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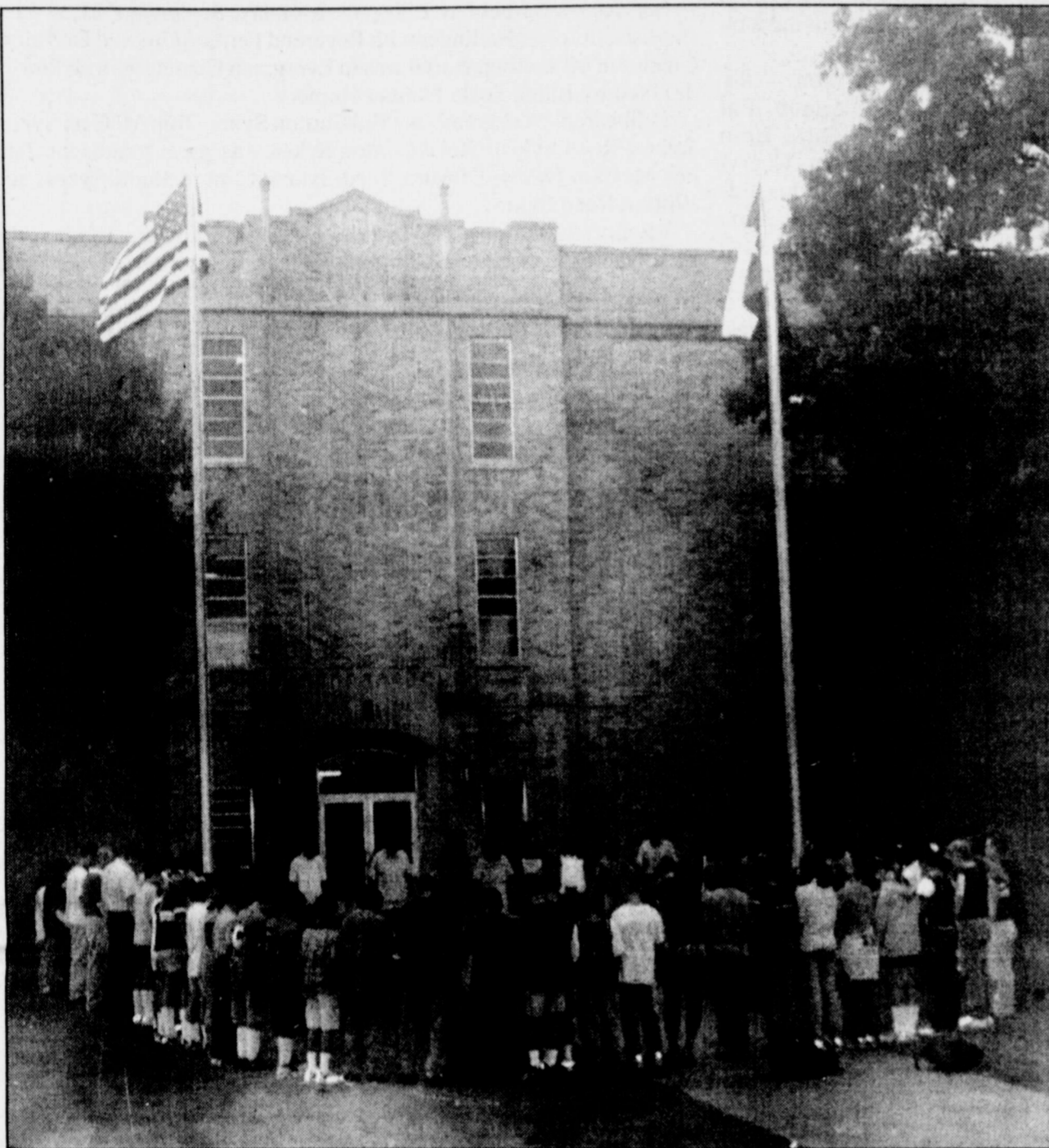
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## Starting the day off right—



"SEE YOU AT THE POLE" brought together approximately 120 WHS students for the 7:30 a.m. nation-wide prayer service last Wednesday. In addition to the United States, thirty foreign countries also participate in this special time of prayer.

## Chamber taking reservations for Annual Arts & Crafts show

by Brenda Burton, Chamber Director

The annual Arts & Crafts Show, sponsored by the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce, will be on Saturday, November 14.

The booths will offer an excellent opportunity to do some early Christmas shopping and to purchase new holiday decorations.

Reservations for booth spaces are \$20.00 each and tables at \$5.00 each.

Call 915-754-5210, or come by, or write the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce, 118 West Dale, Winters, Tx. 79567, to receive a form for the reservation.

Remember, we are trying to limit duplications, so first come, first served.

Hurry - reserve your space now.

Don't forget the pie contest, \$5.00 entry fee for each pie entered in your choice of creme, custard, or fruit pies.

Judging will be on Nov. 14, at the Arts & Crafts show.

Why not enter one or more of each variety?

Several people have contributed to my plea for the dates to fly the flags. We have a complete list of dates below. I will try to remind the businesses the week before the date.

Flag should be flown as follows:

- \*New Year's Day, January 1
- \*Martin Luther King Day, third Monday in January
- \*Inauguration Day, January 20, every fourth year
- \*Lincoln's Birthday, February 12

- \*Washington's Birthday (President's Day), third Monday in February.
- \*Easter Sunday, variable
- \*Mother's Day, second Sunday in May
- \*Armed Forces Day, third Sunday in May
- \*Memorial Day, (half-staff until noon) last Monday in May
- \*Flag Day, June 14
- \*Independence Day, July 4

- \*Labor Day, first Monday in September
- \*Constitution Day, September 17
- \*Columbus Day, September 17
- \*Navy Day, October 27
- \*Election Days, variable
- \*Veterans' Day, November 11
- \*Thanksgiving Day, fourth Thursday in November
- \*Christmas Day, December 25

## County, numerous others included in \$3 million lawsuit

Suit accuses commissioner and others of conspiracy

Bob McDaniel filed a suit against a number of Runnels County officials, the county, two hospitals, doctors, and nursing homes in U.S. District Court in San Angelo on September 2.

The suit names Runnels County; Marilyn Egan, County Judge; all four commissioners, Ballinger Memorial Hospital; North Runnels Hospital E.M.S.; Canterbury Villa Nursing Home, Inc.; Heritage Oaks Nursing Home, Inc.; William Pollan, D.O.; Karen Rightmire, D.O.; Kenneth Leckie, D.O.; Jim Drees, P.A.; Leticia Reyes, Discharge Planner; Ballinger Memorial Hospital; and County Attorney John McGregor.

The suit was filed under the racketeering statute of the State

of Texas. McDaniel's suit, which gives only his side of the suit, alleges he suffered damages because of fraud, conspiracy and other violation of statutes, and seeks damages due to mental anguish, physical pain, loss of business, and interference with contract.

The suit asks for damages of \$3 million from each of the defendants in the suit.

McDaniel, owner of Ballinger Emergency Medical Service, held a contract with Runnels County to provide emergency ambulance service for the southern part of Runnels County until the county withdrew its subsidy of the ambulance business in 1997.

The suit accuses County Com-

missioner Keith Collom and County Attorney John McGregor, and other unnamed individuals of a conspiracy engineered to drive McDaniel out of business.

The suit also accuses others named in the suit of various acts against McDaniel, his ambulance service, and/or McDaniel Medical. The suit asks for a jury trial.

County Judge Marilyn Egan said she could not comment on the suit, but that she would be contacting the county's public official liability carrier, Texas Association of Counties, for guidance in handling the suit.

McDaniel would not comment on the suit, referring all questions to his attorney. Attempts to contact the attorney by press time were unsuccessful.

## GTE agrees to reprint corrected phone books

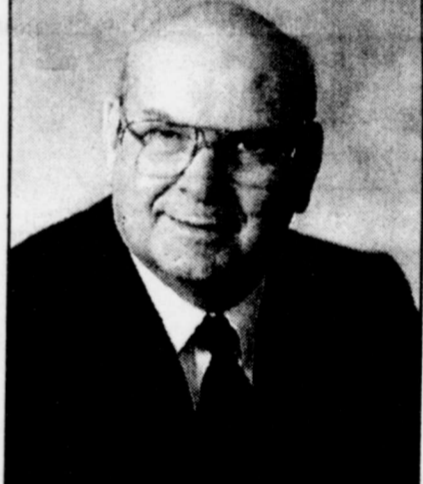
Bruce Condit, Manager of Marketing Communications for General Telephone Exchange (GTE) in Irving reported to *The Winters Enterprise* office on Monday, Sept. 21, that GTE is planning to reprint all the local telephone books that contain errors.

Problems with the recently published books include listings for Winters residents found under the Bradshaw heading, Bradshaw residents listed under Norton, and Norton residents listed under Winters.

Mr. Condit was unable to give specific dates for reprinting and distributing the corrected phone books but said that information will be available by Monday, Sept. 28.

Residents wishing to speak to GTE Customer Service may call 1-800-483-4400; businesses may call 1-800-483-5400.

## Dr. Wayne Hayenga to teach seminars in Runnels County



emphasizing key points with an entertaining style, and illustrates estate and income tax law provisions with practical examples that make learning a pleasure. His teaching makes full use of his broad background and practical experience as a farmer, lender and a lawyer. He has the ability to bring complicated legal ideas and legal issues to an understandable level.

"Financial Management Tools and Taxes" will be held Oct. 5 at 7 p.m. The second, a Farm and Ranch Business Management Seminar for Women Landowners, will be Oct. 6 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Both seminars will be held in Ballinger's First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall and are sponsored by the Extension Program Council and the Family and Consumer Science Committee of the Runnels County Extension Office.

Please see related stories on page 10.

Dr. Wayne Hayenga will be in Runnels County to teach two seminars highlighting wills, trusts, and taxes. This highly recognized authority is an agricultural economist, attorney, and Professor and Extension Specialist with Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Dr. Hayenga is an excellent communicator. He delivers a top-notch educational program,

## WHAT'S HAPPENING ?

- Sept. 24-10 a.m., 39+, First United Methodist Church
- 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- 5-9 p.m., Beef Producers Program, Abilene
- 5 & 6:30 p.m., Jr. High vs. Goldthwaite, There
- 6 p.m., JV vs. Goldthwaite, Here
- 6:30 p.m., Game Night, American Legion
- 6:30 p.m., Atlas ICBM Historical Society, Abilene
- Elementary Book Fair
- Sept. 25-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- 7:30 p.m., Varsity vs. Goldthwaite, There
- Elementary Book Fair
- Sept. 26-7 p.m., Winters Squares, Community Center
- Depot Daze, Ballinger
- Sept. 27-Depot Daze, Ballinger
- Bass Tournament, Ivie Reservoir
- Sept. 28-8:30 a.m., Runnels County Cotton Tour
- 9:30-10:30 a.m., SS Rep, Winters Housing Authority
- 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- 6 p.m., City Council
- 6:30 p.m., Weight Watchers, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 7 p.m., Weigh Down, First United Methodist Church
- 8 p.m., Wingate Masonic Lodge
- Sept. 29-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- Noon, Lions Club
- 7 p.m., Athletic Boosters, Blizzard Stadium
- 7 p.m., WVFD
- Sept. 30-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- Oct. 1-9:30 a.m.-Noon & 1:30-3 p.m., Immunization Clinic, TDH
- 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- 6:30 p.m., Game Night, American Legion
- 6:30 p.m., Runnels County Emmaus, St. John's Lutheran Church
- 7 p.m., Winters Squares, Community Center
- Fire Safety Month Begins



CITIZENS' POLICE ACADEMY GRADUATES recently awarded certificates for course completion are front row, left to right, Irene Gonzales, Nadine Delacruz, Yolanda Cavazos, and Sandee Curry. Back row (same order) officer Jason Pierce, Manuel Vera, Chief Carey Balentine and Sergeant Alfredo Sanchez. Officers Pierce and Sanchez were instructors for the course. Chief Balentine presented certificates to the graduates. Not pictured are graduates Billie Johnston, Kimberly Roberts-fields and Jose Delacruz.

## Oil Bidness

By Reg Boles ©1998

It's "Oil Patch Basics" time, again, and this time we are going to review the services that a typical oil and gas company usually employs in the course of doing business.

It is quite an elaborate web of service organizations that must be in place for the oil patch to operate as it should. The lack of such an infrastructure is precisely what makes doing business in the newest frontiers so difficult.

Let's begin at the wellhead. There has to be a good well servicing company available for work on wells that have failed downhole. The well servicing company has pulling units (rigs that resemble small drilling units) that can pull tubing and rods (in pumping wells) for equipment replacement or remedial interventions.

The local supply house can provide the replacement parts, new pumps, or even new hardhats for the crew. It is also the best place to go for gossip, doughnuts, and new pipe wrenches.

When something fails at the tank battery or along a flowline, the oilfield jack-of-all-trades, the roustabout, will be called in. The roustabout can change out a flowline, install a new separator, paint a pumping unit, replace a valve, or hoe weeds. These guys bring tools, a winch truck, and ingenuity to a trouble point.

If necessary, a company may hire a contract pumper to take care of wells. If the operator has enough wells, there might be a fulltime company pumper. In either case, the pumper is responsible for keeping an eye on certain wells every day. Any problems are reported in order to get things back on line as quickly as possible.

There are also several less frequent but no less important participants in the business of the oil patch.

There is the chemical man, who supplies the necessary ingredients for a paraffin- and scale-free op-

eration. Another is the meterman who keeps tabs on the gas volume being sold and maintains all of the equipment in proper working order to insure fair payment.

There are others, but this is a good cross section that any person running their own oil and gas company would have to plan on doing business with.

The system is a pretty good one. It allows specialists to focus on what they do best and be available for many companies for the most efficient application of their services with minimum duplication of effort.

See you next time.

### HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

#### COMPLETIONS

##### Runnels County

Dennis & Broun has completed the Dennis #102 in the Clarke Field (5 miles N of Winters) at an initial rate of 20 BOPD & 40 BWPD in the Gardner (perms 4403-07). Loc. is 3187 FSL & 330 FEL of H&TC Sur. No. 326, A-841.

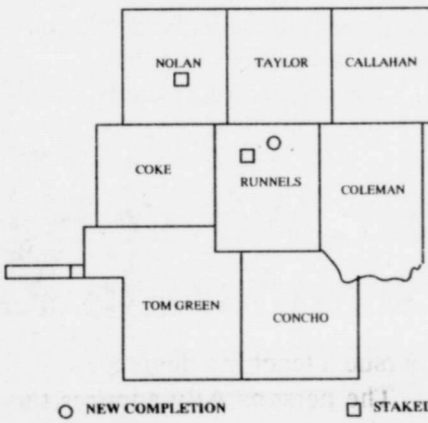
#### STAKINGS

##### Nolan County

Mike E. Nolte, Inc. has staked the G. Muncy #1 in the West Group Field, 18 miles S of Sweetwater (Depth 7100). Loc. is 815 FSL & 1717 FEL of Sec. 160, Blk. 1-A, H&TC Sur.

##### Runnels County

Sha-Jam Operating has staked the Catherine #1 in the Poe Field, 6 miles W of Winters (Depth 4800). Loc. is 1750 FSL & 1500 FEL of Sec. 71, CTRR Sur., A-107. RULE 36.



## Applications available for CIA home repair

The Christmas in April Board of Directors announces that applications for CIA house repair are now available.

Applications may be picked up at WTU, the Chamber of Commerce, *The Winters Enterprise*, Bahlman Jewelers, and Lawrence Bros. Please return applications to one of these same locations.

The CIA Board would like to thank these businesses for assisting in this way.

The CIA Board would also like to announce that the workday has been scheduled for April 10.

Recently elected board mem-

bers are Terry Wyatt, president; Mark Goetz, vice-president; Danny Prado, vice-president; Mary Wilkerson, secretary; Gordon Fenwick, house scope and selection; Audine McBeth, volunteer recruitment; and Joyce Weems, babysitting.

Continuing board members are Teresa Davis, Dale Montgomery, Mike Harris, Jimmy Butler, Aref Hassan, and Nell Ballard.

If you have any questions about applying for CIA home repair, please contact Terry Wyatt at 754-5783.

## Wade presents food serving methods to Woman's Club

The Winters Woman's Club met Tuesday, September 8, 1998, in Sandy Griffin's backyard to view a program on food presentation. Hostesses assisting Sandy were Bobbie Ludwick, Marthiel Russell, and Virginia Brown. Members enjoyed ice cream sandwiches and cookies.

Phyllis Boles introduced Christine Wade of Ballinger who demonstrated many unusual and attractive ways to serve fruits and vegetables. Christine was assisted by her daughter, Sue Morrish.

The club voted to make a donation to the secondary school accelerated reading program. This

program encourages students to read more by offering incentives for attaining goals set for them by teachers.

Members present were Dolly Airhart, Billie Alderman, Pat Ambrose, Jane Allcorn, Beth Briley, Virginia Brown, Cheryl Bryan, Kay Colburn, Edna England, Melvena Gerhart, Nina Hale, and Sandy Griffin. Also Horte Joyce, Bonney Kipness, Bonnie Lee, Bobbie Ludwick, Ouida Nichols, Ceclia Reeves, Marthiel Russell, Marlene Smith, Gail Williams, Marlene Wood, Theresa Briley, and Sondra Petty. McKenzie Hooper was a guest.

## Social Security Rep. in Winters on September 28

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his September visit to Winters. He will be at the Winters Housing Project Office on Monday, September 28, between 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

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

Your Social Security matters can be handled just as quickly by telephone. For help when you first want to sign up for Social Security or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits, call (915) 949-3718. The office is open every weekday (Monday through Friday) except holidays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you just need information or are already receiving benefits, call 1-800-772-1213 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. every weekday except holidays.

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

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## Obituaries

### Katherine (Kate) P. Sykes

**BALLINGER**—Katherine (Kate) P. Sykes, 102, died Friday, September 18, 1998, at Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

She was born September 6, 1896, in Westfork, Arkansas, to Thomas Penson Reed and Florence Privett Reed. At the age of two, she and her family moved to Fairlee, Texas. The family then moved to a farm located in the Big Valley community, between Goldthwaite and San Saba. She attended school in Big Valley and Goldthwaite. She married Otto C. Sykes in May 1918. They moved to Ballinger in early 1923.

Mrs. Sykes, always a homemaker, had been a member of First Baptist Church in Ballinger for 75 years. For many years, she was active in the Ballinger Garden Club and the Texas A&M Mothers Club.

She was preceded in death by her husband in May 1955.

Survivors include two sons, Billy C. Sykes and wife Mary of Ballinger, and Bobby R. Sykes and wife of Eldorado; grandchildren Ted Sykes of Houston, Tom and Deborah Sykes of Ballinger, Alison Sykes of Houston, Robert and Lisa Sykes of Midland, and Steve and Ann Sykes of Amarillo; great-grandchildren, Tanner and Leslie Ann Sykes of Ballinger, Reed, Nathan, and Grant Sykes of Midland, and Clinton, Clayton, and Stephanie Ann Sykes of Amarillo.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, September 21, at First Baptist Church in Ballinger with Reverend Ferris Akins and Dr. Henry Chisholm officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were grandsons Ted Carlton Sykes, Tom McCain Sykes, Robert Reed Sykes, Steve Clinton Sykes; and great-grandsons Tanner McCain Sykes, Clayton Reed Sykes, Clinton Rudd Sykes, and William Reed Sykes.

Memorials may be made to the Ballinger Carnegie Library, the First Baptist Church of Ballinger, or a favorite charity.

**Sr. Citizens Nursing Home News**  
By Billie Ruth Bishop

## Laundry staff honored at nursing home

It's party time again! Monday, September 21, was National Laundry Staff Day.

We honored our laundry girls, Billie Gerhart, Billie Reel, Angie Lee, and Nancy Moran.

Our tribute to a hard working and deserving staff.

Thanks, to the ladies from Hopewell Baptist Church, for the wonderful birthday party last week.

Those with birthdays include, Steve Wilborn, Velma Simpson, Edna Sudduth, Hubert Merchant, and B. J. Waldrop.

Wednesday of last week, we honored two of our residents, Mr. McGuffin and Mr. McKelleb, with a memorial service.

## Runnels County Emmaus schedule monthly meetings

Runnels County Emmaus meetings will be held the first Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

The meetings will alternate at three churches: St. John's Lutheran Church, the First United Methodist Church, and the First Baptist Church.

The first scheduled meeting is set Thursday, October 1, at 6:30 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church.

For questions, please contact Nancy Thompson at 754-4016.



The longest boundary in the world is that between Canada and the U.S., which extends for 3,987 miles.

## Applications taken through Oct. 27 for early voting by mail

The County Clerk's Office is now accepting applications for early voting by mail for the November 3 General Election.

A qualified voter is eligible for early voting by mail if the voter has a disability, is 65 years of age or older or is confined in jail.

A qualified voter is also eligible for early voting by mail if the voter expects to be absent from the county on election day and during the regular hours for conducting early voting.

The County Clerk's office will be accepting applications through October 27, 1998.

Any qualified voter will be eligible for early voting by personal

appearance in the County Clerk's Office beginning October 19, 1998, through October 30, 1998, from 8:30 a.m. -12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Early voting will also be conducted Sunday, October 25, 1998, between the hours of 12:00 noon and 5:00 p.m. at the County Clerk's Office in Ballinger and also at the Runnels County Tax Branch Office in Winters.

For further information or to request an application for early voting by mail, please contact the County Clerk's Office at 365-2720.

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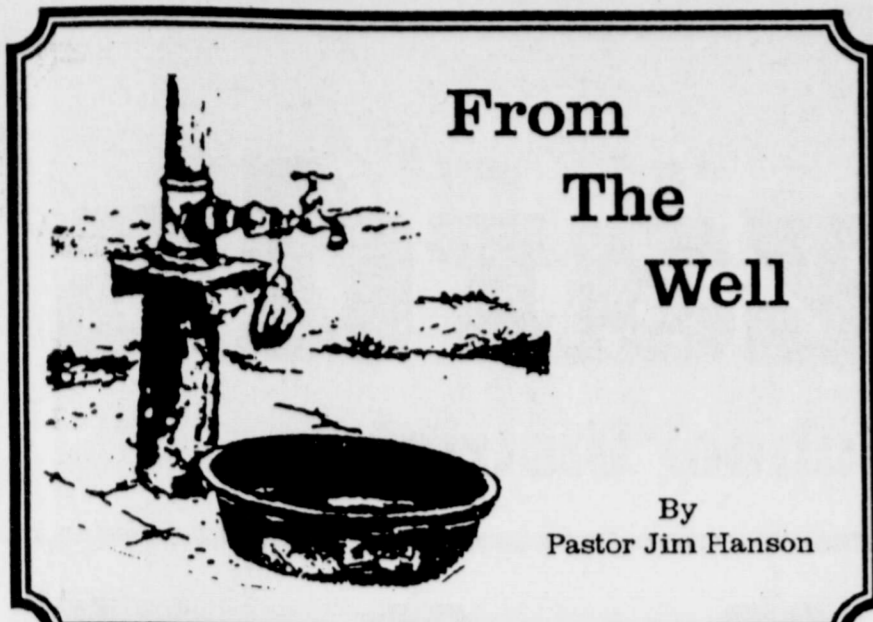
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## From The Well

By Pastor Jim Hanson



Pastor Jim Hanson

It was early in August. About 10 a.m. I was sitting in my son Nathan's study, in a rural church, near Hudson, South Dakota.

The rain drops were falling. Softly. Gently. Saturating the earth, soaking the soil. Music to my ears.

Before the day was over, 2 inches had come down. Not a "gully washer. Just a beautiful "all-day" rain. I thought to myself, now, if that could and would happen in Winters.

Then—as I was musing and meditating, I noticed a box full of books that Nathan had left half-opened near the desk. I sauntered over, reached in, and pulled out a plum! It was Baxter Black's "Croutons on a Cowpie #2." (Pub. by Coyote Cowboy Company. Record Stockman Press. Denver, Colorado 1992.) I picked it up. The title looked like something a big animal veterinarian would come up with. And something that a grey-haired rural preacher might just enjoy reading.

Sure enough. As I paged through the book—there it was. Just what I was thinking about. And, for a fact, still am. How good it would be if it would really rain in Winters. And, how bad it is when it doesn't. Here's the page from that book:

### ONE LAST LOOK

One last look at the rain gauge, the bottom's covered with dust.

One last look at the heavens. Can't see a cloud he can trust.

Far off sheets of heat lightning play tricks on the cowman's mind.

Bearing false witness the tease, leaving mirages behind.

"Good God! Don't it ever end!

I'm sick to death of this drought.

One more year like the last one

And I might as well sell out.

Hell, I've sold off half my cow herd.

Still feedin' the others hay.

Nothin's green in the pasture,

I keep lookin' anyway.

I'm gettin' hard to live with,

'Specially with them that I love.

The Good Book teaches patience

But that, I'm runnin' short of.

So, I end up every evenin'

Out here on this little knoll

Checkin' the clouds for moisture

And, I guess, searchin' my soul.

To keep me from forgettin'

That bad as it seems to be

The world's filled with people

That's a lot worse off than me.

Well, no point a'waitin' longer.

The sunset's cashin' it in.

Mother's makin' the gravy,

They'll wonder where I've been."

One last look at the rain gauge, filled to the brim with blue sky.

One last look at the heavens, must be a speck in his eye.

"Thy will be done," he whispers with a faith he can't explain.

But Lord, his faith would up some if "Thy will" included rain.

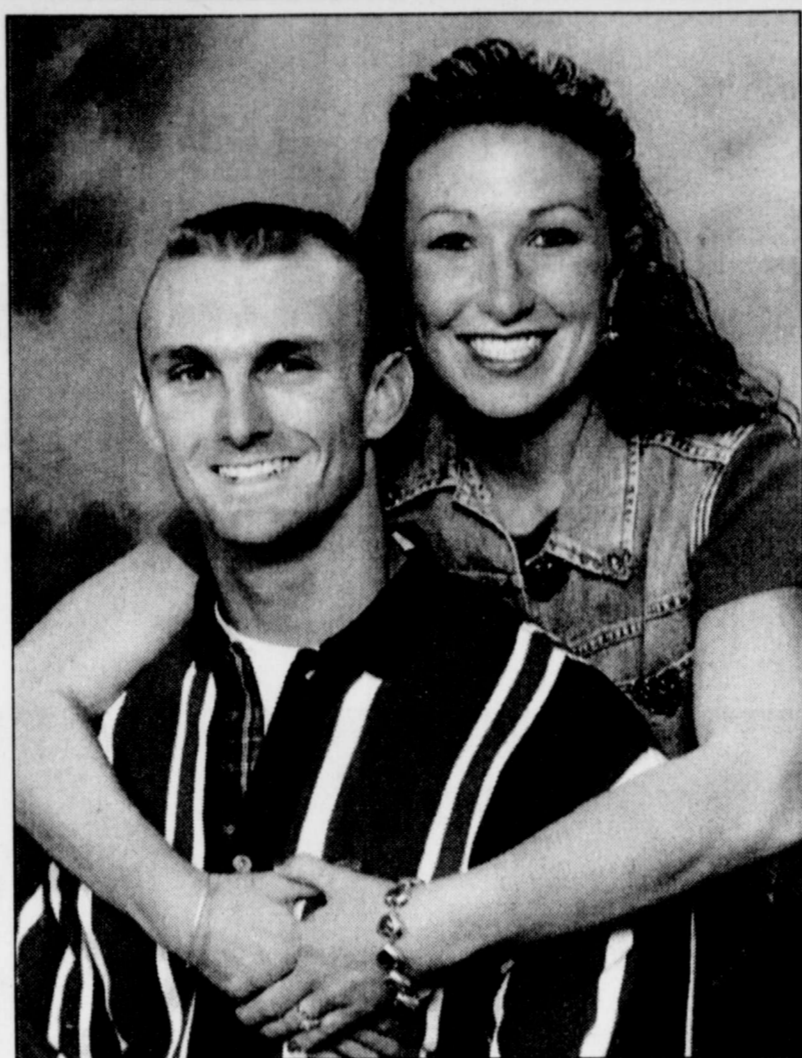
That last line really got to me. "But Lord, his faith would up some if "Thy will" included rain." For I know a number of folks whose faith would up some if it rained. Including mine.

For it seems like everybody else around us seems to get some. And folks south of us got too much. And the hurricanes aren't sending us any rain. It's enough to make a preacher, this preacher anyway, to cuss. Even if you know it wouldn't do any good.

This year has been a bad tear for most farmers. Minnesota, Montana, North and South Dakota, even Iowa. Kansas. Nebraska. Oklahoma. Texas. The Great Plains are groaning. Deregulation. Low prices. Bugs. Worms. Disease. All are taking their toll. "Freedom to Farm" should have been called "Freedom to Grow Broke" says a state legislator in Minnesota. It's depressing.

Well, election time is coming soon. And folks like us need to remember, when voting, that "In spite of all its achievements, humanity exists because of six inches of top soil and the fact that it rains." Our farmers need representation. Need advocates. Need all the help they can get. Yesterday.

But, whatever else, it sure would help if it would rain. "Let us pray for rain."



Cole Adams and Jennifer Boles

## Boles, Adams to marry December 5

Randall and Jane Boles of Winters are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Jennifer D'Ann Boles to Leighton Cole Adams, son of Sandra Adams of Lamesa, and Mike and Kelly Adams of Lamesa.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Winters High School, is a senior elementary education major at McMurry University in Abilene. She is an aerobics instructor at the University and does private tutoring.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Lamesa High School and McMurry University with a Bachelor's degree in secondary education. He is a graduate assistant coach at McMurry.

The couple will marry December 5 at the First Baptist Church in Winters.

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

## Interested in GED classes?

The Winters Independent School District is pleased to announce that a General Education Diploma (GED) class is forming now.

Most jobs in Texas require at least a GED or a high school diploma. This is your opportunity to work toward your GED FREE!

All persons who are seventeen years of age or older and are not currently enrolled in public school may attend these classes free.

You will get instruction in basic reading and math skills, as well as basic computer skills.

The classes will be held in a computer lab, and you will be provided assistance to get you ready to pass the GED test.

If you are interested in getting a GED, please contact Terry Wyatt at 754-5574 before September 22, 1998.

This is your chance to get that GED. Call Now!

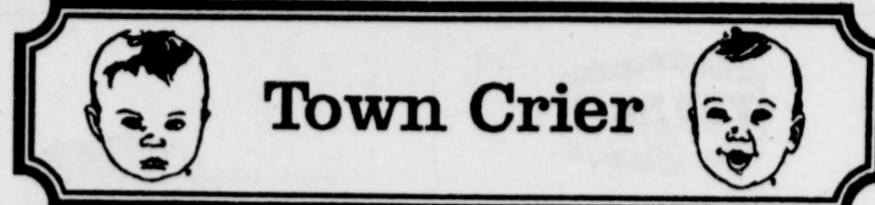
## Three recognized on TSTC's President's List

According to the Admissions and Records Office of Texas State Technical College, three area students are listed on the President's Honor Roll for the Summer-1998 Quarter.

They are Hollie Cathey of Wingate, and Joyce Beltran and Allen Ripple, both of Winters.

Hollie is majoring in Information Management Technology. Joyce's major is Medical Records Transcription. Ripple's field of study is Air Conditioning/Refrigeration Technology.

Students must earn a 4.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale to be recognized on the President's Honor Roll.



## Town Crier

### Breanna D'Nae Luevano

Cousins Samantha Renee, Gabriel James Jr., and Joshua Nathaniel proudly welcome home Breanna D'Nae.

Born Thursday, August 13, 1998, at 4:37 p.m. at Abilene Regional Medical Center, Breanna weighed 5 lbs. 6.8 oz. and was 19-1/2 inches long.

Proud parents of Breanna D'Nae are Nancy Cavazos and Joe Luevano of Winters.

Maternal grandparents are Yolanda and Reynaldo Cavozos of Winters.

Paternal grandparents are Anita Fernandez and Santos Luevano of Stamford.

## Students of the Month

John Heathcott, 13, is "Boy of the Month" for September, 1998. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Denny Heathcott.

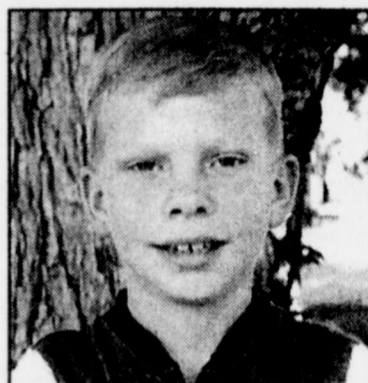
John is in the seventh grade where his favorite subject is Science. He has 4-H awards, showmanship awards in swine and goats, and has placed third at Fort Worth stock show. He was high ranking boy through the sixth grade.

He enjoys watching stock shows and sports.

His duties include feeding the animals and helping his mom in the house.

John most admires his mom and dad.

He plans to attend college and graduate with a teaching degree in Ag Science.



John Heathcott  
September Boy of the Month

Ally Calcote has been chosen as the "Girl of the Month" for September, 1998. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Calcote.

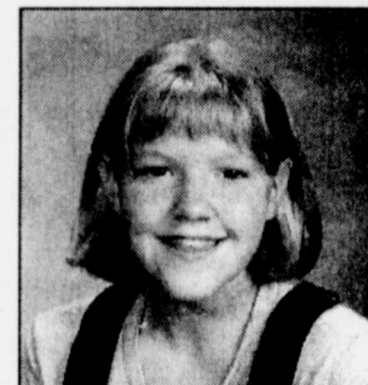
Ally, 13, is in the eighth grade and enjoys U.S. History.

She enjoys playing basketball and her favorite pastime is talking to friends on the telephone.

Her duties include keeping her room clean and taking care of two dogs.

She plans to attend college and pursue a teaching degree.

The persons Ally admires the most are her parents.



Ally Calcote  
September Girl of the Month

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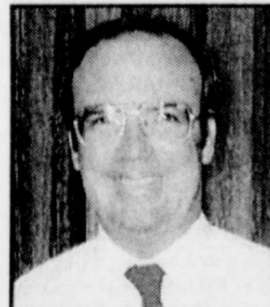
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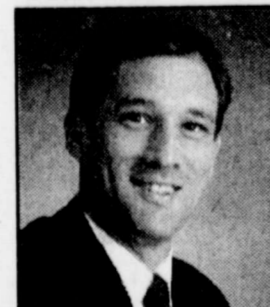
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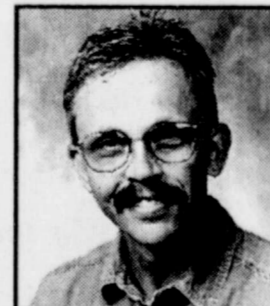
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- Goldthwaite's "Kid" \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Fiber Fair
- TXism: "strong as battery \_\_\_\_\_ (strong coffee)
- Bellevue, TX \_\_\_\_\_
- TXism: "sour enough \_\_\_\_\_ pucker a pig"
- antique auto \_\_\_\_\_
- in '45 TX Byron Nelson won \_\_\_\_\_ tournaments in a row
- \_\_\_\_\_ Arthur, TX
- in '45 TX Byron Nelson \_\_\_\_\_
- 68.33 strokes a round \_\_\_\_\_
- Cotulla is seat of this county \_\_\_\_\_
- TX Freddie Fender tune: "You'll \_\_\_\_\_ Good Thing"
- TXism: "if \_\_\_\_\_ wings he'd be an eagle"
- \_\_\_\_\_ and mean"
- Addams Family uncle \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Anne Warren was TX barmaid in "Baja Oklahoma"
- camping light \_\_\_\_\_
- former Ranger outfielder Pete (init.) \_\_\_\_\_
- cliffhanging "Dallas" question \_\_\_\_\_
- Abilene's Dyess AFB is a \_\_\_\_\_ of SAC \_\_\_\_\_
- Dublin's Hogan \_\_\_\_\_ (keep trying)
- Travis Tritt's "It's All \_\_\_\_\_ Change"
- shunning \_\_\_\_\_
- Tigua tribe's Ysleta del \_\_\_\_\_ Pueblo
- "Whoa, \_\_\_\_\_!"
- 45 meaning of Nuces \_\_\_\_\_
- TX Tune (init.) \_\_\_\_\_
- and others (abbr.) \_\_\_\_\_
- to Dallas from San Angelo \_\_\_\_\_
- TV's Diane & Twain's Tom \_\_\_\_\_
- TXism: "use your head for something besides \_\_\_\_\_ rack"
- Gulf shrimp catcher \_\_\_\_\_
- this TX Jenkins was author of book on which film in 29-across was based \_\_\_\_\_
- Yo \_\_\_\_\_ Digo Creek
- slang name of country where Texans fought from 50s to 75 \_\_\_\_\_
- this Umberto wrote "The Name of the Rose" \_\_\_\_\_
- in Runnels Co. on hwy. 153 \_\_\_\_\_
- this ex-Cowboy actually is 6' 9" \_\_\_\_\_
- TXism: "just down the \_\_\_\_\_ a piece"
- TXism: "saddle \_\_\_\_\_ sores \_\_\_\_\_"
- Norman or King \_\_\_\_\_
- TXism: "he's \_\_\_\_\_ tailed tooter!" \_\_\_\_\_
- Rangers league \_\_\_\_\_
- TX Ovata Culp \_\_\_\_\_
- Hobby was 1st sec. of this agency (abbr.) \_\_\_\_\_ (renamed in '79)
- 31 jealousy \_\_\_\_\_
- some Texans have big ones \_\_\_\_\_
- TXism: "stirred up a hornet's \_\_\_\_\_"
- novel by 54-across: "You Gotta \_\_\_\_\_"
- this Shivers ran for gov. in '52 on Rep. and Dem. tickets \_\_\_\_\_
- workplace watch-dog (abbr.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 25 piles it on \_\_\_\_\_
- umpire shout with thumb in air (2 wds.) \_\_\_\_\_
- Pearsall is seat of this county \_\_\_\_\_
- jealousy \_\_\_\_\_
- Cowboys' 5th quarter (abbr.) \_\_\_\_\_
- TX Tanya (init.) \_\_\_\_\_
- TXism: "love \_\_\_\_\_" (hickey) \_\_\_\_\_
- horse color \_\_\_\_\_
- arrival guess at Hobby (abbr.) \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ order" \_\_\_\_\_
- vegetarians \_\_\_\_\_ TX beef \_\_\_\_\_
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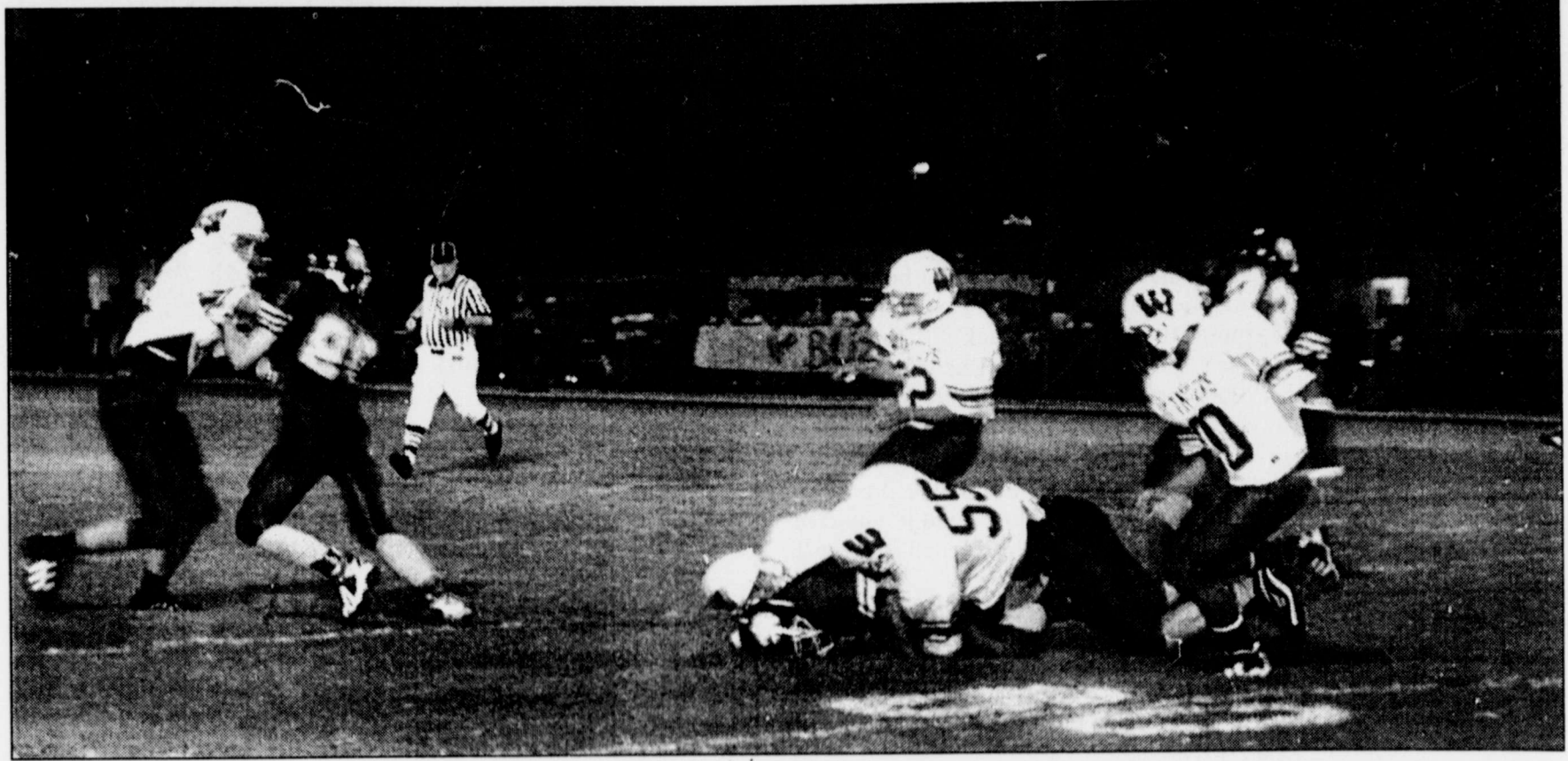
**Breakfast**  
Monday-Sept. 28  
Biscuit  
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Juice  
Tuesday-Sept. 29  
Breakfast Burrito  
Cereal  
Juice  
Wednesday-Sept. 30  
Toast  
Cereal  
Juice  
Thursday-Oct. 1  
Pancakes/Syrup  
Oatmeal  
Juice  
Friday-Oct. 2  
Cheese Toast  
Cereal  
Juice

**Lunch**  
Monday-Sept. 28  
Pizza  
June Peas  
Fruit Salad  
Banana Pudding  
Tuesday-Sept. 29  
Chicken Fried Steak & Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Hot Roll  
Peach Half  
Wednesday-Sept. 30  
Macaroni Meat Dish (Goulash)  
Tossed Salad  
Hot Roll  
Sliced Peaches  
Thursday-Oct. 1  
Beef Tips & Rice  
Broccoli & Cheese  
Hot Roll  
Sliced Peaches  
Friday-Oct. 2  
Grilled Ham/Cheese Sandwich  
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ERIC TEKELL #55 and Larry Hoyle rush in to sack the Ozona quarterback, as other Blizzards Josh Minzenmayer (far left), Andrew Medina #32 and Jeremy Alvarado #20 swarm the sack.

## Blizzards zip past Ozona Lions 34-6

### Face Goldthwaite in first district outing Friday

After allowing Ozona to score early in the first quarter last Friday night, the Blizzards came alive and defeated the Lions 34-6 in their last non-district competition for the season.

Ozona opened the scoring with an 18-yard pass with 9:20 remaining in the first quarter. The try for two failed and the Blizzards were behind for the first time this season, 6-0.

On Winters' next possession, the Blizzards were stopped on Ozona's 35-yard line on a 4th and 8.

The Lions started another good drive but Josh Minzenmayer intercepted on the Winters 26-yard line.

The Blizzard offense couldn't put a drive together and the first quarter ended with Ozona leading 6-0.

The Lions had possession at the beginning of the second quarter but the Big Blue Wrecking

Crew thwarted the Lions' offensive efforts and the Blizzards took over.

Starting from their own 35-yard line, the offense finally jelled as quarterback Kenny Whittenburg drove up the middle for a 1-yard touchdown. The extra point kick was no good and the score was tied at 6-all with 8:30 to go in the first half.

Again the Blizzards stopped the Lions on their next offensive play when Minzenmayer used his 6'5" frame to pick off another pass.

Winters started on the 50-yard line and a great pass from Whittenburg to Larry Hoyle could possibly have been a touchdown but an "inadvertent" whistle (unintentional) by one of the officials stopped the play on the Ozona 21.

Wes Calcote took the ball over the goal line on the next play. Minzenmayer kicked the extra point and Winters was in the lead

to stay, 13-6, with 6:29 to go in the half.

The Blizzards would score once more before the half on a Whittenburg-to-Lee Woffenden 41-yard pass. With only 1:47 left in the half, Minzenmayer's PAT kick was good, and the halftime score stood at Winters 20, Ozona 6.

The Blizzard defense, led by the Wrecking Crew front four — Eric Tekell, Michael Prewitt, Chris Lujano and Brad Van Zandt — would wreak havoc in the second half to keep the Ozona offense from mounting any serious threats.

The Blizzards' offense also stepped up their pace by going 56 yards in three minutes to score on a 1-yard run by Andrew Medina. The Minzenmayer kick was on target and the lead was extended to 27-6.

Just five minutes later Woffenden carried the ball in for

a touchdown from 4 yards out. Again the Minzenmayer kick was good and wrapped up the scoring for the evening. Final score was Winters 34, Ozona 6.

This Friday night, District 25-2A opens play and the spotlight game will be the Winters vs. Goldthwaite showdown. If all teams play to coincide with their records, this will be for the district championship.

The Blizzards remain undefeated while the Goldthwaite Eagles are 2-1. The Eagles have probably played the toughest schedule with a loss to 3A Comanche.

The Eagle offense is led by quarterback Steven Miles who is starting his third year at this position. This offense averaged 400 yards per game last year and had 472 yards in last week's win over Hico.

Kickoff will be in Eagle stadium at 7:30 p.m.

**1998 Sept. 25**  
**Fearless Football Forecasters**

	Monte Angel	Rhonda Goetz	Dale Montgomery	Kevin Floyd	Larry Walker
OVERALL	17-13	17-13	16-14	23-7	25-5
LAST WEEK	7-3	7-3	7-3	7-3	9-1
Winters at Goldthwaite	Winters Early	Winters Early	Winters Early	Winters Early	Winters Early
Early at San Saba	Early Coleman	Early Coleman	Early Coleman	Early Coleman	Early Coleman
Coleman at Mason	Jim Ned	Jim Ned	Jim Ned	Jim Ned	Jim Ned
Jim Ned at Wall	Ballinger	Ballinger	Ballinger	Ballinger	Ballinger
Ballinger at Midland	Eastland	Eastland	Eastland	Eastland	Eastland
Greenwood	Merke	Merke	Merke	Merke	Merke
Merke at Eastland	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring
Big Spring at Wylie	Aspermont	Aspermont	Aspermont	Aspermont	Aspermont
Aspermont at Haskell	Dublin	Dublin	Dublin	Dublin	Dublin
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**STATISTICAL SUMMARY**

	Winters	Ozona
First downs	19	14
Rushing yards	38-223	40-92
Passing yards	162	125
Comp-Att-Int	7-12-0	10-20-3
Punts	3-37-0	3-36-0
Fumbles-lost	2-1	2-0
Penalties-yards	7-50	6-35

**SCORING SUMMARY**

By Quarters	0,20,14,0	6,0,0,0
<b>FIRST QUARTER</b>		
Ozona		
9:20 remaining, Seth Webster 18-yd. pass from Ross Crawford. Run failed.		
<b>SECOND QUARTER</b>		
Winters		
8:30 remaining, Kenny Whittenburg. 1-yd. run. Kick failed.		
6:29 remaining, Wes Calcote 18-yd run. Josh Minzenmayer kick.		
1:47 remaining, Lee Woffenden 41-yd pass from Whittenburg. Minzenmayer kick.		
<b>THIRD QUARTER</b>		
Winters		
5:22 remaining, Andrew Medina 2-yd run. Minzenmayer kick.		
:46 remaining, Woffenden 9-yd run. Minzenmayer kick.		
<b>FOURTH QUARTER</b>		
No scoring.		

ZEKE help from Lions.

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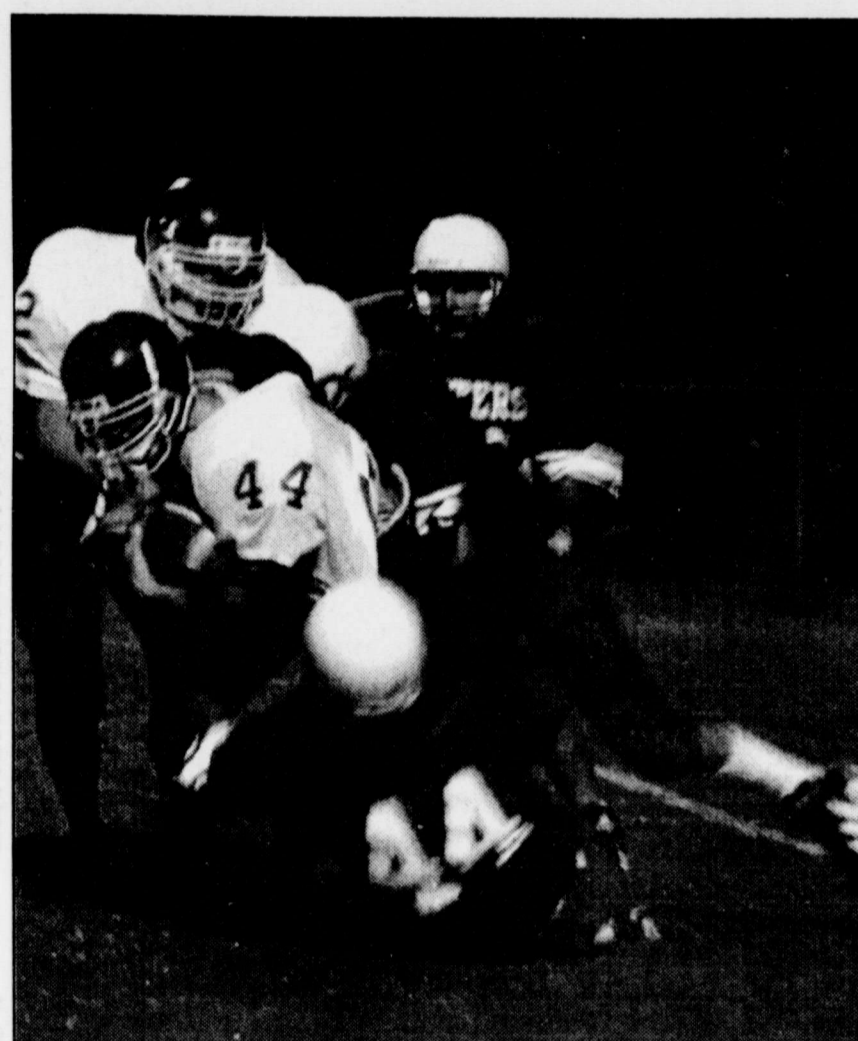
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**ZEKE MARTINEZ #44 brings down the Ozona runner with help from an unidentified Blizzard during a 47-0 stomping of the Lions.**

## JV storms over Ozona 47-0

by Kayla Colburn, WHS correspondent

The Ozona Lions probably thought that getting nine inches of rain in one week was bad. The Blizzard storm Thursday evening was even worse. Freezing out the Lions 33 to 0 in the first quarter, things continued to get worse for Ozona in the junior varsity game. The scoring storm started with Tony Aguero scoring twice in three minutes on runs of 4 yards and 12 yards. Extra points were made by Justin Calcote and Artemio Lopez, bringing the score to 14-0. On the kickoff, Chris Yanez had a big hit causing Ozona to fumble. Blizzard John Vidauri recovered. Three plays later Roger Martinez scored from 20 yards out on a trap play. Ozona had a little success on two first downs only to have another fumble caused by Taylor Brown. Zeke Martinez picked up the fumble and scampered 69 yards for another touchdown. Calcote successfully kicked the extra point, making the score 27-0. The Ozona offense stalled again, going three and out. Seven plays later Arthur Martinez finished the first quarter scoring by

running 33 yards on a reverse. The extra point was converted by Artemio Lopez. The Blizzard defense continued the storm by giving up only one first down in the second quarter. Arthur Martinez scored the only touchdown in that period. The halftime score stood at 40-0. The third quarter was a little slower with the teams exchanging punts. Tony Aguero scored off of a toss sweep that went for 70 yards. Final score was Blizzards 47, Ozona 0. The Blizzard defense recorded their second shutout for the season led by tackles Ronald Curry, Jose Santos and Fabian Ortiz; linebackers Kevin Flores, Roger Martinez, John Vidauri; defensive ends Josh Moreno, Jeremy Hope and Joey Joeris. This big win should help the junior varsity be ready for their first district competition against the Goldthwaite Eagles this Thursday in Blizzard stadium at 6:30 p.m. Coach Biff White says thanks to all the great fans for their continued support.

## Directions to Goldthwaite Field

Football fans traveling to Goldthwaite in support of the Winters teams may find the following information useful. After exiting off Highway 84, as you are entering Goldthwaite, you will come to a first (and new) traffic light. At this light, turn right onto Hannah Valley Road. Go about 5 blocks. You should see the school on the left (still on Hannah Valley Road). The stadium sits behind the school. Enter the grounds on either side. As a final reminder, of course, if all else fails: Look for the high stadium lights.

Team	W	L	W L	Season
Winters (5)	0	0	0	3 0
Early (1)	0	0	0	2 1
Goldthwaite (8)	0	0	0	2 1
Coleman (2)	0	0	0	1 2
Bangs (3)	0	0	0	0 3
Hamilton (4)	0	0	0	0 3
Mason (7)	0	0	0	0 3
San Saba (6)	0	0	0	0 3

**Last week's scores - Goldthwaite 39,** Hico 7; Florence 21, San Saba 14; Ballinger 21, Coleman 18; Winters 34, Ozona 6; Early 54, Water Valley 6; Dublin 19, Hamilton 14; Ingram Tom Moore 7, Mason 0; Clyde 15, Bangs 12.

**This week's games - Winters at Goldthwaite; Early at San Saba; Coleman at Mason; Hamilton at Bangs.**

## FAVORITE BLIZZARD FOOTBALL MEMORY

Editor's note: The following story was submitted by a former Blizzard in response to my request for memories of a special game, season, play or player. If you would like to participate, please send your story in 500 words or less to The Winters Enterprise, 104 N. Main, Winters, Texas 79567. Stories submitted become the property of The Winters Enterprise.

### "Bobo, the Bearcat"

In the fall of 1955, it was time to play Ballinger again. Sylvia Young and her mother, Kat Young, made a big stuffed "dummy." He was dressed in a football uniform and we called him "Bobo, the Bearcat." He was placed in front of the auditorium doors on the first floor of the building, right across from Mr. Cathey's office. Everyone was to give him a good swift kick as they went by him. At that time, my mother, Lillian Bedford, was secretary to Robert Walker, manager of the Chamber of Commerce. They, and other people in town, were discussing the football game and how something needed to be done to fire up the football team. Thursday afternoon, we were all sitting in class when Mr. Cathey came over the loud speaker with an announcement. Bobo had disappeared from his place in front of the auditorium. Naturally, everyone in school was incensed, as those nasty old people from Ballinger had probably been the ones who had stolen him. The next morning at the pep rally, Coach Southall announced that when he went out to get his morning paper, he found a body on his front lawn. It scared him to death, as he thought it was Lynn Faubion. (Lynn was one of the senior football players.) When he ran out to help, it was Bobo, the Bearcat, and someone had painted "Beat Winters" all over his body. He then held up Bobo for all the world to see. Bobo took his place back in front of the auditorium, tied to the door, where everyone was supposed to kick him twice as hard as they went by. Several years later, I found out that Mr. Cathey, Mr. Walker, and my mother were the culprits. I do remember that we were all "up" for the game. And after 42 years, I think I have forgiven my mother.

Linda Bedford Sullivan  
Class of '56

## Boys win at Concho Valley CCC

The WHS varsity boys won the championship at the Concho Valley Cross-Country Classic in Carlsbad on Saturday, Sept. 12. Jimmy Rodriguez led the team with his first place finish, and Felix Portilio came in third out of eighty-five runners. Jason Esquivel, Ezequiel Martinez, Ruben Garcia, Tony Aguero, and V.J. Santoya are other team members that made the meet a success. Team points included: Winters, 62; Reagan County, 64; and Stanton, 88.

Individual places and times included:  
Jimmy Rodriguez, 1st, 17:27 (personal best on this course)  
Felix Portilio, 3rd, 18:26  
Jason Esquivel, 16th, 19:51  
Ezequiel Martinez, 20th, 20:01  
Ruben Garcia, 25th, 20:22  
Tony Aguero, 26th, 20:26  
V.J. Santoya, 29th, 20:30.  
The junior varsity team also ran exceptionally well. They competed in the 3A and J.V. divisions with 3A, 4A, and 5A schools. Individual times included:  
Juan Santos, 21:04  
Artemio Lopez, 22:29  
Kenny Green, 22:31  
Ivan Montana, 24:07  
Steven Gavazos, 24:19  
Gabriel Hernandez, 24:32.  
The WHS girls placed sixth at Carlsbad on Sept. 12. Cassandra Johnson and Kelli Slimp were the team leaders. Individual places and times included:  
Cassandra Johnson, 8th, 15:24  
Kelli Slimp, 15th, 15:36  
Kendra Hope, 28th, 16:09  
Mandy Pritchard, 40th, 16:40  
Sonya Vega, 55th, 16:54

Kourtney Cathey, 80th, 17:30  
Isha Lara, 92nd, 17:53.  
The J.V. girls team competed with 3A and J.V. teams of 3A-5A divisions. There were 114 runners in their division, and they placed eighth out of eleven teams. Coach Deb Whittenburg states that they also did a good job.

Individual places and times included:  
Michelle Paschal, 40th, 17:08  
Juanita Armendariz, 48th, 17:24  
Lucero Vega, 58th, 17:55  
Tracey Burns, 66th, 18:20  
Tassi Hopson, 72nd, 18:30  
Jackye Dexter, 75th, 18:35  
Lori Bredemeyer, 78th, 18:43.

## Boys win Championship at Jim Ned Cross-Country Meet

WHS varsity boys won the cross country meet in Jim Ned on Saturday, September 19. Jimmy Rodriguez won the boys race. The boys times are better overall. Team points included: Winters, 37; Stamford, 64; and Merkel, 80. Individual places and times included:  
Jimmy Rodriguez, 1st, 16:13  
Felix Portilio, 4th, 17:12  
Ruben Garcia, 9th, 17:58  
Jason Esquivel, 11th, 18:20  
Ezequiel Martinez, 12th, 18:22  
V.J. Santoya, 13th, 18:22  
Tony Aguero, 17th, 18:59  
Juan Santos, 19th, 19:47  
Artemio Lopez, 20th, 20:11  
Kenny Green, 21st, 20:16  
Steven Cavazos, 25th, 21:32  
Chris Santoya, 26th, 21:39  
Gabriel Hernandez, 27th, 21:52  
Richard Esquivel, 28th, 22:42  
Ronald Rodriguez, 31st, 23:40  
Ivan Montana, 29th, 22:58  
The WHS varsity girls placed second at the cross country meet in Jim Ned.

The junior varsity team placed third behind Breckenridge and Jim Ned. The girls times improved over last week. Varsity team points included: Winters, 47; Jim Ned, 62; and Stamford, 117. Varsity individual places and times included:  
Kelli Slimp, 2nd, 13:13  
Cassandra Johnson, 3rd, 13:22  
Mandy Pritchard, 6th, 13:37  
Kendra Hope, 14th, 14:04  
Michelle Paschal, 22nd, 14:35  
Sonya Vega, 25th, 14:40  
Kourtney Cathey, 27th, 14:50  
Junior Varsity team points and times included:  
Tassi Hopson, 9th, 15:11  
Juanita Armendariz, 10th, 15:22  
Tracey Burns, 13th, 15:41  
Jackye Dexter, 12th, 15:40  
Lori Bredemeyer, 15th, 15:51  
Lucero Vega, 16th, 16:00  
The next meet will be hosted by Coleman held at Hord's Creek (across the dam at Flat Rock Park) on Saturday, September 26. Times: J.V. girls at 9:50 a.m., Varsity girls 10:10 a.m., and boys at 10:35 a.m.

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Aug. 21	Wall*	TBA	TBA	
Aug. 27	Anson*	H	6:00	
Sept. 4	Jim Ned	H	8:00	35-13
Sept. 11	Merkel	H	8:00	33-0
Sept. 18	Ozona	T	8:00	34-6
Sept. 25	Goldthwaite▲	T	7:30	
Oct. 2	Bangs▲	H	7:30	
Oct. 9	San Saba▲	T	7:30	
Oct. 16*	Early*▲	H	7:30	
Oct. 23	Hamilton▲	T	7:30	
Oct. 30	Mason▲	T	7:30	
Nov. 6	Coleman▲	H	7:30	

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## Poe's Corner

By Charlsie Poe

### We were once Coleman's baby

Ho! Ho! Ho! And away we go! It may not be Christmas, but just say "go" and members of the Triple L (Live Long and Like It) Club will be ready.

The jaunt Thursday was to Coleman with Virginia Schwartz, driver of our favorite bus. Passengers were Mary Watkins, Rita Stephenson, Halley Sims, Lillian Eubanks, Louis Wade, Esther Johnson, Dorothea Lawrence, Dorothy Long, Vivian Foster, Sue Hukill, Bonnie Fairey, and myself.

It had been two years since our last visit to Coleman. We left about 10:00 a.m. in order to drive around and see new improvements and locate the Steak House, our favorite eating place. This was easier said than done.

There were several new motels with dining rooms available. We passed a new and inviting park (with beautiful trees) which now included the museum. I couldn't recognize our cafe because the museum had been carried away. With several more inquiries, we located our favorite eating place



Charlsie Poe

in time to beat the dinner crowd. The menu consisted of chicken fried steak, Mexican chicken or salmon patties—all tasty. Someone commented on the name "Cole Cattle Company" above the original name and we supposed it was new owners. Later we learned they had sold out that very day.

Other stores appeared and we stopped at a new one named Alco. After a complete investigation of this store and some purchases, we decided it was time to go home.

Perhaps there are some who do not know that Coleman County took care of us until we could stand alone. And Coleman City was the nearest place to buy supplies, like Abilene is today.

Coleman County was organized in 1876, and Runnels hav-

ing no organization was attached to it for judicial purposes. The same set of officers served both counties.

Coleman County was named for Robert Morris Coleman, a signer of the Texas Declaration of Independence and an aide on the staff of General Sam Houston at the battle of San Jacinto.

Runnels County was created from Bexar and Travis counties, and on Feb. 1, 1858, was named in honor of Hiram G. Runnels, who was at one time governor of Mississippi and later a member of the Texas Legislature.

Runnels County is almost a perfect square and contains 1,059 square miles. It is bordered by Nolan and Taylor counties on the north, Coleman on the east, Concho on the south, and Tom Green and Coke counties on the west.

Runnels continued to be attached to Coleman County for judicial purposes until Jan. 12, 1880, when a group of Runnels citizens presented a petition signed by 158 legal voters to the Commissioners Court of Coleman expressing a desire that Runnels County be organized.

H.D. Pearce, assisted by W.N. (Newt) Copeland, rode horseback over the county to obtain signatures for the petition. The court ordered that Runnels be organized, divided, and laid off into four precincts.

On Monday, Feb. 1, 1880, an election in each precinct for the county officials and commissioners was held. The first meeting was held March 10, 1880, at Walthall. L.M. Taylor was appointed County Attorney.

### Weight Watchers meets on Mondays

Weight Watchers will continue to conduct weekly meetings at the Senior Citizens Activity Center at 601 Wood Street in Winters.

Weigh-in begins at 6:30 p.m. The 30-minute program follows promptly at 7:00.

The September 28th meeting will be the third of a 10-week session. Anyone wishing to join is invited to do so. Fees will be pro-rated.

## Myrtie Bales celebrates 30 years at First National Bank, Ballinger

Myrtie Bales, Vice President/Assistant Cashier of The First National Bank of Ballinger, began work at the bank on August 26, 1968, in the bookkeeping department. She was later promoted to a teller position and in 1976 began serving customers with Certificates of Deposit, Savings and Checking Accounts. She currently supervises that department. Myrtie says, "I have had the pleasure of working for a community oriented bank for 30 years and the best part of my job has been working on the customers."

Myrtie Workman was raised and still lives in Hatchel. She graduated from Ballinger High School in 1956 and is married to Donald Bales. Her husband is a retired farmer and they enjoy their family and garden. They have three children, Stephanie Johnson of Hatchel, Stephen Bales of Abilene and Elisha Kochanski of Corpus Christi and one grandson, Clay Johnson of Hatchel.

Greg W. Schwertner, President/CEO of The First National Bank, says, "Myrtie has been a tremen-

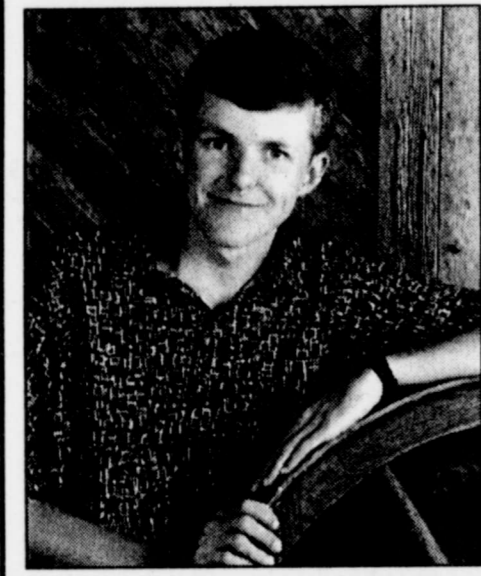


Myrtie Bales

dous asset to the bank for many years. We are fortunate to have such a dependable person choose our bank for her career. Through

the years she has been a familiar face to those she serves so well and has been a role model through her leadership abilities."

### Webb receives degree from W T A M U



Leslie C. Webb graduated Saturday, August 15, 1998, from West Texas A&M University in Canyon with a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Science.

He is now employed by Pantex of Amarillo.

Leslie is a 1994 graduate of Winters High School.

He is the son of Bryan and Marcie Webb and grandson of Ollie Webb, all of Winters.



### School Days, School Days

#### Regina Newsom Third Grade



Regina Newsom brings about 15 years of teaching experience to Winters. This year, 1998, is her first year to teach in the Winters Independent School where she has been appointed to third

grade students. Mrs. Newsom earned her Bachelor of Arts in Literature with a minor in Elementary Education from University of Texas-Permian Basin, Odessa.

She is married to Jimmy Newsom of Edward Jones Financial Investors. They have two daughters, Alexandria and Regan.

The family lives in Ballinger where they are members of the First Baptist Church. Regina enjoys gardening, writing, and church-related activities.

She says, "I am enjoying working here at Winters. The administration, staff, and children have been so welcoming and kind. I have a wonderful class of students this year."

The true teacher defends his pupils against his own personal influence.

—A. B. Alcott.

### Service League elects officers

The Women's Service League elected officers at their meeting on Tuesday, September 15, 1998. The meeting was held at Donna Guy's house.

Officers are Donna Guy, president; Carla Hooper, vice-president; Julie Frierson, recording secretary; J' Lynn Cooper, corresponding secretary; Cheryl Kruse, treasurer; Christy Lindley, parliamentarian; Theresa Gerhart, historian; Deb Pritchard, project.

After the induction of officers, Marthiel Russel discussed plans for the year and members enjoyed friendship and fellowship.

Hostesses were Donna Guy, Deb Pritchard, and Carla Hooper. They served sandwiches, fruit and dip, and chips and cookies with tea.

Members attending were Saf-fron Gibbs, Dawn Green, Carla Hooper, Tami Richards, Tammy Young, Theresa Gerhart, Christi Green, Donna Guy, Tammy Kaczyk, Christy Lindley, and Deb Pritchard.

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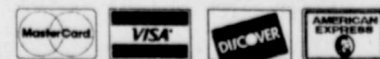
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The unique store features a nice collection of European imports dated from the 1930's and older including items such as wardrobes, secretaries, sideboards, and vanities.

Main Street Antiques and More also boasts imports from Mexico — beautiful bakers' racks, wine racks, glass tables with chairs and pottery.

Gift items for all occasions are available throughout the store. Shoppers can find glass vases, bud vases, pewter trays, dolls and much more. Most prices are negotiable.

Gift wrapping services and lay-away plans are available.

Elma says, "My husband, Jimmy Ripley, and I have chosen Winters to raise our two Blizzards, Riley Daniel and Jimmy John. Winters is a wonderful place as are the people here. Please help



ELMA BERNAL RIPLEY stands with some of her unique antiques and gift items found in her new store, Main Street Antiques and More, at 920 N. Main.

us make a difference in our community; help it grow for our future and the future of our children by shopping in Winters."

"I look forward to seeing you soon at Main Street Antiques and More," Elma continues, "or call for an appointment anytime at

754-5123 or 754-1013.

Regular store hours are Thursday, Friday and Saturday 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

# Literary and Service Club prepares for homecoming dinner

by Pat Smith

The Winters Literary & Service club met Tuesday Sept. 15, at the home of Eris Beard.

Alicia Wyatt presided over the business meeting. She introduced her husband, Terry Wyatt, who is the curriculum director of the Winters school system.

Terry talked about several of his duties including personnel director, records management, technology assistant and staff development.

Terry talked about the S.O.S. "Save One Student," program. Mentors are needed to volunteer at least one hour a week to work with a student. Call the school for more information.

Yearbooks were distributed.

The main topic of discussion was the Homecoming Turkey Dinner which will be held Friday,

Oct. 16, prior to the Winters-Early football game.

Tickets will go on sale Oct. 6, from club members. Please try to buy yours before Friday, Oct. 16 so we will know how much food to prepare.

What could be better than turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, and dessert before beating the Early football team.

We will meet again Oct. 6, to pick up our tickets and to make last minute preparations.

We will also be selling chances for a tool box to be given away homecoming night.

Members present: Emily Pendergrass, Gwen Andrae, Noma Eoff, Eula Mae Kruse, Darlene Sims, Eris Beard, Bobbie Jackson, Alicia Wyatt, Lavelle Killough, and Pat Smith.

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# Twenty-seven continue tradition of Drasco Homecoming

by M.L. Dobbins

The 39th meeting of the Drasco Homecoming was held at the Drasco Baptist Church on Labor Day, Sept. 7, 1998, with 27 members present.

M.L. Dobbins, president, welcomed those present.

During the business session, Odessa Dobbins, secretary, read the minutes from the last meeting and gave the treasurer's report. She also gave the names of the deceased since the last meeting. They were: Elmo Mayhew, Floyd Milliorn, Beatrice Schroeder, Omer Hill, Ethel Bridwell, and Katy Herrington (Vinson).

Mrs. Viola Davis gave a donation in memory of Albert Lewis and J.B. Davis.

Helen (Dobbins) Young read an article entitled "Go Shopping For Some Good Personality Traits" from Ann Landers.

Odessa Dobbins read an article on "Heaven's Department Store" sent to her by Viola Davis.

Charles and Ruth Mitchell of Pecos were recognized as traveling the longest distance. Robert Dobbins was next, coming from Hereford.

Opal Milliorn, 88, was recognized as the oldest; G.W. Scott, 85, was next.

M.L. and Odessa were recognized for being married the longest (64) years. Phillip and Irene Ellison have been married 9 months.

There were 11 present who had attended the Drasco School.

Tom and Elsie Jones from Dallas were introduced, as it was their first time to attend the reunion.

Mr. Jones was asked to give information about his knowledge of the Drasco community he had researched for over 50 years and about his attending the Victory School. Everyone appreciated the hours he spent in his research, and the fact that he traveled so far to show his interest in a community in which he had only lived in for a short while.

Those attending arranged in ages:

- 80 years or above, 7
- 70-79 years, 13
- 60-69 years, 4
- 50-59 years, 3.

The people in these age groups also showed their interest in the community in which they lived and in those who attended school there.

Officers elected were M.L. Dobbins, president; Betty Gray, vice-president; and Odessa Dobbins, secretary/treasurer.

The group voted to meet next year on Labor Day, Sept. 6, 1999.

Members repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison before the noon meal.

Those present were Helen (Dobbins) Young, Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Reid, Abilene; W.P. Cooke, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Ellison, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Faircloth, Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mitchell, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell, Pecos; Robert Dobbins, Hereford; and Mr. and Mrs. John Herrington, Arlington.

From Winters were Opal Milliorn, Nina Hale, G.W. and Flo Scott, Betty Gray, Randall and Susan Conner, Odessa and M.L. Dobbins, and Clay McIver.



WEST TEXAS REHAB FUNDRAISER BREAKFAST last week was enjoyed by (left to right) Billy Joe Colburn, Billy Frank Belew, Scotty Belew and Jerry B. Whitlow. In hat at right is Raymond Lindsey seated next to Randall Conner.

# Boosters Need Help!

by Renee Calcote, sec.

**ATTENTION:** Parents of Jr. High and High School band members and athletes

If you have a child that is either in Jr. High or High School that participates in either band or athletics, we need your **HELP!**

The Band Boosters and Athletic Boosters operate one concession stand. This is good for lots of reasons!

It helps both organizations, and at the same time, it makes it more convenient for the parents to work one time in one concession stand, rather than more than once in two concession stands.

It is also important to remember that our children are the reason our organizations exist.

None of the things we provide for them would be possible without the help of all the boosters. Membership is also not limited to parents.

We do have a very active member that volunteers his time and talents, and is not a parent of a participant.

We should all learn from his example! So, this outline is to help show you how this works best for everyone.

First, a parent from each grade is assigned to be the "caller," or the person who contacts parents and assigns them to a certain Thursday or Friday night's game.

Much consideration is given as to when your child may be playing football, or marching in the band, so that you will not have to work during these times.

However, there may be times when you are assigned to a game that conflicts with this, but we try to work around these types of situations.

The caller then calls parents from the grade assigned to this particular week's game, and with everyone's help, it can be achieved.

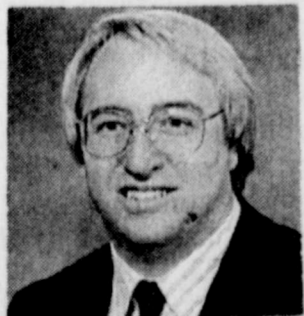
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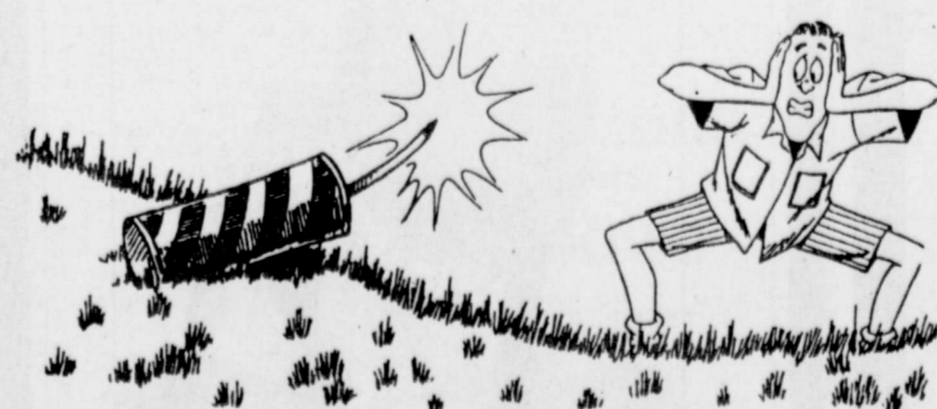
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## Winters Soccer underway for fall

The fall soccer season is in full swing for more than 100 children from Winters and the surrounding area.

Results of competition last Saturday in Ballinger are as follows:

- Under 12 category—**  
Dream Team 4 vs.  
Dynamites 1 (Ballinger team)
  - Icy Hot 6 vs.  
Hurricanes 0 (Ballinger)
  - Under 8 category—**  
Goal Rush 8 vs.  
Starz 0
  - Under 10 category—**  
Scorpions 0 vs.  
Strikers 5 (Ballinger)
  - Allianza 1 vs.  
Eagles 9 (Ballinger)
- No scores are allowed for the Under 6 division.



**FALL SOCCER SEASON** is underway as members of the Winters Starz team (in dark jerseys, left to right) Sybil Bridgeman, Brian Ozborn and Kevin Bredemeyer, battle another Winters team during competition in Ballinger. Due to lack of goals on local practice fields, the Winters teams must travel to Ballinger for all games.

*NOTHING in the world can take the place of perseverance. Talent will not; nothing is more common than unsuccessful men with talent. Genius will not; unrewarded genius is almost a proverb. Persistence and determination alone are omnipotent.*  
Calvin Coolidge

## Girl Scouts welcome new leaders

The Winters Girl Scout Service Unit would like to welcome Pam Cravens and Jennifer Scholer as new Brownie leaders.

Initial registration figures show a total of 47 girls signing up for Girl Scouts this year.

The Sept. 30 deadline for registration is fast approaching.

Program age levels of Girl Scouting are as follows:

	Ages	Grades
Daisies	5-6	K or 1
Brownies	6-8	1-3
Juniors	8-11	4-6
Cadettes	11-14	7-9
Seniors	14-17	10-12

If you are interested in membership or in becoming a leader, please contact D'Ann Perry at 754-4105 or Shelia Paschal at 723-2697.

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## Guess Who's 60



Love, Mom

Identity of birthday boy is revealed elsewhere in this issue.

## Crews News

By Hilda Kurtz



Hilda Kurtz

*How does a thermos bottle know which liquids to keep hot and which to keep cold?*

The Sunday morning visitors at Hopewell Church were Bud and Sue Yancy of Ballinger and evening service visitor was Amy Humphrey of San Antonio.

Brother Ferris and Ramona Akins, Therin and Nila Osborne attended the Association Meeting at the Southside Baptist Church in Winters, Monday night.

Hopewell W.M.U. Ladies who entertained the folks at the Senior Citizen Home in Winters were Juanita Shields, Selma Wilkerson, Carolyn Webb, Fairy Alcorn, Melvena Gerhart, and Nila Osborne. Several ladies had readings and refreshments afterwards.

There will be a community pot luck supper Saturday, October 10, bring your favorite dish around 7:00 p.m., also need to decide to have as usual the Halloween Carnival. Hope to see a good attendance. (See you).

Connie and Georgia Gibbs attended their great-grand-daughter Tana's seventh birthday party, Sunday, September 20, at the

Winters park.

Eileen Cartwright carried Noble Faubion to Abilene to see his brother Sam Faubion who is still in a hospital there. He has good days and bad days. He likes to have visitors.

Jeremy and Kenny Cartwright were in Alpine during the weekend and did some work around the house.

Gladys Collom of Ballinger and Walter Pape visited the Cartwright's, Saturday afternoon.

My daughter, Hildegard of San Angelo spent Thursday and Friday with me. She found plenty to do. It was kind of quiet after she left.

Georgia and Connie Gibbs visitors during the week were Billy, Jamie, and Ricky of Content and Doris Wood.

Nila and Therin Osborne attended the West Texas Fair and Rodeo Stock Show Saturday night in Abilene.

Jack and Frances Gerhart and Billie Gerhart spent Sunday afternoon with Josie Hoppe.

Rodney Faubion of Dallas spent the weekend with his parents Harvey Mae and Noble. Carolyn Kraatz prepared Sunday dinner—Tiffany Prator helped.

Coleman Foreman saw his Doctor for his annual checkup in San Angelo. Everything is O.K.

Naomi Gerhart spent Sunday afternoon with Leona Matthis. We are proud to have Naomi and Milton as neighbors again.

Helen Alexander had Brother Ferris and Ramona Akins, Therin and Nila Osborne as Sunday dinner guests.

Dennis, Audine and Ray McBeth attended Glenn Smith Cowboy Church in San Angelo Saturday night.

Pat Cooper is home after several days in a San Angelo hospital. She goes for her checkup on Wednesday.

Those spending Wednesday and Thursday in Austin at the Farm Bureau Legislation Days were Dale and Linda Duggan, Leroy and Eline Pelzel of Miles, and David and Laverne Redman.

On Saturday Linda Duggan, Susan and Amy Mansell, and Leslie Duggan had their garage sale in Ballinger.

Rodney Faubion of Dallas visited the Duggans Sunday night. Herbert, Evelyn, and Margie Jacob ate supper at Casa Cabana in Winters Saturday night. Afterwards they played cards at the home of Herbert and Evelyn.

Sunday afternoon Mike and Carol Kozelsky and Margie Jacob enjoyed supper with Beverly Van Zandt and boys.

Wanda King, my niece and neighbor, surprised me Sunday with a visit. She also brought me an armful of egg cartons. If the owls and hawks keep catching my hens I won't need many cartons.

## Public Records

**County Court Marriage Licenses September 14**  
Eugene Weldon Bentrup and Dana Elizabeth Banister  
**September 15**  
Samuel Wayne Drummond and Clovia Ruth Rice

**District Court Divorces Granted September 10**  
Taft Howard Mullis and Joanna Marie Mullis

**Justice of the Peace Court Precinct #1 Criminal September 2**

- David Grohman, dba Winters Cattle Co., filed for issuance of a bad check
- Ada L. Pena, filed for theft by check
- Elda Guadarrama, dba Chuspy's Tire Service, filed for issuance of a bad check
- Jesse Likes, filed for issuance of a bad check
- Juan A. Fuentes, filed for theft by check
- Joe Schran, filed for issuance of a bad check
- Cheri Watkins, filed for theft by check
- C. R. Jones, filed for theft by check
- David J. Houser, filed for theft by check
- Mary Hollis, filed for theft by check
- William T. Gunn III, filed for

hunting from a moving vehicle  
Ben Lacy, filed for hunting doves without a valid license  
Melba Roberts, filed for theft by check

**September 3**  
Steve Oleksiuk, filed for failure to produce hunter safety certificate  
Dant W. Hughes, filed for failure to produce hunter safety certificate

**September 6**  
Don A. Trowbridge II, filed for failure to produce hunter safety certificate

Max D. Long, filed for hunting without a valid hunting license  
Brian J. Hampton, filed for failure to produce hunter safety certificate

William R. Thomas, Jr., filed for no fishing license  
Tory B. Molinar, filed for operating a personal watercraft within 50 ft. of a person

Thomas D. Price, filed for no life jacket on a child under 13 years of age

**September 10**  
Joe Henry Guerrero, filed for sexual assault of a child by contact

**September 12**  
Shawn Kerry Glass, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

Matthew Charles Henize, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

Clifton Cody Elliott, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage  
Daniel Bernard Herman, filed for

minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

John Charles Agnew, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

Matthew Ray Wanoreck, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

Nicholas Wayne Flores, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

Derrick Oats, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

Jaime Grona, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage, failure to identify  
Mark Steven Driver, filed for public intoxication

Joshua Lin Mesa, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

**September 13**  
Julie E. Richardson, filed for littering

**September 14**  
Joaquin Pineda Mendez, filed for aggravated assault with serious bodily injury

James Allen Sweek, filed for felony driving while intoxicated

**September 15**  
Cheri Watkins, filed for theft by check

**Small Claims September 16**  
Mueller, Inc. vs. Canterbury Villa-Tom Killingsworth—account

**Civil September 14**  
Bryan Clayton vs. David Rodriguez—forcible detainer

## City sales tax rebates leap 38.31%

As reported by the office of State Comptroller John Sharp, September sales tax rebates for the city of Winters increased 38.31 percent as compared to the prior year's September payment.

Winters' rebates totaled \$14,709.31 this reporting period. For the prior year's reporting period, rebates totaled \$10,634.97.

This month's sales tax rebates include local sales taxes collected on July sales and reported in August.

Receipts in Miles increased 0.49 percent; Ballinger increased 1.17 percent and reported \$31,530.95 in payments.

City sales tax rebates to date for Runnels County for the

1998 reporting period total \$615,851.36, an 11.13 percent increase as compared to last year's period total of \$554,141.46.

The current city sales tax rate for Winters and Ballinger is 1.5 percent. Miles is 1.00 percent.

The Comptroller's next sales tax allocation is scheduled for Friday, Oct. 9

## Reservoir News

### Open Bass Tournament scheduled Sept. 27 at O.H. Ivie Reservoir

The Runnels County Bass Club's 11th annual Open Bass Tournament is scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 27, 1998, at O.H. Ivie Reservoir.

This open tournament is being sponsored by the Runnels County Bass Club and the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce.

The tournament offers a guaranteed 1st place prize of \$1700, with cash prizes for 2nd-20th places (based on number of entries), as well as special prizes for each place from 21st-? Also, a

\$500 cash drawing will be held after weigh-in time Sunday afternoon.

Entry fee is \$40 per contestant, and entry forms are available at the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, any Runnels County Bass Club member, and at many businesses throughout Ballinger.

Deadline for entry is 8:00 a.m. Sunday, September 27, 1998.

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### 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, Sept. 13, 1998, through Saturday, Sept. 19, 1998. Winters Police Officers:

- arrested Steven Bennett Meadows, 38, of Coleman, for driving while intoxicated in the 1000 block of N. Rogers.
- issued a citation to Henry Fred-Mirl Grohman, 39, of Winters, for public intoxication in the 400 block of Roberts.
- arrested Waylon Curtis Norman, 19, of Winters for two warrants out of Runnels County for aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.
- received a report of a criminal mischief in the Elementary school parking lot.
- arrested Daniel Jeremiah Cortez, 19, of Winters, for a Capias Warrant out of Municipal Court in Ballinger.
- received a report of a disturbance in the 500 block of Jones. A separation was made and no charges filed.
- arrested Caryn Lavelle Stovall, 18, of Tuscola, for an outstanding warrant out of Taylor County for theft by check.

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:

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 Ballinger Police Department—365-3591  
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## Extension News & Views

By Patricia Hohensee, Extension Agent-HE

### Farm and Ranch Business Management Seminar geared to women landowners

A Farm and Ranch Business Management Seminar for Women Landowners will be held at Ballinger's First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall at 400 8th St. on Tuesday, October 6, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. Featured speaker will be Dr. Wayne Hayenga, an attorney and economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Use of Living Trusts in estate planning will be highlighted during the discussion. Examples will be given to show how the use of this legal document can assist individuals and married couples in providing financial care for themselves during life, and how living trusts can be used to simplify and keep private the administration of their estates. Dr. Hayenga will discuss eleven reasons why a living trust should be considered.

"A living trust is only one of six legal tools that one needs to consider in an estate plan," says Dr. Hayenga. "Other tools to consider are a Will, a Power of Attorney and a Designation of Guardian, if needed."

Most people have a goal of managing their estates and passing them to their loved ones in the easiest, cheapest and most benefi-

cial way. Which legal tool to use depends on a person's goal, the type of property they have, estate size and the financial situation and their beneficiaries," Dr. Hayenga continued.

Estate tax, the tax that must be paid nine months after death, will be discussed with ways trusts can save on estate taxes for married couples. There is no estate tax on estates less than \$600,000. Above \$600,000, estate tax rates start at 37 percent and go to 60 percent. Planning with property ownership, trusts and lifetime gifts can reduce estate taxes greatly.

Farm and ranch land can be valued at an "agricultural" use, rather than fair market value if the estate qualifies for the rigid rules and if the heirs choose to do this. Evaluation of this tool will be addressed so participants can see if it will benefit their family.

Use of trusts to provide income tax savings for surviving spouses and well-to-do children will be discussed. Dr. Hayenga will show how a properly prepared estate plan can save many families more in income taxes than in estate taxes.

Trustee selection is a major issue in estate planning. Both indi-

vidual or corporate trustees can be used, depending upon the person's desires. Just because a person wants to use a trust in an estate plan doesn't require the use of a bank as trustee.

Estate planning entails making preparations to care for ourselves if we become physically or mentally incapacitated. A trust can be used to manage our financial affairs, but the use of Health Care Powers of Attorney and Living Wills are other sensitive matters that will be discussed.

Dr. Hayenga is an excellent teacher. He has 25 years experience teaching tax and financial topics with the Agricultural Extension Service. He teaches estate and gift tax courses and retirement planning courses for the Texas Society of CPA's and other professional organizations.

A \$10 registration fee will cover seminar expenses. Lunch and hospitality are being provided for participants. To reserve your seat, submit your registration fee to Runnels County Extension Office, P.O. Box 658, Ballinger, Texas 76821, by September 30. Seating is limited. Call Patricia Hohensee, County Extension Agent-FCS, at 365-5042.



THE KEVIN McMAHON FAMILY was the lucky winner of this grey yearling horse colt donated by A. L. "Jack" Fiveash from Eola in a benefit drawing for cancer victim, Mandie England. Approximately 600 tickets were sold, raising \$3,700. With Kevin are sons Ryan and Patrick, and wife, Terra.

### Farm Bureau to adopt policies at regular meeting on Oct. 1

The Runnels County Farm Bureau extends an invitation to all members to attend its annual meeting scheduled for Thursday, October 1, according to Doyle Condra, county Farm Bureau president. The meeting will be held at the Runnels County Farm Bureau office in Ballinger, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

A meal will be served to members at 6:00 p.m. Please RSVP to our office by September 28, 1998.

The guest speaker will be Ned Meister. Meister will be speaking on the Implementation of the Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA). Farm Bureau has been involved in several industry efforts to minimize the impacts of FQPA. He will summarize the AFBF and TFB Action Plans.

Meister serves the members of TFB as the director of the Commodity and Regulatory Activities division. In this capacity, he works to implement a state and national program to influence decisions of government agencies on rules and regulations that affect farmers and ranchers, to administer commodity division programs, to provide

staff leadership on environmental and labor issues, and to assist Farm Bureau members in dealing with government regulatory and administrative actions at the local level.

Adopting policies for the coming year is the principal purpose of this meeting. In addition, plans are to elect officers and directors. Voting delegates will be selected to represent the county at the state convention to be held at the Lubbock Convention Center in Lubbock, November 29-December 2.

The policy development committee is currently accepting suggestions for resolutions. Members are encouraged to contribute their thoughts to the committee at

this time. All recommendations will be considered in drafting tentative resolutions to be voted on at the annual meeting.

Farm Bureau is a grassroots organization and your opinion counts!

### Runnels County Cotton Tour Monday, September 28

RSVP by September 25

The Runnels/Tom Green Pest Management Steering Committee has scheduled the Runnels County Cotton Field Tour for Monday, September 28.

Cotton producers will view replicated cotton variety tests and a harvest-aide demonstration.

The tour will begin at 8:30 a.m., at the Runnels County Courthouse in Ballinger and end around noon at the S.P.J.S.T. Hall in Rowena.

A catered meal will be provided by J.P.'s Barbecue.

Speakers include Dr. Billy Warrick, Dr. Chris Sansone, Randal Schwartz from BWE, Seed Co. Representatives, and Billy Henderson, on Laws & Regulations.

Producers attending the entire tour will be eligible to receive 3 CEU's.

Producers wishing to receive CEU's must attend entire tour.

CEU forms will be given out at first stop only.

Richard Minzenmayer would like to encourage all producers in the Concho Valley to attend and participate in this tour.

Please RSVP by September 25, by calling 915-365-5212 if you need more information or if you are attending so that a count can be made for the caterer.

### "Financial Management Tools and Taxes" seminar to be October 5

"Financial Management Tools and Taxes" is the condensed session that Dr. Hayenga will teach on Monday, October 5, at 7:00 p.m. in Ballinger's First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall at 400 8th St. His presentation will be directed toward families interested in exploring income generating and tax saving opportunities.

Dr. Hayenga believes in helping families realize the importance of planning ahead and using estate planning tools wisely. The program will address how a living trust fits into an estate plan, and, according to Hayenga, how it can work for you during life and after your death.

Most commonly, a trust is used as a tool to save income and estate taxes for families. He will also

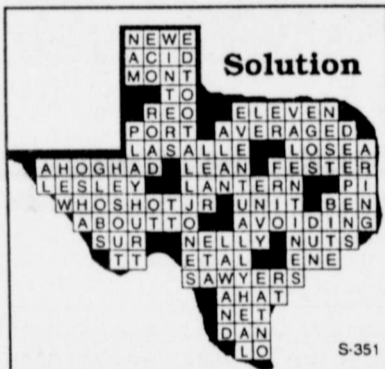
discuss the legal documents important to sound business management and health documents that serve families during difficult times. New tax laws will be reviewed.

Keeping family money within the family and wise business management are part of Dr. Hayenga's philosophy. Many may remember Dr. Hayenga's excellent seminars here in the early 1990's or may see media announcements of seminars he conducts statewide. According to Patricia Hohensee, County Extension Agent-Family & Consumer Sciences, "We are fortunate to have Dr. Hayenga in our area."

The general public is invited and there is no charge for the Monday evening program.

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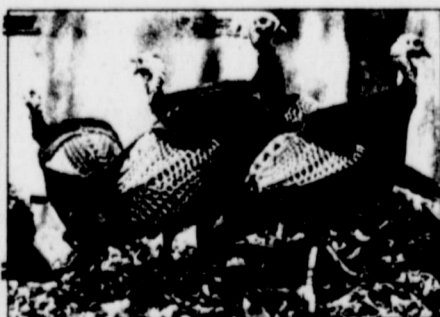
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### 1998-99 HUNTING SEASONS CALENDAR

Alligator	by permit	Sept. 10-30
Pronghorn Antelope	by permit	Oct. 3-11
White-tailed deer		
Archery		Oct. 3-Nov. 1
Special Youth Season		Oct. 31-Nov. 1
Gun:	North Tx	Nov. 7-Jan. 3
	6 Panhandle Co's	Nov. 21-Dec. 6
	South Tx	Jan. 14-Jan. 17
		Jan. 18-31
	Spike Bucks & Antlerless only	
	Muzzleloader Only (47 counties)	
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Mule deer		Jan. 9-17
Archery		Oct. 3-Nov. 1
Gun:	Panhandle	Nov. 21-Dec. 6
	Trans-Pecos	Nov. 28-Dec. 13
	5 Panhandle Co's	Nov. 21-25
	Some counties	Oct. 1-Feb. 28
	Some counties	May 1-31/Oct. 1-Feb. 7
Javelina		Oct. 17-18
Squirrel		Dec. 12-27
Prairie Chicken		Oct. 31-Feb. 28
Pheasant		Oct. 31-Feb. 28
Quail		Oct. 31-Feb. 28
Turkey		
Fall Season:		
Archery:		Oct. 3-Nov. 1
Special Youth Season		Oct. 31-Nov. 1
Gun:	North Tx	Nov. 7-Jan. 3
	South Tx	Nov. 14-Jan. 17
	Brooks, Kennedy & Kleberg Co's	Nov. 14-Feb. 28
Spring Season:		
Rio Grande Turkey		Apr. 3-May 9
	North Tx	March 27-May 2
	South Tx	
Eastern Turkey		
	East Tx (17 counties)	April 12-25
Chachalaca		Oct. 31-Feb. 28
Rabbits and Hares		No closed season.



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