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# The Winters Enterprise

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## Blizzards win bi-district championship with 44-7 whipping of Troy

With a good plan and great execution, the Blizzards buried the Troy Trojans 44-7 in bi-district playoff action Friday night at Gordon Wood Stadium in Brownwood.

With the Blizzard defense holding Troy to only 236 yards of offense, and the Winters offense

having 434 yards, the game plan worked to perfection.

"A plan is a good plan when the team executes well," said offensive coordinator Chuck Lipsey. "The offensive line did their job well, opening holes for Wes (Calcote) and giving Josh (Minzenmayer) time to throw the

ball."

The offensive line is made up of John Bahlman at center, Matt Angel and Luis Esquivel at guards, Samson Jackson and Craig Conner at tackles, with help from Chris Hoppe, Aaron Taylor, and Andrew Medina.

Giving credit to the outstand-

ing blocking of the line, Wes Calcote rushed for 185 yards and three touchdowns.

Winters quarterback Josh Minzenmayer threw nine completions in twelve attempts with no interceptions for 189 yards, ran for two touchdowns and threw for another touchdown.

The Blizzards got the first break of the game when Andrew Medina recovered a fumble on the Trojan 24-yard line with six minutes to go in the first quarter.

Calcote carried four times for 21 yards and the touchdown which put Winters in the lead after the missed extra point, 6-0.

The Big Blue Wrecking Crew forced the Troy offense to punt two more times before Winters started their next scoring drive.

Starting on their own 11-yard line, the Blizzards marched the length of the field, taking four and a half minutes off the clock in the

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### Winters Blizzards vs. Brookshire Royal Falcons

Regional Championship  
Friday, November 19—7:30 PM

Pflugerville Connally High School Stadium

8 AM, Thursday—Reservations due for Charter Bus rides to the game. Call Carolyn Scarborough at 754-5210 or 754-4251.

8 PM, Thursday—Flashlight Pep Rally & Victory Snake Parade, Alderman Cave Parking Lot. Bring flashlights and noise makers.

12:45 PM, Friday—High School Pep Rally at Winters High School Gym

Blizzard Send-Off—Immediately following Pep Rally from WHS Parking Lot.

7:15 PM, Friday—Live radio broadcast on KATX 96.1FM, from J.B. Connally Stadium.

Play-by-play hosts Toby Virden and Randall Boles.



LOCAL VETERANS HONORED during Veterans Day ceremonies at Winters High School included (l-r) Danny Martinez, Dawson McGuffin, Billy Ray, Manuel Esquivel, Joe Kozelsky, Ray Guevara, Joe Delacruz, Ace Polk, Pete Gray, Alfonso Esquivel, Elby Miller, Jerry Awalt, R. C. Kurtz, Keith Thomason, Raymond Lindsey, Floyd Huckaby, Robert Holder, Robert Parramore, George Beard, Cecil Sudduth, Barry Taylor, Louis Delacruz, and Martha Shepard.

## School trustees accept Kidwell resignation

In a short meeting last Friday morning, the board of trustees of the Winters Independent School District accepted with regret the resignation of Charles Kidwell, effective at the end of the 1999-2000 school year.

Kidwell has served as secondary school principal since July, 1990, coming from Duncanville.

When asked about future plans, Kidwell says with a big grin, "I'm not going to do anything as long as Frances Ann (his wife) will let me."

Mrs. Kidwell is the elementary music teacher and choir director.

In other action at the 7:30 a.m. meeting, the board approved the resolution allocating WISD's 859 votes for the Runnels Central Appraisal District Board of Directors as follows:

- Preston Barker - 375
- Bud Busher - 375
- Danny Hamilton - 10
- Carolyn Little - 99

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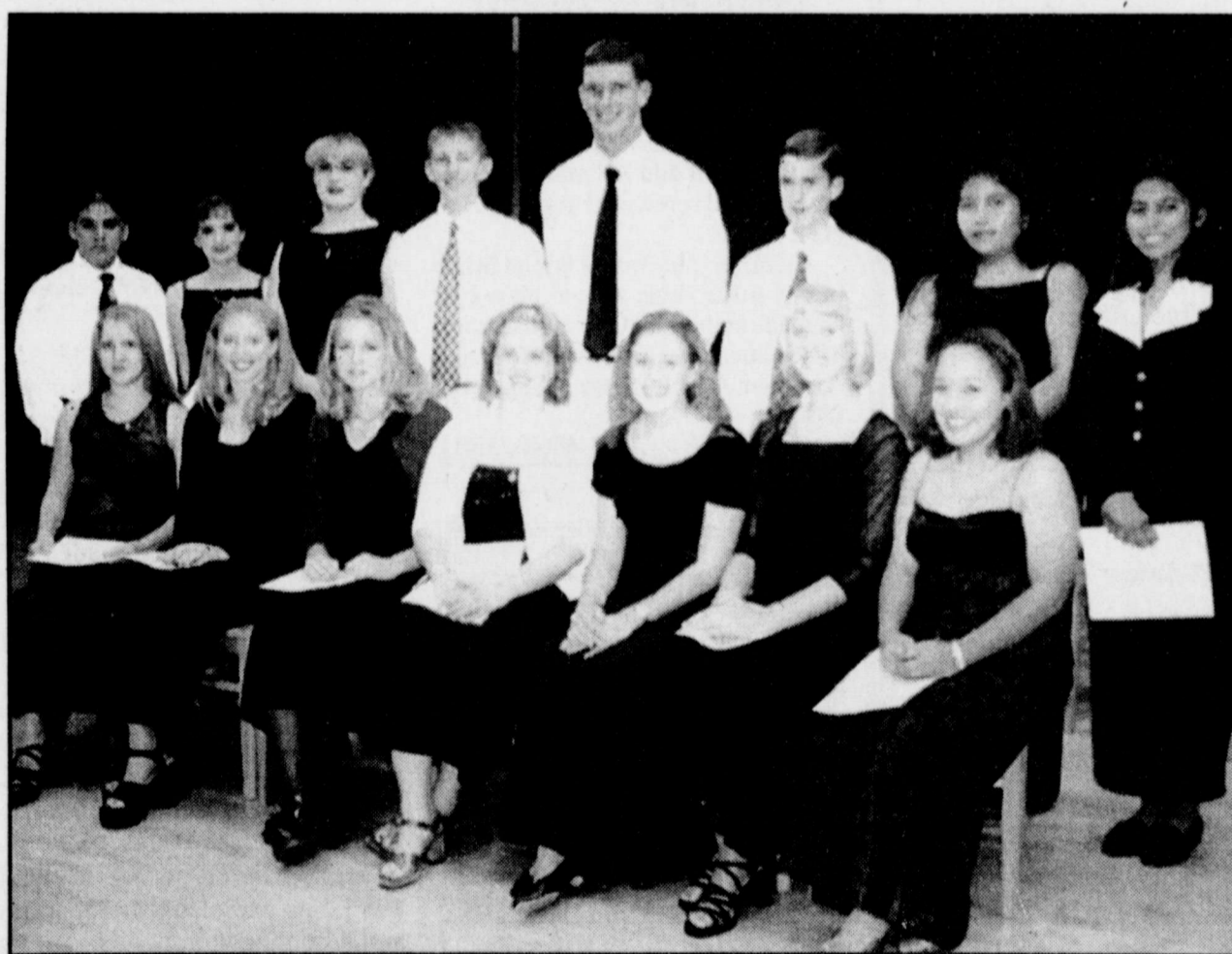
## Scouts to collect for Food Pantry this Saturday

The Scouts Annual Food Drive to benefit the Winters Food Pantry has been scheduled for Saturday, November 20, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Boy and girl scouts of all age levels will canvass the town until about noon asking for donations of non-perishable and canned food items.

If you have plans to be away from home or prefer, you may leave your donated items outside your door. Scouts will collect items as they go door-to-door. If your items happen to be missed, please take to the Winters Food Pantry now located in the First United Methodist Youth Building on North Church Street. Their

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NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERS inducted into the Winters Chapter on November 8 include (standing, l-r) Gabriel Hernandez, Candess Johnson, Julie Paske, Colby Walker, Josh Minzenmayer, Jeffery Jordan, Maria Chavez and Lucero Vega. Seated, same order, are Jamie Reeves, Kacy McCuiston, Kayla Colburn, Tracie Morrison, Lori Bredemeyer, Michelle Paschal, and Holly Woffenden. Chapter sponsor is Coach Ken Fowler.

## Fifteen students inducted into WHS National Honor Society

Winters High School's annual induction ceremony for the Winters Chapter of the National Honor Society was held Monday, November 8, at 7 p.m. in the Winters High School auditorium.

This year fifteen students, one senior and 14 juniors, were chosen for membership. Maria Chavez was the senior inductee.

Junior members inducted were Lori Bredemeyer, Kayla Colburn, Gabriel Hernandez, Candess Johnson, Jeffery Jordan, and Kacy McCuiston.

Also chosen were Josh Minzenmayer, Tracie Morrison, Michelle Paschal, Julie Paske, Jamie Reeves, Lucero Vega,

Colby Walker, and Holly Woffenden.

To be eligible for membership students must have a minimum cumulative grade average of 90 percent. Additionally, potential members must meet high standards of leadership, service, and character.

Leadership is based on the student's participation in two or more community or school activities, or election to an office. To meet the service requirement, the student must have been active in three or more service projects in the school or community. Character is measured in terms of integrity, behavior, ethics, and co-

operation with both students and faculty.

NHS officers for the 1999-2000 year are Matt Angel, president; Andrew Williams, vice-president; Shelley Meyer, secretary; and Cari Trojack, treasurer.

Other members are John Bahlman, Kirk Byrd, Craig Conner, Kenny Green, Angela Jacob, Darcil Lindsey, Arthur Martinez, Misty Melton, Jana Presley, and Kelli Slimp.

Students are screened by a faculty council consisting of Mr. Awalt, Mrs. Reel, Miss Wortham, Mr. Cathey, Mr. Ramirez, and Mr. Hale.

## Winters Community Choir to perform "God For Us" on Sunday, November 21

by David Evans' Third Period Speech Class

"The great assurance of God With Us is made complete with the matchless promise of GOD FOR US. From quiet moments of reflection to high moments of praise, "God For Us" centers on the great love of the Father has bestowed upon us. If God is for us, who can be against us? It is through His love that there is, now, no condemnation for those who are alive in Christ...He is indeed working all things for our good...and nothing shall ever separate us from His love. "God For Us," a worship experience for all seasons!"

Come enjoy the heavenly music performed by the Community Choir composed of members of the parishes in Winters.

Testimonies will be given by Maria Bellinger, Ace Polk, and Pastor Jim Hanson. Narrators consist of Randall Boles and Bob Jones. Performances also include soloists and praise teams.

This will be held at the Winters High School Auditorium at 7:00 p.m., November 21, 1999. Admission is free, but a love offering for the Winters Relief Fund will be taken.

### WHAT'S HAPPENING ?

- Nov. 18-10 a.m., Down Home Cooking, Winters Housing Authority
- 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Activity Center
- 1 p.m., Mid-West Texas Artists Guild, Ballinger
- 6:30 p.m., Caregivers Support Group, First Presbyterian Church, Ballinger
- 7 p.m., Jr. Class Parent Meeting, WHS Auditorium
- 8 p.m., Flashlight Pep Rally, Alderman-Cave Parking Lot
- San Angelo Calf Scramble Entries Due to Extension Office
- Nov. 19-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Activity Center
- Parent Involvement Day at WISD, free parent lunch
- 12:45 p.m., Pep Rally, Gym
- Blizzard Send-Off, High School Parking Lot
- 2 p.m., Early Dismissal of WISD Classes (TIPS Available)
- 7 p.m., Greater Vision Concert, McMurry University, Abilene
- 7:30 p.m., Cowboys for Christ, Drasco
- 7:30 p.m., Blizzards vs. Brookshire Royal Falcons, Pflugerville
- Nov. 20-9 a.m.-Noon, Scouts Annual Door-To-Door Food Drive
- 8:30 p.m.-Midnight, Glacier Staff Dance, School Cafeteria
- Sectional Competition of Punt, Pass, & Kick Contest, Abilene
- Nov. 21-CHANGE—3 p.m., JV Girls Basketball vs. Eula, Here
- CHANGE—4:30 p.m., Varsity Girls Basketball vs. Eula, Here
- 7 p.m., "God For Us" Praise Musical, WHS Auditorium
- Nov. 22-9 a.m.-4 p.m., SS Representative, Winters Housing Authority
- 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Activity Center
- 5:15-6:30 p.m., 4-H, Catholic Church Fellowship Hall
- 6 p.m., Weight Watchers, Senior Citizens Activity Center
- 7 p.m., Wingate Masonic Lodge
- Nov. 23-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Activity Center
- Noon, Lions Club
- 2:25-Early dismissal for WISD, (TIPS Available)
- 5-6:30 p.m., Pioneer Club, First United Methodist Church
- 7 p.m., Athletic Boosters, Blizzard Stadium
- 7 p.m., WVFD
- WVFD Auxiliary
- Nov. 24-7 a.m., Industrial Board, Chamber Office
- 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Activity Center
- SCHOOL HOLIDAY
- Nov. 25-Senior Citizens Activity Center Closed
- THANKSGIVING—SCHOOL HOLIDAY

## Oil Bidness

By Reg Boles ©1999



It was pointed out to me, the other day, that most of the really prolific oil and gas producing areas are in some of the more inhospitable venues. Not to pick on the many great oil patch towns, but quite a few of those places are not exactly beauty spots.

But, what if they were? What if oil and gas were plentiful in places like Hawaii, Jamaica, Lake Tahoe, or even Monte Carlo?

I am sure that there would be less resistance to transfers to the field offices in these places. And, employees would probably require less travel expenses because everyone would want to come to their office for meetings. As a matter of fact, Friday meetings with mandatory weekend stayovers would no longer be a dreaded occurrence as they can be when the meeting is in Bakersfield or Baku.

"War stories" would be reduced, I'm sure, as no one would be able to tell stories of hardship about being able to go to the beach every day or snow skiing three days a week. There probably wouldn't be much bragging either, as no one would want to encourage others to come to these dream locations, if they can help it.

But, as I sit here and contemplate a plum assignment in Honolulu or Montego Bay, I am reminded that there is oil and gas in a few locations that might be considered downright glamorous.

Outside of Paris, within sight of Versailles, is the Villeperdue field. Within a few miles of several ski resorts in New Mexico and Colorado, petroleum production and development continue.

The white sands of the eastern Gulf of Mexico are within a short car ride of several producing facilities that have been in place of decades and look to continue for several more. And, for you mountain men and women, the Appalachian mountains are full of producing oil and gas wells that are the starting points of several nature trails through dense forest and steep grades.

The real lesson, I guess, is that anyplace you are can be beautiful. Most people I have met in this business speak fondly of the places they have lived during their careers, even when the surroundings may not be considered idyllic. Most would choose to leave those places unchanged and some even move back to such towns when they don't have to.

At least, that is what people in the oil patch tell their spouses when they move from place to place...

### HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY COMPLETIONS

#### Coleman County

Scully Energy Corporation has completed the Devanney #1 in the Northwest Echo Field (8 miles SW of Burkett) at an initial rate of 16 BOPD & 11 BWPD in the Upper Gray (perms 2536-48). Loc. is 1353 FSL & 547 FEL of E.E. Manes Sur. No. 67, A-978.

#### STAKINGS

#### Coleman County

Arabie Inc. has applied to re-enter the Stevens #2 in the South Glen Cove Field, 2 miles SE of Glen Cove (Depth 3304). Loc. is 2310 FNL & 830 FEL of Sec. 3, Blk. 2, T&NO Sur., A-657.

#### Concho County

Ultra Oil & Gas has staked five wells in the Dare I Field, 7 miles SW of Eden (Depth 2000). The W. Pfluger #6-B is loc. 1194 FWL & 306 FSL of Sec. 2049, Blk. 72, J.M. Young Sur., A-1003. The W. Pfluger #15 is loc. 1166 FEL & 1347 FSL of the same Sec. The W. Pfluger #16 is loc. 1214 FSL & 1898 FEL of Sec. 2050, Blk. 72, J. Mahr Sur., A-633. The W. Pfluger #17 is loc. 1418 FEL & 469 FNL of the same Sec. The Troglin #4 is loc. 330 FWL & 2565 FSL of Sec. 161, Blk. 72, T&NO Sur., A-908.

#### Nolan County

Clear Fork, Inc. has staked the C.E. Boyd #1057 in the EVB Field, 3 miles NW of Nolan (Depth 6700). Loc. is 2591 FSL & 1853 FWL of Sec. 57, Blk. X, T&PRR Sur., A-429.

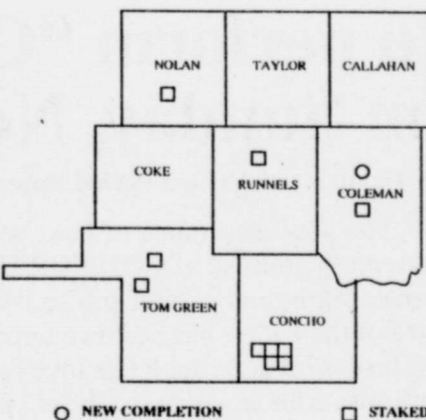
#### Runnels County

Tracker Mineral has staked the Hord #1 as a Wildcat, 7 miles W of Winters (Depth 4900). Loc. is 2904 FWL & 2541 FSL of Guion Gregg Sur. No. 82, A-1254.

#### Tom Green County

B&R Operating, LLC has staked the Rathbone #1909-A in the McIntire Field, 5 miles SW of Knickerbocker (Depth 1200). Loc. is 2274 FSL & 3268 FWL of Sec. 9, Blk. 20, H&TC Sur.

Dallas Production, Inc. has staked the Runion #2 in the Runion Field, 4 miles W of San Angelo (Depth 6500). Loc. is 2167 FSL & 1688 FEL of A.J. Taylor Sur., A-8037.



BARBARA GRAY pins a poppy on Mrs. O. B. Johnson, wife of World War II veteran O.B. Johnson (seated), during a presentation by members of the Winters VFW Auxiliary at the Senior Citizens Nursing Home. Also shown is Auxiliary member, Theresa Patterson.

## Senior Citizens Nursing Home News

By Billie Ruth Bishop

### Doll program presented

This month is universal doll month. We were happy to have Nadine Bedford and Elaine Miller to bring dolls and have a doll show on Wednesday, November 17.

On Wednesday, November 11, we were entertained by a group of ladies from the VFW Auxiliary.

Those attending were Theresa Patterson, Dorothy Compton, Barbara Gray, Ruby Carter, Evelyn Smith, Melba Jo Hoppe,

Betty Jean White, and Mary Kurtz.

They brought a very interesting program honoring Mr. O.B. Johnson (resident from Coleman) as a veteran of World War II and also family members of veterans. Everyone received poppies.

Mrs. Billie Whitlow is a new resident in the Nursing Home. She is in room 125A. She welcomes your visits and letters.

### Senior Citizens Activity Center Menu

Proudly Presented By:  
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Nov. 22 thru Nov. 26  
 Subject to change

**Monday, Nov. 22:** Ham & gravy, lima beans, mixed greens, cornbread, and fruit.

**Tuesday, Nov. 23:** Beef casserole, coleslaw, pinto beans, cornbread, and brownie.

**Wednesday, Nov. 24:** Steak & gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, roll, and apple cake.

**Thursday, Nov. 25:** Closed for Thanksgiving.

**Friday, Nov. 26:** Closed for Thanksgiving.

### Card of Thanks

Thank you to Mike Meyers and Linda Dry, Rev. Barry Taylor, Winters Nursing Home, and Dr. Lee for taking such fine care of my late cousin Curtis Morrison. From His Cousin,  
*Pat Young Rodgers and his late cousin John Young, Sr.*

### Legal Notice

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Inquiries concerning this addition or any other cable related issue can be made at the Cox Communications office located at 28 West Concho Ave., San Angelo, or by calling 655-8911.

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### SCHOOL, continued

Trustees also heard reports from the elementary and secondary principals as well as the superintendent.

Present for the meeting were Allen Andrae, Jack Davis, Jr.,

Gary Moore, Jerry Sims, Bob Prewit, Larry Walker, Superintendent Mike Harris, Business Manager Jimmy Butler, and Principals Kidwell and Tammy Bright.

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## Obituaries

### Gayland Lee Broadstreet

**WINTERS**—Gayland Lee Broadstreet, 66, died Monday night, November 15, 1999, at Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo.

He was born July 16, 1933 in Winters and attended Winters High School.

He married Ann Trucie Graham in 1951 in Winters. She preceded him in death in May, 1982. He then married Joyce Painter on December 10, 1983, in Tulsa.

He served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict, stationed in Germany. He retired from Vinson Supply in Odessa and came to Winters. He worked as a stock farmer and minister.

He was a member of the Wingate Lion's Club and served as pastor at Wilmeth Baptist Church and Southside Baptist Church in Winters. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Winters.

Survivors include his wife, Joyce Broadstreet of Winters; his father E.L. (Crook) Broadstreet and his wife Rosalie of Winters; one brother, Ralph Broadstreet of Ft. Worth; one sister, Darlene Skelton of Bowie; two sons and a daughter, Reverend Kim Broadstreet of Ponder, Kerr Broadstreet of Tuscola, and Kay Moore of Odessa; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, November 18, 1999, in the First Baptist Church of Winters with Reverends Kim Broadstreet and Barry Taylor officiating. Burial will be at 4 p.m., Thursday in the Sunset Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Odessa under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home. Pallbearers will be Donelle Moreland, Hershel Raines, Allen Moore, Carl Young, Jo Dell Gardner, and John Bulsterbaum.

Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church of Winters or the American Kidney Foundation.

### Judy Kay Boehnlein

**WINTERS**—Judy Kay Boehnlein, 47, died Saturday, November 13, 1999, at North Runnels Hospital in Winters.

She was born October 13, 1952, in Cincinnati, Ohio, living there until moving to Texas in 1982.

Miss Boehnlein was a homemaker and a Methodist.

Survivors include her mother, Chlora Boehnlein of Winters; four sisters, Jo Ellen Story of Cincinnati, Ohio, Pauline Beecham of Colorado Springs, Colorado, Sue Duckworth of Winters and Ruth Boehnlein-Whitfield of Lawn; two brothers, Albert Boehnlein of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Jack Boehnlein of Potosi; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be held at 7:00 p.m. Sunday, November 21, 1999, at 711 State Street in Winters.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of the Big Country Inc., 3113 Oldham Lane, Abilene, Texas 79602 or the American Cancer Society.

### Henry Adolph Witte

**MESQUITE**—Henry Adolph Witte, 87, formerly of Winters, died Friday morning, November 12, 1999, at Mesquite Medical Center.

He was born February 28, 1912, in Bardenfleth, Germany. He was baptised at an early age and came to the United States at the age of eleven, settling in the Giddings area. He married Gertrude (Gertie) Fischer on August 21, 1938, in Giddings. They moved to Winters in 1957. He moved to Mesquite in 1992 after his retirement to be close to his sons and their families.

Mr. Witte drove a truck and worked for Homer Briley Trucking for over 20 years. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Winters.

Survivors include his wife, Gertie Witte of Mesquite; two sons, George Witte and wife Barbara of Mesquite, Billy Witte Sr. and wife Kathy of Midlothian; six grandchildren, Dawn Alisa Witte White and husband Richard, Billy Roy Witte Jr., Steven Wayne Witte and wife Amber, Cheryl Simmons and husband Keith, Tanya Peugh, Jessie Whitlow and wife Nell; eleven great-grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, November 14, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Winters with Reverend James Hanson officiating. Burial was in the Lutheran Cemetery, directed by Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Clarence Hamff, Bruce Evans, David Long, Keith Fischer, Clifford Fischer, and Scott Hefner.

Memorials may be made to West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

### Elizabeth Mary "Betty" Criswell

**STEELE, MISSOURI**—Elizabeth Mary "Betty" Criswell, 76, died Tuesday, November 9, 1999, in Kennett, Missouri.

She was born January 31, 1923, in Careua, Wales, to Ruben Page and Margaret Bevan. She married J.A. Criswell on May 6, 1946, in Bridgend, South Wales.

Mrs. Criswell served in the British Women's Army from 1941-1946. She was also a member of the First Baptist Church in Ballinger and a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one son, Paul Criswell. Survivors include one son, Jimmy Criswell of Miles; one daughter, Terrie Criswell of Steele, Missouri; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Visitation was Thursday, November 11, at the Rains-Seale Funeral Chapel. Services were held at 1:00 p.m. Friday, November 12, at Rains-Seale Funeral Chapel with the Reverend T. H. Harding officiating. Burial followed in the Old Runnels Cemetery in Ballinger directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

### William Stanley (Stan) Hill

**SWAMPSCOTT, MASSACHUSETTS**—William Stanley (Stan) Hill, 55, died Friday, November 12, 1999, at his home.

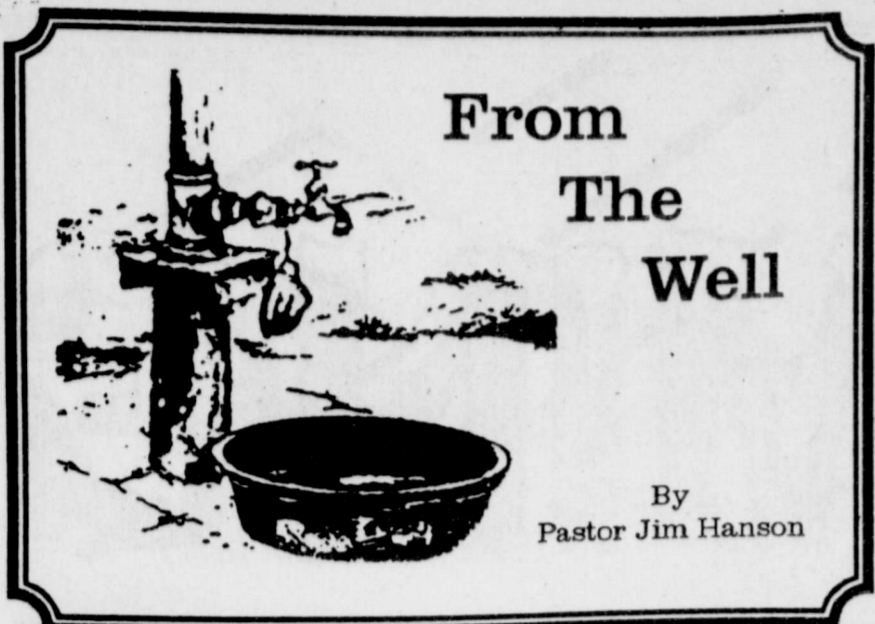
He was born January 25, 1944, in Winters, Texas, to Robert L. and Tookie (Rampy) Hill. He graduated from Winters High School in 1962. He received a bachelor of science degree in biology from North Texas State University in Denton and received his doctorate degree in philosophy of science from Loyola University of Chicago in 1986. He served in the U.S. Navy as a lieutenant, stationed at Great Lakes Naval Training Center. He married Noella Gonzalez in 1977.

In addition to teaching in Massachusetts colleges, Mr. Hill was a carpenter and roofing contractor until incapacitated by illness.

Survivors include his wife, Noella Hill of Swampscott, Massachusetts; one son, Reed William Hill of Swampscott, Massachusetts; four brothers, Robert (Bob) Hill of Houston, Gary Hill of Eastland, and Ronald and Mike Hill, both of Sweetwater; three nieces; one nephew; and many friends.

A memorial service will be held at the Marblehead Unitarian Universalist Church in Massachusetts, at a date not yet determined.

Memorials may be made to the area ALS Assistance Chapter.



## From The Well

By  
Pastor Jim Hanson



Pastor Jim Hanson

Last night I went to a church meeting. In Angelo, with some members of our church. It was a celebration of Thanksgiving to God...for the Joint Declaration on Justification signed at Augsburg, Germany, October 31, 1999, by Representatives of the Lutheran World Federation and The Roman Catholic Church. This meeting was at Calvary Lutheran in San Angelo, on Tuesday, November 9, 1999. What was this all about? It was a "kiss and make up" time. When I was a young boy there were times I had fights with my younger brother, John. And, usually one of us would howl and yell and scream. My mother would come running, yelling at us, "Boys, Boys, stop that fighting." And, after we had calmed down, she would say, "Kiss and make up." It worked. At least for a while.

Well, Lutherans and Catholics have been "at each other" for a long, long time. It started when a monk by the name of Martin Luther questioned a practice of the church—the sale of indulgences. (Indulgences became a way of raising money for the Pope who was building a big cathedral in Rome.) I doubt that Luther would have been so upset if it has been "Bingo," or selling chances on a pick-up." What upset him was that this selling of indulgences was giving the wrong idea—that, one could earn, or pay their way, or pay the way for a dead relative, to get into heaven. And this way conflicted with the teaching of the Holy Scriptures that a person is "Justified by Grace through Faith in Jesus Christ."

Well, the battle became hot. And after Luther died, the Pope called a council. And this council produced 33 "condemnations" of the Lutherans. Written down. Justification became "politicized." Princes and kings got into the act. Wars were fought. People were killed. Finally, the wars ended. And the Lutherans retaliated. They wrote a document called the Augsburg Confessions—in which they listed condemnations of the Catholics!

And, for centuries it was this way. Why, if a Lutheran young man married a catholic girl and "changed to Catholic," it was as if he had died. And vice/verse. Much heart-ache and hurt. I can remember when I started dating a Catholic girl when I was a senior in high school. My parents never said a word about it. But—after a few months—we both agreed to "break up," because neither of us would ever consider "changing."

But, as time went on—World War II and Hitler's Germany. Catholics and Lutherans who believed in Jesus Christ and that Hitler was wrong, found themselves on the same side. Started talking to each other. Even praying together. Started to make up.

And, what started in Germany, spread all over the world. People started praying for unity—for the ending of hostility and beginning peaceful discussions. About forty years ago representatives from the Roman Catholic Church and the Lutheran Church started meeting together. And they soon got into that doctrine "Justification by Grace Through Faith."

And, now, written down in that Declaration signed on October 31, 1999, are these words, "Thus it becomes clear that the mutual condemnations of former times do not apply to the Roman Catholic and Lutheran Doctrines of Justification as they are presented in the Joint Declaration." No more war! The condemnations, written down, are now erased. 400 plus years later.

Tuesday night, at Calvary Lutheran, we saw Bishop Pfeifer of the Roman Catholic Church and Bishop Mark Herbener of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America sign an affirmation of the Declaration. And, what is more, we heard them speak in glowing terms how there is now a new respect, and a new love for each other. That, indeed, this coming together is a "gift from God." And that we can work together with other Christians to bring about unity in Jesus Christ's way, in His time, and according to His will.

And—we saw them embrace. They hugged each other. We, who were there, Catholics and Lutherans, hugged, shook hands, prayed together. The Holy Spirit was truly in that place. "Kiss and make-up" time. Wouldn't it be wonderful if all of our "church fights" could be resolved? It's possible. If Lutherans and Catholics can...anybody can. And, everybody should. Like Jesus said, "Love one another as I have loved You." And that means—no more condemnations! And that means—loving forgiveness...always! Like Jesus does.

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COMMUNITY CHOIR SINGERS go through another rehearsal in preparation of their performance this Sunday, Nov. 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the WHS auditorium. Standing out front are members of the praise team (l-r) Barbara Tounget, Shanna Bear, Milly Northcutt and Nancy Evans. The choir is under the direction of Don Roath (right), pastor of the First United Methodist Church. The public is encouraged to attend this uplifting program. There is no charge for admission.

## Local churches to give JESUS video to every home Sunday, December 5

The churches of the Winters area are working together through the Winters Ministerial Alliance to place a gift of JESUS video in every home in North Runnels County.

The JESUS video is the story of the life of Jesus Christ. The motion picture, produced by John Heyman, was filmed in more than 200 locations in the Holy Land and was originally released by Warner Brothers.

The film has been translated into more than 520 languages and shown in over 230 countries

around the world. Over 2 billion people worldwide have seen the movie—more than any other movie ever produced.

Members of area churches will be distributing the film on Sunday afternoon, December 5. You are encouraged to watch the film with your family.

If you are interested in helping with this project or if you have questions, please contact your pastor or the Winters Ministerial Alliance, P.O. Box 201, Winters, Texas, 79567.

## Humorist Ross McSwain presents program to Winters Woman's Club

The Winters Womans Club met Tuesday, November 9, at the Security State Bank in Winters. A very entertaining program was presented by Mr. Ross McSwain, a well known humorist and writer from San Angelo.

Mr. McSwain shared some amusing stories, including one entitled "Grandma, Did You Know Moses?" He also encouraged everyone to preserve their personal history for the benefit of future generations.

Modern technology has brought about many life-style changes. The past needs to be preserved to give a sense of direction for the future.

The club voted to make a \$250 donation to the Accelerated Reading Program and voted to purchase four shares in the Winters Jr. Livestock Show.

Hostesses were Marthiel Russell, Joyce Bahlman, Horte Joyce, and Ouida Nichols.

Other members attending were: Pat Ambrose, Beth Briley, Theresa Briley, Marlene Wood, Mary Ellen Moore, Rhea Parramore, Dolly Airhart, Bonnie Lee, Sondra Petty, Virginia Brown, Jane Bourdo, Marlene Smith, Dorothea Laughon, Nina Hale, Edna Ruth Self, Betty John Byrns, Phyllis Boles, and Cheryl Bryan.

## Olde Ballinger Christmas Nov. 27

Christmas comes to "Olde Ballinger" on Saturday, November 27, beginning at 9 a.m.

The Christmas lights will be on, downtown will be decorated, food and craft booths will be on

the courthouse lawn.

The Christmas Parade will begin at 2:30 p.m. Immediately following the parade will be the crowning of Miss Merry Christmas, at the stage, on the courthouse lawn.

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## Sidewalk drive at 59% of goal

by Randall Conner, Winters Area Business & Industrial Corporation

As of Monday, November 15, 59% of the funds needed for the Sidewalk Improvement Project have been pledged or received. The drive continues, with a goal of reaching \$44,000 by December 1.

Representatives of the Winters Area Business and Industrial Corporation and the City of Winters will meet with the Texas Transportation Commission in December and the effort shown by local fund-raising will be a deciding factor in our receiving the state and federal funds for the project.

The project calls for rebuilding the sidewalks on Main Street from Parsonage to Broadway and on Dale Street from Main Street to Melwood. The total cost of the project will be \$761,000, with the majority of funds coming from the Texas Department of Transportation under the federal highway enhancement program. The

projects selected will probably receive notification in January.

Besides replacing the sidewalks, the project guidelines require a certain amount of beautification, which will include decorative bricks for parts of the sidewalks, pedestrian lighting, park benches, planters, adjoining park areas, and irrigation for existing and new trees.

The Winters Industrial Board is asking that each business and each family in Winters do what they can to help with the Sidewalk Project. This can be in the form of a pledge or a check to the Winters Industrial Corporation. Any funds received will be held in escrow until the project begins. Pledges/donations can be split into two years — 1999 and 2000. Please send your check or pledge today to Winters Area Business and Industrial Corporation, P.O. Box 211, Winters, Texas 79567.

### Winters Sidewalk Project

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## Health Notes

At North Runnels Home Health our focus is providing the best care possible for patients and helping them care for themselves. We believe the more our patients know, the better care they can receive.

### PNEUMONIA

An acute infection of the lung parenchyma that often impairs gas exchange, pneumonia can be classified in several ways. It may be viral, bacterial, fungal, protozoal, mycobacterial, mycoplasmal, or rickettsial in origin.

Based on location, pneumonia may be classified as bronchopneumonia, lobular pneumonia, or lobar pneumonia. Bronchopneumonia involves distal airways and alveoli; lobular pneumonia, part of a lobe; and lobar pneumonia, an entire lobe.

Finally, the infection may be classified as one of three types — primary, secondary, or aspiration pneumonia. Primary pneumonia results directly from inhalation or aspiration of a pathogen, such as bacteria or a virus; it includes pneumococcal and viral pneumonia. Secondary pneumonia may follow initial lung damage from a noxious chemical or other insult (superinfection) or may result from hematogenous spread of bacteria from a distant area. Aspiration pneumonia results from inhalation of foreign matter into the bronchi.

Pneumonia occurs in both sexes and all ages. More than 3 million cases occur annually in the U.S. The infection carries a good prognosis for patients with normal lungs and adequate immune systems. In debilitated patients, however, bacterial pneumonia ranks as the leading cause of death. Pneumonia is also the leading cause of death from infectious disease in the U.S.

### Complications

Without proper treatment, pneumonia can lead to such life-threatening complications as septic shock, hypoxemia, and respiratory failure. The infection can also spread within the patient's lungs, causing empyema or lung abscess. Or it may spread by way of the bloodstream or by cross-contamination to other parts of the body, causing bacteremia, endocarditis, pericarditis, or meningitis.

Next Topic — "Causes of Pneumonia"

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# STORMING

## CAFETERIA MENU

Nov. 22-Nov. 26

Subject to change

### Breakfast

Monday-Nov. 22  
Toast  
Cereal  
Juice

Tuesday-Nov. 23  
Waffle  
Cereal  
Orange Juice

Wednesday-Nov. 24  
School Holiday

Thursday-Nov. 25  
School Holiday

Friday-Nov. 26  
School Holiday

### Lunch

Monday-Nov. 22  
Barbecue on Bun  
Pickles  
Potato Chips  
Fruit Salad

Tuesday-Nov. 23  
Hamburger  
French Fries  
Lettuce/Pickles  
Cookie

Wednesday-Nov. 24  
School Holiday

Thursday-Nov. 25  
School Holiday

Friday-Nov. 26  
School Holiday

Milk Served With All Meals

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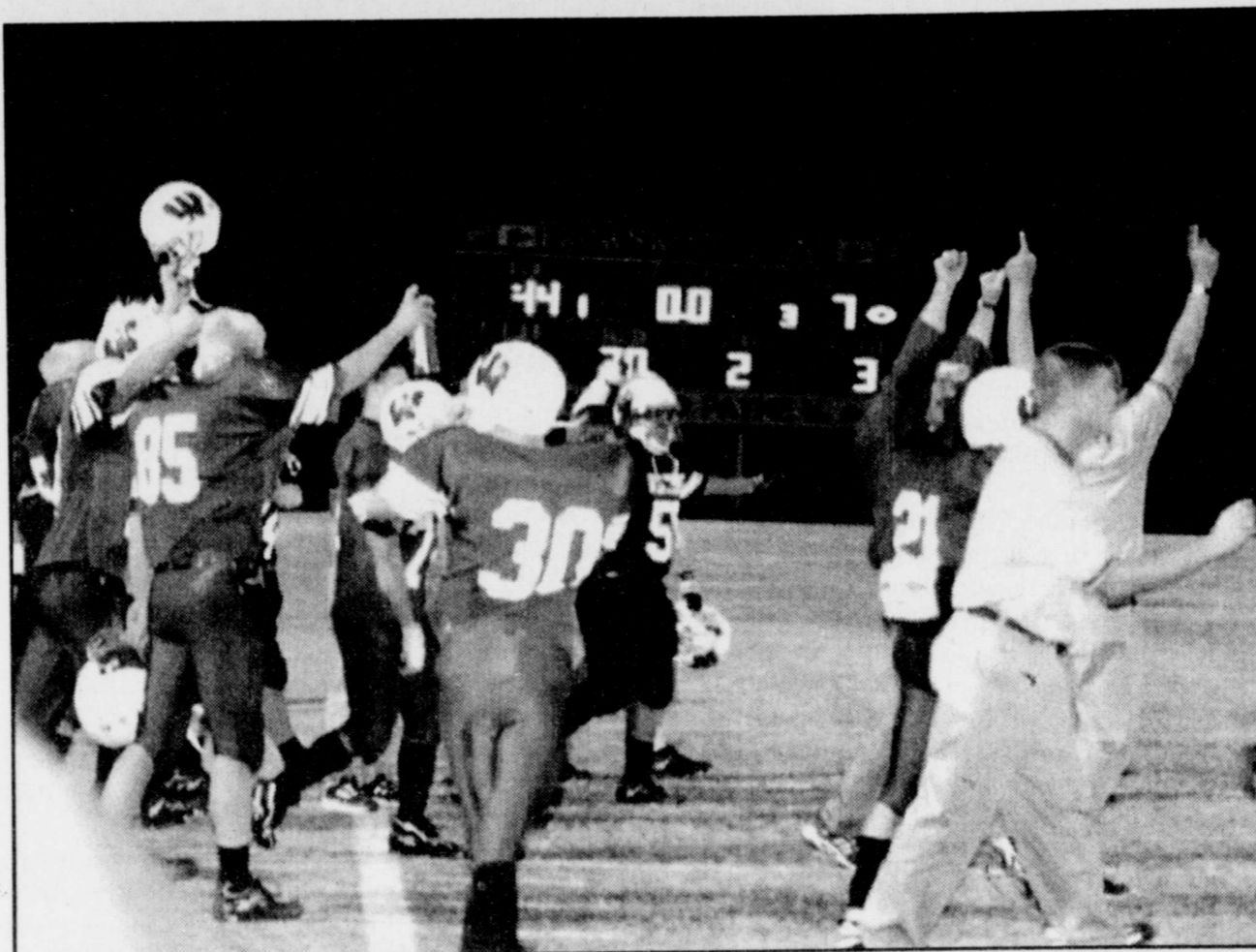
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CELEBRATION TIME was in order for players and coaches as the Blizzards trounced the Troy Trojans 44-7 in bi-district competition last Friday evening before a large crowd of enthusiastic Blizzards supporters at Gordon Wood Stadium in Brownwood.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY

	Winters	Troy
First downs	22	15
Rushing yards	44-245	40-189
Passing yards	189	47
Total yards	456	251
Comp-Att-Int	9-12-0	6-15-1
Punts-Ave.	2-41	5-27.6
Fumbles-lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-yards	5-15	2-10

## SCORING SUMMARY

By Quarters

Winters 6, 14, 7, 17 - 44

Troy 0, 0, 7, 0 - 7

## FIRST QUARTER

Winters  
Wes Calcote 4-yard run (kick failed)

## SECOND QUARTER

Winters  
Josh Minzenmayer 2-yard run (Kirk Byrd pass from Aaron Pritchard)

Winters  
Minzenmayer 24-yard run (pass failed)

## THIRD QUARTER

Winters  
Calcote 1-yard run (Minzenmayer kick)

Troy  
Grant Lambert 5-yard run (Gary Holtman kick)

## FOURTH QUARTER

Winters  
Pritchard 67-yard pass from Minzenmayer (Samson Jackson kick)

Winters  
Calcote 21-yard run (Jackson kick)

Winters  
Jackson 34-yard field goal

## BLIZZARDS, continued

second quarter. With Calcote carrying six times to get the ball to the 1-foot line, Minzenmayer took the ball over for the score. A little razz-ma-tazz put two points on the board when the Blizzards lined up for the extra point. When the ball was snapped, Aaron Pritchard came on the end around like he was running with the ball but then stopped and passed to Kirk Byrd in the end zone for the two-point conversion.

Again the Blizzard defense held the Trojans to three and out, and took the ball at the Winters 40-yard line. Calcote carried for seven yards, Minzenmayer threw to Pritchard for twelve yards, Minzenmayer ran for six and passed to Wade Parramore for eleven more, and Minzenmayer ran 24 yards, breaking tackles and diving over for the score.

Again the extra point was missed but Winters led 20-0 with 1:08 left in the half.

Troy tried to score before the half but missed wide left on the 38-yard field goal attempt.

Winters didn't let up in the sec-

ond half, scoring on their first possession. Again mixing the pass and the run with Calcote carrying the load, he scored from one yard out with 8:20 to go in the third quarter. Minzenmayer's kick was good, putting Winters ahead 27-0.

On Troy's next possession, Justin Calcote intercepted the ball at the Winters 33-yard line to stop another Trojan drive.

Troy stopped the Winters offense at the Trojan 46-yard line and started their only scoring drive of the evening. Troy scored eight plays later with 15 seconds left in the third quarter. The PAT was good and the score was Winters 27, Troy 7.

The Blizzards put the icing on the cake on the first play of the fourth quarter with a 67-yard pass and run from Minzenmayer to Pritchard. Samson Jackson kicked the extra point to put the ball game out of reach for the Trojans 34-7.

Winters held Troy again to three and out, and took the ball on their own 24-yard line, then marched down the field with

Calcote scoring from 21 yards out with 6:57 left in the fourth quarter. Jackson again booted the extra point, pushing the score 41-7.

Head coach Robin Byrd wisely started substituting at this point. Freshman Jose Vega, at 5'6" and 135 pounds, made his debut as varsity running back carrying the ball four times. On a 2nd and 8, Vega made a courageous 35-yard run, working for the touchdown by breaking tackles all the way. The only sad part was that he got credit for only 22 yards due to an illegal block penalty during his run.

Samson Jackson topped the Blizzard scoring by kicking a 34-yard field goal to end the game 44-7.

The Blizzards will meet the Falcons of Brookshire Royal on Friday, Nov. 19, at Pflugerville Conally High School for the regional championship. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. and Winters will be the visiting team.

The Falcons slipped by Bloomington 29-28 in their bi-

district bid last Friday. They hold a 6-1 district record and 9-2 overall record for the season.

The Falcons list sixteen players weighing over 200 pounds and one player tipping the scales at 310. Besides weight, speed is one of their strengths so part of the Blizzard game plan will have to be to contain the Falcon speed.

The game will be broadcast live on KATX 96.1 FM.



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## Attention Blizzard Fans!

The Winters Athletic Booster Club is sponsoring a Flashlight Pep Rally and Victory Snake Parade tonight, November 18, at 8 p.m. The snake will begin at Alderman Cave Parking Lot and make its way through downtown Winters ending with the pep rally back at Alderman Cave.


They encourage the entire community to show your Blizzard spirit. Bring your FLASHLIGHTS, shakers, and HORNS to show our boys how much we support them!

**GO BIG BLUE!!**




JOSH MINZENMAYER scrambles on the quarterback keeper during action against the Troy Trojans. Minzenmayer scored two second quarter touchdowns and added a touchdown pass in the fourth quarter. He completed nine of twelve passes for the evening.


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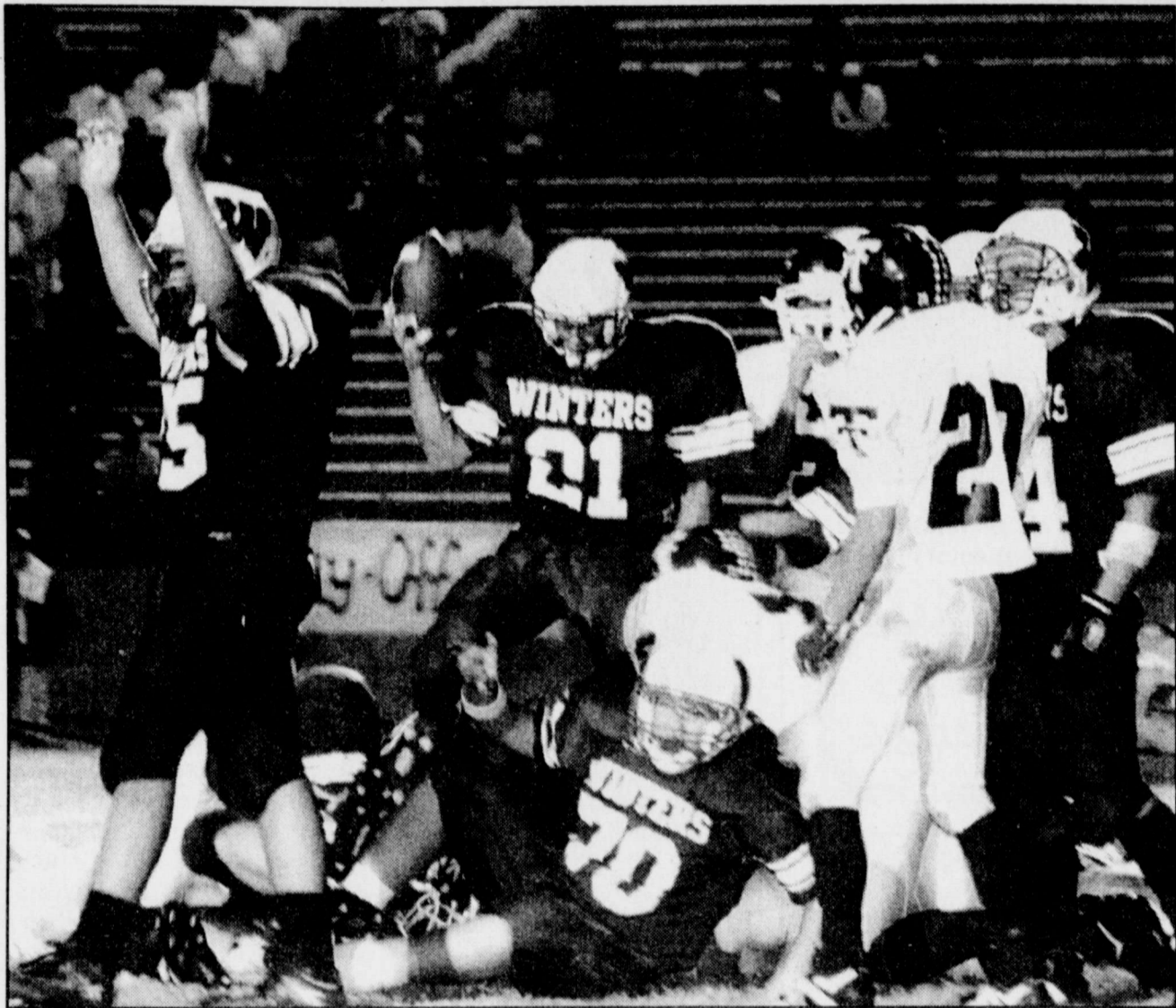
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SAMSON JACKSON indicates another Blizzard touchdown by Wes Calcote #21, behind the blocking of a determined offensive line including Jackson, Aaron Taylor #70, Craig Conner, Louis Esquivel and John Bahlman.

## Directions to J.B. Connally Football Stadium in Plugerville

Football fans traveling to Pflugerville in support of the Winters Blizzards may find the following information useful. Go through Brownwood to Early. Take a right on Highway 183 towards Goldthwaite. At the Dairy Queen outside of Goldthwaite, take a right (still Highway 183) to downtown Goldthwaite. Continue to follow 183 to Lampasas. Approximately 1 hour beyond Lampasas, see a red light at Seward Junction (intersection of Highway 29). Go left on 29 towards Georgetown until road in-

tersects with Interstate 35. Turn right on 35. Take Exit 246 (Howard Lane). Get in righthand lane before you come to the first stop light. Go through the light and turn right into the stadium. As a final reminder, of course, if all else fails: Look for the high stadium lights. Be aware that there are two high school football stadiums in Pflugerville. One is Pflugerville High School and the other is J.B. Connally High School. The Blizzards play at Connally.

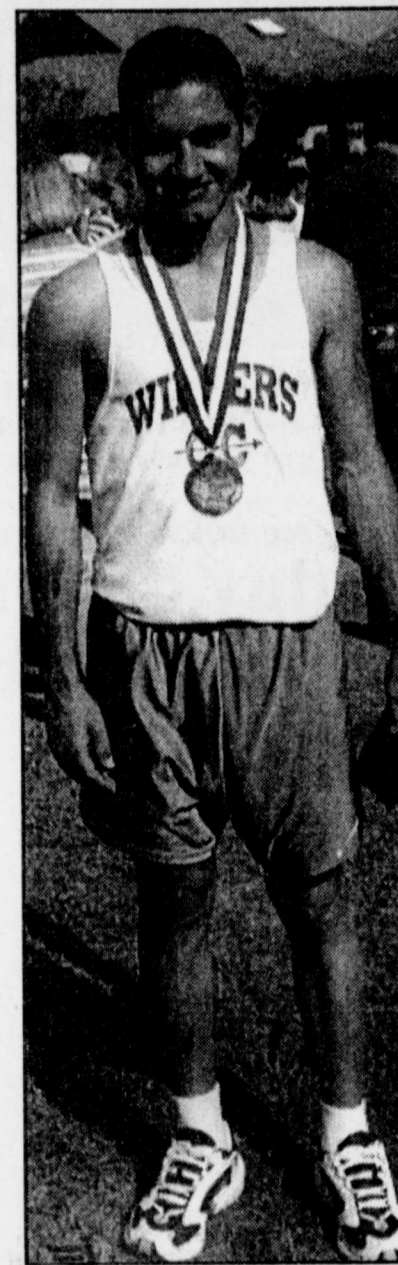
## Winters vs. Brookshire Royal Playoff pregame tickets on sale at administration & school offices

Pregame tickets are on sale at the WISD Business Office for the Winters vs. Brookshire Royal playoff game until 3 p.m. on Friday. They may be purchased at the elementary and high school offices until noon on Friday. Adult tickets are \$6 in advance and student tickets are \$4. Prices will be \$6 at the gate for all tickets on Friday evening with no exceptions. Kickoff is slated for 7:30 p.m. at Pflugerville Connally High School for regional playoff action between the Blizzards and Falcons.

Go Big Blue!!

## Rodriguez finishes sixth at state 2A cross-country meet

Jimmy Rodriguez is once again one of the ten fastest cross-country runners for class 2A in the state of Texas. Rodriguez placed sixth at the state meet at Round Rock last Saturday. Over 100 individuals competed in the race. According to cross-country coach Deb Whittenburg, "This is Jimmy's third year to medal at state. Our region (IV) placed six individuals in the top seven. "Although Jimmy's place remained the same as last year, his time improved 45 seconds. Congratulations to Jimmy on a good race and on his season. He has represented WISD very well!" Rodriguez finished with a time of 17:03 this year versus last year's time of 17:48.



**Congratulations Jimmy Rodriguez 6th in state**  
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## Winters ISD announces early dismissal for Thanksgiving

The Winters ISD will release classes early on Tuesday, November 23 for the Thanksgiving holiday. Students will be released from classes at 2:25 p.m. The TIPS after school program will be available according to its regular schedule. Students are on holiday Wednesday, November 24, through Friday, November 26. Classes will resume as usual on Monday, November 29. Both schools and the administration office will be closed.

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WES CALCOTE stretches for extra yardage as he is brought down with an ankle tackle by the Troy defender. Calcote rushed for 185 yards during the bi-district contest.

1999-00 COMPOSITE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE													
DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TIME	7g	7b	8g	8b	9g	9b	JVD	JVB	VC	STATE
NOV. 7	TUES	WALL	4:30										HOME
NOV. 12-13	FRI/SAT	ANSON	TBA										HOME
NOV. 15	MON	BANGS	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
NOV. 16	TUES	HAMLIN	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
NOV. 19	FRI	ETLA	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
NOV. 20	SAT	ETLA PRESIDENTS TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
NOV. 22	MON	EARLY	2:00										HOME
NOV. 22	MON	EARLY	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
NOV. 23	TUES	CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN	4:00							G	B	G	HOME
NOV. 23	TUES	MILES	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
NOV. 29	MON	COLLEMAN	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
NOV. 29	MON	COLLEMAN	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
NOV. 30	TUES	ALBANY	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
DEC. 2-4	TH-SAT	HAWLEY JV TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
DEC. 4	SAT	BALLINGER	2:00							G	B		HOME
DEC. 6	MON	GOLDFHWAITTE	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
DEC. 6	MON	GOLDFHWAITTE	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
DEC. 7	TUES	PHAROS	5:00							G	B		HOME
DEC. 9-11	TH-SAT	ALBANY VARS TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
DEC. 14	TUES	COLLEMAN	5:00							G	B		HOME
DEC. 14	TUES	COLLEMAN	5:00							G	B		HOME
DEC. 16-18	TH-SAT	ETLA VARS AVCA TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
DEC. 17	FRI	GOLDFHWAITTE	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
DEC. 27-29	MON-WED	ETLA VARS TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
JAN. 4	TUES	HAMPSHIRE	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
JAN. 6	THURS	SAN SABA	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
JAN. 6	THURS	SAN SABA	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
JAN. 7-8	TH-SAT	UTM WED 7TH TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
JAN. 7	FRI	HAMPSHIRE	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
JAN. 10	MON	MASON	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
JAN. 11	TUES	MASON	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
JAN. 13-15	TH-SAT	ROSCOE 8TH TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
JAN. 14	FRI	HAMILTON	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
JAN. 17	MON	HAMILTON	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
JAN. 18	TUES	PHAROS	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
JAN. 20-22	TH-SAT	BLACKWELL 7TH TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
JAN. 21	FRI	COLLEMAN	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
JAN. 24	MON	BANGS	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
JAN. 24	MON	BANGS	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
JAN. 25	TUES	GOLDFHWAITTE	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
JAN. 28-29	TH-SAT	UTM WED 8TH TOURNAMENT	TBA										HOME
JAN. 28	FRI	BANGS	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
JAN. 31	MON	EARLY	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
JAN. 31	MON	EARLY	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
FEB. 1	TUES	HAMPSHIRE	4:00							G	B	G	HOME
FEB. 4	FRI	EARLY	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
FEB. 7	MON	COLLEMAN	5:30	G		G		G					HOME
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FEB. 8	TUES	HAMILTON	5:00							G	B	G	HOME
FEB. 11	FRI	PHAROS	5:00										HOME
FEB. 11-13	FRI	PLAYOFF PRACTICE GAME	TBA										HOME
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## VFW & Auxiliary honor teachers, administration

by Mary Kurtz,  
VFW Ladies Auxiliary

The Winters Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9193 and the Ladies Auxiliary would like to express our respect and appreciation to the teachers and administration of the Winters Public School System during National Education Week, Nov. 15-21.

Yours is not an easy job and you are certainly not overpaid — you do it because you love the children and receive self-satisfaction when you see the difference you make in their lives.

May all the parents in Winters realize how lucky they are to have so many dedicated teachers who do all they can to assist with any problems.

Thank you for caring and trying. Hope you enjoyed the refreshments.

## Merfeld receives Carr Academic Scholarship

Amanda Merfeld, daughter of Victor and Dianne Merfeld of Winters, has received a Carr Academic Scholarship at Angelo State University. She is the granddaughter of Paige and Sue Baize of Winters and the late William and Mary Merfeld.

The Carr scholarships provide \$1,500 awards that are renewable for up to four years and are based upon students' academic accomplishments.

Amanda is a 1999 graduate of Ballinger High School and is a freshman at ASU where she is majoring in music education and playing the clarinet for the ASU Band.

## Junior class parents to meet Nov. 18, 7:00 p.m.

There will be a meeting for Junior class parents on Thursday, November 18, at 7:00 p.m. at the WHS Auditorium.



OBSERVING VETERANS' DAY AT WHS, which began with flag raising ceremonies, were students and faculty of the elementary and secondary schools, WHS band, and elementary select choir. Twenty-three local veterans were recognized during the special ceremony.

## Enjoy free lunch with your child— Friday designated WISD Parent Involvement Day

Tomorrow has been designated as "Parent Involvement Day" at Winters ISD. Governor George W. Bush is encouraging all Texas parents, grandparents, and other family members to visit their child's school.

All parents are invited to actively participate in "Parent Involvement Day" by visiting classrooms and enjoying a free lunch with their child. The menu for this special day will be turkey and dressing, with gravy, green bean, fruit salad, and hot rolls.

They are encouraged to be actively involved in their child's learning process, particularly as it relates to reading. The primary

purpose of this statewide event is to remind parents, educators, and community partners of the important roles they play in the education of children.

The lunch schedule is as follows:

ELEMENTARY	
Pre-K	10:50-11:20 a.m.
Kindergarten	10:50-11:20 a.m.
First Grade	11:05-11:35 a.m.
Second Grade	11:00-11:30 a.m.
Third Grade	11:15 a.-11:45 p.
Fourth Grade	11:43 a.-12:13 p.
Fifth Grade	11:45 a.-12:15 p.
Sixth Grade	11:50 a.-12:20 p.
SECONDARY	
Junior High	11:30 a.-noon
High School	12:20-12:50 p.m.

## 4-H Happenings

### Winters 4-H Club to meet Monday night

The Winters 4-H Club will hold their monthly meeting on Monday November 22 at the Mt. Carmel Catholic Church Fellowship Hall. The meeting will be held from 5:15 to 6:30 p.m.

The program for the meeting will be Emergency Medical Training presented by a paramedic from North Runnels EMS. Clover Kids will make paper bag turkey decorations.

The community service for the month will be the turkey raffle. Bring all ticket stubs and money to the meeting for a drawing for a smoked turkey. Proceeds from the raffle will be used to buy Christmas gifts for "Our House."

Jami Harris will lead the Pledge of Allegiance and Stephen Goetz will lead the 4-H motto and prayer. Kat Hatler will give the inspiration.

Those families responsible for refreshments for the meeting include England, Davis, Mesey, Kruse (Camille), and Goetz.

### Glacier staff to host semi-formal dance Saturday

"The Glacier" staff will sponsor a semi-formal dance on Saturday, November 20, from 8:30 p.m. until midnight in the high school cafeteria.

Cost is \$3 per person and \$5 for couples. Students in grades 9 through 12 are invited to attend and dress in their best Sunday clothes.

### Barrett Brown receives A&M Academic Achievement Scholarship

James Barrett Brown of Winters received a top scholarship from Texas A&M University, where he is enrolled this fall as a freshman.

Brown, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, is attending Texas A&M on an Academic Achievement Scholarship.

Texas A&M University's freshman class includes more than 6,700 students, contributing to a record enrollment of 43,442. According to the Office of University Relations, the university's entering freshmen traditionally have SAT scores approximately 100 points higher than the average for high school graduates in Texas.

## Student Council News

### Pen pals send flags and message for pilots to carry on a mission

Recently, the Student Council Tiger Squadron Pen Pals sent each pilot a small 3X5 American flag with the message "Accept the challenges, so that you may feel the exhilaration of victory" by General George S. Patton. Each class who is participating in the project included their class name, school, and Winters, Texas, along with the inscription, "Our prayers are with you."

F-16 pilots from the 79th Fighter Squadron will carry the flag and class card with them on a mission. Following a successful mission, the pilot will send a certificate to the class verifying the mission and that their flag and message had flown with them.

The 79th "Tiger" Squadron is currently in Saudi Arabia enforcing the no-fly zone over southern Iraq and is scheduled to return to the United States on December 10.



## School Days, School Days

### Audine McBeth Kindergarten Teacher



Audine McBeth was hired as a kindergarten teacher by Winters Independent School District in the fall of 1999. She previously taught home economics at WISD from 1982 to 1985 and kindergarten in Winters from 1985-1986. She calls Sunray, Texas, her hometown.

Mrs. McBeth received her bachelor of science degree from Mary-Hardin Baylor University, where she studied home economics education with a kindergarten endorsement. Her post

graduate study includes certification in elementary education.

When husband Dennis was transferred to Midland, she followed and taught in Midland for the next three years. After staying home with young son Roy for a couple of years then working as a daycare director for Greenwood Baptist Church, she and her family moved back to Winters in 1994.

Dennis is now a local ranch manager and Roy is 10 years old. The McBeths are members of First Baptist Church of Winters.

Audine's hobbies include singing, swimming, studying the Bible, horseback riding, and just being with family and friends.

"It has been a treasure to become reacquainted with students I taught in home economics," says Mrs. McBeth. "This year I have one of my student's children in kindergarten. What a joy!" She concludes by thanking the Lord for being back in the country and at Winters.

### Bobbie L. Collom named to the Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges

The 2000 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges will include the names of 30 students from the four Texas State Technical College West Texas locations at Sweetwater, Abilene, Breckenridge, and Brownwood who have been selected as national outstanding campus leaders.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory have included the names

of these students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

Bobbie L. Collom of Winters has been selected as one of these students. Mrs. Collom will join an elite group of students from more than 2,300 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and several foreign nations.

## 2ND SIX WEEKS ELEMENTARY HONOR ROLL & PRIMARY GRADE PARADE Winters Independent School District 1999-2000

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Kailee Johnson  
T.J. Johnson  
John Smith  
Tyler Lincoln  
Jose Llanas  
Alexis Rodriguez  
Miguel Rodriguez  
Devon Shackelford  
Cheyenne Smith  
Efen Vizuth

### COLBURN

Kelton Bredemeyer  
Nico Campos  
Bianca Carrillo  
Haleigh Edge  
Abby Guy  
Bibiana Mendoza  
Estevan Nava  
John O'Brien  
Zannie Slimp  
Derek Smith  
Joselyn Soto  
Justin Trevino

### PARAMORE

Amber Blackshear  
Jarred Briley  
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Jesse Butler  
Ashley Delacruz  
Alonzo Flores  
Kori Gallimore  
Wesley Hagle  
Kayla Hightower  
Kaitlyn Johnson  
Dustin Martinez  
Raymond Rodriguez  
Alex Sudduth

### SNEED

Sarah Campos  
Drey Clifton  
Jared Cortez  
Lisa Dees  
C.J. Johnson  
Haley Kaczyk  
Dillion Lindley  
Devin Martinez  
Regan Newsom  
Kody Perry  
David Reyes  
Miranda Torres

### SECOND GRADE

LINCYCOMB  
Josh Arispe  
Sybil Bridgeman  
Lucy Butler

### Randy Carrillo Cindy Chavez Tia Davis Ursula Estrada Tana Gibbs Marcus Herrera Joshua Lee Jonathan Patton Coltyn Pritchard Kenneth Reel Chelsie Schmidt

### MEYERS

Jennifer Brewer  
Tiffany Cravens  
Jacie Frierson  
Aaron Grenwolge  
Ryan Hagle  
Shelby Knight  
Chelsy Lipsy  
Josh Lujano  
Sarah Martinez  
Danielle Pinkerton  
Addam Ramirez  
Devon Rodriguez  
Orlando Rodriguez  
Joseph Stoecker

### OLIVER

Cody Bean  
Hayden Bergman  
Maritza Bowden  
Justin Childers  
Ali Cortez  
Kristin Del Real  
Kevin Jackson  
Brianna Mesey  
Braden Mikeska  
Kathleen Mills  
Juan Ramirez  
Nicky Sanders  
Brandon Taylor

### THIRD GRADE

#### "A"

Sonia Armendariz  
Kevin Bredemeyer  
Julie England  
Sandy Esquivel  
Corey Fenwick  
Raphael Gallaway  
Jami Harris  
Stefan Kitchen  
Camille Kruse  
Ryan Meyers  
Colby Pritchard  
Vince Trevino  
Brittany Woffenden

#### "B"

Olivia Stout  
A.J. Tamez  
Jason Taylor  
Joby Winfrey

### "A-B"

Norma Aragon  
Samantha Arispe  
Jessica Barker  
Lacye Briley  
Matthew Doty  
Cory Fields  
Luis Flores  
Juana Harrison  
Diana Hernandez  
Virgil Horton  
Celisha Jackson  
James Medina  
Krystal Perry  
Brendan Polston  
Timothy Prescott  
Aaron Rodriguez  
Dalton Shackelford  
Andrea Smith  
David Stout  
Destiny Torres  
Marty Torres

### FOURTH GRADE

#### "A"

Addison Bergman  
Tory Burns  
Kevin Cook  
Catalia Kitchen  
Roy McBeth  
Cassie Mendoza  
Alex Newsom  
Adriana Rodriguez  
Juanita Simpson  
Susan Sneed  
Asenette Vasquez  
Shelby Walker

#### "B"

Laura Armendariz  
Aracelie Flores  
Dalton Frierson  
Lillian Garcia  
Wiley Guy  
Alex Harrison  
Leann Lopez  
Tad Martin  
Rashae Martinez  
Garrett Nitsch  
Kaighan Price  
Erica Roman  
Samantha Sanchez  
Clinton Schwartz  
Christopher R. Smith

### FIFTH GRADE

#### "A"

Kellyn Airhart  
Luke England  
Yesenia Flores  
Keegan Kurtz  
Anthony Ramirez

### Savannah Sanchez

#### "A-B"

Matthew Awalt  
Ashley Belk  
Amanda Brewer  
Aaron Briley  
Ty Cason  
Lela Christa  
Nicole Fields  
Ashley Gann  
Stephen Goetz  
Allan Green  
Trenton Grohman  
Chris Guerrero  
Michael Hubach  
Steven Kruse  
Kody McCuiston  
Bryant Mikeska  
Adrienne Montgomery  
Corbin O'Dell  
Cory Pringle  
Advita Vasquez  
Ashley Wynn

#### "B"

Ismael Aragon

### SIXTH GRADE

#### "A"

Amanda Blackshear  
Angleica Campos  
Paige Geistmann  
Krystal Gibbens  
Luke Hale  
Latisha Hildreth  
Miranda Lara  
Erica Lujano  
Tod Martin  
Armando Nava  
L.J. Nitsch  
Amanda Polk  
Vickie Santoya  
Marcus Tubbs  
Kindy Walker  
"A-B"

#### "B"

Aaron Colburn  
Manuel Cordova  
Raysha Garcia  
Randy Jackson  
Jessica Meyer  
Beca Morrison  
Garry Ozbirn  
Angel Ramirez  
Jordan Sanchez  
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**"Light Up A Life"**

**Hospice Holiday Tree will begin November 29**

Winters will once again sponsor "Light Up A Life" with a Hospice Holiday Tree located at Main Drug in Winters. The tree will be in place beginning Monday, November 29.

Each donation of \$10 or more will place a dove on the tree. The names of those honored will be displayed on doves adorning the tree.

Donations may be made in memory of a loved one; in honor of the birth of a child; or in honor of someone special.

The holiday season is a special time of caring, sharing, and celebrating life. Hospice Care celebrates life every day by working to make each day of life the best possible for our patients and their families.

Honor someone or the memory of someone special and help Hospice help others. Hospice's work with the terminally-ill in our community is dependent on your generosity.



**WINTERS RED HOTS**, ages 7 and 8, recently won third place in the Pixie Division of an Abilene tournament. Back row, l-r, are Coach Kenny Gibbs, Brittany Woffenden, Sonia Armendarez, Sandy Esquivel, Destiny Gonzales and Coach Bill Mesey. Front row, same order, Chelsy Lipsey, Tana Gibbs, Brianna Mesey, and Lacey Briley. Not pictured are Jacie Frierson and Jami Harris. The team was sponsored by Dr. Aref Hassan, Dry Mfg., Kenny Gibbs family and Bill Mesey family.

**American Cancer Society**

**Great American Smokeout today: Smokers encouraged to put cigarettes out for good**

Today, November 18, 1999, the American Cancer Society's 23rd Great American Smokeout will help millions of smokers kick the habit, and help youth understand the importance of never starting to smoke.

The Great American Smokeout promotion is the American Cancer Society's annual, nationally recognized day when we ask smokers to put down their cigarettes, cigars, spit tobacco, or any tobacco product because they all have the potential to cause cancer.

Because we know that approximately 32 million smokers (out of 47 million current smokers) want to quit smoking completely, we

will continue to offer support and education to the public.

The promise of addiction-free life has encouraged many smokers to join in and prove to themselves that they can live a day without cigarettes, and that they can therefore live the rest of their lives without them.

In 1998, 19% of smokers participated in our Great American Smokeout (approximately 8,930,000 people), and of those participants, 10% reported that they were smoking less or not at all one to five days later.

That is over 89,000 people who are well on their way to healthier, smoke-free lives, thanks to the American Cancer Society.

The Smokeout is not just about adult smokers and cessation. As the times change and our understanding of the addictive cycle of nicotine increases, we're working to prevent children from ever becoming smokers.

More than 80% of current adult smokers started before they were 18-years-old. That's why the Great American Smokeout is also focusing on promotions that will communicate to our children the social disadvantages of smoking, and provide them with the tools to recognize and avoid negative social influences.

If you're a smoker, decide today, that you will put your cigarettes down for good. Quitting

won't be easy, but by preparation, determination, and some assistance, it can be done.

For more information contact your local American Cancer Society at (915)692-6446 or 1-800-ACS-2345, or visit our web site at [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org).

**FOOD, continued**

hours of operation are Monday, 4:30-7:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m.-noon; and Friday, 9 a.m.-noon.

The holidays are just around the corner and the more collected, the better the distribution.

Suggested items for the food pantry include flour, sugar, cooking oil, bread, crackers, oatmeal, cornmeal, canned meat, canned vegetables, peanut butter, macaroni, dry beans, canned soups,

canned tomatoes, Hamburger and Tuna Helper, jelly, dry milk, canned fruit, fruit juices, baby food, rice, or other food staples. Canned corn is not needed at this time.

New this year, the Winters Food Pantry now has the ability to accept refrigerated items such as milk, eggs, cheese, butter, and meat. Also as an affiliate with the Abilene Food Pantry, the Winters Food Pantry can purchase com-

modities at an excellent cost. Therefore, monetary donations are more than welcome.

Scouts will NOT be accepting refrigerated items or money at this time, but your donations will be accepted by the Winters Food Pantry during normal hours of operation or you mail your check to 141 N. Church, Winters, TX 79567.

Also as a reminder, motorists should cautiously watch the streets for children.

**Poe's Corner**  
By Charlsie Poe

**Strange things in the night**  
(A pet story)

The following is by guest writer, Betty Thomason.

Our dog, Doogie, usually sleeps through the night without barking or going outside, except for one night when a strange thing happened.

Now retired, my husband Keith and I didn't want the responsibility of another pet. However, we hadn't counted on finding a long-haired black dog covered with sleet, beside the Winters-Tuscola highway five winters ago.

The overgrown pup was young and frisky — we were not — so we named him Doogie after the character in the TV show, "Doogie Howser, MD."

One night, a little after 1:00 AM several years back, Keith and I awoke to hear Doogie barking and found him frantically circling the living room. We even heard the neighborhood dogs barking and crying loudly.

My husband went outside in the backyard with Doogie to investigate the commotion. At the same time, Keith looked up in the sky toward the Southwest. He saw a big ball of fire crashing toward him. "There's a meteorite going to hit us!" he shouted.

I ran outside in time to find the fireball had already passed leaving a wide silvery band of light suspended across the southern sky reaching all the way from the west to the east. The light streak hung in the sky like a bright bar dissect-



Charlsie Poe

ing the night in half. What a sight! What could it mean? After a few minutes the light dissipated. We had no idea what we had seen.

Next morning, we listened eagerly for news on TV. Maybe there would be news of someone else witnessing the strange lights in the sky that we had seen during the night.

Next day, TV news reported that Space Ship Challenger had returned to earth during the night. Also, a radio announcer reported Challenger passed by our Texas town a little after 1:30 AM and landed in Florida sixteen minutes later.

Another man, a local resident, said he heard a sonic boom about the same time we saw the strange looking light, but he didn't get out of bed and look outside. Possibly, Challenger entering earth's atmosphere made a sound that disturbed the dogs.

Doogie is our loving companion and I'll always be grateful he woke up in time to see a beautiful, celestial sight. Even though it did scare me at first.

The end



PREPARING THE VETERANS' ROOM for Open House at the Rock Hotel were (l-r) Neva Colburn, Dorothy Compton and Mary Kurtz. Compton and Kurtz are members of the VFW Auxiliary which has worked endless hours to develop the commemorative room which houses display cases of military paraphernalia including uniforms, newspaper clippings and artifacts. Mrs. Kurtz holds a POW-MIA flag which is to be flown at specific times. Behind Mrs. Kurtz is a United States 48-star burial flag. Approximately 60 people attended the Open House on Saturday. For more information about the Veterans' Room, contact the Rock Hotel 754-2036.

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- X-mas carol
- TXism: "he'd have to study up to \_\_\_\_\_ half wit"
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- lemon or lime drink
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- face spasm
- charged in a ledger
- TX bean crop
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- Bobby of "State Fair" filmed in Dallas
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- TXism: "fast as axle grease on a jack \_\_\_\_\_"
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- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ as a newborn calf"
- Rockport is "where the fun never \_\_\_\_\_"
- Waco-born actor Martin (init.)
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ a candle to him" unit of matter
- TXism: "smart as a \_\_\_\_\_ full of owls"
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- "Hook \_\_\_\_\_ Horns!"
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- provoked
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- TX univ. degree
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- TXism: "I reckon" 27 in Gray Co. on 273
- Houston married daughter of Chief \_\_\_\_\_-le-ka
- Cowboy objective
- TXism: "sells like \_\_\_\_\_ cakes"
- devil put "\_\_\_\_\_ cactus, horns on toads"
- short form of large reptile found in east TX swamps
- TXism: "jump \_\_\_\_\_ (escape)"
- TXism: "exciting as a fire at the \_\_\_\_\_ office"
- bank safe
- TXism: "never let \_\_\_\_\_ you sweat"

**Solutions for this puzzle appear in this issue.**

**L-G's Place to serve Turkey Dinner Nov. 24**

L-G's Place, 237 S. Main, will be serving their annual Turkey Dinner on Wednesday, November 24, from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Items on the menu include turkey and dressing, gravy, green beans, mashed potatoes, cranberries, and bread.

Pie slices and cake squares will also be available. No other food items will be available during this time.

Place your order early at 754-4118! L-G's also takes this time to thank their patrons.

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## Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wearden honored on 60th anniversary

Wedding vows renewed in presence of family

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wearden were honored with a reception at the Jones Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church on Saturday, November 13, 1999, in observance of their 60th wedding anniversary.

At the celebration, the couple renewed their wedding vows with the Reverend Barry Taylor officiating.

Charles and the former Janie Simpson were married on November 11, 1939, at the old Church of Christ parsonage in Winters.

The couple has four children, Charles J. and Ruby Wearden of Ballinger, Judy and Willi Door of Fort Worth, Glenda and Jim Matthews of Grand Prairie, and Jodie and Frank O'Dell of Winters; seven grandchildren, John Wearden, Dianne Mark, Kim Bransford, Chris Matthews, Jennifer Gilbreath, and Corbin and Candace O'Dell; and six great-grandchildren, Amanda Rivera, Miranda Rivera, Jessica Rivera, Beau Bransford, Amber Bransford, and Tristen Gilbreath.

Charles is a retired carpenter, and Janie is a retired school cafeteria worker. They are members of the First Baptist Church of Winters. Hosts for the celebration were their children.



Then 1939

## Cheri Dry & Jay Dirksen united in double ring ceremony

Cheri Lee Dry of Winters and College Station and Jay Ryan Dirksen of Corpus Christi were united in marriage Saturday, August 21, 1999, at two o'clock in the afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Winters. Reverend Barry Taylor officiated the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Dry of Winters and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Dry of Winters and the late Mr. and Mrs. O.C. Sewell Jr. of Sulphur Springs. The bride's honorary grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Byron D. Jobe.

The groom's parents are Dr. and Mrs. William H. Dirksen of Corpus Christi. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dirksen of Madison, South Dakota, and Mrs. Bert Hughes of Vermillion, South Dakota, and her late husband.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride was given in marriage by her parents. She wore an Ira Warshaw white satin and silk gown with a ball gown silhouette. The sleeveless bodice with a high neckline front and low V-shaped back was fully appliqued with schiffli lace beaded with delicate pearls and iridescent sequins, with the back being accented by bows and pearl buttons. The basque waistline bodice descended into a gathered double layered satin skirt. The top panel was outlined in schiffli lace intricately beaded with pearls and sequins, and was picked up in various areas by satin bows and re-embroidered lace

with sequins and pearls to form scallops. The lower layer had a hemline ruffle which cascaded from under the entire upper skirt and flowed into a sweep train. Her multi-layered, white illusion veil of fingertip length outlined by satin rattach fell from a satin crown covered with silk roses, satin leaves, and clusters of seed pearls.

The bride's bouquet was a cascade of fresh gardenias, stephanotis, and white roses, accented with English ivy and Italian ruscus.

Underneath her bouquet, the bride carried a white lace covered prayer book carried by her mother when she married thirty years ago. Something new was the diamond solitaire necklace that was given by the groom as a wedding gift. On her thumb, she wore a gold Texas A&M Class of '95 ring borrowed from her brother Joel Dry. Something blue was a custom designed blue satin and lace garter by garter designer Eloise Brown. In her shoe were two pennies minted in the years that she and the groom were born.

Maid of honor was Barbara Belk of Winters and College Station, while Lori Jobe served as the bride's maid. The bride's attendants wore pink champagne gowns with a satin princess seamed bodice that flowed into a crepe A-line skirt. Each carried a colorful bouquet of fresh crimson roses, baby white roses, Stargazer lilies, miniature pink carnations, alstroemeria, solidago, English ivy, and Italian ruscus hand-tied



Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dirksen

with organdy bows.

Lindsey Basile of Corpus Christi, niece of the groom, served as flower girl.

The groom was attired in a formal black tuxedo, white shirt, black tie, and silver vest.

Brad Dirksen, brother of the

groom, of Corpus Christi, was best man. Groomsman was John Basile, brother-in-law of the groom, of Corpus Christi. Ryan Young, cousin of the bride, of Winters, was ring bearer.

Guest registrar was Kathryn Kozelsky of Winters and College

Station. Scott Kozelsky of Winters and College Station, Ron Lively of Campbell, and Jack Counts of Sulphur Springs served as ushers.

The sanctuary area was lighted with an arch and candelabra trees with votive candles on the unity candle table. Each candelabrum was entwined with English ivy and white roses with a multitude of emerald fern and roses surrounding the base.

Music, consisting of "Endless Love," "Forever I Do," "Bridal Chorus," "From This Moment On," and the "Wedding March" was provided by organist Susan Conner and Randall Conner.

Mary Ellen Moore of Flowers Etc. directed the wedding and reception as well as designed the flowers and decorations. Francis Curl Dry served as coordinator.

Parents of the bride hosted a reception, catered by JC's Catering in the historical Rock Hotel.

The bride and groom's table was covered with a white lace cloth with a linen underlay. A large picture of the bride and groom in a Lenox white porcelain frame of pearls centered the table with a backdrop of English ivy and the bouquets of the bride and her attendants cascading from atop a pedestal to the table embracing the picture.

The bride's cake was a traditional three-tiered white cake with white frosting with a raspberry filling. The cake was topped with a Lenox China bride and groom, and each tier was bestowed with

fresh crimson roses.

The groom's cake was a four-layered rich, red velvet cake iced with chocolate in a basket weave design. The basket was laden with cherries, grapes, and strawberries. Cakes were Carol Kozelsky creations.

Members of the house party were Amy Roundtree of Sulphur Springs and College Station; Amy Lewis of Sulphur Springs and College Station; Micca Sheedy of Sulphur Springs; Monica Harris of Sulphur Springs; Bonnie Dry Schreiber, aunt of the bride, of San Angelo; Francis Curl Dry, aunt of the bride, of Hillsboro; and Ruby Carter, Clara Whittenberg, and Betty Vernon, all of Winters.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents at The Shed in Wingate on Friday, August 20, following the rehearsal.

The bride is a 1996 graduate of Sulphur Springs High School and a junior student majoring in speech communications at Texas A&M University. The groom graduated from Flour Bluff High School in Corpus Christi in 1993. Also a student at Texas A&M University, he will receive a degree in graphic art and design in December.

After a wedding trip to the family mountain home in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dirksen are in their home in Corpus Christi, where he has accepted a managerial position with Journeys. They have transferred to Texas A&M University in Corpus Christi to complete their education.

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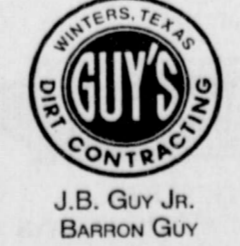
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## Police Beat

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, November 7, 1999, through Saturday, November 13, 1999. Winters Police Officers: \* received a report of a missing birdbath in the 400 block of Tinkle. The victims, an 87-year-old male and his wife, state they had last seen the birdbath on the afternoon of November 7. The birdbath had been owned by the victims for the past 20 years and it is of great sentimental value. This case is under investigation as Class B theft. Any information leading to the recovery of this item would be greatly appreciated and strictly confidential.

\* assisted a subject in a possible civil matter involving a pickup, stock trailer, stereo, and rifle. The items were located in the 700 block of E. Truett and the rifle was found in the possession of a 23-year-old male of Winters who is under felony indictment. Federal statutes apply to felon in possession of firearm (indictment only) and the male faces possible charges.

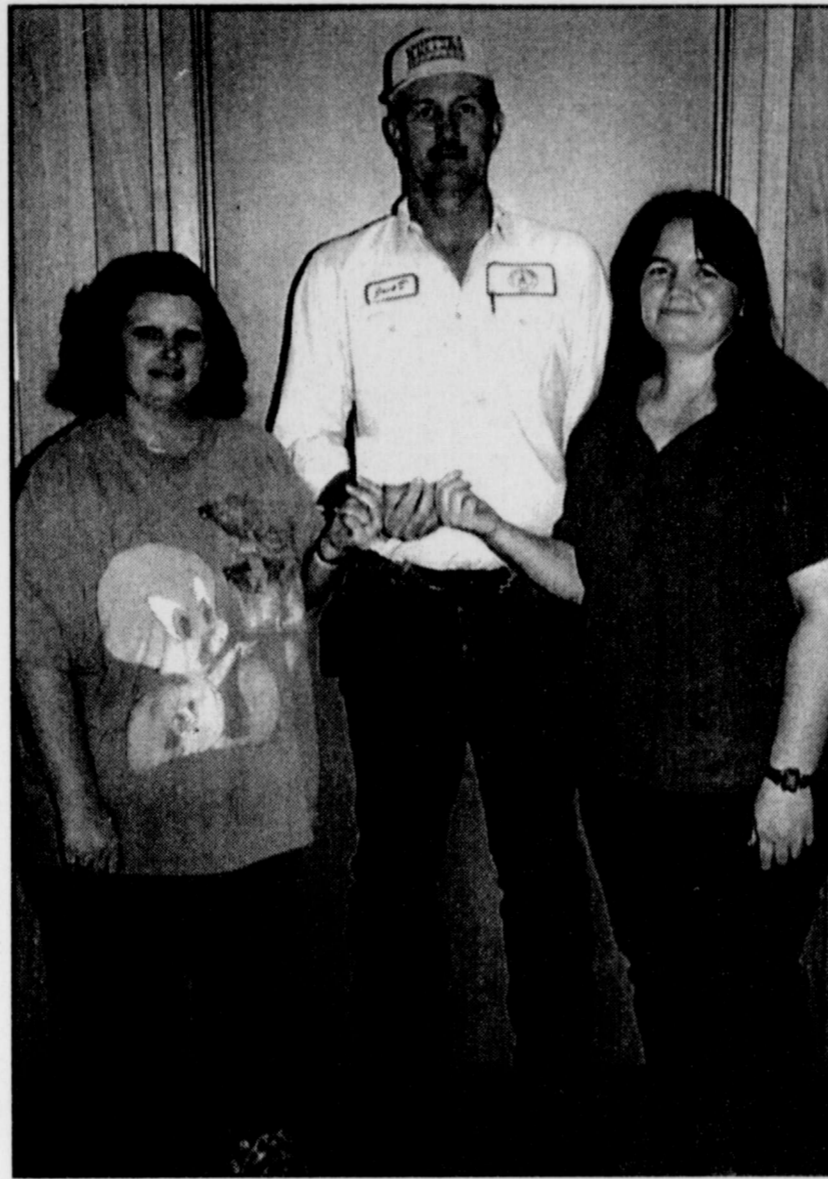
\* observed a Chevy pickup driving north in the southbound lane of N. Main Street. The driver identified himself as George Madrid of Dallas, but displayed a fake Texas I.D. card which read "novelty card" on the bottom of the card. The driver was subsequently identified as George Zapata, a 23-year-old male from Mexico, and was arrested for driving without a license. Further investigation is being done to confirm if Mr. Zapata is illegally in the United States.

\* observed a 1998 Isuzu pass the officer's patrol vehicle on the right shoulder on Highway 153 east of the hospital. The vehicle was stopped and the driver, Jason Alyn Gaitz of Lubbock, was found to have an active warrant from Lubbock County for evading arrest. Mr. Gaitz was arrested for the warrant and taken to Runnels County Jail.

\* received a report of counterfeit monies being passed at a business in the 700 block of N. Main. The bill was checked and found to be counterfeit. Local vendors were notified and another counterfeit bill was located at a business in the 100 block of N. Broadway. This is under investigation with the U.S. Secret Service. No other bills have been reported within the city limits as of November 14.

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 Crimestoppers tip, call your local law enforcement agency at:

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



WINTERS VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT CHIEF Jack Davis Jr. accepts a check in the amount of \$1,000 from WVFD Auxiliary members (left) Trisha Jackson and Pam Cravens. The auxiliary raised the money from their Chicken Fried Steak Dinner last month. The funds will be used to purchase needed fire fighting equipment for the department including hoses, breathing apparatus, bunker gear, and helmets.

## Crews News

By Hilda Kurtz



Hilda Kurtz

This is a story about four people named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody, and Nobody. There was an important job to be done and Everybody was sure Somebody would do it, but Nobody did it. Somebody got angry about that because after all it was Everybody's job. Everybody thought Anybody could do it but Nobody realized that Anybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have done.

Those attending W.M.U. on Monday morning were Fairy Alcorn, Melvena Gerhart, Vivian Talbot, Selma Wilkerson, Ramona Akins, Carolyn Webb, and Nila Osborne.

Would you like to volunteer to be a hostess for the next meeting on December 4? Please let Therin Osborn know at the gym.

Melvena Gerhart and Carolyn Webb helped Selma Wilkerson on a friendship quilt for Gene Faubion and his bride for the last of November.

Helping Stephanie McGallian celebrate her birthday Monday night with supper were Nila and Therin Osborne and Louise Osborne. There may have been a few more, but I didn't get their names. Supper was at her parents, Karen and John of Wingate.

Bro. Farris and Ramona of Ballinger enjoyed Sunday lunch with Carolyn Webb after church services.

Carolyn Webb carried her sister-in-law Lynda Webb of Hords Creek Lake to Abilene and her doctor. On Monday Carolyn Webb, Selma, and Melvena Gerhart attended the Baptist Association in Bronte at the Baptist Church on Tuesday.

Doris Wood spent the past weekend in Fort Worth with her two sisters Louise Walters and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradley. She also visited an old time friend who is ill.

Lynn and Carrol Faubion of Forth Worth and Jr. Pape of Santa Anna visited with Harvey Mae and Noble Faubion during the week.

Dennis, Audine, and Roy McBeth watched the Winters boys win over Troy at the ballgame in Brownwood.

I received a phone call from a

lady, Riza Gratiuto, who is staying with Hallie Sims and works at North Runnels Hospital in Winters. She reads the Crews News and has a dear friend Reyla Rivere from the Phillipines, who is now in Hawaii and is engaged to Gene Faubion, Harvey Mae and Noble Faubion's grandson.

Also Eileen Cartwright and Bernice McCoy of Abilene attended a wedding shower Friday night at the North Runnels Hospital in Winters for Reyla and Gene who will be married the last of November. Gene is stationed in Hawaii for two more years.

Coleman Foreman is doing okay after hurting his shoulder in a fall. He went to see Ramona Sunday after church and then went to eat out at the nursing home.

Margie Jacob visited with Thelma Hoppe on Wednesday afternoon.

Brad VanZandt returned home after spending a week with his Aunt Brenda and friends in Midland.

Sharon and Jerry Engler of Brownwood dropped by Margie Jacob's on Sunday after the Rowena Festival. Beverly VanZandt also came by.

Bernard Button from San Antonio called Margie Jacob on Friday morning to let her know that cousin Dorothy Lundelius' husband of Houston had passed away.

Wednesday night Dale and Linda Duggan fixed supper for Wile and Leslie Duggan, Kyle and Katy Grigsby, Amy, Brandon, and Susan Mansell and Becky Brown came for homemade ice cream after the supper.

Celebrating Frances Brown's birthday in San Angelo Monday were Elwood and Becky Brown and Susan and Linda.

The Crews Community wishes to extend a hearty thank you to all of the contributors who made this year's Halloween Carnival auction so successful. They are: Busy "B" Cleaners, Blackwood Interior Design and Services, Bahlman Jewelers, The Winters Enterprise, Alderman-Cave Feeds, Bob Loyd LP Gas Company, Milton's Auto Supply, Pioneer Vet Clinic, Your Hair Place, Heidenheimer's, Winters Flower Shop, and Spill's.

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## Official Records

### County Court Dispositions

Samuel F. Nelson, speeding (appealed from Justice of the Peace Precinct 2), dismissed, insufficient evidence

### Criminal Cases Filed

November 4  
Misty Michelle Rodriguez, filed for driving while license suspended

### November 8

Jason Eric Ventress, filed for assault

### November 9

Lionor Martinez Jaso, filed for criminal mischief

Charlie Jackson Page, filed for criminal mischief

### November 10

Magdeleno Medina Jr., filed for evading detention

### District Court

### Divorces Granted

November 8  
Margarito F. Albarado and Cynthia Alicia Albarado

### Divorces Filed

November 12  
Gary Eldon Southard and Cathy Joyce Southard

James Edward McDaniel and Elaine Francis McDaniel

### Civil Cases Filed

November 8  
Charles Nord vs. William A. Pollan, M.D., suit for damages

Sears, Roebuck, & Co. vs. Joe P. Way, suit on account

### Justice of the Peace Precinct 1 Civil Cases Filed

### November 3

Texas Department of Public Safety vs. Carlos Javier Correa Jr., administrative hearing, affirmed finding for the state

### Small Claims Court

### November 8

Clifford & Dawn Fornier vs. Alfredo C. Leal, suit for breach of contract and damages

### November 9

Lupe S. Garcia vs. Kyle Schraer, suit for damage to pickup

### Felony Cases Filed

### November 9

Charles Lynn Wilson, filed for three counts of endangering a child

### Criminal Cases Filed

### September 13

Randall Gooding, filed for Class C assault

### October 10

Patrick Timothy Frerich, filed for minor in possession of alcohol

### October 30

Roger Daniel Woods, filed for minor consumption of alcohol

### November 6

Justin Trejo, filed for minor in possession of alcohol

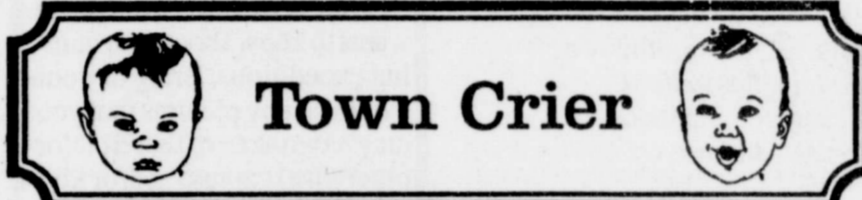
Magdeleno Medina, filed for minor in possession of alcohol

### November 7

Jathan Stracener, filed for improperly tagged buck deer

### November 8

Moses Duarte Jr., filed for minor in possession of alcohol



## Town Crier

### Jace Michael King

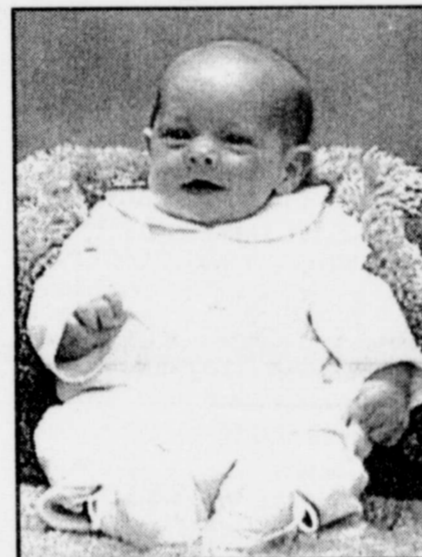
Jace Michael King was born Tuesday, September 28, 1999, at San Angelo Community Hospital to Phil and Sandy King of Ballinger. He weighed 6 pounds and 12 ounces and was 19-3/4 inches long.

He is welcomed home by his brother, John King (13) and four sisters, Misty King (12), Jami Owen (12), Tara King (10), and Kalee Owen (8), all of Ballinger.

Paternal grandparents are Jimmy and Mildred Tabor of Miles.

Maternal grandparents are Bob Thomasson of Winters and Jerrell and Shirley Walker of Wingate.

Paternal great-grandparents are the late E. L. and Florene Campbell and the late Homer and



Trudy King. Maternal great-grandparents are Jewel Thomasson of Ballinger and Bernice Ferguson of Burleson.

## What's in store for Texas agriculture in 2000?

Although most crop yields don't look bad, commodity prices are down. Rain isn't falling and weather prognosticators are calling for another drought. What does that spell for Texas agriculture in the year 2000? What will Texas' 2000 winter wheat crop look like?

Texas Agricultural Statistics Service (TASS), a part of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), will answer those questions with their end-of-year crop estimates for 1999 and beginning of season forecasts for 2000. TASS representatives will begin contacting farmers and ranchers on November 22 to collect the crop and livestock data used in the estimating process.

With each new crop season, speculation abounds. Agricultural

producers are the main source of the facts needed to assess the outcome of the past season and provide clear indications for the coming season. NASS estimates are widely used by producers, industry analysts, farm organizations, extension agents and others in making production, marketing and investment decisions. Lawmakers also rely on these unbiased estimates as they outline farm programs and request or issue disaster declarations.

"TASS safeguards the confidentiality of all survey responses," State Statistician Robin Roark promises. "Information from all of the individual operations is combined to provide the indications we need to provide meaningful, accurate and objective statistics that help keep U.S. agriculture informed."

## Call report of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department

Members of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department responded to 38 emergency calls between mid-April and the end of September and 5 calls during the month of October as reported by Rodrick Bredemeyer, recording secretary for WVFD:

Oct. 12	100 block of S. Melwood. Elevator leg on fire—3 emergency vehicles.
Oct. 22	4:15 p.m. 1 mile south of Winter on Hwy 83. Grass fire—1 truck
Oct. 24	4:40 p.m. 400 block of Meeks. Smoke in house—4 emergency vehicles
Oct. 29	4:50 p.m. 8 miles east of Winters on Hwy 153. Grass fire and hay stack lot fire—3 emergency vehicles.
Oct. 30	6:50 a.m. 6 miles southeast of Winters. Car fire—2 trucks

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## Winters exhibitors have good day at Early FFA Livestock Jackpot Show

Twenty-four Winters FFA and 4-H exhibitors fared well in stock show competition last weekend at the Early FFA Jackpot Show in Brownwood.

Jarrett Gerhart swept a majority of the Breeding Sheep awards finishing as Reserve Supreme Champion with a Suffolk ewe lamb. Dalton Shackelford exhibited the Champion Southdown Market Lamb.

John Heathcott showed the Reserve Champion Duroc in Market Swine competition. Mandy Pritchard took Reserve Champion English Heifer honors with her shorthorn heifer.

Results for local exhibitors are as follows:

### BREEDING SHEEP

Jarrett Gerhart  
Reserve Supreme Champion

1st, Aged Delaine Ewe  
1st, Suffolk Ewe  
1st, Dorset Buck  
3rd, Dorset Ewe  
1st, Suffolk Ram  
1st, Suffolk Aged Ram  
1st, Dorset Ewe  
Dalton Shackelford  
1st, Southdown Ewe

### MARKET LAMBS

Georgetta Horton  
5th, Lt. Wt. Finewool  
3rd, Hvy. Wt. Medium Wool  
Charlotte Horton  
5th, Lt. Wt. Cross  
Virgil Horton  
5th, Lt. Wt. Medium Wool  
Michelle Walden  
6th Hvy. Wt. Medium Wool  
Coltyn Pritchard  
5th, Med. Wt. Cross  
7th, Lt. Wt. Medium Wool

Devon Shackelford  
2nd, Lt. Wt. Southdown  
Dalton Shackelford  
Champion Southdown  
1st, Southdown

### MARKET GOATS

Lela Christa

### MARKET SWINE

Wiley Guy  
Clint Schwartz  
Maegan Schwartz  
John Heathcott  
Reserve Champion Duroc  
1st, Lt. Wt. Duroc  
2nd, Class 2, Cross  
4th, Lt. Wt. Spot  
7th, Lt. Wt. Spot  
7th, Class 2, Hampshire  
Robby Heathcott  
1st, White OPB  
1st, Chester  
5th, Hvy. Wt. Yorkshire  
2nd, Hvy. Wt. Spot  
4th, Class 2, Hampshire  
2nd, Class 4, Hampshire  
2nd, Class 1, Cros

### HEIFERS

Camille Kruse  
2nd, Class 1 English  
Briana Mesey  
3rd, Class 1 English  
Mandy Pritchard  
Reserve Champion English  
2nd, Class 2 English  
Colby Pritchard  
3rd, Class 2 English  
Jeffrey Jordan  
4th, Class 2 English  
Cody Pritchard  
1st, Class 3 English  
Trenton Grohman  
2nd, Class 1 European  
Ryan Bland  
1st, Class 1 European  
Travis Grohman  
4th, Class 2 European

### STEERS

Jeffrey Jordan  
3rd, Lt. Wt. English  
Cody Pritchard  
3rd, Hvy. Wt. American  
5th, Lt. Wt. European  
Colby Pritchard  
4th, Lt. Wt. European  
J.T. Davis  
3rd, Lt. Wt. European  
Dalton Shackelford  
3rd, Med. Wt. European

## Christmas in Miles to be held Nov. 27 & 28

The fourth annual Christmas in Miles will be held Saturday, November 27, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, November 28, from 12 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Weatherly Hall in downtown Miles.

Arts and crafts, glassware, leathersgoods, wooden carvings, candles, wreaths, Christmas ornaments, food items, and baked goods are some of the items that will be available. Downtown businesses featuring clothes, crafts, jewelry, and antiques will also be open.

For more information contact Jane Jeschke at 468-3841 or Janice Burrus at 468-3673.

## Attention: Hunters

The Winters Enterprise wants to know about your hunting expeditions. Bring us your story and any pictures that you may have taken of that BIG (or otherwise) capture and/or kill.

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Deadline is noon Monday for publication the following Thursday.

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## Commissioners adopt water hauling policy, hear census plans

Bill Speegle of the Bureau of the Census told Runnels County Commissioners on Tuesday, "We need your help in getting a complete and accurate count for the Census 2000." Commissioners met for a special meeting on Tuesday morning and Speegle made a presentation outlining the Census 2000 process.

Speegle told commissioners it is especially important in small population counties such as Runnels to get an accurate count, "because it means a lot in money for government programs and schools, as well as representation in government." He said because a lot of the population has shifted to east of Interstate 35, West Texas must have everyone counted to keep from losing more than their share of those government funds.

The census forms will be mailed for count to take place on April 1. One address out of six will receive the long form, he said. "It is extremely important for the forms to be returned, in fact, it is the law," he said. Speegle said the return rate in 1990 was about 70%, which means 30% had to be followed up. "The Census Bureau just does not have the manpower to do that kind of follow-up, even though we will increase the number of employees by just about 800,000 people nationwide for the Census 2000 effort."

"We need your help in getting an accurate count made in Runnels County," Speegle told com-

missioners.

Other business and action included:

- Approval was given for an amendment to the Community Care for the Aged and Disabled Contract for Home Delivered Meals, with a 66 meal increase and \$170.28 increase in funds.

- Approved a plat dividing a tract of land on Country Club Road.

- Adopted a revised, written water hauling policy for the county. The policy applies to only household use water.

The policy is as follows:

*The Commissioner of each Precinct may haul water for household use. Such water is not recommended for use as drinking water. Water will be unloaded in one location only. Each Commissioner will determine the day(s) of the week that water will be hauled. A reasonable fee will be charged for each load of water hauled.*

*Water will not be hauled for livestock water except in extreme temporary emergencies. Runnels County assumes no liability for the quality of the water or any damages resulting from the use of such water.*

*Additional stipulation may be included in individual precinct guideline. Water will be delivered within the boundaries of Runnels County only. Exceptions can be made in the event of assistance to fire departments.*

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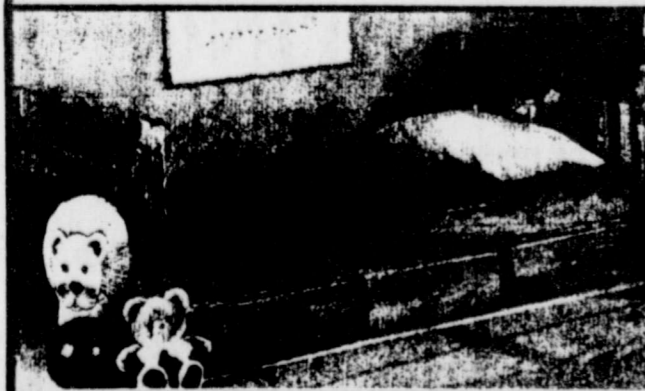
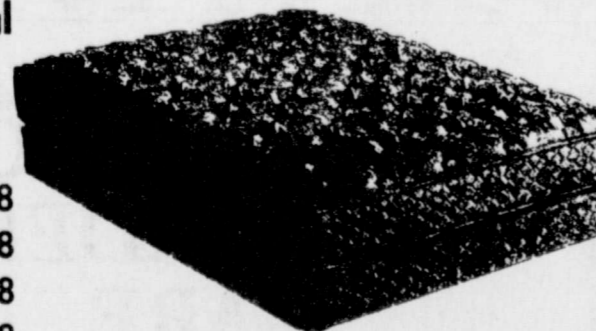
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## Winters brothers earn reserve champion honors at Runnels County 4-H Food Show

The Runnels County 4-H Food Show was held Saturday, November 6, in Rowena, at St. Joseph's Parish Hall. Sixty-two (62) 4-H club members competed for top honors, according to Patricia Hohensee, County Extension Agent-FCS.

Judges for the Food Show included Jill Halfmann, Angel Cervenko, Roxanne Bowman, Paige Cates, Janet Cason, Ann Strube, Robyn Rose, Elizabeth Chant, Becky Smetana, and Kim Jansa.

Champions and Reserve Champions were announced in each age division and food category.

First American Bank provided awards in the Main Dish category. Fruit and Vegetable category awards were provided by West Texas Utilities, while Bread and Cereal category awards were provided by Runnels County Farm Bureau. Ballinger National Bank provided awards to the Snacks and Dessert category. Winners were as follows:

### Junior Main Dish

Champion Kali Soderwall  
Reserve Lori Book  
Hon. Men. Rahegyn Franke

### Intermediate Main Dish

Champion Meagan Minzenmayer  
Reserve Kimberly Gamble

### Senior Main Dish

Champion Laura Pospichal  
Reserve Thomas Moeller

### Jr. Fruits & Vegetables

Champion Brittany Rathmell  
Reserve Sara Schwertner

Hon. Men. Karla Glass

### Int. Fruits & Vegetables

Champion Amber Glass

### Sr. Fruits & Vegetables

Champion Kelly Travis  
Co-Reserve Raline Watson  
Co-Reserve Melissa Dickson

### Jr. Breads & Cereals

Champion Elayne Simpson  
Reserve Shelly Overgard  
Hon. Men. Brooke Hoelscher

### Int. Breads & Cereals

Champion Amy Schwertner  
Reserve Stacy King

### Senior Breads & Cereals

Champion Holly Englert  
Reserve Jessica Halfmann

### Jr. Snacks & Desserts

Champion Tracy Glass  
Reserve Trenton Grohman

Hon. Men. Lane Meredith

### Int. Snacks & Desserts

Champion Ashley McCoy

### Senior Snacks & Desserts

Champion Evan Heinze  
Reserve Travis Grohman

Additional recognition was given to 4-H'ers who excelled in planning a balanced creative menu. They are Brittany Rathmell, Jodi Wanoreck, Megan Riddle, Lori Book, Sara Schwertner, and Devin Burleson.

Special recognition was given to 4-H'ers with the Best Project Record Forms. They are Jacob Lange, Stacy King, Melissa Dickson, and Seth Riddle.

Various commodity awards and certificates were presented by Runnels County Farm Bureau and local producers.

Recipients of the Beef Commodity Awards were Megan Minzenmayer, Corey Houston, Rahegyn Franke, Thomas Moeller, and Laura Pospichal.

Receiving the Pork Commodity Awards were Scott Bryan, Alisha Multer, Evan Heinze, and Jennifer Englert.

Receiving Poultry Commodity Award was Kimberly Gamble. Dairy Awards went to Kiera Soderwall, Laryn Hohensee, Morgan Halfmann, Ashley McCoy,

Kelly Travis, Savannah Kirk, and Amber Glass while Foreign Food Awards went to Ashley Collins and Kali Soderwall.

Elaine Simpson, Trenton Grohman, Amy Schwertner, and Jessica Halfmann were each presented Wheat Awards. Scratch Baking Awards were presented to Ashley Laird and Johanna Lange.

Receiving the High Nutrition awards were Jessica Willingham, Candice Legg, Tucker Travis, and Kayla Franke while Special Occasion Awards were presented to Amy Walker, Eryn Belk, Lane Meredith, Meagan Willingham, Raline Watson, and Ashton Pope.

Creative Use of Fruit Awards went to Karla Glass, Kevin Book, Andrew Fant, Hunter Granzin, Courtney Houston, Travis Grohman, and Mandy Jost.

The Best Use of Spices Awards went to Ryan West, Shelly Overgard, Cory Book, Lindsey Coit, Brooke Hoelscher, Holly Englert, Lauren Book, and Tracy Glass.

A new competition was added for educational food exhibits. Winning the lone award was Shelly Overgard.

Other donors for the Food Show were Adams Extract Company, Runnels County Family and Community Education Council, Shoppin' Basket, Dankworth Packing, Lawrence Bro., Miles Locker Plant, Buddy's Plants Plus, Ballinger Short Stop, Jeweled Sampler Tea Room Shops, Main Street Market Soda Fountain, and TNT Video.

Special thanks to First National Bank of Ballinger for printing the 1999 Food Show Cookbook. A few books are still available for a \$2 fee at the County Extension Office.

The champions in each age group will advance to district competition in Abilene on Saturday, November 20.



SENIOR CHAMPIONS at the 4-H Food Show were, front row, from left, Laura Pospichal, Kelly Travis, Holly Englert and Evan Heinze. Reserve champions named were Melissa Dickson, Jessica Halfmann, Travis Grohman and Raline Watson.



JUNIOR CHAMPION and Reserve Champions at the 4-H Food Show were, front row, from left, Kali Soderwall, Brittany Rathmell, Elayne Simpson and Tracy Glass. Back row, Lori Book, Rahegyn Franke, Sara Schwertner, Karla Glass, Shelly Overgard, Brooke Hoelscher, Trenton Grohman and Lane Meredith.

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