

Apples of Gold

LOVE—ONE REASON WHY A DOG IS SUCH A LOVABLE CREATURE IS THAT HIS TAIL WAGS INSTEAD OF HIS TONGUE..

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School Board accepts computer bids, considers Saturday school

The W.I.S.D. Board of Trustees met in regular session on June 9th and approved spending approximately \$250,000 for computers for the elementary lab, the junior high school lab and staff computers. The money had been budgeted to be spent in this 1991-92 school year.

A bid of \$103,727 was accepted for the elementary lab for both educational software and IBM hardware. The junior high lab computer bid was \$101,059 for both software and hardware. A bid of \$49,750 was accepted for staff computers.

The educational software is considered the most up-to-date and best for schools. The software incorporates compact disks which allows not only text but pictures and sound.

In other business the board accepted a bid for a lease and possible sale of the Wingate

campus. John Killough bid \$80,000 with a lease-purchase agreement. The bid stated that a \$20,000 down payment would be made with payments of \$450 per month to be made for two years. At the end of two years if Mr. Killough decided to purchase the campus, all money paid in would go toward the purchase price. The agreement is to begin September 1, 1992.

Coach Dan Slaughter and Coach Ed Henley presented proposals for possible renovations to the field house and to the new gym dressing rooms. Slaughter wanted a rework of the varsity football dressing area. Henley wanted to move the varsity and junior varsity dressing area to the west end of the gym (present visitors dressing room). No action was taken on either proposal.

A "Saturday School" was discussed as an addition to in-school

suspension. Dean of Students, Bill Cathey, presented the proposal for the school to be a half-day on Saturday. He stated advantages of less problems for teachers, less cost, and a possible better deterrent than in-school suspension. Further details were to be presented at the next school board meeting.

The July school board meeting was set for Thursday the 9th because the regular scheduled meeting would come too late in the month.

A committee report was given by Dan Slaughter on the use of school facilities after hours. This committee consisting of Bill Colburn, Charles Ludwick, Lee Harrison, Barron Guy, Charles Kidwell and Dan Slaughter suggested that local people should be able to use school facilities after hours. No fee would be charged provided a usage agreement was signed by a person at least 21 years of age. This policy was accepted by the board as an addition to present building usage policy.

A final exam exemption program was approved. Eleventh and twelfth grade students would be exempt from final exams in exchange for limited absences and high grades.

Emily Hall's resignation as a P. E. instructor was accepted.

The Floy Hood Hodge Scholarship Fund was accepted under the present scholarship guidelines with a present balance of \$5,647.



Susan Bryan
Senior Miss Farm Bureau



Jamie Brown
Junior Miss Farm Bureau



Brenna Mikeska
Talent Find Winner

Farm Bureau pageant winners Winters girls capture titles

Two young ladies from Winters walked away with top honors at the annual Farm Bureau pageant, June 7, 1992.

Susan Bryan and Jamie Brown, both from Winters, were crowned queens in their respective classifications during the annual Miss Runnels County Farm Bureau contest. The pageant was held at Ballinger's Carnegie Library.

Bryan, the daughter of Gary and Cheryl Bryan, was crowned the 1992 Senior Miss Runnels County Farm Bureau. She won a \$125 cash award for her efforts.

She will now compete for a \$600 scholarship and a chance to advance to the state level.

Other contestants in this event were Tracye Binder, daughter of Ed and Karen Binder; Beverly Gully, daughter of Jerome and Kay Gully; and Melissa Asbill, daughter of Marvin and Carol Asbill.

Jamie Brown is the daughter of Charles and Laura Brown. She was crowned the 1992 Junior Miss Runnels County Farm Bureau. She received a cash award of \$60.

Other contestants in the junior division were Katy Duggan, daughter of Dale and Linda Duggan; Alison Granzin, daughter of Stacy and Lynn Granzin; and Kimberly Gully, daughter of Jerome and Kay Gully.

Brenna Mikeska of Wingate, daughter of Brent and Scarlotte Mikeska, was the winner of the Talent Find. She received a \$100 savings bond. She will now advance to the district contest where she will compete for a \$600 scholarship and chance to advance to state.

Glyn Hutto of Bronte was Emcee for the contests, and Carolyn McNelly of Rowena was the pianist.

The other participants in the contest received cash awards.

The Farm Bureau would like to congratulate all the winners and thank all the girls who participated in the contest.



BASS CLASSIC WINNERS—June Blackwood, president of the Winters Chamber of Commerce presents first prize of \$1000 to Herhall Duncan of Bangs. Also pictured are Wendel Ramsey, second place winner, of San Angelo and James Smith (far left), third place, of Coleman.

Winners named in annual bass classic

Herhall Duncan of Bangs went home \$1000 richer late Saturday after winning first place in the sixth annual bass classic. The event was sponsored by the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Duncan's prize-winning catch weighed a total of 7.99 lbs. and was caught at the Ballinger Lake.

The second prize winner was caught by Wendel Ramsey of San Angelo with a total weight of 6.07. Ramsey also won the Calcutta. The biggest fish was caught by Sammy Sanchez at 4.43 from the Elm Creek Reservoir.

Third place winner is James Smith of Coleman with total weight of 5.88, fourth went to A. C. Silver of San Angelo, fifth went to Sammy Sanchez of Winters, sixth to Keith Winters of Ovalo, seventh to Fred Schmikle of San Angelo, eighth to Wesley Ogle of Ballinger, ninth is Richard Leick of Abilene, and tenth Jack Davis of Winters.

All three lakes were in good condition for fishing and it was a beautiful day with no rain. The fishermen enjoyed lunch furnished by Lawrence Brothers Gro.

and soft drinks by Sonny's West Dale Grocery. The lunch was set up and served under a tent loaned by Rains-Seale Funeral Home of Ballinger.

There were 65 total entries. Deen Thompson registered the entries at the Ballinger City Lake and Ken Slimp assisted by Aref Hassan and David Carroll, lake keeper at Elm Creek Reservoir, registered at the reservoir. The entries at Hords Creek were taken at the Hords Creek Grocery. Volunteers working from the Chamber were June Blackwood, President, Joe Gerhart, Melanie Wade, Donald Wade, Bettye Pinkerton, Charles Kidwell, Jim Lincycumb and Ceelia Kniffen. Sandy Griffin, Winters Mayor, joined for the weigh in.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to give a special thanks to all the sponsors who gave so generously: Sonny's West Dale Grocery for furnishing the scales for the weigh in and the soft drinks, Lawrence Brothers for the lunch and Wal-Mart for the prizes. Also a special thanks to Deen Thompson who did such a wonderful job.

Economic program started in Winters

Approximately six to eight months ago a group of interested citizens from Winters and the surrounding area began to hold meetings on the first Wednesday of each month at People's National Bank. At these meetings citizens discussed ways to improve the economies of Winters and the surrounding area.

From the meetings it became evident that a non-profit organization was needed. The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce sent letters inviting concerned citizens to attend a Winters Area Economic Development Committee Meeting. The meeting was held May 26, 1992 in the Winters High School auditorium with 28 interested citizens attending.

During the meeting, ideas were discussed about improving the economies of Winters and the surrounding area. This group agreed that a non-profit organization was definitely needed. A vote was taken to name the organization as the Winters Area Economic Development Corporation and to elect a board of directors.

Directors for the Winters Area Economic Development Corpo-

Hospital notes no longer available to media/public

In view of recent legislation regarding patients' rights, North Runnels Hospital will be unable to continue to provide information regarding admissions and discharges of hospital patients to the public. This action is regrettable, and it is trusted that this will not present an inconvenience for patients and their friends and families.

ration are: Nelan Bahlman, President; Mac Sayles, Vice-President; and Gary Moore, Secretary/Treasurer. Additional directors are Sandy Griffin and Harold Andrews.

During the meeting, Ken Slimp volunteered his legal services to file for incorporation, and Benny Polston agreed to provide the corresponding financial services for a minimal fee.

From the initial meeting, these interested citizens pledged \$1975 and \$600 more in pledges have been made since June 5.

The purpose of the WAEC is to improve the economic conditions of Winters, Wingate and the North Runnels area. This organization will encourage new businesses to start in the North Runnels area. This group will work closely with the City, the Chamber of Commerce, and any other interested persons to improve the economic conditions of the area.

Pledges may be given to Mac Sayles at People's National Bank or to Harold Andrews at Winters State Bank. Everyone is urged to make pledges of any amount.

Every effort will be made to use the funds to encourage new businesses and jobs.



TAKING A BREATH—Mike Calcote takes a break from his welding duties during remodeling of the baseball bleachers. Offering advice and assistance are Joe Pritchard and Mike Davis. These three men were among several volunteers who spent last Saturday moving and repairing the bleachers. See "Bleacher face-lift" story on page 7.

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

- June 18-3 p.m. Senior Citizens Birthday Party
- 7 p.m. American Legion meets
- 7-8 p.m. AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- June 19-Noon, Senior Citizens Meal
- 7 p.m. Senior Citizens Recreation & Supper
- 7:30 p.m. VFW Bingo #3-00086-5563-8
- June 20-Class of '82 & '57 Reunions
- Nursing Home Father's Day Celebration
- 7 p.m. Shep Domino Party
- June 21-11 a.m. Potluck Dinner, Mt. Carmel Catholic Church
- Noon-1 p.m. Hamburger Luncheon at First United Methodist Church
- June 22-Noon, Senior Citizens Meal
- 6 p.m. City Council meets
- S.S. Representative in Winters
- Swimming Classes begin
- June 23- Noon, Lions Club meets
- Fire Department Auxilliary meets
- WVFD meets
- Knights of Columbus meets
- 7-8 p.m. AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- Sew & Sew Club meets, Wingate
- June 24-Noon, Senior Citizens Meal
- June 25-9 a.m.-3 p.m. VA Follow-up Clinic, Dyess AFB
- 39+ meets
- 7-8 p.m. AA meets at 105 W. Truett

OIL BIDNESS

By Reg Boles ©1992



OIL BIDNESS...

I just can't let it rest. I have to say something about it.

I know that I have commented enough on gas proration in Texas, and that I promised last time that I was finished with the discussion.

But, that was before THE BILL.

THE BILL is the so-called omnibus energy policy bill passed by the U.S. House of Representatives.

It has many provisions: some bad, some good, most worthless. But, one provision in particular is a source of great controversy.

That provision would allow the federal government to intervene in the setting of proration rules by states IF the "sole intent was to raise prices", as it is stated in the amendment to the bill.

Many oil industry folks, including Texas's RRC are outraged that the government in Washington would even hint at taking away a state's power that has its foundation in the very heritage of "States' Rights".

To make matters worse, the Congressman who added the provision is from none other than New 'Get-A-Rope' York. To many in Texas, this is just another example of 'yankees' trying to steal away our precious resources.

John Pitts, of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, interviewed an aide of the New York Congressman (James Scheuer, D-NY) last week, and his column provides a little enlightenment about the "yankee's" point-of-view.

Without plagiarizing, let me just say that the conclusion was: we are not in their shoes and they are not in our boots.

Buried in the tone of the responses by the New Yorker's assistant, (a lawyer-whatelse) was the fact that there is an underlying mistrust of the oil industry and the states that have a big stake in the petroleum business. Additionally, I believe, from reading Mr. Pitts' article and other comments on the subject by both sides, that there is also a strong belief that government control is always better than private industry control.

That is where I really have problems with some Congressmen and other government officials.

Whether its inner city economic development, Aids research, or petroleum fuel development and management, many elected officials and a lot of vocal voters believe that more government money and control is the answer.

I beg to differ.

I do admit that there are areas that only government can step in and protect rights and develop resources for the good of the country where any potential economic incentive might be directly opposed to the betterment of this country. But, by-and-large, most problems can be better solved by private individuals or groups where they have a direct interest in solving the problem.

This 'direct interest' is often in the form of an economic incentive (i.e., profit motive), or it could manifest itself in the desire for all humans to better their condition (i.e., non-profit groups that are in it for themselves' and their families' improvement such as the PTA, economic development committees, and tenant groups).

Most of the time, our federal government is too big, too slow, and too inept to do the job right.

I tend to believe that saying that the federal government will have to intervene in state gas prorationing if the intent is only to raise prices is ludicrous for several reasons.

First, how will we decide if price is the only reason gas is being prorated in some way? I see many lawsuits and disputes arising from such a law. Secondly, can the federal government be allowed to take control of a privately owned asset in such a way that circumvents the normal due process provided by local (state) jurisdiction? And, finally, just who does Congress think they are, trying to control intrastate production and commerce? They aren't smart enough to handle it, and they would waste our tax money trying.

There, I've done it. I could go on forever about too-cheap gas, 'not in my backyard' environmentalists, yankee imperialists and elitists, professional politicians, leveraged government, entitlement programs, power-hungry Congressional staffers...But, I won't.

HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

COMPLETIONS

Nolan County
Enrich Oil has completed the C.M. Whitaker #1 in the North Blackwell Field (2 miles NE of Blackwell) at an initial rate of 67 BOPD in the Ellenburger (perfs 6299-6304). Loc. is 467 FSL & 467 FWL of Sec. 34, Blk. Z, T&P RR Sur.

STAKINGS

Coke County
Meridian Oil has staked the Blair #1 as a wildcat 3 miles E of Robert Lee (Depth 6500). Loc. is 1900 FEL & 767 FNL of Sec. 444, Blk. I-A, H&TC Sur., A-1709.

Coleman County
Novo Exploration has staked the Williams #1 in the Novo-Allen Field, 2 miles S of Goldsboro (Depth 4000). Loc. is 330 FNL & 700 FWL of San Augustine University -519- Sur. No. 25, A-670.

Plains Petroleum has staked the Morris #2 in the Novice Field, 2 miles NW of Novice (Depth 3900). Loc. is 330 FEL & 1263 FSL of W.D. Wyatt Sur. No. 137.

Concho County
Cass Energy has staked the Sorrell -B- #2 in the Lonsome Dove II Field, 8 miles SW of Eden (Depth 2500). Loc. is 1736 FNL & 1546 FEL of Sec. 73, Blk. 8, H&TC RR Sur.

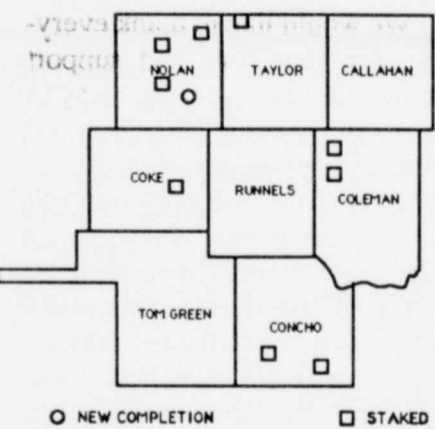
J.L. Kingery has staked the B.R. Weatherford #3 in the South Branch Field, 12 miles SE of Eden (Depth 1200). Loc. is 4950 FWL & 500 FNL of Sec. 2110, Blk. 71, F. Zuch Sur., A-1010.

Nolan County
Samson Resources has staked the C.B. Kilgore #4 in the West Group Field, 3 miles SE of Maryneal (Depth 4400). Loc. is 467 FNL & 600 FEL of Sec. 115, Blk. I-A, H&TC RR Sur.

Tucker Drilling has staked the B.K. Harris #1 in the South Lake Trammell Field, 3 miles N of Maryneal (Depth 5500). Loc. is 497 FSL & 1911 FWL of Sec. 76, Blk. X, T&P RR Sur., A-1285.

Walter Exploration has staked the Brooks-Boyd #1 in the Sprague Field, 12 miles SE of Sweetwater (Depth 4400). Loc. is 1000 FWL & 467 FNL of Sec. 64, Blk. X, T&P RR Sur.

Taylor County
Westwood Energy has staked the C. Irvin #1A in the Taylor County Regular Field, 3 miles NW of Merkel (Depth 4999). Loc. is 1500 FEL & 330 FSL of Sec. 24, Blk. 18, T&P RR Sur.



○ NEW COMPLETION □ STAKED

Social Security Rep. in Winters on June 22nd

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

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

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 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you just need information or are already receiving benefits, call 1-800-234-5772 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. every weekday except holidays.

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

Obituaries

B.E. Baldwin

B.E. Baldwin, 59, died Saturday, June 13, 1992 in Olin E. Teague V.A. Hospital in Temple.

He was born June 25, 1932 in Winters and was a lifetime resident. He attended school and graduated from Winters High School in 1949. He married Ann Gerlach on September 15, 1952 in Winters. He served in the Korean Conflict in the U.S. Army. He was a cattle rancher and a member of the First United Methodist Church and a lifetime member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9193 in Winters.

Survivors are his wife, Ann Gerlach Baldwin of Winters; his mother, Lillie Baldwin of Seymour; one daughter, Melinda (Joe) Meyers of Winters; one sister, Dorothy Woods of Seymour; and two grandsons, Kirby and Ryan Meyers of Winters.

Services were held Tuesday, June 9 at the First United Methodist Church in Winters with Rev. Mike Madden and Rev. Bud Stevens officiating. Burial was in Crews cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Jerold Jordon, Kenny Hope, Luciano Vega, Darrel Murray, Milton Gerhart, Joe Wilson, David Poe, and David Grohman.

Memorials may be made to the First United Methodist Church or the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Willie Ludwig

MIDLAND—Willie Ludwig, 76, died Tuesday, June 2, 1992 in North Runnels Hospital in Winters.

She was born in Morristown, Tennessee, where she was raised. After her marriage, she and her husband lived in Valley Mills, Roscoe and Meridian before moving to Midland in 1949.

She worked in several nursing homes in Midland. She moved to Winters in 1980 and was the widow of Arnold Ludwig.

Survivors include two daughters, Lois Posey of Graham and Edna Gollihar of Midland; a sister, Betty Watts of Morristown, Tennessee; 11 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Services were held Thursday, June 4 at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bob Porterfield officiating. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Memorials can be made to the donor's favorite charity.

Ruth E. Lisso

BALLINGER—Ruth E. Lisso, 88, died Wednesday, June 10, 1992 at Concho Valley Regional Hospital in San Angelo.

She was born August 28, 1903, in Dublin. She married W.E. (Bill) Lisso on June 4, 1932, in Dublin. She received a degree from Howard Payne University and taught school for 32 years. Twenty-two of those years were in Rowena. She taught Sunday School for over 30 years. She was a homemaker and very active in civic projects. She was a member of Seventh Street Baptist Church.

Her husband preceded her in death March 5, 1985.

She is survived by one brother, Tommy P. Golding of San Saba; three nieces, Joyce Beckhusen of San Angelo, Helen Flores of Lockhart, and Linda Berto of Austin; and three nephews, Frederick Lisso of Dublin, James Rose of Ballinger, and Paul Golding of San Saba.

Services were held Friday, June 12, at the Seventh Street Baptist Church with Rev. Bill Swindler and Tony King officiating. Burial was in the Protestant Cemetery in Rowena under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home in Ballinger.

Alberto Rodriguez

BALLINGER—Alberto Rodriguez, 77, died June 15, 1992 at Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Ballinger.

He was born May 11, 1915 in La Pryor, Texas. He married Marcela Saucedo on March 5, 1941 in Ballinger. He was a farm laborer and a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Marcela Rodriguez; one son, Domingo Rodriguez of Sweetwater; three daughters, Esther Lara and Mary Zarate both of Ballinger, and Margaret Escobar of Phoenix, Arizona; 16 grandchildren; and 28 great-grandchildren.

Rosary was said Tuesday, June 16, at Rains-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Mass was said Wednesday, June 17 at St. Mary's Catholic Church with Father Louis Moeller officiating. Burial was in the Latin American Cemetery under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home in Ballinger.

Howard Cecil McDaniel Sr.

FORT WORTH—Howard Cecil McDaniel, Sr. 68, formerly of Crews died Thursday, June 11, 1992 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Fort Worth.

He was born April 8, 1924 in Crews and grew up in that area. He served in the U.S. Army as a medic during World War II, stationed in England, being discharged in 1946. He married Susie Baker on September 8, 1946 in Abilene. He attended Sul Ross University and received a B.S. degree in agriculture. He taught school for four years in Garden City and was in soil conservation for 35 years and retired as district conservationist in Tarrant County. He was a member of the Forrest Hill Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife, Susie Baker McDaniel of Fort Worth; two sons, Howard Cecil McDaniel, Jr. of De Soto and Larry Pat McDaniel of Haskell; one sister, Elda Fae Atchley of Andrews; four grandchildren, Howard Stuart McDaniel, Ethan Duncan McDaniel, Casey Patrick McDaniel and Katy Maxine McDaniel.

Services were held Sunday, June 14, at the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Haeward Morrison officiating. Burial was in Crews Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Leon King, Max Herring, Henry Miles, J.B. Little, L.C. Foster and Alfred Collom.

Herman West

DEL RIO—Herman Newton West, 86, died Wednesday, June 10, 1992, in Del Rio.

Services were held at Humphreys Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Westlawn Cemetery.

He was born October 4, 1905, in Wise County and was a resident of Val Verde County for 30 years. He was a farmer.

Survivors include a daughter, Shirley Perry of Del Rio; three sons, James West of Winters, Vernon West of Del Rio and K. D. West of Marfa; six sisters, Verta Edwards, Nell Lambert, Grace Spores, Vora Harrell, Berta Bennett and Ruby Miller; 15 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bud West, Jim West, Jay West, Jett West, Joe Perry and Carl Cloudt.

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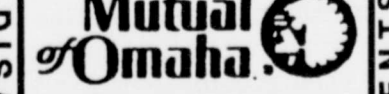
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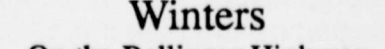
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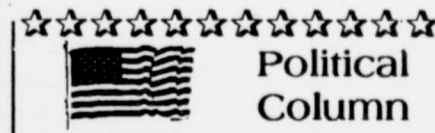
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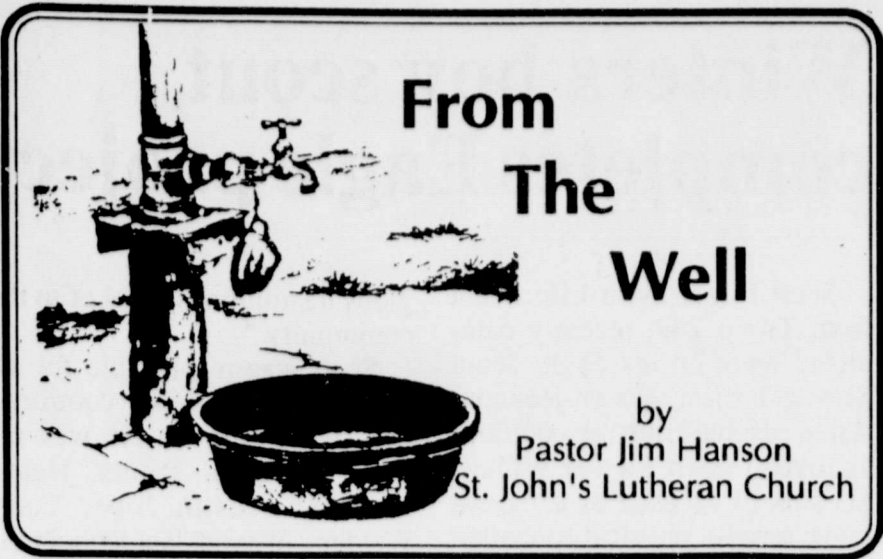
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From The Well

by
Pastor Jim Hanson
St. John's Lutheran Church

FROM THE WELL

It really happened. A little girl, Leah, age five with big brown eyes that sparkled with life, was getting ready to enter kindergarten. But, before she could enroll, she had to be able to give her home address, where she lived, her location "out loud". So her mother started to teach her. "Leah, our address is 204 S. Washington. Leah, what is our address?" And Leah would reply, "204 S. Washington."

It was Sunday afternoon, the day before kindergarten would begin. The family had all gone to Sunday School and church, came home for dinner, and her mother had thought it would be a good time to quiz Leah on her address. So she asked, "Leah, where do you live?" Leah stopped herself still, looked up at her mother with her big brown eyes sparkling and said, "Could it be Matthew 28:20?" Now Matthew 28:20 reads, "Teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and lo I am with you always, to the close of the age." Of course her mother had to say, "Leah, that's a fine Bible passage. But it's not where we live. Let me help you get started. We live at 204..." and then she broke off the sentence waiting for Leah to finish. "204 S. Washington D.C.!" Leah exclaimed, smiling, pleased as punch.

Her mother just had to laugh. Leah didn't live at Matthew 28:20, or at 204 S. Washington D. C. Both answers were wrong. And, they were not her address, of course. But, in a deeper sense and on a much more profound level, Leah did give her location, the place where she lived. She lived with one foot in Matthew 28:20, and a marvelous promise of God, "Lo, I am with you always." And the other foot in Washington D.C., the capital city of the United States of America.

What a place to be located, to be living! Standing on the promise of God and standing on the promise of the greatest country in the world. In her innocence and childlikeness, she had rung the bell of truth. She was located in God and in her country. And, it was the best place to live.

What's your address? Where are you locating yourself these days? A little girl, Leah, might just give us, prompt us, to give the really right answer.

Mt. Carmel Church pot-luck lunch June 21

The parishioners of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church will have a Pot-Luck-Lunch this Sunday, June 21 at 11:00 a.m. for the visiting priest, Rev. Russell Shultz from San Angelo. Father Shultz is taking Father John Hoorman's place while he is on vacation. The members of Mt. Carmel would like to show their hospitality to Father Shultz while he is in Winters.

Each family is asked to bring a meat, vegetable or salad, and dessert. Guests are welcome, just bring enough food for your guest!

First Baptist's Beat

Ribbon cutting ceremony planned for church library

There will be a church library opening at First Baptist Church Sunday, June 28 following an all church potluck luncheon in the Fellowship Hall.

A brief program will give a resume of what has been accomplished and a preview of what is planned for the future.

A committee composed of Marsha Shoemake, Edna England, Jo Olive Hancock, Debbie Sudduth, Doris Andrews and Pat Simpson has been working on the

project for several years.

They attended a seminar at San Angelo last year and came home with \$300 worth of new books bought with memorials. More books can be bought in this manner.

A Media Book Fair in August will be discussed. Books will be checked out for reading at designated hours.

A ribbon cutting ceremony by Rev. Glenn Shoemake will conclude the presentation.

Good News Sunday Class met June 8th

Members of the "Good News" Sunday Class of the First Baptist Church met Monday night, June 8 at the Peachtree Plaza Restaurant.

The members enjoyed dinner and a time of fellowship.

Attending were Edna England, Wanda Smith, Jerry Lloyd, Loretta Pierce, Arlene Boles, Louise Seals, Dean Robinson, Lavonda Herrington and a guest, Cecilia Kniffen.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for your love and support shown during Catherine's stay in the hospital and since she came home. Your prayers, cards, visits, flowers, bears, etc. are greatly appreciated.

A special thank you to Dr. Lee, Bob Prewitt and the Nursing Staff at the North Runnels Hospital. May God Bless and be with each of you.

Catherine Plumley and family

Shep Domino Party

The Shep domino party will be Saturday, June 20, at 7 p.m. in the Shep Community Center. Bring your snacks and dominoes.

Senior Citizens Nursing Home News by Billie Ruth Bishop

Thank you to all of you who brought fruit and vegetables last week. Thanks to Lou Hamilton for the plums and Dorine Kozelsky for the fresh vegetables. Thanks also to Nelda Voss for the microwave popcorn. The residents here really look forward to the days when we have popcorn.

Also, thanks to Virginia Mercier for the poster for Father's Day and the McDaniel family for the flowers.

Mr. Randolph Price was admitted last week to the Nursing Home from Ballinger Hospital. He is in Room 25. He would appreciate your visits and cards.

This will be a busy week for us. Our monthly Birthday Party is Thursday, June 18th, at 3 p.m. We have four honorees. They are Gladys Joyce, J. B. Belew, Norbert Ueckert, and E.L. Bennie.

On Saturday, June 20th we are honoring the men of the Nursing Home with a Father's Day coffee. We will be recognizing the oldest, youngest, and father of the most children. We invite you to come and join us as we celebrate this occasion.

Spirit Filled Happenings

By Jan Thompson
Guiding Light Spirit Filled Baptist Church

Guiding Light Baptist

AFTER DEALING WITH THE SIMPLICITY OF CHRIST, PAUL BROUGHT FORTH A VITAL TRUTH: The sufficiency that is in Christ. One of the devil's big moves today is to get us thinking in terms of Christ and something else. "Oh, we need Christ, but..." In many of the epistles of Paul, among the first words and among the last words of the epistles are the words, GRACE OF GOD.

Paul spoke much about the GRACE OF GOD, and when he spoke about the sufficiency of Christ, he let us know that he heard from GOD and GOD told him, "My GRACE is sufficient for thee."

As we turn back to our Text II Cor. 12:9 tells us what the GRACE OF GOD is: "And HE (the Lord) said unto me, My GRACE is sufficient for thee: for my (the Lord's) strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me." Grace is Christ's strength, the power of Christ, not just a feeling you get.

Grace is undeserved, unmerited mercy. Deeper than our deepest sinfulness is the grace of God in Christ Jesus our Lord! Thank God, He is able to forgive us, redeem us, and save us from the deepest sin! As we look at Romans chapter five we read where Paul wrote, "Where sin abounded, grace did much more abound." Grace is not only undeserved, unmerited mercy, but grace is the divine influence of Christ acting in man.

Thank God for what Christ did for us at Calvary! That was undeserved and unmerited mercy. That work was to remove all sin: it was a taking away, a redemptional work, a purchasing work. You nor I receive anything from Calvary: the receiving is through the HOLY GHOST, when the life of Christ comes into a person. You are not saved until you are delivered from the guilt and the power of sin. The blood of Jesus Christ remits and takes away the guilt of sin, but through the HOLY GHOST bringing the crucified Christ into your heart and life you receive power over every power of the enemy. There would not be any holiness without it.

We thank God for what he did at Calvary, but more than that, we thank God for what he did in us through the HOLY GHOST. This is a great mystery which the world does not understand: Christ in you. There is not any mystery in the cross. We preach and we cry about it, but the mystery of holiness is how Christ can be in you and how he gave us power to live righteously and Godly seven days a week and have power over every power of the enemy.

You are welcome to worship with us each Lord's day.

The Methodist's Message

Methodist youth sponsor Father's Day luncheon

The youth of the First United Methodist Church of Winters will be serving a hamburger luncheon in the fellowship hall on Father's Day, June 21, from noon to 1 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased at the door and are \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children 12 and under.

Come and treat the special man in your life.



Attention! Recreation and Supper June 19

The American Legion will have a meeting on Thursday, June 18, at 7 p.m. to elect officers. Please attend this important meeting.

The Winters Senior Citizens will have a game night and covered dish supper on Friday, June 19, at 7 p.m. Those attending are asked to bring a covered dish to the Activity Center at 601 Wood. Come join in the fun and fellowship.

Letters to the Editor Policy

Letters to the editor on issues of general interest are welcomed by *The Winters Enterprise*.

Please write your name and address on the letter and include a phone number for verification. Letters submitted without signatures will not be published. Names will be published with all letters to the editor.

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Letters should be addressed to: Editor, *The Winters Enterprise*, 104 North Main Street, Winters, Texas, 79567.

Who Cares???

Somebody Cares Ministries Children's Church began a S.O.S. (Soaring for Salvation) Attendance Contest on June 7th. Points will be given for attendance, bringing offering, Bible, visitors, learning Bible verses, etc. The contest will last for 8 weeks. All participants reaching a set goal will receive a prize. One Elementary winner and One Primary winner (having the most points) will be awarded a Bible, Christian tape or T-Shirt. Kids Start Soaring!

Kids Care, Too! Mission Can Update...

Our Christian Outreach for the next three months will be KGNZ Christian Radio Station of Abilene, Tx. Eleven kids returned their cans this month with one having over \$25 who was presented with a pin. Congratulations to Stephen Garza! Those who returned their cans were given a choice of various prizes (miniature NBA basketballs, squirt guns, pens, DQ ice cream cones, etc.) A total of \$65.18 was raised for missions this month. Praise God For Kids Who Care, Too!

We extend an invitation to all kids to come and join us for some FUN in the SON! We are located downtown at 123 S. Main. Services are Sunday at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. and Wednesday at 6 p.m.

Swimming classes to begin June 22th

Swimming classes for children five years of age and older will begin Monday, June 22.

Ten lessons, spanning a two-week period on Mondays through Fridays, will be \$30 per child. A choice of sessions are available: 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

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Awalt family held reunion June 13th

The family of Joe and Ruby Awalt of Pumphrey held their annual reunion June 13, 1992 at the Winters Housing Authority.

Even though the loving presence of the late Joe and Ruby Awalt; Virgil Awalt; Larry Awalt; Earl Awalt; and Meda Awalt were deeply missed, everyone enjoyed sharing current news of their families and family reminiscences.

Those attending were Charlie Awalt of Pumphrey; Charles and Beverly Awalt of Abilene; Glynn Awalt and Susan and Sloan of Abilene; Joy Bishop of Winters, Shane Awalt and Kaidan Awalt

of Abilene; Dot Awalt and Josh Awalt of Winters; Deward and Ouita Awalt of Ablany; Winona and Dorman McDowell of Abilene; Dalvin and Gladys Awalt of Midland; Loretta Gravell; Greg and Caroline Gravell and Bryan Gravell of San Angelo; Alta and Adrian Komegay of Brownfield; Dale and Peggy Howell and Kiz-zie of Brownfield; Ricky and Kathy Brock and Sheila Brock and Charise Brock of Brownfield.

Friends of the family attending were Bessie Baldwin of Winters; Glenda Baren of San Angelo; Doxie Lou and R.O. Marks of Winters.

Sew and Sew Club meets; Wingate Sr. Citizens Association disbands

The Wingate Sew and Sew Club met June 8th with Ethel Polk as hostess. The meeting was called to order by President Lucille Pritchard, and minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A quilt was completed for Ethel, and another was begun for Lessie Robinson.

Ethel also gave a report on the Wingate Senior Citizens Association's disbanding. This group had been meeting since 1977, with approximately twenty members at the beginning. Due to deaths, ill health, and people moving from

the area, the membership became too small to continue. During their years, they have quilted 88 baby quilts and two large quilts.

The next meeting of the Sew and Sew Club will be held June 23rd. This will be dues paying and gift exchanging day. This will also be the last meeting of the summer.

Those present for the June 8th meeting were Annie Faye King, Martha Odell, Oma Lee Overman, Mildred Patton, Ethel Polk, Lucille Pritchard, Lessie Robinson, and Pauline Huckaby.



COMPLETING WORK ON HIS EAGLE SCOUT SERVICE PROJECT—Scott Kozelsky is pictured completing his work on an outdoor volleyball court at Winters School.



SPREADING DIRT—Members and assistants of the local scouts spread dirt for the new volleyball court at the Winters School.

Simpsons hold 55th family reunion

The descendants of the late W.J. and Una Simpson held their 55th family reunion June 6 and 7 at Winters Housing Authority Building. Everyone enjoyed good food and visiting, looking at old photos and remembering past get-togethers.

Those attending were F.M. and Fay Seay of Lamesa; Gene and Ladella Hughes and Clint Hughes of Weatherford; Randy and Betty Patter of Colorado City; Bill and Bonnie Patter of Snyder; Gladys Seaborn of Buffalo Gap; Orbin Purcell of Buffalo Gap; Pat and Peggy Adcox of Odessa; H.A.

and Gatha Sheppard of Abilene; James and Ruby Wearden of Ballinger; John Wearden of San Angelo; Jodie, Corbin and Candace Odell of Fredericksburg; Ralph and Dorothy Cooper of Rockwall; Una Ruth and Eddie Davis of Granbury; Winfred and Jessie Sterling of Granbury; Karen and Christian Boyles of Abilene; Ralph Russell of Ballinger; Jim and Glenda Matthews, Jennifer Matthews, Charles and Janie Wearden of Winters and visitors Johnny and Ann Walker of Winters.

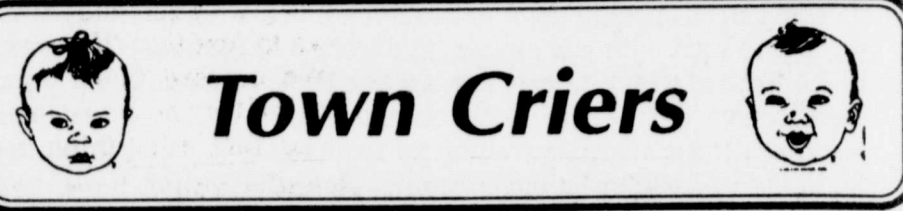
Winters boy scout completes Eagle project

Scott Kozelsky, a Life Scout from Troop 249, recently completed work on his Eagle Scout Service Project. His project consisted of building an outdoor volleyball court for the Winters Schools to be used as a recreational area for physical education classes, for summer youth recreation programs, and for after school play.

The Eagle Scout Service Project is just one requirement for a Boy Scout to earn the rank of Eagle Scout. Eagle Scout is the highest rank a boy can receive in Boy Scouting. The project requires that he "... plan, develop, and give leadership to others in a service project helpful to a reli-

gious institution, school or to the community."

Scott was responsible for all planning and overall coordination of the project. He was assisted by local scouts: Heath Watkins, Austin Jobe, Tony Walden, Wayne Heidenheimer, J. G. Heidenheimer, Eric Joeris, Justin Minzemayer, J. T. Meyer, Dean Evans and Greg Evans. Adult assistance was provided by Jimmy Butler, Business Manager of Winters ISD; Fred Watkins, Assistant Scoutmaster; David Evans, Assistant Scoutmaster; John Joeris, Assistant Scoutmaster; Robert Parramore, Scoutmaster; Mark Briley, Mike Kozelsky, Scott Plumlee and Celeste Sosa.



Catarina Dane Murphy

Catarina Dane Murphy was born June 3, 1992 to Frank and Silva Murphy of Monterey, California.

She weighed 7 lbs. 3 ozs. and was 21 inches long. She is welcomed home by one brother, James Ryan Murphy age 6.

Paternal grandparents are Loretta Herrington of Winters and James Murphy of Bronte. Maternal grandparents are Manuel and Keidi Moita of Amarante, Portugal.

Kayleigh Marie Kerley

Kayleigh Marie Kerley was born June 4, 1992 to Rick and Melody Kerley of Izmir, Turkey.

She weighed 7 lbs. 3 ozs. and was 22 inches long. She has one sister Kimberly Rose age 5.

Maternal grandparents are Loretta Herrington of Winters and James Murphy of Bronte. Paternal grandparents are Bob Kerley of Moody, Missouri and Etta Johnston of West Plains, Missouri.

Contributions continue for Z.I. Hale Museum

The Z.I. Hale Museum received several outstanding contributions last week.

The Literary and Service Club ordered a memorial plaque for the club. A donation was received from the Woman's Club.

From the sale of souvenirs and

a meal served to the class of 1939 the museum received \$365.00.

Letters written in interest of the Rock Hotel restoration are bringing in exciting results. Many thanks to those who are responding.

Sneed graduates

Shara Lyn Sneed, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sneed and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Sneed, graduated from the Tom C. Clark High School in San Antonio.

The commencement exercises were held Thursday, June 4, in the Paul Taylor Field House.

She plans to attend Baylor University in Waco for six weeks of summer school, then she will be a counselor at Camp Mystic near Kerrville for the rest of the summer.

She will also enter Baylor University for the fall semester.

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Poe's Corner

by Charlsie Poe



Patches of Memory

(Written by Grace Mosley, grandmother of Bill Mosley, for his children when she was 92 years old—loaned to me by Dixie Mosley. The story of their move to Texas follows.)

I wasn't an Arkansan very long. The same year I was born we moved to Texas. Three families equipped three wagons, loaded belongings and moved to Texas where cotton was "King" and the cattle industry thrived.

Extra sideboards and an overjet were added to the wagons. Everything that could be loaded under the jet was put in each wagon. Cooking vessels and dishes were put up front where they could be easily reached. Momma's featherbed, bedclothes and wearing clothes were put on top. They were pinned to a wagon sheet that covered arched bows when everything was loaded.

Grandma Williams made momma's featherbed. She raised her own ducks and geese from which she picked the down and feathers. I remember its white and black striped tick. It took a special knack to make it up. It had to be punched and patted to make it look smooth and neat in the daytime. Once it was made, no one dared sit on it. Momma finally made it into pillows. She gave one to each of her children and we thought it was the best gift we ever received.

Another possession that we moved was a horse. Papa rode him while courting momma, and he stayed tied at the Williams front gate. Momma always thought of him as a kind of cupid because he had overlooked all of their courtship. He was family property all his life. He was a dark red bay with a black mane and tail and a white star on his forehead. His greatest fault was giving one chase when trying to catch him in the pasture. We missed him like a member of the family when he died at the age of twenty.

Papa was in high spirits when we left Arkansas but Momma was sad because she was leaving her people. Eight years passed before she saw any of them again.

I enjoyed hearing the stories about moving to Texas. We crossed the Arkansas and Verdigris Rivers, where they merge in Oklahoma. There was no bridge

and we had to cross on ferry boats. Before we were allowed on the boat, we had to assure the guides that our horses could be managed. Each wagon boarded a boat. The women and children rode in the wagons, and the men stood between the horses and held their bridle bits.

Momma sat on the spring seat and held the reins plus me in her lap. She squeezed me so tight I squirmed. The current in mid-stream made her nervous. We landed safely on the opposite side and continued on our way.

We traveled over unpaved dusty roads deep with ruts. On the days that it rained, mud balled up on the wagon wheels and slowed us down to less than 20 miles a day. We crossed many small streams, and if the brakes happened to fail, everything and everybody would have been dumped on the creek bed. Our brakes always worked well, Papa was a good blacksmith.

When night came we always tried to find a campsite near a farm house. The people shared water for the horses and food from their gardens before we journeyed on. If a campsite couldn't be found, we camped by a creek and used water from the stream. Momma said it was a wonder we didn't have typhoid fever.

Momma and Grandma prepared supper over a campfire. Biscuits were baked in a dutch oven and plenty of potato dollars were fried in iron skillets. There was always coffee made in a gallon bucket and served in tin cups with a handle.

The horses were unhitched, brushed and carried. Their hooves were treated for bruises. In the morning, the day started early. The women prepared a breakfast of bacon, eggs, hot biscuits with homemade sorghum molasses and coffee. While camp equipment was put back in the wagons, the horses were hitched to the wagons and a new day's journey would begin.

Before we reached Texas, we had to cross the big Red River. Guides met us and warned us to follow directly behind them. To veer to the right or left might mean to sink out of sight in quicksand. We did as directed and reached Commerce, Texas safely and settled on nearby farms, beginning life anew.



Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Kozelsky, Sr.

Kozelskys celebrate golden anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Kozelsky, Sr. celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Saturday, June 13, 1992, with a mass, reception, dinner, and dance. The mass was said at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rowena, and the celebration was held at the Parish Hall.

Joe J. Kozelsky, Sr. and Dorine Franke were married June 2, 1942, at St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Wall. Their children are Joe Kozelsky Jr. of Ballinger, DeAnna Lehr of Eola, Mike Kozelsky of Winters, and the late Jeanie Kozelsky. There are eight grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. Kozelsky lived in San Angelo before moving to Winters in 1949. He has been a cabinetmaker since 1950 and has had his own shop since 1958. He is a World War II Air Force veteran; member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9193; a Fourth Degree member of the Knights of Columbus; a Lions Club member and member of the Chamber of Commerce. She worked for Dry's Division of Household International from 1963 to 1989 when she retired. She has been a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary for 30 years, and the Catholic Womens Service and Altar Society at Mt. Carmel Catholic Church. They have both been members of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church since 1949.

Hosts for the celebration were the couple's children.

Bill and Jan Thompson honored as top Country Gospel duet of the year

The Tenn. Texas Country Music Association has honored Bill and Jan Thompson as the top Country Gospel duet of the year making them the first couple in country gospel to be so honored for five years in a row.

The Thompsons have written two new songs that are being aired in many of the country gospel markets already this year. Bill and Jan will be receiving another top award this fall in Mesquite, Texas. Bill, being one of the top country gospel promoters in the country, will receive the promoters award of the year. Of course, Jan will be given just as much recognition.

Rev. Thompson is pastor of Guiding Light Spirit Filled Baptist Church in Winters, Texas, and he is very happy to have the church. He and Jan have just reformed the NEW GOSPEL TROUBADOURS band. The members of the band, Jo Miller, Garland Crouch, and Wesley Crouch, attend Thompson's church. They can be heard each Sunday at the church and around the area. Bill and Jan, along with the NEW GOSPEL TROUBADOURS, are to appear at the Cowboy Camp meeting in Santa Anna, Tex. June 19 through the 28. This will be the sixth year for Bill and Jan. They will be singing and playing music nightly. The public is welcome to come out and take part in the campmeeting. It is for all to enjoy.

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Ballard graduates from University of Tennessee

Billy Lanoy Ballard is a recent graduate of the University of Tennessee in Knoxville with a Ph.D. degree in Economics.

He has accepted a job as assistant Professor of Economics at the University of Charleston in Charleston, South Carolina.

He received his Bachelors degree from Angelo State University and his Masters degree from the University of North Texas.

He is the son of Nell Ballard of Winters and the late Billy Ray Ballard of Spur.

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our thanks to all the many friends and neighbors who brought food and condolences. Also we would like to thank the day and night nurse shifts at North Runnels Hospital and especially Dr. Lee. Thank you all.

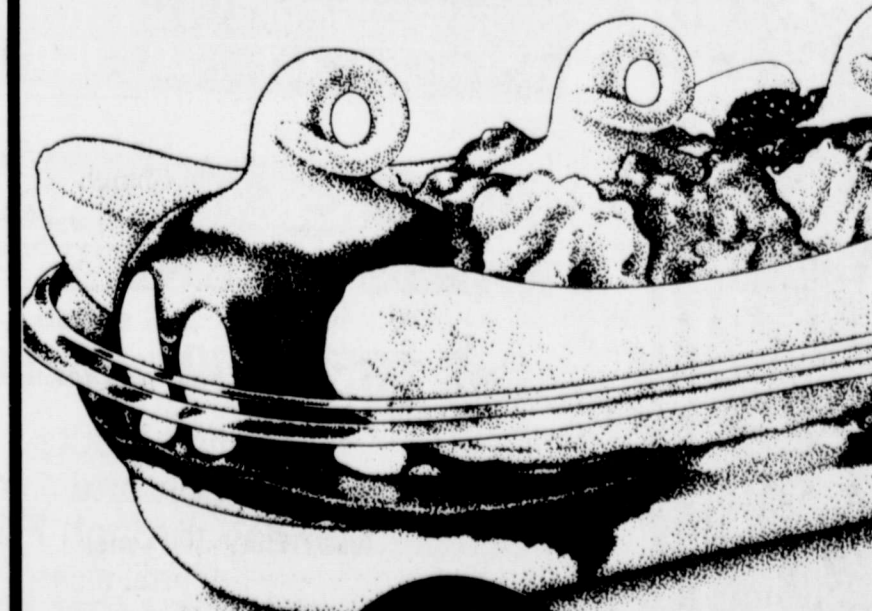
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JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS ATTENDING CAMP—Pictured are back row, L to R, Robyn Parramore, Janet Guy, and Monica Parramore. Front row, L to R, Jessica Medina, Linsey Brown and Jennifer Davis.

Jr. High cheerleaders participate in camp

The cheerleaders from Winters Jr. High School were among approximately 250 participants in the 1992 Big Country Cheerleader Camp held on the campus of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene June 7-11.

The five-day camp was conducted by Southwest Camps of Cisco, with Mr. Eris Ritchie as camp director. Instructional staff and program were supplied by the National Cheerleaders Association.

The cheerleaders were taught new cheers, stunts, chants, and spirit ideas from a seven-member

NCA staff headed up Maggie Jones, a professional cheerleading instructor from the NCA's national headquarters in Dallas.

The squad received three superior ribbons, the highest rating awarded, on the evaluations given. The squad won the spirit stick twice. They were awarded one of the spirit sticks on the final awards day which allowed them to keep the spirit stick permanently.

The June 7-11 session of the camp was the first of two sessions, with the second to be held June 28-July 2.

Tabatha Grohman to participate in ACU Junior Scholar Program

ABILENE, Texas - Tabatha Grohman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Grohman of Winters, was selected to participate in the Junior Scholars program at Abilene Christian University.

More than 60 high school seniors from across the country are taking college courses at ACU this summer.

The Junior Scholars program began at ACU in 1973, and is open to students who have completed their junior year of high school with a strong grade average.

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Grohman attends Winters High School.

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John Andrae makes A&M Dean's List

John G. Andrae, son of Allen and Gwen Andrae, was recently placed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester.

John attends Texas A & M University and is classified as a senior. He is majoring in animal science.

The Dean's Honor Roll recognizes students who have maintained at least a 3.75 grade point ratio out of a possible 4.0 during the most recent grading period.

University Honors signifies that a student has completed 36 hours of Honors course credit within specific areas of the university's Honors Program.

Baseball bleachers receive face-lift

Baseball fans can now sit more comfortably at the baseball field, thanks to many generous donations and much hard work by volunteers last Saturday.

The renovation project, headed by Debbie Sudduth of the Women's Service League, is nearing completion with the repair of five bleachers.

Volunteers working in 95 degree weather on Saturday were quite busy tearing off the rotted old boards, hauling off the lumber, and setting the new pipe as support for the new galvanized metal planks which were then welded.

Volunteering their time, talent and equipment were Barbie Bishop, Paige and Ricky Bishop, Chris and John Parramore, Randall and Debbie Sudduth, Mike Calcote, Keith and Shelia Paschal, Mike Davis, Kenny Hope, Joe Pritchard, Tommy Scates, Royce Swim, A. N. Blackerby, and Robert Garza.

Purchase of the materials was made possible through generous donations from the Women's Service League, the Woman's Club, Literary and Service Club, Dry Manufacturing office employees, Fireman's Auxillary and the Wingate Lions Club. Harrison's Auto donated paint for the project.

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Crews News by Hilda Kurtz



"There's no denying the fact that the world has an opening for everyone; most of us find ourselves in the hole frequently."

Sympathy is expressed to the Cecil Howard McDaniel family. Cecil was born and raised in the Crews community; graduated from Sul Ross University; married Susie Baker, daughter of Herman Baker; lived in Fort Worth for 35 years and taught school for four years in Garden City. Howard was buried in the Crews Cemetery Sunday. Howard has two sons, Howard McDaniel Jr. of DeSota and Larry Pat McDaniel of Haskell; and four grandchildren.

The Hopewell church ladies prepared a noon meal for the McDaniel relatives Sunday. The ladies appreciated the food brought by other members of the community.

Sorry to hear Netha Kerby hurt her left foot and is now having to wear a cast for a while.

Pat Hambright of Winters spent Saturday night with Corra Petrie.

Opal and Bill Hamilton of Winters visited in the home of Harvey Mae and Noble Faubion on Friday.

Ruth and Brad Pape killed their second rattlesnake in their yard Thursday. Friday after Brad's doctor's appointment they ate out at Casa Cabana. Most of Saturday they spent shopping in Abilene.

Thursday Will and Desiree Mathis enjoyed a picnic lunch at the Ballinger Park and a visit to the Ballinger Library.

Hopewell Sunday visitors included Joe Riley Sims, Paula, Rudy and Ronnie New and Dee

Bnea Baker. Tammy, Mark, Justin and Brooke Kaczyk were guests in the home of Connie and Georgia Gibbs on Wednesday night.

Pat and Earl Cooper enjoyed dinner and visiting with Cherri, Ray, Amanda and J.T. Cooper in Winters.

Mike and Gary Hill of Eastland spent the weekend with Claudia Hill. Ronald Hill came on Saturday.

Dennis McBeth of Midland spent Saturday with Chester McBeth.

Sharon Busenlehner honored her son Bryce with a birthday party in her home on Friday night. Refreshments consisted of hot dogs, birthday cake and homemade ice cream. Those helping him celebrate were Father Zientek of Brownwood; Jerry Englert; Margie Jacob; Jodie Busenlehner; Mike and Carol Kozelsky and Kathryn, Scott and Jeanna Kozelsky; and Beverly, Corey and Brad VanZandt. The party ended after skating at the Ballinger Skating Rink.

I had a nice visit with Irma and Norbert and Serena and Erwin Ueckert in the Winters Nursing Home.

Jeremy and Tiffany Prater are attending summer school for four weeks in Abilene.

Saturday Herbert and Evelyn Jacob and Margie Jacob attended the wedding of Bertha Gonzales and Kervin Halfmann at Holy Angels Catholic Church in San Angelo. Later that evening they attended the golden wedding anniversary of Joe and Dorine Kozelsky.

Sunday Margie Jacob; Beverly, Corey and Brad VanZandt; Carol and Jeanna Kozelsky attended the Bredemeyer reunion in the Winters gym. Approximately 121 people attended the event from near and far. The reunion was hosted by the Herman Bredemeyer family. Coming the farthest was George Frick of Hintsville, Arkansas; youngest was three month old, Holly Nicole Kemp; oldest was Herman (Slim) Bredemeyer, and the late Minnie and Adolph Belitz families had the most present. Visitors were Susan Anderson and Hilda Kurtz. Next year the host of this reunion will be the Bill Bredemeyer families.

Katherine and Luke Thomas of Dallas spent several days here with Adeline Grissom.

Congratulations Marque Mathis, she is the new P.T.A. president. You will do fine.

Spending the weekend with Doris Wood was Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hokit of Sonora; the Jeff Camrons and Steven of Plainview; Pat and Malony Bryant of Abilene and Bobbie and Larry Calcote and sons of Winters.

Jackie, Darnell, Mary Alice Smith-Caly, kindfoks of Helen and Norval Alexander came Sunday evening and night.

Eileen Prater attended the Chapter I Advisory meeting at the Winters School on Tuesday night. On Wednesday and Thursday afternoon Eileen attended a computer workshop at the Winters school. Thursday night Eileen attended the P.T.A. meeting in the High School auditorium.

Hoelscher-Buxkemper family reunion June 28th

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Tammy McKnight, 6-3-92, 2 counts of Theft under \$20, Checks

DISTRICT COURT

Nora Ann Barnes and Alvin Barnes, 6-12-92, Divorce
COUNTY COURT
Ermon Wayne Fenwick, 6-2-92, Assault, Motion and Order dismissing
Buddy Pointer, 6-3-92, Theft, Motion and Order dismissing

Carlos Trejo Gutierrez, 6-4-92, DWI, First offense, Defendant entered a plea of guilty; Fined \$350 plus costs \$187. Assessed 60 days in jail, probated for 2 years. Drivers license suspended for 90 days

Kimberly H. Bollier, 6-4-92, Possession of Marijuana, Defendant entered a plea of guilty; Fined \$150 plus costs \$132
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Matthew Sean Trotter, 6-8-92, DWLS, Order of Dismissal
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Norton Notes



by Janice Lange

"Man's views are colored by the different shades of light that have shone upon him."

Norton received two tenths of rain on June 10th and three tenths on June 11th.

Amanda Harrell, Jill Halfmann, Barbara Belk and John Dankworth won third at the State Wool and Mohair Contest at Texas A & M on June 8-11.

Lion's Club ladies night was held June 11, at The Shed in Wingate, with 37 members, wives and guests present. In conjunction with ladies night was the installation of officers. They included Roger Bryan, President; C.J. Robinson, 1st Vice-President; Robert Englert, 2nd Vice-President; Dwaine Lange, 3rd Vice-President; Anthony Lange, Secretary/Treasurer; Richard Lange, Tail Twister; Allen Belk, Lion Tamer; Marlin Davis, Texas Lions Club Chairman; Milton Shelburne, hold over Director; Jack Compton, hold over Director; Paul Pruitt, new Director; Alvin Niehues, new Director and Doyle Lange, Membership Committee. George Beard installed the officers of the Norton club.

Tabitha Bryan, bride-elect of Charles Rachel, was honored with a bridal shower Monday, June 15th in the fellowship building of the Ninth Street Church of Christ in Ballinger. Tabitha is the daughter of Roger and Frances Bryan of Norton.

Amanda, Jean and Sarah Lange attended the shower for Tabitha Bryan Monday night.

Attention!

A Hispanic baseball team reunion is being planned for July 4th to be held at the Winters baseball park.

The team played in the late '50's and early '60's under the direction of Juan Esquivel. This game will be fathers versus sons.

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Elm Creek Water Control District is soliciting bids for brush clearing of easement in Taylor County, Texas. Bid opening is July 7, 1992 at 7:30 p.m. at the Winters Chamber of Commerce. Bid specifications may be obtained by contacting Ken Slimp, Attorney, 124 State Street, Winters, Texas 79567, 915-754-5563. Elm Creek Water Control District reserves the right to reject any or all bids; and to award the contract in the best interest of the district. Viewing of easement area will be June 23, 1992. Bid deadline is June 30, 1992 at 5:00 p.m.

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VA follow-up clinic set for June 25

A VA Follow-up Clinic is scheduled for June 25, 1992, 9:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m. at Dyess Air Force Base, Abilene, Texas according to Conrad Alexander, Director, Big Spring VA Medical Center. Entitled veterans will be seen by appointment only. Appointments must be made no later than the Friday prior to the scheduled clinic. This clinic is limited to "follow-up" appointments. No initial evaluations will be accepted.

To schedule an appointment, contact either Dan Garcia, Taylor County Service Officer, (915) 677-1711, Ext. 328 or 329; or the scheduling clerk, Big Spring VA Medical Center, (915) 264-4811. Veterans may park outside Dyess Air Force Base by the old entrance on Military Drive. Veterans will be taken to the clinic by shuttle 15 minutes prior to their scheduled appointment. Only one family member may accompany the veteran to the clinic. Veterans may also refill medications on regularly scheduled clinic days.

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Hunter's Camp with Don Haley

On this day, like the eons before, the Llano River winds its way through a canyon of cactus and stone.

High above the limestone cliffs and out across the distant hills, the rest of the world waits, unaware of the spell cast like magic from a time already past.

The hard jerk on my fishing line breaks through quiet thoughts and insists that I fight back. The rod bends double with surging strength from below the blue-green waters. The big channel cat struggles long and hard, and an early orange moon rises through the liveoak bottom as the sun slips behind a far away purple mountain. In the tranquil calm of dusk, I know again why this is my most treasured place on earth.

Standing calf-deep atop a smooth rock ledge, his line flirting taunt above a rippling pool, my Dad silently waves. No need for shouting words to breach the silence, no reason to sever the link between spirit and river. Just a simple motion to acknowledge that he too felt the power, the peace and the unequalled beauty of it all.

My Dad and I have long been partners in moments such as these. When my first buck lay fallen in the wintergrass, he was there.

Nothing I have experienced before or since has rivaled the tingling excitement captured forever in my heart, not in the taking of the deer, but in the right of passage represented in my father's eyes.

But long before that day, I was with him, easing gently among the shinoak brush or sitting quietly as the sun rose through the mist over Larrimore's Mountain.

It was at times such as these when I learned that being there was of much more lasting importance than was the squeezing of a trigger. But when that time came for me, my Dad had been there in those early years to point out the innocence of the tiny fawn lying hidden in the sumac, just as he was there when the mighty buck emerged from the shadows across the hillside.

And somewhere in between, I found the grace, the fragility, and the strength that is cherished each and every day that I am a part of this earth. This is mine, not through fame or fortune, but because my Dad was there, because he gave and still gives to me the most precious and lasting gift of all, his time and love.

This past autumn, on a mountaintop in western Colorado, shimmering aspen leaves fall like a

golden rain. Freed at last by the northeast wind, they glide silently to earth like weightless, shining coins, carpeting the forest floor with the radiant colors of returning winter.

On the ridge above, my Dad sits high on a rocky crest, patiently watching the late evening sunlight dance across the meadow below. Climbing up to him, I arrive just as the sun dips below the horizon, sending shivers of crimson and pink across a backdrop of intricate gold and powder blue.

Though camp lies far in the distance, we sit and together watch in wondrous awe as day softly turns into night. We rise for the long walk without the need for words, for the setting sun has said it all.

When I think back on such times, it is with peace and joy that I remember. The single day we reserve to honor the fathers across our land is but a small symbol of all the times before, days and years when they cared enough to give themselves.

It seems the older I become, the more I am able to comprehend the restoring energy in a stretch of shining water, the unbroken promise of spring in the newly budding leaves, and the sense of breathless splendor in the rising of the sun.

To those fathers everywhere who took the time, who helped us to discover the dawn, we sons and daughters can only say thanks—for giving us the sunrise, but much more important than that, for being there to share it with us.

The big channel cat took the bait hard in the coming twilight. With his rod alive with the pull of the fish, my Dad looks my way and I acknowledge with a silent wave.

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Runnels County Rumors

from the United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service

CRP Sign-Up — The twelfth CRP sign-up is scheduled for June 15th through June 26th. This sign-up will be for 1993 contracts only. As with the two previous sign-up periods, the Runnels County ASCS office can only accept bids on eligible croplands, which we administer, but is physically located in another county, unless the bid is for CRP practice, with a 15 year easement. If you are interested, please contact this office for further details.

Prevented Planting of Cotton — If a producer participating in the 1992 upland cotton programs is prevented from planting his cotton due to wet ground, and he files a prevented planting claim within 15 days following the June 10th final planting date, and the prevented planting claim is approved by the county committee then the producer has two options: OPTION 1: Producer agrees to designate prevented from planting cotton acreage as CU for pay. Please keep in mind that in order for the farm to be eligible to participate under 50/92 provision of

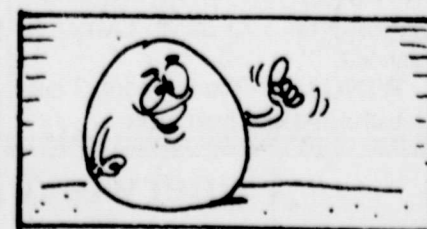
the Cotton Program, planted acreage plus prevented acreage approved must equal to 50 percent of MPA. In this case, CU/PAY acreage would receive a guaranteed payment. The producer cannot plant other crops such as grain sorghum, guar, etc., on this acreage if producer intends to earn deficiency payment on CU acreage. Sesame can be planted for harvest on acreage that was prevented planting cotton acreage. OPTION 2: Producer indicated that he desires to plant a second crop on prevented planting acreage. In this case, the second crop is considered "invisible or ghost acres." Please keep in mind that prevented planting acres are now not eligible for any payments under 1992 Upland Cotton Program.

Eligibility — Eligibility for participation in all programs administered by ASCS is established under law without regard to race, color, religion, age, sex, marital status, disability, or national origin.

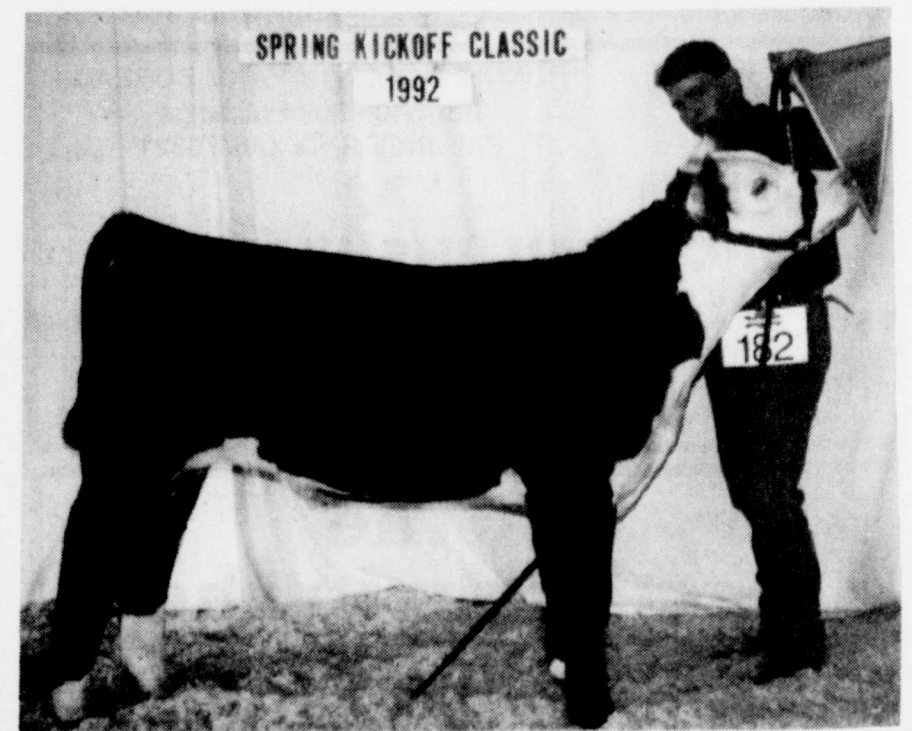
OSHA course offered in Abilene

The OSHA Training Institute has authorized the Texas Engineering Extension Service to offer the OSHA voluntary compliance program in Abilene. Certificates will be issued by OSHA showing certification for the general industry standard (29 CFR 1910) voluntary compliance program for OSHA mandated training. This course is also approved by Texas Worker's Compensation Commission.

This four day course will be offered June 22-25 starting at 8:30 a.m. each morning. Local businesses will now have the opportunity to receive OSHA certification without traveling to Chicago. For further information call 915-698-0981.



Egg whites can be frozen for up to a year.



RESERVE CHAMPION STEER—Ben Barker and "Knocks" won reserve champion at the Spring Kick-Off Classic in Wichita Falls.

Ben Barker wins reserve champion at Wichita Falls

In his first outing on the 1992-93 stock show circuit, Ben Barker captured a Reserve Champion banner with this middle weight prospect Hereford steer at the Spring Kick-Off Classic held in Wichita Falls in May. This past weekend, this Hereford steer was named Breed Champion at the Lake Country Classic in Breckenridge. Ben was presented a director's chair denoting the accomplishment.

With a heavy schedule of

TCCA sanctioned shows ahead, Ben will also show other Herefords from his barn, along with a Limousin and a Maine-Anjou. Points are accumulated throughout the season to gain a position in the "Top Ten of Texas," an honor Ben achieved in the 1991-92 season.

Accompanying and assisting Ben on the road are his parents, Preston and Naida Barker and FFA advisor, Roy Shackelford.

Remember, Father's Day is Sunday, June 21

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