project.

It is just the herd mentality all over again. Just like \$100 oil prices were during the boom, I think.

Instead of maintaining leases and production in the States, operators are siphoning off all they can to international projects. The unfortunate result is that some

leases will be neglected and big opportunities will be overlooked.

I would think that a prudent oil person would consider all possibilities for making money, foreign or domestic. It would make sense to keep your hands in both, to be able to take advantage of unforeseen circumstances in the future.

I do understand the potential that lies over the ocean, but there are great opportunities here, from time to time.

And, I think the independent is going to be the one who steals the domestic show right out from under the majors. The fallout will be apparent when the foreign countries change their mind about an agreement and a major is left out in the cold without his own supply for his refineries.

Those majors will have to turn to the independents for oil that they are making on those leases the majors ignored and sold as junk. It could happen, believe me.

In a nutshell, I believe that the oil business is truly international. It has been for a long time. But the U.S. is a country in this world also. International means all inclusive, not exclusive of the U.S.

We'll see who are the winners and the losers in the trend toward international at the expense of domestic development as time goes on.

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HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING (Not Available This Week)

Public Record

COUNTY COURT

Douglas Sparks Giese, 9-10-91, DWLS, Order of Dismissal, Plead on related charges

Frank Loa, 9-10-91, Assault, Order of Dismissal, Victim requested dismissal

Johnny Garcia, 9-11-91, Assault, Defendant entered a plea of guilty; Fined \$50.00 plus \$129.50 court costs

Hilaria Casares, 9-9-91, Assault, Defendant entered a plea of guilty; Fined \$100.00 plus \$129.50 court costs

Lupe Herrera, 9-9-91, Assault, Defendant entered a plea of guilty; Fined \$100.00 plus \$129.50 court costs

Mary Duarte Cavazos, 9-9-91, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty; Fined \$350.00 plus \$129.50 court costs. Assessed 60 days in jail, Probated for 2 years; Attend DWI school

Brett Alan Willborn, 9-12-91, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty; Fined \$350.00 plus \$189.50 court costs. Assessed 60 days in jail, Probated for 2 years; Attend DWI school

James Kevin Grant, 9-10-91, Assault, Order of Dismissal, Completed judicial probation period

Mario Garza, 9-11-91, DWLS, Order of Dismissal, Drivers license reinstated

DISTRICT COURT

Johnny Lewis Jones vs. Danielle D'Lynn Cisco Jones, 9-5-91, Divorce

Ronald Beecher Kerr vs. Marcia Leigh Kerr, 9-6-91, Divorce

Rowena Pellet Mill, Inc. vs. Lammy Brand, 9-11-91, Account

Security State Bank vs. Doris O. Crim, 9-12-91, Promissory note

James E. Studer and wife Doris G. vs. Kathleen Cotter Lee, Horace S. Murphy III, Helen F. Patterson, Larry C. Donham and wife Mary A. Donham, H.M. Gamble and Lillian Colter, 9-13-91, Trespass to try title

J.P. COURT

Sandra D. Carmarillo, 9-4-91, Theft under \$20.00 by check

Maudie Cochran, 9-5-91, Theft under \$20.00 by check

Eno Serbine, 9-5-91, Theft under \$20.00 by check

Joseph F. Evans, 9-6-91, No fishing license

Joseph F. Evans, 9-6-91, No Coast Guard approved life preservers

Robert Aten, Circle A Enterprises, 9-6-91, Issuance of a bad check

Higginbotham's vs. Wayne Medrano, 9-10-91, Account

Higginbotham's vs. Ada Amendt, 9-10-91, Account

Jimmie Dale Herring, 9-10-91, Felony DWI

DIVORCES GRANTED

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The Methodist's Message

This Sunday is Organ Sunday and we will be celebrating the heritage of our organ. Former organist, Randy Stevens and former pastor, Glen Bowman will be with us. The Chancel Choir will be sharing special music for this great celebration. We hope that each member of our congregation will plan to be with us as we remember and celebrate this most marvelous gift to our church and to the glory of God by the Chapman family. This special day is sponsored by the Centennial Committee.

King Ranch Chicken Dinner
The Good News Sunday School Class will be sponsoring the after-church dinner this Sunday, September 22. The meal will include King Ranch chicken, beans, salad, dessert, and tea, at a cost of \$4.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children age ten and under. Good News Class members are reminded to have their food at the church by 10:00 a.m.

39+ to meet
The ministry of 39+, which hit a new high of twenty in August, will meet again, Thursday, September 26, at 10:00 a.m., for games and talk, and the meal at high noon. The fellowship is warm, the food is delicious, the need for such diversions is great. Let's come!

District-Wide Mission Celebration
On Saturday evening, September 28, at 6:30 p.m., at the First United Methodist Church in Ballinger, our District will kick-off a district-wide mission celebration with a banquet featuring Dr. Lucy Gist as our mission speaker. Then on Sunday morning, September 29, during our worship time, Dr. Michael Patison will be our guest preacher as he comes to share with us his experience and expertise of how our church is involved in mission ministry across the world. Following the worship service, we will share together in a covered dish supper at which we will preview a video depicting the mission work of our own youth group in Corsicana, Texas, this past summer. Tickets for the Saturday evening banquet are now on sale for \$5.50 a person. You can get your ticket from the church office or from Lois Jones. A nursery will be provided on Saturday evening at our church at 6:00 p.m. We will depart for Ballinger via caravan from the church parking lot at 6:10 p.m.

Snack Supper
The preparers for Sunday evening, September 22, are David and Nancy Evans and Mike and Nancy Davis. The time has been moved to 6:40 p.m.

Sunday is UMW Conference Day
Sunday, September 22, is Conference UMW Day in every local church. As president, I would like to express my appreciation to all the members who have been so faithful through the years that I've been a part of this church, which began in early 1960.

The purpose of the UMW is determined by the General Conference of the UMC and we are always under the authority and mandate of the UMC. As members of the UMW, we have inherited a challenging legacy and we must hold it in sacred trust. Our history must always be a guiding principle as we plan our future. Membership in the UMW is a privilege. Our responsibility is to carry out its purpose and go the "second mile" in being involved in mission as we seek to live out the mandate of Christ, who said, "Feed my sheep." It is our wish and hope that this organization will never die in this United Methodist Church!

Beyond our Doors
The vital service provided by the Winters Food Pantry is not always evident to everyday life in Winters. Alice Hale, supervisor of the Multi-Purpose Center, reported 20 families received commodities from the Food Pantry. The reasons for the need for food was a result of loss of job, illness and surgery, and delay of foods because of the holiday.

Items needed most are canned corn (peas and green beans not needed), soup, canned milk, fruit juices, tomato sauce, canned meats, and stews. Also need are packaged food such as rice, beans, Hamburger Helper, corn meal and biscuit mix, shortening, sugar, jelly, flour, salt, and peanut butter.

Not only is food needed, but this is the time of year assistance is needed for utility bills, medical and doctor bills, transportation for treatment and rehabilitation. Contributions are needed for Beyond Our Doors fund. This ministry has reached out to many who had temporary setbacks.

Square Dance Club to host dance
The Winters Square Dance Club will have a dance Saturday night, September 28, at 8:00 p.m. in the Community Center. Ralph McMullen will be calling. All area dancers are invited to attend.

Deadlines
General News
Noon Monday
Classified Deadline
Noon Monday
Retail Ads & Copy
5 pm Monday

Spirit Filled Happenings

By Dixie Levereis, Church Editor, Guiding Light Spirit Filled Baptist

Psalms 23:1 "The Lord is my Shepherd..." God called us his sheep; a very good choice. In many ways sheep and human behavior are similar. Our fears, timidity, stubborn ways, instincts and perverse habits go right along with sheep. Sheep as well as humans do not always use their best judgement. We both are subject to being overcome by stronger forces than we can handle.

Do we really feel God is our Shepherd? It is amazing that we refuse and reject Christ's call on our lives. He is gentle, kind, tenderhearted and has a spirit of forgiveness for our sins. He is always there when we need him.

If he is your Shepherd, you really belong to him. You know he bought you with a price-giving his life for our sins. If you will listen to his voice and acknowledge him in your life you will find that freedom and fulfillment that you have been looking for.

You can find a sense of purpose and contentment in his love and you can rest every day knowing that you belong to him. The good Shepherd (Jesus Christ) will never leave you or forsake you.

A Christmas in September sale will be at Buffalo Gap Flea Market on Friday and Saturday, September 20 and 21. The money raised will be for the upholstery of our church pews.

Guiding Light Spirit Filled Baptist Church is located at 1017 N. Cryer in Winters, Texas and is a spiritual light growing ever brighter in a seemingly darkened world. Reverend John Haley is pastor.

Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Worship Service: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Service: 7:00 P.M.

Card of Thanks

The Walter Durham family wishes to thank all friends and relatives for the kindness and sympathy at the loss of our son.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation for all of the visits, prayers, flowers, cards, memorials and food during the illness and loss of our loved one, Albert Westel.

Thanks to Tott McKown for leading the memorial service, to Mike Meyer for his kindness and a special thanks to the ladies of the Wingate community for the fine meals served to the family.

May God bless everyone that helped in any way during this time of sorrow.

The family of Albert Westel

St. John's Journal

New pastor at St. John's

St. John's Lutheran Church is pleased to announce the arrival of Pastor James (Jim) Hanson and his wife, Ramona. They came to Winters from the Lutheran Church of the Risen Lord in Odessa. They have five children, Nathan (35), Kathryn (33), John (31), Paul (27), and Timothy (26).

The formal installation for Pastor Hanson will be held October 13 at 4:00 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church. Bishop Mark Herbener from the Lutheran Synod office will conduct the service.

Lutheran women attend conference

The Rolling Plains Conference of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Women was held at Bethel Lutheran Church in Avoca on Saturday, September 14, 1991. Those attending from St. John's were Rhonda Goetz, Saam Geistmann, Brenda Watkins, Adala Ueckert, Jewell Kraatz, and Mary Kurtz. Plans are being made by the Lutheran ladies to attend the NT/NL Women's Convention in Odessa on October 18, 1991.

League discusses lock-in

St. John's Luther League met September 15 at 5:00 p.m. for volleyball, devotions, and pizza. Plans were discussed for the overnight lock-in to be held in Sagerton on October 12 and 13. This is for all interested youth grades 3-12. Final plans will be made at the next Luther League meeting to be held on October 6 at 5:00 p.m.

First Baptist's Beat

Triple L Club has fun-filled day

The Triple L Club of First Baptist Church, which is made up of senior adults, met last Thursday in the church's fellowship hall. The meeting began at 11:00 with those who wanted to play "42" or dominoes. At noon a covered-dish lunch was served.

Following the meal a game of Guggenheim was played. This game involved using the words "senior adult" as a base and building other words in specific categories from it. The third place winner was Charles Poe, second place was Billie Whitlow, and Vivian Foster came in first. All three winners received traveling trophies to keep at home for a month and then bring back for the next contest at next month's meeting.

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Poe's Corner

by Charlie Poe

What is Green Thumb?

This year, Green Thumb is celebrating 25 years of service to seniors and their committees. Green Thumb was founded in 1965 as part of President Lyndon Johnson's "War on Poverty" by the National Farmers Union, a national farm organization dedicated to preserving the family farm and improving rural America.

Beginning with only 280 participants in four states, Green Thumb was originally designed to put into service the "green thumbs" of older rural Americans to beautify our nation's parks and highways.

Today, Green Thumb serves more than 18,000 enrollees in 44 states and Puerto Rico. Green Thumb enrollees perform almost every kind of work imaginable. They operate computers, tutor students, teach skilled trades and

crafts, provide home health and day care, prepare and deliver meals for homebound persons, care for the disabled --and much more.

Enrollees and host agencies are the primary participants in the Green Thumb program. An enrollee is an older American, 55 years of age or older, who meets certain income guidelines and who has been assigned to work part-time for a qualified government or nonprofit agency, called a host agency. While enrollees receive training, supervision, and work experience directly from their host agencies, their wages and fringe benefits are paid by Green Thumb.

Enrollees are provided educational opportunities, counseling and information that will help them find and keep a job. Green Thumb's ultimate goal is to help

all enrollees to obtain better jobs off the program. Enrollees and host agencies are responsible for working with Green Thumb Staff to achieve this goal.

By using their talents, skills and abilities, Green Thumb enrollees help change negative stereotypes about aging and older people. They demonstrate the value of seniors as full participants in our nation's workplace, and by their positive example, they open doors for other seniors to continue working and learning.

Host agencies also benefit from the Green Thumb program. It enables them to provide additional services to their communities while giving enrollees employment and training opportunities. Many host agencies would not be in business or offer necessary services without the assistance of Green Thumb trainees.

The Z. I. Hale Museum's first experience with Green Thumb came when it became a host agency for an enrollee on November 28, 1989. Helen Cren-

shaw began training with Mary Margaret Leathers as her supervisor.

Helen said that museum work is very rewarding. "I've learned to type well enough to fill out the cards for the filing system. I do cataloging and type some business and memorial letters."

Crenshaw loves the antique displays, and looking through the heirlooms so carefully preserved and kept through many years. Some of these articles are strange to her. There was an article that she decided was grass shears.

This description worked fine on the women but one knowledgeable man said, "That's not grass shears, it was used to cut a horse's mane."

Crenshaw replied that she thought it might be connected with a horse somehow but her guess would have been hoof cutters.

She does lead an interesting life and it has kept her circulating. Without Green Thumb she would have missed a gold mine of new friends and renewing acquaintances with old friends.



Some of the friends who gathered at the recent reception for out-going city administrator Charles Ludwick are (from the left) Joan Hightower, Gary Moore, Raymond Lindsey, Lanny Bahlman, Mayor Sandy Griffin, Mike Meyer, Ludwick, and Mary Slimp.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 5, 1991

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 114 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize home rule cities having a population of 5,000 or fewer inhabitants to amend their city charters by a majority vote of a city's qualified voters at an election held for that purpose. The amendment makes clear that home rule cities that have declined in population below the population required to initially adopt a charter may nevertheless continue to amend their charters.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment allowing home-rule cities with a population of 5,000 or less to amend their charters by popular vote."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 10 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the Texas Department of Transportation to expend money, from any source available, for the costs of the turnpikes, toll roads, or toll bridges of the Texas Turnpike Authority, provided that any monies expended from the state highway fund shall be repaid to the fund from tolls or other turnpike revenue.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment mandating the repayment to the Department of Transportation of monies expended to assist the Texas Turnpike Authority in the construction, maintenance, and operation of turnpikes, toll roads and toll bridges."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 26 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Veterans' Land Board to invest, as authorized by law, moneys of the Veterans' Land Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued by the Veterans' Land Board, the purchase of lands, or the payment of expenses. Investment of such moneys would no longer be restricted to investments in bonds or obligations of the United States. The proposed amendment would also authorize the Veterans' Land Board to invest, as authorized by law, moneys of the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on general obligation bonds issued by the Veterans' Land Board for the benefit of the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund, the making of home mortgage loans, or the payment of expenses. Investment of such moneys would no longer be restricted to investments in bonds or obligations of the United States. The proposed amendment gives the legislature power to implement the amendment and to delegate such duties and authority to the Veterans' Land Board as it deems necessary.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to further implement and enhance the administration of the veterans' housing assistance and land programs and to expand the investment authority of the Veterans' Land Board."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the issuance of a maximum of \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds to be used to acquire, construct, or equip new prisons and substance abuse felony punishment facilities, mental health and mental retarda-

tions institutions, and youth corrections institutions, to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions and to acquire, repair, or renovate other facilities for use as state prisons or substance abuse felony punishment facilities. The \$1.1 billion is in addition to the \$900 million currently authorized by the constitution to be expended on bond issues for facilities of correctional and mental health and mental retardation institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the state treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds for acquiring, constructing, or equipping new prisons or other punishment facilities to confine criminals, mental health and mental retardation institutions, and youth corrections institutions, for major repair or renovation of existing facilities of those institutions, and for the acquisition of, major repair to, or renovation of other facilities for use as state prisons or other punishment facilities."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 39 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow a county, junior college district, or municipality to exempt tangible personal property from ad valorem taxation if: (1) the property is acquired or brought into the state in an enterprise zone to be forwarded outside the state, (2) the property is assembled, stored, repaired, maintained, manufactured, processed, or fabricated in the enterprise zone, (3) the property is transported outside the state not later than 175 days after being acquired or brought into an enterprise zone, and (4) the person who acquired or brought the property into an enterprise zone is a qualified business. A county, junior college district, or municipality may exempt such property by entering into a written agreement with a qualified business that states the duration of the exemption and the terms on which the exemption is granted. Any action to exempt property must be taken before April 1 of the first year in which the property would otherwise be taxed. The term "enterprise zone" means an area that (1) has been designated as such by a state agency responsible for economic development, and (2) has pervasive poverty, unemployment, and economic distress. The term "qualified business" means a business that meets the qualification established by general law, and requires that the qualified business is actively engaged in a new business in the enterprise zone or is expanding a business that is already active in the enterprise zone. An enterprise zone is created to foster economic development in an area of pervasive poverty and unemployment.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the exemption for ad valorem taxes of certain property in an enterprise zone."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment that would establish a Texas Ethics Commission with the powers and duties provided by law. The commission would consist of eight appointed members selected as follows: two members of different political parties appointed by the governor from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the house of representatives from each major political party; two

members of different political parties appointed by the governor from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the senate from each major political party; two members of different political parties appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the house from each major political party; and two members of different political parties appointed by the lieutenant governor from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the senate from each major political party. A major political party is a political party required by law to hold a primary. With the exception of the initial appointees, commission members would serve for four-year terms. A member who has served for one term and any part of a second term would not be eligible for reappointment. The commission would be authorized to recommend the salary of the members of the legislature and may recommend that the salary of the speaker of the house of representatives and the lieutenant governor be set at an amount higher than that of other members. If the commission recommends a change in salary, the voters would be authorized to accept or reject the salary change at the next general election for state and county officers. If the voters approve the recommended salary, that salary would take effect January 1 of the next odd-numbered year; if the voters reject the recommended salary, no change in salary would occur. The commission would set the per diem of the members of the legislature and of the lieutenant governor. The per diem could be raised or lowered biennially as necessary to pay members' costs, but could not exceed the amount allowed as of January 1 that year as a federal income tax deduction for living expenses incurred in a legislative day in connection with a member's business as a legislator, disregarding any federal income tax description for legislators residing near the Capitol. The commission would have other powers and duties provided by the commission's enabling act (Senate Bill 1, 72nd Legislature, Regular Session). The amendment would also provide that an increase in the emoluments of the office of Lieutenant Governor would not make a legislator ineligible to serve in the office of Lieutenant Governor.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment creating the Texas Ethics Commission and authorizing the commission to recommend the salary for members of the legislature and the lieutenant governor, subject to voter approval, and to set the per diem for those officials, subject to a limit."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 6 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the board of trustees of each statewide public retirement system to invest the funds of the system in such manner as the board considers prudent. The board would no longer be limited to investing the funds of the system in securities.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the board of trustees of a statewide public retirement system to invest the funds of the system in a manner that the board considers prudent."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 21 proposes a constitutional amendment that would permit the legislature to create debt by or on behalf of the state if the legislature submitted the debt question to the voters of the state in the form of a proposition and a majority of those voting approved the proposition. The legislature may call the election, by joint resolution approved by at least two-thirds of the members of each house, during any regular session or during any special session if the subject of the proposition is included in the Governor's proclamation for that special session. A proposition must clearly describe the amount and purpose for which debt is to be created and must describe the source of payment for the debt. The amount of debt stated in the proposition may

not be exceeded and may not be renewed unless the right to exceed or renew is stated in the proposition. The legislature may enact laws necessary to implement the authority granted by a proposition. A law enacted in anticipation of the election on a proposition is valid if, by its terms, it is enacted subject to approval of the related proposition. State debt that is created following voter approval of a proposition and that is approved by the Attorney General is incontestable for any reason.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the voters of this state to consider state debt questions in the form of ballot propositions that must clearly describe the amounts, purposes, and sources of payment of the debt only after approval of the propositions by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 11 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the commissioner of the General Land Office to issue patents for certain public free school fund land for which there is not a valid transfer of title from either the State or the Republic of Texas to a private party. A patent is a document of title issued by the state. On application to the School Land Board, a person is entitled to receive a patent if: (1) the land is surveyed public free school fund land, (2) the land was not patentable under the law before the adoption of this proposed amendment, (3) the person acquired the land without knowledge of the title defect out of the State of Texas or the Republic of Texas and held the land under color of title, the chain of which dates from at least January 1, 1941, (4) the person has a recorded deed on file in the county courthouse and, in conjunction with his predecessor in interest, has claimed the land for at least fifty years as of January 1, 1991, and (5) the person, in conjunction with his predecessor in interest, for at least 50 years has paid taxes on the land together with all interest and penalties associated with any delinquency. If the applicant is denied a patent, the applicant may file suit against the School Land Board in a district court in the county where the land is located within 60 days from the date of denial. The proposed amendment does not apply to beach land, submerged land, or islands, and may not be used to resolve a boundary dispute. The proposed amendment also does not apply to land found by a court to be state-owned or to land on which the state has given a mineral lease that is in effect when a patent is sought. A patent under this proposed amendment for land within five miles of mineral production shall reserve minerals to the state in the manner provided by law for reservations of minerals in sales to claimants of un-surveyed school land within five miles of production. An application for a patent under this proposed amendment must be filed with the School Land Board before January 1, 1993.

This proposed constitutional amendment is similar to the version of article VII, section 4A, that was in effect between 1981 and 1990. The main difference is that under the earlier version the applicant for a patent to land had to have a chain of title that dated back to at least as early as January 1, 1932.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the commissioner of the General Land Office to issue patents for certain public free school fund land held in good faith under color of title for at least 50 years."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 15 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass general laws to exempt property owned by a nonprofit corporation organized to supply water or provide wastewater service from ad valorem taxation. A nonprofit corporation would be eligible for the exemption if its bylaws provide that

on dissolution, the assets remaining after the discharge of the corporation's indebtedness will be transferred to an entity providing water supply or wastewater service, or both, which is exempt from ad valorem taxation. The transferred assets must be property that is reasonably necessary for and used for water supply and wastewater services.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxes certain property of a nonprofit corporation that supplies water or provides wastewater service."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass laws to authorize the State of Texas to operate lotteries and to enter into a contract with one or more legal entities that will operate lotteries on behalf of the State of Texas.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing a state lottery."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the total amount of bonds that may be issued by the Texas Water Development Board to provide wholesale and retail water and wastewater facilities to economically distressed areas of the state. The proposed amendment increases the maximum principal amount of the bonds from 20 percent to 50 percent of the \$500 million amount authorized by article III, section 49-d-7, of the Texas Constitution. The proposed amendment would increase the maximum aggregate dollar amount of bonds that the Texas Water Development Board could issue from \$100 million to \$250 million.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to increase from 20 percent to 50 percent the percentage of Texas water development bonds previously authorized by Texas voters that may be issued for economically distressed areas."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 2 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass general laws authorizing Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor to issue and sell up to \$300 million of general obligation bonds to finance education loans to students. The maximum net effective interest rate to be borne by the bonds would be set by law. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to provide for the investment of bond proceeds and to establish an interest and sinking fund to pay the bonds and provide for the investment of such fund. Bonds authorized under this amendment would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in an interest and sinking fund established at the end of the preceding year that is pledged to the payment of the bonds or interests.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds not to exceed \$300,000,000 to continue existing programs to provide educational loans to students, with repayments of student loans applied toward retirement of the bonds."

Estos son los informes explicativos sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitucion que apareceran en la boleta el dia 5 de noviembre de 1991. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711.

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Best Ball Golf Tournament

The Ladies Golf Association will host a Guys and Dolls Best Ball Tournament, Saturday, September 28. Tee time will be 2:00. Barbecue will be served afterplay. Please register by September 27.

For more information contact the Winters Country Club at 754-4679, or Jan Sims at 754-4186, Brenda Clough at 754-4640, or Donna Torres at 754-4363.

Chamber memo By Bonnie Lee

Booth reservations are being received for the 21st annual Arts and Crafts Show to be held Nov. 8 and 9 in Winters.

School has started and the Chamber is beginning to receive requests from students in various parts of the state. These requests are for information regarding Winters, to be used in reports for history and geography classes. This week requests came from Mabank and San Antonio.

The Chamber has been involved with the Winters Independent School in a Community Based Instruction Program and the Rannels Education Assistance Program. During the school year and summer program, the Chamber is sent a student for help in learning general office skills. We help the students receive school credit and in turn it has been a benefit to the Chamber. In the past, we have had Tina Martinez, Chrissy Vidaurrie, Cindy Esquivel, Kim Baker, and Jerry Wright.

Everyone is invited to attend the Community Luncheon this Thursday at the First Methodist Church. Hostesses will be the Women's Service League. It is great time for fellowship and good food in our community. If you are a club or organization and would like to use this means of adding to your treasury, call 754-5210 for more information.

Make reservations to attend the Arts and Crafts Show.

Social Security Rep. to be in Winters Sept. 23

A representative of the San Angelo Social Security Office will be at the Winters Housing Authority Monday, September 23, from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.

If you need to sign up for benefits, or have any questions about benefits you may consult with the representative at this time. However, you don't necessarily need to wait until the representative's visit to handle Social Security matters.

Your Social Security matters can be handled just as quickly by telephone. For help when you first want to sign up for Social Security or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits, call 949-3718. The office is open every weekday (Monday through Friday) except holidays from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you just need information or are already receiving benefits, call 1-800-234-5772 from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. every weekday except holidays.

If desired, write to the office at P.O. Box 3808, San Angelo, Texas 76902.

Obituaries

Connis Calvin Williams

Connis Calvin Williams, 74, of Merkel died Friday, September 6, in an Abilene hospital. Services were held Monday, September 9, at the Elliot-Hamil Funeral Home Chapel in Abilene. Mr. Williams was born in Caldwell, the son of the late Johnny and Ellamae Williams. He lived in Winters until the mid-30's then moved to Merkel in 1969. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Merkel. He served in both World War II and the Korean conflict and retired from the U.S. Army after a 25-year career. Following his retirement, he worked for 13 years in the purchasing department of the commissary at Dyess Air Force Base. Survivors are his wife, Opal Dee of Merkel; one daughter, Elizabeth Knorning of Abilene; two sons, Cecil Allen of Potosi and Harold Allen of Hawley; two sisters, Lorene Wallace of Eula and Juanita White of Abilene; one brother, Cecil K. Williams of Waco; 11 grandchildren; 17 grandchildren; local cousins, Billie June Shott and Claudia Hill; and a local aunt, Lucile Hill.

She was preceded in death by one daughter. Ms. McDonell is survived by two daughters, Mary Elmore of Odessa and Lanora Harvey of Paint Rock; eleven grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; and one sister, Elenor Thomas of Houston.

Graveside services were held Friday, September 13, 1991, under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home at the Paint Rock Cemetery with Rev. Bill Swindler officiating.

Ora Lee McDonell

Ora Lee McDonell, 85, of Paint Rock, Texas died Monday, September 9, 1991 at Cantebury Villa in Ballinger.

She was born June 16, 1906 at Eldorado. She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by one daughter.

Ms. McDonell is survived by two daughters, Mary Elmore of Odessa and Lanora Harvey of Paint Rock; eleven grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; and one sister, Elenor Thomas of Houston.

Graveside services were held Friday, September 13, 1991, under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home at the Paint Rock Cemetery with Rev. Bill Swindler officiating.

Albert Wetsel

Albert Wetsel, 78, of Wingate died Tuesday evening, September 10, 1991, in Humana Hospital in Abilene.

He was born August 3, 1913 in Nolan County and had lived in Wingate all his life. He married Media Helm on November 21, 1931 in Wingate.

He was a farmer and a rancher, a member of the Wingate Fire Department, the Lions Club, and the Wingate Church of Christ.

Survivors are his wife, Media Wetsel of Wingate; two sons, Albert Darrell Wetsel of Decatur and Charles Wetsel of Cisco; one daughter, Betty Allen of Lubbock; four brothers, Arlee Wetsel of Abilene, J.L. (Jr.) Wetsel of Stanton, Troy Wetsel of Azle, Coy Wetsel of Midland; two sisters, Mittie Danford of Midland and Ruth Stovall of Ballinger; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Services were held Thursday, September 12, 1991 in the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Tott McKown officiating. Burial was in Wingate Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Coy McNeill, J.B. Denson, Gilbert Smith, Thurman Self, Hollis Dean, and Johnny Walker.

Clyde Burton

Clyde Burton, 89, of Winters died Tuesday evening, September 10, 1991 in Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

He was born May 2, 1902 in Gadstone, Alabama and moved to Runnels County as a child. He married Bille Mae Burke on August 3, 1923 in Miles.

He moved to Winters in 1972 and was a retired service station owner and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Nancy Backor of Brazoria; one sister, Louise McDaniel of Amarillo, eight grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

Services were held Friday, September 13, 1991 at First Baptist Church in Winters with Rev. Glenn Shoemaker officiating. Burial was in Northview Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Randall Boles, Wendell Lee, Bill Russell, Dennis Poe, Bryan Webb, and David Speegle.

Jack L. Hubbert

Jack L. Hubbert, 81, of Ballinger, died Tuesday, September 10, 1991 at Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

He was born December 24, 1909 at Fort Stockton and married Lois Gilbreth at San Saba July 2, 1932.

He was a rancher and a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife, Lois Hubbert of Ballinger; two daughters, Joyce McClure of Alta Loma, California and Jackie Peters of La Verne, California; one son, Jim Hubbert of Alamo, California; seven grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; two sisters, Dorothy Colin of Adrian and Nell Jessup of Los Angeles; and one brother, Leo Hubbert of Torrance, California.

Services were held Saturday, September 14, 1991 at Rains-Seale Funeral Chapel with Rev. Bobby Bagget officiating. Burial followed in the Garden of Memories under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Annie Williams

Annie Williams, 89, of Winters, died Wednesday evening, September 11, 1991, at North Runnels Hospital in Winters.

She was born March 6, 1902 in McClellan County and came to Runnels County at the age of 2 and had lived here since.

She married T.O. Williams on October 29, 1942 in Winters. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Her husband preceded her in death August 8, 1967.

She is survived by five stepdaughters, Pearl Davidson of Wilson, Buna Crow of Morton, Ena Montgomery of Kingsland, Vera Lee Sneed of Drasco, and Edna England of Drasco; one brother, Wesley Hord of Winters; two sisters, Freda Reeves and Lucy Nitsch, both of Winters; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Services were held Friday, September 13, 1991 at Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. James Gehrels officiating. Burial was in Northview Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Kenny Nitsch, Larry Nitsch, James Brown, Howard Pruser, Bob Pruser, and Sammy Folsom.

Frank C. Coker

Frank C. Coker, 80, of Paint Rock died Wednesday, September 11, 1991 at Concho County Hospital.

He was born March 18, 1911 in Tom Green County. He graduated from Ballinger High School in 1930 and was among the last remaining members of the 1929 Bearcat Championship Football Team.

He was a World War II Army veteran serving in the 36th Division of the 142nd Infantry Regiment and was called to active military service when the Ballinger National Guard was mobilized in 1940. He was wounded twice in Italy and served with honor and distinction throughout the war. Major Coker was honorably discharged in 1946.

He married Mary Hutcheson at Phoenix City, Alabama December 25, 1941.

Mr. Coker was a retired postal service employee and a member of the First Methodist Church. He was named Man of the Year in 1982, was a Master Mason, and a member of the Paint Rock Masonic Lodge #613, Suez Shrine Temple, York Rite, San Angelo Commandry #28, Waco Scottish Rite Consistory, and Order of the Eastern Star.

Mr. Coker was a director of First State Bank of Paint Rock. He coached Little League Baseball in Rowena and played football for Daniel Baker College and the Philadelphia Eagles, professionally.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Coker of Paint Rock; one nephew, Eddie Coker, Jr. of Paint Rock; one great-nephew, Eddie Coker, III of San Angelo; one niece, LaRue Wixon of Clemson, South Carolina; and one sister, Ada Arnold of Paint Rock.

Services were held Friday, September 13, 1991 at First United Methodist Church of Paint Rock with Rev. Paul Terry officiating. Burial followed in the Paint Rock Cemetery under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Marvin Duane Perry

Marvin Duane Perry, 36, of Austin and formerly of Ballinger, died Thursday, September 12, 1991 at Austin.

He was born November 8, 1954 at Tulsa, Oklahoma. He was a member of the Pond Springs Church of Christ in Austin.

He was preceded in death by his father, Jack Perry.

Survivors include his mother, Bee Perry of Ballinger; one brother, Phillip Perry of Ballinger; one sister, LaDonna Nunley of LaJitas; one nephew, Jacob of LaJitas; one niece, Jaclyn of LaJitas; and a friend, Charles Maier of Austin.

Services were Monday, September 16, 1991 at Pond Springs Church of Christ. Burial followed in the Old Runnels Cemetery under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Tommy Eubank

Tommy Eubank, 63, of Winters died Saturday morning, September 14, 1991 at North Runnels Hospital in Winters.

He was born August 14, 1928 in Runnels County and was a lifetime resident. He was a farmer and a custom hay baler.

Survivors are his father, Claud Eubank of Winters and one brother, James Eubank of Crandall.

Manette Wallace

Manette Wallace was welcomed to her heavenly home Thursday night September 12, 1991. She had lived in Winters since moving from FortWorth in 1987.

Twins Manette and Maranna were born near Hillsboro, Texas on July 28, 1911 to Charles and Johnnie Yarbo. Manette married J. Leamon Wallace on June 23, 1932 in Ada, Oklahoma and they moved to Fort Worth in 1941.

She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Christ. Her husband preceded her in death on October 13, 1968. Her twin sister, Maranna Blanton preceded her in death December 31, 1971.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Ann Edmonson of San Angelo and Nancy Lou Wallace of Fort Worth; one brother, George Weldon Yarbo of Wichita Falls; one step-sister, Dot Townes of Fort Worth; three granddaughters, Janette Bain of Sterling City, and Le Ann Bain of Austin; one very special niece, Betty Pinkerton of Winters; numerous nieces and nephews.

Services were held Saturday, September 14, 1991 at the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Jim Corley officiating. Graveside services were held Monday, September 16, 1991 with John Bizzel officiating. Burial followed in Laurel Land Cemetery in Fort Worth.

Manette's physical absence will in no way diminish her presence in the lives of her family and friends.

Graveside services were held Monday, September 16, 1991, at Fairview Cemetery with Max Pratt officiating. Burial was under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

William J. (Bill) Kahlig

William J. (Bill) Kahlig, 84, of Olfen died Saturday, September 14, 1991 at his residence.

He was born June 27, 1907 at Westphalia, Texas. He was a retired farmer and a World War II Army Air Corp veteran. He was a member of the St. Boniface Catholic Church and a charter member of the Olfen Knights of Columbus.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Alois and Hattie Kahlig and a sister, Cordelia Wilde.

Survivors include a sister, Dorine and husband August Schwertner of Floydada, Texas; two brothers, Clements and wife Hermine Kahlig of Veribest and Harold Kahlig of Olfen; seven nephews; nine nieces; ten great-nephews; and twenty-four great-nieces and nephews.

Services were held Monday, September 16, 1991 at St. Boniface Catholic Church in Olfen with Rev. Kevin Heyburn officiating. Burial followed in the St. Boniface Catholic Cemetery under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

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Ellen H. Sims

Ellen H. Sims, 94, of Concho County died Saturday, September 14, 1991 at Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

She was born June 9, 1897 in Dublin and moved to Concho County from Dublin in 1905. She married Benjamin V. Sims at Paint Rock June 2, 1919.

She was a homemaker and a member of the First United Methodist Church. She was an active member in the Pocahontas Chapter of the DAR, a state officer in federated Women's Club and PTA.

Mrs. Sims was active in church and community affairs as well as the American Red Cross and the March of Dimes for many years.

She was a girl scout leader and adult leader and a long time supporter of County 4-H Clubs. She also helped found the Paint Rock Library.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1932.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Cora Ellen (Kay) Campbell of Paint Rock; three sons, Dunny Sims of Niles, Michigan, Ben Sims of Paint Rock, and Sen. Bill Sims of San Angelo; seven grandchildren; and thirteen great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held Monday, September 16, 1991 at Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger with Rev. Mark Deaton officiating. Burial was under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Card of Thanks

There is no way we can express enough our heartfelt thanks for everyone's thoughts and prayers at the loss of our son, daughter-in-law and grandbaby; Clay, Debra, and Timothy Bailey. We would like to thank everyone for the flowers, food, memorials and gifts.

Also our gratitude to Mike Meyers and Linda Dry, and to Revs. Travis Franklin, and Glenn Shoemaker.

May God Bless each and every one of you.

Ray & Jerre Heathcott
Clarence Hambricht
& Family

Poems wanted for new contest and anthology

Poems are now being accepted for entry in Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum's new "Awards of Poetic Excellence" poetry contest. Cash prizes totaling \$1,000 will be awarded, including a \$500 grand prize. The contest is free to enter.

Poets may enter one poem only, 20 lines or less, on any subject, in any style. Contest closes November 30, 1991, but poets are encouraged to send their work as soon as possible, since poems entered in the contest also will be considered for publication in the Summer 1992 edition of *Poetic Voices of America*, a hardcover anthology. Anthology purchase may be required to ensure publication, but is not required to enter or win the contest. Prize winners will be notified by January 31, 1992.

"If you are a new or emerging poet, we especially want to see your work," says Jerome P. Welch, Publisher. "We are looking for sincerity and originality in a wide variety of styles and themes."

Poem should be sent to Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum, Inc., Dept. L, 203 Diamond St., Sistersville, WV 26175.

Senate bill passes to increase federal funds for rural and urban hospitals

Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock on Sunday applauded Senate passage of a bill designed to bring almost \$40 million in federal money to rural hospitals across the state in the next two years.

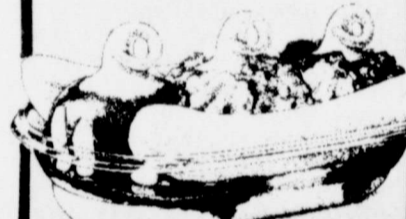
The legislation, which is a result of a three-year study performed under Bullock's direction as State Comptroller, will overhaul funding procedures to tap the federal government's Medicaid Disproportionate Share Program for an estimated total of \$996 million in the 1992-93 budget period for rural and urban hospitals who treat Medicaid patients.

The Disproportionate Share Program rewards qualifying hospitals who carry more than their share of Medicaid patients with additional federal funding to encourage other hospitals to excel with the goal of improving access to medical care for insured and uninsured patients alike.


The bill next moves to the House for consideration.

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VETERINARY UPDATE

by Jimmy Smith, DVM



Anaplasmosis

I have had several calls this past week regarding anaplasmosis in cattle, so I thought this would be a good subject to cover at this time.

Anaplasmosis is a disease that affects the blood of cattle. Although younger animals may get the disease, it rarely causes any problems in them. At about 18 months of age, the disease may cause clinical signs. Cattle three years of age and older show severe clinical signs, often resulting in death if treatment is not initiated or if treatment is initiated too late in the course of the disease. Up to fifty percent of infected adults may die, with the surviving remainder being carriers for the disease.

Anaplasmosis is infectious but not contagious. It may be spread by biting insects such as flies and ticks or by the livestock owner if he or she uses the same needle on several head of cattle without disinfecting between injections. This situation develops when one of the animals to be vaccinated is an anaplasmosis carrier.

Other susceptible animals vaccinated after the carrier may actually be inoculated with the disease-producing organism along with the vaccine or wormer.

The disease is caused by a parasite which occupies the red blood cell itself. It causes enough damage to the RBC that the spleen recognizes that this cell is damaged, pulls it out of circulation, and destroys it.

As a greater percent of the RBC's become infected, damaged and removed, clinical signs begin to appear. Signs of anemia that come on rapidly are basically what we see. Respiration increases to compensate for the lowered number of oxygen-carrying red blood cells.

The animal may appear to be

weak, and if disturbed may become aggressive. The mucous membranes may become yellow in color due to the increased red blood cell destruction but this is not always true. A blood sample from an acutely infected cow will be thin and watery. Abortions may occur.

Clinical signs are usually not seen during the incubation stage of the disease, which is usually from 3 to 8 weeks. When enough red blood cells are infected, clinical signs are exhibited.

Some animals may overcome the disease over a long period of time, but the organism remains within their system. When this happens, the end result is a "carrier" which serves as a reservoir for further infection when the right conditions exist at a later time.

The organism is susceptible to tetracyclines and is easily treated if the disease is not too far advanced.

If anaplasmosis is found in your herd, treatment of infected individuals should be initiated and possible vaccination of susceptible animals should be considered. But remember that treatment of infected animals should be done as quietly and easily as possible. This old cow is short on blood and any unnecessary handling could cause her to die. Be sure and don't send somebody out to rope her and drag her into the trailer.

Although anaplasmosis does occur in native cattle in our area, most of the problems we see occur in highly stressed cattle shipped in from areas where there is a high incidence of the disease.

If you will just control external parasites and disinfect the needle between vaccinations, you could greatly lessen the chances of spreading it in your herd.

© Jimmy Smith, D.V.M.

Wingate Masonic Lodge to hold 1991 Open House

Wingate Masonic Lodge will hold its second open house of 1991 on Sunday afternoon, September 22, according to an announcement made by Barron Guy, the Master of the Lodge. The Lodge is located at Wingate, Texas.

The public is cordially invited to attend and view the lodge room and its unusual furniture and equipment, much of it looking exactly the same as it looked when Masonry first came to Texas in the early 1830's. Light refreshments will be served during the afternoon.

Wingate Masonic Lodge was founded in 1911, and has been in its present location since the early 30's. The Lodge has a membership of 43.

Many local area leaders have been members of Wingate Masonic Lodge over the years. Some of the best known include Dr. John L. Barron, Duncan Hensley and Bamey "Freck" Puckett.

Although it is impossible to determine exactly when the first Masons came to Texas, we do know that Ben Milam came to the Tehas county about 1818, and General Zebulon Pike led an expedition into the area a few years later. Both were Masons.

By the 1830's, numerous Masons had come to the area from both Mexico and the United States. Antonio Navarro, Lorenzo de Zavala and Juan Seguin joined others like Stephen F. Austin, Anson Jones and Sam Houston in forming lodges. The first lodge was formed at Brazoria in 1835, and in the same year, the Grand Lodge of Louisiana authorized lodges at Houston, Nacogdoches and San Augustine.

In 1837, those first three lodges formed the Grand Lodge in the Senate Chambers of the new Republic of Texas, with General

Sam Houston as the presiding officer, and a total of 27 members. Anson Jones, later to be the last President of the Republic, was elected the first Grand Master. Today, Texas Masonry has over 180,000 members and 954 lodges.

The Grand Lodge of Texas met in a lot of places until 1903, when the move was made to a permanent location in Waco. The beautiful Memorial Grand Lodge Temple, completed in 1949, stands on a hill on Columbus Avenue overlooking downtown Waco, and is one of the most striking buildings in the city.

The incoming Master was asked, "What is Freemasonry?" He answered:

"Basically, it is a society of friends and brothers, banded together for their common good and the good of mankind -- men who want to become better men. It's a voluntary organization, and does not solicit membership, but any man can make his interest known, and if he believes in God, and is basically a good man to start with, can become a Mason.

"Freemasonry developed from the stone masons of the Middle Ages, and although Masons do not work in stone, they work on the lives of men, and use the stone mason's tools as symbols to teach Masonic philosophy. The terms "acting on the square" and "being on the level," are purely Masonic terms that have crept into our every day language.

"Although old by modern standards, Masonry isn't nearly as old as some would claim. The oldest Masonic document dates to just 1400 A.D., or about 600 years. Early Masonry struggled for some 300 years, and then, in 1717, in London, several lodges got together and formed the first Grand Lodge. That was actually the true beginning of Masonry as we know it.

"Today, Freemasonry works very hard to help people of all races and persuasions, and the Shrine Crippled Children's Hospital; the Burns Institutes, the Knight Templar Eye Foundation; the many, many scholarships; the Grotto's dental care for the handicapped -- all contribute to a better life for everybody.

"Some of the world's greatest men have been and are Masons: George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, Franklin Roosevelt, Harry Truman, Norman Vincent Peale, Gerald Ford, Mark Twain, Astronaut Buzz Aldrin -- 35 Texas Governors, all of the Presidents of the Republic of Texas -- many, many others. As each of them would say, "Masonry has but one aim: the improvement of mankind."

Card of Thanks

We wish to convey to you, the people in the Winters community, our heartfelt gratitude for all your expressions of sympathy at the loss of our husband, father and grandfather, Erwin Schroeder. We deeply appreciate the prayers, memorials, cards, flowers and food. Thank you and God bless you.

The Family of Erwin Schroeder



Mrs. William Clark Smith

Kresta, Smith wed in double ring ceremony

Evening shadows lengthened around historic St. Stephens Episcopal Church in Ft. Stockton, as Jill Leslie Kresta and William Clark Smith were united in marriage by Justice of the Peace Robert Gonzales at six o'clock on Saturday, July 27, 1991.

The bride is the daughter of Deputy and Mrs. Jerry Kresta of Sierra Blanca, former Ft. Stockton residents. Mrs. R. T. Cope of Norton and Mrs. J.L. Kresta of Ballinger are grandmothers of the bride. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith of Garland.

Music of "One Hand, One Heart" accompanied the couple as they walked down the aisle of the candlelit sanctuary. The bride wore a softly tailored suit of ivory silk jacquard made especially for the occasion by her mother. The fitted jacket styled with long sleeves had an open throat and was detailed with tiny button and loop closure to the waist. A peplum fell in soft folds becoming progressively longer in the back and ending in tuxedo tail trimmed with the same button and loop closure just below the waist. A pencil slim tea length skirt completed the ensemble. She carried a simple arrangement of Sweetheart roses, Margarite roses and stephanotis.

In keeping with bridal tradition, Jill also carried a small booklet of the Twenty Third Psalm as something both old and blue. It was given to her great-grandmother, Mollie Foster Mitchell, in 1897 and was carried by both the bride's mother and sister in their weddings. Diamond and

pearl earrings, a gift from the groom were new and a matching necklace was borrowed from her sister.

A reception-dinner was held in the small private dining room of the Sunday House following the ceremony. After dinner, wedding cake was served with coffee. The cake was peach flavored with ivory buttercream icing. Five individual cakes, each topped with fresh roses, were arranged on clear pedestals in a graduating spiral around a bouquet of the same roses and each cake was connected by tiny peach ribbon.

The bride attended Ft. Stockton schools before graduation in 1979. She also attended Angelo State University. Prior to the wedding, she was employed as Regional Coordinator for Allnet Communication Services, Inc. of Dallas.

The groom graduated from South Garland High School and also attended Stephen F. Austin University in Nacogdoches. He is employed as Senior Civil Engineering Technician for David Vilbig and Associates of Dallas.


Special guests for the private double ring ceremony were Joshua Smith, son of the groom, and brother of the groom, Nolan Smith of Garland with his children Zach and Rachel. Also attending were Reverend Sara Gamett and Paige Strong, sister of the bride, both of Ft. Stockton.

Jill and Clark will make their home at 1212 Devonshire Lane, Wylie, Texas. They plan an extended honeymoon in August in Grand Teton and Yellowstone National Parks.

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Faculty selects honored students

The Boy and Girl of the Month recipients are selected from 7th and 8th grade students of Winters Junior High by members of the faculty. The program, which was established last year, is sponsored jointly by the Winters Lions Club and the Women's Service League.

Selections are based on students who exhibit outstanding or improved qualities in areas of citizenship, academics, and involvement in school and personal activities.

The honored Girl of the Month will be invited to attend the Women's Service League meeting for that month. The Boy of the Month will be invited to a Lions Club meeting. In May, a reception for the girls and their mothers will be hosted by the Women's Service League. A reception for the boys and their fathers will be given by the Lions Club.

LUNCH ROOM MENU

Sept. 23 through Sept. 27, 1991
(Includes Wingate campus)

Breakfast

- Monday-September 23**
Biscuits, sausage, applesauce, milk
- Tuesday-September 24**
Waffles, peanut butter, syrup, mixed fruit, milk
- Wednesday-September 25**
Cinnamon toast, oatmeal, sliced pears, milk
- Thursday-September 26**
Biscuits, scrambled eggs, gravy, pineapple chunks, milk
- Friday-September 27**
Buttered toast, Trix cereal, milk, orange juice

Lunch

- Monday-September 23**
Sloppy Joe on buns, mustard/mayo/catsup, sliced pickles, buttered corn, peanut butter cookie, milk
- Tuesday-September 24**
Turkey roll/gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, whole wheat rolls, milk
- Wednesday-September 25**
Fish on bun, tater tots, catsup/mustard/mayo, lettuce wedge, chocolate cake, milk
- Thursday-September 26**
Super chalupa/meat/cheese/fried beans, tossed salad, pineapple chunks, hot sauce, milk
- Friday-September 27**
Hamburger, french fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, mustard, mayonnaise, catsup, coconut pudding, milk

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Lindsey Brown
Girl of the Month

Lindsey Brown, age 12, is the daughter of Charlie and Laura Brown. She is in the seventh grade and enjoys science, history, English, and playing the piano and the flute. She is an officer in the 4-H program and a member of band. She is also a cheerleader.

Lindsey enjoys playing basketball, water skiing and tubing, and collecting dolls. She likes jumping on the trampoline and works hard to make good grades in school. She also babysits.

Lindsey most admires her sister, Jamie Brown, and wishes the best for her family. She would like to become a pediatrician.

Miss Brown is sponsored by the Women's Service League of Winters and was selected by the faculty of WISD.



Paige Bishop
Boy of the Month

Paige Bishop has been selected Boy of the Month by the faculty of WISD, and is being sponsored by the Winters Lions Club. He is the 12 year old son of Lanham and Barbie Bishop. He is a seventh grader and enjoys hunting, fishing and sports.

Mr. Bishop has had the highest grade point average in the fifth and sixth grades and has received athletic awards. He helps his dad with daywork and he has duties around the house.

Nolan Ryan is the person most admired by Paige. He hopes to become a professional baseball player or a chemist.

Junior Varsity drops opener

The Winters JV fell to the Coleman Bluecats 13-0 on September 5, in the opening game of the season for both teams.

The two teams remained scoreless for the first three quarters. The Blizzard defense made several good stands in the first half to keep the Bluecats out of the end zone. The defense was led by sophomore defensive back Andy Esquivel and freshman linebacker Zane Guy. The Bluecats scored on a 2-yard run with 6:57 remaining in the game. The extra point attempt failed making the score 6-0.

On the ensuing drive, Winters fumbled at their own 40 and Coleman recovered. Six plays later the Bluecats scored on a 20-yard run. The extra point attempt was good, making the final score 13-0.

Catch the Blizzard Spirit!

Cross-country girls on the run

The girls' cross-country team at Winters High School consists of Shana Lantow, Carolyn Horton, Alina Briley, Stacey Deike, Kayla Priddy, Melinda Kraatz, Liz Silva, Tabatha Grohman, Tanya Brockington, and Lucy Rodriguez.

The team competed in the Abilene Christian University meet at Nelson Park this past weekend and placed 6th overall.

Alina Briley placed second with a time of 10:48 for 1.7 miles.

Next Saturday the girls will compete at Jim Ned beginning at 9:00 in the morning.

Blizzard J.V. loses tough game to Coahoma

The Blizzard Junior Varsity squad dropped their second consecutive tough game last Thursday to Coahoma by the score of 14-0. Once again the Blizzard defense played a respectable game by stopping the Bulldogs numerous times, and twice inside the 10-yard line.

Fine defensive performances were turned in by Wylie Clough and Lance Donica.

The Winters offense continues to sputter. Turnovers killed several Blizzard drives, and let Coahoma set up in Blizzard territory. "We're playing better," stated Winters coach Chuck Cathey. "We just have to keep from giving people so many opportunities on our end of the field. If we're going to be successful, we have to be able to move the ball, and at this point, we're not doing that consistently."

The Blizzard junior varsity will entertain Goldthwaite this Thursday evening at Blizzard field.

School Days, School Days



Peggy Harrington
Educational Diagnostician

Mrs. Harrington is originally from Waco and has been an employee of WISD since 1988. She is a graduate of Texas Tech University and Sam Houston State University. She holds a bachelor of arts degree in sociology and a masters in education. She has done post graduate study at the University of Houston, Texas A&M and Hardin Simmons University.

As Educational Diagnostician, Mrs. Harrington works with children ages 0-22 who have disabilities. She makes every effort to keep informed of new laws and services available for these students.

Peggy has previous experience as a teacher and a counsler. She is married to Larry, a farmer and a rancher.

Mrs. Harrington is thankful for the community support that she believes contributes to the success of the Life Skills Program and the Vocational Adjustment Class.



Junior varsity quarterback Nathan Collins, takes the snap during the hard-fought Coahoma game.

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Tickets on sale for Goldthwaite game

Tickets for the Winters-Goldthwaite football game go on sale at the Winters Administration office Wednesday morning September 18, and will continue to be available until noon Friday, September 20.

All tickets will be \$4.00 at the gate. Student tickets purchased in advance are \$2.00. Adult tickets purchased in advance are \$4.00.

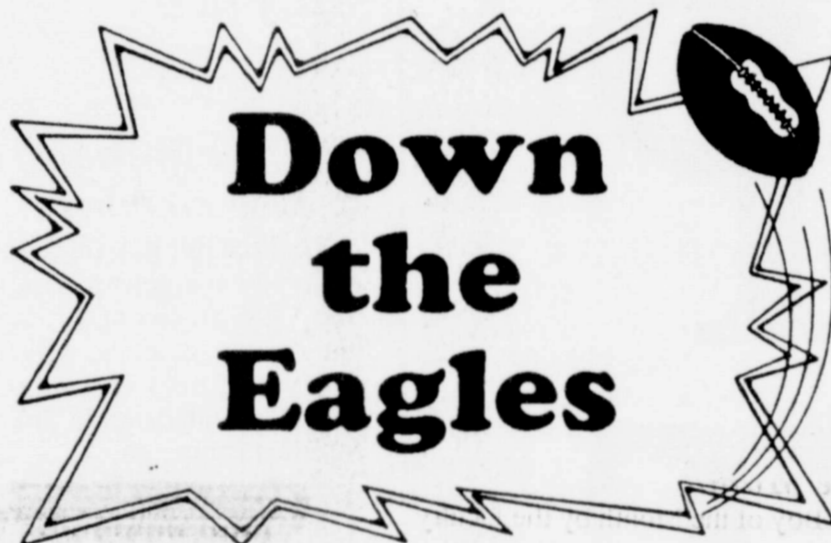
You are encouraged to purchase advance tickets to avoid long lines at the gate.

The game will be played at Goldthwaite on Friday, September 20. Kick-off time is 8:00 p.m.



Blizzard pep rally, Friday at 3 p.m. in the gymnasium.

Back the Blizzards!



All the Way, Big Blue!

1991 Varsity Schedule

September 6	Coleman	0-52	8:00
September 13	Coahoma	19-40	8:00
September 20	Goldthwaite	T	8:00
September 27	*Haskell	H	7:30
October 4	*Jim Ned	H	7:30
October 11	*Hawley	T	7:30
October 18	*Anson	T	7:30
October 25	*Hamlin	H	7:30
November 1	*Albany	T	7:30
November 8	*Stamford	H	7:30

*Denotes District 7-AA Games

1991 Jr. Varsity & Jr. High Schedule

September 5	Coleman	JV only	0-13	6:30
September 12	Coahoma	JV only	0-14	6:30
September 19	Goldthwaite	7-8 JV	H	5:00
September 26	Haskell	7-8 JV	T	4:45
October 3	Jim Ned	7-8 JV	T	4:45
October 10	Hawley	7-8 JV	H	4:45
October 17	Anson	7-8 JV	H	4:45
October 24	Hamlin	7-8 JV	T	4:45
October 31	Albany	7-8 JV	H	4:45
November 7	Stamford	7-8 JV	T	4:45

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Latch-Key program off to good start!

The Winters ISD latch-key program is off to a good start! First graders have been enjoying the week with a good snack each afternoon and some quality reading and recreational time.

Second graders will be accepted beginning this Monday, September 23. Those students attending the latch-key program must have turned their applications in to the elementary office by this Friday, September 20. On Monday afternoon they will meet Mrs. Shields at the swing set on the elementary school playground and walk to the latch-key site from there.

The latch-key day begins at 2:30 each afternoon with the high school students who are employed as student helpers. They use this time to set up snacks, homework, tutorial and play stations. Although the program day ends officially at 5:30, parents should pick their child/children up as soon as they can after getting off work. No child should ever be picked up any later than 5:15.

Anyone interested in volunteering time to help in the program or donating toys should contact Fran Kidwell at 754-5365 or Jo Beth Shields at 754-4986.

Art Exhibit at NRH
2-5 p.m. Sept. 22



Robbie Cortez, a high school worker in the Latch-Key Program, is helping Dana Clough.

Senior Citizens Nursing Home News

By Billie Ruth Bishop

Our sympathy is extended to the families of Annie Williams who passed away September 10 in North Runnels Hospital. Also to the families of Manette Wallace who passed away September 12 in the nursing home.

The resident council met Friday for their regular quarterly meeting. President Rachel Selden called the meeting to order. Minutes of the last meeting were read. Old business was discussed; new

business was next. Residents had an open discussion of food, activities, and changes they would like to see made, etc. Gladys Miller asked that she not be secretary any longer; Mrs. Pearl Jackson was elected by acclamation to serve as the next secretary. The meeting was then adjourned. Those attending were Rachel Seldon, Mary Hall, Norbert Uecker, Herman Hasse, Trudy Foreman, and Reba Norris.

Extravaganza '91 hosted by Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association

The Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association Auxiliary will host a style show and luncheon, Extravaganza '91, Thursday, October 3, 1991 at the San Angelo Convention Center, 500 Rio Concho Dr., San Angelo, Texas. The luncheon catered by F.L.'s Bar and Grille, will begin at 11:30 a.m. Kim Dutton, spokesperson for the Mohair Council of America will be the master of ceremonies.

This year's chairperson is Linda Taylor; committee members include Jacque McClure, Carri Hallman, Ginger Price, LaNae McClure, Betty Glass, Charlotte Sisco, Marilyn Edens and Holly Griffin. Wool and mohair fashions will be modeled from Mr. Sam's, Gabriel's, Tindal-Thieman, Park Place, Mathis Baze, Grandmother's House and J. Wilde all of San Angelo. Also included is the Teacher's Store of Ozona, Dolores Vemor Unique Designs of Camp Wood, the Ol' Sonora Trading Company of Sonora and Middleton's of Ballinger. Approximately 50 men and women will be modeling.

Invitations for this year's event are available at the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association office, 233 West Twohig, San Angelo, Texas and the participating merchants. The tickets are \$20 per person or \$175 per table of ten.

For more information or reservation contact Linda Taylor at (915) 944-3955.



Mrs. Jeffrey Kenneth Kewak

Davis and Kewak married August 31

Denise Marie Davis of San Angelo and Jeffrey Kenneth Kewak of Dallas were married August 31, 1991 at James M. Rogers Gazebo Garden in San Angelo. Paul Shero, pastor of Southgate Church of Christ, San Angelo, officiated the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry L. Davis, Sr. of San Angelo. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kewak of Novi, Michigan.

Serving as maid of honor was Karen Davis of Lubbock. Bridesmaids were Carla Biley of Dallas, Jenny Lanning of San Marcos, and Carla Lindsey of Dallas. Flower girl was Amber Green of Winters.

Chris Harmon of Dallas served as best man. Groomsmen were Jerry Davis Jr. of Belleville, Michigan; Larry Weathers and Philip Valadez, both of San Angelo.

Ring bearer was Allan Green of Winters. Ushers were groomsmen. The bride is a 1989 graduate of Winters High School and is employed by the Holiday Inn in San Angelo.

The groom is a 1985 graduate of Novi High School and is employed by Cowell Corporation in Dallas, Texas.

The couple will live in Dallas.

Ten free live oak trees to new members

Ten free live oak trees will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation during September 1991.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for America campaign.

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The trees will be shipped post-paid at the right time for planting between October 15 and December 10 with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to TEN LIVE OAKS, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE, 68410, by September 30, 1991.

Woman's Club begins year

The Woman's Club began the club year of 1991-92 on September 10 in the home of Dolly Airhart. Sharing hostess duties were Betty Byms, Edna England and Vivian Foster.

Betty Cole of Blackwell was introduced by Edna Ruth Self. Mrs. Cole is a member of Compassionate Friends and Building Bridges. She presented a most interesting discussion entitled "Changes In Our Lives," using the four seasons of the year as the changes. Mrs. Cole said, "The manner in which we accept these changes is up to us - and that depends on our attitude."

A business meeting was conducted by Kay Colburn. Reports were given by committees.

The new year book was given out by Edna Ruth Self. A most interesting group of programs is in store.

Bernie Faubion explained the plans for the annual spaghetti supper. The date is September 27 from 5-7:00 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Assignments were made and tickets distributed.

Naida Barker announced the

election of a new member - Mrs. Doris Andrews.

The progress of the beautification program of the grounds of North Runnels Hospital was given by Dolly Airhart. She also reported on the artists who have donated paintings to be hung in newly painted rooms. Artists who have donated paintings are: Ginger Fest of Novice, Eloise Chestnut, Betty Byms, Dean Burns, Shirley Minzenmayer of Winters, Hugh Campbell and Dorothy Dankworth of Ballinger, Ted Shelton of Brownwood, and Bruce Hackney of Abilene. These works of art will be on display on Sunday, September 22 from 2-5 p.m. at the hospital. The public is encouraged to attend this showing.

President Colburn closed the meeting with a challenge to each member for this year - to be an active and excited member, not only in club, but in all activities in Winters and our community.

Twenty-two members and two guests were present, Eloise Chestnut and Betty Cole.

11:30-1:00 Taco Salad Lunch, Sept. 19

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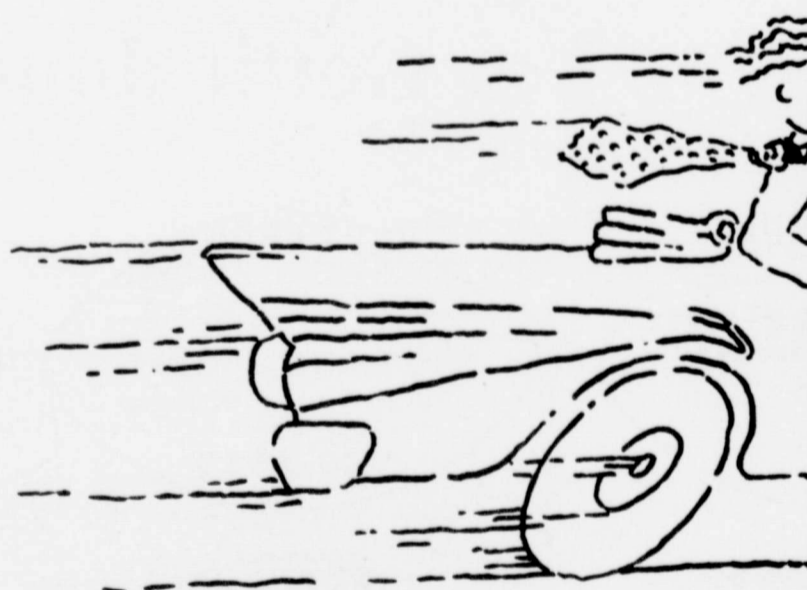
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Letter to the Editor

The Winters Public Library is now a member of the Big Country Library System. Hooray! And proud we are, thanks to several people, especially our Librarian, Mrs. Pauline O'Neal. This has been her dream for some time, and she has worked hard trying to get the Winters Library in the Big Country System. This means that some changes must be made. Things are needed, (oh, how the Library needs more room), and that means money. Yes, I know money is a dirty word, but those worn, faded, washed, go thru the washing machine dollar bills are what we need. You can judge a town by its facilities, for instance, your churches, the school, the public library, and etc.

Winters is blessed with a good library, but it can be better with a lot of community backing. The library needs donations - you could give memorials.

I found out from attending the workshop that some libraries are helped a great deal by having "Friends of the Library." Maybe in the near future one will be started for the Winters Public Library. If so, it would be nice if every person in the Winters School district will want to be a member. Gee, that would be wonderful. After all, your children will be the ones to benefit from our efforts. Who are more precious than our children? They are the future of Winters or some other town, so we must give them the opportunity to have books to read and learn.

So come on, Winters, support your Library. Your kids are counting on you, so please don't let them down. Visit your Library and see for yourself how crowded it is (the building next door would be great). Give a donation, buy a book, give a magazine subscription, give yourself; the Library needs volunteers - one hour, two hours, three hours, a half-day or maybe one day a week or month. Thank you for your time. A Friend of the Library,
Eunice Mathis

Retired teachers discuss health care

The Runnels County Retired Teachers Association met Monday, September 9, 1991 in the First United Methodist Church of Winters.

Freddie Gardner, president, presided. N. T. Gault, out-going president, was presented an engraved money clip in recognition of his service to the unit. Glen Lewis, a representative of United Teachers Insurance Association, was the speaker. He discussed the need for planning long-term health care.

Hostesses for the meeting were Hortense Joyce, Ouida Nichols, and Betty John Byms, who served coffee, iced tea, and cookies.

Those attending were Lanita Williams, Josephine Estes, Bryan Estes, Sarah Parker, Virginia Brown, Lula Mae Harrison, Jo Olive Hancock, Freddie Gardner, Lola Crawford, Ruth Morgan, Nina Hale, Lela May Shelbourne, N. T. Gault, Eleanor Burgess, Marvin Burgess, Mary Stanfield, and Hortense Joyce.

5-7 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner, Sept. 27

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Stenholm seeking applicants

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm has announced that he is currently seeking applicants for nomination to the United States Service Academies. Applications for nomination to the U.S. Military Academy in West Point, New York, the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colorado, the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland, and the United States Merchant Marine Academy in Kings Point, New York, may be obtained by writing to Congressman Stenholm's Stamford office.

Nominations are available to young men and women who will be at least 17 years of age, and not past their 22nd birthday upon entry into the academy in July. Nominees are selected by a competitive process, judged on scholastic aptitude, moral character, leadership ability, and community involvement.

The academies offer a four-year degree in a variety of areas ranging from Civil Engineering and Physics, to American Studies and Behavioral Science. While attending the academies, cadets and mid-shipsmen will earn an annual salary of approximately \$6,500, from which expenses for books, uniforms and incidentals are taken. Tuition, room, board, medical and dental expenses are paid for by the academies. Upon graduation from the academies, the cadets and mid-shipsmen will serve as officers in the service for a minimum of five years.

Any persons who may be interested in applying for a nomination, or who would like to obtain additional information, should write to Congressman Charles W. Stenholm, P.O. Box 1237, Stamford, Texas, 79553. Applications must be submitted, and files completed, no later than December 1, 1991. Nominations will be made toward the end of December.

Shep domino party

The Shep domino party will be Saturday, September 21, 1991 beginning at 7:00 p.m. at the Shep Community Center.

Bring your dominoes and snacks!

Clinic dates re-scheduled

The North Runnels Hospital monthly Blood Pressure-Blood Sugar Clinic will be held the third Tuesday of each month, 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, beginning October 15. This will continue to be a free service available in the lobby of the hospital.

Cholesterol screening will be offered every three months for a small fee with the next screening in November.

Blood donations will be taken by United Blood Service of San Angelo on a quarterly basis. The next scheduled blood drive is October 29.

Winters students take 1st places

Three Winters FFA students, Doug Gray, Ricky Bishop, and John McCallan, participated in the West Texas Fair Calf Scramble last week. The calf scramble program was developed to assist young people to finance animal projects.

Doug Gray took 1st place on Tuesday night and Ricky Bishop placed 1st Wednesday night. Both students will receive \$300 purchase certificates to be used in the purchase of livestock that must be returned to the fair to be shown the following year.

FFA students successful at West Texas Fair

Winters FFA students exhibited their show projects at the West Texas Fair last weekend. The results of the placings are:

- HEIFERS**
 Robyn Parramore2nd, Junior Limousin Show
4th, Open Limousin Show
 Russell Parramore3rd, Junior Limousin Show
2nd, Open Limousin Show
 Terry Day5th, Junior Hereford Show
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 Edward Bredemeyer3rd, Shorthorn Progress Steer
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 LisAnne Smith2nd, Lt. Heavy Wt. Limousin

The exhibitors were assisted by parents and FFA advisor Roy Shackelford. The FFA students enjoyed exhibiting their animals at the West Texas Fair and express their thanks to the community for their support and attendance at the fair.

Wee Care School has 3 openings

The purpose of Wee Care School is a ministry for three and four year old children offered by the First United Methodist Church of Winters. The program is designed to offer guidance in social adjustment, self-control, sharing, self-confidence, and creativity through experiences with teachers and classmates. The goal is to offer developmental guidance through a program which stresses basic Christian values. Our qualified teachers will follow a thoughtfully and carefully planned curriculum which emphasizes these areas.

Classes are held from 9:00 am until 12 noon on Monday and Thursday. School holidays, vacations, and weather closings will be the same as the Winters Independent School District. The child/staff ratio will be no greater than eight/one.

The monthly tuition of \$25 is due on the first class day of each month. Tuition for the month of December will be half the usual charge due to the Christmas holidays. Tuition is due whether or not your child is able to attend. An annual non-refundable supply/registration fee of \$15 is also required. Registration forms are available at the First United Methodist Church office from 9 to 12. The first day for the openings will be Thursday, October 3, 1991. Students need to be 3 or 4 years of age. For more information call Laurie Franklin, Preschool Director at 754-4172, or Mary Wilkerson, Preschool Committee Chairperson at 754-5702.



To get Brazil nuts out of their shells unbroken, freeze them until the shells crack.

The Wingate Masonic Lodge
 is having an
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Do-si-do and around we go! Kay and Bud Busher are cuttin' a rug during square dance activities at the community center. The Bushers are members of the Winters Squares.

Runnels County Crimestoppers

The Runnels County Sheriff's Department is currently investigating the homicide of Gilbert Rodriguez Cortez of Coleman, Texas.

Gilbert Cortez was 31 years old and worked at the Super S Supermarket on Commercial Ave. in Coleman, Tx. Cortez left work at 6:00 p.m. on July 22, 1991 and was listed as a missing person after he did not return. Cortez was last seen leaving his place of work with a middle-aged Hispanic female.

If you have any information that will lead to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for the murder of Gilbert Cortez or any information on his whereabouts any time after 6:00 p.m. on July 22, 1991, please call RUNNELS COUNTY CRIMESTOPPERS at 365-2121 or call any local law enforcement agency.

FUNDay planned with Congressman Stenholm

Budget Committee Chairman Leon Panetta (California), Martin Sabo (Minnesota), Jill Long (Indiana), and Bob Clement (Tennessee) will join Charlie and Cindy Stenholm for their annual FUNDay in Stamford on Saturday, September 21st. They have been invited to visit part of the 17th Congressional District to better understand the interests of this area.

Stenholm serves with Sabo and Panetta on the Budget Committee which is responsible for overall spending and revenue guidelines for the trillion dollar federal budget each year. Sabo is also a member of the Appropriations Committee which writes the specific annual funding bills for most spending.

Jill Long owns her own farm in Indiana. Stenholm serves with her on the House Agriculture Committee. She is a member of the Conservative Democratic Forum (CDF) which Stenholm coordinates. They are both members of the Rural Health Care Coalition which Stenholm serves as chairman.

Bob Clement is co-sponsor of Stenholm's Balanced Budget Amendment and also is a member of the Rural Health Care Coalition. "Cindy and I are honored to have these leaders come to our FUNDay," said Stenholm. "Not only will they be sharing their friendship with us, they will have an opportunity to meet my constituents and hear of our interests and concerns."

Everyone is invited to the picnic on Saturday, September 21, in the Ericksdahl community, east of Stamford. The food line opens at 4:30 P.M. The meal will be topped off with Comanche County watermelons and Blue Bell ice cream.

Individual tickets are \$10. Those who sell or buy ten tickets (\$100) will be invited to the Congressional Reception on Friday evening as well. Anyone selling or buying 30 tickets (\$300) for FUNDay will be listed as a host for both the picnic and the reception.

More details can be obtained by calling the Stenholm campaign office in Stamford at (915) 773-5521.

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Crews News by Hilda Kurtz

KEEP SMILING.
It will make people wonder what you've been up to.

S.G. Brevard of Coleman came home after being in Community Hospital in San Angelo several weeks for tests and treatments. He is resting nicely I hear.

On Sunday at Hopewell Baptist Church, the Sunday School presented a birthday cake to the missionaries. Sunday visitors were the Connors of Glen Cove.

Ruth and Brad Pape attended the David Cooperfield Magic Show in the Civic Center in Abilene Monday. On Saturday night they went to the ballet in the Abilene Civic Center. Walter Pape and Gladys Cotton of Ballinger came a while Sunday.

Bother Oscar Fanning came through his shoulder surgery just fine. He had surgery on Monday at 4 p.m. in Humana Hospital.

Jeremy and Tiffany Prater, Chad Kraatz, Mike and Eileen Prater attended the rodeo in Abilene on Wednesday.

Eileen and Mike are enjoying the square dancing class on Monday nights.

Jim and Lavina Webb of Dallas came by a while to see Harvey Mae and Noble Faubion on their way home after spending the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Lonnie and Carla, in San Angelo. They also visited her sister and brother-in-law, Nelda and Billie Paul Thomason of Bronte.

Walter Pape of Santa Anna and Gladys Cotton of Ballinger spent Sunday afternoon with the Noble Faubions.

On Saturday night Nila and Therin Osborne and Louise Osborne were in Abilene at the stock show to see their grandson, John McGallian, show his calf. His calf placed 6th and 12th. On Saturday he showed another calf and placed 4th out of 10 calves.

Jeremy and Tiffany Prater and Desiree Mathis toured the Pizza Hut in Winters and attended the 4-H meeting in Winters.

Adeline Grissom was treated

for sinus infection during the week. She says she is feeling somewhat improved.

Selma Dietz and Eileen Prater attended the Ozark Co-op Warehouse Association annual general membership meeting and health conference at Fayetteville, Arz.

Marque, Desiree, and Will Mathis were in Denton for Alvin Whaley's (Marque's father) surprise birthday party over the weekend.

Visiting Connie and Georgia Gibbs Saturday were Don and Ralphene Davis of Talpa, Tammy, Mark, and Justin Kaczyk of Winters came Sunday.

Audine, Dennis, and Roy McBeth of Midland spent Friday night with Chester McBeth.

Noble and Harvey Mae Faubion enjoyed Sunday dinner with Carolyn and Jerry Kraatz.

Doris Tippett and her daughter, Cindy Porter, and her two daughters of Odessa attended the 35th Novice class reunion. They also spent some time with Nila and Therin Osborne.

L.C. and Ouita Foster and Louise Osborne enjoyed supper and Saturday night fellowship with Nila and Therin.

Margie Jacob visited old friends, Della Halfmann and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Olsak, in Ballinger Thursday. Grandson Bryce Busenlehner of Ballinger spent several days with Margie.

Attending the Abilene Fair and Rodeo on Wednesday were Helen and Norval Alexander, Adeline Grissom, Wanda McLarty, Joe Riley, Sam and Katherine and Luke Thomas.

Kyle and Karen Kraatz of Abilene are spending several days with Jerry and Carolyn Kraatz.

Mike and Von Hill of Sweetwater spent Sunday with Claudia Hill.

On Thursday night a group of friends honored Jennifer Wilson of Scotland in the home of Bernie and Rodney and Brian Faubion. Those enjoying the main Texas chicken and dumpling dish and buffet supper were Nila and Therin Osborne, Harvey Mae and

Noble Faubion, Linda and Dale Duggan, Becky and Elwood Brown, Linda and David Swarinen and Hilda Kurtz.

Amantina Faubion of Winters came out Saturday and had lunch with Bernie and Rodney Faubion. Saturday night Cathey, Danny, and Brandon Phillips of Abilene and puppy, Lou Lou, did some dove hunting. They had supper on Friday night. Bernie visited Paula and Rudy New and Dee Bnea Baker.

Sunday afternoon Bernie and Rodney were in San Angelo to see son, Gene, at ASU. They also visited with Lonnie and Carla Webb.

Jennifer Wilson from St. Andrews, Scotland stayed a week with Dale and Linda Duggan. She toured Allen and Elsie Belks registered Angora goat ranch, Becky Rohmfeld's exotic game ranch, and Don Smith's goat and sheep ranch in Talpa. Murray Edwards gave her a tour of Alderman-Cave, and Randall Conner gave her a tour of Farmers Seed and Supply and his grain cleaning operation.

Jennifer also got to judge pies at the Miles Cotton Festival. Dale and Linda took her to Stephenville to meet her next hosts, Ronnie and Shawn Davis from Ennis. Jennifer thanks everyone for such a warm welcome in Texas.

"Artists display" from Page 1

selected locations throughout the hospital.

The Woman's Club wishes that more artists could have been included in this first exhibit but due to the budget only a limited number could be asked at this time.

The club will also be sponsoring landscape planting in the garden-seating area adjacent to the front entrance of the hospital.

Artists to be honored Sunday are:

Ginger Test of Novice is a watercolorist who paints with both realism and a touch of impressionism. She enjoys painting a variety of subjects. Her work includes flowers, wildlife, Southwest landscapes, figures, missions and Indian pottery. Her specialty, however, is humming birds. She was educated at Hardin-Simmons University and has studied with many noted artists. Ginger has taught full-time since 1982. Her paintings are in homes and offices throughout the United States, Germany, and Switzerland. Her painted clothing is sold in several boutiques and galleries in Texas, New Mexico, and Missouri.

Elouise Chesnut of Winters began painting in oil 30 years ago when she took classes in drawing and color at New Mexico Junior College in Hobbs, New Mexico.

While living in Seminole, Texas, she did some painting in acrylic. When she and her husband began going to the Texas Valley region for several months each year, she took an introductory class in watercolor at the museum in McAllen. Elouise is a member of the Hidalgo County Watercolor Association and enjoys sharing ideas and participating in shows with association members. She finds the freedom of expression and the creative challenge of the watercolor medium to be most rewarding.

Hugh Campbell of Ballinger and San Angelo is largely self-taught in art. He received a B.S. in agriculture education from

Texas Tech and a certification in biology from Hardin-Simmons University. He paints in paste, oil, and watercolor media and his subject matter are portraits, Texas ranching and Middle East environs. Hugh has taught painting workshops and given portrait demonstrations in several West Texas cities. He designed the logo for the Diamond Jubilee Year of the Texas Hereford Association and the logo for the Texas State Festival of Ethnic Cultures. He has received awards and purchase prizes from a number of Texas shows and exhibitions. He is currently showing his paintings, during the month of September at 3434 Sherwood Way in San Angelo.

Dean Burns of Winters began painting 13 years ago with lessons in the Robert Garden technic of oil painting. She has studied in workshops with John Crump, George Maxwell, and others and she has learned much through her own practice and work. Dean started teaching others early in her painting career and has taught numerous classes and workshops in the Runnels County area. She is a member of the Greater San Angelo Arts and Crafts Guild.

Shirley Minzenmayer of Winters first began painting in oil 20 years ago. About 15 years ago she found that she had a real preference for the watercolor media and has done mostly watercolor since that time. Shirley has studied with Vernell Leach, Leo Smith, Judy Betts, and others. She has always lived in the Ballinger and Winters area and she gets much personal satisfaction and enjoyment from losing herself in painting.

Virgil Roberts of Winters has been a well-known oil painter in the Central West Texas area for a number of years. She has studied in Texas and New Mexico with class teachers and in workshops while developing her own style of painting. She has participated in many shows and exhibits and

has been the featured artist in the monthly exhibits at the Abilene Chamber of Commerce. Virgil has taught many West Texas hobby painters to do Tole and miniature painting plus Texas bluebonnet landscapes. She has also had great success with painted clothing. Virgil teaches classes in Abilene and has had a great influence on many budding artists.

Betty J. Byrns of Winters, new to the art scene, began to study watercolor as a hobby three years ago. Never having painted before, she chose watercolor because she was drawn to the soft colors and freedom of pattern found in this media. Betty studies with Ginger Test and has added workshops with Mike McCullough, Leo Smith, and John Birdsong. She enjoys painting flowers, scenes and landscapes and looks forward to continued study in her chosen hobby.

Adolph Minzenmayer of Winters and the Norton area enjoyed dabbling in drawing and painting during his early years as a student in the Winters Public Schools. Twenty years ago he took up his hobby again, largely painting animals and landscapes in oil. Adolph is mostly self-taught and has found much enjoyment in his painting.

Dorothy Dankworth of Ballinger has been studying art since she was in grade school. Later she ventured into china painting and by 1980 had started with water colors which has become her favorite medium. She has studied and taken workshops with Vernell Leach, Bud Biggs, Zoltan Szabo, Ed Whitney, and Naomi Brotherton. Dorothy is married to Jimmy Dankworth. They have one daughter, one son, and two grandchildren.

Bruce Hackney of Abilene is a former Brownwood resident. He studied with Gaiha Browning who is a well-known Southwest artist. He has had one man shows in Brownwood and more recently in Abilene. Bruce enjoys his time spent in painting. The Bruce Hackney painting was donated by Ted and Martha Shelton.

Ted and Martha Shelton of Brownwood exhibit work in different shows and area exhibits. They also display and sell their work at their studio, located two miles west of Brownwood off Highway 153 in the old family brick dairy barn built in the 1920's. Ted is a native of Brownwood and has had a lifetime of work in metal and wood sculpture and in BAS - relief sand casting, and now he spends time painting in acrylic, canvas, textiles, and crockery.

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Ballinger man arrested in Cortez murder case

Runnels County authorities arrested a man they were seeking in connection with the murder of a man whose body was found more than a week ago in a freezer.

Gilbert Chapoy, 26, of Ballinger was arrested around 4 p.m. in San Angelo, a Runnels County Sheriff's Department spokesman said. Chapoy was arrested on a motion to revoke probation, and had not been charged further as of press time.

Authorities were seeking Chapoy and another suspect in the murder of Gilbert Cortez, 31. His body was found September 6 in a freezer at an abandoned farmhouse. Autopsy results indicated the man had been strangled.

Authorities located and questioned the second suspect, a woman, but did not arrest her, according to Bill Baird, Runnels County Sheriff.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

- Admissions**
- September 10
Iva Sheppard
Thomas Eubank
 - September 11
Terri Childers
 - September 12
Martin Martinez
Pamela Cravens and Baby Girl
Mary White
Baby Boy Childers
 - September 13
Ronald Cooper
Rachel Quintero
James Rose
 - September 14
Miyoko McIver
Sue Kirby
 - September 15
Baby Girl Hernandez
- Dismissals**
- September 10
Linda Reyes
 - September 11
Annie Williams - Expired
 - September 12
None
 - September 13
Don Black
 - September 14
Terri Childers and Baby Boy
 - September 15
Thomas Eubank - Expired
Ronald Cooper
Pam Cravens and Baby Girl

Public Notices

Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that all livestock brands registered in Runnels County expired August 30, 1991. Producers have from now through March 2, 1992 to appear at the County Clerk's office to re-register their brands. The fee will be \$5.00 for each brand. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 noon and 1:00-5:00 p.m.

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Week 3, September 21			Week 6, October 12		
***PHOTO DAY			U6: Rockets vs. Apaches 12:00		
U6: Lions vs. Halpints	12:00		Lions vs. Halpints	1:00	
Apaches vs. Rockets	1:00		U8: Sidekicks vs. Mustangs	12:00	
U8: Wildcats vs. Bumble Bees	12:00		Wildcats vs. Bumble Bees	1:00	
Sidekicks vs. Mustangs	1:00		U10: Stingers vs. Badgers	10:30	
U10: Badgers vs. Dynamos	10:30		Mustangs vs. Gremlins	12:00	
Stingers vs. Gremlins	12:00		Dynamos vs. Gremlins	1:30	
Eagles vs. Mustangs	1:30		U12: Raiders vs. Wolverines	9:00	
U12: Gunners vs. Wolverines	9:00		Tornadoes vs. Gunners	3:00	
Raiders vs. Thunderbolts	3:00		Thunderbolts Off		
Tornadoes Off			Week 7, October 19		
Week 4, September 28			U6: Apaches vs. Lions 12:00		
U6: Lions vs. Apaches	12:00		Rockets vs. Halpints	1:00	
Halpints vs. Rockets	1:00		U8: Sidekicks vs. Wildcats	12:00	
U8: Wildcats vs. Sidekicks	12:00		Mustangs vs. Bumble Bees	1:00	
Bumble Bees vs. Mustangs	1:00		U10: Stingers vs. Mustangs	10:30	
U10: Dynamos vs. Stingers	10:30		Dynamos vs. Gremlins	12:00	
Dynamos vs. Badgers	12:00		Eagles vs. Badgers	1:30	
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U12: Tornadoes vs. Wolverines	9:00		Raiders vs. Gunners	3:00	
Gunners vs. Thunderbolts	3:00		Wolverines Off		
Raiders Off			Week 8, October 26		
Week 5, October 5			U6: Halpints vs. Apaches 12:00		
U6: Apaches vs. Halpints	12:00		Lions vs. Rockets	1:00	
Lions vs. Rockets	1:00		U8: Bumble Bees vs. Sidekicks	12:00	
U8: Mustangs vs. Wildcats	12:00		Mustangs vs. Wildcats	1:00	
Bumble Bees vs. Sidekicks	1:00		U10: Badgers vs. Dynamos	10:30	
U10: Gremlins vs. Badgers	10:30		Stingers vs. Gremlins	12:00	
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Wolverines vs. Thunderbolts	3:00		Tornadoes Off		
Gunners Off			Week 9, November 2		
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			U8: Mustangs vs. Bumble Bees 12:00		
			U10: Mustangs vs. Gremlins 10:30		
			U12: Raiders vs. Wolverines 12:00		



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The Texas Farm Bureau and the Runnels County Farm Bureau jointly sponsored a volunteer fireman in the 1991 TFB Fireman Training School held at Texas A&M University in July. Jim Hash of Ballinger, a fireman with the Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department, studied modern firefighting techniques and disaster operations, along with fire prevention procedures at the school.

Each year more than 100 volunteer firemen are sponsored by Farm Bureau statewide.

Rodney Faubion, President of Runnels County Farm Bureau, is shown presenting a certificate and check to Jim Hash upon attending the school.

ASU students receive degrees

Two Winters students at Angelo State University were among 239 students to receive degrees during summer commencement at the university.

Leslie Jo Awalt received a bachelor of science degree with a major in elementary education. Kevin James Halfmann received a bachelor of science degree with a major in health and physical education.

CPR training offered at NRH

North Runnels Hospital CPR Training Program announces the following CPR courses to be held at the hospital in September, 1991. Two course A classes will be held. The first was held on September 11, 1991. The second class will be held on September 25, 1991 beginning promptly at 6:30 p.m.

Class size is limited, so please pre-register by calling 754-4553. The cost of the class is \$5.00 per person. Do yourself and your neighbors a favor...learn CPR.

Local moms and daughters attend weekend

The 2nd Annual Mom and Me weekend sponsored by the Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council was held September 13-15 at Camp Wood Lake in Brownwood. This special weekend is offered to Girl Scout leaders, service team members and their Girl Scout daughters.

The fun-filled weekend was enjoyed by approximately 200 moms and daughters from the council area. Activities included swimming, canoeing, games, crafts, hiking, and sing-a-longs. There was time to relax and to visit with old friends and new.

Attending the camp from Winters were Sherry and Amanda Cooper, Jill, Lori and Leah Bredemeyer, Debbie, Jackye and Michelle Dexter, Easter, Stacey and Michelle Walden, and Chris and Monica Parramore.

Newcomer!

David and Terri Childers of Winters are proud to announce the birth of a son, Justin Edward, born Thursday, September 12, 1991 at 8:08 a.m. at North Runnels Hospital, Winters. Justin weighed 8 lbs., 13 1/2 oz. and was 21 1/4 inches in length.

Proud paternal grandparents are Eddie and Betty Childers of Winters. Proud maternal great-grandmothers are Louise Cate and Gerdie Childers, both of Winters. Proud maternal grandmother is Janet Ashley of Beeville.

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Public schools will no longer pay state's fuel tax

"Education in Texas will get more mileage for its money when public school districts become exempt from the state's motor fuels tax on September 1," said State Comptroller John Sharp.

"Since the state funds about half of the cost of public education in Texas, it just doesn't make sense to pay with one hand and take it away with the other," Sharp said, complimenting legislation passed by the Texas Legislature two years ago with a September 1, 1991, implementation date.

Approximately 26,000 buses are used to transport almost 2 million Texas schoolchildren roughly 1.4 million miles each school day.

Effective September 1, Texas' 1,058 public school districts will no longer have to pay the state's 15-cents-a-gallon tax on diesel and gasoline, a rate which rises to 20 cents a gallon for both fuels October 1.

Effective September 1, school districts also will be exempt from the state's tax on liquefied petroleum and compressed natural gas, saving about \$500 for each of the estimated 600 school buses using these alternative fuels.

The new exemptions mean a total savings of about \$11 million for school districts during the upcoming year.

"That's back-to-school money that can be better spent on educating the children of Texas," Sharp said.

The State Comptroller's Office has notified all public school districts of the new exemptions and also has notified the almost 25,000 service stations, gasoline distributors and diesel fuel suppliers in Texas.



A Coahoma Bulldog closes in on varsity quarterback Albert Bernal just as he releases the ball. Intended receiver, Jeff Wallar #30, waits downfield (far right)

Horizontal Drilling Slows to Crawl Locally

By Reg Boles

After more than a year of trying new horizontal technology throughout central Texas, the most active operators using the newest method of drilling and completion have greatly scaled back their plans for the future.

Several bold attempts at developing areas with horizontal drilling have resulted in few success stories, and, as a result, two of the companies most active in the eight county area around Winters have apparently scaled back plans to continue testing the technology.

Oryx Energy Company, well-known for their successes in South Texas, has essentially shut down their horizontal drilling program in the Suggs Ellenburger Field of Coke and Nolan Counties, near Blackwell. The recent poor results of their Frost-Pullin Unit #1 have dampened any hopes for the horizontal technology to be effective in the complicated geology of the Suggs Field.

The tried-and-true method of tying fracture systems together by horizontal wellbores doesn't seem to work in the come-and-go Ellenburger conglomerate/carbonate. The company has report-

edly spent 7-10 million dollars drilling and completing horizontal wells in the Suggs Field, with very limited success.

All has been quiet on the Runnels and Coleman County border since Wagman Petroleum completed some mixed-result Dog Bend zone wells. The operator and its drilling contractor, Win-Tex Drilling, have been mum on anything past initial potentials and completion reports.

The only signs have been those of inactivity, at least among horizontal drilling postings. There have been several wells with inconclusive results (at least those reported were), and it is unclear whether the technology has been successful enough to prove economically feasible in the Dog Bend.

If the lack of any follow-up horizontal wells is an indication, the Dog Bend attempts were not successful enough to warrant additional drilling.

At present, no other clear applications in this area for horizontal drilling appear to be on the horizon.

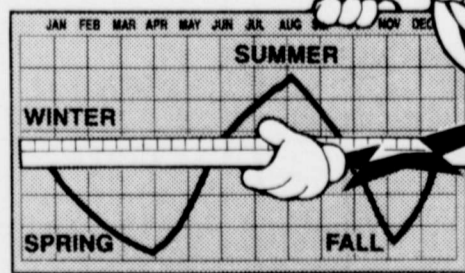


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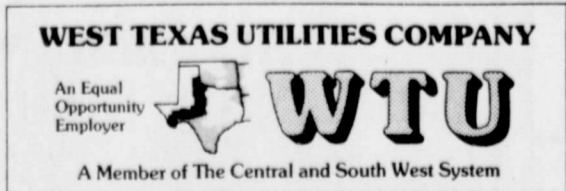
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Electric bills peak in the Summer and Winter when demand is up and are lower in the Spring and Fall. With the Equal Payment Plan, you can level out your electric bill because the monthly payments are averaged and adjusted over a year.



Any WTU residential customer or church with approved credit and a monthly bill of \$15.00 or more can qualify.

"Level out your electric bills with the Equal Payment Plan."



For more information on the Equal Payment Plan, contact your local WTU office.

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FINA		GROCERY & MARKET		FINA	
Prices Good September 18 thru September 24, 1991 6 a.m.-10 p.m. 7 days a week					
Boneless Sirloin Steak lb. 1.99		Gandy's Homo Milk 1/2 gallon 99¢			
Eckrich All Beef Bologna lb. 1.39		Eckrich Salami lb. 1.49			
Pepsi Cola 2 liter bottle 89¢ Reg. or Diet		Eckrich Smoked Sausage lb. 1.49			
Cooked Fresh Hamburgers ea. 1.39		Bar-B-Q Beef Sandwich ea. 1.29			
Submarine Sandwich ea. 1.99		Bar-B-Q Sausage Sandwich ea. 99¢			
Food Stamps Welcome		Freezer Packs		Food Stamps Welcome	
\$39 5 lb Pork Chops 5 lb Ground Beef 4 lb Cutlets 6 lb Fryers		\$35 5 lb Round Steak 6 lb Fryers 5 lb Pork Steak 5 lb Ground Beef		\$45 9 lb Fryers 8 lb Pork Steak 8 lb Ground Beef 4 lb Cutlets	
\$45 5 lb Round Steak 5 lb Pork Chops 6 lb Fryers 8 lb Ground Beef		\$59 6 lb Roast 6 lb Ground Beef 6 lb Pork Chops 6 lb Cutlets		\$89 10 lb Sirloin Steak 10 lb Ground Beef 10 lb Pork Chops or Round Steak 12 lb Fryers	