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Area woman to establish orphanage in Rwanda

by Janis Hounsel

Sue and Earl Foster are not your every day, run-of-the-mill type couple. They live near Bradshaw in Taylor County where Earl ranches.

For the past several years, Sue has been devoted to the raising and educating of their five children, three of whom the couple adopted. Approximately 35 youngsters have lived with the Foster family over the years, in foster care. For nine years, Sue maintained a home school for her charges.

Having educated the last of her children, Sue began to consider other ways she might be of help to children who sincerely need that help.

On August 2, Sue and 23-year old son, Aaron, will leave for Africa. There they plan to establish a permanent orphanage for the children of Rwanda. They will remain for approximately six months. The Fosters' youngest, 16-year old Staci, will join the two in about two months. She has completed her high school work, but cannot enter college until she can take the GED. One has to be 17 to take this high school equivalency test.

Aaron is well qualified for this type venture, having recently returned from Romania. In Romania, he worked with orphaned children for the Youth With a Mission program. He has taken a leave of absence from Youth With a Mission to go with his mother to Rwanda.

The Rwandan orphanage is to be an independent venture, not affiliated with any other organization or religious body. The Fosters are not fully able to finance the project and are in need of financial assistance. One of the family vehicles was sold to finance the trip for Sue and Aaron.

Donations are being accepted at First National Bank in Abilene, 400 Pine, 79601, under the name "Children of Rwanda". All donations will be fully tax deductible and Earl plans to maintain correspondence with contributors with progress reports.

Earl has distributed a number of jars around the Winters community to collect donations, however small. There is also a need for large, military-type tents to house the orphans initially. The Fosters have a toll-free number where they can be reached: 1-800-588-3822.

The Fosters have done extensive investigative research, including consultations with a couple who attend school in Abilene. The husband is Kenyan, his wife is Tanzanian.

They have been able to establish several contact sources in Kenya and Tanzania. Sue hopes to be able to turn the running of the orphanage over to natives of the area after it is established.

And, as much as he believes in the cause, Earl hopes his wife will indeed be returning home in six months' time.

Orientation for 7th grade and new students Aug. 10, school starts Aug. 16

Winters Secondary School will have 7th grade and new student orientation on Wednesday, August 10, 1994, at 1:00 p.m. in the auditorium. Schedules will be handed out to 7th graders at this time and they will also be familiarized with first-day-of-school procedures.

Others students should pick up their schedules on August 10 at the following times:

Seniors----- 1:30 p.m.
 Juniors----- 2:00 p.m.
 Sophomores----- 2:30 p.m.
 Freshmen----- 3:00 p.m.
 8th grade----- 3:30 p.m.

If students need to change or alter their schedules, they will need to see Charles Wilson, Secondary School Counselor on Thursday, August 11 or Friday, August 12 before 12:00 noon.

All students should be sure to bring their schedules to school on the first day. Classes will begin on August 16 at 8:00 a.m.

Athletic Boosters to elect officers

The Winters Athletic Booster Club will have a meeting for all interested persons on Monday, August 8, at 7:30 p.m. at Blizzard Field.

If enough individuals are present, an election of officers will be held.

The Blizzard Booster Club is for anyone interested in any or all athletic events for boys and girls in the Winters school system. Parents of all students participating in any athletics in the Winters schools are encouraged to attend.

TIPS parent meeting Aug. 9

The TIPS program of WISD will begin serving the children of WISD before and after school on the first day of school, August 16. Early morning care will be available beginning the same day in room 32 of the Elementary School.

On Tuesday evening, August 9 there will be a TIPS parent meet-

ing in the Activity Building (by the elementary building). The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. and will be "come and go". Parents of children who will be participating in TIPS should come to this meeting and pre-register their children.

There will be a partnership fee of \$25 required again this year.



NEW LIONS CLUB OFFICERS recently elected (left to right) are Mike Madden, director; Randall Conner, director; Jimmy Butler, 3rd vice-president; Jim Hanson, tail twister; Jim Lincycomb, 2nd vice-president; Charles Kidwell, 1st vice-president; Jerry Sartor, director; Doug Wheat, secretary; Mike Meyer, president; and M. L. Dobbins, lion tamer.

Winters State Bank plans to merge

Independent Bankshares, Inc., an Abilene based bank holding company, reported they have filed an application with the Office of the Comptroller of Currency to merge Winters State Bank into First State Bank, N.A., Abilene.

Winters State Bank would become a branch of the First State Bank, N.A.

Harold Andrews, President of Winters State Bank, is excited about the change. "This change is good for this bank and the Winters area," says Andrews. "More services can be offered that are not offered now, and interest rates could be better. It just makes this bank a stronger bank."

Andrews also stated that there would be no personnel changes as a result of the merger.

If approved, the merger should be completed prior to the end of the year.

Local woman injured in auto accident Monday

Mrs. Susan Conner of Winters was injured in a two vehicle accident Monday, July 31.

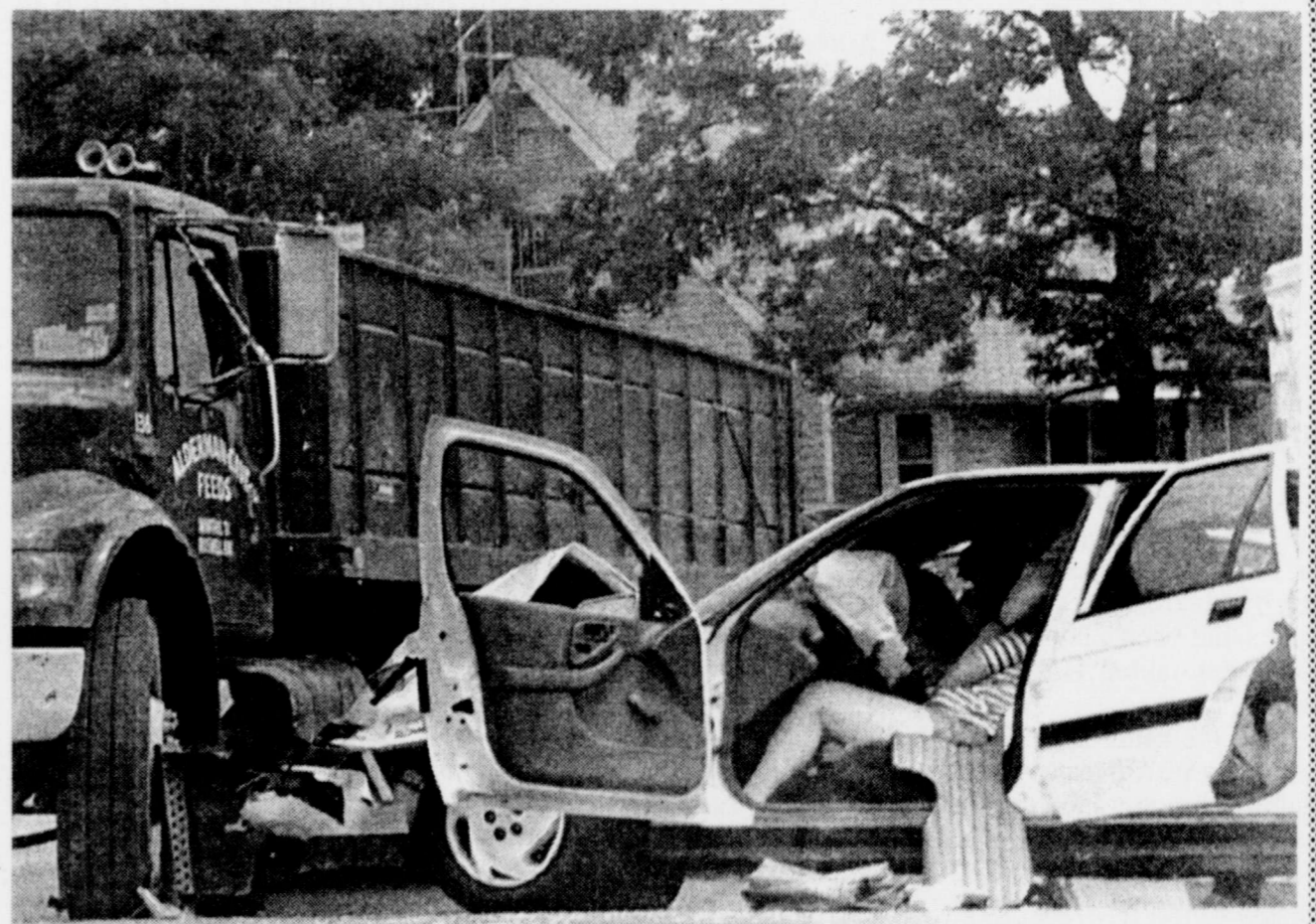
Mrs. Conner, driving a 1992 Chevrolet Corsica, was going east on Novice Road when an Alderman-Cave grain truck, driven by Victor Santoya, apparently pulled into her path from South Concho Street. Santoya was given a citation for Failure to Yield Right-of-Way.

Members of the North Runnels EMS, Winters Volunteer Fire Department and Winters Police Department were at the scene. The driver's side front door had to be forced open for Mrs. Conner to be freed from the wreckage.

Mrs. Conner was initially taken to North Runnels Hospital and then transferred to Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

A complete report of her condition was not available at press time, although she reportedly suffered a broken right arm and ring finger on her right hand.

According to the Winters Police Department spokesman, it appeared that Mrs. Conner was not wearing a seat belt. The air bag on the Corsica was deployed.



WORKING TO FREE SUSAN CONNER from her 1992 Corsica are North Runnels EMS personnel and members of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department. The accident occurred on Monday, July 31 on Novice Road.

Mark calendars for August 6th "Treasure Extravaganza" sale

The Winters Lions Club will be conducting its first annual "Treasure Extravaganza Garage Sale" on Saturday, August 6, in the Winters Community Center.

"Early birds" will be admitted from 7 a.m. to 8 a.m. for a \$5.00 fee. Doors open to the public at 8:01 a.m. with no admission charge. The sale ends at 3 p.m.

A concessions/snack bar will be available during sale hours. Garage sale items are donated by Lions Club members as well as any other individuals wishing to contribute. Donations will be accepted on Thursday, August 4, and Friday, August 5, from 6-8 p.m. each day. The Community Center will be open on Friday evening and item donations may be brought there.

Anyone who wishes to donate items but is unable to bring them to the Community Center may call Terry Wyatt (754-5577), Charles Kidwell (754-5516) or Murray Edwards (754-4546) to arrange for them to be picked up.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ?

- August 4-9 a.m.-3 p.m., Band Practice
- 9:30 a.m.-Noon & 1:30-3 p.m., Immunization Clinic
- 2:30-4:30 p.m., Commodities distributed at Multi-Purpose Center
- 6 p.m., Farm Bureau Barbeque at Ballinger City Park
- 7-8 p.m., AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- 7:30 p.m., Winters Masonic Lodge #743
- August 5-9 a.m.-3 p.m., Band Practice
- Noon, Senior Citizen Meal
- August 6-7 a.m.-3 p.m., "Treasure Extravaganza" Sale at Community Center
- 10 a.m., Clowns for Christ at Senior Citizen Nursing Home
- August 8-Noon, Senior Citizen Meal
- 6 p.m., City Council
- 7 p.m., Winters Squares
- VFW and VFW Auxiliary
- August 9-7 a.m., Young Farmers Breakfast at Housing Authority
- 10 a.m., Commissioner's Court at Ballinger
- Noon, Lions Club
- 7 p.m., TIPS Parent Meeting
- 7 p.m., WVFD
- 7-8 p.m., AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- 7:30 p.m., Winters School Board
- August 10-Noon, Senior Citizen Meal
- 5:30 p.m., Winters Area Chamber Directors
- 5:30 p.m., Pesticide Licensing Training at WHS Vo-Ag
- August 11-7-8 p.m., AA meets at 105 W. Truett

OIL BUSINESS . . .
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Surprise, surprise, surprise!
The stampede out of the United States oil patch has a few defectors. As a matter of fact, there are a few who are headed into the U.S. from lands afar.

Who in the world would want to spend money in the depleted, played out, old news, barren wasteland domestic oil patch? Especially after every expert in every place of authority is preaching that the only place to be if you are an oil man or woman with a future is outside the United States.

Well, mainly independents, that's who.

Companies like Anadarko, Enron, Enserch, Mesa, Oryx, Santa Fe, Union Pacific Resources, and Parker & Parsley.

A recent report by Author Anderson finds that domestic spending by the largest 30 oil and gas producers in the U.S. (most being independents) is up 11% over last year. The report also describes how replacement costs have decreased to \$4.60 per barrel in the U.S., while replacement costs outside the domestic arena are averaging \$5.40 per barrel.

London's *Petroleum Economist* reports that the U.S. independent oil patch is undergoing a "vibrant and dramatic" upswing (those British have a way with words, don't they?). They attribute this resurgence to several factors including better capital availability via initial public offerings (IPO's) and the strategic focus and lean economics of the independent.

And, don't look now, but a foreign company is eyeing the U.S. oil patch for opportunity even as U.S. majors are looking right past them at their own country.

YPF, the Argentinian national oil company, has just approved a plan to set up an upstream subsidiary for exploration and development of oil and gas fields in the United States. Even more incredible is the fact that YPF sees opportunity in oil and gas that is offshore and onshore. (Everyone knows the conventional wisdom that the onshore U.S. is really dead.)

Most of those participating in the move back to the domestic arena probably didn't plan on doing what they are doing just to be patriotic. There are reasons--most being tied to the ability to make some money.

First, natural gas prices at or above \$2.00 per MCF have been a major factor in increased spending. Secondly, the quicker than expected firming of oil prices has also played a part. And, thirdly, the amount of opportunity made available in properties disposed of by majors in the domestic oil patch has been a boon to innovative, risk-taking U.S. independents.

At the same time all of this information was reaching the news wires, a report showing that the U.S. replaced only 65% of its production in 1993--a shortfall of 1 billion barrels. This leaves the U.S. with its lowest production rates since the 1940's and only 7 years' worth of reserves.

This is the legacy of ignoring a

certain venue. If no one is looking for new reserves, no one will probably find them.

But, now, the boat has seemed to turn around. Folks are seeing some value in this tired old oil patch, and they are willing to put their money where their mouth is.

Let's hope this trend continues. Perhaps we will all learn a valuable lesson about finding value by looking for it instead of following a mob moving in one dangerous direction--straight down.

HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

COMPLETIONS

None This Week

STAKINGS

Coke County
Oryx Energy has staked the Jameson Reef Unit #1112A in the Jameson Field, 4 miles SW of Silver (Depth 6500). Loc. is 367 FWL & 2261 FSL of Sec. 459, H&TC Sur., A-394.

Concho County
Cholla Petroleum has staked the Schumann #2 as a Wildcat, 3 miles NW of Eden (Depth 2500). Loc. is 1842 FNL & 1455 FWL of Sec. 69, F.S. Millard Sur., A-1750.

LeClair Operating has staked the Gainer -D- #1 in the Get It Field, 3 miles NW of Eden (Depth 3999). Loc. is 467 FSL & 467 FNL of Sec. 6, W. Hughes Sur., A-1732.

Nolan County
Oryx Energy has staked 6 wells in the Southwest Nena Lucia Unit, 13 miles SW of Maryneal (Depth 7200). The #3822 is loc. 567 FSL & 567 FWL of Sec. 88, Blk. 1A, H&TC Sur. The #3823 is loc. 1839 FSL & 519 FWL of same Sec. The #4817 is loc. 2577 FNL & 567 FSL of Sec. 87, same Blk. The #3118 is loc. 367 FWL & 1600 FNL of Sec. 86, same Blk. The #1515 is loc. 1471 FNL & 2245 FNL of, Sec. 125, Blk. 1A, H&TC Sur. The #1407 is loc. 2000 FWL & 800 FNL of, Sec. 124, Blk. 1A, same Sur.

Runnels County
Delray Oil has applied to deepen the Evelyn Hale Kirby Unit -A-, 2 miles NW of Talpa (Depth 3700). Loc. is 1839 FSL & 519 FWL of Sec. 117, ETRR Sur.

Midland Oil & Gas has staked the Pendulum -A- #2 as a Wildcat, 5 miles NW of Winters (Depth 4700). Loc. is 1950 FWL & 2010 FNL of Sec. 73, Blk. 63, A-690. They have also staked the Pendulum -A- #3 in the False Arrowhead Field, 5 miles NW of Winters (Depth 3200). Loc. is 467 FWL & 620 FNL of same Sec.

TKP Petroleum has staked the Swatchesue #1X in the Chick-Inn Field, 2 miles S of Winters (Depth 3000). Loc. is 1250 FSL & 467 FNL of H. Lewis Sur. No. 64, A-804.

Taylor County
L.C.S. Production has applied to re-enter two wells in the Murphree Field, 5 miles S of Merkel (Depth 2999). The W.E. Baze #2 is loc. 990 FNL & 990 FNL of Sec. 2, Blk. 9, SPRR Sur. The #3 is loc. 330 FNL & 1650 FNL of same Sec.

Masada Oil & Gas has staked the Abilene Airport #1 as a Wildcat, at the SE edge of Abilene City Limits (Depth 3450). Loc. is 330 FSL & 1933 FNL of Sec. 52, BAL Sur.

Birthday girl is Sherry Kurtz.

Mildred Nell Boynton

Mildred Nell Boynton, 79, of Winters died Thursday, July 28, 1994 in the North Runnels Hospital.

Mrs. Boynton was born April 27, 1915 in the Content community. She married Marion Boynton November 16, 1935 in Talpa. She lived in Runnels County until moving to Odessa in 1946. She returned to Winters in 1994. She was a Methodist. Her husband predeceased her in death in 1978.

Graveside services were held Monday, August 1 in the Sunset Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Odessa, directed by Winters Funeral Home.

Survivors include one daughter Nancy (Mrs. Frank) Foreman of Winters; one sister Lucille Cade of San Antonio; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Alma Lisso

ROWENA—Alma Lisso, age 83, of Rowena died on July 28, 1994, at Heritage Oaks Estate in Ballinger. Funeral services were held on July 29 at Rains-Seale Funeral Home in Ballinger, officiated by Rev. Winford Gore. Burial was in Protestant Cemetery, under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Alma Lisso was born on January 23, 1911, in Concho County. She was a Protestant and a homemaker.

Survivors include one brother, Delbert and Lorene Lisso, of Rowena and one sister-in-law, Julie Lisso, of Rowena.

Senior Citizens Nursing Home News
by Billie Ruth Bishop

Volunteers are such a vital part of our day here at the nursing home. We appreciate and enjoy each and every one of you. Our activity programs are especially enriched because of you.

We thank Freddie Bredemeyer for the watermelons and Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler for cantaloupes and tomatoes. We would especially enjoy having blackeyed peas brought in. Our residents enjoy shelling them.

Also, we have a new activity beginning Friday, August 5, at 2:30 p.m. Leona Chapmond will be coming in to do nail care for our ladies. Leona is a retired beautician and has volunteered to come in each week. We are fortunate to have her as a new volunteer.

We are planning some new craft ideas in the future. We ask family members to bring in T-shirts or sweatshirts that we will decorate for the holidays. Each resident that would like to participate will be included in our craft session. If you would like to have matching outfits, bring one for yourself and decorate with us.

This week is known as International Clown Week. In celebration of this event, we welcome a visit from a group of young people from First United Methodist Church who call themselves "Clowns for Christ". They are under the leadership of Kathy

Edwards. They will be visiting us Saturday morning, August 6, at 10:00 a.m. We are looking forward to their visit.

Mrs. Exie Haynes has returned to her home in Lawn. We miss you Mrs. Haynes, but we are happy for you and wish the best for you.

Mrs. Mildred Boynton passed away last week. We extend our sympathy to Nancy and her family.

Card of Thanks

Our precious Shae went to be with his Lord and Savior July 22. We want to thank our many friends for helping us deal with our grief of losing him.

Thank you for all the cards, visits, food, beautiful flowers, phone calls, and prayers. A special thanks to Mike and Linda from Winters Funeral Home for their kindness and to Brother Myers for a perfect and comforting service. To all our wonderful friends, we love you and appreciate you.

May God bless each of you.
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Obituaries

Orrie Jane Low

Orrie Jane Low, age 101, of Winters died on July 31, 1994, at North Runnels Hospital.

Mrs. Low was born on October 16, 1892, in Bell County. She moved to the Wingate area as a small child. She married Jim Low on January 6, 1924, in Wilmeth. Mr. Low died in 1962.

Orrie Jane Low was a homemaker and a Baptist. Mrs. Low is survived by two sons and five daughters: Vernon Low of O'Donnell, Jimmy D. (Pat) Low of Big Spring, Birdie Cotter of Weatherford, Lacey Low of Big Spring, Ozella Whitaker of Plainview, Virginia Green of Big Spring and Mickey Orrell of Winters; sixteen grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren and twenty great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Orrie Jane Low were held on August 2 at the Winters Funeral Home with Rev. Sam Cotter officiating. Burial was in the Wingate Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Buddy Wiley, Donnie Wiley, Tracey Kidd, Jimmy Brian Low, Alvin Holder and Brian Frerick. Grandsons were honorary pallbearers.

L.C. Fuller

CREWS—L.C. Fuller, 65, of Crews died Thursday, July 28, 1994 in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

Mr. Fuller was born July 15, 1929 in Crews where he was a lifetime resident. He married Louise Moreland June 25, 1977 in San Angelo. He was an oilfield pumper and a stock farmer in the Crews area. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church.

Services were held Saturday, July 30 in the St. John's church in Winters with Rev. Jim Hanson officiating. Burial was in the Crews Cemetery, directed by Winters Funeral Home, Inc.

Survivors are his wife, Louise Fuller of Crews; two daughters Joanie Mathis of Springfield, Missouri and Lynda Denson of San Angelo; a step-daughter Vicki Walls of San Angelo; two step-sons Greg Moreland and Al Moreland of San Angelo; one sister Winifred Worthington of Banning, California; one brother O.C. Fuller of Coleman; four grandchildren and six step-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Therin Ozbirn, Pyburn Brown, L.C. Foster, Keith Paschal, Chuck Richardson, and Bill Polston.

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NOTICE OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE
1994 Property Tax Rates in City of Winters

This notice concerns 1994 property tax rates for the City of Winters. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 272,571.00
Last year's debt taxes	\$.00
Last year's total taxes	\$ 272,571.00
Last year's tax base	\$ 41,588,580.00
Last year's total tax rate	\$.6554/\$100

This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 268,292.00
This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 39,146,520.00
This year's effective tax rate	\$.6853/\$100

(In the first year a hospital district or city collects the additional sales tax it must insert the following lines unless it made its first adjustment last year.)

-	Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ NA/\$100
=	Effective tax rate	\$ NA/\$100

x	1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing	\$.7058/\$100
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This year's rollback tax rate:		
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 431,898.00	
This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 39,146,520.00	
This year's effective operating rate	\$ 1.1032/\$100	
x	1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$ 1.1915/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$.00/\$100	
This year's rollback rate	\$ 1.1915/\$100	

A hospital district or city that collects the additional sales tax to reduce property taxes including one that collects the tax for the first time this year, must insert the following lines:		
-	Sales tax adjustment rate	\$.3863/\$100
=	Rollback tax rate	\$.8052/\$100

For a taxing unit with additional rollback rate for pollution control, insert the following lines:		
+	Additional rate for pollution control requirement	\$ NA/\$100
=	Rollback tax rate	\$ NA/\$100

SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the current fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
General Fund	\$ 15,000.00

SCHEDULE B: 1994 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amount for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid	Interest to be Paid	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
(Expand as needed)				
Total required for 1994 debt service				
-	Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A			NA
-	Excess collections last year			NA
-	Amount to be paid from taxes in 1994			NA
+	Total added in anticipation that the unit will collect only .96% of its taxes in 1994			NA
=	Total Debt Service Levy			NA

SCHEDULE C: Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For hospital districts, cities, and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes) In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$153,944.00 additional sales and use tax revenues.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rate calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at City Hall, 310 N. Main, Winters, Texas.
Name of person preparing this notice: Shelia M. Paschal
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Poe's Corner

by *Charlsie Poe*



Alaska is all scenery

Last week we left the First Baptist Senior Adults in Whitehorse, Canada on their armchair tour of Alaska.

After spending the night at Alaskan Lodge we continue our two-day motor coach trip to Fairbanks, Alaska. While traveling, there will be ample opportunity to see the varied sights in this great state.

There is no way to describe the vastness and grandeur of this state with its highest mountains—19 of them reach above 14,000 ft. and Mt. McKinley, 20,320 feet, is the tallest in North America. Ten of its rivers are longer than 300 miles and the Yukon wanders nearly 2,000 miles from Canada to the Bering Sea. Alaska has 33,000 miles of coastline, three million lakes larger than 20 acres and more than half the world's glaciers.

The name Alaska comes from the Aleut word, Alyeska, which means "The Great Land". But man has had a difficult time trying to explore this Icelandic paradise for here, also, are the lowest temperatures and the fewest people, not to mention the longest days in summer and the endless nights in winter.

"Breakup," the time of year when the snow melts, causes potholes to appear and frost heaves jump from the ground. This plays havoc with the highways and roadwork goes on constantly in the summer.

Not everything in Alaska is on such a massive scale. Many wildflowers flourish on the roadsides and in the tundra. One of the most prevalent is the fire weed, a tall pink blossomed plant which gets its name from being the first plant to appear after a forest fire. The forget-me-not, Alaska's state flower, is blue with a gold center.

Trees most often seen are the Sitka spruce, hemlock, birch, aspen and several species of willow, which is the principle food of the

moose. Some Alaskan terms we learn are cheechako (chee-chah-ko): a newcomer, sourdough: a person who has been here long enough to be insulted when called a cheechako, outside: the lower 48 states.

Our bus driver says that Alaska is larger than the next 3 largest states in the union combined. He also says, "We're going to cut Alaska in two and make Texas the third largest state."

We quickly reply that Texas hot air will melt the ice and we'll be the largest again!

Fairbanks is the closest major city to the Alaska pipeline built in 1976 by eight oil companies after the discovery of one of the world's richest oil deposits on Prudhoe Bay. We visit the storage yard and truck traffic control center for the trans-Alaska pipelines.

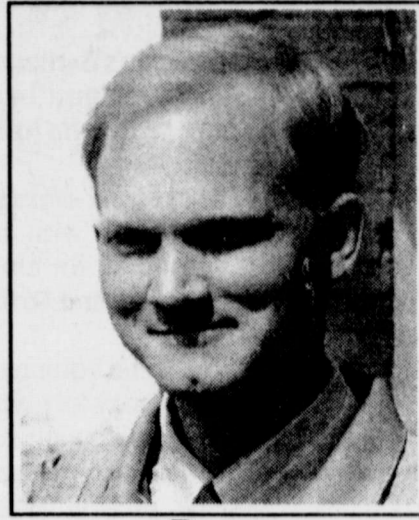
We visit the University of Alaska at Fairbanks which is advertised as the coldest college in America. The campus covers 2,500 acres and the University museum houses a complete display of Indian and Eskimo arts and crafts.

The University Musk Ox Farm raises 90 of these peaceful, primitive beasts on a 40 acre pasture. These hairy-primitive cows grow on their hide a cashmere-like underwool called qiviut. When the qiviut harvest is complete it is shipped to Rhode Island to be spun into yarn. The yarn is returned to Alaska to be knitted into caps and other items.

Before leaving Fairbanks we have the thrill of riding in one of the last of the sternwheel river boats, named "Discovery," up the Tanana River.

At every bend of the river we see the adventurous past unfold: unique Indian fish wheels, the Alaskan days in summer quarters and the "bush pilots" own airport. Tomorrow we visit Mt. McKinley.

Grady Bryan tells Ballinger minister about his life in Sumy, Ukraine



Bryan

Grady Bryan returned to the States on May 6 for about six weeks' leave from his missionary work in Sumy, Ukraine. One of his tasks during his leave was to obtain a visa for a full year. Up to now, Grady has had to have three-months extended. Again, he was only able to secure a three-month extension.

While visiting in Ballinger, Grady was interviewed by Max Pratt, minister of the Ninth St. Church of Christ. Max interviewed Grady about his impressions and experiences during his first year in Sumy. Following is the interview:

Max: "What about your life in Sumy?"

Grady: "I have an apartment where I live by myself. However, I usually spend at least one night a week with Anatoly and Lucy. They are my 'adopted parents'."

"Besides my work with the Sumy Church of Christ, I teach conversational English at the Sumy State University in the Foreign Language Department and I teach English and American Literature at a state school for 9th and 10th graders. I also have some English courses with individuals and a church youth group where I use the Bible as our textbook."

Max: "Tell us about the church in Sumy."

Grady: "The congregation was started from the summer campaign in June and July of last year. Our normal attendance is 35 for our Sunday worship and our semi-weekly studies. We meet for worship each Sunday morning at 10:00. Bible studies are held on Tuesday and Friday nights. Anatoly leads the study on Tuesdays, when he deals with questions that the Christians have. On Friday, I teach a study in the Gospel of Luke. Both Anatoly and I speak each Sunday. Something that has been very enjoyable are

the Fellowship Teas which follow one Sunday morning worship each month.

"The Christians there are growing in knowledge of the Bible. The congregation is creating a strong family of believers. People who did not know the Bible, or one another, are growing together in faith and love."

Max: "When are you returning? And what plans do you have upon your return?"

Grady: "I leave on the 14th of June. In July, I will be spending three weeks with a tutor to assist me with my Russian. In August I am to live with Lucy's parents in a village where I will be the only English-speaking person. This will help me in learning the language. I hope to do some farming, too."

"The summer will be used to visit Christians and make contact with all who have visited at church services and with those who have been baptized in the past year. Some of the Christians have moved into villages in the area. I hope to visit with them."

"In September, I will start back to teaching classes at both the state school and the university. I hope to teach both English and Bible classes. One of the English classes will be with the medical faculty."

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Meek Blood Bank helps other area blood banks

Texans helping Texans is the working motto for the Meek Community Bank. Meek is helping collect blood for the blood banks in San Angelo and Lubbock while they are temporarily closed. The blood that is collected in their service areas will go to the hospitals that the San Angelo and Lubbock facilities regularly supply with blood.

Meek collected blood in San Angelo on Friday, July 22, from the employees of General Telephone and Electric. They were in Brownwood on Monday, July 25, to collect blood from citizens of that community. Meek is currently scheduled to assist San Angelo and Lubbock throughout the months of July and August.

"We are happy that we have been able to help our neighboring communities during this time," said Sandy Miller, Meek manager. "The blood supply is always low in the summer and if we were in the same situation, I'm sure they would be there for us. That's the way Texans are," she said.

The San Angelo and Lubbock banks are operated by United Blood Services. Their doors were closed in June after each facility failed to pass inspection by the Food and Drug Administration.

Meek passed a similar inspection with the FDA in mid-June. They were also inspected by the College of American Pathologists and received no citations.

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From The Well
 by
 Pastor Jim Hanson

On Sunday, July 24, I preached a sermon on heaven. It has been a long time since I preached on heaven, and I probably wouldn't have saved for a young man in our parish, a lad about ten years old, who came up to me shortly after Easter and asked, "What is heaven like? What do the people do up there? Do they see us?" I started to answer his question. As he saw it might take quite a while to get the answer, he asked, "Would you preach a sermon on it?" I said, "Sure. I'd be glad to."

Since that time, almost every Sunday, he would come up to me after Sunday School and before Church and ask, "Are you going to do it today?" and I would reply, "Not today. But someday - soon." That someday came last Sunday. Obviously there were more folks in the congregation that were interested in heaven. Many more than usual expressed their gratitude for the sermon.

What really bothered me these months was not only the fact that I hadn't preached on it. But also - there just doesn't seem to be much talk about heaven anywhere. There was a movie a few years ago intitled "Field of Dreams" and it was kind of about heaven - baseball player's heaven. I have attended literally hundreds of conferences, church conferences - all over the United States, and I don't recall any where the topic was "heaven".

Now that's really strange. The Bible is our chief reference in the church. And it is full of references to heaven. The last book of the Bible, the book of Revelation, is full of descriptions of heaven. Jesus spoke a lot about "The Kingdom of Heaven." The word is used over 500 times in the Bible! More often than "salvation" or "kingdom" or "faith" or "hope".

It was said, years ago, of some people that were very pious, "He's so heavenly-minded he's no earthly good". By that they meant their mind-set was on "things above", so that when it came time to do "down-to-earth" things, they weren't so good. I haven't heard anybody say that about another person for fifty years! Could it be that in these past fifty years we have become so "earthly minded" that heaven hardly ever enters our minds?

I think so. At least in our modern technical world. We, in this country have the highest standard of living of anyplace in the world. But, what about our "standard of life?" Sexual immorality runs rampant. One of the major industries in Texas is building prisons - we can't keep up with the flow of law-breakers. We have become so earthly-minded that we have plumb forgot about heaven.

Heaven raises the questions, "Where will you be after you die?" "What will you be doing?" "How will you get there?" The hope of heaven keeps us on focus here on earth. We are responsible and accountable to a personal God who made us. Someday we will have to answer for our deeds. Our relationship to God is the key to heaven.

Since last Sunday I have thought a lot about heaven. The Bible describes it as a beautiful place, a precious place, full of the glory of God. Full of people from every tribe and nation. People like my grandma, my dad and mother, my brother John. This past month 2 of my best friends died. Each year more and more of my loved ones leave this earth for the promised land. And each day I get closer to my date of departure.

And, even the thought of heaven helps. It helps me do a better job of living, make better use of my time, decide what's really important and do it now! And, for sure, puts God back into the center of my life. Thank God for heaven. And for a young lad who asked me, "Pastor, what is heaven like?"

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ACROSS
 1 TXism: "got a mind like a steel"
 5 TXism: "up (anger)"
 6 Rangers' catcher Rodriguez
 7 TXism: "sitting on and needles" (nervous)
 8 TX Ginger Rogers' "Shall Dance"
 9 TX Bush once led this secret agency
 12 vera plant is grown in the Valley
 16 Shamrock has a fragment of this country's Blarney Stone
 19 State Fair holds the "Champion" "Texas" contest
 22 Tex-Mex entree
 23 "s" of TAAS test
 24 Dallas cosmetics queen: Mary
 29 San Antonio street: Gomer
 30 "waiting for the Robert" (song)
 31 unreasonable fear
 32 TXism: "chicken have lips?" (no)
 36 "get little doggie" (cowboy song)
 37 recycle drive: "Clean Texas"
 43 Hereford is "town with" "ache" as the nose on your face"
 47 star of TX-based film "The Falcon Out West" ('44)
 49 were shots fired from the "knoll"
 50 direction to Winters from San Angelo
 51 DFW arrival guess
 52 TXism: "got a clue" (baffled)
 53 TX King who wrote "One Eyed Man" (init.)
 54 TX A.J. Foyt was 1st to win here 4 times
 55 TXism: "took a" "to" 57 film: "from Texas"

DOWN
 1 TXism: "borring as a fishing game warden"
 2 Corpus nickname: "Texas"
 3 this Shivers was elected gov. in '50
 4 pig corrals
 9 TX Perot said he'd run on Larry King "in show"
 10 TXism: "duck needs an umbrella"
 11 in 1881, Abilene Reporter News banned whiskey
 12 TX Neiman & Smith
 13 TXism: "got sheared lamb" (swindled)
 14 "Bum" Phillips' real name
 15 honorary Ranger: Stanley Gardner
 17 this Pease was gov. in 1867 (init.)
 18 Plano's Frito, Inc.
 20 bullfight cheer
 21 this Sinatra discovered TX Trini Lopez (init.)
 24 Ft. Hood kitchen duty
 25 "gotcha" cry
 26 odd name of a TX creek: "Digo"
 27 TXism: "turn is fair play"
 28 seat of San Patricio Co.
 33 TX Buddy Holly hit: "Boy"
 34 first state forest: Sieck
 35 "me casa es casa"
 37 TXism: "big for his briches"
 38 was victorious
 39 TX preacher who led '91 sodomy protest
 40 TXism: "does office bidness"
 41 TXism: "a bad news hombre"
 42 Jimmy Johnson had Dallas charity for "advantaged kids in Texas" (abbr.)
 44 "best little puzzle"
 46 TX Rather's city
 48 nonstop talking
 49 TXism: "put on tallow" ("weight)
 56 Meatloaf's "Anything for Love"

Solutions for this puzzle appear in this issue.



OUTSTANDING JR. HIGH TWIRLING LINE, left to right—Natasha Snuffer, Tarra Burns, and Nikki Cruz. Not pictured is Brooke Tounget.

Twirlers receive award at State Band Camp

Winters Jr. High twirling line were very successful at Band Camp. They were awarded "Outstanding Jr. High Twirling Line" at Angelo State Band Camp. Shasta Snuffer, Tarra Burns, Nikki Cruz, and Brooke Tounget are the new 1994 Jr. High Twirlers.

The last day of camp the girls competed against 5 area twirling lines. Brooke was unable to perform with the group on Friday due to illness but was a very important part of the line all week. The girls are looking forward to an exciting and fun football season for the Breezes.

If you are a sixth grader or seventh grader, just a reminder that twirling tryouts will be held in April. Now is the time to be working on fundamentals and a routine.

If you have any questions concerning twirling, please contact Troylene Lincycumb, High School sponsor, at 754-5738, or Rhea Sue Parramore, Jr. High sponsor, at 754-4422.

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Firemen to host annual barbeque

The annual Firemen's Barbeque will be held Sunday, August 14 at the Winters school cafeteria from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A menu of brisket and sausage and all the trimmings will be served. Cost will be \$3 for children ages 12 and under, and \$6 for adults.

This event helps the volunteer organization raise money for much needed equipment and supplies.

Of urgent need is a new pumper firetruck. At the present time, Winters has only two units, one of which is a 1965 model which will not qualify for any key rating when it becomes thirty years old. The Winters VFD is required to maintain at least two pumper trucks for a town of our population.

Your support will be appreciated.

Wee Care School seeking children for upcoming year

Wee Care School is a ministry for three and four-year old children offered by the First United Methodist Church of Winters. The program is designed to offer guidance in social adjustments, self control, sharing, self confidence, and creativity through experiences with teachers and classmates. The goal is to offer developmental guidance through a program which stresses basic Christian values.

Classes will be held from 9:00 a.m. until 12 noon on Monday and Thursday. School holidays, vaca-



WHS CLASS OF 1969 held its 25-year reunion on July 26. Some of the classmates present for the picture are (top row, left to right) Richard Holder, Robert Moore, Beverly (Sprinkle) Reed, and Cyndy (Pinkerton) Ashley. Middle row: Allan Hart, Pauline (Rozman) Briley, Sandy (Crockett) Bowman, Carla (Davis) Woolley, Jeri (Guy) Smith, Biff White and Clayton Woffenden. Front row: Jean (Mostad) Boles, Jim Hill, Zane Eoff and Charles Mathis.

Scholarship fund established in honor of Shae Scott at Wink HS

The Shae Scott Memorial Scholarship fund has been established at Wink High School in his memory.

Scott, a former all state-quarterback for Wink and Garden City, died as the result of injuries sustained in a one-vehicle accident near Midland July 22.

Scott was born in Winters May 17, 1975. He was the son of Sam and Judy Scott of Wink and the

grandson of Jon and Lavoy McNeill of Wingate and G.W. and Flo Scott of Winters.

The scholarship will go to a deserving football player each year. Anyone wishing to contribute to the fund may do so by sending donations to the following address:

Shae Scott Scholarship Fund
Wink High School
Wink, Texas 79789.

Commodities to be distributed

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. will distribute USDA Commodities at the Winters Multi-Purpose Center, 601 West Pierce, on Thursday, August 4, 1994, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

CTO has no control over what items are available or the quantity of the items. Allocations of all commodities depend on the availability of food items from USDA.

All eligible persons will receive this emergency food assistance

without regard to race, sex, age, political beliefs, national origin and/or handicap. Shut-ins are encouraged to designate an authorized representative to pick up for them. Commodities will be distributed on a first come/first served basis.

Volunteers are greatly needed and appreciated to help with this much-needed program. Please bring large paper sacks.

TSTC ranks in top ten in nation, two years running

For the second year, Texas State Technical College in Waco ranked in the top ten nationally for colleges producing the largest number of associate degrees in Engineering and Engineering-related technologies, a national periodical reported.

The college ranked first in Texas, and rated number one in the nation for public two-year colleges for the second time in as many years. Additionally, TSTC's Waco campus ranked number six in graduating students in Computer & Information Sciences, up from number 11 last year, and 19th in Communications Technologies, up from 39th last year, out of the top 100.

This is according to a special report published in *Community College Week*, an independent periodical serving community, technical and junior colleges. The above results are from the 1990-91 survey conducted by the U.S.

Department of Education. The survey represented a total of 3,315 postsecondary institutions in the U.S. and its outlying areas having college accreditation by an agency recognized by the Secretary of Education.

In commenting on the results of the survey, Don Goodwin, president of TSTC, stated, "We focus this institution on preparing our graduates in technical areas critical to the economic development of Texas. It is rewarding for the faculty and the institution to be recognized as providing a 'high performance' workforce for the state and the nation."

He continued, "We have done our own internal surveys to track our effectiveness, but it is great to know that TSTC Waco leads Texas in graduates and is in the top ten colleges in the nation."

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Museum Memorials

Recent memorials to the Z.I. Hale Museum in honor of Hazel Dietz were made by Nina Hale, Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Colburn, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. England, Jewel Kraatz, and Charlsie Poe.

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WHS STUDENT COUNCIL officers and sponsor, clockwise, from upper left: Marcie Pritchard, Janabeth Bryan, Chane Reagan, Rachel Edwards and Laura Dees, sponsor, recently returned from a leadership workshop held in San Antonio.

WHS Student Council officers and sponsor attend leadership workshop

by Laura Dees

The Winters High School Student Council officers and sponsor recently attended a Texas Association of Student Councils leadership workshop. The workshop was held July 17-22 at the University of Texas at San Antonio.

Thirty-three schools from across the state participated in leadership skill-building activities throughout the week. This year's theme was "The Hero Within."

Attending from Winters High School were Chane Reagan, presi-

dent; Rachel Edwards, vice-president; Janabeth Bryan, secretary and Marcie Pritchard, historian.

Laura Dees, the WHS Student Council sponsor also attended and worked on staff.

Pesticide licensing training on August 10th

by MIKE MAULDIN

There will be Private Pesticide Applicators Training and Licensing Program on Wednesday, August 10, 1994. The training will begin at 5:30 p.m. at the Vo-Ag Classroom at the Winters High School.

The training will be for those wishing to obtain a private applicators license to buy and use restricted use pesticides on their own place. It is currently unlawful to

supervise others unless you have the new pesticide license.

The training program is about 3 hours in length and participants are asked to arrive by 5:30 p.m.

Billy Henderson of the Texas Department of Agriculture will be present following the training to give the test. Those passing the test can obtain a license for \$50 that is good for 5 years. Testing will begin immediately following the training. For more information, call Mike Mauldin, Runnels County Extension Agent at 365-2219.

Local student participates in GT program

Amanda Merfield, a Winters 8th grader, participated in Hardin-Simmons University's annual 'Threshold' program for gifted and talented children and youth.

Students in grades 4-5 and 6-10 attended classes all day, while students in kindergarten through grade 3 attended half-day classes.

About 375 children participated.



Amanda Merfield

Summer Reading Program at Winters Public Library completed successfully

by JOYCE KRAUSE

The summer reading program at the Winters Public Library in cooperation with the State Public System has just been completed. We had 45 children enrolled with an average attendance each week of 25 children. Beginning June 28 through July 26, there were 586 books checked out by children. We had weekly sessions with puppet shows by the Reader Leaders and Webelo Scouts, a story, a short art activity, and refreshments each week. The last session we were treated to a special program on Ireland by Monica O'Mara with pictures and coins, a story about Leprechauns, and songs on the accordion.

We have 35 children who received free swim tickets and 8 Reader Leaders making a total of 43 swim tickets given courtesy of the Winters City Council.

The overall winners are Neal Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Parker of Ovalo and Kendra Esquivel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Esquivel of Winters. They each received two tickets to Six Flags and five passes to the Botanical Gardens in Arlington. These tickets were donated by KTXS-TV in Abilene.

We wish to thank all the people who helped make this possible. We especially appreciate the following teenagers who served as



READING CHAMPIONS from the Summer Reading Program of the Winters Public Library are Neal Parker (left) and Kendra Esquivel. See related story.

our Reader Leaders: Cristi Burton, Michelle Castillo, Zane Crouch, Amy Heathcott, Billy Merfeld, Mandy Merfeld, Jeff Miller, and Michelle Paschal. Without their help this program would not have been possible. We also appreciate the City Council, KTXS-TV 12, the Webelo Scouts with Elaine Miller, Monica O'Mara, and the library board for the art supplies and refreshments.

Students who are eagerly and impatiently awaiting the arrival of the 1993 Glacier yearbook can expect them to come in on August 15.

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	Thousands of Dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Nonint. bearing bal. & currency coin.....	467
Interest-bearing balances.....	100
Securities:	
Held-to-maturity securities.....	489
Available-for-sale securities.....	1,196
Available:	
Federal funds sold.....	390
Securities purchased under agreements to resell....	-0-
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income.....	3,597
LESS: Allowance for loan & lease losses.....	134
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve.....	-0-
Loans & leases, net of unearned income, allowance, & reserve.....	3,463
Assets held in trading accounts.....	-0-
Premises & fixed assets (inc. capitalized assets)...	290
Other real estate owned.....	162
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries & associated companies.....	-0-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding.....	-0-
Intangible assets.....	-0-
Other assets.....	200
Total assets.....	6,757
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 USC 1823(j).....	N/A
Total assets and losses pursuant to 12 USC 1823(j).....	6,757
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices.....	6,148
Noninterest-bearing.....	998
Interest-bearing.....	5,150
Fed funds purchased.....	-0-
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase....	-0-
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury.....	-0-
Trading liabilities.....	-0-
Other borrowed money:	
With original maturity of one year or less.....	-0-
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Mortgage indebtedness & obligations under capitalized leases.....	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding.....	-0-
Subordinated notes and debentures.....	-0-
Other liabilities.....	23
Total liabilities.....	6,171
Limited-life preferred stock & related surplus....	-0-
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Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus....	-0-
Common stock.....	625
Surplus.....	625
Undivided profits & capital reserves.....	(608)
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities.....	(56)
Total equity capital.....	586
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j).....	N/A
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j).....	586
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 USC 1823(j).....	6,757
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<i>Brenda Smith</i>	JULY 27, 1994
Brenda Smith, Cashier	Date
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NEIGHBORHOOD REUNION in June gave old friends a chance to "catch up" with each other.

Neighborhood reunion

Submitted by **Mary Jane Blackshear**

Yes, it is reunion time again. Some say it is the best time of the year, other say "Oh, not again!" This was a reunion to which everyone came because it was a special time for lots of really good and bad memories. This was a Neighborhood Reunion.

Kids who grew up together on the northeast side of Winters in the late 50s and early 60s, becoming good friends, but mostly losing touch with each other. At least they were good friends unless they were mad at so & so one week but by the next week were speaking again. Sound familiar?

We all said "can't wait to leave Winters. I'm getting rich and never coming back." All who met that Saturday, June 26, 1994, and thought 104° was one hot day, did so because of a common bond. We grew up in a small town, did really neat things like playing jacks, hula-hoops, marbles and, of course, baseball.

We ran around in big groups and sold Coke bottles for 50¢ worth of gas to go to Ballinger

and make the drag or just drag the Chick-Inn.

We had such fun remembering the fun we had back then. Watching our children, and there were a lot of them present, we could see how bored they thought they were while we were reminiscing. But, they were making their own memories while laughing at us. Someday they will be saying, "You remember when Mom dragged us to that place called Winters, with all those weird people?" You know what? They will laugh and remember and hopefully be glad that their grandparents settled in that little town!

Thanks to everyone who came and endured the heat. Thanks to all the help we had getting it together and a special thanks to you young'uns, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Eoff, Mr. C.N. Chambliss, Mrs. Shirley Crouch, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wearden for coming.

Those who grew up in Winters: Toni (Eoff) and Doug Prine, Melody, April and Cody of Nemo; Kathy and Leroy Kraatz, San Marcos; Doris (Galloway) Foggie,

Ann (Galloway) and Henry Wheeler, all of Lyons; Staci, Gina and Michelle Wheeler and Robin Galloway, all of San Angelo; Celia (Chambliss) and Paul Hector of Bronte; Linda (Eoff) O'Neal, Garland; Debbie (Eoff) and Jerry Ravenscroft, Jenny, Tracy, Jerry Don and Bria of Lawn; Patti (Smith) Tischler; Linda (Whittenburg) Bethel; Wesley Crouch; Rhonda (Wheeler) and Robert Cook, Aaron and Kevin; Jo (Crouch) and Buddy Miller; Glenda (Wearden) and Jim Matthews; Lavelle and Donny Killough, Brandon and Brooke; Nancy (Hamilton) and Jerald Moore; Mary Jane (Kiser) and Charley Blackshear, all of Winters; John Newton and Loy Blackshear, both of Arlington; Deedra (Blackshear) and Alfred Yates, Jennifer and Allison of Winters.

In all, 62 friends enjoyed barbeque and visiting at the C.J. and Mary Blackshear "Country Hide-A-Way." Until next year—if you missed it, wish you coulda been there! See ya in '95.

King family reunion

Submitted by **Darlene Gower**

The descendants of Sam and Anna King, longtime residents of the Edith Community, met Saturday, July 23 at the Robert Lee Community Center. The day was spent eating, swimming (for the young and young at heart) and catching up on all the news of the last year. Everyone especially enjoyed the family history books which Tom King had made and passed out to everyone.

Those attending were: Lauri, Jessica and Robert Hall of Anson; Kim, Rowdy and Mikey Glaze of Abilene; Joe and Sharon Glaze of Tye; Anna Mae and Claude Hartsell of Comanche; Eugenia Smith, Sam and June Plumlee, Mike and Kris Plumlee and Haley Hill of Carlsbad, New Mexico; Eddie, Darlene and Christa Gower of Ballinger; Judy Snowden, Eddie, Ann, Amanda, Matt, Amelia, Paul and Lucas Bedrick, Brandie Collier, Dave, Donna, Laurel, Meredith, Joyce and Bobby Walker of Odessa; James, Amy, Brittany and

Dacoda Gunn of Round Rock; Bertie and Forrest Wanker of Fairview, Oklahoma; Lorraine Brooks, Angela and Mike Wade of Artesia, New Mexico; Terry, Tresa, Lauren and Megan Gaines, Madell Thomas, Brian, Ramon and Kay Morin, Shannon Morin; King and Joshua King of Arlington; Burt and LaVelta McVicker of Buchanan Dam; Annelia Shield, Alan, Jamie, Jori, Alyssa, Hannah and Elijah King of Moriarty, New Mexico; Frank Wanker of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; James and Maria Hester, Crystal and Cindy Cudd and Melanie Baker of Lohn.

Also attending: Annie Faye and Jimmie King of Wingate; Randy Gaines of Dallas; Lois Ricks of Childress; Lisa, Zachary and Carly Weaver of Wichita Falls; Carl and Vivian Blair of Bronte; Shirley Strakos, Pam, Aaron and Sarah Gandy, Clara Belle Deese, Frank, Robin, Lori and Teri Smith, Adrienne Hernandez, LaVerne Summers, Waymond and Katie

Dixon, Karla Kay, Kari and Kylan Wilson, Corine and R.B. King, Jess and Dorothy Gaines, Marty and Chanelle Baker, Loucille Middleton, Vivian Keel, Pam, Jasmine and Raymond Cole Smith of San Angelo; Trudi and Don Green of Sun Lakes, Arizona; Ganiece and Pete Joyner, Willie, Lauree and Harley Embrey, Belinda, Richard, Stephanie and Stephen Biddle of Midland; Clayton and Eva King of Brazoria; Eldon and Joan King of El Paso; Tom King of Houston; T.L. and Margaret King of Ft. Worth; Bessie Brice, Willie and Jesse Eads, Jr., Raymond and Gwen Smith, Jesse, III, Jesse, IV, John and Kayla Eads, Aline and David Key, Joe and Deanna Harmon, S.B. and Willa Plumlee and Vivian King of Robert Lee.

Friends joining the King family for the day were Justin Wiley of Ballinger, Jason Cudd of Ft. Worth, Angela Rihurin of Oklahoma City, J.T. Theford, J.B. and Samantha Robertson of Robert Lee.

Crews News by Hilda Kurtz



The Crews Community supper and fellowship has been postponed until September.

Louise Fuller and her family thank everyone for the food, kind words, prayers, phone calls, cards and flowers during the illness and death of L.C. Fuller. They especially want to thank their friends in the Crews Community.

Funeral services for L.C. Fuller were held July 30 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Winters. He was buried in the Crews Cemetery.

Louise's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Anthony of Wilcox, Arizona, are spending a few more days with Louise before going to Ohio to visit relatives.

Bill Mathis' brother Dan Mathis of Florissant, Missouri spent the weekend with the Mathis family. Bill Speegle of Tuscola also dropped by for a visit. On Monday the Mathises were in Abilene for Will to see the ear doctor.

Leona Mathies brother Frank White of Eastland passed away on Monday in an Abilene hospital. Graveside rites were held at the Crews Cemetery on Thursday. The family thanks all who brought food, sent cards, phoned and offered prayers.

Naomi Gerhart of Junction visited with Leona and Charles Mathies during the week.

Harvey Mae Faubion was admitted to Shannon hospital on Wednesday for tests and treatment. She is in room 443.

Brian Faubion took his granddad Noble Faubion to San Angelo for a doctor appointment and then on to see Harvey Mae.

Jerry and Brandi Alexander of Tucson, Arizona spent Monday through Thursday with Helen Alexander. Daughter Casey went back with them after spending several days with Aunt Helen.

On Friday Helen visited cousins Selma and Robert Howard in Abilene.

Wayne and Eris Foreman of Arlington, Imogene and Roy Wayne Rutland of Stockdale all came during the week to see Lawan and Coleman Foreman. Lawan's old friend, Mary Cozart, of Lamesa called.

Hopewell Baptist Church had dinner and fellowship last Sunday. Janie Fanning's mother of Robert Lee was a visitor. Bro. Oscar Fanning will be on vacation for two weeks and will arrange for substitute speakers for the two Sundays.

Tom and Woodie Worthington left on Sunday morning for their home in Banning, California. They had spent several weeks in the area with relatives.

Happy birthday and many more to Adeline and Fairy Alcorn.

Big congratulations to Bernice and Rodney Faubion on their 23rd anniversary.

Doris Wood and Frances Mincey spent Sunday in Big Spring on business. Frances and Doris attended the Wood reunion recently in Ballinger and visited with Nettie McMillan and family.

Corra Petrie enjoyed Sunday dinner in the home of daughter Pat and Cecil Hambricht. Tonie and Arthur Spraggs of Abilene were there also.

Corra had a phone visit with cousin Betty Jo Miller of San Saba. She also heard from Brenda Jacob on Sunday.

Brad and Ruth Pape were in San Angelo Wednesday for a check up on Brad's knee. He got a good report and can walk some now with his walker.

Brad had a phone call from Raymond Pearce of Los Angeles, California.

Ruth talked to daughter Elaine Kennedy in Florida. Elaine said it has been raining every day.

Margie Jacob and family attended the annual Mick-Nick reunion at Hords Creek Lake Friday, Saturday and Sunday. There was good attendance, about 150. There was lots of good fun and entertainment. Oldest in attendance was Herbert Jacob; youngest was Nathan and Gina Halfmann's son Reggie of Garden City. Travelling the farthest was David Edwards of Del Rio.

Visiting Fairy and Wilber Alcorn over the weekend were: Joanie, Johnny and Mark Mathis and Christy Davis of Springfield Missouri; Steve and Jennifer Christian; Linda, Johnny, Aaron and Isaac Denson from San Angelo; Jarrell Giles of Brownwood; Doris Wood and Frances Mincey.

All of Fairy and Wilber's children and grandchildren took Fairy out for dinner at Casa Cabana in Winters on her birthday.

The Kenny Cartwrights have returned from a 7-day vacation to San Antonio where they visited with cousin Rosanna Kelemen. They then went to the Victoria area to visit Kenny's parents, the K.M. Cartwrights. Other spots they visited were Corpus Christi, Padre Island and Texas State Aqua-rena. They also went aboard the aircraft carrier Lexington.

Jimmy Chapman did odd jobs for Selma Dietz on Wednesday. Jimmy, Frances and children and Judy Cooke came for supper.

Attending the Parker reunion over the weekend were: Melvena, Marvin, Scott and Keith Gerhart; Sherri, Brett, Bryant and Braden Mikeska of Wingate; Myrtle Wright of Menard; Roy and Pat Parker of Ballinger. 53 attended.

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Employment

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Help wanted: Cooks, wait persons. Good personality and willing to work. Apply at Beefmaster Steakhouse in Ballinger. 365-2424. 5-13(tfc)
Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., has a job opening for a cook at Winters Head Start Center. Cook applicants must have a high school diploma or GED. If you would like additional information or to request an application, please contact (915) 625-4167 or come by 800 E. Second St. (P.O. Box 820) Coleman, TX 76834. All applications must be received by Aug. 12, 1994. CTO, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 5-31(2tc)
Help wanted: Production worker position available. Will train. Apply at office of Dankworth Packing Co., 16th & Eubank St., Ballinger. 5-31(2tc)
Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. Head Start Program is accepting applications for the position of book-keeper. If you would like additional information or to complete an application, please contact (915) 625-4167 or come by 800 E. Second Street, (P.O. Box 820) Coleman, TX 76834. All applications must be received by July 29, CTO, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 5-29(4tc)
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Garage Sales

BIG YARD SALE: Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 1/4 mile north of Winters on Hwy. 83. 5-31(1tp)
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Garage Sale: Friday, August 5, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., 310 S. Arlington. Girls clothing sizes 4-6 and 10-14, boys 4-5, ladies clothes sizes 10-12. Books, baby bed, toys, kitchen items, piano, curtains, drapery hardware, miscellaneous. 5-31(1tp)
3-Family Garage Sale: Friday & Saturday, 405 N. Rogers. Clothes & lots of miscellaneous. 5-31(1tp)
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Special Notices

Weight Watchers is now meeting every Wednesday in Winters. For more information, please call 1-800-359-3131. 5-23(tfc)

Lost & Found

Lost in the vicinity of E. Broadway from the Vet Clinic on Saturday, July 30. 1 female Spanish goat, black & white mix. Reward offered. Call Don Marks in Winters, 754-4860 or Ken Kraatz collect (915) 862-6272. 5-31(ttc)

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The Winters School plans to make a single charge to the children for flavored and unflavored milk; therefore, please make one bid for both flavored and unflavored milk.
Bids are to be sealed and the envelope plainly identified by marking on the outside "BID ON SCHOOL MILK". Bids are to be mailed to T.D. Lancaster, Superintendent of Schools, P.O. Box 125, Winters, Texas 79567. Bids will be opened August 9, 1994 at the regular board meeting.

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E. TRUITT-3 BR, 1 bath, double, C/P, lg. lot.
N. MURRAY-3 BR, 2 bath, central H/A, on 2 lots.
S. CHURCH-6 rooms, needs repair, corner lot. Make offer.
W. PIERCE-3 BR, 1 bath, brick, 1779 sq. ft.

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. These reports make up a small percentage of the total calls the Department receives and responds to each week.
Winters Police Department reports received and/or investigated from Sunday, July 24 through Saturday, July 30, 1994. Winters Police Officers:
• filed charges on Catarina Martinez, 30 years of age, of Winters for Endangering a Child after Martinez was arrested for DWI in the 100 block of Main Street.
• responded to a disturbance in the 300 block of E. Broadway and arrested Margaret Brockington Huffman, 37 years of age, of Winters for Class A Assault, Family Violence and for Resisting Arrest.
• received a report and investigated an Injury to a Child case. The case was referred to the Child Protective Services and no charges were filed.
• received a report of a Theft in the 900 block of N. Rogers Street in which a speaker was stolen. The investigation continues.
• filed charges on Lewis Martinez, 36 years of age, of Sweetwater for Driving While License Suspended after Martinez' vehicle was stopped for a traffic violation.
• responded to a Domestic Disturbance in the 500 block of State Street. The victim waited approximately 12 hours before reporting the incident. The offending party was no longer at the residence. No injuries were visible. The victim was advised how to go about filing charges on the suspect.
• responded to a suspicious vehicle being parked in the 500 block of E. Broadway. Upon arrival, officers arrested Manuel Salazar, 37 years of age, of Winters for an outstanding Driving While Intoxicated Surety Withdrawal Warrant.
• a baggie of suspected marijuana was located lying in the street near a vehicle in the 500 block of E. Broadway. There is a suspect in the case.
• assisted another agency in a case in which Billy Herring of Winters was arrested for Driving While Intoxicated.
• responded to a Domestic Disturbance which had occurred in the 300 block of Willis Street and arrested Richard Sanchez, 28 years of age, of Winters for Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon.
Rannels County Crimestoppers offers a cash reward for information which leads to the grand jury indictment or conviction of offenders and the caller does not have to give his or her name. To give a Crimestopper's tip, call your local law enforcement agency at:
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Ballinger Police Department-365-3591
Rannels County Sheriff's Department-365-2121

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Ace Explains the Facts of Life

I guess it happens to all fathers sooner or later.

For my hunting partner, Ace Sandusky, it happened last Sunday. You know, the day your child starts asking a lot of questions about where they came from.

Ace and his 10-year old son, Ace, Jr., were out at hunting camp doing a few chores. Things got interesting when they came across a doe and her newborn fawn down by the creek bottom.

"Where do baby fawn's come from?" asked Little Ace, looking his dad square in the eye.

"Well, uh, let's see, uh," Ace stammered. "There's the doe and then, uh, there's the buck and then, well, then there's the fawn. Make sense?"

"Well, sorta. I'm like the fawn except I'm a person. There was you, then there was Mom and then there was me. But I don't understand where I was before I was me. You know, Dad, where I came from."

"Well, uh, it's kind of a long story," Ace squirmed. "Ya see, uh, it's all about a thing called the birds and the bees."

"I sorta understand about the fawn," said Little Ace, "but how do birds make bees and bees make birds? Seems like birds would make birds and bees would make bees."

"That's right, Son. Birds make bees and bees make birds....no... I mean bees make bees and birds make bees...I mean birds make birds and..."

Ace has been in quite a few predicaments, but never before had anything put him into such a fizzle. He was like a treed coon, at the end of a limb, trapped, with no place to jump.

Stalling for time, he made up some phony excuse and got "the talk" postponed until the following afternoon.

On Ace's plea, all the guys from camp got together for a sort of group tutoring session for flustered fathers. By pooling all our knowledge of the birds and bees, we hoped to give Ace at least a fighting chance.

Most of the guys dozed off about midnight. But Ace stayed awake all night. By daybreak, he was total nervous wreck.

By afternoon, the icy fingers of fear were finding a tight grip around his throat. Seeing the dust

from Little Ace's bus coming up the lane, Ace started shaking like a quaking aspen leaf in a blue norther.

Feeling a mite light-headed and woozy, Ace sat down on a cedar stump to catch his breath. The next time he opened his eyes, the emergency room doctor was poking him with a needle as long as a skinning knife.

Acute Nervous Anxiety Syndrome. That's what the doctorsaid had afflicted Ace. Apparently, tension over "the talk" had overloaded his nervous system and caused it to short circuit.

Going against doctor's orders and the acid in the pit of his stomach, Ace called Little Ace to his bedside. Ace knew it was his responsibility to finish what they had started.

"Oh, you mean the deal about the birds and the bees," said Little Ace.

"Well, Son, this birds and the bees thing is somethin' mighty important between a father and a son," Ace gulped. A nurse had strode in and out, checking his I.V. and blood pressure. She handed him his evening dose of heavy-duty sleeping pills and muscle relaxers.

Ace gritted his teeth, swallowed a fist-full of pills and plunged headlong into the birds and the bees. After a few gut-wrenching minutes, it was over.

"That's pretty much like Billy Ray and Johnny Bob said on the playground," said Little Ace matter of factly, as if Ace had just recited the Boy Scout motto, or something.

There was one consolation for this agony, Ace thought. At least the other fathers were enduring the same birds and the bees torture he was going through.

"So," said Ace, as the bleeps of his heart flipped up and down across the screen of a heart attack machine. "Their dads have already explained to them about the birds and the bees, then?"

"No...their dads didn't have to," said Little Ace with a shrug. "They're all town kids and they just watch cable."

Code Blue! Code Blue! Room 342.....

Don Haley *1994

August 4 date set for Farm Bureau barbeque

The annual Runnels County Farm Bureau barbeque will be conducted Thursday, August 4 in the Ballinger City Park at 6 p.m.

Farm Bureau members are asked to pay \$1.00 per plate. Non-members are invited and the cost of tickets will be \$5.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children.

In case of bad weather, serving will take place in the Ballinger Community Center.

Public Record

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Donald Wallace Bruton, Jr. and Kristi Lynette Kvapil, 7/22/94.
Leonard Michael Gully and Jean Ann Goetz Brosch, 7/15/94.
Antonio Cavazos and Sherry Anne Hardy, 7/25/94.

COUNTY COURT
Efrain Torrez, 7/15/94, Theft of Merchandise by Check. Defendant entered a plea of guilty, fined \$50.00 plus costs \$165. To pay \$10 to Hot Check Fee Fund and \$5 to Merchant's Fee Fund. To pay restitution of \$39.16.
Lee Haney, 7/26/94, Theft, Order of Dismissal.
Wade Hampton Carter, 7/27/94, DWI. Order of Dismissal.

DISTRICT COURT
The First National Bank of Rotan, Ballinger Branch, vs. Steven E. Simpson and Dede Simpson, 7/25/94, Promissory Note.
Edward Gottschalk and wife Dorothy Gottschalk and Edwin W. Deike dba EWD Oil vs. Geotrac Energy Corporation, 7/25/94, Damages.
The First National Bank of Rotan, Ballinger Branch, vs. Bitwell Service and Cementers, a Texas General partnership and Cindy Birkenfeld, Richard E. Simpson and Steven E. Simpson, Individually, 7/25/94, Promissory Note.

DIVORCES GRANTED
Carol Ann Bray and Raymond Charles Bray, 7/25/94.

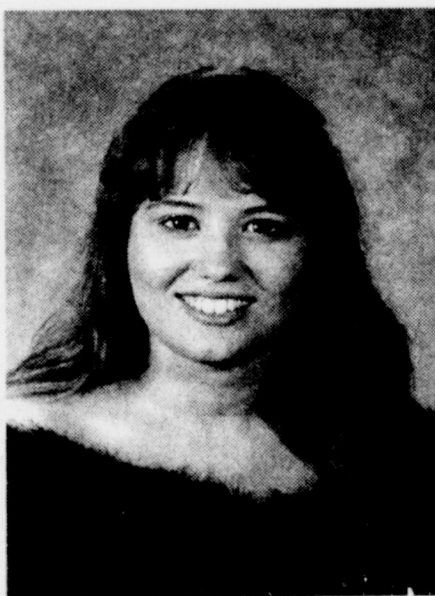
J.P. COURT #1
Mueller Supply Co., Inc. vs. Garrett Stevens, 7/21/94, Account.
Mueller Supply Co., Inc. vs. Silden, Inc./Bob Emerson, 7/21/94, Account.
Mueller Supply Co., Inc. vs. Chester Pinkham Siding, 7/21/94, Account.
Texas Department of Public Safety vs. Scott Peter Julian, 7/27/94, Petition for Administrative Hearing.
Texas Department of Public Safety vs. William Edward Dulaney, 7/27/94, Petition for Administrative Hearing.
Eno Serbine, 7/22/94, Theft by Check Under \$20.
James Peoples, 7/22/94, Issuance of a Bad Check.
Eno Serbine, 7/22/94, Issuance of a Bad Check.
Shawn A. Castillo, 7/22/94, Issuance of a Bad Check, two counts.

Local FFA member receives scholarship

Amanda Conner of the Winters FFA was chosen a recipient of the \$500 Golden Rule Sausage Scholarship at the 66th Annual Texas FFA Convention held July 12-15 in Fort Worth.

Miss Conner was selected based on academic achievement, FFA and Agri-Science activities including the Supervised Agriculture Experience Program, leadership in school and community and interviews. FFA advisor for Winters is Roy Shackelford.

Amanda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Conner, is a 1994 graduate of Winters High School. She plans to attend Tarleton State University in Stephenville.



Amanda Conner



FIRST YEAR WEBELO CAMP was held at Camp Tonkawa July 6th-9th. Participants from Pack 249, Den 1 from Winters earned Aquanaut, Craftsman, Geologist and Naturalist pins and BB Belt Loops. Scouts participated in swimming, archery, crafts, BB's and nature activities each day. Rhonda Goetz, Webelo Leader and Linda Wimberly camped with the Scouts and Albert DeLaCruz and Mark Goetz provided assistance during the stay. Pictured are, back row, from left: Britton Howe, Merkel; Justin Young, Chris Holloway, Lincoln Edwards, Jacob Goetz, Daniel DeLaCruz, Winters; Luke Bower, Abilene and Brandon Davis, Winters. Front row: Matt Tounget, Winters; Phillip Adams, Merkel; Marcus Wall, Dallas; Willie Wimberly, Guy Slimp, Matthew Meyers, Winters and Christopher Riley, Abilene.

Results of the Winters WTRA Rodeo

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