

Apples of Gold
TEMPERANCE—Ideas are funny little things. They won't work unless you do.

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Vehicle accident takes the life of former Winters resident, critically injures wife

On Thursday, March 30, 1995, at approximately 7:55 p.m., a 1988 Grand Prix Pontiac driven by Andy Lee New rolled three times on West Lake Road, FM 600, in Jones County, 1/2 mile north of the Abilene city limits.

At 9:34 p.m., Mr. New, 33, was pronounced dead by Justice of the Peace Marlon Smith. Funeral services for Andy were held Saturday, April 1, at Allen-Korzenewski Funeral Home with burial in Fort Phantom Cemetery.

Lesli Bishop New, 40, a passenger in the vehicle, was critically injured and taken to Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene where she remains in stable condition of the Critical Care Unit.

Andy is the son of Betty Sargent of Merkel and the grandson of L.A. and Willie Sargent of Winters.

Lesli is the daughter of Billie Ruth Bishop of Winters. The News were not wearing seat belts.

Meeting, workday slated at Crews Cemetery April 8

The Crews Cemetery Association will have their annual meeting and workday Saturday, April 8, at the cemetery.

The business meeting will begin at 9 a.m.

Three-hour power outage planned Sat.

On Saturday, April 8, there will be a planned power outage from midnight until 3 a.m. for repairs.

Customers affected include all West Texas Utilities customers north of Casa Cabana, including Penny Lane and Laurel Drive additions.

Rural Electric Association customers included will be north of Winters, Wingate, Norton, Drasco, and Crews.

West Texas Utilities apologizes for the inconvenience, but notes that these repairs will improve service to valuable customers.



NEAR PERFECT FORM is shown by first place winner Mark Deike as he jumps 110 meter high hurdles at Jim Ned. Varsity teams compete at Haskell on April 8, then proceed to District at Jim Ned on April 13.



RICKY DEAN of Winters was driving this 1994 Chevrolet pickup when he apparently fell asleep at the wheel and overcorrected at a curve in the 1300 block of West Dale causing the vehicle to roll over. Damage to the pickup was heavy, but Dean was not injured.

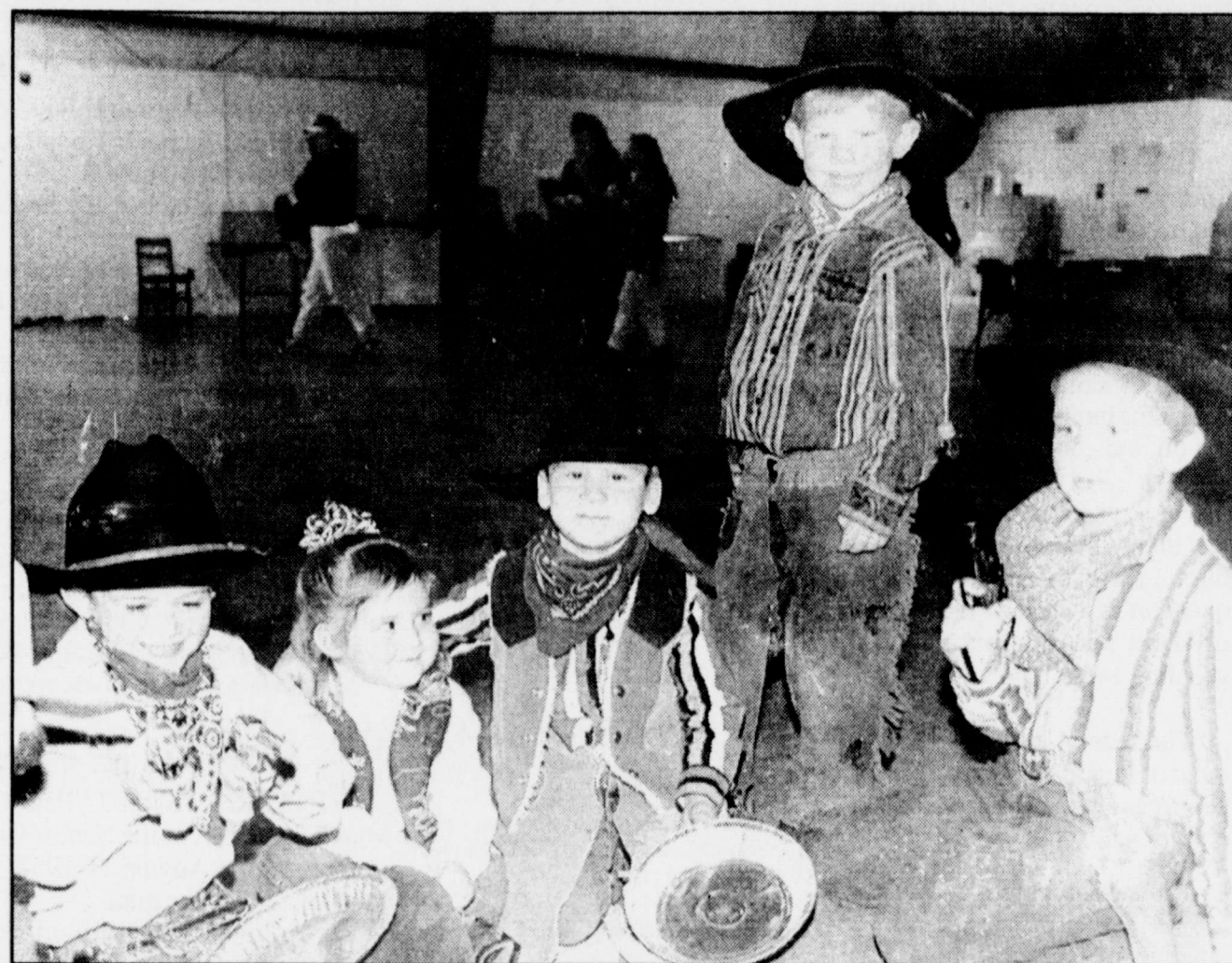
Barricades are positioned for safety reasons

When will the barricades on Main Street be removed? Why are the orange and white markers still there? These are just two of the many questions heard around town in reference to the newly constructed handicap accessible ramps near the corners of Main and Dale Streets.

The barricades are actually stationed for your protection, as handrails have yet to be installed on these tri-level ramps.

The Texas Department of Transportation has contracted construction of handrails for Winters, and other neighboring cities, due to arrive in April.

Rest assured, handrails will be installed by the end of this month or early May and the barricades removed.



KINDERGARTEN POSSE members (l to r) Luke England, Julie England, Trenton Grohman, Keegan Kurtz, and Wacey Cason invite beginning students to Winters Elementary School. Children will enjoy participation in many activities such as Cowboy Day.

Kindergarten Roundup begins April 18

Pre-registration for 1995-1996 Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students has been scheduled for Tuesday, April 18, 1995, at 7:00 p.m. in the Elementary Library.

Parents of children who will be four- (4) years-old for Pre-K or five- (5) years-old for Kindergarten, on or before September 1, 1995, should bring birth certificates (hospital or church

records), immunization records, and social security cards. Those students not enrolled in Kindergarten and who will be six on or before September 1, 1995, should also register for the first grade.

PRE-KINDERGARTEN: A four-year-old child shall be eligible for Pre-Kindergarten if he/she is unable to comprehend the English language or is from a family whose income is at or below

subsistence level. Pre-Kindergarten classes shall be offered for one-half (1/2) day.

It is **VERY IMPORTANT** that all students should be pre-registered. The school needs to

determine the number of Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, and First Grade teachers that will be needed for the 1995-1996 school year.

Winters hosts Principals & Supervisors Association

Winters was chosen as the site for the District 15 Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association (TEPSA) meeting held on Friday, March 31.

According to Winters Elementary School Principal Terry Wyatt, approximately thirty principals, supervisors, and their guests attended.

The Winters Elementary Choir performed, under the direction of teacher Fran Kidwell, prior to the meeting and received invitations to perform at special events in Miles, San Angelo, and Brady.

Stormy Higgins, L.P.C., C.P.C., of Crisis Point Consulting in Abilene presented the morning program on "How Stress and Trauma Affect People."

During a noon meal at The Shed, Sandy Borden, TEPSA officer, spoke on the State Board of Education and gave legislative updates.

Upon returning to the Winters school campus, leaders were given the opportunity to observe students conducting preview lessons. Programs observed included Jostens Learning Lab, CEI Computer Reading Chapter I/Special Education, Dyslexia, and Classroom Phonics. Students participating were in grades kindergarten through sixth.

An informal conference room discussion followed covering technology issues such as the benefits and downfalls of each program.

Negotiations continue on Family Dollar store

Amid rumors of the planned Winters Family Dollar store relocating to Ballinger, FD public relations manager Florence Standley was contacted and asked about the move.

Ms. Standley has stated that executive members of Family Dollar store are still negotiating, in regards to the lease of the Winters building and parking area, and do continue plans to open a store in Winters. A future opening date will be announced as acknowledged.

Family Dollar store has no plans to open a store in Ballinger, according to Ms. Standley.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ?

- April 6-2:30-4:30 p.m., Commodities, Winters Multi-Purpose Center
- 6-9 p.m., ESL Class
- 7 p.m., Project Graduation, WHS Media Center
- 7-8 p.m., AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- 7:30 p.m., Winters Masonic Lodge
- April 7-Noon, Senior Citizens Meal
- 7 p.m., Veterans Supper, American Legion Hall
- April 8-9 a.m., Crews Cemetery Workday
- 2-4:30 p.m., Rabies Clinic, Winters' New Fire Station
- Runnels County Farm Equipment Sale, Wingate Lions Bldg.
- Umpire Clinic, Abilene
- April 9-10:30 a.m., Palm Sunday Service, First United Methodist Church
- 11:45 a.m., Bar-B-Q for Rebuilding, St. John's Lutheran Church
- Public Health Week Ends
- April 10-Noon, Senior Citizens Meal
- 2:30 p.m., Retired Teachers Association, First United Methodist Church
- 5:30 p.m., Baptist Association, Southside Baptist Church
- 6 p.m., ADD Meeting, Elementary Library
- 6 p.m., City Council
- 6:30 p.m., Cancer Coalition, Brownwood
- 6-9 p.m., ESL Class
- 7 p.m., Winters Squares, Community Center
- 7 p.m., VFW & Auxiliary
- April 11-10 a.m., Commissioners Court, Ballinger
- Noon, Lions Club
- 7 p.m., WVFD
- 7-8 p.m., AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- 7:30 p.m., School Board
- 7:30 p.m., Elm Creek Water Control Board
- April 12-Noon, Senior Citizens Meal
- 5:30 p.m., Chamber Directors
- 7 p.m., Wingate Baptist Church Revival Begins
- April 13-3-4:30 p.m., Taxpayer Seminar, Abilene
- 6-9 p.m., ESL Class
- 7-8 p.m., AA meets at 105 W. Truett
- Deadline to Order Brisket from Christmas in April School Holiday

OIL BUSINESS . . .

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I came across some interesting facts regarding prices of petroleum products and taxes the other day. Thought you might be interested in some of the information.

In Europe, the average price of imported crude oil fell from \$28.80 per barrel in 1984 to about \$16.50 in 1993. The U.S., Japan, and other big consumers saw about the same drop in unrefined product price over the referenced period.

One might think that consumers should have been in for a price reduction at the gasoline pump of roughly 40 percent. But, in case you haven't already noticed, the pump price has not really dropped — from about \$1.20 in 1984 to \$0.72 per gallon in 1993. Why?

Taxes. It seems that taxes are somewhat more sinister than death, as taxes seem to increase every year and you only die once.

Over the same period quoted above, refined product prices have actually increased about 45 percent. This includes gasoline, heating oil, etc.

Now, gasoline hasn't gone up this much, like solvents and heating oil have, but there is still the question of where that reduction of about 50 cents per gallon of gasoline went.

The federal highway tax took most of it, and the state taxes and environmental surcharges took the rest.

The public perception is that the integrated oil companies are lapping up that extra profit that must be accruing due to lower oil prices and steady or even increasing gasoline prices.

Unfortunately for the public image of the oil companies, no one seems to notice that Uncle Sam is the biggest pork belly at the trough.

It is bad enough being a hindrance to commerce, but not having to take credit for the things that have kept gasoline prices well above wholesale is the worst. Government is a mess.

Let me know when you meet someone that can take responsibility for their actions. We'll make them President due to lack of competition from others that actually take personal responsibility.

HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

COMPLETIONS

Callahan County
Charter Petroleum has completed the Finley -75- #1A in the County Regular Field (5 miles E of Baird) at an initial rate of 162 MCFPD (AOF) in the Moutray Sand (perms 398-404). Loc. is 800 FSL & 2464 FWL of Sec. 75, BOH Sur.

Concho County
LeClair Operating has completed the Shelton #1 as a Wildcat, 4 miles NW of Eden at an initial rate of 70 BOPD & 25 BWPD in an unidentified zone (perms 3612-25). Loc. is 497 FEL & 1996 FSL of J.H. Gibson Sur. No. 1, A-320.

Nolan County
Chisholm Exploration has completed the Lewis #5 in the Suggs Field (3 miles W of Blackwell) at an initial rate of 10 BOPD & 200 BWPD in the Ellenburger (perms 6388-94). Loc. is 780 FSL & 660 FEL of Sec. 248, Blk. 1A, H&TC Sur.

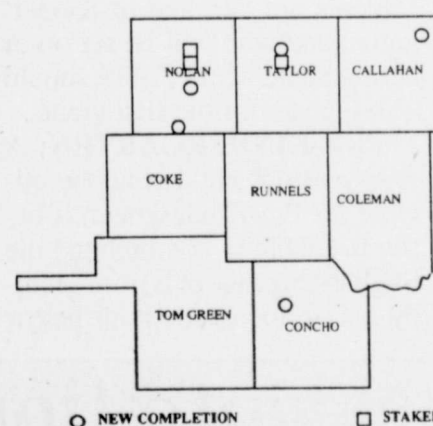
Union Pacific Resources has completed the Sorrells #3 in the Burke's Reef Field (18 miles S of Sweetwater) at an initial rate of 126 BOPD & 33 BWPD in the Ellenburger (perms 6714-6806). Loc. is 263 FSL & 1732 FEL of Sec. 161, Blk. 1A, H&TC Sur., A-84.

Taylor County
L.C.S. Production has completed a plug back in the P. Price #1 in the Gibson Field (1 mile S of Merkel) at an initial rate of 15 BOPD & 5 BWPD in the Frazier formation (perms 2716-20). Loc. is 660 FNL & 465 FEL of Lge. 147, Lbr. 7, Grimes CSL Sur., A-73.

STAKINGS

Nolan County
Tucker Drilling has staked two wells in the South Lake Trammel Field, 3 miles N of Maryneal (Depth 5700). The B.K. Harris -T- #3 is loc. 2150 FNL & 2550 FWL of Sec. 75, Blk. X, T&PRR Sur., A-488. The B.K. Harris #4 is loc. 947 FNL & 470 FWL of Sec. 76, Blk. X, T&PRR Sur., A-1285.

Taylor County
Echo Petroleum has staked the Morris #1 in the County Regular Field, 6 miles S of Merkel (Depth 5999). Loc. is 4375 FNL & 1371 Lge. 145, Guadalupe CSL Sur., A-78.



Obituaries

Roy Davis

WINTERS—Roy Davis, 89, died Tuesday night, March 28, 1995, at Our House retirement home.

He was born March 13, 1906, in Florence, Texas, and came to Runnels County at 6 months of age. He lived in Antelope Community, Harmony Community, and Hatchel for 31 years. He married Della Mae Bishop on May 16, 1925, in Ballinger.

Mr. Davis was a farmer and rancher and retired in 1971. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Della Mae Davis of Winters; one son, Robert Charles Davis of Abilene; two daughters, Velma Louise Conway of Buffalo Gap and Joyce Mae Lanter of Winters; one sister, Lessie McLaughlin of Montgomery; four grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Friday, March 31, at the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Glenn Shoemaker officiating. Burial was in Northview Cemetery under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Dan Lanter, Darrell Conway, Eddie Kotrlík, Randall Sudduth, Bryan Smith, and Doyle Hefley.

Memorials may be made to the Cancer Society.

Emma Hulda Wessels

WINTERS—Emma Hulda Wessels, 86, died Tuesday, March 31, 1995, at North Runnels Hospital.

She was born March 16, 1909, in Wied, Texas. She married Alfred C. Wessels on October 15, 1932, in Yorktown, Texas, then came to Runnels County.

Mrs. Wessels was a homemaker, a farmer, and a member of St. John's Lutheran Church and the Lutheran Ladies Aid.

Survivors include one son, A.C. Wessels Jr. and wife Carolyn of Kerrville; two daughters, Geraldine Lang and husband Henry of Llano, and Pat Dearing of Winters; one sister, Anita Lippke of Comfort; seven grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Family visitation was Wednesday, March 29, at the Winters Funeral Home. Services were held Thursday, March 30, at St. John's Lutheran Church with Pastor James Hanson officiating. Burial was in the Lutheran Cemetery under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Clinton Lang, David Lang, Victor Lang, Brian Dearing, Dan Paul, and Ralph Whittenberg.

Memorials may be made to St. John's Lutheran Church.

Willie J. "Pap" Collins Sr.

WINTERS—Willie J. "Pap" Collins Sr., 62, died Tuesday evening, March 28, 1995, at the Senior Citizens Nursing Home.

He was born August 27, 1932, in Alice, Texas, and came to Runnels County as a young man.

Mr. Collins was an oilfield worker and a Baptist.

Survivors include three sons, Willie J. Collins Jr. of Ballinger, Mark Collins of Winters, and Lucas Collins of Abilene; four daughters, Linda Mae Goodson of Winters, Jennifer Garcia of Menard, Janine Halfmann of Rowena, and ViSue Crouch of Abilene; two brothers, M.J. Collins of Cleburne and Joe Collins of Pleasanton; one sister, Carrie Glover of Yoakum; 26 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held Thursday, March 30, at Lakeview Cemetery with Reverend Wayne Hagle officiating. Burial was under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

Andy Lee "Drew" New

NUGENT—Andy Lee "Drew" New, 33, formerly of Winters, died Thursday, March 30, 1995, from injuries sustained in a vehicle accident.

He was born September 4, 1961, in Anson to Arther Lee New and Betty Sargent. He grew up at Winters and lived many years at Jacksboro before moving to the Abilene area in 1987. He married Lesli Bishop Daniel on November 12, 1994, at Georgetown.

Mr. New was a diesel mechanic and an oilfield well service operator. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Lesli New of Nugent; three daughters, Wendy Bowden of Winters, Angela New of Menard, and Amanda New of Nugent; one son, Scott New of Menard; two step-children, Matthew Daniel and Heather Daniel, both of Mansfield; his mother, Betty Sargent of Merkel; three brothers, James New and his wife Lois of Abilene, Billy New and his wife Kim of Merkel, and Richard New and his wife Lizz of Abilene; two sisters, Lauri Morton and her husband Farion of Glen Cove and Chenoa Melendez of Merkel; grandparents, L.A. and Willie Sargent of Winters; one granddaughter; several aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Services were held Saturday, April 1, at Allen-Korzenewski Funeral Home Chapel in Abilene with Jerry Shields officiating. Burial followed in Fort Phantom Cemetery in Abilene under the direction of Allen-Korzenewski Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Scott New, James New, Billy New, Richard New, Farion Morton, and Lucas Collins.

Doris (King) Crim

FLORIDA—Doris (King) Crim, 71, died Saturday, April 1, 1995, in a nursing home in Miami, Florida.

She was born and raised at Crews, Texas, and graduated from Crews High School. She married Dave Crim on October 30, 1940. They retired and moved to Coleman Lake where she lived until his death in 1990.

Mrs. Crim always considered Crews her home. She was a homemaker and a member of the Wingate Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, one son, and one daughter.

Survivors include one daughter, Shirley Modisette of Miami, Florida; one son, Bill Crim; five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; one sister, LaVoy McNeill of Wingate; and one brother, Royce King of Amarillo.

Mrs. Crim will be cremated and brought home in June.

Card of Thanks

Thank you to all our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown to us during the loss of our loved one, Roy Davis.

A special thank you to Brother Shoemaker, Dr. Lee, and the Home Health nurses.

All of your concern, love, and prayers made these past months a little easier to endure.

Della Mae Davis, Velma & Bill Conway, Joyce & Vern Lanter, Robert & Mary Davis, Grandchildren & Great-grandchildren

Card of Thanks

There are no words in any dictionary that can express the warm feeling I have in my heart for all the wonderful things my friends have done for me since I have been in the hospital and since I have returned home.

Your prayers, cards, flowers, visits, and telephone calls help me to fight more to get well. It's going to take time, but I'll make it, thanks to each and everyone of you.

A special thanks to those that looked after the puppies.

Charlene Craven

Card of Thanks

Thanks to each of you who called, brought and prepared food, sent flowers and memorials, or attended her service.

Thanks to the North Runnels Hospital and Ambulance Service and their staff, Dr. Lee, and Home Health staff, Mike Meyer, Linda Dry, Pastor Hanson and Ramona, and all the friends and family who helped. God bless you all.

The family of Emma Wessels The Dearing, Langs, and Wessels

Card of Thanks

A big loving "thank you" to all of you that have sent cards, brought food, called, and loaned me books to read since I have been ill.

Your thoughtfulness and prayers are greatly appreciated.

A special "thank you" to the Home Health nurses and aides.

Doris Prewitt

Sunrise service at Country Club

A sunrise service is planned Easter Sunday, April 16, at 7 a.m. at the Winters Country Club.

Breakfast will follow a short service.

Bring lawn chairs and blankets.

Help needed for Easter party

The Family Group is planning an Easter party for the residents of Senior Citizens Nursing Home, their families, the employees, and the employee's families.

Those interested in helping, please call Joyce Krause at 754-5402.

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Senior Citizens Activity Center Menu

April 10 thru April 14
Subject to change
Monday, April 10: Spaghetti & meat, carrot salad, mixed vegetables, garlic bread, and brownies.
Wednesday, April 12: Ham & gravy, squash dressing, pea salad, rolls, and Jello cake.
Friday, April 14: Closed for Good Friday.

Social Security is an independent agency

As of March 31st, the Social Security Administration (SSA) became an independent agency, separate from the Department of Health and Human Services which has been its home base since 1953.

The change is expected to provide a new level of recognition to SSA and to all those who receive Social Security benefits and support the system through their payroll contributions, officials stated.

Under the 1994 Social Security Independence and Program Improvement Act transferring the agency, SSA retains the responsibility for administering the Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance programs (OASDI) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program. SSA will also continue to assist in administering the Medicare and Black Lung programs.

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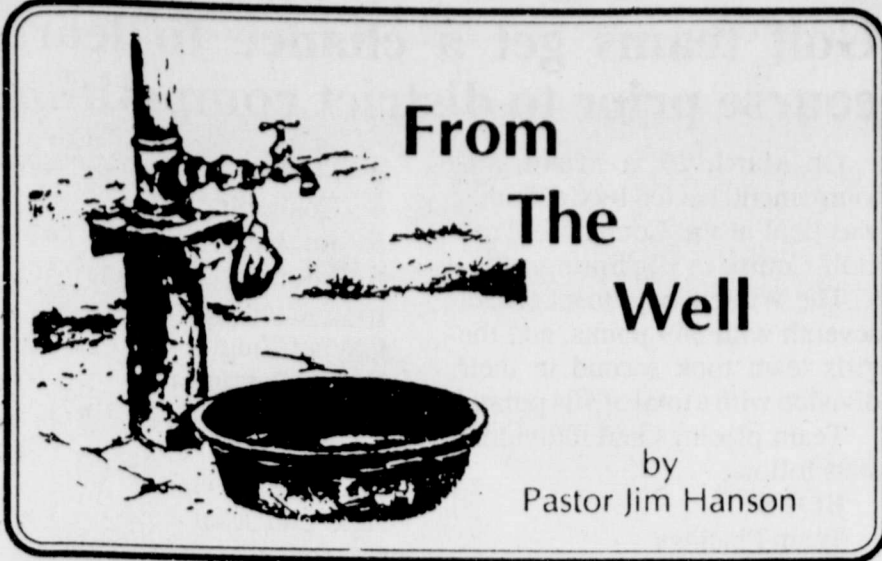
"We make a lot of decisions in our lives and we've decided to have another baby. We've also decided to use Angelo Community Hospital again."

-- Alan and Heidi Curry, Allison & Sterling San Angelo

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From The Well

by
Pastor Jim Hanson

"What are you going to be when you grow up?"

That was the question when I was a boy. Ever so often, someone would ask me that question. And because I didn't always have an answer, it was a question I asked myself. I knew in the deepest part of me, way down in my well, that this was a big question. And I prayed for an answer.

I got the answer early on in life. I think I was five- or six-years-old when one day I found myself, outside, preaching to a flock of birds. It must have been a good sermon because they didn't all fly away. My mother saw it and heard me through the open window in the kitchen. She never forgot it.

It wasn't too much later in life that when people asked me, "What are you going to be when you grow up?" I would answer, "I'm going to be a preacher." I never really questioned the call. When I was in college, I toyed with some other vocations (by the way, that's what the word vocation means - it means "calling"), but never very seriously. And somehow I knew that if I didn't become a preacher, my life would never be fulfilled.

So I went to college for four years. And then on to Seminary for four years — taking the courses that would prepare me for preaching, and teaching, and counseling and all the things that a minister is supposed to do. It was during my last two years at Seminary that Ramona and I got together. She, too, was an answer to prayer. And somehow I knew that if I didn't ask her to marry me, and if she didn't say "yes," my life would have a big emptiness, a big hole in it.

On June 13, 1954, I was ordained with the laying on of hands at First Lutheran Church in Duluth, Minnesota. It was a great day. The sun was shining. The skies were blue. Lake Superior was splashing in all its watery splendor. My dad preached. And so did I. My text was from II Timothy 1:5-7 which begins with these words, "I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you." It was true. Among all the things I inherited in my youth, a sincere faith was one of them, and it came from grandma and my parents. They passed it on to me.

Now that I am sixty-five, from time to time the question comes up, "What are you going to be...when you grow older?" What kind of a person are you becoming? What kind of a person do you want to be?

Last week, while preparing a sermon on the story of the Prodigal son, I did some reading. One of the books I read was "The Return of the Prodigal Son," a meditation on Fathers, Brothers, and Sons by Henri J.M. Nouwen. It is a beautiful book. The last chapter is "Becoming the Father." As I read those pages it stirred up the deep part of my well. For surely, that's what God is calling me to be now. To be like the father in the story, compassionate as He is compassionate.

The author says the way to be truly compassionate is by grief, forgiveness, and generosity. To get my soul to look at all the ugliness and pain and evil in the world and not renounce it but grieve over it, and pray over it, and be ready to receive anyone, whatever their journey has been, and forgive them from the heart — as I have been forgiven from His. And to give freely of myself. To "be home" to whoever comes.

I'm not there yet. But I am reminded — of my grandmother and my mother. They were like Him — filled with compassion. Whenever, as a child, I went into Grandma's room, I felt "at home." And whenever I went to visit mother, even when she was 95 and in a nursing home, I was "at home" — accepted, forgiven, and given so much love. They got there before they died — to that place — being like the Father. And, as I reflect on it, even as they passed on to me the faith, they also passed on to me the picture as to what I can be when I finally grow up. Thank God.

Fund established for Lesli Bishop New

A medical fund has been established for Lesli Bishop New at First American Bank in Winters. Lesli, at this time, is in stable condition in the Critical Care Unit at Hendrick Medical Hospital in Abilene. She was seriously injured in a vehicle accident on March 30, 1995. Lesli is the daughter of Billie Ruth Bishop of Winters.

Taxpayer Seminar in Abilene April 13

"At the Comptroller's Office, we understand that state tax issues can sometimes become very complex and confusing. Since taxpayers can't just pick up and come to Austin whenever they need assistance, we'll hold a free taxpayer seminar in the Abilene area on Thursday, April 13, 1995," announced State Comptroller John Sharp.

The seminar will be held at 1290 S. Willis, Suite 202, from 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Mary Sue Riskus and Mary Domanski from the Comptroller's Abilene field office will be available to meet and discuss any questions pertaining to state taxes.

"It's important that taxpayers have a full understanding of state taxes. This seminar has been designed just for that," Sharp said.

"Two of our many agency experts will be available to deliver quick accurate information to all tax questions and assist taxpayers in any way we can," continued Sharp.

Those taxpayers who cannot attend the free seminar can call the Comptroller's toll-free hotline at 1-800-252-5555 for additional assistance.

For more information about the Abilene seminar, call the Abilene field office at (915) 695-4323.

Robyn Parramore nominated to attend Dallas leadership conference



The seminar will be held in Dallas from April 7 to 9. The students were chosen based upon their demonstrated leadership and potential for continued leadership growth.

HOBY leadership seminars bring together select groups of high school sophomores so that they can interact and discuss present and future issues with distinguished leaders in business, government, education, and the professions. The goal is to provide the youths with a unique learning forum about the democratic process and the American incentive system. The forums serve to broaden the youths' understanding of their quest for leadership potential and development.

One area high school sophomore has been selected to attend the Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation (HOBY) Texas North Leadership Seminar. She will join more than 210 other young leaders representing the same amount of high schools from all over Texas.

Nominated to attend HOBY is Robyn Parramore from Winter's High School, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Parramore.

The Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation (HOBY) was established by the famous actor Hugh O'Brien following a visit to Africa where he was inspired after meeting Dr. Albert Schweitzer.

An Important Message for WTU Customers

Recently you may have read or heard about a plan proposing "competition and choice in the generation of electricity" with the implication that everyone's electric bill would go down if that happens. If you think that sounds too good to be true, you're right.

A handful of unregulated power producers is promoting a scheme that would allow them to sell power at retail directly to consumers. They want you to believe that's competition and that it would lower everyone's electric bill. In reality, their goal is to sell power to large industrial customers at low rates which will be eventually subsidized by smaller consumers. They are not interested in assuming an obligation to serve anybody.

At West Texas Utilities Company, we achieve success with a tradition of low rates, reliability, community involvement and dedication to superior customer service. The electric industry is changing. Deregulation, expanding customer expectation, new technologies and other dynamic forces are having a profound effect on our business, but

the strong commitment to our customers and communities remains.

Contrary to the self-serving efforts of a few special interest groups, the state's electric utilities have proposed legislation to increase competition in a way that will benefit all consumers. The proposal would open the wholesale generation market to all who want to participate, thus allowing every consumer to benefit from the least costly sources of power. Unlike the unregulated power producers' scheme, no consumers or group of consumers would face higher rates so a few could pay less.

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Mixed Fruit
Tuesday-April 11
Cocoa Puffs
Honey Wheat Bread
Pineapple Chunks
Wednesday-April 12
Fruit Loops
Raisin Bread
Sliced Peaches
Thursday-April 13
School Holiday
Friday-April 14
School Holiday

Lunch
Monday-March 6
Ham/Cheese Sandwich
Lettuce/Pickles
Potato Chips
Sliced Peaches
Tuesday-March 7
Chicken Nuggets
Corn Bread
Mixed Fruit
Wednesday-March 8
Chili Dogs/Cheese
Pork-n-Beans
Potato Chips
Pineapple Chunks
Thursday-March 9
School Holiday
Friday-March 10
School Holiday

All meals served with milk

Easter Egg Hunt for children at Ballinger April 15

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will sponsor its third annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 15, at 2:00 p.m. in the City Park.

There will be three age groups: 3-5 years, 6-8 years, and 9-11 years.

All children are welcome. For more information, please call the Chamber of Commerce at 915/365-2333 or 915/365-5611.

Support the Volunteer Fire Department with a \$100 donation for a chance to win \$15,000 cash or a 1995 bass boat.



VARSITY CHEERLEADERS for 1995-1996 are (left to right) Cristi Burton; Linsey Brown; Lacy Torres; Leslie Cobb, head; Janabeth Bryan; and Rachel Edwards.

Little League elects officers, directors

The Winters Little League Board of Directors have been working in preparation for the upcoming season.

Some changes have been made this year and should be noted. Boys and T-ball teams will adhere to Little League rules and regulations rather than to provisions provided by the Texas Teenage Association.

Girls teams will follow the Texas Amateur Softball Association.

Winters Little League officers include Paul Airhart, boys president; Mary Lynn Presley, girls president; Renee Calcote, vice president; Brenda Hope, secretary; and Teresa Davis, treasurer. Directors are Rene Woffenden and Elvia Gann.

The purchasing agent for boys

teams is Donna Pritchard; for girls teams, Teresa Davis.

The Little League concession stand will be open again this summer. Each team will elect a team parent. Elvia Gann will be contacting the team parents to set a work schedule. Parents of baseball players will be asked to help operate the stand during the games. This was a great success last year and with your help, it will be again.

Project Graduation meets April 6

A Project Graduation meeting is scheduled Thursday, April 6, at 7 p.m. in the WHS Media Center.

All parents and students are encouraged to attend.

Plans for the senior party and Project Graduation are being finalized. All chances and money for the Weekend Excursion need to be turned in at the meeting.

Golf teams get a chance to learn course prior to district competition

On March 29, a school golf tournament, hosted by Coahoma, was held at the Comanche Trail Golf Course in Big Spring.

The Winters boys team placed seventh with 349 points, and the girls team took second in their division with a total of 404 points.

Team placings and individual stats follow:

BOYS	
Team Placings	
1. Ozona	326
2. Forsan #2	329
3. Forsan #1	333
4. Stanton	339
5. Irran #1	340
6. Jim Ned	342
7. Winters	349
8. Coahoma	368
9. Irran #2	403
10. Sterling City	412
11. Midland Christian	447
Individual Stats	
Michael Mostad	81
Corey Smith	85
Mike Hernandez	86
Jason Jordan	97
GIRLS	
Team Placings	
1. Ozona	383
2. Winters	404

3. Stanton	422
4. Coahoma	491
5. Jim Ned	496
6. Midland Christian	568

Individual Stats
Gayla Clough 100
Robyn Parramore 97
Brandi Gray 109
Lacy Torres 98
Michelle Gonzales 114
Julie Lancaster 133

Coach Byrd states, "This tournament gave us a chance to play the course before District (competition) on April 5. It also gave us a look at what the teams out west have. In the boys division Forsan and Stanton will be the top two teams. With a little luck and some work, our boys could slip in or Forsan or Stanton."

"In the girls division, it looks like a three-team race between Winters, Stanton, and Coahoma. Both girls and boys have improved each week and expectations are high."

District competition begins April 5 in Big Spring then concludes April 12 in Abilene.



Tennis teams place at Forsan

Winters High School teams participated in the Forsan Tennis Tournament on March 31 and April 1.

Coach Biff White states, "This was a real strong tournament with eight Regional qualifiers and three State qualifiers. This helps with 'seeding' information and prepares us for District on April 8."

Places are as follows:
Girls Singles
Jamie Sims, 4th
Girls Doubles
Karolyn Biddix & LisAnne Smith, 6th
Christy Calcote & Cristi Burton, 8th
Boys Doubles
Jonathon Cobb & Archie Lancaster, 6th.

Umpire Clinic in Abilene April 8

There will be an Umpire Clinic in Abilene on Saturday, April 8, 8:00 to 5:00.

For location and more information, contact Mary Lynn Presley at 754-5144.

Little League searching for team sponsors for 1995

The Winters Little League Association is in need of team sponsors for the 1995 Spring Season. The cost of sponsoring a team is \$175.

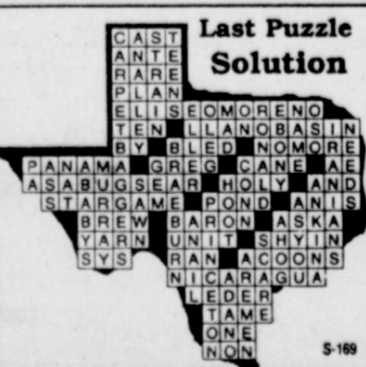
An advertising sign in support of the Little League may be purchased for \$35. Signs will be used to line the fence at the ball parks.

Donations of any amount towards the equipment fund will also be accepted.

Representatives for Little League this year are Brenda Hope, Shelia Paschal, and Rhonda Cook. They will be contacting area businesses for sponsors, signs, and/or donations.

Your help is appreciated!

GO BLIZZARDS!



PTA hosts Attention Deficit Disorder night April 10

The Winter's PTA will host a special program about the syndrome known as Attention Deficit Disorder. The presentation will be held at the elementary library on Monday, April 10, 1995 beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Ron Linebarger will be the guest speaker. He is an entertaining and innovative speaker who combines both his talents and personal perspectives together to make his presentations both fun and informative.

Mr. Linebarger is a Baptist Minister yet this is not the factor that makes his presentations so interesting. You see, Mr. Linebarger, is also a ventriloquist.

You're probably convinced that the night will be fun but you might be wondering where his information comes from. Mr. Linebarger

was diagnosed as having Attention Deficit Disorder as an adult.

The unusual thing about this is that most people think that Attention Deficit Disorder effects children only and that they grow out of it. This is obviously not always the case with the disorder so if you would like to find out additional accurate facts about it, come to Mr. Linebarger's informative presentation.

The PTA will also discuss important upcoming events which includes electing officers for next year, decisions concerning equipment for the elementary science room, and possibilities regarding Mayfest.

All parents and teachers are urged to attend this important meeting. Baby sitting will be provided.

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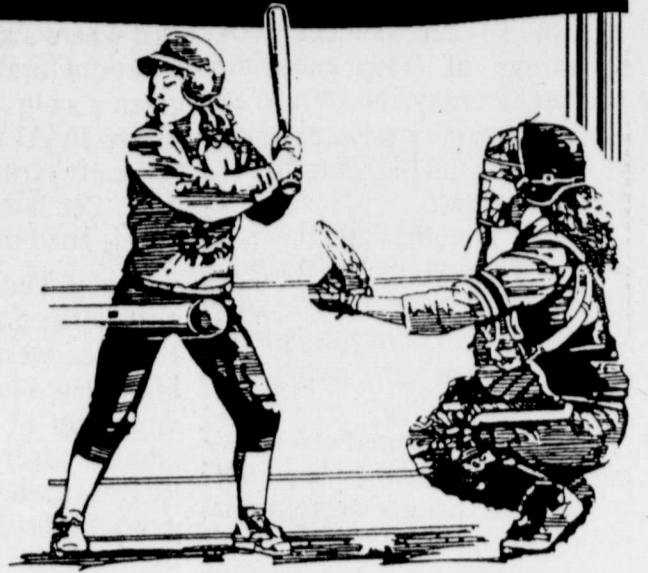
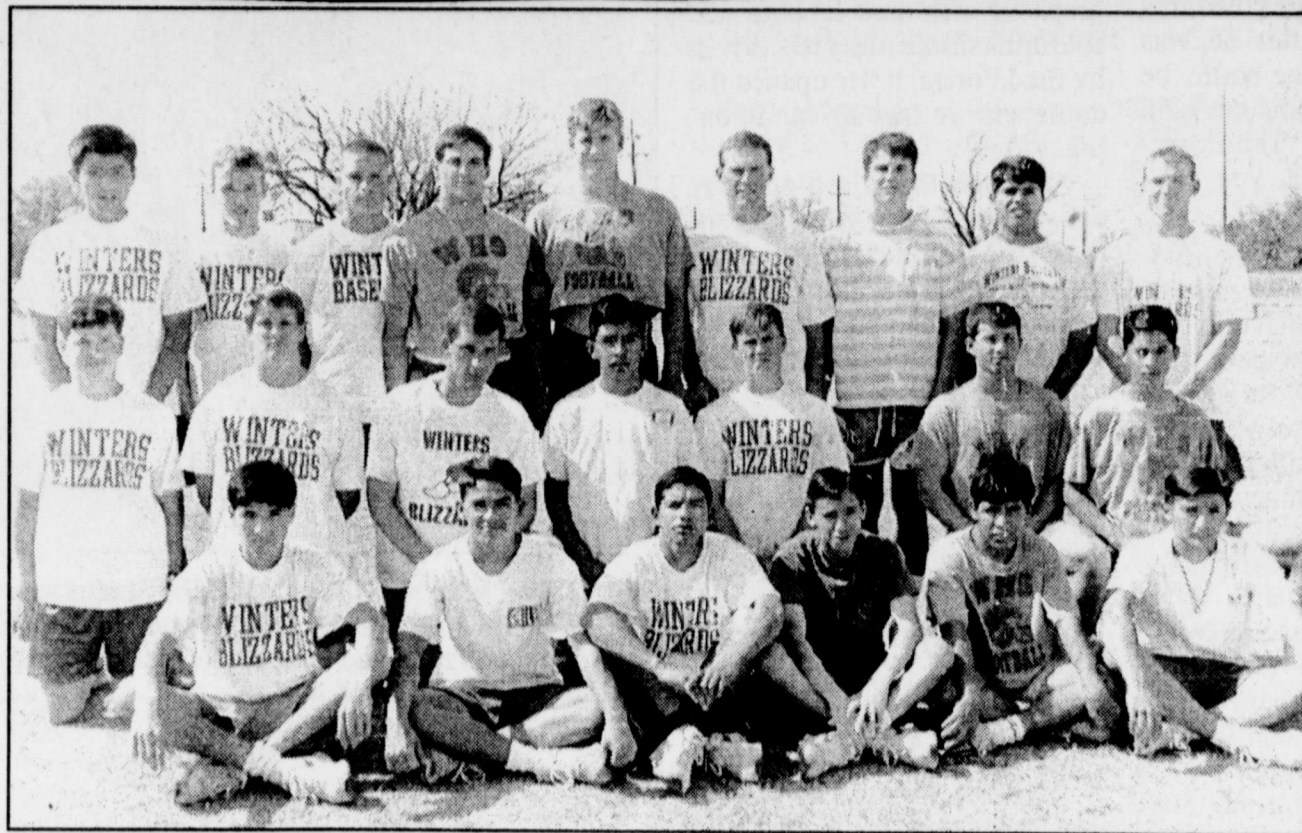
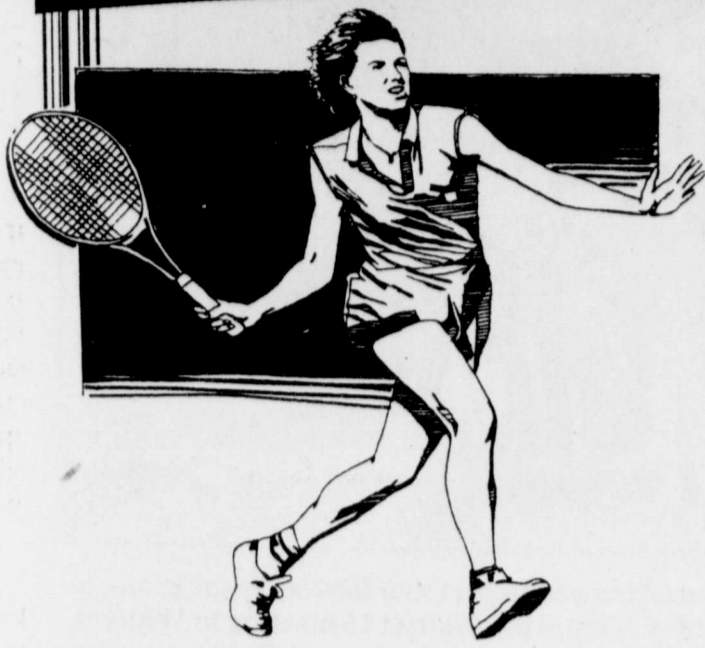
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Varsity girls at Wall

The Varsity girls competed in the Cotton Patch Relays in Wall on Friday. The team scored 101 points to take second place.

Individual scoring follows:
Triple Jump
 Jeanna Kozelsky, 2nd, 32'3-1/2"
High Jump
 Janet Guy, 3rd, 4'6"
 Janabeth Bryan, 4th, 4'4"
 Jeanna Kozelsky, 4th, 4'4"
Shot Put
 Tiffany Donica, 5th, 25'1-1/4"
Discus
 Janabeth Bryan, 4th, 82'11-3/4"
 Rachel Edwards, 5th, 81'5-1/2"
400 M Relay
 Karolen Biddix, Jeanna Kozelsky, Monica Parramore, & Rachel Edwards, 3rd, 54.88
800 M Relay
 Erika Vega, 2nd, 2:35
 Noemi Vega, 5th, 2:45
100 M Hurdles
 Rachel Edwards, 2nd, 17.57
800 M Relay
 Janabeth Bryan, Karolen Biddix, Monica Parramore, & Rachel Edwards, 3rd, 1:57.45
300 M Hurdles
 Jeanna Kozelsky, 2nd, 51.31
1600 M Relay
 Jeanna Kozelsky, Janet Guy, Janabeth Bryan, & Monica Parramore, 2nd, 4:33.07
1600 M Run
 Elodia Torres, 4th, 6:22
 Kathy Torres, 6th, 6:39
 Rosie Rocha, 7th, 6:49
 Next Saturday will be the last meet before District in Haskell.

BLIZZARD VARSITY/JUNIOR VARSITY TRACK team members are (left to right, back row) Michael Luna, Jace Wade, Bear Nitsch, Mark Deike, John Belew, Chane Regan, Robert Reed, Jerry Esquivel, Kelly Thompson, (middle row) Eric Joeris, Chris McCaslin, Scott Kozelsky, George Villareal, Dereck Oats, Kyle Loudermilk, Johnathan Gann, (bottom row) Joe Luevano, Eric Bernal, Robert Silva, Adam Cruz, Jose Vega, and Leo Uresti.

1995 WHS Golf Schedule

April 12.....Abilene.....District Tournament
 April 24-26.....Abilene.....Regional Tournament

1995 WINTERS BLIZZARDS BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Friday, April 7	Eldorado	H	5:00
Monday, April 10	Open	—	—
Tuesday, April 18	Coahoma	T	5:00
Friday, April 21	Wall	H	5:00
Tuesday, April 25	Jim Ned	T	5:00
Tuesday, May 2	Coahoma	T	5:00
Friday, May 5	Wall	T	5:00
Tuesday, May 9	Jim Ned	H	5:00

1995 WINTERS JV BLIZZARDS BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Monday, April 10	Rotan	H	5:00
Monday, April 17	Jim Ned	H	5:00
Saturday, April 22	Coleman	H	12:00
Monday, April 24	Eula	H	5:00
Wednesday, May 1	Jim Ned	T	5:00

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April 7—Eldorado, VB, 5:00 p.m., Here
 April 7—Jim Ned, G, 5:00 p.m., There
 April 10—Rotan, JVB, 5:00 p.m., Here
 April 10—Hawley, G, 5:00 p.m., There

VB - Varsity Boys Baseball
 JVB - Junior Varsity Boys Baseball
 G - Girls Softball



1995 Varsity Track Schedule

Date	Meet	Team
April 8	Haskell	Boys/Girls
April 13	District/Jim Ned	Boys/Girls



LADY BLIZZARD VARSITY TRACK team members are (left to right, back row) Marcie Pritchard, Robyn Parramore, Debbie Baize, Tina Sherman, Tiffany Donica, Janabeth Bryan, Coach Deb Whittenburg, Rachel Edwards, Desiree Mathis, Karen Oats, (middle) Monica Parramore, Noemi Vega, Jennifer Davis, Jeanna Kozelsky, Janet Guy, Karolen Biddix, (front) Rosie Rocha, Kathy Torres, Erika Vega, and Elodia Torres.

Jr. High teams at Roscoe

Winters 7th and 8th grade girls competed at the Roscoe Jr. High Track Invitational on March 31.

Event scoring follows:
7TH GRADE
800 M Run
 Kelli Slimp, Angela Jacobs, Paula Salas, & Darcie Lindsey, 4th, 2:02.79
1600 M Run
 Kelli Slimp, Angela Jacobs, Paula Salas, & Darcie Lindsey, 4th, 4:43.52
8TH GRADE
Long Jump
 Misty Pritchard, 1st, 14'3-1/2"
 Latasha Gibbs, 3rd, 14'3/4"
400 M Dash
 Jamie Bishop, 3rd, 71.84
1600 M Run
 Kourtney Cathey, 3rd, 6:33.35
100 M Hurdles
 Cristin Corley, 1st, 17:91
300 M Hurdles
 Cristin Corley, 1st, 52:96
400 M Run
 Allison Wells, 6th, 72:88
400 M Relay
 Tara Burns, Misty Pritchard, Jamie Bishop, & Latasha Gibbs, 1st, 1:56.13
800 M Relay
 Tara Burns, Misty Pritchard, Jamie Bishop, & Latasha Gibbs, 1st, 1:56.13
1600 M Relay
 Tara Burns, Latasha Gibbs, Misty Pritchard, & Cristin Corley, 1st, 4:31.51.
 The 8th grade girls won first place overall in the meet.

1995 GIRLS SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE
April 7	Jim Ned	Tuscola
April 10	Hawley	Winters

Games begin at 5:00 p.m.



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Fort McKavett still lives

Triple L Club members took advantage of crisp sunshine weather Saturday, the 18th, to attend a history re-enactment at Fort McKavett by taking a bus trip to the historic spot.

Once a year, the early day fort comes alive with the flash of saber steel, the crack of rifle fire, and the thunder of horses hooves as visitors watch the living history unfold.

This year's featured entertainment was furnished by the First Team Horse Cavalry Detachment from Fort Hood.

The First Team Horse Cavalry Detachment is the last horse mounted cavalry unit in the United States Army.

The cavalry riders wear traditional blue uniforms complete with revolver, saber, and single-shot carbine. They demonstrate weapons firing and use their sabers against simulated opponents — in this case, it was inflated balloons (as spectators, we knew when they hit one).

The horse detachment performs precision drill maneuvers at walk, trot, canter, and gallop.

The entire cavalry detachment includes 27 personnel, 11 horses, 4 mules, and a covered wagon.

The wagon is an absolute necessity for the maneuvers. It carries ammunition, medical supplies, and other equipment. A little dog in the wagon may not have been a necessity, but he thought he was. He urged the men on with the loudest barking you've ever heard.

Other entertainment included the Jim Bowie Day Gunfighters

Skit where a man was killed in a ballroom brawl. After he was given a swig from the bottle, he started to get up. Someone said, "He can't, he's dead." The answer was "Let him alone, when can't keep a good man down."

Established in 1852 at the headwaters of the San Saba River, some 23 miles west of Menard, Fort McKavett has its place in the settlement of the West. It was named after Captain Henry McKavett who was killed in 1846 during the battle of Monterey. The frontier fort was established to protect ranchers and their families from raiding Indians.

Fort McKavett was a busy station until March, 1859, when federal troops were withdrawn because of the rising conflict between North and South.

After the Civil War, in 1868, federal troops were again sent to the fort, many of them were block troops known as Buffalo Soldiers. The last federal troops abandoned the fort in 1883.

Fort McKavett has been relatively untouched by time. The State Historical Park consists of 15 restored buildings, including officers' quarters, barracks, hospital, schoolhouse, bakery, post headquarters, and the ruins of numerous others. Exhibits in the 1870 hospital ward trace the history of the area. A self-guided trail leads to the military lime kiln and "Government Springs." Picnic tables are available for day-use.

When we arrived, all the picnic tables had been taken and the few food stands depleted. We came

prepared with sack lunches and cold drinks in our trusty bus, driven by Fred Foreman. He opened the doors and we had air conditioning.

Although there is a one day only program each year, the park is open Memorial Day through Labor Day, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., 7 days a week. Otherwise, open only Wednesday through Sunday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

This is an entertaining tour — especially good for wildlife observation and photography.

"Christmas in April" to sell briskets

"Christmas in April" members are taking advance orders for fully cooked briskets. Briskets average 10 pounds each and will be sold at \$20.

Proceeds will be used to defray costs of the meal for volunteers during the next scheduled workday, April 22.

To place an order, call Linda Dry at 754-4529 (W) or 754-5013 (H) or contact Sue Prewit during the evening at 754-5240.

The deadline for ordering is April 13.

Cancer Coalition meets at later time on April 10

The next meeting for Sub-Region 5 of the Big Country Cancer Coalition will be Monday, April 10, 1995, at 6:30 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the Administrative Conference Room of the Brownwood Regional Medical Center located in Brownwood.

With a newly scheduled later time for the meeting, it is hoped that more members will be able to actively participate.

Join for an update on the Travel and Lodging project and the Speakers Bureau.

Public Notice

Elm Creek Water Control District will meet in regular session on Tuesday, April 11, 1995, at 7:30 p.m. at the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce, 118 West Dale, Winters, TX.



WINTERS ELEMENTARY CHOIR members were honored to perform for the Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association on Friday prior to the District 15 meeting in Winters. The choir has received special invitations to perform in Miles, San Angelo, and Brady.

Green and Growing

Reduce, reuse . . . grasscycle?

by ELLEN HENKE

Millions of Americans reduce, reuse and recycle . . . but grasscycle? Grasscycling is a new form of recycling that's gaining ground — make that *popularity* — among lawn care professionals and homeowners alike in an effort to reduce the millions of tons of clippings discarded into municipal landfills each year.

Clippings make up more than 10 percent of the total municipal waste dumped in landfills annually. Many areas have already passed laws to change the way we dispose of yard waste.

Grasscycling is a natural process of decay and renewal that recycles the nutrients present in grass blades. You can grasscycle by simply leaving short clippings on your lawn. Since grass is 85 percent water, short grass clippings decompose quickly, returning up to 20 percent of their nitrogen to the soil. This creates a valuable food supply for your lawn's root system.

Proper mowing is the key to effective grasscycling. Specially-designed mulching mowers make grasscycling easy by chopping clippings into tiny pieces and blowing them into the turf. This is particularly helpful in the spring, when seasonal showers accelerate your lawn's growth.

If you use a standard walk-behind or riding mower, follow the "one-third" rule: Mow your lawn often enough so that you cut only one third of the grass blade at any one time.

And university research shows that grasscycling doesn't add to a thatch problem. Thatch is mostly dead grass roots caused by improper mowing, watering, or fertilizing.

Grasscycling can also save you money. One season's worth of clippings is roughly equivalent to an application of commercial fertilizer. Most importantly, by recycling a natural resource, you can take pride in your efforts to

preserve the environment. So reduce waste by reusing grass and grasscycling this spring. You can rest assured that in terms of the environment, the grass will be "greener" on your side of the fence!

America's Plant Doctor and *John Deere lawn and garden expert, Ellen Henke, is a botanist, garden writer and nationally recognized authority on "Earth Friendly" gardening.*

NOTICE

The office of **Y.K. Lee M.D.**

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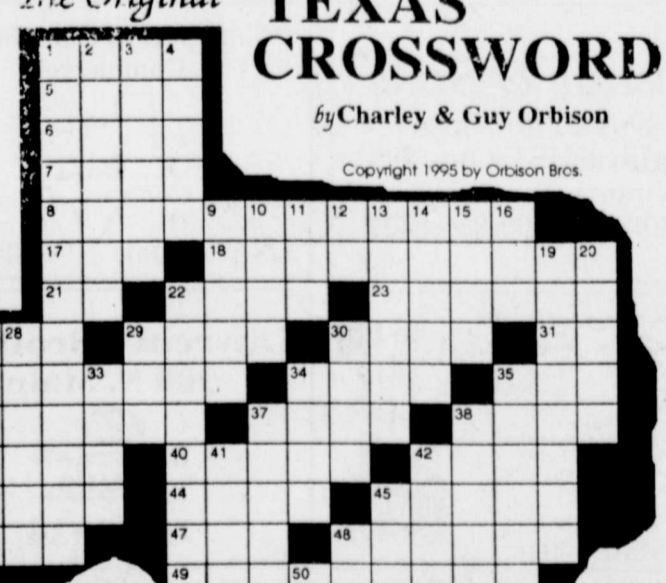
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- 18 it lies at the junction of Colorado & Llano rivers (2 wds.)
- 21 TXism: "sweet by and _____ (heaven)"
- 22 TXism: "____ like a stuck pig"
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- 24 TX Tech's Demetrio Laska became president of _____ in '72
- 29 Oilers punter Montgomery
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- 31 ex-Mav Alex (init.)
- 32 TXism: "cute _____"
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- 29 TX blue topez is the state _____
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- 33 TXism: "snaky as a half-_____ tree"
- 34 TXism: "don't give a _____ or a holler"
- 35 unusual cattle breed
- 37 in Collin Co. on 380
- 38 TXism: "pretty _____ please"
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- 45 crop guard: _____ crow
- 48 TX Cindy Garner book: "How _____ Men Like Noodles?"
- 50 TX Tierney '45 film: "A Bell for _____"

Solutions for this puzzle appear in this issue.

Commodities to be distributed

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. will distribute USDA Commodities at the Winters Multi-Purpose Center, 601 West Pierce, on Thursday, April 6, 1995, 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.

Hear "Rudy" in Abilene on April 13

Attention: people of all ages who have seen, loved, and been inspired by the movie "Rudy."

Rudy himself, Daniel "Rudy" Ruettiger will be in Abilene on Thursday, April 13, to speak at 8 p.m. at Moody Coliseum of the Abilene Christian University campus.

Advance tickets are \$5 for adults and \$4 for students. At the door, tickets are \$6 for adults and \$5 for students. Group discounts are available for organizations.

For ticket information, call the Abilene Center for Nonprofit Management at 915-677-8166.

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Lutheran members to host "Bar-B-Q for Rebuilding" Sunday

In the old-time neighborly tradition of "Barn Raising," the young people and their parents of St. John's Lutheran Church are putting on a "Bar-B-Q for Rebuilding" Sunday, April 9. Serving will begin at 11:45 a.m.

The menu includes barbecued brisket, potato salad, beans, bread, iced tea, and dessert, and will be served in the church basement.

Carry-outs will be available. All proceeds will go to "Christmas in April." Free will donation.

You all are invited.

Wingate Baptist Church to host revival April 12-16

The Wingate Baptist Church will have revival services April 12-16. The Evangelist will be Reverend Charles Dickson, a missionary for 33 years in Brazil. Music will be directed by Suvern O'Dell, assisted by Mrs. Charles Meyers and Mrs. Charles Dickson.

Evening services begin at 7:30 p.m. nightly. Prayer services begin at 7 p.m.

There will be no service on Saturday night.

The Lord's Supper will be observed on Thursday night.

Dinner will be served following the morning service on Sunday. Sunday School begins at 10 a.m. and the worship service at 11 a.m.

An invitation is given to each person in Wingate and the surrounding areas.

Easter Sunrise Service at 'The Cross' April 16

A Community Easter Sunrise Service will be held on Sunday, April 16th, beginning at 7:00 a.m. at 'The Cross' in Ballinger. If the weather is inclement, the service will be held in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church, Ballinger. Persons are encouraged to bring lawn chairs or blankets for seating.

This ecumenical event is sponsored by the Ballinger Ministerial Alliance. Mark Banks, minister with Avenue B Church of Christ and president of the Ballinger Ministerial Alliance, will preach. Other members of the Alliance will share in leading this worship celebration.

Radio station K.R.U.N. (103.1 FM and 1400 AM) will simulcast this worship celebration as a public service for those unable to attend.

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Writer's Block

contributed by Winters School students

Editor's Note: Winters 4th grade students have been practice-writing in preparation of the TAAS testing and should be commended for their efforts. Stories were submitted for Classificatory, Descriptive, Narrative, Persuasive, and "How To" Writing. A contest was recently held in which students were asked to write a paragraph on "HOW TO MAKE A MILLION DOLLARS." Winners follow.



Kirby Hatler
Most Clever

How To Make A Million Dollars

I think it gets very boring just having a few dollars in my purse. Don't you agree with me? Well I think I can make a million dollars by inventing a parent mind changer pill. From now on when you ask your parents if you can do something and they say, "no" just put a parent mind changer pill in their food and they will instantly say, "yes."

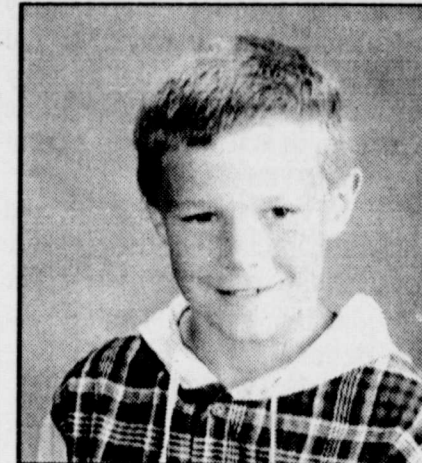
First, you will need one jellybean, one piece of chewed bubble gum, and two teaspoons of sugar. Set these ingredients on the cabinet.

Then, take your jellybean. Make sure your parents can swallow it whole by checking the size on a ruler.

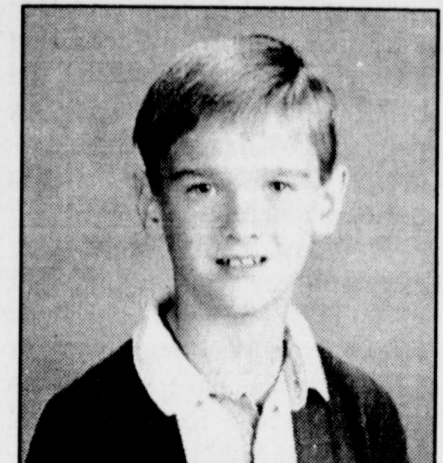
Next, get your chewed bubble gum and smear it all over the jellybean so it will be very sticky. make sure there is not any spots not covered with the bubblegum.

Finally, pour all the sugar out of the two teaspoons that you can fit on the bubblegum. Check and see if it is white enough to blend in with the food. Make sure you don't over dose it with sugar so your parents won't get sugar diabetes. I think I am going to get a

million dollars from this invention. It least I hope I do so I can fill up my purse. This is available in a box of ten. If you want some of the parent mind changing pills please write me and always try this at home.



Shane Colburn



Lincoln Edwards

Most Creative

Minding

If you have ever needed cash in a flash and Ed McMann has never paid you a visit, then you need to read our paper. After you read this paper you will be a multi millionaire.

First, you will need a shovel, pick ax, small dynamite, and a possible gas mask if you have to go to far in the cave there might be air lossage.

Then hunt for a cave and if that is not possible then you must seek out a mountain. At the base of the mountain place the dynamite carefully. Strike a match, light the dynamite, and safely seek protection behind a bolder. (CAUTION! Act fast while the wick is burning.)

Now, enter the after the dynamite has blown and withdraw your pick ax. Start hacking at the walls of the cave. By chance you might run across a shiny metal. The metal might resemble GOLD!!! But do not be fooled by this gold, it might be fool's gold. Instead take it to a local jeweler and find out if it is real or false. Say it is false, then it is not worth diddly squat.

After that, return to your cave, and unload your shovel. Then start to dig. After digging for a while, you might find a variety of metals. One of them might prove to be a shiny silver color. There are not many other metals that imitate the formation of silver. So when you discover this metal you will be almost certain of it being silver.

Finally, since you have found tons of rare metals, you can cash them into your local jeweler for a million smackers. That my friend, is how to make a million bucks without Ed McMann coming to your house.

Methodist Church to celebrate Jesus' entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday

There will be a re-enactment of Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, complete with donkey and palm branches, on Palm Sunday, April 9, at First United Methodist Church from 10:30 to 11:00 a.m.

will waive and cheer, saying "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna is the highest, hallelujah!"

To this day, Palm Sunday is celebrated with a procession in the church and the waiving of palm fronds and banners during the service.

Portraying Jesus will be Courtney Collom, son of Keith and Jessie Collom. Lori Jobe, daughter of Archie and Doyleene Jobe, will provide the donkey.

The public is invited to attend. Regular church service begins at 11:00 a.m.



Baptist Association meeting on April 10

The regular meeting of the Runnels Baptist Association will be held at the Southside Baptist Church on April 10, 1995.

The W.M.U. and Executive Board will meet at 5:30 p.m. The evening meal will be served at 6:00 p.m.

The program is on doctrinal emphasis and will begin at 7:00 p.m. The moderator, Gayland Broadstreet, is in charge of the program.

A procession of all church members and friends will line both the church and activity building, leaving the parking area open for the grand entry.

The Prince of Peace, the triumph of the Savior, will come.

Palm branches will be supplied to all members and children who

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ORDER OF ELECTION (ORDEN DE ELECCIÓN)

An election is hereby ordered to be held on May 6, 1995, for the purpose of (Por esto ena elección se ordena ser el día 6 de mayo de 1995, para eligir)

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between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on Monday, April 17, 1995 (entre las ocho de la mañana y las cinco de la tarde empezando el 17 de abril de 1995) and ending on Tuesday, May 2, 1995. (y terminando el martes 2 de mayo de 1995.)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para balotas por correo deben ser enviadas a:)

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(Nombre del secretario de la Votación En Adelantada)

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(Address) (Domicilio)

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(City)(Ciudad)

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Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on May 6, 1995. (Las solicitudes para balotas por correo deben ser recibidas antes de cerrarse el día de negocio en el 6 de mayo de 1995)

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Crews News by Hilda Kurtz



A small town is a place where there is little to see or do... BUT what you hear makes up for it.

The Crews community meeting was April 1. Sam and Dee Faubion were hosts and decorated all the tables with beautiful red bud blossoms. Attendance was good. Bill Mathis, president, welcomed the visitors and called a business meeting.

Saturday, April 8, is the cemetery work day. On Saturday, April 29, there will be a work day at the Crews gym. Will begin work at 4:00 p.m. and have sandwiches and homemade ice cream. Bill and Marqué Mathis will be hosts. A regular meeting is scheduled after the ice cream supper.

A Crews group will help with the Christmas in April project on April 22.

Thirteen or fourteen children enjoyed the Easter egg hunt.

Coleman Foreman saw his doctor in San Angelo and had some skin cancer treated.

Will Mathis participated in Western Day at Winters kindergarten. He dressed in his western clothes and ate beans and drank catus juice.

Desireé Mathis took part in the Wall track meet Friday and spent the night with Karen Oats. Karen spent Saturday night with Desireé.

Charles, Leona, and Roy Matthes; Billy and Gene Denton spent several days in Tyler, Texas, to be with Leona's brother, Randall White, who is ill. The Matthes family received a phone call stating Randall was much better.

We have some good news that

we learned of Saturday night. Bill Mathis is the new manager at Higginbotham Bros. Lumber Co. in Winters. Congratulations, Bill.

Katherine and Luke Thomas had a nice surprise visit Saturday with Luke's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Schulz of Dallas. They visited in the home of Adeline Grissom in Ballinger. All ate out later in the day.

Jimmy, Frances, Garrett, and Katie Chapman of Ballinger came out Sunday with Selma Dietz. We are glad that you are feeling better, Selma.

Michelle Paschal spent Friday night with Tiffany Prater.

On Saturday, Rodney, Bernie, and Brian Faubion carried Sharon Craft to Olive Garden in Abilene for a birthday dinner.

Brian Faubion of Lubbock was home over the weekend.

Linda Denson of San Angelo enjoyed lunch Saturday with Fairy and Wilbur Alcorn.

Visiting Audine, Dennis, and Roy McBeth for several days were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Webb and grandfather, S.D. Gillentine of Slaton, MO.

Haeward and Mildred Morrison were in Sweetwater Thursday and helped their granddaughter, Sara, celebrate her 7th birthday.

On Saturday, Maurine, Bob, and Sara Scott of Sweetwater spent the day with the Morrisons.

Frances Mincey of Big Spring spent the weekend with Doris Wood.

Pat and Earl Cooper and other relatives helped Richard Chambliss celebrate his birthday

with a dinner at Blackwell on Sunday.

Dennis, Audine, and Roy McBeth came Sunday evening a few minutes. I enjoyed every minute.

Lynn Faubion of Fort Worth spent Wednesday and Wednesday night with Noble and Harvey Mae Faubion. Walter Pape of Santa Anna and Gladys Cotton of Ballinger came during the week.

Margie and Brenda Jacob; Beverly, Corey, and Brad Van Zandt attended the life insurance meeting and dinner at St. Mary Hall in Ballinger on Sunday.

Jerry and Sharon Engler and Bryce Busenlehner, all of Brownwood, came out in the afternoon.

Nila and Therin Osborne ate supper with the Wesley McCallian family in Wingate on Friday. Stefanie came home with the Osbornes and spent the night. Louise Osborne of Winters came out on Saturday. She had lunch Sunday after church services with Bro. Oscar and Janie Fanning.

Helen Alexander and Juanita Shields came home with Nila and Therin. They all enjoyed a dinner together.

I received word that Doris (King) Crim of Florida passed away. She was born and raised in the Crew community.

Eileen Cartwright carried Noble and Harvey Mae Faubion to the doctor in San Angelo on Monday for their appointment.

Correction

Sealy Bryan was inadvertently listed as an incumbent in the upcoming school board election.

Mr. Bryan is a new candidate for election in District 1 against newcomer Allen Andrae.

April 6 is the deadline to file for election to the hospital board ONLY. Deadlines have ceased for filing in city and school elections.

The Winters Enterprise sincerely apologizes for any inconveniences that may have been caused due to this oversight.

Reminder

Women's Service League members are urged to notify hostesses if unable to attend monthly meetings.

Veterans Supper served Friday

The American Legion will host a Veterans Supper, Friday, April 7, beginning at 7 p.m. at 138 West Dale Street in Winters.

Ham, brisket, and sausage will be served with potato salad, beans, bread, dessert, and tea. There is no charge for the meal.

At this time, the new American Legion Hall will also be shown. Post Commander Walter Durham announces that the Hall will be available for private parties.

All veterans of Runnels County are cordially invited to attend. You do not have to be a member of the American Legion.

"Color in the Gap," April 15, features artists

The Buffalo Gap Lions Club is sponsoring an annual event of "Color in the Gap" featuring artists and craftsmen from the area.

The show will be Saturday, April 15, under the beautiful oak and pecan trees of the Plaza (across from the Buffalo Gap Elementary School).

Reservations for shop booths and mall booths are limited to first come, first reserved. Cost is \$20. All proceeds to benefit community projects.

Contact Lori Bunton (915) 691-1027 or (915) 572-3698, Karen Grimes (915) 572-3065, or Marion Yarbrough (915) 572-3853 for information or reservations of booths.

Expect a crowd because the Buffalo Gap Flea Market will be in progress that weekend.



TEXAS ELEMENTARY PRINCIPALS AND SUPERVISORS ASSOCIATION members and guests observed Winters Elementary School students as they previewed lessons in the Jostens Lab, CEI Computer Reading Chapter I and Special Education Class, Scottish Rite Dyslexia Class, and Classroom Phonics Program. A technology discussion followed in the conference room.

Women play an important part in Easter services

"Women Were There," and will be there. Will you join with Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of Jesus, Joanna, Salome, and many others for Easter services?

Angels, music, scripture and much more is planned.

Women kept the vigil by the cross from noon on Friday until services on Easter morning.

Women will be at both the sunrise service at the Country Club at 7 a.m. and the morning worship service of First United Methodist Church at 11 a.m. to greet worshippers as they enter with the same good news that Mary Magdalene carried to the disciples.

This is a time of spiritual growth and experience sharing with other women. It will emphasize the importance of women throughout the history of Christianity.

A breakfast will be served at the Country Club after services.

The public is invited.

Runnels County Retired Teachers meet April 10

The Runnels County Retired Teachers Association will be meeting Monday, April 10, at the First United Methodist Church in Winters at 2:30 p.m.

The program begins promptly with the Winters third graders performing under the direction of Mrs. Fran Kidwell.

It is suggested that you be present to receive the latest legislative update.

4-H Club gets involved with local projects

by JANA JACKSON

The Winter's 4-H club met on March 27 to discuss matters with regard to a farm safety camp, "Christmas in April," animal care, livestock judging contests and other items of local interest.

Patricia Hoehensee gave a demonstration relating to farm safety. This was in connection with a farm safety camp to be held on June 27.

Members were reminded of the sign-up sheets for "Christmas in April" and were urged to participate. Permission forms, however, are needed from parents before their child can participate. These forms should be handed in at the "Christmas in April" breakfast on the morning of April 22. Members are reminded to pack a sack lunch for the afternoon meal.

The winning ticket was drawn for the ham raffle, the proceeds of which was to benefit "Christmas in April." The money will be used for purchasing flowers to plant in the yards of the houses being renovated. Bennie Walker held the lucky ticket and was rewarded with the prize ham. A huge thank you to everyone who supported this 4-H project by buying a ticket!

At San Angelo, team 1 placed in the sheep judging division. Members of that team included Amy Heathcott, Jana Jackson, Chanda Hoppe, and Misty Pritchard.

At Sweetwater, the wool team placed 1st while James Andrae came in 4th in the individual category! The livestock team 1 earned 7th place.

At Tarleton, team 1 received 14th place. Members of the team included Chanda Hoppe, Jana Jackson, and Amy Heathcott.

As you can see it has been a very promising year so far. Everyone is reminded of the most

Town Criers

Bryce Jarret Mikeska

Brett and Sherri Mikeska of Wingate are proud to announce the arrival of a son, Bryce Jarret, born Tuesday, March 21, 1995, at 4:07 a.m. at Hendrick Medical Center. He weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces and measured 21 1/2 inches in length.

Bryce is welcomed home by two brothers, Bryant, 5, and Braden, 3.

Maternal grandparents are Marvin and Melvena Gerhart of Crews. Maternal great-grandparents are Wilmer and Sally Mae Gerhart of Winters and Myrtle Wright of Menard.

Paternal grandparents are Brent and Scarlotte Mikeska of Wingate. Paternal great-grandparents are John and Pauline Bradshaw of Ballinger and B.J. and Joyce Mikeska of Eola.

Justin Travis Austin

Rayna and Tatiana Austin are proud to announce the arrival of their brother, Justin Travis, born Saturday, March 25, 1995, at 7:40 a.m. He weighed 7 pounds, 15 1/2 ounces and was 20 inches in length.

Proud parents are Archie Ross and Crystal Austin of Big Lake, Michigan.

Paternal grandparents are Archie and Barbara Austin of Winters.

Ladies Night Out planned for April 27 by Woman's Club

On Thursday night, April 27, at 7 o'clock, the Winters Woman's Club will be hosting its first annual Ladies Night Out.

The evening's entertainment will consist of dinner, a program, and door prizes. A limited number of tickets for this special evening are being sold now by members of the club for \$10. There will be no tickets sold at the door on that night.

Jones Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church will be the location of the event.

The theme will be "A Celebration of American Womanhood" with a most unique program by Cheryl Lewis from Hamlin. Miss Lewis has given several of her own special programs for clubs and groups in the Big Country area.

Get your tickets early so you will be certain not to miss out on this one of a kind of Ladies Night Out.

For more information, contact Kay Colburn at 767-2272.

Monthly call report of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department

Members of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department responded to four emergency calls during the month of March, 1995, as reported by Rodrick Bredemeyer, recording secretary for WVFD:

March 11	4:45 p.m.	Car and grass fire on Rogers and White places, 3 miles east of Winters. Dispatched three trucks and county water tank.
March 22	7:55 p.m.	9-1-1 call of smoke at John's International. Dispatched four trucks and swat van with air packs and ventilation fan.
March 23	5:30 p.m.	Grass fire at Sealy Bryan's, 8 miles west of Winters on Bronte Highway. Controlled burn. Dispatched two trucks.
March 24	8:00 a.m.	Car fire in 100 block of North Main. Dispatched one truck.

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, March 26, through Saturday, April 1, 1995. Winters Police Officers:

- investigated a reported criminal mischief in the 300 block of State in which person(s) unknown damaged a vehicle.
- investigated an unattended death.
- investigated a report of an unauthorized use of a vehicle in the 200 block of Redner. The vehicle was later returned. There are three juvenile suspects in the case and the case has been referred to Juvenile Probation authorities.
- received a report of three juvenile runaways in connection with the above case. This case has been referred to Juvenile Probation authorities.
- received a report of a Class A assault family violence in the 100 block of N. Main in which the victim was assaulted by her husband. At the time the report was taken, both parties had already separated. The victim was advised of how to go about filing charges with the appropriate court.
- investigated a traffic accident in the 1300 block of W. Dale in which a 1994 Chevrolet pickup was driven by Ricky Dean of Winters. Dean apparently fell asleep at the wheel and overcorrected the vehicle in a curve, causing the pickup to roll over. There were no injuries and damage to the vehicle was heavy.

Runnels 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:

- Winters Police Department—754-4121
- Ballinger Police Department—365-3591
- Runnels County Sheriff's Department—365-2121

Public Record DISTRICT COURT

The First National Bank of Rotan, Ballinger Branch vs. ATF Petroleum Inc., 03-08-95, Indebtedness.

Gose Ramon Cavazos vs. Sandra Marie Cavazos, 03-09-95, Divorce. Ballinger Butane Gas Co. vs. Ray Gene Hoelscher, 03-14-95, Application for Writ of Garnishment.

Debra Miller vs. Liberty Mutual Insurance Co., 03-24-95, Set Aside Judgment. Ysidro Ontiveros vs. Annette Ontiveros, 03-31-95, Divorce.

DIVORCES GRANTS Barbara Ellen Johnson and Wendell R. Johnson, 03-24-95.

J.P. COURT Ballinger Butane Gas Co. vs. Reyes Enriquez, 03-28-95, Account.

Ballinger Butane Gas Co. vs. Gerald and Dorothy Parks, 03-28-95, Account. Ballinger Butane Gas Co. vs. Bonita Shields, 03-28-95, Account.

Ballinger Butane Gas Co. vs. Scott and Stormie Watkins, 03-28-95, Account. Ballinger Butane Gas Co. vs. Wilburn Wehlman, 03-28-95, Account.

Dorriann M. Simonds, 03-28-95, Theft by Check. Melissa Cook, 03-28-95, Theft by Check.

Martha Elliott, 03-28-95, Theft by Check. Manuel B. Zavala, 03-25-95, Possession of Undersize Crappie.

Manuel R. DelaRosa, 03-25-95, Possession of Undersize Crappie. Andres Rodriguez, 03-24-95, Burglary of a Building.

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For Sale

For Sale: Affordable rebuilt washers and dryers, parts and service. 504 Enterprise. Call 754-4712 or 754-5680. 4-47(tfc)

Public Notices
THE PUBLIC NOTICE AS SHOWN BELOW HAS BEEN CANCELLED.

There will be a PUBLIC SALE at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 8th, 1995, at the Storage Rental Facility across the street from JEDD Mfg. Co. at 1001 North Main, Winters, TX. This sale is being conducted to satisfy a landlord's lien on the property of one Silva Lerma, address and location unknown. The property consists of one T.V., 2 bedroom suites, and other furniture stored in Box W-10. Contents of Box W-10 may be purchased as a lot or by the piece. All terms are cash. If purchaser buys the entire lot, W-10 may be rented to store the property. 6-12(3tp)

Employment

JOB OPPORTUNITY: Looking for self-motivated, hardworking individuals with some knowledge/experience in agriculture, who like being outdoors. \$5.50/hr. An application can be obtained at 940 Arroyo in San Angelo or 106 N. 13th Street in Ballinger. Send application to: Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Program, 940 Arroyo, San Angelo, TX., 76904.

COTTON INSECT SCOUTS for Runnels-Tom Green Counties. Must have driver's license, car, insurance, and be able to work June-Aug. All outside work. APPLY BY APRIL 21. Entomologist Office, 3rd floor, Runnels County Courthouse. Call after 1:00 p.m. 365-5212. EOE. 6-14(2tc)

PIONEER VET CLINIC needs individual to work with large animals. Long hours. If interested, call 754-5487. 6-14(2tc)

Miscellaneous

SINGERS OR SONGWRITERS Nashville's Independent Label Association looking for new talent all ages. Auditions Thursday, April 13th, 4-8 p.m., Ramada Inn, 3450 S. Clack, Winters Freeway, exit S.W. Abilene, TX (615-868-1225). 6-14(1tc)

Hospice of the Big Country is now accepting applications for our resource list. We need RN's, Nurse Aides, Sitters, and Homemakers. Caring skilled individuals with heart and compassion will come on board as needed to work with our terminally ill patients in Albany, Breckenridge, Brownwood, Coleman, Eastland, Haskell, Roby, Sweetwater, Winters, and the surrounding areas. EOE.

To apply contact:
Hospice of the Big Country, Inc.
 3113 Oldham Lane
 Abilene, Texas 79602
 1-800-588-0300

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY WITH THE US POSTAL SERVICE REMOTE ENCODING CENTER IN ABILENE, TEXAS

The following is a list of requirements and information individuals need to consider if they are going to apply for employment:

AGE: 18 at the time of appointment OR a high school graduate
 All applicants must be citizens of or allegiance to the United States of America, OR Have been granted resident alien status in the United States. Verification is required.

CITIZENSHIP:

SELECTIVE SERVICE: All males born after December 31, 1959, must be registered with the Selective Service System. \$9.74 plus a night rate of 10% for work performed after 6:00 PM.

HOURLY WAGE:

SKILLS REQUIRED FOR PRE-SCREENING: Must be able to use a computer keyboard at a rate of 35 words per minute with minimum errors. A basic skill test will be performed.

APPLICATION: WILL BE AVAILABLE AFTER APRIL 1, 1995 AT Texas Employment Commission Abilene Chamber of Commerce Abilene Industrial Foundation Local Post Offices Around And In Abilene or WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE JOB CAREER FAIR ABILENE CIVIC CENTER, APRIL 11, 1995

DRUG TESTING/ PHYSICAL: Will be conducted for those selected for employment. USPS IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

For Rent

Crouch Rent-A-Storage, call 754-4712 or come by 504 Enterprise Street. 5-23(tfc)

ACEMINISTORAGE: Monthly rates, contact Farmers Seed and Supply, 754-5373. 1-1(tfc)

Neely Apartments for Rent, 1 and 2 bedroom. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY. Apply at 300 N. Grant, Winters. 6-3(tfc)

Apartments for rent—1, 2, 3, or 4 bedroom; water paid; free maintenance. Apply at 300 N. Grant, Winters. 6-3(tfc)

2-BEDROOM, 1 bath apt., unfurnished, all kitchen appliances. Central H/A. You pay utilities. \$250 month plus \$75 deposit. Call 672-6610. 6-14(4tc)

Business Opportunities

OWN YOUR OWN APPAREL OR SHOE STORE, CHOOSE: JEAN/SPORTSWEAR, BRIDAL, LINGERIE, WESTERNWEAR, LADIES, MEN'S LARGE SIZES, INFANT/PRE-TEEN, PETITIE, DANCEWEAR/AEROBIC MATERNITY, OR ACCESSORIES STORE. OVER 2000 NAME BRANDS. \$25,900 TO \$37,900. INVENTORY, TRAINING, FIXTURES, GRAND OPENING, ETC. CAN OPEN 15 DAYS. MR. LOUGHLIN (612) 888-6555. 6-14(1tp)

Booths available for LOCAL ARTISTS AND CRAFTSMEN April 15, 1995, at "Color In The Gap," Buffalo Gap Lions Club annual arts and crafts show. \$20. Contact (915) 691-1027, (915) 572-3698 for reservations of booths. 6-14(1tp)

Bid Notice

The City of Winters will receive bids for the CONSTRUCTION OF A SEPTIC TANK AND DRAINFIELD SYSTEM at W. Lee Colburn Park located on Elm Creek Reservoir east of the city. Bid proposals and construction documents may be picked up at City Hall, 310 South Main Street, Winters, Texas. Bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. on April 10, 1995, at City Hall, 310 South Main Street, in Winters, Texas. The City of Winters reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Sealed proposals for contract PICNIC AREAS AND LITTER BARREL SITE MAINTENANCE and REST AREA MAINTENANCE in various counties will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation's District Office, Loop 306 and Knickerbocker Rd., in San Angelo, Texas 76906 on the date and time indicated below; and then publicly opened and read.

APRIL 12, 1995 - 2:00 PM

PICNIC AREAS AND LITTER BARREL SITE MAINTENANCE Contract No. 076XXM4001, Runnels County Contract No. 076XXM4006, Tom Green County Contract No. 076XXM4007, Sutton, etc. Counties Contract No. 076XXM4004, Kimble, etc. Counties Contract No. 076XXM4005, Crockett County

REST AREA MAINTENANCE

Contract No. 076XXM4012, Concho County Contract No. 076XXM4015, Coke County

APRIL 13, 1995 - 2:00 PM

PICNIC AREAS AND LITTER BARREL SITE MAINTENANCE Contract No. 076XXM4002, Irion, etc. Counties Contract No. 076XXM4003, Concho, etc. Counties Contract No. 076XXM4008, Sterling, etc. Counties Contract No. 076XXM4009, Coke, etc. Counties Contract No. 076XXM4010, Edwards, etc. Counties

REST AREA MAINTENANCE

Contract No. 076XXM4013, Sutton County (North Side) Contract No. 076XXM4014, Sutton County (South Side)

Plans and specifications and proposals for the above mentioned contracts are available at the office of Mr. Dennis W. Wilde, P.E., Director of Operations, 915/944-1501, Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, Texas. Mailing address is 4502 Knickerbocker Rd, San Angelo, Texas 76904.

Minority owned businesses are encouraged to bid.

PRICES REDUCED

E. PIERCE-3 BR, 1 bath, needs repair. \$6,500.
WOOD ST.-Commercial, 2 rooms & 2 baths, 1956 sq. ft. \$3,500.
S. ARLINGTON-3 BR, 1 bath, lg. den. \$22,000.
N. WEST-4 BR, 2 1/2 bath, brick w/2580 sq. ft. \$89,000.
S. MAIN-For rent, lg. bldg., remodeled. \$200 month.
NEW LISTING-FLOYD-3 BR, 2 bath w/guest house, swimming pool, hot tub on lg. lot. \$60,000.
POPULAR-3 BR, 1 1/2 bath 14' x 70' mobile home w/lot. \$6,500.
N. MAIN-Duplex, 2 apts.-3 rooms & bath each. \$21,900.
WINGATE-2 BR, 1 bath, 1351 sq. ft. Owner finance w/ small down. Make offer.
NEW LISTING-W. HWY 153-Commercial bldg w/9.3 acres. 3600 sq. ft. \$50,000.
S. ARLINGTON-3 BR, 1 bath, H/A. \$19,500.
S. CHURCH-2 BR, 1 bath, 1250 sq. ft. w/garage. \$16,500.
BISHOP-Remodeled 2 BR, 1 bath, out of city limits. \$15,500.
FLOYD-Almost new 4 BR, 3 bath brick home, lg. den w/wet bar, 3645 sq. ft. \$175,000.
N. CHURCH-3 BR, 1 bath in good condition. \$12,500.
N. CRYER-3 BR, 2 bath mobile home, 2 lots. \$13,500.
NEW LISTING-CIRCLE DR.-Lg. 170' x 70' lot. \$4,250.
N. MAIN-3 BR, 2 bath, brick, corner lot. \$45,000.
WOOD ST.-Like new 4 BR, 2 bath, 1600 sq. ft. \$29,500.
S. MELWOOD-3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, H/A. \$34,500.
LAUREL DR.-3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, fresh paint. \$36,500.

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APRIL 19, 1995

Contract No. 076XXM1001, Runnels, etc. Counties.....9:00 am
 Contract No. 076XXM1002, Irion, etc. Counties.....10:00 am
 Contract No. 076XXM1003, Concho, etc. Counties.....11:00 am
 Contract No. 076XXM1004, Kimble, etc. Counties.....2:00 pm
 Contract No. 076XXM1006, Tom Green, etc. Counties.....3:00 pm
 Contract No. 076XXM1007, Sutton, etc. Counties.....4:00 pm

APRIL 20, 1995

Contract No. 076XXM1005, Crockett, etc. Counties.....9:00 am
 Contract No. 076XXM1008, Sterling, etc. Counties.....10:00 am
 Contract No. 076XXM1009, Coke, etc. Counties.....11:00 am
 Contract No. 076XXM1010, Edwards, etc. Counties.....2:00 pm
 Contract No. 076XXM1011, Tom Green, etc. Counties.....3:00 pm
 Contract No. 076XXM1012, Schleicher, etc. Counties.....4:00 pm

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Hunter's Camp

with Don Haley

Every husband's fantasy wife!

Have you seen that new survey that explores fantasies about marriage?

They ask a lot of questions about how men feel toward women, wives and stuff. One of the questions was, "If you could choose anyone in the world, who do you fantasize that your dream wife would be?"

The woman receiving the most votes from married men across the nation won in a landslide victory. It was really no contest, right guys? The winner and remaining champion is JoAnne Liebler.

Next on the list was...what's that you say...who's JoAnne Liebler? It must be a woman asking that question because if you're male, over thirty, fat, lazy, balding and watch cable TV, you wouldn't have to ask.

JoAnne Liebler is that do-it-yourself wife on Channel 33. She does all the work while her husband Dean talks to the camera about how to do it.

The other day they had a show about how to landscape a yard. And while Dean was telling the audience about all the old sod having to be removed before the new dirt can be shoveled in, there's JoAnne in the background waiting away with a pick axe and pushing a wheelbarrow full of rocks.

Dean says they'll need a bunch of new trees for accent. Who do you think is digging the holes? Yep, it's JoAnne, attacking the earth with a pair of post-hole diggers as if there's no tomorrow.

As the show ends, JoAnne is edging the flower beds with a weed-eater, mowing the grass and fertilizing it with 40-40-0.

On another show, Dean has

decided that it's time to re-roof the house. It has to be real hot, he says sitting in the shade of the porch, so that the black asphalt adhesive will stick.

Look there's JoAnne over there by the gable, carrying roles of tar paper and bundles of shingles up a thirty foot extension ladder.

A little later, Dean decides it might be nice to add on a room, pour a new driveway, plumb the sink, re-grout the shower and convert the basement into a study.

Guess who's digging the foundation trench, laying re-bar steel, swinging a framing hammer, cutting rafters, soldering pipe, slinging tile and hanging sheet rock? And when she's not busy troweling cement, she's putting the finishing touches on that new kitchen counter top.

Yes Siree, it's every man's fantasy wife -- JoAnne Liebler!

After the house is completely remodeled and all the yard work is done, we see Dean sitting at the dining room table reading the newspaper. He's talking to someone off camera and.....why, it's JoAnne.

She's in the kitchen cooking Dean's favorite meal. She serves it to him and then she's off again to scrub all those dirty dishes and put that last coat of paint on the living room wall.

She comes back after she finishes the cleaning chores and washes out all the paint brushes - Dean's coffee needed refilling, you know...

Yes, that's our JoAnne. She pays little heed to expensive shopping trips, malls, idle phone chatter, beauty shops and polished nails. There's more work to be done.

She's more in tune to lumber yards, 2 X 4's, caulking guns, back-hoes and circular saws. She cooks, she cleans, she excavates!

And another thing about JoAnne Liebler -- she's very attractive! It's not like she has tattoos on her forearms or a chew in her mouth or something. She's tall and lithe and wears rouge and lipstick and everything.

So you can see why the average American male would fantasize about having JoAnne Liebler for a wife. If we were like old' Dean, we wouldn't have any chores or have to hire someone to do things.

With JoAnne Liebler around, we'd have lots more hunting and fishing time, not to mention a pretty darned nice looking house.

Yep, Dean's a lucky man all right -- the envy of us all! But I'm beginning to have my doubts as to whether Dean and JoAnne are really married or not.

Yea, something's fishy all right.

Come to think of it, in all the episodes I've watched, I've never seen her throw a hammer at him...

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Farm Equipment Sale is Saturday at Wingate Lions Bldg.

The 8th annual Runnels County Farm Equipment Sale will be Saturday, April 8, at the Wingate Lions Club building.

The day long event, sponsored by the Wingate Lions Club, will begin at 9:30 a.m. and conclude with the sale of the final piece of equipment.

Items to be auctioned include tractors, trailers, balers, and much more. Kevin Hutson will be the auctioneer.

The Winters Lions Club will cater meals beginning at 10 a.m. Barbecue plate lunches, which include brisket, potato salad, beans, bread, and the trimmings, are \$5 each. Barbecue sandwiches are \$2.50 each. Take-outs will be available.

RABIES ALERT!



A Rabies Clinic will ensure that your animal stays healthy!

Where: New Fire Station
When: Saturday, April 8
Time: 2:00 - 4:30 p.m.
Cost: only \$8 per animal

Supervised by Dr. Jimmy & Ginny Smith
Sponsored by the Winters 4H Club



JANA JACKSON was 14th High Individual in horse judging held recently at Tarleton State University. There were 468 entries in the horse competition conducted as part of Tarleton's annual Future Farmers of America Invitational. This was the first year for this category to be included in the contests. An estimated 4,000 high school students and their sponsors from 275 school districts across Texas competed in eight contests with the top 20 individuals in each category receiving a Tarleton cap and a plaque.

Is it illegal to pick bluebonnets?

Each Texas springtime brings flowers to fields and roadsides and a question to the minds of nature lovers -- is it really illegal to pick bluebonnets?

The answer is no -- there is no law against picking Texas' State Flower. However, there are laws against criminal trespass -- so make sure you're not on private property when you stop to take your annual kids-in-the-bluebonnets photo.

There are laws against damaging or destroying rights-of-way and government property -- so pick a few flowers, but don't dig up clumps of them and don't drive your vehicle into the midst of them. Remember, Mother Nature and in many cases, your fellow Texans, scattered wildflower seeds along medians and roadways so that everyone could enjoy spring flowers.

For the safety of yourself and others, as well as to limit your ticketability:

There are laws against impeding traffic -- so be careful about slowing down to enjoy the view. Pick areas with light traffic conditions for stopping.

Signal before leaving or entering the roadway.

Park off the roadway (off of improved shoulders), parallel to the road in the direction of traffic, on the same side of the roadway that the flowers are on. Don't walk or run across lanes of traffic to get to the flowers.

Obey signs that prohibit parking on a particular stretch of roadway.

And remember that in addition to a ticket, snakes and fire ants could also put more blue in your day than you bargained for.

Judging teams compete at FFA Invitational

by JENNIFER PREWIT, Winters FFA Member

Winters FFA judging teams recently attended the Tarleton State University Future Farmers of America Invitational.

The livestock team consisted of Lance Donica, Robert Bedford, and Jason Mitchell.

The dairy cattle team consisted of Kevin Briley, Dustin Priddy, Justin Mitchell, and Kyle Loudermilk.

Lori Jobe, Jennifer Prewit, Sh-

annon Evrard, and Jana Jackson were horse team members. Jana placed as fourteenth high individual.

Dairy Producers team members were Zane Crouch, Amy Reins, Brandi Gray, and Jeff Miller.

These judging teams will participate in Area Judging competition at Tarleton on Wednesday, April 5.

Texas Agricultural Extension Service

by Lance Rasch
Runnels County ACEA-AG

Runnels County 4-H judging team wins first place in wool and mohair division

by LANCE RASCH, ACEA-AG, Runnels County

Runnels County 4-H Judging Teams competed at Sweetwater on Saturday, March 25.

Results are as follows:

Wool & Mohair High Point Individuals:

1st, Amanda Harrell
3rd, James Andrae
7th, Shane Halfmann
8th, Holly Englert
9th, Jill Halfmann

Team Standings:

Runnels County #1 Team - 1st, Amanda Harrell, James Andrae, Shane Halfmann, and Jill Halfmann.

Runnels County #2 Team - 4th, Kayla Niehues, Holly Englert, Phoebe Harrell, and Stacy Halfmann.

Also judging was Jennifer Englert.

Livestock

Team Standings:

Runnels County #1 Team - 7th, Amy Heathcott, Chanda Hoppe, Jana Jackson, and Misty Pritchard.

Also judging were Mandi Pritchard, Jodi Schwertner, Kelly Schwertner, Lea Schwertner, Jimmy Halfmann, Brandon Hohensee, Travis Grohmann, Cody Halfmann, and Chad Halfmann.

City-wide garage sale in Clyde April 8

A city-wide garage sale will be conducted in Clyde on Saturday, April 8, sponsored by the Clyde Chamber of Commerce.

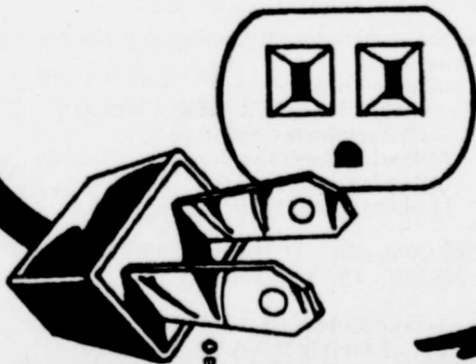
Maps providing sale locations and item listings will be distributed from the Clyde Chamber headquarters, located at the corner of North First and Cherry Lane, beginning at 7 a.m. sharp. A 25 cent donation for each map is requested to help defray printing costs.

Call 754-4958 to place an ad

Planned Power Outage

Saturday, April 8
Midnight to 3 a.m.

Affects WTU customers north of Casa Cabana, including Penny Lane and Laurel Drive, and REA customers north of Winters, Wingate, Norton, Drasco, and Crews



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7:30 a.m.-Met-Life (Curtis Weant Agency)
10:05 a.m.-Texaco (Alex & Ken Kvapil-Distributors)
12:00 noon-Coleman County Electric Co-op
4:00 p.m.-Star Stop Texaco Convenience Store

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9:00 a.m. "Hotline"-Keel Drug/Ballinger
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