

Apples of Gold

GOODNESS—There is no right way to do the wrong thing.

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THE

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UNITED EFFORT—Dominga Uresti serves as a crosswalk guard at the intersection of North Main and Jones, site of a car-pedestrian accident which claimed the life of 12-year-old Riea Bellinger on March 20. A community-wide effort is underway to improve the dangerous traffic area with a pedestrian crosswalk signal light.

Summer school, employee contracts approved by Board

In a called meeting on March 22, the Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District accepted a summer school proposal for elementary school.

The summer program proposal, titled "The Summer Connection," was presented to the Board by Terry Wyatt, Elementary Principal. The camp involves two program segments, Camp Learn-a-Lot and Summer Challenge Camps. All camps will take place between July 5 and July 30, 1993.

Camp Learn-a-Lot will focus on accelerating students through portions of the school reading, math, and writing curriculum using thematic and whole language approaches to instruction, and will run for four weeks.

This camp will accommodate sixty students who will be selected based on academic need. Priority will be given to students who are

in danger of failing their present grade. Priority will also be given to third grade students who are on the borderline of passing or who failed portions of the TAAS test this year. Students in grades K-5 will be eligible (1992-93 grade level). Students who fail the sixth grade will also be eligible. Any student who failed during the regular school session but successfully attends Camp Learn-a-Lot will pass to the next grade.

Summer Challenge Camps are designed to challenge the student in a specific learning or recreational area and will involve seven segments: 1) Take Part in Art (arts and crafts), 2) Get on the Ball (golf), 3) It Bugs Me (science), 4) Mother Goose is Loose (performance arts), 5) "A" Team (sports), 6) Find the Marble (recreational activities), and 7) Computers and Kids.

Each segment will have specific student minimum and maximum enrollments and will be available for various grade ranges. Within those ranges, children will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Camp Learn-a-Lot will be funded entirely through the use of Chapter I federal money.

Summer Challenge Camps will be funded entirely through the use of student camp fees (\$25 per segment). Wyatt reported that some individuals have already contacted the school to offer money to provide scholarships to these camps.

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"TAKE PRIDE IN WINTERS"

City Spring Clean-Up Week, April 12th-17th

Just a reminder for Winters residents that April 12th-17th has been declared as Spring Clean-up Week for the City of Winters. It's time for everyone to join together with their neighbors and support the City in its Spring Clean-up effort.

Browning-Ferris Industries will join the City in helping with the clean-up. You may put all items that you need to get rid of by your regular trash pick-up and they will be picked up on your regular day. These items must be out and ready the day of your regular pick-up. If you have any questions call City Hall 754-4424.

Look around the outside of your house and on your property. Are you being a good citizen and a good neighbor? Would you want to be your own neighbor? Are you keeping your property cleaned up? Because if you aren't then you are downgrading other people's property in your neighborhood.

Your City body (Mayor, Council and Administrator) so-

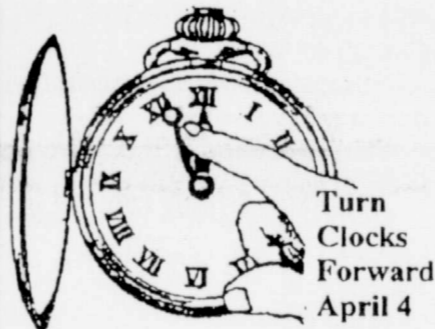
licit your cooperation in seeing that your property is properly taken care of. All residents should be willing to do their part in making and keeping Winters clean and neat.

There are city ordinances requiring grass to be no higher than 12", no accumulation of rubbish, no abandoned vehicles and no unsanitary or unhealthy debris accumulation.

It is very expensive for the City to enforce these ordinances and they do not have sufficient personnel to physically perform the actual clean-up. (Such tax monies are better spent on police protection, streets, parks, etc.)

If such neglects are not cleaned up by the property owner, the City can contract to have the work done and then attach a lien on the property.

So drag out your work clothes and your tools for Spring Clean-up Week. Let's all "Take Pride in Winters" and make this clean-up effort a city-wide success.



The time has come! Lions' Farm Night

by JIM HANSON

At 6:30 p.m. on Thursday night, April 1, the doors will be open for Lions' Farm Night. Come to the big yellow building on the elementary school campus—the students' activity center. Bring your tickets and come on inside. Find your friends and find a place to sit and relax and visit for a while.

At 7:00 p.m. the blessing of the food will be prayed, welcomes will be said, introductions made and directions for going through the food line will be given. Good western music will accompany

the standing in line and eating and begin the program.

There will be a special remembrance of the evening for everyone to take home, good BBQ from The Shed, a good speech and a good night for everybody.

George Newman, rancher, advocate for the folks who live on the land, good speaker, friend of all who meet him will give us something to think about and something to cheer us on.

So, come on in early, linger longer after. It's great when good folks get together.

Winters man arrested

Roland Clyde Allen, 28, of Winters was arrested last Thursday by DPS Trooper Scott Warren of Ballinger.

Allen, employed by Glenn Hoppe, Sr. of Winters was driving a 1979 Allis-Chalmers tractor on U.S. Highway 83 about four miles south of Winters when he attempted to make a left turn.

Alton Fischer, 30, of Ballinger, also southbound on U.S. 83, was forced to leave the roadway to avoid colliding with the tractor and the trailer being pulled by the tractor. Fischer's vehicle, also

pulling a trailer, received minor damage when it struck four mailboxes.

Allen was cited for unsafe lane change and a routine driver's license check revealed he was wanted by Lubbock County law enforcement officials for the theft.

Allen was transported to Runnels County Jail, where he remains, awaiting transfer.

The accident was investigated by Trooper Warren, Winters Police Chief Carey Balentine and Winters patrol officer Virginia Skaggs.

Back our children— Back Project Graduation

A Project Graduation meeting was held on March 9 to discuss the progress of various aspects of the project. Chairman Melanie Wade presided.

Rhea Parramore gave a report about games and contests which could be incorporated into Project Graduation. A discussion was held concerning Project Graduation shirts.

Performances earn gold medals

The Texas Color Guard Circuit held State Championship finals on March 26 and 27 in Killeen at Ellison High School. There were over 200 entries in solos, ensembles, and guard units.

Former WHS student Loy Blackshear, and WHS students Kirk Conner, Charlie Burton, and Kristin Deike each won a gold medal for their performances with Senior Guard Unit Meridian, which won the state championship title for 1993.

Kristin Deike won first place and a gold medal in the Scholastic Flag Solo competition.

Charles Burton placed number one for the state title in Scholastic Rifle Solo competition with his

The next meeting will be on April 28 at 7:00 p.m. in the high school media center.

All donations for prizes and deferment of expenses will be appreciated. Please contact Karen Thorpe (754-5275), Jeannie Bahlman (754-4862), Ginny Smith (754-4809) or Melanie Wade at the Hair Post (754-4385).

performance to "The Last Song" by Elton John, receiving a gold medal for the honor. Charles won the 1993 State Champion title in the Senior Division with his duet with Celeste Sosa, performed to "Cat's in the Cradle" and received a gold medal for the effort. Charles is the second competitor in the eleven year history of the Texas Color Guard Circuit to earn three state titles and gold medals during one season and the youngest performer to win three gold medals at state finals.

Kirk Conner placed eleventh in Scholastic Mixed Solos and Kirk Conner and Kristin Deike placed fifth in Scholastic Duet Ensemble.



STATE COLOR GUARD WINNERS—Over 200 individuals competed in the state finals for color guard members in Killeen on March 26 and 27. Winters High School students who competed in solo and ensemble competition are, left to right: Jennifer Matthews, Kirk Conner, Charlie Burton and Kristin Deike. See related story on page 6.

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

- April 1-APRIL FOOL'S DAY
 - 9:30 a.m.-12:00 & 1:30-3:00 p.m. Immunizations Clinic
 - 7:00 p.m. "Farm Night" Winters Lions Club
 - 7:00 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion meets
 - Area IV FFA Judging Contest
 - 7:00-8:00 p.m. AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- April 2-Noon, Senior Citizen meal
 - District One-Act play @ Stamford
 - WHS Band @ Cisco Jr. College
 - Bingo 3-00086-5563-8
- April 3-9:15 a.m.-3:00 p.m. College Days @ Angelo State University
 - Beauty & Talent Pageant, Winters High School Auditorium
 - BBQ, Winters Country Club
- April 4-DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS
 - 9:20 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Roots & Wings, Lutheran Church
- April 5-Noon, Senior Citizen meal
 - Holy Week begins, FMC
 - 2:30 p.m. Retired Teachers meet
 - 6:00 p.m. Girls Little League try-outs
 - 1st round District Golf
 - 7:00 p.m. Winters Color Guard, High School Gym
 - 7:30 p.m. WRA
 - Winters Squares
 - GED classes
- April 6-Noon, Lions Club
 - 2:00 p.m. Strip Quilting Program, FBC, Ballinger
 - 5:15 Girls Little League try-outs
 - 5:45 Ladies golf play day
 - 6:00 p.m. Boys Little League try-outs
 - WVFD meets
 - District Tennis @ ACU
 - Genealogical Society, San Angelo
 - 7:00-8:00 p.m. AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- April 7-Noon, Senior Citizen meal
 - District Tennis @ ACU
 - 5:00 p.m. Winters Area Chamber of Commerce Directors
- April 8-2:30 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Commodities
 - 7:00 p.m. Boys Little League try-outs
 - 7:00-8:00 p.m. AA meets at 105 W. Truett

OIL BUSINESS . . .

By Reg Boles ©1993



Since the probability of passage of the newly proposed BTU tax is becoming more likely with each passing day, those in the petroleum business are building their cases for how they believe it should be implemented. Depending on who they are exactly, folks have some very definite opinions on how certain aspects of the tax administration should be handled.

One of the prominent issues among oil and gas producers concerns WHERE the tax will be levied.

This has arisen for several reasons, but, as usual, someone stands to gain (or not lose) if their particular view can be heard above the din.

Producers want the tax to be levied as far away from the well head as possible. Why?

Two reasons: 1.) if the tax is not levied at the wellhead, the producer doesn't have to worry about dealing with all of the hassle of the paperwork, etc. that most assuredly will be required; and, 2.) the further away from the end-user (and the closer to the producer), the harder it will be to pass along the tax to the consumer.

Let's talk about these two points.

The procedures that will be required to collect this tax are going to be monumental. Both the middleman (the collector) and the government is going to have to spend a lot of money just to set up to collect the tax. Plus, the ongoing costs of keeping track of the collection of the tax is going to be much worse than earlier thought (based on recent White House releases).

As a result, nobody wants to be the tax man's gopher. It will be a time-consuming, labor intensive, and downright inefficient process, and, believe you me, it will be thankless.

The discussion about the distance from the producer being an issue is a little more complicated. Maybe if we start with an example, it would help.

Let's say that you are your average everyday gasoline user. You probably don't know how much of that gas price is taxes, do you? You just look at the total and compare the station across from the Dairy Queen or wherever.

If taxes go up on gasoline, you read about it for a while in the local newspaper, and you might get angry as you drive around the huge crater that started as a pot-hole. But, pretty soon, you are going to forget how much tax is included and go back to comparing prices the old fashioned way—by looking at the posted gasoline prices per gallon.

The consumer makes the end market a more elastic environment that reacts much better to supply and demand.

On the other hand, in the purchaser-producer market, things are a lot slower moving. Plus, every drop of oil produced in the United States is purchased immediately. There is no 'extra' supply to provide for those that need it even when a field goes down or whatever. Imports increase to make up the difference.

If the tax is applied at the well-head, it is very likely that prices would NOT go up to compensate. The active consumer is not there to energize the market. The purchasers are pipelines, trucking companies, small refiners, etc. They know you want to sell your product and it might take a while to find another party to buy it if you don't want to sell it to them.

As a result, they can remain steady on their posted prices. The refiners are not quite as naive as the regular consumers about what is for sale. They don't want to pass along that price increase to their customers if they don't have to. They would rather just stand pat on their prices and force the producer to eat the loss of the BTU tax.

And, competition for that crude on a timely manner is just not there. Where it might take a split second decision to check on prices at a competing gas station, it could take weeks for the market to react to addressing an increase in price due to the losses (for the producer) of the BTU tax.

Bottom-line, is that it is easier for the consumer to swallow an increase in retail prices on gasoline if it is a specific amount due to tax increase. On the other hand, the purchasers of petroleum are not allowed to pass through such a charge directly to those purchasing the products from them. Therefore, those in the oil business want that tax levied at the other end of the plant or at the out-gate of the refinery.

Once you examine a participating entity's underlying motives, you can pretty much predict where they come up on this type of an issue. Unfortunately, in this case, it will hurt all of us in some way or another.

HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

COMPLETIONS

Coleman County
Harmony Oil & Gas has completed four wells in the County Regular Field (12 miles S of Coleman) in the Crystal Falls Lime. The Drake #2 potentiated at 4 BOPD (perms 591-96) and is loc. 450 FEL & 2790 FSL of Sec. 105, ETRR Sur., A-178. The Drake #3 potentiated at 3 BOPD (perms 608-13) and is loc. 750 FEL & 2790 FSL of same Sec. The Drake #4 potentiated at 8 BOPD (perms 591-96) and is loc. 150 FEL & 3090 FSL of same Sec. The Drake #5 potentiated at 12 BOPD (perms 593-98) and is loc. 150 FEL & 3390 FSL of same Sec.

Western Reserves Corporation has completed two wells. The Graves #8 potentiated at 34 BOPD in the Morris (perms 257482) and is in the WRC Field (5 miles NE of Silver Valley) loc. 333 FNL & 331 FEL of Sec. 32, Blk. 2, GH&H Sur., A-1159. The Wilson Shallow #5 potentiated at 600 MCFPD (AOF) in the Tannhill (perms 1270-79) and is in the Fortuna Field (2 miles E of Silver Valley) loc. 330 FNL & 330 FWL of J. Popnoe Sur. No. 101, A-802.

Concho County
SRG Oil has completed the N. Krieg #2 in the Get It Field (3 miles W of Eden) at an initial rate of 2400 MCFPD (AOF) in the Goen Lime (perms 3531-40). Loc. is 553 FNL & 2500 FWL of Sec. 171, Blk. 72, T&N RR Sur., A-913.

Nolan County
Tucker Drilling has completed the Harris Railroad - Unit 2 - #1 as a Wildcat, 3 miles N of Maryneal at an initial rate of 2803 MCFPD (AOF) in the Canyon Sand (perms 5041-59). Loc. is 570 FNL & 2090

Aurora Rodriguez Ortiz

Aurora Rodriguez Ortiz, age 60, died Monday, March 29, 1993, in Winters.

She was born November 19, 1932, in Devine, Texas. She married Domingo Ortiz, Sr. in 1952 in Devine and came to Winters in 1958. She was a homemaker and a member of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church.

Her husband preceded her in death in 1987. Survivors are seven sons, Domingo Ortiz, Jr., Frank Ortiz, Ramon Ortiz, Ricky Ortiz, Oscar Ortiz all of Winters, Daniel Ortiz of Abilene, and John Ortiz of Ballinger; three daughters, Mary Silva of Abilene, Dora Martinez, and Maggie Reyna both of Winters; three brothers, Ascencion Rodriguez, Felix Rodriguez both of Devine, and Joe Rodriguez of Winters; 20 Grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Rosary will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 1, 1993, at the Winters Funeral Home. Mass will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, April 2, 1993, at the Mt. Carmel Catholic Church with Father John Hoorman officiating. Burial will be in Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers are George Lozano, Gabriel J. Ortiz, Roy Silva, Randy Silva, Ramiro Reyna, and Rodrigo Reyna.

Ozzella Patricia "Pat" Morton

COLEMAN—Ozzella Patricia "Pat" Morton, age 62, died Monday evening, March 29, 1993, at Coleman County Medical Center.

She was born December 22, 1930 in Whon, Texas. She married Curtis Morton November 4, 1950 in Carbon, Texas. She has lived in Coleman County since December of 1960. Her parents were the late Frank & Ruby Jewell Cowan Brandstetter. She was a housewife, mother, and member of the Second Missionary Baptist Church of Winters.

She is survived by her husband, Rev. Curtis Morton of Coleman; one daughter and son-in-law, Darlene and Dwayne Balla of Coleman; four sons, Wayne Morton and wife Wanda and Sherman Morton and wife Lorami all of Glen Cove, Farion Morton and wife Laurie of Abilene and David Morton and wife Vanica of Coleman; one brother, Earnest Brandstetter and wife, Arlene of Houston; fourteen grandchildren.

Services were held April 1, 1993 at 2:00 p.m. at Walker Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Don Lander and Rev. Farris Akins officiating. Burial followed in Glen Cove Cemetery.

April meeting of Retired Teachers

The Texas Retired Teachers Association, Runnels County Unit, will meet April 5, 1993, at 2:30 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Winters.

Hostess for the occasion will be Eula Mae Kruse, Bea Schroeder, and Joyce Krause.

The invocation will be given by N.T. Gault, followed by a lecture to be delivered by Bill Baird, Runnels County Sheriff.

Refreshments will be served.

FEL of Sec. 95, Blk. X, T&PRR Sur., A-498.

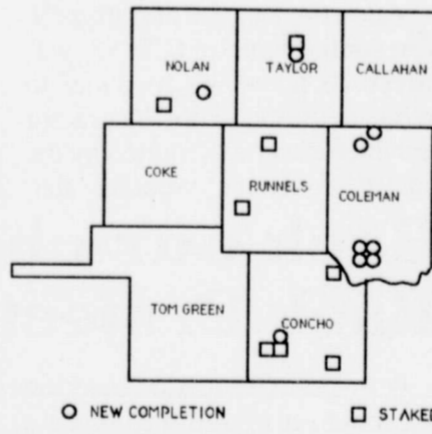
Taylor County
HeartLand Petroleum has completed the A. Roberts #4A in the County Regular Field (2 miles N of Bradshaw) at an initial rate of 28 BOPD & 8 BWPD in the Dog Bend (perms 402437). Loc. is 1050 FEL & 6806 FNL of Sec. 270, T.D. Maltby Sur.

STAKINGS
Concho County
CTX Energy has staked the Whitehead #87 in the South Branch Field, 9 miles SE of Eden (Depth 1450). Loc. is 900 FSL & 2050 FEL of C.C. Blanchard Sur. No. 2116, A-1227.

J.F. Bussey has staked the Hartgrove-Rose #12 as a Wildcat, 3 miles N of Millersview (Depth 3000). Loc. is 1850 FNL & 950 FEL of Sec. 87, Blk. 71, H&GN Sur., A-493.

Marshall & Winston has staked two wells. The W. Concho #9 is in the Pipe Dream Field, 3 miles SW of Eden (Depth 2250). Loc. is 200 FSL & 200 FWL of Sec. 2, Blk. 72, R.L. Woodward Sur. The McMurtrey #21 is in the Lonesome Dove II Field, 5 miles SW of Eden (Depth 3850). Loc. is 1821 FNL & 2525 FEL of ACH&B Sur. No. 1, A-1065.

Nolan County
Enrich Oil has staked the Stewman Ranch #2 in the Big Silver Field, 5 miles SW of Maryneal (Depth 7700). Loc. is



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Obituaries

Mamie Louise Davis

Mamie Louise Davis, 69, died Saturday, March 27, 1993, in North Runnels Hospital in Winters.

Louise was born October 5, 1923, in Wagner. During World War II she worked in a defense plant in Dallas. She married W.T. "Dub" Davis October 22, 1944, in Liberal, Kansas. Following their marriage they lived in several Texas cities moving to Winters in 1960. She was a retired nurse and was a housewife. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

She is survived by her husband, W.T. "Dub" Davis of Winters; two sons, Kenneth Davis of Spring, and Toby Davis of Houston; one sister, Frankie McLaughlin of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; one brother, Troy Metheny of New Coney; and three grandchildren.

Services were held Monday, March 29, 1993, in the Main Street Church of Christ in Winters with Doug Peters officiating. Graveside services were held Tuesday, March 30, 1993, in the Luling Cemetery directed by Winters Funeral Home.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I have been reading with interest in the Enterprise about the new lights being installed at the high school football field. I think it is great and I just know I'll be there myself to enjoy them for a few more games in my lifetime.

I did notice that you stated the old lights were installed in 1948. New light globes might have been installed then replacing the original ones but I remember the lights were first installed in 1938.

In 1938 I was working at the Gulf Service Station for Bill Bailey and Roy Young was the Gulf agent. There might have been other places where the subject of installing lights at the football field was discussed, but there in the old Gulf station how to get that job done was a hot topic of conversation. Of course, the cost was the biggest obstacle since the depression was still hanging on.

Roy Young said he would try to get Gulf Oil to donate the pipe for the light poles and he did, and they did. Pete Spear said he would loan the money if that would help. I never knew if he did or not. Anyway I think the total cost was \$4,000.00.

Carl Lehman from the Dale community had just set a record for digging the most post holes in a day working for REA installing rural electricity in northern Runnels County. I don't remember how many he dug, but I told Roy I would see Carl about digging the post holes for the lights at the football field. Roy said, "Get him." So Carl Lehman dug the holes in two days. I never did know how much he charged, if anything.

I remember I was making \$60.00 a month and Bill Bailey was making about \$80.00. That was pretty good because when I left Winters in 1940, I only got \$21.00 per month, but that did include room and board.

Thanks for the memory!

J.R. Lacy
Bloomfield, New Mexico

Dear Editor:

I will always love *The Winters Enterprise*. I was born in Winters. My mother, father, brother and other members of my family are buried there.

My father, H.K. Reid, had a cotton gin and farms in Winters and my older brother, Noel Reid, had a drug store there.

I have lived in Dallas since 1933, but every Christmas I go to visit my niece, Doris Stoecker, who lives on a farm east of Winters.

Love to all Winters,
Faye Reid

Dear Editor:

I would like to commend Terry Wyatt on the outstanding job he has done as elementary principal. He is truly an asset to the WISD.

Terry started the "ZAP" (Zeros aren't permitted) program, student council, newspaper plus a lot more. He has backed our PTA and put kids first.

Keep up the good work and thanks, Terry.

Marque Mathis
PTA President

Dear Editor:

Thank you so much for your help in our efforts to get a pedestrian light installed at the crosswalk on Main Street. It was greatly appreciated.

We hope we can count on your continued support until this event takes place.

Thank you,
Donna Barnett

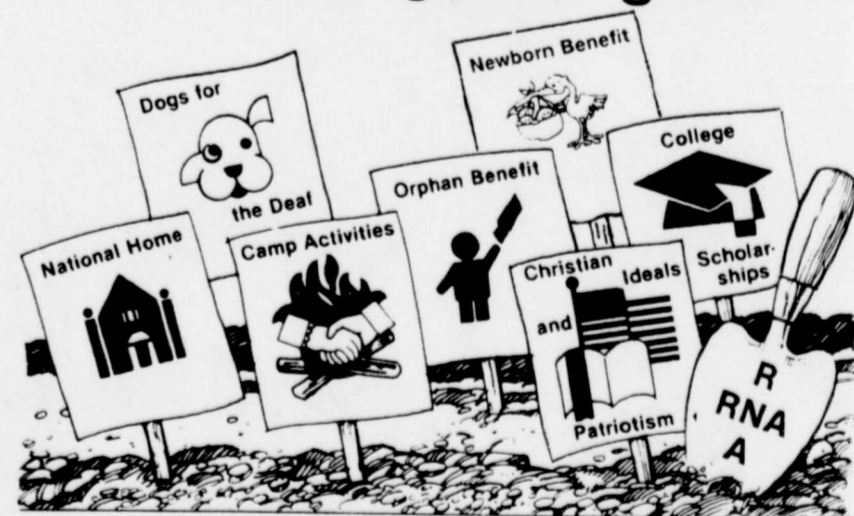
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Poe's Corner

by *Charlsie Poe*



From Chisos Mountains to Terlingua

After a good night's rest and three to four cups of coffee apiece with their breakfast, members of the Magic Travel Tour were ready for the day.

We departed the motel with Sam Richardson, our guide, on our Chisos Mountain Basin Tour. He told us that he came out for his sabbatical leave from Texas University five years ago and just never went back.

Richardson was an excellent guide. We began at the Barton Wamock Educational Center in Lajitas where we learned about plants, beautiful rock formations and local color. He told us about the formation of many of the mountains by a series of major earthquakes which occurred about 24 million years ago. Resulting fractures hold rainfall, and release it in a multitude of springs.

Around those abundant springs, clusters of cottonwoods, willows and ash trees provide sharp contrast to the desert vegetation and attract an abundance of birds.

Wildlife includes mountain lions, javelina and mule deer. A great variety of reptiles find refuge in every niche. There are about 390 species of birds, including the endangered peregrine falcon.

Big Bend Ranch State Natural area, 264,000 acres, was purchased in 1988, doubling the amount of public land owned by the State of Texas. Since it is owned by the State it will be well protected and preserved. It is against the law to pick a flower or remove even a pebble from the premises.

Each year, thousands of visitors come to the Big Bend to see the desert bloom. After the first spring rains the desert comes alive with wildflowers. Hillsides become blue with the help of Big Bend

bluebonnets, and more than 60 species of cacti bloom red, pink and yellow. The giant yuccas of Dagger Flats hoist stalks of lily-like flowers into the air.

By noon we were at the Chisos Mountains Lodge, and headed for the dining room where a tour-paid luncheon was waiting for us. These meals are always excellent and one doesn't have the struggle of reading the menu and deciding. Another plus, for me, was finding a straw hat in the gift shop to wear in the sun.

On the road again, we passed through Study Butte, located at the junction of Highways 118 and 170 about two miles from the west entrance of Big Bend National Park.

Named for early miner Will Study (pronounced Stewdy), the Study Butte mine was located behind the store. Many accommodations are provided for visitors.

North of Study Butte is Terlingua Ranch, a property owner's association covering 343 square miles of land. Although privately owned, the property is open to the public.

Terlingua Ghosttown is located four miles west of Study Butte on Hwy. 170. It is an area of extensive deposits of cinnabar, a red stone containing mercury, which was mined between 1900 and 1942.

In 1967, Wick Fowler and a few others hosted the First Annual World Championship Chili Cook-off in Terlingua. The festive event has split into two cook-offs which attract 7,000 people to south Brewster County during the first weekend in November each year.

Places of special interest include the old cemetery, protected mine shafts, and the restored theater-restaurant.

Family Group Employee of the Month

Vickie Carlton has been chosen by the Family Group to be Employee of the Month.

She has served as Director of Nurses at Winters Senior Citizen Nursing Home for the past eight months.

Vickie was born in Abilene, raised in the Wingate area, and is the daughter of Suvern O'Dell of Wingate. She graduated from Winters High School and received her L.V.N. license in 1990 from TSTI in Sweetwater.

She is married to a Wingate farmer and has two children, Randy and Amanda.

She enjoys nursing, especially working with our Senior Citizens, and hopes to be a R.N. in the future.

Our hat is off to a local lady who does a terrific job.

Have you been down to our Nursing Center lately? The residents would love to say "Hi" to you. Let's all support them in every way we can.

From Across The Mayor's Desk

by *Sandy Griffin*

Recently our community was sadly made aware of the need for a push button pedestrian crossing light at the intersection of Main and Jones Streets. Citizens of Winters, I assure you that at City Hall we are behind this project. The District Office of the Department of Public Transportation in San Angelo has been contacted. Their engineer, Jose Morales was in Winters on Monday, March 29th, to inspect the intersection. A survey to determine if the intersection meets certain criteria has begun. Results of survey will be sent to Austin.

It should take about two months for approval from Austin and then bids must be taken, parts ordered, and the installation begun. So if everything goes smoothly, the pedestrian crossing light would be in place sometime during the summer months.

In the meantime, I am in the process of contacting Representative Bob Turner and Senator Bill Sims so they will become aware of our urgent situation. Concerned citizens may contact these elected officials at the addresses shown below:

Representative Bob Turner
P.O. Box 2910
Austin, Texas 78768-2910

or
Senator Bill Sims
P.O. Box 12068
Austin, Texas 78711

A big THANK YOU goes to the volunteers serving as crossing guards on school days from 7:00 to 8:00 a.m. and from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. If anyone would like to help these caring volunteers, please contact Kim Roberts at the Dairy Queen or call City Hall and we will get your name to the organizers. If all you could donate is one shift on one day, it will be appreciated.

Beauty and talent pageant April 3

A beauty and talent pageant is scheduled for April 3 at Winters High School Auditorium.

The day's schedule is as follows:

- Registration—1 p.m.
- Interview—2 p.m.
- Sportswear—2:30 p.m. (pants or shorts, no dresses)
- Talent—3:00 p.m.
- Party Dress—4:00 p.m. (Girls under 12 must wear short dresses)
- Crowning—4:30 p.m.

For more information, call Donna Coleman at (915) 625-3260.



Vickie Carlton
Employee of the Month

Senior Citizens Nursing Home News

by *Billie Ruth Bishop*

Manuel Esquivel and Gladys Joyce are patients in North Runnels Hospital.

Mr. J.O. Casey is a new resident in Senior Citizen Nursing Home. He is in room 20B.

A special thanks goes to Virginia Mercier and Louise Cecil. Virginia demonstrated hat decoration and Louise demonstrated basket weaving using newspapers.

Thank You Notes

Card of Thanks

Thank you for all your many acts of kindness during my surgery and recuperation.

The flowers, cards, food, phone calls, visits and especially your prayers were truly appreciated.

May God Bless You,
Beth Hamilton

Card of Thanks

You know that the past 21 years have been good ones. Thanks to all the many friends I've made over the years.

There is no way that I can say "thank you" in a big enough way, or tell you all how I feel.

Just keep up the good work you have been doing.

May God richly bless you all.
Peggy Powers



Lisa Renea Dees

Laura and Ral Dees of Talpa proudly announce the birth of a daughter, Lisa Renea, born on Wednesday, March 24, 1993, in Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo at 3:40 p.m.

Lisa Renea weighed 7 pounds, 6 and 1/2 ounces at birth and was 20" long.

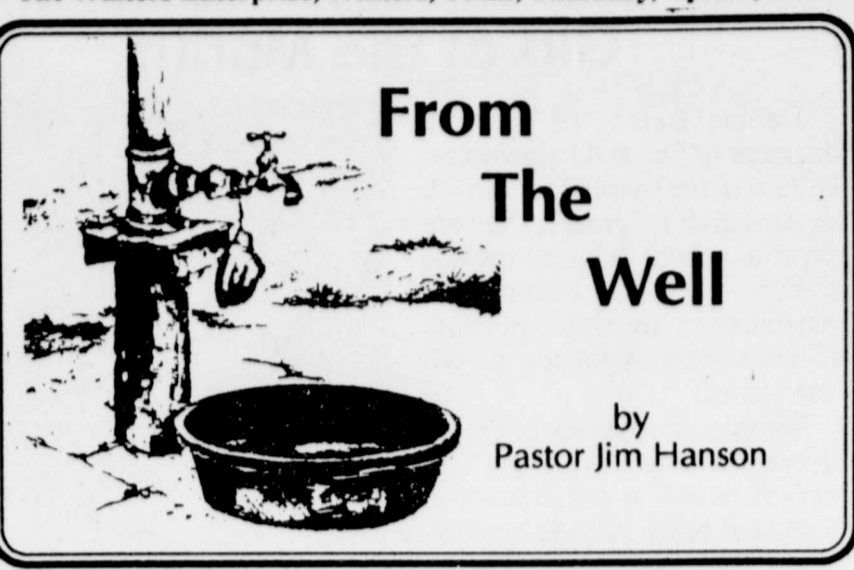
Maternal grandparents are Addie and Carroll Hinds of Glen Cove. Paternal grandparents Jene and Jack Dees of Los Angeles, California. Maternal great-grandmother is Gladys Hopper of Valera.

Kodie James Perry

Krystal Perry is happy to announce the arrival of her baby brother, Kodie James was born March 8, 1993, at 1:27 a.m. in Tripler Army Medical Center. He weighed 5 pounds, 11 ounces and was 19 inches long. Proud parents are Louis and Michele Perry of Kailua, Hawaii.

Maternal grandparents are Max and Pauline Briley and Donald Prine of Winters. Paternal grandparents are Buddy and Hannelore Perry of Longview.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Homer Briley and Jim and Elouise Prine of Winters.



From The Well

by *Pastor Jim Hanson*

My favorite place as a young boy was "down on the farm." The farm was Aunt Suzie's. She was my dad's sister, and a giant of a woman. Big body, big arms, and an enormous heart. She was a profound influence on me in many ways, not the least of which was her sugar cookies. About six inches in diameter, they were, with a glass of milk, a meal in itself. But she fed us more than food. She fed us love, care, and concern for things worthwhile.

The farm wasn't very big. Maybe 300 acres. And in Wisconsin, most of it was woods and pasture. And hills! They used to joke about the hills, said that Wisconsin cows had two legs shorter than the other two, so they could graze on the hill side without toppling over. They raised maybe 15 to 20 acres of corn and small grain for feed. And 5 acres of tobacco. That was their money crop. But the main source of their living was the cows. Milk cows. Dairy farming. Along with the cows, pigs, and chickens. And a few draft horses, until tractors came along. It was very energy efficient. Humans and horses did the work. Good food and hay and oats were the fuel.

I learned a lot on the farm. I learned how to feed the chickens and pick the eggs. To slop the pigs. To go after the cows, and to milk the cows, first by hand and then after electricity came by milking machine. I can remember how proud I was when for the first time I was able to milk a cow.

I must have been all of six years old at the time. I can remember the fun of squirting the milk from one of the cow's faucets into the wide open mouth of the hungry cat. When I hit her in the mouth at first try, I knew I had arrived! I can also remember the times it was not fun, just plain hard, sweaty, tedious work after a day in the field, and to get swatted in the face with the dirty tail of an ornery cow was indeed the last straw!

But what I really learned was a lot more than the "how to's." It was the attitudes that came, perseverance, patience, stick-to-it, order, hard work, never hurting anyone, satisfaction when the day was done, appreciation for rain and sunshine and growing things, the joy of a good harvest and the pain of a bad one. These were the products of my summers on the farm.

Robert Schuller, the famous TV preacher who upon the advice of Billy Graham and Father Fulton Sheen, put together the first TV broadcast of a worship service, and the only one that is still going, told a group of us the key to his success. "I was born and raised on an Iowa dairy farm. For 365 days a year I had an appointment with some cows that had to be kept. They needed me, and I needed to be there. The attitude of faithful perseverance and trust in God is the reason for my success." He learned it, like many of us, "down on the farm." A lot more is raised on the farm than grain, cattle, sheep, and pigs. It does a good job of raising people, too, don't you think? I surely do.

American Legion Auxiliary calls special meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary to Unit #261 of the American Legion in Winters will have a special meeting on Thursday, April 1.

The purpose of this meeting is to enroll members to form a new charter. Ladies are urged to support the local American Legion Post and the community by becoming a part of this Auxiliary Unit.

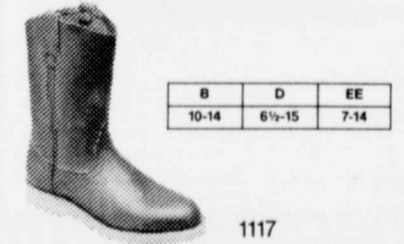
The meeting will be held at 200 Wood Street at 7:00 p.m.

Bar-B-Que

Saturday, April 3
6:30 p.m.

Winters Country Club
\$5.00 per plate
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Ladies Golf to begin April 6

In a recent called meeting of the Ladies Golf Association the following officers were elected to serve for the 1993 golf year.

President—Mary Ellen Moore
Vice-President—Linda Dry
Sec./Treas.—Sandy Griffin
Golf Chairpersons—Marlene Wood and Sandy Griffin

The Golf Association will start their weekly play day on Tuesday, April 6th. Tee-off time on play days will be 5:45 p.m.

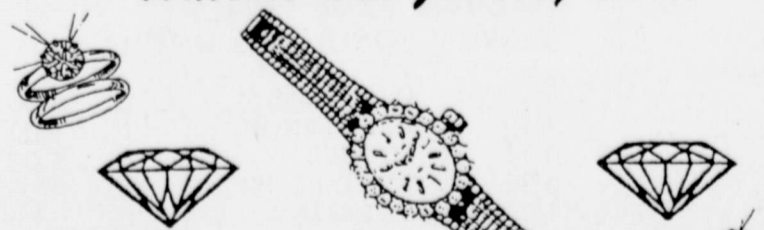
A covered dish dinner and business meeting will follow play on April 6th. All lady golfers are invited to be a part of the Golf Association. Interested parties may call Mary Ellen Moore at 754-5311.

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D'Ann Perrie at 754-5614

Girl of the Month

Debbie Baize, 13 year-old daughter of Sue and Paige Baize, is "Girl of the Month" for March.

An active 7th grader, Debbie's favorite school subjects include science and Texas history. She participates in UIL spelling, number sense and maps, graphs and charts.

Debbie enjoys listening to music, cooking and playing basketball, as well as participating in track and band, playing her keyboard and shopping.

At home, Debbie spends her time babysitting, keeping her room clean and feeding her dog and cats.

Debbie's goal is to graduate from high school and be accepted



DEBBIE BAIZE

by a good college. Her most admired person is her dad.

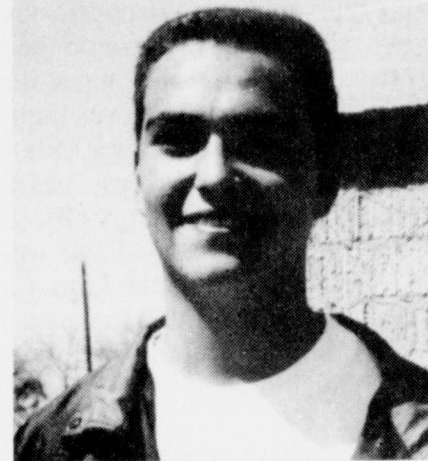
Boy of the Month

"Boy of the Month" for March is Tony Torres. The son of Leona and Damacio Torres, Sr., Tony is a 13 year-old 7th grader. He likes Texas history, keyboarding, reading and English and is pleased to have been a member of the 1600M relay team which recently won first place at the Wall track meet.

Tony's hobbies are drawing, fixing cars, and working on TVs, radios, toasters, etc. He also enjoys reading, listening to music and watching TV.

Tony helps out at home by babysitting his sisters, cutting the grass, cleaning house and cooking.

Tony most admires Emmitt Smith of the Dallas Cowboys, and



TONY TORRES

hopes to get a scholarship to college in preparation for being a pro football player. For his vocation, Tony would like to be either an electrician, doctor or lawyer.

LUNCH ROOM

MENU

April 5 thru April 9

Breakfast

Monday-April 5

Biscuits, sausage/gravy, mixed fruit and milk

Tuesday-April 6

Breakfast pizza, sliced peaches and milk

Wednesday-April 7

Waffles, syrup, oatmeal, applesauce and milk

Thursday-April 8

Buttered toast, Frosted Flakes, sliced apples and milk

Friday-April 9

No school

Happy Easter

Lunch

Monday-April 5

Chili dogs/cheese, French Fries/catsup, sliced pears, peanut butter cookie and milk

Tuesday-April 6

Soft taco/turkey/cheese, tossed salad, hot sauce, pineapple chunks, and milk

Wednesday-April 7

Ham/cheese sandwiches, lettuce/tomatoes/pickles, potato chips, mixed fruit and milk

Thursday-April 8

Fried chicken/gravy, mashed potatoes, June peas, hot rolls and milk

Friday-April 9

No school

Happy Easter

Subject to change

Sell those unwanted items in a garage sale. Advertise in *The Enterprise*. 754-4958



ONE-ACT PLAY MEMBERS—Cast and crew of Winters High School performed *Quiet, Please!* Tuesday evening in Abilene at McMurry University in UIL zone competition. Named as Best Actress was Cara Bahlman, with Jennifer Boles and Shana Poehls receiving Honorable Mention. Standing, left to right, are Natasha Snuffer, Aaron Bradley, Marcie Pritchard, Teri Vogler, Rhonda Bethel, Cara Bahlman, and Dean Evans. Seated are Jennifer Boles and Shana Poehls.

Shop At Home

WHS students advance to regional

District 7AA UIL competition was held on Friday, March 26 in Stamford. Winters High School was well represented and many students will advance to Regional competition to be held at Abilene Christian University on April 23 and 24.

In individual competition, the first three places advance to Regional. In team competition, only the first place team will advance, with the second place team being the alternate.

Following are the results of Friday's district competition:
Poetry Interpretation—Marcie Pritchard-3rd
Prose Interpretation—Rachel Edwards-2nd
Current Issues and Events—Cara Bahlman-3rd; Kirk Conner, 4th (1st alternate)

Keyboarding—Jimmy Hernandez-1st
Mathematics—Aaron Bradley-5th (second alternate)
Number Sense—Ricky Yancy-(tied for 5th)
Ready Writing—Sara Jackson-1st; Mandy Conner-2nd
Science—Aaron Bradley-1st; Sara Jackson, 6th
Science-Individual, Biology—Aaron Bradley-1st
Science-Team—Aaron Bradley, Sara Jackson, Kristin Deike-2nd (alternate)

Spelling and Vocabulary-Individual—Teri Vogler-2nd, Elvia Moreno-4th (first alternate), Chris Woffenden-5th (second alternate)

Spelling and Vocabulary-Team—Elvia Moreno, Teri Vogler, Chris Woffenden-1st



GOING DEEP—Mindi Wade sends one deep. The Lady Blizzards have averaged 28 runs per game this season while holding their opponents to .6 runs an outing.

Blizzard Baseball Slow start for baseball

In what would be called a comedy of errors, Winters fell to Hamlin in the opening game of the season. The 19-23 score sounded more like football than baseball and the 12 errors by the Blizzards looked more like a circus. Hamlin was not without blemish, as they had 9 errors of their own.

The game was unusual in more aspects than the score and the errors. According to UIL rules, five innings must be played in order for the game to count for the record. After five innings, the game can be called for rain, bad weather, 10 run rule or darkness. After five innings, Winters led Hamlin 17 to 15 and darkness was setting in. Coach Biff White thought the game was over, but Hamlin has lights. Coach White stated, "I thought that if you didn't practice under lights, then you couldn't play under lights. But after talking with the District 7AA Executive Chairman for Baseball, Dane Vickers of Hawley, I found that the rule is, if lights are available, then the game is to continue until seven innings are completed."

The game continued and Winters eventually lost 19 to 23. This

rule presents the district with some interesting problems. With most games starting at 5:00 p.m., darkness is inevitable. A seven-inning game without lights is next to impossible.

Only three teams in the district have lights: Stamford, Hamlin and Hawley. These teams have a distinct advantage in that not only do they have more practice time, but they know how to play under lights.

Therefore, teams with lighted fields need only to hold on until dark when the inexperience of those unused to playing under lights will show.

In this instance, the rule cost Winters a game. Maybe next season the district can change the rule or have games start earlier so baseball can be enjoyed the way it was meant to be—under the sun.

In Winters' game against Stamford, the Blizzards started solidly, holding Stamford to four scoreless innings of play. The fifth inning showed the most fireworks with both teams scoring three runs.

Three key errors in the sixth led to six runs by Stamford.

Winters added one run in the top of the seventh, but still fell short, 4-9.

Box Scores

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Winters	5	0	8	0	4	0	0	2	0	19	15	12
Hamlin	10	0	0	3	2	0	2	2	4	23	25	9

Winning pitcher—Ledesma; catcher—Hodnet

Losing pitcher—Jerry Esquivel; catcher—Ricky Bishop

Doubles: Winters, Charlie Burton

3 base hit: Hamlin, Roy Coleman

Home run: Hamlin, Roy Coleman-Grand Slam, first inning

Coach's comments: "Wow. Long Game! Lot of first game jitters."

Records: Winters: District, 0-1; Overall, 1-3

Hamlin: District, 1-0; Overall, 3-5

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Winters	0	0	0	0	3	0	1			4	4	5
Stamford	0	0	0	0	3	6	x			9	11	5

Winning pitcher—Villanueva; catcher—LeFevre

Losing pitcher—Brook Guevara; catcher—Ricky Bishop

Doubles: Mark Deike (2); Jerry Esquivel (1)

Coach's comments: "We played a much better game. We could have won if it hadn't been for three key errors."

Records: Winters: District, 0-2; Overall, 1-4

Stamford: District, 2-1; Overall, 4-3

Box Scores-Girls softball

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Winters	6	11	6	6	0					29	27	1
Westbrook	1	0	0	0	0					1	1	9

Winning pitcher—Shana Poehls (pitched 3 innings) caught by Mindi Wade, relieved by Mande Hale caught by Kelli Biddix

Losing pitcher—Pitcher-Sheila Hale, catcher-Patricia Alaniz

3 base hit: Alisa Presley

Home runs: Cara Cathey, Stacey Deike, Rachael Edwards

Coach Beth Wortham's comments: "Westbrook improved; we looked okay."

Records: Winters: District, 2-0; Overall, 3-0

Westbrook: District, 0-3; Overall, 0-4

Thumbs up, thumbs down

by GRANT ENGLISH, staff writer



to the Lady Blizzard Softball team who once again breezed past Westbrook 29-1 to remain undefeated this season.

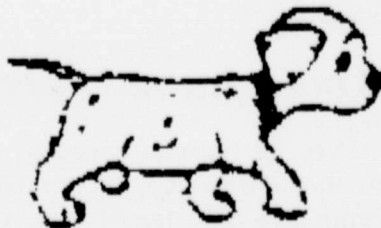


to all participants in the UIL competition in Stamford.



to District 7AA baseball committee Executive Chairman for the rule allowing baseball to be played at night if the field has lights. This gives teams who have lights a distinct advantage. (See baseball story for more details.)

DOG DIP



ALDERMAN-CAVE
 Saturday, April 3, 1993
 8:00 a.m. to 12:00

Cost \$1.00 per dog

Proceeds will go to Winters FFA

Little League try-outs scheduled

The Winters Little League has scheduled their try-outs as listed below. Coach pitch teams will not be required to try out. Coach pitch players will be contacted at a later time. If possible, players should try to make the try-outs on the first night of their designated day and time. All players except the coach pitch players are required to make one of the try-outs.

If more information is needed, contact Allen Key at the Video Hut.

Girls try-outs:

Monday April 5, at 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday April 6, at 5:15 p.m.

Boys try-outs:

Tuesday April 6, at 6:00 p.m.

Thursday April 8, at 7:00 p.m.

No school April 9 Easter Holiday

1992-93 BLIZZARDS BASEBALL SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT GAMES

All games will be played on the opponent's field—in games with an "H" Winters will be considered the home team.

2/25-26-27 HAWLEY TOURNAMENT

3/16	HAMLIN	H	4:30
3/19	HAMLIN	T	4:30
3/23	STAMFORD	T	4:30
3/26	OPEN		
3/30	JIM NED	T	5:00
4/2	ANSON	H	5:00
4/6	HAWLEY	T	5:00
4/8	HASKELL	T	5:00
4/13	STAMFORD	H	5:00
4/20	ROTAN	T	5:00
4/23	JIM NED	H	5:00
4/27	ANSON	T	5:00
5/3	HAWLEY	H	5:00
5/7	HASKELL	H	5:00
5/10	ROTAN	H	4:30

1992-93 BLIZZARDS GIRLS VARSITY SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

2/26	WESTBROOK*	H	5:00
3/19	HERMLEIGH*	T	5:00
3/22	MERKEL	H	5:00
3/25	WESTBROOK*	T	5:00
4/8	MERKEL*	H	5:00
4/13	HERMLEIGH*	H	5:00
4/19	MERKEL*	T	5:00

* Denotes district games

Hermligh will play home games at County Park in Snyder.

Merkel will play in Merkel.

Westbrook is undecided.

Winters will play at City Park.

Blizzards are the Best!

TRACK FEATS

Boys track Varsity and JV

Comanche Relays
800 M Run—Chane Reagan (3rd); Bruce Reyes (5th)
Shot Put—Cody Whittenburg (5th); Kevin Conner (JV) (6th)

Coach Jeff Butts' comments: "The Comanche Relays were the toughest competition we have faced so far this year. Many runners improved their times this week. As I have stated before, this is our primary goal. About the only event that we didn't improve on is the discus and the mile relay. With more work we will continue to improve. We have many young athletes with good attitudes. They need time to mature physically, but their attitude in practice has been tremendous. This weekend, we go to Roscoe. The Junior High will run preliminaries and field events Friday, then come back for the finals on Saturday. The Varsity events start at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday."

"School board" Continued from page 1

The Board also approved a summer food service program (SFSP) which is operated by the Department of Agriculture and administered in Texas by the Texas Department of Human Services. This program provides free meals to eligible areas during the summer.

Because the WISD has more than 50% of its children on free and reduced lunches, the program is available for all children.

This would mean that the district could serve breakfast and lunch free to all children ages 1-18 during the operation of the program. The children do not have to qualify in any way. The lunch program dates are to coincide with the dates of "The Summer Connection."

Additionally, the operation of the SFSP has as an allowable expense the transportation of children to the food site. Although the school will not operate a full set of bus routes, one or two routes designed to provide transportation to the most students possible is planned to bring country children in for both meals and summer school.

Mr. Wyatt further added that additional information will be made available to students and parents at a later date.

In other action, the Board approved the 1993-94 school calendar as presented by the

Girls track Varsity

Comanche Relays
3200 M Run—Carolyn Horton (5th)-14:58, Elodia Torres-15:36
400 Relay—Stacey Deike, Kim Thompson, Karolen Biddix, Rabbit Smith-54.07
800 Run—Erika Vega (3rd)-2:32.81, Shana Lantow
100 M Hurdles—Mary Horton-19.48
100 M Dash—Stacey Deike-13.87, Kim Thompson-15.15, Kyla Huffman-15.30
800 Relay—Stacey Deike, Erika Vega, Karolen Biddix, Rabbit Smith-1:55.85
400 M Run—Jamie Brown-1:13.93
300 M Hurdles—Rabbit Smith (1st)-48.02, Mary Horton-57.91
200 M Dash—Karolen Biddix-30.25, Kim Thompson-31.38, Kyla Huffman-31.89
1600 M Run—Carolyn Horton-6:48, Elodia Torres-7:35
1600 Relay—Mary Horton, Kyla Huffman, Jamie Brown, Erika Vega
Triple Jump—Kim Thompson (5th)-32' 4 1/2", Karolen Biddix-29' 6"

Coach Deb Whittenburg's comments: "The varsity girls ran in the Comanche Relays on Saturday. The girls scored 20 points, placing eleventh."

Districtwide Education Improvement Council, starting school on August 13, 1993, and ending May 27, 1994.

Personnel contract forms for classroom teachers, Curriculum Director, High School Counselor, Elementary Counselor, Librarian, Diagnostician, Dean of Students, and Nurse were approved. Voting occurred as follows:

Barbara Everett approved as curriculum director by unanimous vote. Susie Johnson approved as secondary counselor with Bob Webb and Charles Allcorn voting for, none opposed, and five present but not voting. Kim Padilla approved as elementary counselor with five yeas and Allcorn and Presley against. By unanimous vote, Geoff Murphy approved as librarian, Peggy Harrington as diagnostician, Bill Cathey as Dean of Students, and Bonnie Hood as nurse.

Employment of all elementary instructional teachers of the 1993-94 school year was approved unanimously. Employment of all secondary instructional teachers was approved with six yeas and Mr. Ronald Presley against.

No action was taken regarding coaching supplements.

Girls track 8th grade

Meet at Wall
800 M Relay—Michelle Castillo, Janet Guy, Cristi Burton, Crystal Sanchez (3rd)
800 M Run—Tina Sherman (4th)
1600 M Run—Tina Sherman (5th)
100 M High Hurdles—Kara Palmertree (3rd), Crystal Sanchez (5th)
300 M Intermediate Hurdles—Cristi Burton (1st), Kara Palmertree (5th)
1600 M Relay—Cristi Burton, Janet Guy, Kara Palmertree, Crystal Sanchez (2nd)
100 M Dash—Michelle Castillo (4th)
200 M Dash—Michelle Castillo (6th)
High Jump—Janet Guy (1st)

Girls track 7th grade

Meet at Wall
800 M Relay—Jennifer Davis, Virginia Horton, Karen Oats, Jeanna Kozelsky (1st)
800 M Run—Rosie Rocha (6th)
400 M Dash—Debbie Baize (2nd)
1600 M Run—Rosie Rocha (1st)
100 M High Hurdles—Jeanna Kozelsky (2nd)
300 M Intermediate Hurdles—Nicole Cross (1st)
1600 M Relay—Virginia Horton, Karen Oats, Debbie Baize, Jeanna Kozelsky (1st)
400 M Relay—Monica Parramore, Debbie Baize, Heather Watkins, Nicole Cross (4th)
200 M Dash—Karen Oats (1st place-New Record-28.62)
High Jump—Jeanna Kozelsky (1st), Karen Oats (3rd), Lisa Poindexter (4th)
 Coach Jeff Butts' comments: "This was the seventh and eighth grade girls' first track meet of the season. Their earlier meet at Brady was cancelled because of bad weather. Both teams competed very well but not voting. Kim Padilla approved as elementary counselor with five yeas and Allcorn and Presley against. By unanimous vote, Geoff Murphy approved as librarian, Peggy Harrington as diagnostician, Bill Cathey as Dean of Students, and Bonnie Hood as nurse."

Chamber Memo
By Cecilia Kniffin

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce 7th Annual Bass Tournament will be on Saturday, April 17th. The tournament will be held at O.H. Ivie Reservoir, Elm Creek Village.

The Runnels County Bass Club will be on hand to take care of the official details this year such as weighing measuring, time, etc.

All entries must be in by 8 a.m. Saturday, April 17th. Headquarters will be open 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Friday and Saturday from 5 a.m. to 8 a.m.

First place guaranteed prize will be \$1,000. Other prize based on 150 registered entries.

The Chamber is sponsoring a Spring Cleanup. If you have a vacant lot, are a senior citizen, or are handicapped please let us know if you need help with cleaning your property.

If you can give an hour or two, or all day, all volunteers are welcome. Lets make Winters shine! Volunteers meet at the Chamber office, Saturday, April 24th and 25th at 8 a.m.

Mayfest is Saturday, May 1, 1993 with fun for all. Good food, good fun, lots of crafts and children's activities.

If you need a booth please send in your application early as applications are coming in daily. You may call the Chamber to reserve a space. All organizations are invited to participate with a booth, a game, etc.

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1993 Blizzard Boys Track



Left to right On steps: Cody Whittenburg, Kelly Thompson, Wes Hart, Kevin Conner
Center: J.W. Angel, Mark Deike, Bruce Reyes, Chane Reagan
Front: Scott Kozelsky, Jesus Sanchez, Josh Awalt, Robert Silva, Robert Castillo, Presiliano Sanchez, Ricky Yancy

1993 Blizzard Girls Track



Left to right Back row: Coach Deb Whittenburg, Mgr.: Tanya Brockington, Tabatha Grohman, Rabbit Smith, Kim Thompson, Stacey Deike, Mgr.: Shana Lantow
Center row: Erika Vega, Carolyn Horton, Tambar Cox, Kyla Huffman, Brooke Killough, Karolen Biddix
Front row: Mary Horton, Elodia Torres, Jamie Brown, JanaBeth Bryan
 Not pictured: Alina Briley

Guys and Dolls golf tourney on April 17

There will be a "Two Guy, One Doll" best ball tournament, sponsored by Winters Ladies Golf Association, at the Winters Country Club on Saturday, April 17. The entry fee will be \$60.00 per team, to include a meal following afternoon play. Non-players will be charged \$3.50 for the meal. Flighting will be after the first or second holes of play. Cash prizes will be given. Tee times will be at 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. To register and select a tee time, call the Winters Country Club at 754-4679.

1993 Winters Blizzard Track Schedule

High School:	Date	Place	V Boys	V Girls
	March 13	Plateau Relays-Eldorado	X	X
	March 20	Puncher Relays-Mason	X	X
	March 26-27	Big Country Classic-Abilene		X
	March 27	Indian Relays-Comanche	X	
	April 2	Lone Wolf Relays-Colorado City		X
	April 2-3	Plowboy Relays-Roscoe	X	
	April 10	Redskin Relays-Haskell	X	X
	April 16-17	District 7AA Meet-Haskell	X	X
	April 24	Regional Qualifiers Meet TBA	X	X
	Apr. 30-May 1	Regional AA Meet-ACU	X	X
	May 14-15	State Meet-Austin	X	X
Junior High:				
	March 12	Brady	7/8	7/8
	March 19	Wall	7/8	7/8
	April 2-3	Roscoe	7/8	7/8
	April 16-17	District Meet-Hamlin/Haskell	7/8	7/8

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Garage Sales

Garage Sale: 301 Rose Lane. 9:00 a.m. Saturday only. Clothes and furniture. 4-13(1TP)

Garage Sale: 121 Penny Lane. April 3rd, 8 to 1. Children's clothes, toys, ladies' dresses and miscellaneous. 4-13(1tp)

Garage Sale: 400 Tinkle St. Friday, April 2 - 7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday, April 3 - 7:30 a.m. to 12 noon. 4-13(1tp)

Garage sale: 612 N. Main. Two family sale Friday and Saturday. Start at 8:00 a.m. 4-13(1tp)

Rummage Sale: Assembly of God Church, 304 Wood, Saturday, April 3, 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. 4-13(1TP)

Storage Rentals

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Bid specifications may be obtained by contacting Jimmy Butler, Business Manager, Winters Independent School District, P.O. Box 125, Winters, Texas 79567.

Winters ISD reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any informality or irregularity in any bid received.

Horse show April 17th

An open Horse Show is scheduled for Saturday, April 17 at 8:30 a.m. in the Nolan County Coliseum in Sweetwater.

The show will include halter, youth, western, and hunter-jumper.

First place winners will get 50 lbs. of ADM Feed.

Deadlines

- General News Noon Monday
- Retail Ads Noon Monday
- Classified Ads 5 pm Monday

Real Estate

For sale: Movie store with pizza sales on area lake. The number to call for information: (915) 573-3680. 4-10(4tp)

House for sale: At 206 Paloma. Nice neighborhood, neat house, 2 bedrooms with den and living area or 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath. Large fenced back yard, water well. Serious inquirers may call (817)294-8200 after 6:30 p.m. House may be seen by appointment by calling 754-5094 or 754-5009. 4-10(1fc)

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Miscellaneous

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Winters Police Beat

The information below is taken from reports on file with the Winters Police Department. Some of the information is provided to police by citizens, and in some cases, police have not finished investigating the reports.

Winters Police Department reports received and/or investigated from Monday, the 22nd of March thru Sunday, the 28th of March 1993.

Winters Police Officers:

• Investigated an aggravated sexual assault of a child, working with Child Protective Services, and arrested Victor Flores Jr., 30 years of age, of Winters. Flores was taken before J.P. Joyce Weems where a \$50,000 bond was set. Flores was transported to the Runnels County Jail, posted bond, and was released.

• Investigated a Family Violence report in the 500 block of Vancil.

• Investigated an Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle case in the 600 block of W. Dale. This case was determined to be unfounded.

• Investigated a Criminal Mischief and Criminal Trespass case in the 200 Block of Jewel in which vandals entered a vacant house and caused damage estimated to be in excess of \$1,000.

• Investigated two theft cases in which an unauthorized person removed March of Dimes candy

machines from the Peach Tree Plaza and the Dairy Queen. Anyone seeing a white male removing the machines from either business, at about 7:20 p.m. on Thursday, the 25th of March, please contact the police department. The man reportedly left in a white van.

• Investigated a Family Violence report in the 300 block of E. Dale and subsequent to the investigation arrested Jose Alfredo Martinez, of Winters and charged Mr. Martinez with class A Assault.

• Investigated a Class A Assault in which a juvenile was assaulted by two or three other juveniles while riding around the City in a vehicle together.

• Arrested Manuel Zavala, 32 years of age, of Ballinger, for DWI. Zavala was transported to the Runnels County Jail.

We would like to remind the Citizens of Winters that 9-1-1 is in service and that all previous emergency phone numbers are also still in service. To contact the Winters Police Department, Winters Fire Department, North Runnels Ambulance, or the Runnels County Sheriff's Department, citizens may use the same phone numbers that have been in use for a number of years. Citizens may also use 9-1-1 for emergencies of any type.

Public Record

DISTRICT COURT

Trinidad M. Juarez vs. Leslie Ladena Juarez, 3-24-93, Divorce.
 Clarence W. Tucker vs. Alice L. Tucker, 3-24-93, Divorce.

COUNTY COURT

Josie Escobar Gomez, 3-22-93, Criminal Mischief. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$250 plus costs \$137. Defendant to donate \$200 to the DARE program of Runnels County.

Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Patrick Duarte, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Reyes Enriquez, Jr., 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Daniel Jalomo, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Frank Garza, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Jerome Williams, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Brett Covey, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Eva Portillo Arroyo, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Marie Alvarez, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba The Muffler Shop vs. Alfred Cavazos, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba The Muffler Shop vs. Carmen Cavazos, 3-19-93, Account.

Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba The Muffler Shop vs. Juanita Ramirez, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba The Muffler Shop vs. Andy Martinez, 3-19-93, Account.
 Kozelsky Ent. Inc. dba The Muffler Shop vs. Enrique Tora, 3-19-93, Account.
 Brandy Appleton, Issuance of a bad check, 3-22-93. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$30 plus costs \$162. To pay restitution of \$200 plus merchant's fee of \$10.

Travis Willborn, DWI, 3-22-93. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$500 plus costs \$199. Assessed 1 year in County Jail, probated for a period of one year. To attend DWI school.

Edward Martinez, Theft of groceries by check, 3-22-93. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$20 plus costs \$137. To pay \$10 to Hot Check Fee Fund and restitution of \$20.75.

Linda Reyna, Criminal Mischief, 3-22-93, Motion and Order Dismissing.
 Andrea Duarte, Theft of merchandise by check, 3-22-93. Motion and Order Dismissing.

Gayle Moseley, Theft of merchandise by check, 3-22-93. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$50 plus costs \$137. To pay \$10 to Hot Check Fee Fund and to pay \$15 to merchant's fee fund. To pay restitution of \$21.55.

Jackie Blackshear, DWI, 3-22-93. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$500 plus 1 year in jail probated for 1 year. To pay costs of \$199. To attend DWI School.

Tanja Castleberry, Theft of merchandise by check, 3-23-93. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$20 plus costs \$152. To pay merchant's fee of \$20 plus restitution of \$11.88.

Jim Heidenheimer, Theft of groceries by check, 3-23-93. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$50 plus costs \$137. To pay \$30 to Hot Check Fee Fund and \$15 to merchant's fee fund. To pay restitution of \$125.

J.P. COURT

Mary DeLuna, 3-10-93, Theft by check under \$20.
 Jim Chessman, 3-10-93, Theft by check under \$20.
 Fred C. Anderson, 3-10-93, Two counts of Theft by check under \$20.
 Edward J. Hagler, 3-12-93, No fishing license.
 Jeffery M. Copeland, 3-12-93, No fishing license.
 Susie Medina, 3-16-93, Theft by check under \$20.
 Higginbotham vs. Floyd Geeslin, 3-17-93, Account.
 Kozelsky, Ent. Inc. dba Muffler Shop vs. Wilbur Wehlmann, 3-19-93, Account.
 Noe Lopez, Jr., 3-12-93, Possession of marijuana.
 Esequiel Hernandez, 3-11-93, Possession of marijuana.
 Marcus Ortiz Guerrero, 3-11-93, DWI.

DIVORCES GRANTED

Charles A. Gulden and Ilse M. Gulden, 3-24-93.
 Myrtle Jane Whitlock and Donald Ray Whitlock, 3-26-93.

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Hunter's Camp

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"Ace wins the lottery"

"Hot diggity dang!" Ace hollers from behind the wheel of his camouflage hunting truck.

Like a teen-ager gone berserk, he spins on two wheels around camp, throwing up a cloud of dust and shrieking at the top of his lungs. Since it was unlike Ace to hot-rod his beloved truck or even raise his voice in the hunting area, we were starting to get concerned.

"Yipi-yi-yo-ki-ya, Hal-a-luya, jumpin' geehosifaf!"

"Recon' one of those killer bees's stung him?" shrugs Slim as Ace makes another circle.

"Naw, don't believe," says Buck. "Sounds more like snake bite or maybe rabies. I knew a guy once went plum crazy after gettin' bit by a mad skunk." Ace makes one final whirl, slides to a stop and leaps at us from the truck.

"Weee...doggies! I'm rich, boys, I'm rich! I done went and won the dern lottery! I done went and won myself five million dollars!"

It seems Ace had been buying lottery tickets down at the grocery store on his daily rounds of swapping lies and shooting the breeze. Then, each Wednesday and Saturday night, he watched spellbound as the ping-pong balls rolled down the chute.

"And here's the winning ticket and here's the numbers I wrote down when they called em' out. Perfect match! I'm rich boys, I'm rich!"

"Do you know the best thing about it?" Ace continued between hyperventilations. "I can finally tell that pea-brained, goose-headed boss of mine to take my job and let some other knuckle-head starve to death with it. Fact is, I done just that before I came down here. Course he fired me on the spot. But that don't matter now, cause I'm rich!"

"My wife's gone vistin' her mother. She scolded me like a school child for buyin' them tickets. Wouldn't allow 'em in the house. Boy, will she ever be surprised now."

"Seems' how we're gona' have money to bum, I went and donated all her clothes and all my guns to the Salvation Army. Goin' to be buying all new stuff when she gets home anyway."

"You boys know that city slicker from Dallas I told you about. Been tryin' to buy my house for years cause of the view over the river. Sold him the house, furniture and all for a fair price. It was less than I owe the bank, but I'm rich now. Even threw in those old antiques my wife has been holding onto all these years."

"Sure, my wife loves that place and says she won't live no place else, but we're millionaires. We can live any ole' place we want."

"And I didn't forget you boys, neither. Look there in the back of the truck. New rifles, scopes, tents, camouflage, binoculars, bows and boots for everybody. Took me

and the wife's whole life savins' to buy it all, but there's going to be plenty more where that came from!"

While all this was going on, Slim had been studying the lottery ticket and the numbers Ace had written down.

"Are you sure about these numbers, Ace. Did you get them verified?"

"Sure I'm sure. There's 18, 24, 40, 16, 12 and 47. That's the first two number off the serial numbers of my Winchester collection and that's the numbers on them ping-pong balls they called out."

"And no, I haven't got it verified yet, but it's all there in black and white. Nope, I'm makin' my plans and then I'll let the great State of Texas know of my good fortune."

"Ace, I don't mean to be a spoiler," Slim said as gently as he could, "but one of these numbers doesn't match. This 24 on your list is a 34 on the ticket."

Ace snatched the bi-focals off his own glasses while skinning a deer and hadn't been able to afford any new ones.

Poor ole' Ace stared at the numbers for a few seconds through the spectacles and then stood slowly to his feet. The realization of what he had done was settling in the pit of his stomach like a plate of red-hot chile peppers.

His eyes rolled back in his head and he made a feeble attempt to

take a step. With that, he stiffened up rigid as a rifle barrel and passed out cold, toppling to earth like an axed redwood.

It's been a few days now since the incident. I guess you could say there's some good news and there's some bad news concerning what happened.

The good news is that Ace says he's learned his lesson about gambling. He has sworn to never, ever wager on games of chance again, even if he lives to be a hundred years old.

But I'm not placing any bets on Ace's lifespan reaching the century mark. It doesn't seem like the odds are much in his favor...The bad news is that his wife is due home tomorrow!

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Extension News & Views

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Runnels County Extension Agent-HE

Strip Quilting Program

A video based educational program on "Creative Strip Quilting" will be held on Tuesday, April 6, in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church in Ballinger. This 2:00 p.m. program, sponsored by the Runnels County Extension Homemakers Council, is open to the public and there is no-charge.

The video will give quilting enthusiasts some new ideas on time saving strip quilting. Seminole Patchwork and some of its

varieties will be shown. Time saving machine techniques can help you get results quickly.

Immediately following the video, several local quilters will do some show and tell of strip quilting techniques that they have used. Anyone who has a project or technique that they want to share, may do so.

For more information, call the County Extension Office at 365-5042.

Winters Immunization Clinic

The Texas Department of Health will hold an Immunization Clinic on Thursday, April 1, from 9:30 a.m.-noon and 1:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m. Location is in the Professional Building, Suite 108 on Grant Street Entry.

For more information call 754-4945 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. - noon Monday-Friday.

Runnels County Rumors

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

1993 FARM PROGRAM SIGN-UP

Signup for participation in the 1993 Farm Program is currently underway and will continue through April 30, 1993. Advance payments will be available at 50% of the estimated deficiency payment rate for each crop. Call 365-2437 to make an appointment.

1993 SMALL GRAIN ACREAGE REPORTS

1993 small grain certification is underway and will continue through May 3, 1993. Acreages of wheat, oats, barley, rye or other small grain crops will need to be reported regardless of intended use for the crop. A "0" acreage report should be filed for those farms which have a wheat, oats, or barley base and none is planted and the producer wants to protect the farm's history of the crop. Call 365-2437 to make an appointment.

ACP SIGN-UP

The Runnels County ASC Committee has announced the third sign-up period for the Agricultural Conservation Program. It will begin April 19, 1993 and will run through May 7, 1993. Applications for all practices, including brush control practices, will be accepted.

DOUBLE CROPPING

The Runnels County ASC Committee has determined that for 1993 and subsequent years, the payment yield of cotton or

milo which is double cropped behind small grains will be reduced by one-half to set the payment in line with what the crop will make. Land planted to small grains must be plowed up by April 1, 1993 to not be considered as double cropped.

CONSERVATION COMPLIANCE

- 1.) Are you farming fields considered highly erodible?
- 2.) Are you following the crop rotation as agreed to in your plan?
- 3.) Are you maintaining your terraces and waterways to SCS specifications?
- 4.) Are you farming on the contour?
- 5.) Are you certifying to the ASCS, the crop planted each year on highly erodible fields?
- 6.) Do you understand your conservation plan?
- 7.) If you answered NO to any of the above, PLEASE call or contact the SCS office in Ballinger immediately to schedule an appointment to review your conservation plan.

Failure to do so could result in the loss of all program benefits, including the farm program, CRP, ACP, Wool & Mohair incentive payments along with others.

CRP WEED CONTROL

All CRP participants are reminded of the responsibility to control weeds on CRP acreage. The State Committee has adopted a policy which states that all CRP participants must maintain the vegetative cover on all required conservation practices on CRP

land and take other action as necessary to control weeds to maintain the production capability of the soil. If weeds are not controlled in a timely manner, all CRP participants on the farm will be subject to applicable penalties. We will be visiting every CRP farm in the county during the year to ensure that weed control measures are being carried out.

WORKMAN-LIKE MANNER

In 1993, as in previous years, the county committee is responsible for determining if crops planted to participate in the USDA's wheat, feed grains, and cotton program have been planted and tended to in a manner which would be expected to result in the farm's established yield. If they feel that a crop has been tended to in an unworkmanlike manner, they must reduce the payment yield for that crop on that farm to a level in line with that crop's expected yield. Crops which have had these yield reductions in the past include sowed cotton, double cropped sorghum or cotton behind small grains, and crops planted and abandoned.

FOREIGN INVESTORS

The Agriculture Foreign Disclosure Act requires any citizen of a foreign country who purchases land for agriculture purposes to report purchase of the land within 90 days of acquisition. Forms for reporting are available at this office.

Byron A. Bauerlein
County Executive Director
Runnels County ASCS Office

EMT bake sale April 9

The Winters EMT Association will sponsor a bake sale on Friday, April 9. This sale is to raise money for the purchase of equipment for the ambulance.

The bake sale will take place at Lawrence Brothers IGA grocery store, beginning at 9:00 a.m. and continuing until all baked goods are sold.

Friendly Helpers to meet April 14

The Wilmet Friendly Helpers Club met in the home of Lucille Pritchard on March 24.

Enjoying the visit and refreshments were members Lessie Robinson, Oma Lee Overman, Roselie Broadstreet, Gennie Denson and LaVoy McNeill.

Lessie Robinson will be hostess for the next meeting, on April 14.

Cattle killed in truck accident

A 1987 Conventional Peterbilt double-deck 18-wheeler overturned about 3 a.m. on March 29, about nine miles northwest of Ballinger on Highway 158.

Driver of the rig, Herbert Henry Hughes of Kennedy, Texas, was not injured in the early morning mishap. Hughes, owner of the cattle rig, was transporting 110 head of cattle to the Texas panhandle area when he momentarily

looked away from the road and lost control of his truck on a curve. The truck and trailer rig turned on its side and slid into a ditch. Approximately eighteen head of cattle were killed in the incident. No other parties were involved.

DPS trooper Scott Warren investigated the accident and was aided by Quentin Watkins of the Runnels County Sheriff's office.

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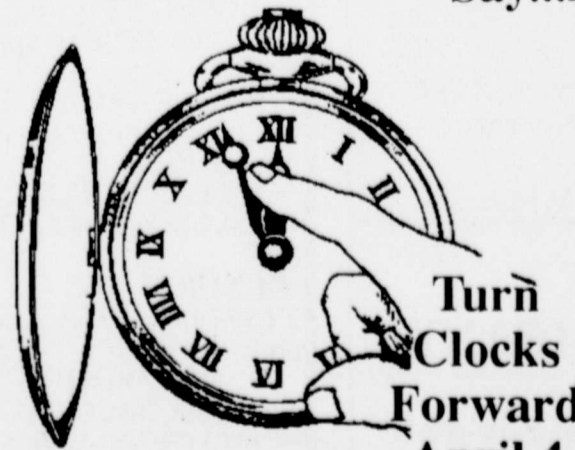
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Say...It's That Time Again!

"Same song, second verse..." Most folks have pretty well memorized the cliches, "Spring forward...Fall back," oft quoted as we enter and leave Daylight Saving Time each year. On the other hand, if anyone does need reminding, we'll try here and now to get the message across.

This time, we begin Daylight Saving. And that beginning occurs at 2 a.m. Sunday, April 4, 1993, when we are to set forward (to 3 a.m.) all timepieces, losing an hour we will gain next fall. It's more convenient for us to pretend the change comes about on Saturday eve just before we retire. There are also those of us who wait until Sunday morn and stay confused all day.

At any rate, all wind-ups, digitals, and electricals should be reset this weekend. Got it?



Also this safety tip: Don't forget to check your batteries in your smoke detectors!

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