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NEWS at a glance

Pearls of Wisdom—
An infallible way to make your child miserable is to satisfy all of his demands.

VOTE!!

Candidates for the Winters Independent School District Board of Trustees have submitted biographies for consideration for the May 4 election.

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Ripple awarded scholarship

Susan Ripple has been awarded a \$1,500 Wells Fargo Scholarship for efforts and achievements at Angelo State University.

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NHS cleans the highways

Winters High School members of the National Honor Society picked up over 1,815 gallons of trash on a two mile stretch of highway last week.

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Two WHS athletes statebound

Photos from the 2002 Region II-2A Track Championships are featured, including state qualifiers Rusty Jackson and Laci Walker.

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Mayfest Schedule

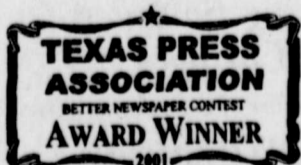
A complete listing of Mayfest events, vendors, and booths is posted. Mayfest is Saturday, May 4 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Mayfest Softball tournament will begin on Friday night and conclude sometime Saturday evening.

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Ag Talk...

Congressman Charles Stenholm is pleased to announce that the House and Senate have finally agreed upon a six year farm bill package.

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Annual Mayfest celebration this Saturday in City Park

Once again it's time for Mayfest fun!

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce will host its 18th Mayfest celebration on Saturday, May 4, in the City Park and Community Center.

Mayfest began in Winters in 1984 under the leadership of Chamber of Commerce President Randall Boles and board member Kenneth Slimp. Slimp suggested the event after attending a similar celebration in Dallas.

The purpose is to provide

the opportunity for local service and non-profit organizations to raise money as well as bring people from outside of Winters to the town.

Today Mayfest has expanded to include craftsmen and vendors from outside of Winters, horseback riding, a co-ed softball tournament, and a basketball tournament.

Live entertainment is always a highlight of the festivities. This year's performers include Karen Heart, Lola Scott, Heart Cry, The Dog House

Band, and Bitter Creek.

There will be games in the park for kids of all ages including the 3-legged race and egg toss. The VFW will sponsor a balloon and dart throwing game. Boone Feed & Tack of Ballinger will provide horse rides.

Approximately twenty teams are expected to play in the co-ed softball tournament scheduled to begin on Friday night and continuing through Saturday. Trophies and t-shirts will be awarded to the top three

teams.

Food will be plentiful in the park on Saturday as members of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department will serve their famous hamburgers and french fries. The American Legion and Ladies Auxiliary will be selling beans, cornbread and smoothies. The Knights of Columbus will serve chaluas and the Pioneer Church of God will have baked goods. Other foods available will include funnel cakes, corn dogs, curly fries, cheese on a stick, cara-

mel apples, BBQ sandwiches, nachos, drinks and more.

Over 25 vendors have registered to display their wares with a variety of arts and crafts.

Make plans now to spend Saturday in Ted Meyer Park, and enjoy a day of fun while supporting the Chamber of Commerce.

A complete schedule of events may be found on page 6 in this edition.

For more information, call the Chamber at 754-5210 or e-mail wacc@wcc.net.



CINDY STENHOLM (center), wife of Congressman Charlie Stenholm, was the keynote speaker and entertainment at the annual Winters Woman's Club Ladies Night Out on April 25. Club President Phyllis Boles (right), introduced Mrs. Stenholm as well as Paige O'Dell, an aide to the Congressman. Approximately 200 guests attended the "Texas in Washington" program held at Jones Hall of First Baptist Church.

School, city elections Saturday, May 4

On Saturday, May 4, voters will be privileged to elect representatives of the City Council as well as Trustees for the Winters Independent School District.

In the school board race, incumbent Jerry Sims will face challenger Rodrick Brede-meyer for Place 6 At-Large, incumbent Gary Moore will be challenged by Shelia Paschal for Place 5, and incumbent Jack Davis, Jr., is opposed by Manuel Vera in Place 2. Trustees serve three-year terms. Biographies are found on page 3.

In the race for City Council which is a two-year term, K. W. Cook is challenging incumbent Jimmy Butler of District 5. Incumbents Mike Meyer, District 2, and Steve Esquivel, District 4, are running unopposed.

Voters in both elections may cast their ballots at the Winters Elementary School Library. Polls will be open Saturday, May 4, from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

With four seats expiring on the Board of Trustees of North Runnels Hospital, and four individuals willing to fill these positions, no election will be needed for NRH.

Incumbents Jack Davis, Jr. and Roger Kruse will serve another term. Shirley Hall and Dawn Killough will fill seats vacated by Tobin Burns and Carla Harris.



New postal rates effective June 30, 2002

The Governors of the Postal Service voted to accept the Postal Rate Commission's (PRC) recommendation for a 3-cent increase in the price of a first-class stamp as part of an overall rate increase of 7.7 percent. The new rates will take effect June 30, 2002.

While postage for the first ounce of a first-class letter rises to 37¢, the cost of the second ounce remains the same at 23¢. Customers who mail first-class mail parcels will now be able to buy Delivery Confirmation or Signature Confirmation. Post cards will cost 23¢.

Priority mail will have a new 1-pound flat rate at \$3.85. Postage for heavier pieces will vary by zone. An 8-ounce flat rate Express Mail letter will be \$13.65. Post office box fee changes will vary depending on the location of the office, with increases at some office and decreases at others. Certified mail will cost \$2.30 and will include Internet access to Delivery Confirmation. The charge for a return receipt will be \$1.75. COD fees will not change.

This rate change came through an unprecedented settlement between the Postal Service and the mailing industry which allowed the PRC to expedite the case.

Editor's Note: The above article is a reprint from "Memo to Mailers," United States Postal Service, Volume 37, Number 4, April 2002.



PUMPER RACE WINNERS at the Hill Country Firemen's Association Spring Convention are (from left) Vera Jackson, Debbie Lange, Trish Jackson, Teresa Davis (kneeling), Jackie Ozbirn, and Mildred Doty. The ladies brought home a first place team finish with a time of 24.23 seconds. Members also won three 2nd places in other races.

WVFD Ladies Auxiliary wins pumper races at Hill Country Firemen's Association Spring Convention

The Winters Volunteer Firemen and Ladies Auxiliary attended the Hill Country Firemen's Association Spring Convention held Saturday, April 6, 2002, in Eldorado.

The firemen's business meeting began during the morning session and resumed after lunch. The ladies attended the Auxiliary luncheon and business meeting.

Pumper races were held immediately following the firemen's afternoon business meeting. Both men's and women's teams from Winters participated in the races.

Chuck Cravens and Chris Ozbirn were participants in the men's water polo. The men's pumper team consisted of Victor Santoya, James Lange, Jeremy Shields, Curtis Jackson, Chuck Cravens, and Kenneth

Doty. Jeremy Shields, Victor Santoya, and Chuck Cravens participated in the three-man race. The one-man race was won by Kenneth Doty.

Vera Jackson and Jackie Ozbirn won 2nd place in the women's water polo racing. The ladies pumper team of Debbie Lange, Teresa Davis, Trish Jackson, Mildred Doty, Vera Jackson, and Jackie

County resident pleads guilty on two drug charges

Manufacturing a controlled substance

Friday morning, April 19, the Runnels County Sheriff's Department, Texas Highway Patrolman Jeff Aycock and Billy Blume of the Regional Drug Task Force raided a drug lab in Maverick.

Sheriff Bill Baird reported that John Lee, age 37 from Maverick and Brandi Fisher, age 25, were arrested on the charges of manufacturing a controlled substance.

John Lee was arraigned with no bail and Fisher's bail

See DRUG BUST, pg. 6

Swimming pool will open

In spite of the drought, the community of Winters will hopefully be able to enjoy splashing in cool water at the city pool again this summer.

During the regular meeting of the Winters City Council Monday evening, Councilmen heard a presentation by Dane Bishop and his daughter, Staci. The Bishops told the Council they were overseeing the procurement of water to fill the city pool. The Council voted to open the pool by May 25, if repairs can be completed and water secured.

In other action on April 29, the Council voted to approve the proposed agreement for See COUNCIL, page 8

Opinion

Oil Bidness

by Reg Boles ©2002



Last time, we covered some facts about the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR) debate to provide a basis for discussion this time around.

ANWR drilling was voted down by the Senate earlier this month. While the matter can be reconsidered at any time by Congress, it is likely to lay dormant until, at least, after the elections this fall.

Those *against* drilling lay claim to the environmental high ground, saying that any development or exploration would damage this pristine environment. They cite the probability that this is the last of the untouched wilderness anywhere, and it shouldn't be put at risk under any circumstances.

Those *for* drilling deny that exploration and development will harm the environment to any measurable extent, pointing to the strong track record of exploration and production being environmentally benign (particularly onshore). All notable spills or other damage has been in transportation (tankers, pipelines, etc.). They also call into question whether the area called "pristine" is actually much of a visual treasure, being at such a northern extreme.

There are also several other arguments for and against. But, here is how a disinterested party (not that I am one) might look at it:

Are the costs worth the benefits?

Costs: moving people and machinery into areas where they haven't been previously; displacing some wildlife from a certain area; destroying some foliage or tundra that may or may not grow back; and, risking some spill of hydrocarbons.

Benefits: providing more domestic oil production; creating jobs for native peoples and others; and, increasing tax dollars collected into the treasury.

Let's examine this more closely, shall we?

Is there something intrinsically bad in taking people and machinery into areas where they have never been? "Maybe", is the most objective answer. While man has spoiled the earth in many places

through thoughtless treatment of the earth and its creatures, this doesn't necessarily happen every place man happens to be. Look at the rest of Alaska, for instance. It has maintained itself as an attraction of unspoiled frontier despite 20+ years of oil exploration and production. (Remember, the Valdez was a transportation problem that will remain a risk whether or not ANWR is opened.)

Some wildlife and foliage may be displaced (in the case of wildlife) or destroyed (in the case of foliage or tundra). But, it has not proven to be a problem over the long run for the rest of the North Slope, as Caribou herds have increased and plant life has thrived.

The risk of a spill is there, but is not likely in the production lines where the development will take place. It is more likely to occur along the Trans-Alaska pipeline or at the outlet, which will not change whether or not ANWR is drilled and developed. Where it has happened in the production facilities, the volumes have been small and the clean-up is quick.

Next time, we talk about the benefits of drilling in ANWR. Ultimately, we hope to set the stage for discussion of the consequences of the Senate decision not to drill in ANWR.

HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

COMPLETIONS

None This Week

STAKINGS

Concho County

LeClair Operating has staked the Winnie #2 as a Wildcat, 2 miles W of Millersview (Depth 1500). Loc. is 1127 FSL & 1543 FEL of Sec. 95, Blk. 71, H&GN Sur., A-497.

Taylor County

LCS Production has staked the Pape #1 in the East Merkel Field, 2 miles SE of Merkel (Depth 4000). Loc. is 1140 FNWL & 1020 FNEL of Lot 11, Lge. 147, Grimes CSL Sur., A-73.

Letter to the Editor

Former carrier gives explanation

To Abilene Reporter News Customers
Dear Editor,

I delivered the *Abilene Reporter News* to the customers in Winters for over five years and did so during all kinds of weather and in sickness and health. As many of you know, I have stopped delivering your paper...April 7 was my last day. Since then many have wondered what happened to me, where their papers were, and other questions that I will attempt to answer in this letter.

Over the weekend, there was a letter from a Faye Valenzuela stating that she and the new carrier were trying to clean up the paper route that I had left them. Also in the letter there was a statement that said that I never turned in the payments sent to me. That, my dear former customers, is a lie! On April 23, I turned in the payments that I never cashed to the *Abilene Reporter News*. I held those payments in order to get the money that Ms. Valenzuela promised me if I would keep throwing the route after I had already quit. For example, March 15 was to be my last day.

She hired another carrier who quit on the 16th. I threw your papers after he quit and later in the day Ms. Valenzuela called me on the phone and offered me \$100 to throw the route on Sunday the 17th. I agreed if she would have those papers inserted because, as you may or may not know, the carrier has to insert all of the advertisements that come in the Sunday paper. From then, I faithfully threw your papers through the 7th of April. She then hired the same carrier back who had quit after the first day.

On that day, I gave Ms. Valenzuela a computer printout of the customers who sent me payments and also listed if they were for March, April, or any month from the past or future. Also, on this paper was a note from me to Ms. Valenzuela and two of her bosses in Abilene, stating why I was holding the checks in my possession until I got a check from them for my services.

This letter was in a sealed envelope addressed to all three. She opened it in front of me and said that she would take care of it. Today I find out that she never turned the list in to management or to her bosses.

The lost money means nothing to me. What matters to me is that the people of Winters know that I did not take your money and neither did my brother who has faithfully helped me with the paper route for four years. Most people in town know us and know that we would never intentionally cheat anyone.

If you are a former customer and paid your bill, you got a paper. If you did not pay your bill, you did not get a paper and if we accidentally missed your paper by mistake we would do our best to get you one delivered to your house if you would only call us.

So the intention of writing this letter is to clear my and my brother's name (and incidentally, my brother had nothing to do with the billing of your paper payments) and to let everyone know that we did the best that we could for these years that I had the paper route.

My final word is to take the *SAN ANGELO STANDARD TIMES*...same news, same company, but run by a much better group of people.

Also, I would like to thank several of the people in town who have voiced their support and concern for my brother and me during these past few weeks.

Thanks for reading,
Marwin Miller

Obituary

Evelyn H. Simmons

SAN ANGELO—Evelyn H. Simmons, 80, died Saturday, April 20, 2002, in Angelo Community Hospital.

She was born September 19, 1921, to Norman and Evie Ferrell Harris in Cairo, Georgia. She married Jay Simmons on August 21, 1946, in Cairo. She moved to Texas in 1954 and was a longtime resident of Winters. She had been in San Angelo since 1996.

Mrs. Simmons was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church in Winters.

She was preceded in death by her husband on January 5, 1978.

Survivors include one daughter, Jo Nell Harlow and her husband, David, of San Angelo; one brother, Freeman Walden of Cairo, Georgia; and one sister, Myrtle Hasle of Jacksonville, Florida.

Graveside services were at 3:00 p.m., Monday, April 22, in Valera with Tom Martin officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Johnson's Funeral Home of San Angelo.

Bill Shoemake

COMMERCE—Bill Thomas (B.T.) Shoemake, 82, died Monday, April 29, 2002, in the Presbyterian Hospital of Commerce.

He was born August 6, 1919 in Commerce to Edward Daniel and Nancy Altie McGee Shoemake. He married Velma Golden February 22, 1941 in Commerce.

Mr. Shoemake was a retired Baptist minister and a member of the First Baptist Church of Commerce.

He was preceded in death by four sisters and three brothers. Survivors include three sons, Bill and Lu Shoemake of Abilene, Bob and Diane Shoemake of Richmond, Virginia, and Ben and Gail Shoemake of Amarillo; one daughter, Betty and Jimmy Johnson of Plano; nine grandchildren; and thirteen great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 1, 2002 at the First Baptist Church of Commerce, with Reverend Johnnie Henderson officiating. Burial followed in the Rosemount Cemetery in Commerce directed by Pemberton Funeral Home in Commerce.

Mr. Shoemake's grandsons served as pallbearers and honorary pallbearers were members of his Sunday school class.

EMERGENCY HELP FROM THE FOOD PANTRY AND CLOTHES CLOSET

For help with food and clothes, the Winters Outreach Center is open from 9 a.m. to noon Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. There are no evening openings at this time.

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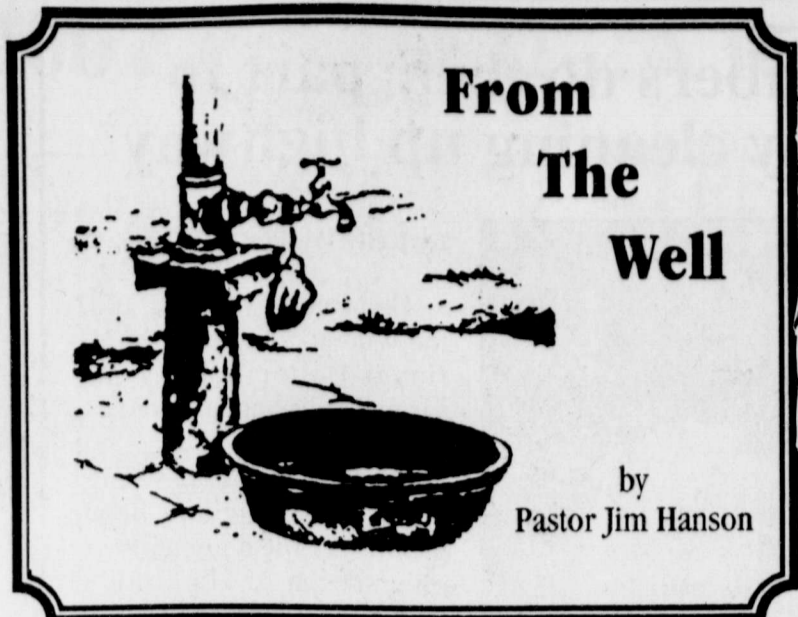
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Community



From The Well

by Pastor Jim Hanson



Pastor Jim Hanson

I had just finished last week's column on Noah when I received a neat Post-Script, A p.s. that I must pass on:

Everything I need to know about life I learned from Noah's Ark.

1. Don't miss the boat.
2. Remember we are all in the same boat.
3. Plan ahead...it wasn't raining when Noah built the Ark.
4. Stay fit. When you are 600 years old someone may ask you to do something really big.
5. Don't listen to critics. Just get on with the job that needs to be done.
6. Build your future on solid ground.
7. For safety's sake, travel in pairs.
8. Speed isn't always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs.
9. When you are stressed, float a while.
10. Remember the ark was built by amateurs...the Titanic by professionals.
11. No matter what the storm, when you are with God, there's always a rainbow waiting.

So true. Ramona and I had a kind of rainbow experience last Sunday. We had been to a church convention and were heading out for Arkansas. Ramona has a brother who lives in Bull Shoals. We started out from Dallas. And we hadn't gotten very far when we developed some kind of car trouble. We'd be sailing along just fine when we were on the open road, but when we came to a small town or city that had a stop sign or signal, we had trouble. The fool car (ark, if you will) would just die. We'd turn on the engine, and it would turn over, but when we got about halfway through the intersection, it would quit. And we'd have to crank it up again...

It was that way all afternoon. When we stopped at a roadside fruit stand to get some peaches and apples, it really did die. It wouldn't crank up again. So we called AAA. Our card says that when you have trouble in Texas, you are to call Houston. Well, we were in Oklahoma. But no matter which number we called, we got this message. "Because of the great number of calls we are receiving, we can't service you right now. But we assure you your call will be received in the order in which it arrived."

Now isn't that great? Here we are between "nowhere" and "somewhere" on Sunday afternoon, with no garages open, and just convenience stores to serve. And the day was getting on. And we weren't. So, I said, "We'll give it one more turn of the switch," and miracle of miracles...the old "ark started moving." And we got up on the highway and on our way.

The only time it stopped...running that is...was when we did pull in to a convenience store and unload and fill up with gas. Again...the fool thing quit. And again, we had to just wait until it would connect again. Which it did.

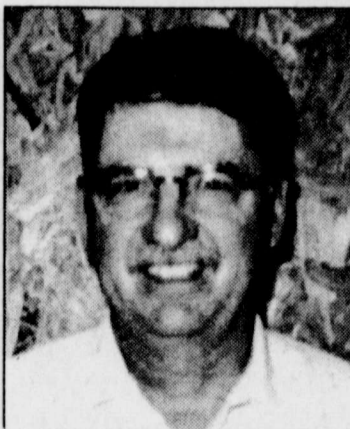
When we got to Springdale, in Arkansas, it was about 5:30 p.m. Traffic was heavy. And then came the longest drive in my life. At every stop light, and it seemed all were red, we would stop. And I would try to keep the "thing" (it's no longer an ark...it's an enemy at worst, and a quitter at best) going. But it would only get me through the intersection. Then I would have enough momentum to get the dying ark into a port (drive into a parking lot or some such uncurbed place). Finally, when we had the last gasp just prior to a large parking lot around a pizza parlor, it just gave up. Nothin happened. No spurt. No spark. No hope.

But then, a rainbow came. In two vehicles. One pickup with a black man and a blond woman and two kids. The other, a small car with a white couple. They drove over to us and asked, "Can we help you?" I said, "You sure can." They offered to help push us or take us to a motel. But then the black angel said, "Why don't you open the hood? I'm not much of a mechanic, but we just might see what is the trouble." So I did. And it wasn't long before he said, "This wire shouldn't be loose." And then he found a little pink plastic box with 2 bolts in it...that connects the battery to the "whatever" and he wiggled it some more. Then he tightened it with his fingers (the bolt, that is) and said, "Try to start it." I did. And, then the "sweetest sound this side of heaven," the engine purred. Then he went and found an old rusty pliers and tightened the bolt some more. "Be sure to have a mechanic tighten the bolt with his wrench...to make sure it doesn't get loose again."

I tried to pay him. He said, "No, sir." When I saw them walking toward the pizza place, I drove over and said, "Let me buy your pizza, please." Again, "No sir." And I said, "Thank you. God bless you." And he said, "God bless you." And flashed the biggest, fullest "rainbow smile" you have ever seen. And the old ark has had smooth sailing ever since.

We always pray for God to be with us. And protect us. And get us safely home. We believe it was no coincidence. It was an answer to our prayer. Thank God for the man He sent us as His answer.

Jerry Sims
Incumbent
Trustee Place 6, At Large
Winters ISD



I am a 1970 graduate of Winters High School. My wife Jan, a computer tech at Winters Elementary School, and I have one daughter, Jamie, a 1995 graduate of WHS and a graduate student at Texas Tech University scheduled to receive her master's degree in May 2003.

I have been employed with the United States Post Office in Winters for 25 years.

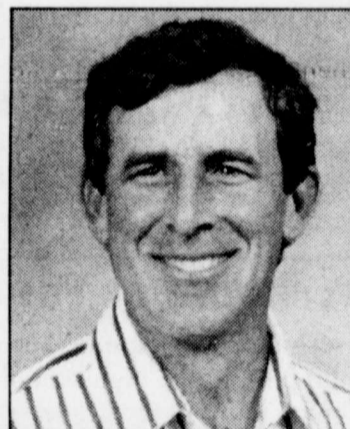
I have twelve years experience as an alderman with the Winters City Council and three years as a trustee on the Board of Directors for the Winters Independent School District. I have been a government employee for 30 years.

My goals for WISD include maintaining a balanced budget while offering the opportunity for every student to receive the best education possible. I hope that one day, the elementary, junior high, and high school will all receive an exemplary rating. I also would like all WISD schools to offer the best and most up-to-date technology for teachers and students.

WISD needs to offer more courses that will help students be more prepared for college. This can be achieved by using the distance learning lab. This lab could offer more classes not currently offered to students, such as advanced science, math, or computer classes.

I have enjoyed serving WISD for the past three years and look forward to receiving the opportunity to make WISD one of the best school districts in the state.

Rodrick Bredemeyer
Trustee Place 6, At Large
Winters ISD



I am a 1976 graduate of Winters High School. My wife Jill, a computer tech at Ballinger Junior High School, and I have been married for 22 years. We have two daughters, Lori, a 2001 graduate of WHS and freshman at Abilene Christian University, and Leah, a junior at WHS. I have been a farmer/rancher in Runnels County for over 25 years.

I have served one term on the Board of Trustees for the Winters Independent School District. I have also served on the Texas Farm Bureau Board of Directors and been involved with several other local boards and committees.

We have an excellent school system. I would like to help maintain it in its current condition.

The biggest issue with Winters and nearly all school districts is going to be cash flow. The problem with that is there are no quick fixes to take care of the situation.

I enjoyed serving on the school board before and would like to serve again. Your vote would be greatly appreciated.

Gary Moore
Incumbent
Trustee Place 5
Winters ISD



My wife Mary Ellen and I have two children and three grandchildren. I received my bachelor of business administration at McMurry University in Abilene.

I retired as business manager from West Texas Utilities after serving 30 years. I am self-employed and also currently serve as Winters City Judge and area materials representative for three companies serving Dry Manufacturing.

I want the best education our kids can get, with the best teachers, while maintaining fiscal responsibility. Declining enrollment has adversely affected the budget of WISD. As a school board member, we have been working on trying to remain solvent, while retaining our teachers and giving our kids a quality education. We must continue this quest.

I think we have the best administration and the best teachers in the state of Texas. I am proud to have been a board member the past three years.

Sheila (Mathis) Paschal
Trustee Place 5
Winters ISD



I am a 1977 graduate of Winters High School. My husband Keith graduated from WHS in 1972. We have two daughters, Michelle, a 2001 WHS graduate now attending Hardin-Simmons University, and Marci, a freshman at WHS.

We are members of First Baptist Church in Winters where I serve as a member of the Budget/Finance Committee. Currently I am a member of the North Runnels Hospital Auxiliary and the Athletic Booster Club.

I have been a member of several civic organizations over the years, such as Literary & Service Club and Women's Service League. I have also served as a Sunday School teacher, Girl Scout leader, and 4-H supervisor.

I am employed by the City of Winters as Assistant City Secretary/Tax Assessor-Collector.

During my 23 years with the City, I feel I have gained knowledge of budgeting and finance, and how a government entity works. Therefore, with this experience, I feel I could make knowledgeable decisions for our school district.

I feel Winters ISD is a good school system. My top priority will be to ensure our students continue to receive the best possible education.

With state aid decreasing, the Board of Trustees is faced with locating every resource that will keep our school functioning at its current exemplary level without sacrificing the quality of education our students deserve.

I know there are rules, regulations, and certain steps school districts must follow; therefore, I am not making any promises other than I will put careful thought and consideration into every item brought before the Winters ISD Board of Trustees. With this in mind I would appreciate the voters of District 5 to allow me to serve as their representative.

Jack Davis, Jr.
Incumbent
Trustee Place 2
Winters ISD



I have been a resident of Winters for 47 years. I am a 1973 graduate of Winters High School, married to Teresa Wright Davis who is a 1977 graduate of Winters High School. We have two children, Jennifer, a 1998 graduate of Winters High School, currently a junior at Texas Tech University, and Brandon, a junior at Winters High School. I have been employed by the City of Winters for 25 years, currently serving as Water and Waste-Water Superintendent.

Currently, I am serving my second term as a member of the Winters ISD School Board of Trustees, where I serve as vice-president. Also, I am a member of the North Runnels Hospital Board of Directors, Winters Booster Club, Winters Chamber of Commerce, Hill Country Firemen's Association, State Firemen's and Fire Marshall's Association, and the Ft. Concho Water Association. I am a past member of the North Runnels Home Health Advisory Board. I have had the honor of serving with the Winters Volunteer Fire Department for 24-1/2 years. The Fire Department has given me the honor and privilege of serving the department as fire chief at this time. I have been involved with the Winters Little League for over twenty years and also involved with the Boy Scouts.

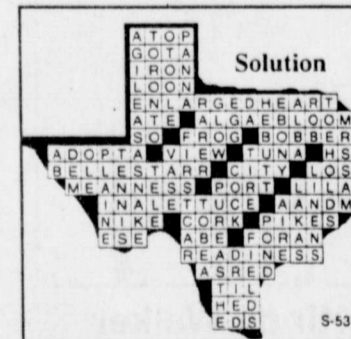
As a current member of the WISD Board of Trustees, I feel that I have the ability to look at all issues that affect our school. I have served the community as a board member for six years and have exceeded the state mandated hours for school board members. During my years with the City of Winters and Winters Fire Department, I have worked on many budgets. Balancing a budget is not always the easiest task for a board to accomplish. I feel that I have adequate experience in helping the school with budget matters and matters that affect ALL our students.

I feel that the WISD should seek out ways to keep our students in school. With the decline in enrollment, keeping our students enrolled and attending class is vital for the school system to receive as much state money as possible. Keeping our school abreast of all that is available for our students is very important.

We must keep our teachers at the top of their field, which is most important for our students. Advanced technology is of vital importance for our students. Reaching the exemplary rating and maintaining the rating for WISD is an important part of the school that we need to retain.

There is no one issue for our school system to deal with. Enrollment and budgeting are two top priorities. I want to see that ALL our students stay in school and get the best possible education they can receive. It is up to the board of trustees to see that these students receive the best with the money that is available to the school.

As a board member, I will see that the students are well represented. I am always willing to listen to anyone that may need to discuss an issue. I would appreciate the vote of all the voters of District 2.



Manuel Vera
Trustee Place 2
Winters ISD



I have lived in Winters and worked for SELKIRK-Airmate for the past 33 years. I am single and have five children, Anna, Rosalina, Susie, Dela, and Robert. I am a member of Highland Church of Christ in Abilene.

I have been very actively involved in Boy Scouts, Little League, PeeWee Basketball, PTA, and Mt. Carmel Catholic Church as a youth director and served on the Church Council. I have served on the Board of Directors for Parents Anonymous of the Big Country and was a volunteer for Hospice of the Big Country.

I have served as president of Runnels County LULAC and LULAC Council 605. In addition I was Deputy District Director for LULAC-District V and District V Representative on LULAC State Education Board.

I have been a member of the Abilene Hispanic Leadership Council and coordinator for the Festival of the Americans 2001. I have completed both the Citizen Police Academy Training and Texas Rural Leadership Training.

With the change of demographics in the Winters Independent School District, I feel that it is time for the Hispanic community to become more involved and visible in the schools and community to serve as role models for our youth and to encourage our youth to stay in school and go to college.

With the ever dropping population in school comes a decrease in federal money. If we don't do a better job of keeping our kids in school we will be facing not only an increase in property tax, but also an ability to retain and hire the top teachers needed for our kids in the future. We need to evaluate our system and become more knowledgeable in what works and what doesn't.

I see people beginning to understand they must work together to achieve not only a better community, but also a community based on mutual respect and understanding. Only through cooperation can we achieve those goals.

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Monday, May 6: Lasagna, tossed salad, green beans, garlic bread, fruit.

Tuesday, May 7: Roast, potatoes & carrots, peas, hot roll, cake.

Wednesday, May 8: Hamburger steak w/mushroom gravy, rice, beets, bread, Cherry Dump Cake.

Thursday, May 9: Tuna Salad, macaroni salad, deviled eggs, Jello salad, pie.

Friday, May 10: BBQ on a Bun, potato salad, peaches, pickles & onions, dessert.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ?

- May 2-11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 6 p.m., Chamber Directors, Chamber Office
- 6:30, GED Classes, WHS Library
- 7 p.m., Athletic Banquet, WISD Cafeteria
- May 3-11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 7:30 p.m., Cowboys for Christ, Drusco
- Chisholm Trail "Shootout", Abilene
- Junior High Awards Day
- May 4-7 a.m.-7 p.m., Elections
- 9:30 a.m., Counts Cemetery Workday
- Mayfest
- Chisholm Trail "Shootout", Abilene
- Junior, Senior Prom
- Country Club Breakfast—Cancelled
- May 5-10:30 a.m., Wingate Church of Christ Gospel Meeting
- Noon, Potluck Lunch
- 2-4 p.m., Area-wide Singing
- 5 p.m., Wingate Church of Christ Gospel Meeting
- Country Club Breakfast—Cancelled
- May 6-9 a.m.-4 p.m., WIC, Housing Authority
- 11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 7:30 p.m., Wingate Church of Christ Gospel Meeting
- 7:30 p.m., Ballinger Masonic Lodge
- May 7-9 a.m., Ministerial Alliance, WISD Cafeteria
- 11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- Noon, Lions Club, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 3 p.m., Friends of Hale Museum, The Rock Hotel
- 7 p.m., AA, FUMC
- 7 p.m., WVFD, Fire Station
- 7 p.m., American Legion, Legion Home
- May 8-7 a.m., Industrial Board, Windmill Enterprise
- 11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center

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Breakfast

Monday-May 6
Pancake Puppies
Cereal
Juice

Tuesday-May 7
Breakfast Pockets
Cereal
Juice

Wednesday-May 8
Banana Nut Muffins
Cereal
Juice

Thursday-May 9
Cinnamon Rolls
Cereal
Juice

Friday-May 10
Pop Tarts
Cereal
Juice

Lunch

Monday-May 6
Bar-B-Q Sandwich
Chips
Pickles & Onions
Corn

Monster Cookies
Tuesday-May 7
Chicken Fried Steak
Potatoes & Gravy
Green Beans
Hot Roll

Chocolate Pudding
Wednesday-May 8
Chili Dogs
French Fries
Fruit Salad

Peanut Butter Cookies
Thursday-May 9
German Sausage
Pinto Beans
Corn
Fruit
Cornbread

Cornflake Chewies
Friday-May 10
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French Fries
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Class of 1982 plans 20th reunion

The Winters High School Class of 1982 will be holding their 20th class reunion on June 29, 2002.

If you went to school with, graduated with, or know the

whereabouts of someone who was in that class, please contact Monnie Davis at (915) 754-5628 or <threedoil@aol.com> or Sherry Kurtz at (915) 754-5626 or <Kurtz@Abi.tconline.net>.

Students of the Month

Each month the junior high teachers select students from the 7th and 8th grades to be Boy and Girl of the Month. These selections are made on the basis of academics, leadership, and citizenship.



Kindy Walker
May Girl of the Month

Kindy Walker has been selected as "Girl of the Month" for May 2002. She is the daughter of Bill and Lue Walker. Kindy, 14, is in the eighth grade and enjoys math. Her honors include making the 'A' Honor Roll, getting a 7th grade basketball award, and placing in track. As a hobby, she enjoys drawing. In her spare time, she enjoys playing basketball, talking on the phone, and playing on the computer. Her duties include taking out the trash and cleaning the kitchen. Her future plans are to attend Angelo State University to become a teacher. She most admires her parents, granddad, and Aunt Connie because they've always taught her right from wrong.

Marcus Tubbs has been chosen as the "Boy of the Month" for May 2002. He is the son of Michelle Tubbs and Brad Green. Marcus, 13, is in the eighth grade and enjoys science, math, and English. His hobbies include playing basketball and football. In his spare time, he talks on the phone, chats on the computer, and plays PlayStation. His duties include washing the dishes, mowing the lawn, taking out the garbage, and washing laundry. He most admires his mom because she always been there for him.

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National Honor Society members do their part to "Keep America Beautiful" by cleaning up highway



MEMBERS OF THE WINTERS HIGH SCHOOL Chapter of the National Honor Society clean a two-mile stretch of Highway 83 near Lakeview Cemetery as a service to the community. "Picking up these bar ditches sure makes you think twice about littering," said junior member Shane Colburn (left). He was joined on his stretch of highway by NHS members (l-r) Elizabeth Martinez and Veronica Flores. The chapter picked up over 1,815 gallons of trash during the four hour project.

by Kelly Walker, NHS reporter

On Monday, April 22, 2002, the Winters Chapter of the National Honor Society performed their annual service to the community.

Starting at 8 a.m., twenty-eight (28) members began picking up trash along a two-mile stretch of Highway 83 near Lakeview Cemetery, recently adopted by the Chapter.

"Being an NHS member has four requirements," sponsor Ken Fowler said, "scholarship, leadership, character, and service. Cleaning our highway is part of our commitment to service."

By noon, they had picked up 59 bags, each containing about 33 gallons of trash.

Fowler says the Chapter will repeat this service next fall.

Susan Ripple awarded Wells Fargo Scholarship

Susan Ripple of Winters was among three students in the Angelo State University College of Business and Professional Studies to be announced Thursday, April 18, as 2002 scholarship recipients by Wells Fargo Bank of San Angelo.

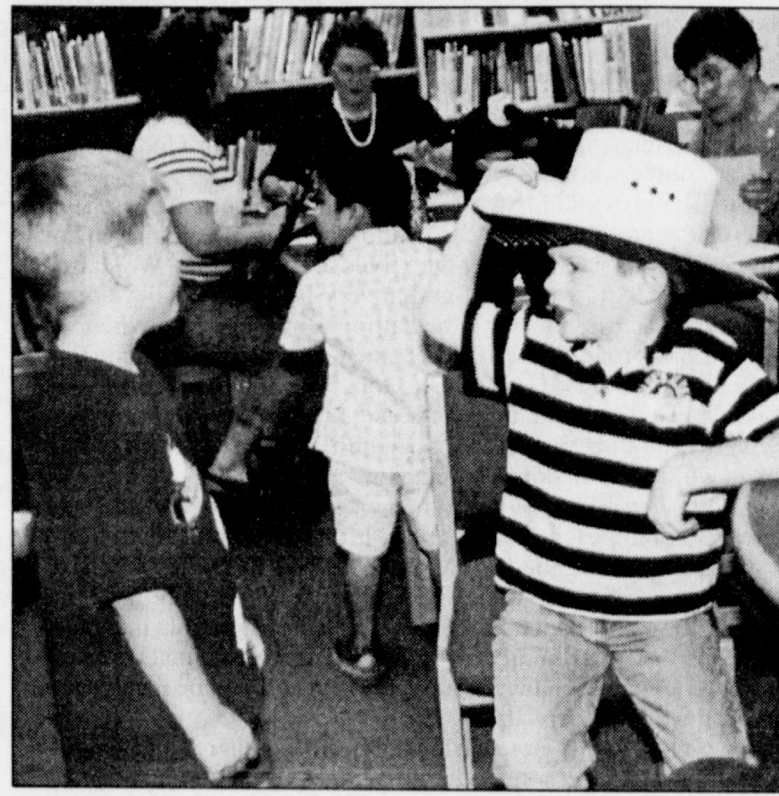
Ripple was awarded a \$1,500 scholarship in recognition of her academic excellence, her university activities, and her community involvement. Her goal is to meet the requirements to qualify as a certified public accountant, then to get a job in the field. In addition to her academic and volunteer activities, she also works as Production Manager for *The Winters Enterprise*.

Susan is the daughter of Charles and Ruth Grenwedge of Winters. She is married to Allen Ripple, and they have

two children, Brandon and Amanda. Susan is a senior accounting major at Angelo State University. She has been accepted into ASU's graduate school where she is working towards a master of business administration degree in accounting.

Scholarship recipients also included junior accounting major Brienne Rene Halfman of San Angelo and senior business administration with an international option major Anua Nadina "Nattie" Ramcharitar, also of San Angelo. Halfman and Ramcharitar each received \$500 scholarships.

Wells Fargo of San Angelo President James Cummings made the presentations along with Kyla Thomas, recipient of last year's \$1,500 Wells Fargo Scholarship.



ETHAN BREDEMEYER, wearing a baseball cap and cowboy hat, tells Jacob McMinn that he's ready for anything at school. The two 5-year-olds were being registered at the kindergarten round-up on April 23. Ethan is the son of Bill and Sharla Brede Meyer. Jacob is the grandson of John and Diann McMinn.

Freshman orientation set May 14

Freshman orientation is scheduled for Tuesday, May 14, at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium. All 2002-2003 freshmen (current 8th graders) and their parents are invited to attend.

Topics to be covered include the new 8-period day, graduation requirements, college and career planning, dual credit courses, GT and Honors classes, class rank, and grade point, as well as other topics of interest.

If you have questions, please call Charles Murphy, school counselor, at 754-5516.

WHS tennis players fall in second round at regional

Four members of the WHS tennis team took first round wins at regional competition in Stephenville last week.

Tim Fenwick, singles champion of district 9-2A, defeated the Rio Vista player 6-3, 6-2 in first round regional action. After a hard-fought battle, Fenwick dropped his next match after splitting sets, 6-4, 4-6, and losing in the close tie-breaker 7-6.

"This was the best high school match I've seen in years," says WHS tennis coach David Acevedo.

Stacey Walden, also district 9-2A single champion, ran into a buzz saw in her second round of regional play. She beat her opponent from Italy 6-3, 6-2, but then faced the strong San Saba player and fell 6-0, 6-0.

"Stacey had an unlucky draw facing Cummings from San Saba. I think she'll easily win state," said Acevedo.

The Winters doubles team of Kelly Walker and Scarlet McMinn took the 6-0, 6-1 win over Godley in first round play, then dropped their second match 7-6, 6-4 to Peaster.

Softball Scoreboard

Team: Lady Blizzards
Coach: Edward Pochts, Shanna Roberts
Date & place of game: April 19, 2002—Winters
Opponent: Eula
Winning pitcher:
Losing pitcher: Amber Green
Winning catcher:
Losing catcher: Rachel Davis

	Runs	Hits	Errors
WINTERS	1	3	6
OPPONENT	14	12	2

Team: Lady Blizzards-JV
Coach: Edward Pochts, Shanna Roberts
Date & place of game: April 19, 2002—Winters
Opponent: Jim Ned
Winning pitcher:
Losing pitcher: Raquel Retana
Winning catcher:
Losing catcher: Amber Green

	Runs	Hits	Errors
WINTERS	1	9	5
OPPONENT	12	12	1

Coach's comments: We didn't end the season playing our best but we did end trying our best. The coaches appreciate the hard work of all the Lady Blizzard softball teams, both varsity and JV. Thanks also to each athlete for your dedicated and determined ways. One goal for the 2003 season is to take care of some unfinished business. All starters should be back next year.

Classifieds Get Results

Joeris receives Carr Academic Scholarship

Joseph M. Joeris is among 181 outstanding graduating high school seniors to receive an Angelo State University Carr Academic Scholarship for the 2002-2003 academic year. The scholarships range in value from \$1,500 to \$6,000.

To qualify for Carr Academic Scholarships, entering freshmen must, as a general rule, rank in the top 15 percent of their class and present either a combined math and verbal score of 1140 on the SAT I or a composite score of 25 on the ACT.

Joseph is the son of John and Rhonda Joeris of Winters.

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BLIZZARD ACTIVITIES

Thursday, May 2 6:30PM, GED Class, WHS Library
7PM, Athletic Banquet, WISD Cafeteria
Friday, May 3 Junior High Awards Day
2nd Grade Field Trip

Saturday, May 4 Junior/Senior Prom
Monday, May 6 6:30PM, GED Class, WHS Library
Wednesday, May 8 Science Fair
Thursday, May 9 6th Grade Field Trip

School

2002 Region II-2A Regional Track Championships

April 26-27 in Stephenville



RUSTY JACKSON brings home the gold with a first place finish in the shot put. Jackson threw for a distance of 56' 3 1/4" and qualifies for the state meet in Austin.



SENIOR MANDY PRITCHARD is comforted by older sister Misty after realizing she would not return to state in the 800 M Relay. The sister duo qualified for state in the relay in 1999, and Mandy returned to Austin with new relay teammates in 2000.



CONGRATULATIONS were in order for 100 M Hurdler Laci Walker (r) from Coach Deb Whittenburg. Walker qualified for state with a second place finish.



JUNIOR RELAY RUNNERS (l-r) Jena Bahlman & Stacey Sneed regroup after a disappointing finish in the 800 M Relay though they ran their best time of the season at 1:48.5.



LACI WALKER clears the 5' bar for a fourth place regional finish in the high jump.



SENIOR CHRIS HOPPE spins for the final discus throw of his high school career. He earned a bronze medal and third place for his efforts.



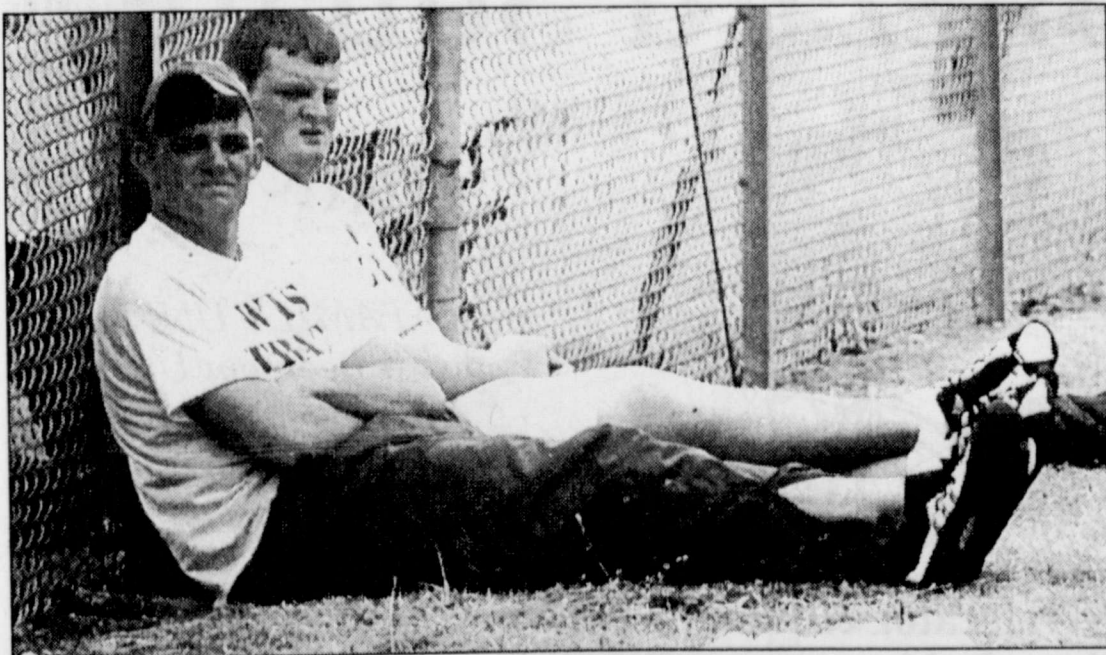
STILL SMILING AFTER A GRUELING DAY AGAINST defending state powerhouses Cisco and Celina in the 800 M and Mile Relays are members (l-r) Laci Walker, Jena Bahlman, Mandy Pritchard, and Stacey Sneed.



SOPHOMORE Gessica Bear seems a bit nervous about her first regional appearance in the discus.



SOPHOMORE Briana Parramore ran some of her best times of the year in the 3200 M and mile runs at regionals in Stephenville.



RUSTY JACKSON AND CHRIS HOPPE had a disappointing day at regionals in the discus. Jackson was unable to get a mark, and Hoppe placed third missing a state qualifying berth by just inches.

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Life

Literary & Service Club views Ms. Texas Senior America video, discusses District Convention

The Literary and Service Club met April 18 in the home of Darlene Sims. A delicious supper of salads, crackers, chips, fruit, and cherry pie was served. Darlene showed a video of the Ms. Texas Senior America Pageant. Bob Bartlett was master of ceremonies. To participate one must be 60 years old. Various talents were shown by these seniors including singing, tap dancing, poetry reading, play acting, and piano and

guitar playing. The collection was led by Elaine Coleman; a business meeting was held. The treasurer's report was given by Ruth Cooper and "thank you" letters were read from the Winters Fire Department and American Cancer Society for the club's contributions. Various committee reports were given and plans were discussed for members going to the District Spring Convention in San Angelo.

Program to help low-income improve home energy efficiency

The Weatherization Program, under the direction of the Tom Green County Community Action Council, will assist low-income persons, particularly those who are elderly and handicapped, improve their home energy efficiency and lower utility costs by protecting the interior of the house from external extremes of temperature. Improvements are intended to conserve energy, and are not for rehabilitation, renovation, or beautification. For more in-

formation or to apply for this program, contact: Guadalupe Neighborhood Center 1100 N. Martin Luther King Dr. San Angelo, TX 76903 (915) 653-1680. The following area counties are served by the Tom Green County Community Action Council Weatherization Program: Coke, Coleman, Concho, Runnels, and Tom Green. An additional nine counties are also served by this program.

Country Club Corner

by Sharon Kennedy, Ladies Golf Association President

Winners, winners, and more winners

The breakfast scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, May 4 and 5, has been cancelled due to a conflict with the Mayfest. The ladies Tuesday evening tournament had a good turnout. The winning team April 23 was Sherry Gilmore, Tina Smith, Beth Whitlow, and Janice Merrill. The longest drive was won by Betty Watson from Coleman. Fun was had by all. The Wednesday evening mixed tournament was a carryover from the week before because of a tie. The winning team with the carryover April 24 was Mel and Sharon Kennedy, Armando Tamez, and Mike Meyer. The closest to the pin was won by Sharon Kennedy. We had a good turnout for this also.

We need to keep up the good work and fun. Payback is 80%.

In Appreciation

Card of Thanks

I want to thank all who were so kind to send flowers, to give memorials and to provide food when my daughter-in-law, La Rue Garrett, passed away. I also want to thank Mike and Linda at Winters Funeral Home for their special help, and those at First Methodist Church who provided the beautiful service and music. I am so grateful and thankful for your thoughtfulness. In God's love, *Lura Lee Garrett*

Card of Thanks

Thanks to everyone who helped with Christmas In April and the repairs to my home. God Bless you all! *Charlene Cravens*

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Mayfest 2002

...Winters City Park May 4

Schedule of Events

Friday, May 3
7-11 p.m., Start Softball Tournament
Saturday, May 4
8 a.m., Continue Softball Tournament
9 a.m.-5 p.m., Booths open
9 a.m.-10 a.m., Karen Heart performs
10-11:30 a.m., Lola Scott performs
10-11:30 a.m., Heart Cry performs
11:30-1 p.m., The Dog House Band performs
1-1:30 p.m., Karen Heart performs
2-2:45 p.m., Bitter Creek of Abilene performs
Break
3:15-4 p.m., Bitter Creek of Abilene performs

Food Booths

Hamburgers & French Fries-Volunteer Fire Dept.
Chalupas-Knights of Columbus
Sno-Cones-Summer Snow of Ballinger
Softball Concessions & Drinks-Chamber of Commerce
Funnel Cakes, Hand dipped corn dogs, cheese-on-a-stick, lemonade, curly fries, caramel apples, chips, tea- Dorothy Riley
BBQ Sandwiches, chips, cupcakes, pickles, lollipops- Linda Bethel
Smoothies-American Legion Post
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DRUG BUST, cont'd.
was set at \$250,000.
On Monday, April 22, Lee was on trial for the same crime. This trial was for an arrest made several months earlier. Lee pled guilty to both charges and was sentenced to 20 and 30 year terms to run concurrently. Baird stated this was one of the biggest drug busts in Runnels County.

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ACROSS
1 Goddess of Liberty sits ___ Capitol
5 TXism: "___ skunk by the tail"
6 branding or shootin'
7 TXism: "crazy as a ___"
8 a big beater? (2 wds.)
18 TXism: "___ some gravel" (fell)
19 "brown or red tide" of the TX coast (2 wds.)
21 TX Ellerbee book: "And ___ It Goes"
22 TXism: "big ___ in the pond"
23 TXism: "dancing like a ___ on a line"
24 TX ___ Beach Program
29 Dallas' Mountain ___ College
30 Gulf deep sea catch Blackfin ___
31 this Henry was 1st American governor of TX (init.)
32 TX "Bandit Queen"
34 TXism: "___ slicker" (dude)
35 ___ Fresnos, TX
36 TXism: "orneryness"
37 ___ Arthur, TX mayor Cockrell
39 TXism: "so green he could hide ___ patch"
41 Aggie university
42 sneaker of choice for many TX teens

DOWN
1 TXism: "___ on a hot road"
2 Rangers' Blue Jays opponent
3 TX Prentiss starred with this Peter in "Pussycat" film
4 Karnes Co. town: ___ Maria, TX
9 more unusual
10 TXism: "never sign anything in the ___ of a neon light"
11 TXism: "then fruit"
12 Tim Curry's job in Tarrant Co.
13 TX tennis promoter: ___ Senior
14 black or dark

15 in Wood Co. on 69
16 Bonnie & Clyde liked to ___ banks
17 important positions for TX rock climbers
20 in Independence, TX: ___ Houston House
22 Houston had the ___ in TX in 1897
24 this Blocker designed XIT's brand party (abbr.)
25 Bob Bullock's party (abbr.)
26 Grand ___ Opry
27 Callahan Co.'s 1st seat: Belle
28 Trinity Univ. was '72 NCAA ___ champ
29 flower holder
30 pickup rubber
33 Houston had 1st ___ fights in TX
34 ___ legal in OK, but not in TX
35 bed sheets

37 TXism: "___ driven snow"
38 Panama president Tech grad Demetrio
40 TXism: "would have to study up ___ half wit"
41 TX billion ___ Perot
44 TXism: "easy as shooting ducks on a ___"
47 TX crop areas
49 Waxahachie's Miss Cow Chip Queen carries a bag of ___ cow patties

Solutions for this puzzle appear in this issue.

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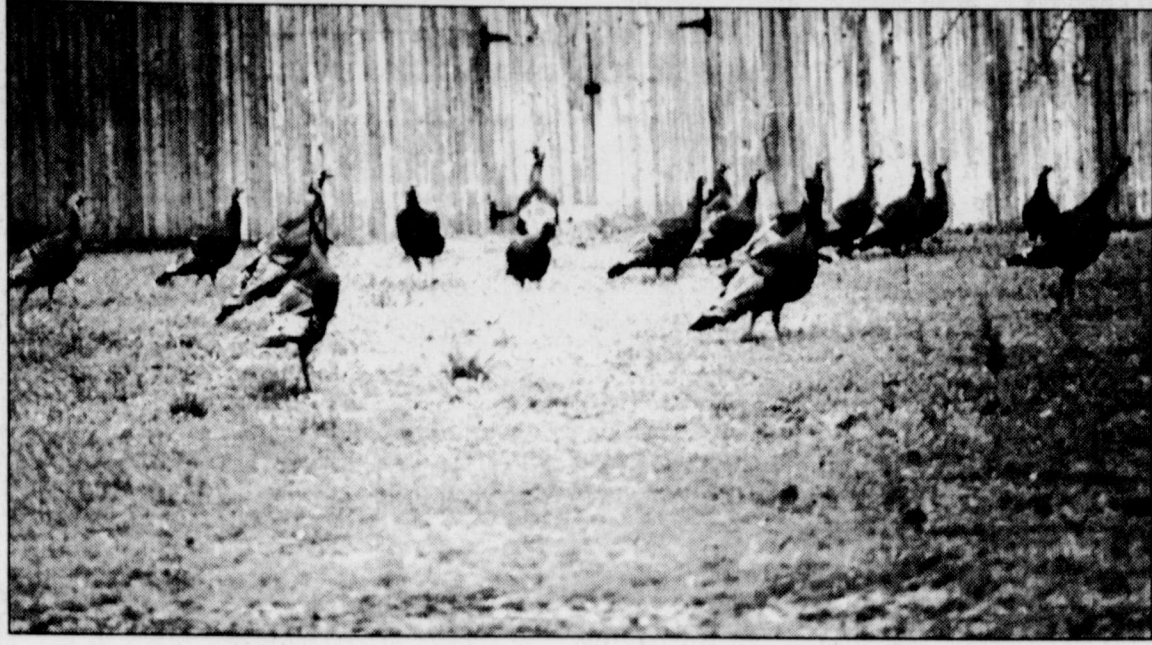
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THIS FLOCK OF JAKES decided to venture out one morning this spring and found themselves "talkin' turkey" in the yard of James Bomar on Penny Lane. Tommy Lancaster who shot the photo said the young male turkeys walked up the road from their roosting spot located in a field near a creek bank to the east of the addition. Nearly two dozen of the birds spent 5-10 minutes in the yard before being scared off.

Pest Management News

by Richard Minzenmayer, Extension Agent-Entomology

Beetles on the move

Ground beetles, also known as caterpillar hunters, prey on other insects and can be very beneficial. The larvae are also predacious and occur in burrows in the soil, under bark or in leaf litter.

There are two species of these ground beetles that are active at this time. The metallic green beetle is *Calosoma scrotator* and the black one is *Calosoma marginale*. Last year, very large numbers of the black beetle developed, but this year there have been greater numbers of the metallic green beetle.

The common name "caterpillar hunter" is well suited

because they feed chiefly on caterpillars, particularly those that attack trees, shrubs, and field crops. When handled they give off a very disagreeable odor. This habit serves as a means of both protection and of offense.

The metallic green species was introduced into the U.S. from Europe to aid in the control of the gypsy moth. They are known to aid in significantly reducing armyworm outbreaks. Most hide during the day and feed at night. They are also attracted to lights.

For additional information, please call the Local Cooperative Extension Office.

WVFD AUXILIARY, continued

Ozborn brought home a first place time of 24.23 seconds. The three-lady team of Mildred Doty, Jackie Ozborn, and Teresa Davis captured 2nd place with a time of 13.03 seconds. Teresa also ran the one-lady race, winning 2nd with a time of 13.05 seconds.

The convention was completed with a barbecue dinner and dance hosted by the Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department.

Attending the convention were James and Debbie Lange;

Jack Jr. and Teresa Davis; Kenneth, Mildred, and Thomas Doty; Jerry Mac and Trish Jackson; Curtis and Vera Jackson; Chris, Jackie, Judy, and Brian Ozborn; Justin Bryson; Victor Santoya; Chuck, Jenn, Tiffany, and Destiny Cravens and Taylor and Haylee Riffe; Jeremy Shields; Millie, Tony, and Crystal Sanchez; Leona Rich; Charlotte Cravens; and Johnny and Janice Merrill.

The fall convention will be held October 25, 2002, in Sonora.

18th annual Western Heritage Classic scheduled May 9-11

The 18th annual Western Heritage Classic will feature a Western Art Show for the 2002 event. Other events include a ranch rodeo, horse sale, chuckwagon cook-off, bit and spur show, horse races, children's events, and entertainment.

The three-day weekend celebration held at the Taylor County Expo Center in Abilene honors and preserves real life in the West. Tickets go on sale Monday, April 22.

For more information, call 915-677-4376 or visit <www.westernheritageclassic.com>.

Ag Talk

by Congressman Charles Stenholm

After many weeks and long hours of negotiations, I am pleased to report that House Members and Senators working on the farm bill finally reached agreement on a six-year farm bill package.

This legislation, that sets the nation's farm, conservation and nutrition programs, will replace the 1996 Freedom to Farm Act that will expire this fall.

For those of us working directly on the farm bill conference, it has been a long and difficult process.

And I know it has also been frustrating for the folks in farm and ranch country who have been waiting on Congress to

make decisions that will affect their future livelihoods.

While I am pleased that we were finally able to work out a compromise agreement with our Senate colleagues, I can't help but recall the wisdom of a very old saying: "The two things you don't ever want to watch being made are sausages and laws!"

Among the most difficult issues to resolve with the Senate were loan rates for commodities, payment limitations on farm subsidies, mandatory country-of-origin labeling and the ban on packer ownership 14 days prior to slaughter.

While the House wrote a ten-year farm bill, the Senate wrote a five-year bill. In the end, we compromised with a six year farm bill that will expire in 2008.

The new farm bill increases loan rates for major crops and revives a target price system that had been abolished by the Freedom to Farm Act.

As a result of the new farm bill, total agriculture spending will be increased by about \$7.4 billion a year, an increase of 7.0 percent.

With this new bill, the House and Senate basically agreed to increase crop subsidy spending by about \$4.8 billion per year.

Under the new legislation, conservation spending will be increased by 80 percent and includes a new so-called Conservation Security Program (CSP) that its supporters say will encourage farmers to adopt better conservation and environmental practices.

On the subject of country-of-origin labeling, the final bill includes a requirement that meat, fish and produce be labeled with the country of origin, beginning in two years.

The original House bill had included a labeling requirement on fresh fruits and vegetables only.

A number of us in the House had strong reservations

about country-of-origin labeling and the burden it would impose on the nation's food industry.

It is worth noting that cattle feeders asked that animals that had been in the United States for 100 days be allowed to be labeled as U.S. beef.

However, a spokesman for the Independent Cattlemen's Association of Texas indicated that their producers didn't want that and considered it a slap in the face to the cow-calf producers.

And while a group of western ranchers had been strongly promoting country-of-origin labeling, a spokesman for that group said that putting a "USA" label on cattle that have been in the country only 100 days would be unacceptable and misleading to consumers.

This group believed that the 100-day rule was being pushed to address the current flow of Mexican feeder cattle into the U.S. and that the number of these cattle coming into our country could possibly double or triple.

This whole notion of food labeling sounds good to some folks, but we may be moving into a slippery slope here with excessive regulation and paperwork that will impose unreasonable burdens on our food processing industry.

This is an issue that the House Agriculture Committee will be carefully looking at in the very near future.

Regarding the ban on packer ownership 14 days prior to slaughter, the final compromise eliminated this provision altogether. This is not to say that Congress won't be looking into this matter in greater depth in the near future.

The new farm bill will bring about a number of significant changes in the provisions affecting peanuts, dairy and conservation programs.

See AG TALK, pg. 8

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Law & Order

AG TALK, continued

The peanut program, for example, will move from an import quota system to a more market-oriented marketing loan program.

While this change will be costly in the short term, it will ultimately save the government money in the long run.

The dairy industry will end up with a national counter-cyclical program that would trigger direct payments to dairy producers when the Boston Class I milk price falls below \$16.94 per cwt of milk.

On the subject of payment limits, the Senate had originally wanted a cap of \$275,000 per year, a level that would have hurt a number of cotton and rice producers.

House and Senate conferees settled on an annual limit of \$360,000 per year, however these payment limits will not apply on 2002 crops.

The new law also makes unlimited use of generic certificates for marketing loan gains.

Regarding the timing of this farm bill, it has been my goal all along that an agreement could be reached in time for the 2002 crop year. USDA officials have indicated that it could take at least four months to implement certain portions of this measure.

The full House and Senate must still approve the conference report before it can be sent to the President to be

signed into law.

There is another factor that folks need to be keeping in mind, however, and that is how Congress and the administration will pay for all of the provisions in the farm bill if the U.S. continues deficit spending.

If Congress and the White House fail to return the budget to a surplus situation in the next few years, Congress may be forced to cut back on some of the new farm bill provisions. This will be especially true if the prices for commodities do not rise significantly.

More information will follow in the days ahead.

"March for Jesus" event planned for May 18

Plans are underway for the fifth annual "March for Jesus" celebration on Saturday, May 18, at the Winters City Park.

Mark your calendars now. Details will be forthcoming in upcoming editions of *The Winters Enterprise*.

COUNCIL, cont'd.

participation in the Texas MidWest Community Network and agreed to pay dues of \$172.80.

Also approved was a resolution to support the Veterans' Cemetery application by the Winters Business and Industrial Corporation. Randall Conner, Director of Economic Development of WABIC, told the Council he would be taking the detailed application to the Texas Veterans Land Board in Austin on April 30.

Council members voted to approve the resolution for a Community Development Grant application for funds to repair and replace deteriorating sewer lines in town.

Present for the meeting were Councilmen Tommy Russell, Steve Esquivel, Jimmy Butler and Hank Bourdo; Mayor Dawson McGuffin, City Manager Aref Hassan, and City Attorney Ken Slimp. Councilman Mike Meyer was absent.

Official Records

County Court Dispositions

Rosa Monsivais, theft by check, pleaded nolo contendere, fined \$100, plus \$211 court costs, \$43.12 restitution and \$25 hot check fees

Leigh Bermea, possession of marijuana, pleaded nolo contendere, sentenced to 90 days in county jail, assessed \$236 court costs

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Leigh Bermea, making alcohol available to a minor, case dismissed, defendant convicted in another case

Stewart Zane Cassady, assault, pleaded nolo contendere, sentenced to six months in county jail probated to six months, fined \$1,000, plus \$211 court costs

Antonio Lee Cabrera, possession of marijuana, pleaded nolo contendere, sentenced to 30 days in county jail, assessed \$236 court costs

Sirmont Deleon Vann, possession of marijuana, pleaded nolo contendere, sentenced to six months in county jail, fined

\$2,000 plus \$236 court costs Criminal Cases Filed April 19

Mark Green, filed for theft by check

Nathan Patrick Helser, filed on two counts of theft

Gabriel Castaneda, filed for harassment

April 22

Terry Lyn Press, filed for criminal trespass

April 23

Daisy Marie Fields, filed for false report to a peace officer

Ronald Eugene Bogue, filed for criminal trespass

Marriage Licenses Filed April 23

Thomas Harvey Patton III and Kerry Dawn Parcell

Lee R. Reyes and Sara Jane Jalomo

April 24

Edgar Arturo Armendariz and Leslie Denise Jaramillo

April 25

Ernesto Tapia and Laura Villarreal Sanchez

District Court Divorce Cases Filed April 23

Marna Lynn McWilliams vs. Douglas Brian McWilliams

Robert Garza vs. Amy Renee Garza

April 24

Arnold Ray Carper vs. Dana Dawn Carper

Divorces Granted April 11

James Clayton Springer and Rachel Diane Springer

April 25

Archie Wayne Lancaster and Angela Kay Lancaster

Justice of the Peace Precinct 1 Felony Cases Filed April 22

Aubrey Ann Walker, filed on two counts: endangering a child and forgery

Criminal Cases Filed April 19


Roland Villarreal, filed for minor in possession of an alcoholic beverage

Stephen B. Gailey, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

Tobias Correa, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

Rodney L. Dennis, filed for minor in possession of alcoholic beverage

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Police Beat

The following are cases from the Winters Police Department. Some cases may still be under investigation. Information, reported through Crime Stoppers, leading to the close of any case could result in up to a \$1,000 reward.

The following information comes from Winters Police Department reports received and/or investigated from Sunday, April 14, 2002, through Saturday, April 20, 2002. Winters Police Officers:

• officers observed two vehicles racing in the 100 block of N. Main. A 2001 Chevy Camaro and a 1996 Chevy pickup were stopped and the occupants identified. An odor of alcohol was detected within the Camaro and alcoholic beverages were subsequently found hidden inside the Camaro. The driver, a 16-year-old male from Ballinger, was found to be Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol and issued a citation. The passengers, 17 and 15-year-old males of Ballinger and one 16-year-old female of Winters were also issued citations for Minor in Possession of Alcohol. All occupants were released to their legal guardian's custody. The driver of the pickup, a 20-year-old male of Winters, was also found to be Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol and issued a citation.

• officers observed several subjects in the 300 block of S. Church Street. As the officers approached the subjects attempted to flee, but were caught and identified as 14 and 13-year-old females of Winters, a 14-year-old female of Abilene and a 14-year-old female of Tuscola. All four subjects were issued citations for Curfew Violation and released into an adult's custody.

• received report of a theft in the 200 block of Tinkle Street. A 54-year-old Winters female reported that a 27-year-old female who claimed to be from Winters entered her business and signed a property rental agreement. Approximately two weeks from the date the items were due the suspect female had failed to return the items. The suspect provided a false address to the business owner and the suspect has not been located. As of this date charges for Class B Theft have been filed against the suspect female.

• received report of vandalism in the 100 block of S. Magnolia. A 34-year-old Winters female reported that between the dates of April 17-25 person(s) unknown broke the window out of a vehicle she had parked in her back yard. This is under investigation as Criminal Mischief.

• officers located a warrant subject in the 300 block of N. Frisco Street. Macarias "Mikey" Reyna of Winters was arrested for outstanding warrants out of Winters Municipal Court and Runnels County for Possession of Marijuana Surety Withdrawal, No Drivers License (two counts), Disorderly Conduct and Unsafe Backing. Charges are also pending for Class B Failure to Identify as a wanted fugitive for providing a false date of birth during a crash investigation recently investigated by Winters P.D. officers.

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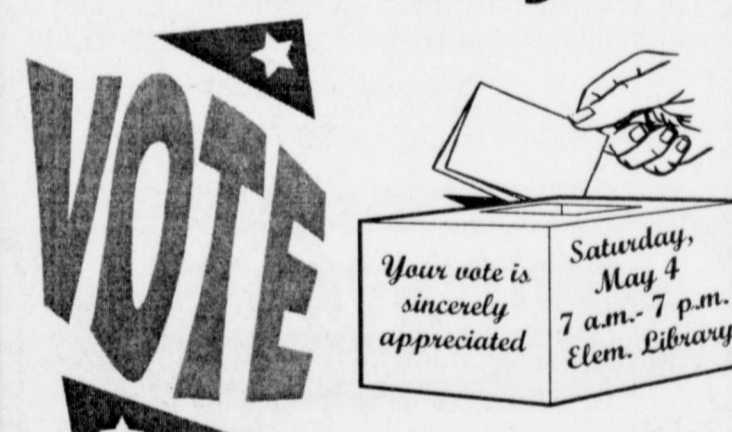
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13. Singing syllables	4. Bowling lanes	30. Prefix for cast or communication	53. Paper fliers
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15. Orderly arrangement	6. Ms. Turner	32. TV's Jack	55. Measurements: abbr.
16. Nationality: abbr.	7. Do not exist	33. Formerly	56. Curved lines
17. Row	8. Officers-to-be	34. Places for front row seats, at circuses	57. Teasdale
18. Male bee	9. Departure's opp.	35. Collect remnants	59. Knighted woman
19. Face	10. Made wider	37. Of flying: pref.	60. go bragh
22. Combine	11. Ground	40. Passion	62. Newspaper items
23. Restaurant	12. Watched carefully	44. Jesus' lang.	
24. Brought	13. Chantilly's specialty	46. Mixture of Scotch, vermouth and bitters	
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29. Items listed in a will	21. Embers		
32. One who loved Bess			
36. Mountains			
38. Dagger			
39. Indigo plant			
40. 1 of 12 signs			
41. Sea denizens			
42. Pimples			
43. Loud sound			
44. Llamas' home			
45. Esteem			
47. Unpleasant			
49. Pry			
51. Small bundle			
56. "I walked out in the streets of Laredo..."			
58. Wedding rehearsal attendees			
61. Role on M*A*S*H			
63. Diminish			
64. down; resign			
65. Faith statement			
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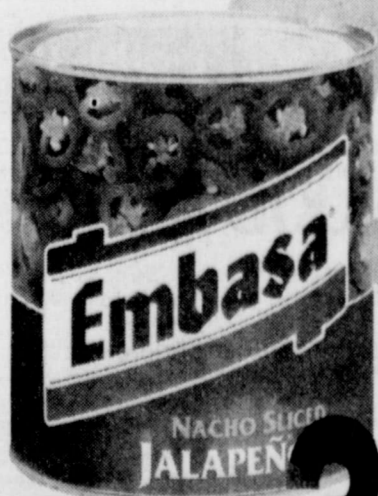
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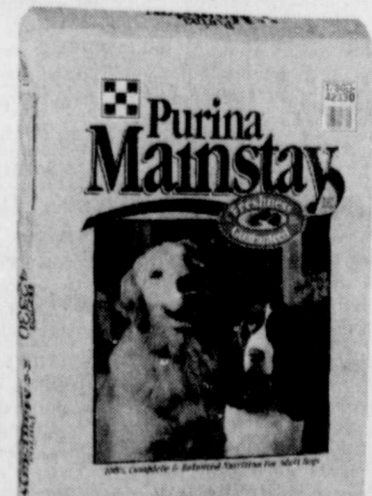
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