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Hill Country Firemen In Convention Here

Upwards of 300 firemen from 23 towns in West Central Texas will meet in Winters Saturday for the annual convention of the Hill Country Firemen's Association.

Winters Volunteer Firemen will host the convention, which will be held in the Community Center. Registration will begin at 8 a.m. Saturday.

Johnny Merrill, member of the Winters Volunteer Firemen, is presi-

dent of the Hill Country Firemen, and will preside at the business meetings, which will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday. Winters Mayor Homer Hodge will give the address of welcome.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Hill Country Firemen also will meet during the convention.

Firemen will have lunch in the Community Center, and a luncheon for the ladies will be held in the Winters school cafeteria at noon.

On Saturday afternoon, a fire prevention will be presented, and firemen will hear reports from committees and from the Ladies Auxiliary, before installation of officers.

Following the business session in the afternoon, firemen's races will be held, with men's and ladies' teams competing for trophies.

Three trophies will be awarded in men's pumper race, ladies' pumper race, three-man races, one-man race, ladies' water polo, and men's water

polo. A trophy also will be awarded to the town with the most man-miles traveled to the convention, plus a traveling trophy for men's water polo and a traveling trophy for fast time six-man pumper race.

The public is invited to attend the races.

Directors of the Hill Country Firemen's Association are Johnny Merrill, Winters, president; Troy Templin, Sterling City, first vice president; Jody Evans, Eden, second vice president; Buddy Miller, Winters, third vice president; Gene West, Sonora, fourth vice president; Stephen Brunson, Ballinger, secretary-treasurer; Tom Asbill, Sterling City, chaplain; Tina Merrill, Winters, sponsor; and Ken Kvapil, Ballinger, mascot.

Officers of the Ladies Auxiliary of the District Association are Bonny Evans, Eden, president; Melissa Teaff, Sonora, vice president; Pam Sanford, Eden, secretary-treasurer; Nina Bed-

ford, Winters, chaplain; Donna Simpson, Brownwood, parliamentarian; Jo Miller, Winters, historian; and Katherine Kidd, Sterling City, sweetheart.

WINTERS FD OFFICERS

Officers of the Winters Volunteer Firemen, host department for the convention, are J. A. Henderson, president; Don Emmert, vice president; J. C. Hodnett, secretary-treasurer; Phil Harrison, recording secretary; Marvin Bedford, chief; Johnny C. Merrill, first assistant chief; and Jerry B. Whitlow, second assistant chief.

Also, Richard Hamilton, captain, Co. No. 1; Buddie Davis, assistant captain, Co. No. 1; Bob Webb, captain, Co. No. 2; Leonard Bowden, assistant captain, Co. No. 2; Mrs. Jack B. Davis, senior sponsor; Tina Merrill, Karen Wetsel and Suzanne Spill, junior sponsors; Johnny Merrill and Steve Spill, mascots; Debbie Carey and Denise Hilliard, sweethearts; and James Gehrels, chaplain.



MRS. NAN BRYAN



MRS. DEWEY CHESNUT

ARTISTS—Several Winters artists have hung some of their work in the office of the Chamber of Commerce office. The group will meet each month and pick an "Artist of the Month." This month's selection was Bill Wilson, who has been painting more than 25 years. Three of the artists who have hung pictures this week are Bill Wilson, Mrs. Nan Bryan and Mrs. Dewey Chesnut. Others will show their work during the next few weeks.



BILL WILSON

PP & K Sign-Up Deadline Is Sept. 30

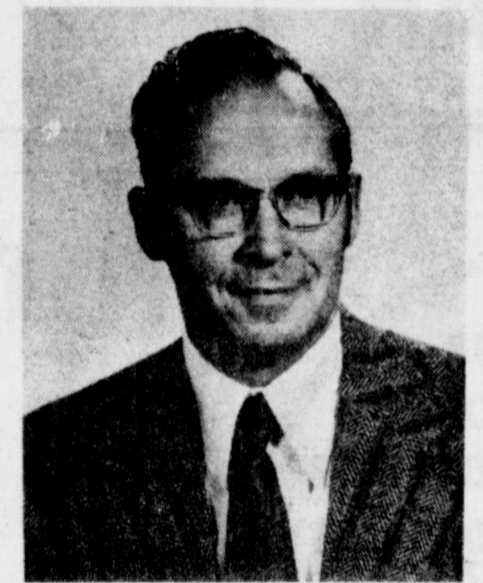
Deadline for youngsters to sign up for the Punt, Pass, and Kick contest, sponsored by Bishop Boys Ford, will be Friday, September 30, John McAdoo, manager of the Ford agency, has reminded.

The Punt, Pass, and Kick contests have been scheduled for Saturday, October 8, on the school football field.

Those youngsters from 8 through 13 years of age, wishing to enter the contests, may register at Bishop Boys Ford. There is no entry fee or charge of any kind.

'We will award a total of 18 trophies for our local Punt, Pass, and Kick competition,' McAdoo said. 'From our local contest, winners could go on to win in the zone, district, area, and division competition.'

Beef Short Course Begins Monday



DR. E. V. KREHBIEL

Dr. Elmer V. Krehbiel, beef production specialist with the Vocational Agriculture Division of the Texas Education Agency and the Department of Animal Science, Texas A&M University, will be the instructor for a beef production short course for adult farmers next week in the Winters Country Club vo-ag building.

The short course will begin Monday, Oct. 3, and continue through Thursday, Oct. 6, Bill Graves, Winters school superintendent, and Charles Allcorn and Stanley Blackwell, vo-ag

teachers said. The four meetings will begin at 7:30 p.m. on the scheduled dates. During the dates the short course is in progress, Dr. Krehbiel will be available to assist cattlemen with individual problems and to provide on-the-farm instruction, according to Allcorn and Blackwell.

Cattlemen interested in attending the short course should contact the superintendent of schools, or the vo-ag teachers. Entry fee of \$5 will be charged.

Beef production short course certificates will be presented to each cattlemen who attends all the training sessions.

Dr. Krehbiel is a native of Oklahoma. As a farm boy and FFA member, he showed livestock and won many awards, including championships at the Southwestern Livestock Exposition in Ft. Worth and at the American Royal Livestock Show in Kansas City.

Dr. Krehbiel said that the field of beef cattle production must take a close look at efficiency of production in the future. With land prices, feed, and taxes rising, the producer is getting more and more competition for the consumer's dollar at the meat counter, he said.

Title I Pupils' Parents To Meet October 3

A special parent night program for Title I remedial reading and math students will be held in the Elementary School library at 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 3, for general discussions regarding the program.

Following a general assembly of parents of Title I students, parents will be invited to visit individual rooms with the teachers.

Parents of all students presently enrolled in these programs are invited to attend this special parents' night program.

Golf Tourney Changed To October 1

The best ball golf tournament which had been scheduled for Sunday, Oct. 2, has been re-scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 1, with tee time 1:30 p.m.

Following play, hamburgers will be served for 75 cents each.

The golf course at the Winters Country Club will close Tuesday, Oct. 4, for annual re-seeding of the greens. Announcement will be made regarding re-opening of the course.

Music Revival Continues At Baptist Church

The 'Revival In Music' continues this week at the Winters First Baptist Church, with special guests each night presenting mini-concerts, along with other special music by members of the church.

Services begin each evening at 7:25 with a mini-concert by the organist and pianist of the church.

Guest for Thursday night will be Joe Trussel, evangelistic vocalist.

A special service has been planned for the youth on Friday night. Prior to the service, a pizza party will be held for junior high students. Special guests will be Robert Sowell, former music and youth director of the Winters First Baptist Church, and Ronnie Floyd, youth evangelist from Brownwood. Ricky Dean, former student at Winters High School, will also be on the program. A volleyball game and a hamburger fry will follow the evening service.

City Gets \$12,122 From Sales Taxes

The City of Winters has received \$12,122.21 net from the State Comptroller's office as a rebate for the one-cent sales tax for the last reporting period.

The September rebate payment brings the 1977 total to \$51,710.51, considerably higher than the 1976 payment of \$43,439.74.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said that some 880 Texas cities have been mailed checks totaling \$57.6 million as their share of the one percent city sales tax for September.

The September checks raise to \$263.6 million the total that has been rebated to the cities to date this year, up from \$229.7 million for the same period last year. This is a 14.7 percent increase. Bullock said the increase in sales tax collections in Texas is outpacing that of most other states, signaling the continuing vigor of the state's economy.

September receipts by some of the other cities in this area were:

Abilene.....	\$250,865
Anson.....	7,962
Ballinger.....	18,008
Cisco.....	15,595
Coleman.....	28,355
Eastland.....	14,702
Hamlin.....	13,111
Ranger.....	12,098
Stamford.....	18,911
Winters.....	12,122

Arts, Crafts Show Planned

The annual Arts and Crafts Show, sponsored by the Winters Chamber of Commerce, is being planned for Nov. 11-12.

The show has been planned to coincide with the special fall festival commercial sales event of Winters merchants.



GRIDIRON ACTION—A Blizzard ball carrier is smothered by Eldorado players during the football game Friday night. Winters won this

last pre-conference contest 6-0. (See story on Page 6.)

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Poe's Corner

BY CHARLIE POE

On the night following the Dove Creek battle the soldiers all camped together and a more vigorous and better arranged attack was planned for the next day. But it never took place for two reasons: first of all the most severe blizzard ever experienced south of the staked Plains swept down on the camp before morning, and in the next place the Kickapoos, believing that they had been whipped, retreated as fast as they could toward Mexico.

The Kickapoos continued their journey into Mexico unmolested while the military made preparation in the heavy snowstorm to move their wounded.

All of the wounded men were brought off the battlefield, about 40, but the 22 dead were left, along with 63 head of horses that had been killed.

It was 10 o'clock that night after the battle before all the soldiers got back to camp on Spring Creek, and by midnight it was snowing heavily. All night long men were building fires and talking over the scenes of the battle. The cry of the wounded men, and the neighing of the suffering horses, along with



BUSINESS OF THE MONTH—Jim Hatler, local insurance agent, is shown with the plaque his firm was awarded by the Chamber of Commerce. Hatler is presently conducting business in a newly remodeled facility.

the white snow flakes falling through the fire light furnished a weird picture of distress rarely ever seen in Texas. The troops were out of provisions and it would be at least a hundred mile march before they could reach supplies.

Although it was snowing heavily the next morning the men were put to work chopping and trimming pecan poles making litters to carry the wounded. The poles were tied together with ropes and covered with blankets before the wounded men were placed on them. A saddled horse was backed between the poles of the litter, ends of the poles were placed in the stirrup-leathers and tied. Another horse was led forward with his breast between the rear end of the poles. One man led the horse in front and another went behind to drive the rear

horse.

The snow was hip deep to a man when it let up on the morning of the 10th, and the troops were ordered to march. Men on horses were sent ahead to explore the route, break the snow, and make a road for the litter corps. They traveled only five miles the first day and nine miles the second, but on the next day the snow began to melt and it was easier marching.

On the 13th of January, they found the four Tonkawa Indians that had fled from the battle early in the fight, carrying 250 head of horses. They had been ordered to wait for the soldiers when they left the skirmish. They were found 50 miles down the Concho, waiting for the soldiers. The day was spent remounting the men that had lost horses. The Tonkawas were allowed to select two horses apiece out of the 250

head. The remaining horses were then distributed by lot to the dismounted men.

Hunting parties were sent out to look for buffalo for the hungry troops who had not eaten a bite in four days. No game could be found so the quartermaster issued an Indian horse to each company for meat.

One man said that his company drew a small gray pony with a saddle sore on his back about the size of a cabbage leaf. He was slaughtered that night. He could not eat anything that evening, but next morning he was so weak that he could not starve any longer. The horse was frozen, he took an ax and chopped off a piece of round steak. He shaved the gray hair off with his knife and broiled it over the fire. It smelled all right to a starving man.

Nearly everyday some of the severely wounded died and the boom of guns being fired over their graves could be heard.

The day before the troops reached John Chisum's ranch on the mouth of the Concho, someone had been sent ahead to bring back provisions, which consisted of twelve head of beef cattle. They were slaughtered by moonlight and the men had a feast, but without salt and no bread.

The weary soldiers reached Chisum's ranch on the 17th day of January where they got 1500 pounds of flour and all the beef they needed. They took up the march to Camp Colorado where they placed the wounded men in the hospital, and proceeded on to Fort Belknap. They were a ragged, weather-beaten looking crowd of men, but the boys in camp met them with cheers and tears running down their cheeks as they filed into camp.

The Kickapoos found a permanent home among the towering Santa Rosa mountains, a hundred miles beyond the Texas border, yet within sight of it. They continued to be much the same people that they were

when they chased buffalo on the Concho and Colorado Rivers of Texas. There was one difference, they had thrown away their tomahawks and lived in peace.

As late as 1924, Texans who went down there to hunt the fleet-footed deer and the grizzly bear were accorded the very best of treatment at their hands.

But withered old warriors were found among them who took part in the Dove Creek fight and whenever the subject was mentioned to one of them he would take a deep puff on his pipe, blow rings of smoke toward the sky, and with a sad, far away look on his face, say, "Heap big mistake of the Tehanas, (Texans)."



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Crews News

If you see someone without a smile, give him one of yours.

The Crews Community will hold their first Community Supper at the gym Saturday Oct. 1, at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is asked to bring 2 dishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Burley Campbell received word Mr. Campbell's sister passed away Sunday morning. The Campbells and Miss Bonnie Clark of Ballinger will leave here on Monday for Mrs. Jewel Warren's funeral on Tuesday in Lamesa. All our sympathy to the Campbell family.

Dr. Shields of Brownwood was the pastor at Hopewell Church Sunday. He was a dinner guest with the Clyde Brevards and Mrs. Elsie Kirby.

Mrs. Dick Mayo of Winters is in St. John's Hospital for surgery. Mrs. Jean Gibbs, Tammy and Kenny, Mrs. Connie Gibbs spent some time with her on Sunday.

Theron Osborne, Ronald Presley, Marvin Gerhart, Rodney Faubion, Walter Gerhart are helping Mrs. Allan Bishop do some building of a room for a shower on their home. Most of these families including the Wilmer Gerharts will surprise Pat on her birthday Monday

with a Mexican dinner at her home. Her and the boys spent the weekend with Allan.

Happy Birthday Walter Jacob.

Ronald and Gary Hill had dinner Sunday with the Robert Hills on their way to Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gann and Ronnie of Winters were out to see Mrs. Amber Fuller Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Petrie visited with the Marvin Hambrights at their home in Ballinger on Friday. Their new address is 610 5th in Ballinger.

There was a luncheon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Dietz on Thursday for Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth and Hazel Dietz who all had birthdays. Neighbors and friends were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Villers of San Angelo were up to see their folks the Raymond Kurtz's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill and Mrs. Alta Hale attended the Echo Jamboree Saturday night.

The Odie Matthews visited in Abilene Saturday with the Don and Ronnie Faulkner families.

During the week with the Arthur Alcorns were Mr. and Mrs. Flay Brevard, Miss Willie Hale of Ballinger, Mrs. Ada Hale of Glen Cove and Mrs. Alta Hale.

U-M Women Met Tuesday

The United Methodist Women met in the Fellowship Hall of the church Tuesday with Miss Margurite Mathis presiding. Mrs. Paul Gerhardt led the opening prayer.

Mrs. Ralph Arnold was leader for the closing session of the study on People and Systems. Mrs. Gladys Wilson opened the program with an article entitled Planners for Our Church, and Mrs. F. R. Anderson gave information concerning places and institutions. Others on the program were Mrs. M. L. Dobbins and Mrs. Frank Mitchell.

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Wednesday October 5

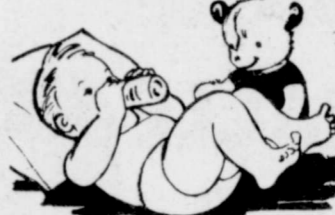
Turkey and dressing with gravy (by choice), green beans, candied sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, fruit salad, cake, hot rolls with butter on top, milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday October 6

Hamburger or combination sandwiches, catsup in cups, pinto beans, fruit salad, cheese sticks, roasted peanuts, deviled food cake, milk.

Friday October 7

Rolled roast with brown gravy (by choice), cream potatoes, seasoned green beans, tossed green salad, chocolate chip cookies, hot rolls with poppy seed, milk or chocolate milk.



NEWCOMERS

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Robinson of Colorado City announce the birth of a boy, William Dustin, born September 21, 1977. The baby weighed 7 pounds 10 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Blakeney of Clyde. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Moreland.

James Scott Died Monday In Llano

James Scott, 50, of Taylor, died Monday morning of an apparent heart attack while working in Llano.

Scott was a nephew of Mrs. G. W. Scott Jr., of Winters, and called on many Winters residents as a salesman.

Services were held Wednesday in a Taylor funeral home.

Survivors include his wife of Taylor; two daughters; two brothers; his mother; an aunt Mrs. G. W. Scott Jr., of Winters; and other relatives in this area.

Smith Family Reunion Recently

Attending a family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Smith over the weekend were their children, Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Smith, Portland, Ore; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, Fluvanna; Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Smith, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. John Hallford, Haven, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crouch, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Hillard high, Abilene, and their families including grandchildren.

Other visitors included Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Morgan, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conway of Buffalo Gap; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lanter of Novice, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis.

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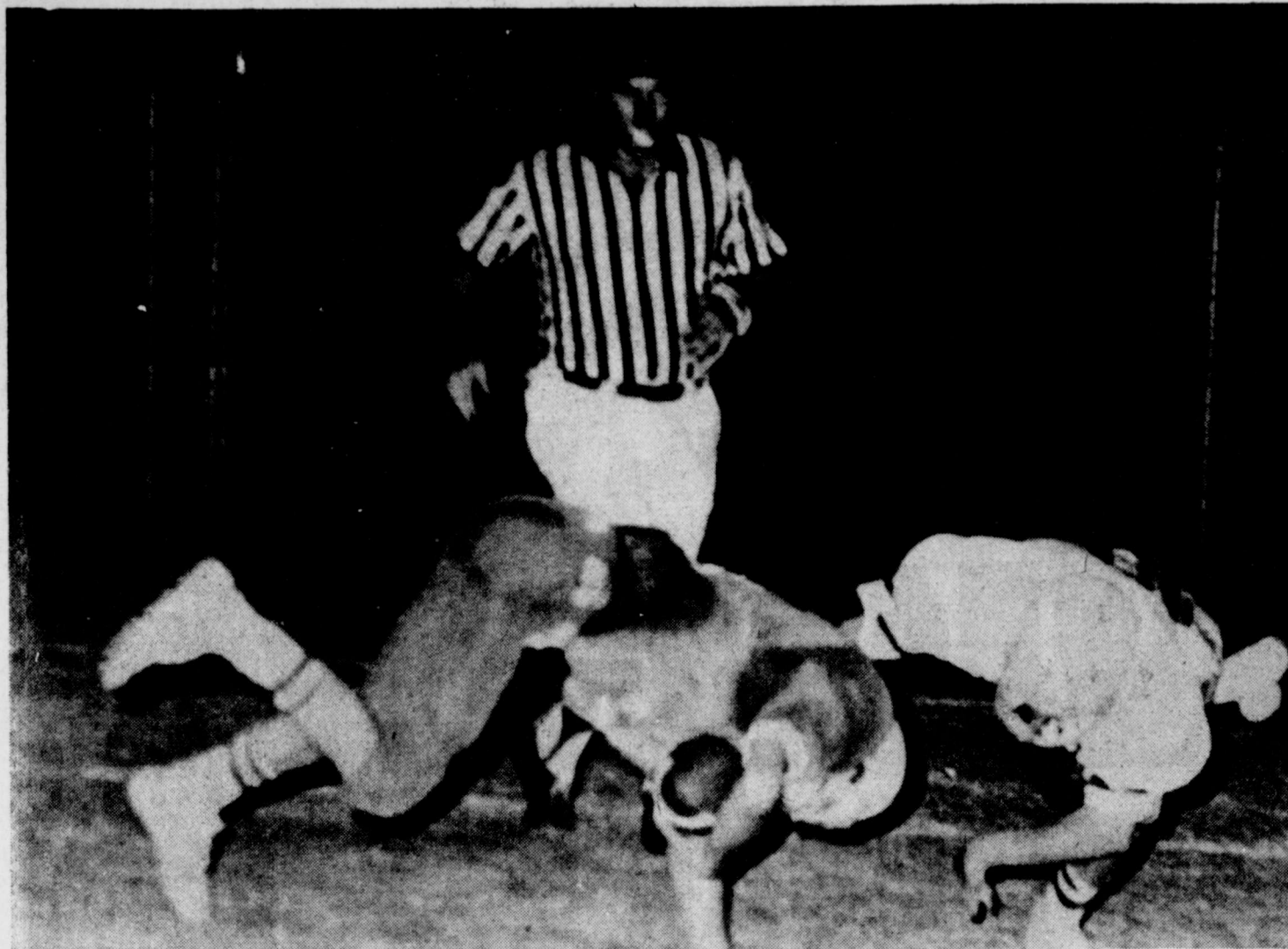
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A Blizzard In Action



Blizzard Fans

Blizzards Defeat Eldorado 6-0

The Winters Blizzards chalked up their second victory of the season by defeating a defensively tough Eldorado team 6-0 in Blizzard Stadium Friday night.

Quarterback Chuck Evans completed a 21-yard pass to Leroy Jones with six seconds left in the first half for the only touch down of the game. Johnny Lujano's extra point attempt was blocked by Eagle sophomore Don Garlitz.

Each team lost two fumbles. The Blizzards stopped three Eagle drives by intercepting passes while Eldorado

picked off two of Evans' passes.

Friday's victory gave the Winters team a 2-2 season record in non-district play. After an open date next week the Blizzards will travel to Stamford to open district play against the Bulldogs.

STATISTICS		Winters	Eldorado
12	First Downs	3	
166	Rushing Yds.	34	
64	Passing Yds.	40	
3 of 11	Pass Comp.	2 of 10	
3	Interceptions	2	
6 for 35	Punt Avg.	6 for 36	
4 for 33 Yds.	Penalty	3 for 35	
2	Fumbles Lost	2	

COACHES GRADING
The 'Big Hit' award for

Friday night's game went to Nathan Tekell. Most tackles award went to Gary Schwartz for 13. Leading rusher was Pat Salas, 29 for 105 yards; Leroy Jones, 2 passes for 35 yards.

Grades were: Offense, Pat Salas 74; Schwartz 67; Reggie Boles 62; and David Esquivel 62.

Defense grades: Schwartz 70; Wayne Kraatz 65; Jones 65; Esquivel 63; Boles 60; Gary Lett 60; and Salas 60.

Each player grading 70 or above and the entire defensive squad for a goal line stand inside the 10 yard line received helmet stars. Also, Boles, Schwartz, Esquivel for interceptions; Evans for a touchdown pass; and Jones for a touchdown reception; Salas for a fumble recovery; Lett for a quarterback sack; and Kraatz for a fumble recovery.

Wayne Kraatz was listed last week as being out of action for the season with pulled muscles. This was in error; John Krause is out with pulled muscles.

Coach Jimmy Stubblefield said Monday that having an open date for Friday of this week would be a big asset. The off night will give some of the Blizzards time to recover from injuries and to prepare for the first District 6-AA game against Stamford the following week.

AROUND THE 6-AA FOOTBALL LOOP

All extra-conference practice games are behind them—with the exception of one team—and District 6-AA football teams will go for record starting this Friday night.

Coahoma, which had an open date scheduled Oct. 7, will play Crane in a non-district game on that date. Winters has an open date this week, so scouts will be fanning out to watch those other games in the district, to get an idea of how things will stack up once conference members meet one another.

Stamford, with an even 2-2 record for pre-conference play, will be going against hapless Ballinger, which has yet to win a game in four outings.

Merkel, with three wins and no losses, and a non-game showup a couple of weeks ago, will meet the Colorado City Wolves, another non-winner this season.

Wylie, with a 3-1 record in non-conference contests, will meet Coahoma, a 0-3 record team.

Actually, pre-conference game results cannot be accurately used to judge the prowess of any of the teams against other district teams, because of the different types of teams the members have been meeting this season. Only head-to-head action between 6-AA members can be any indication of the strengths or weaknesses of the teams.

Last Friday night, Wylie went to Albany with a clean slate, but left with a 20-13 loss to the Lions. Albany

outplayed the Bulldogs from the top to the bottom of the stat sheet.

Colorado City went against a strong Post team, and came away 21-14 losers last week.

The Ballinger Bearcats, still seeking a scoreboard win, played arch-rivals Coleman Bluecats last Friday night, in a fairly close contest, but dropped it 10-0.

The Merkel Badgers hosted Eastland Friday night, and clobbered the Mavericks 47-14. The stat sheet showed a wide difference in the two teams, too, as the Badgers marked up 167 on the ground and 133 passing to Eastland's 45 and 60 yards.

Stamford evened their season record to 2-2 with a 7-3 decision over the Haskell Indians Friday night. That contest proved to be a punting duel, as Stamford booted seven times and Haskell kicked out of trouble six times. It was a battle for field position, and the stats

were not that far apart.

Coahoma was outdistanced by Tahoka all the way Friday night, and left the field with a 0-3 season record and a 28-14 loss for the evening. Total yards gained were not so far apart on the stat sheet, however, as the two Bulldog teams nipped at one another all night.

The Winters Blizzards evened their season record to 2-2 Friday night, as they 6-0ed the Eldorado Eagles. The stat sheet listed 12 first downs for the Blizzards, and 3 for the Eagles; 166 rushing yards for the winners, and 34 for Eldorado; 64 passing yards against 40 for the Eagles.

SEASON RECORDS

W	L	T	Pts	Opp
Merkel	3	0	0	73 32
Wylie	3	1	0	71 39
Stamford	2	2	0	55 44
Winters	2	2	0	19 59
Ballinger	0	4	0	38 93
Coahoma	0	3	0	20 66
C-City	0	4	0	36 96

Now . . . we'll see just what we have in 6-AA starting this week, as the seven member teams start the following schedule:

DISTRICT 6AA Sept. 30

Winters open
Stamford vs. Ballinger
Merkel vs. Colorado City
Wylie vs. Coahoma

Oct. 7
Coahoma vs. Crane
Winters vs. Stamford
C-City vs. Wylie
Ballinger vs. Merkel

Oct. 14
Stamford open
Winters vs. Merkel
Wylie vs. Ballinger
Coahoma vs. C-City

Oct. 21
C-City open
Ballinger vs. Coahoma
Winters vs. Wylie
Stamford vs. Merkel

Oct. 28
Merkel open
Winters vs. Coahoma
Stamford vs. Wylie
C-City vs. Ballinger

Nov. 4
Ballinger open
Winters vs. C-City
Stamford vs. Coahoma
Merkel vs. Wylie

Nov. 11
Wylie open
Winters vs. Ballinger
C-City vs. Stamford
Merkel vs. Coahoma

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More than 31 million Americans are allergic, says Carla Shearer, health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. "Allergies can often be helped through treatment," the specialist says.

Velour Now For Men's Wear

Sportswear for men is being made of velour—for the first time—this fall, says

Margret Ann Vanderpoorten, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. Previously only for lounge

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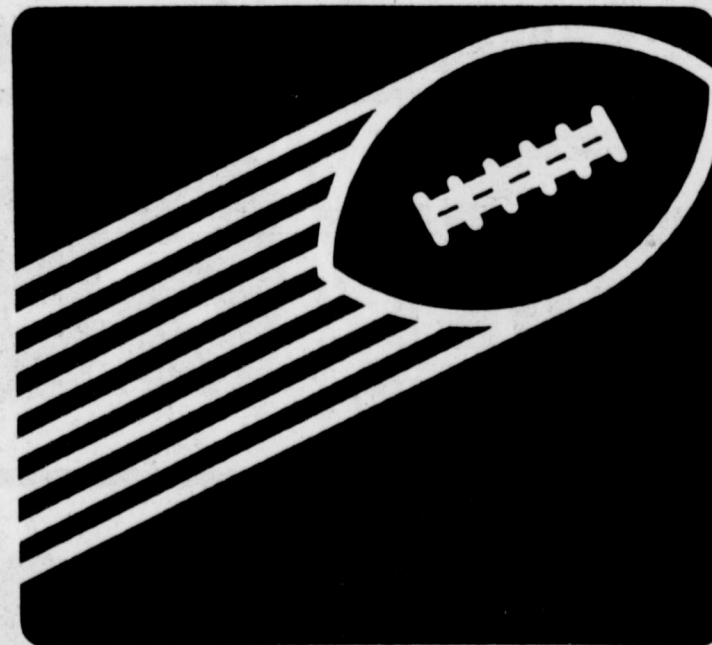
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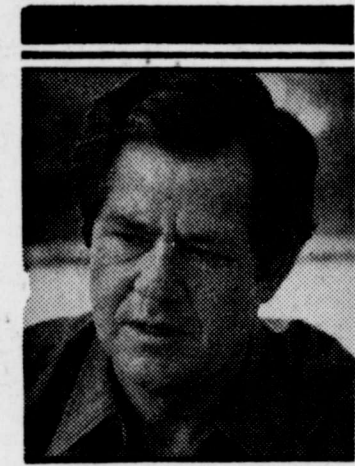


WHS SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS—Seated, left to right, Penny Springer, reporter; James Fairey, vice

president; Brett Billups, president; Susan Grenwelge, secretary-treasurer. (Staff photo by Joe Eckols)

Diversity Club Meeting Sept. 24

The Winters Diversity Club met in the home of Mrs.



"I have announced my candidacy for Governor of Texas. I'm confident I can and will win."

"According to a statewide poll, 6 out of 10 people are ready for a new governor. The poll only confirmed what I've been hearing all over Texas this year. People are against the idea of anyone holding the state's highest office for 10 years. No governor has asked for 10. No governor has been given 10. It goes against a tradition that's as old as Texas itself."

"There are other reasons folks are ready for a new governor. State spending has jumped from \$3 billion to \$8 billion the last 6 years. The Dallas Morning News reported, 'during Briscoe's years in office, nearly all state government will have gone on a spending spree.' And the Governor has done nothing to discourage it. He's vetoed less than two-tenths of one percent of the two previous budgets and not one penny's worth of the current appropriations; it's the first time that's happened in twenty years. In a related story, the News pointed to the fact that during the Briscoe years the number of employees paid by the state has risen by 50,000."

"And, while we've heard the boast of 'no new taxes,' we've seen our property taxes increase by \$1 billion along with substantial hikes in state licensing fees."

"I've traveled the state this year, visiting with folks. Whatever their overall assessment, most Texans lacked confidence in the present governor's persuasiveness and vision. They felt he had failed to measure up to their expectations and to live up to his promises."

"Texans are hungry for an effective gubernatorial spokesman on energy policy. They are frustrated that our governor hasn't been able to get the Texas viewpoint across in Washington. They are wondering, too, why our governor hasn't been speaking out forcefully for a farm policy that would help our beleaguered farms and ranches."

"I fully agree with the people's assessment; that's why I'm seeking the office of Governor."

"I'm proud of my record as Attorney General and Secretary of State. It shows that I'm not afraid to roll up my sleeves and work hard. It indicates that I have the ability to assemble a capable staff, that I prefer to work closely with people, and that I'm not reluctant to make changes when they can benefit the state. I'll be this kind of governor, given the job."

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Ralph Arnold for a brunch at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, for the first meeting of the year.

The president, Mrs. W. L. England, welcomed members and guests and gave a background of the beginning of the club, which was organized in 1925, with Mrs. C. S. Jackson elected as the first president.

Projects for the year were discussed and Mrs. Marvin Dozier, chairman of the yearbook committee presented the yearbooks to the members. Theme for the yearbook is "The Reality of Dreams." Yearbook committee members are Mrs. Dozier, Mrs. Weldon Middleton and Mrs. Ralph Arnold.

Members present were Mmes. Ralph Arnold, L. L. Jernagan, Frank Brown, T. C. Stanley, Buck Smith, Roy

Young, Weldon Middleton, Ava Crawford, Marvin Dozier, Jo Floyd, George Garrett, Wayne Roberts, W. L. England, C. R. Kendrick, Joyce Krause, Fred Young, M. L. Dobbins and Earl Roach, one new member, Mrs. Tom Tribble and one visitor, Mrs. Maxine Horworth of Fort Worth.

Friendly Neighbors Meeting Recently

The Friendly Neighbors Club met recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kay Rose.

Present were Mmes. Erna Marks, Lady Rodgers, Willie Lois Nichols, Alice Traylor, Tye Hunter, Kay Rose, Bertha Grisham, Charlsie Poe, Frances Campbell, Flora McWilliams, and a visitor, Mrs. Williams.

B. B. Henry Died Monday

Barton B. Henry, 80, was found dead at 1:30 p.m. Monday in Northview Cemetery, where he was cleaning lots. Justice of the Peace J.C. Hodnett ruled death by natural causes.

Funeral services for Mr. Henry will be held at 10:30 Wednesday morning in the Main St. Church of Christ with Paul Wallace officiating. Burial will be in Hurst Ranch Cemetery in Star, Texas.

He was born Nov. 29, 1896, in Mills County, he was a retired farmer. He married Flo Hamilton January 22, 1917, in Star. They moved to Runnels County in 1925, settling on a farm in Wilmett. He retired in 1963 and they moved to Winters. He was a member of the Main St. Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Horrace H. of Sweetwater; two daughters; Mrs. Clyde M. Hamilton of Fort Worth and Mrs. E.R. Allen of New Braunfels; three brothers, Noble N. and Grady G., both of Odessa and Rolla R. of Temple; a sister, Lola Slaughter of Arlington; 11 grandchildren; and 9 great grandchildren.

A daughter, Mrs. Bill Davis, died in 1972.

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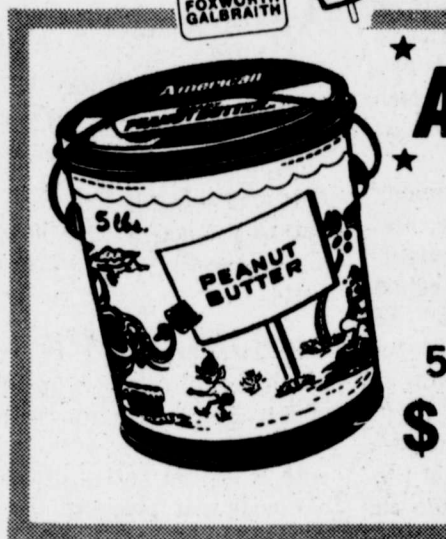
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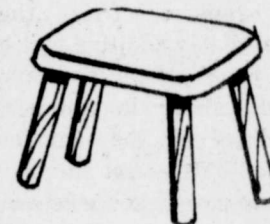
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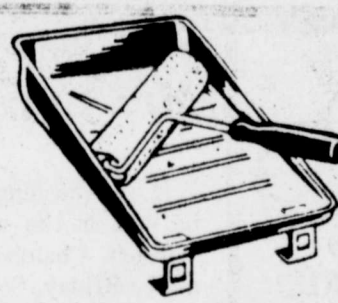


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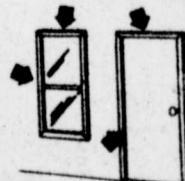
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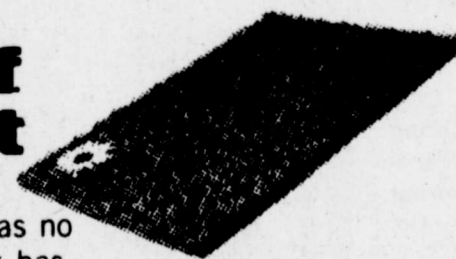


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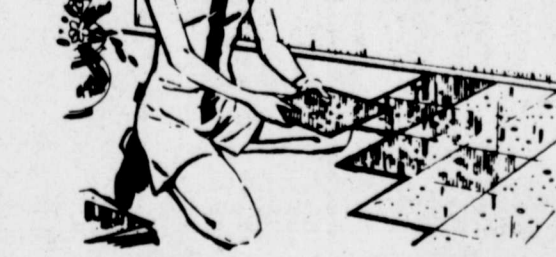
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Krueger Opposes Saccharin Ban

U.S. Congressman Bob Krueger of Texas is throwing his support behind legislation that for 18 months will prevent the Federal Drug Administration from banning the sale of saccharin. That legislation, formulated by Cong. Paul Rogers of Florida and Cong. Lionel Van Deerlin of California, will go to the floor of the House this week.

The legislation, which is similar to a bill Krueger introduced in May that would have replaced the controversial Delaney amendment, was adopted Tuesday in the House Commerce Committee on which Krueger serves.

"We formally recognized last May, when I introduced my amendment in opposition to the Delaney Amendment, that the proposed ban on saccharin is contrary to the wishes of the public and that the Delaney Amendment does not allow government to balance possible dangers of a food additive against what good it might accomplish," Krueger said.

Krueger takes strong issue with the stringent wording of the Delaney Amendment, which requires immediate removal from the market of any additive which tests have shown to have caused cancer in animals, regardless of the amount ingested by the test animal.

Members of the meat packing industry are also opposed to Delaney Amendment provisions, which have resulted in banning of some additives used in preserving and enhancing meat sold in the marketplace.

"The legislation I will be working for allows more study of the relationship between cancer-causing elements in animals as opposed to cancer-causing elements in humans," he said.

The bill also allows for continued sale of saccharin for another 18 months, although it does stipulate that signs must be posted in the sales area informing consumers that saccharin may be dangerous to their health.

"This bill allows government to reach a balance between liabilities and assets of a particular additive, and being able to reach that balance with an additive such as saccharin is essential."

"For instance, the number one killer in this country is not cancer, as commonly thought, but heart disease, often brought about by obesity," Krueger said.

"Many Americans combat obesity through the use of additives such as saccharin and removing saccharin from the market would, no doubt, directly affect the health of many of those Americans, whereas the connection between saccharin and human cancer is only speculative at this time."

Krueger, during testimony before the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, compared what he called "reactionary response" to saccharin to "indifferent response" to the dangers of cigarette smoking.

"It strikes me as ironical," he said, "that so many of the people who have spoken in favor of the saccharin ban do so while blowing cigarette smoke in the faces of the rest of us."

Coffee Friday To Honor Mrs. Gardner

A mid-morning coffee will be held in the office of the Winters Chamber of Commerce Friday, Sept. 30, from 9:30 to 11 a.m., honoring Mrs. John (Mildred) Gardner, who is retiring following sale of Spill Bros. Co. furniture store recently.

Mrs. Gardner had been manager of the business for many years.

The coffee is being sponsored by friends of Mrs. Gardner and the Chamber of Commerce. The public is invited to attend.



RETIRING—Eli Deaton, who has worked in the stamp shop at Dry Manufacturing Division, Wallace Murray

Corp., since Sept. 20, 1960, is retiring. He is shown being congratulated by Mrs. Don Emmert of the personnel

office of the Winters industry. (Staff photo by Joe Eckols)

Open Youth Horse Show At Coleman

The Coleman County Fair Open Youth Horse Show is scheduled at the Coleman

Fair grounds on Fair Day, Saturday, Oct. 1, with judging of classes to begin at 9 a.m.

Entries are open to all youth, age 9 through 18, as of Jan. 1 of the current year,

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TAKE A PEEK at all the bargains in the WANT ADS

Miss Bowden and Mr. Frazier Were Married

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bowden announce the marriage of their daughter, Darlene Marcia, to Mr. Mike Frazier. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Barth of Merkel. Attendants were Susan Kraatz of Tye, and Jess Sparke of Merkel.

The couple will be at home at South 9th St. in Merkel.

Teach Kids About Money

Teach kids about money, recommends Lynn White, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. Children need to know how the family uses its resources.

Perhaps talking in terms of "today's money, yesterday's money and tomorrow's money" will help them understand, the specialist says.

—Today's money is their allowance, the family's paycheck and money on hand.

—Yesterday's money is the part of today's money that will be saved. In the future, at the time of its use, it is yesterday's money.

Encourage children to list the things they want to buy in future that they will want to save yesterday's money for.

Remind them to think about special spending: school supplies, clothing, recreation needs and other expenses of their own, Mrs. White suggests.

—Tomorrow's money, actually credit, is not yet earned, but can sometimes be "advanced." The family's "tomorrow money" may come from any lending source.

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Band To Sell Candles To Raise Money

Members of the Winters High School Blizzard Band are conducting a fund raising campaign beginning next week. They are taking orders for a variety of candles, including special selections for the holiday season.

Money received in this campaign will be used to pay expenses for a trip to El Paso where the band will perform at the Sun Bowl football game New Years'.

Be Busy Club Meeting Monday

The Be Busy Sewing Club met Monday in the home of Mrs. Bill Milliorn. The afternoon was spent doing handwork for the hostess.

Present were Mmes. Lewis Blackmon, M. H. Hogan, Etta Bryan, Lilly Shott, Becky Poe, Eura Lloyd and a visitor, Mrs. James Torrence.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Becky Poe, Oct. 10.

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By Ace Reid



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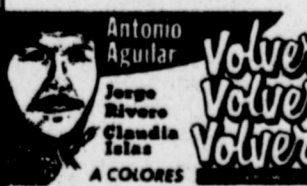


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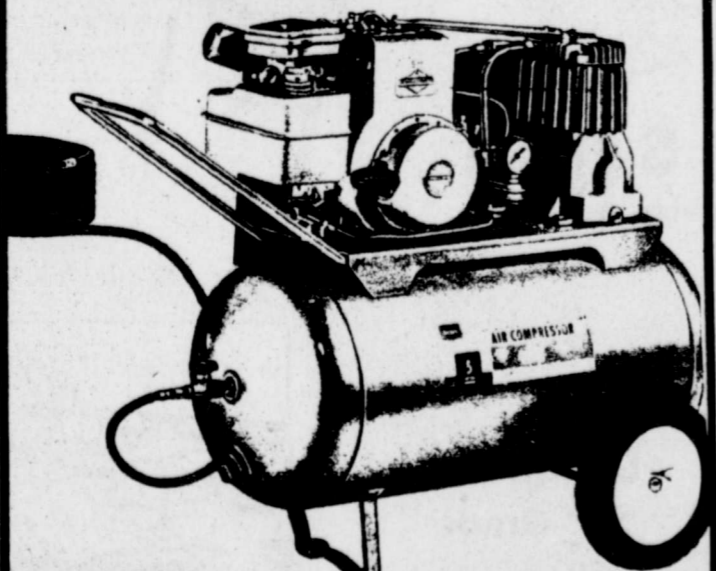
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MR. AND MRS. PATTON

Mr., Mrs. Cecil Patton To Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Patton of Norton will be honored with a reception Sunday, Oct. 2, on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Hosting the reception at Ballinger First National Bank community room will be their children, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wayne Patton, Ronnie Patton, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Patton were married Oct. 1, 1927, in

Ballinger, by the Rev. M. C. Golden, in his home.

They are long time residents of Runnels County, and have lived in the Norton Community for 35 years.

Friends are invited to call between 2 and 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 2.

VISITED HERE

Mrs. Doris Williams of Kingsland, District 21 of the American Legion Auxiliary, visited in Winters Wednesday with J. G. Emmert Sr.

Homemakers Attended Convention

The 15th annual Area IV Young Homemakers of Texas convention was held Sept. 24 at Abilene Christian University.

Attending from Winters were Mrs. Pat Hambricht, Mrs. Sharon Deike, Mrs. Dinell Jacob and Mrs. Brenda Briley. The Winters

chapter was named runner-up as outstanding new Young Makers chapter, with Bryson chapter winning the outstanding new chapter award.

Theme for this year's convention was A Family Is Forever.

County Agent's Column

Cotton Harvest Begins in Runnels County

Cotton harvest is rapidly increasing in Runnels County as producers begin defoliating their crops and readying their cotton strippers, according to Glenn Bragg, County Extension Agent. As of Friday, September 23rd, more than 3,800 bales have been taken to the cotton compress in Ballinger. According to Bragg, an estimated 15 percent of the 38,724 acres planted in Runnels has been harvested. The crop is 3 to 4 weeks earlier than normal and yields are averaging approximately 10 percent less than last year, says Bragg.

The 38,724 acres of cotton will generate approximately \$3,564,000 in Runnels County, using current prices of approximately 45 cents per pound. The cottonseed from the county's crop will add an additional \$297,000 to the gross income.

Prices of cotton are ranging 20 to 25 cents lower than in 1976 and the price of cottonseed is less than half of the 1976 price.

Feeding Gin Trash To Livestock Not Recommended

Cotton harvest is in full swing and many producers are considering the different alternatives of using gin trash, according to Glenn Bragg, County Extension Agent. After collection, the gin trash is disposed of by 3 principle means:

- (1) by returning the trash directly to the field
- (2) by composting, then returning the compost to the land and
- (3) feeding to livestock.

Several studies indicate that gin trash will increase the moisture holding capacity of the soil, which results in yield increases, says the County Agent.

The practice of feeding gin trash to livestock started in 1935, however, the feeding of

WINGATE NEWS

Mrs. Memory Hunter is still a patient in Hendrick Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Calloway of near Plainview were guests of Mrs. Wheat Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Huckaby of Abilene were visiting in the Alvie Talley and Mrs. Denson homes. Others in the Talley home were Leon Bahlman and Earl Cantwell.

Mrs. Virginia Hensley had as guests over the weekend Anita and Jess from Big Spring and Joyce Howard and daughter from San Angelo.

Family Planning

Clinic Wednesday

A family planning clinic will be held at the Winters Multi-Purpose Center, 142 W. Dale, at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 5.

gin trash to livestock is a questionable practice.

Since most producers use arsenic as a defoliant a statement as caution "Do not graze treated fields or feed gin trash to livestock" appears on the label.

Research studies have shown that gin trash will contain various levels of arsenic, up to 700 parts per million. Normally animals will be affected when fed 300 parts per million. However, since only a part of the ration is fed as gin trash,

producers have been feeding the trash for several years without apparent problems. Producers are reminded that

feeding gin trash does not have a USDA clearance and therefore, feeding gin trash is not recommended by the Extension Service, says Bragg.

O'CONNOR'S COLUMN

Seasoning Guide For Vegetables

Spices and herbs add appeal without adding calories. Add seasoning to vegetable as it cooks or lightly sprinkle over food before serving. Begin with 1/4 tsp. dried herb for each 4 servings and increase until desired flavor level is reached. To use dried herbs in leaf form, measure and then crush before adding to vegetable. To use fresh herbs, use 3 times more of the seasoning and snip, rather than crush. Use fresh herbs when available.

Artichoke: bay leaf, marjoram, thyme.

Asparagus: caraway seed, mustard, nutmeg, oregano, savory, thyme.

Beans-green: basil, dill, marjoram, mustard, nutmeg, oregano, savory, thyme.

Beets: allspice, bay leaf, caraway seed, cloves, ginger, mustard.

Broccoli: caraway seed, mustard, oregano, tarragon.

Brussels sprouts: caraway seed, mustard, nutmeg, sage.

Cabbage: caraway seed, celery seed, cumin, curry powder, fennel, mustard.

Carrots: allspice, bay leaf, cinnamon, curry powder, dill, ginger.

Cauliflower: cayenne, celery seed, chili powder, nutmeg, paprika, rosemary.

Corn: cayenne, celery seed, chili powder, curry powder, paprika.

Eggplant: allspice, bay leaf, chili powder, marjoram.

Onions: bay leaf, mustard, oregano, paprika, sage.

Peas: chili powder, dill, oregano, poppy seed, rosemary, sage.

Potatoes: caraway seed, fennel, mustard, oregano, paprika, sesame seed.

Spinach: allspice, cinnamon, nutmeg, oregano, rosemary, sesame seed.

Squash: allspice, bay leaf,

cinnamon, cloves, ginger, nutmeg, paprika.

Sweet potatoes: cardamom seed, cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg, poppy seed.

Tomatoes: basil, celery seed, chili powder, curry powder, oregano.

Turnips: allspice, celery seed, curry powder, dill, oregano.

Low calorie cooking tip: Substitute lemon juice or crushed herbs for butter or margarine to add flavor to vegetables and to keep calorie count at a minimum.

Softness Gatherers

Fashion's mood is soft gathers, says Mrs. Juanita O'Connor, county extension agent.

Styles are soft blouses, dirndl skirts, ruffled trims or dresses that hang gently from the shoulder. Fabrics are featherweight knits, challis, crepe de chine or flannel.

But gathers are the major structural detail. These tips will help make gathering easier and attractive:

—For even and small folds, use a stitch that is only as long as necessary. Woven or knitted fabrics that are thick and closely constructed usually need longer stitches than do woven or knitted fabrics that are lightweight and loosely constructed.

—When gathering heavy or bulky fabrics, stitch to each seamline, stop and start again on the other side of the seam. Push seam allowances to the opposite side so that the gathering stitches can go all the way to the seamline.

—To gather a long area, divide into several sections that can be drawn separately.

—Before drawing up the gathers, pin the matching notches or seamlines together. Draw the gathering threads to fit the area. Distribute the fullness evenly.

To gather with a straight stitch, first slightly loosen the upper tension so bobbin thread will draw easier. Use

heavy duty bobbin thread such as silk or nylon to minimize breakage.

Run two rows of stitching for better control and evenness. Stitch from the right side.

If ripped stitches leave their marks in the fabric, stitch along the seamline and again 1/4" within the seam allowance. If ripped stitches don't show, consider making each row of stitches 1/8" on each side of the seamline.

To gather with a zigzag, adjust the machine for medium to wide stitch width. Place fabric under pressure foot wrong side up. Take 1 stitch through the fabric so that all zigzagging will be within the seam allowance but next to the seamline.

Pull the bobbin thread up through the fabric. Pull both the bobbin and top threads together to be the length of the area to be gathered. Zigzag over these threads without catching them in the stitches.

Gather by pulling the encased threads.

How We Spend

Of 214.5 million Americans, no two have exactly the same spending habits, says Mrs. O'Connor, county extension agent.

Yet most of us are at least mildly curious as to how other people use their money.

According to the Bureau of Labor, here's how families spend:

Percentage of Income	
20-26	Housing
20-30	Food
7-9	Transportation
9-11	Clothing and Personal Care
4-9	Medical Care
5-8	Other family consumption
8-19	Personal taxes
4-6	Social security and disability withholdings
4-5	Other items
	Cheese and Noodle Casserole
	1 6 1/2 oz. package noodles
	1/4 c. butter
	1/4 c. chopped green onions
	1/4 c. flour
	1/4 tsp. salt

1/2 tsp. dry mustard
2 1/2 c. milk
1 c. shredded American cheese
4 drops of hot sauce
8 to 10 slices cottage ham roll, cut in half
1/2 tsp. paprika

Cook the noodles according to package directions, then drain and rinse. Melt the butter in a saucepan. Add the onions and cook over low heat until soft, but not brown. Blend in the flour, salt, paprika and mustard. Add the milk and cook, stirring constantly, until smooth and thickened. Stir in the cheese and hot sauce and blend well. Add the noodles. Pour into a 2-quart shallow casserole and arrange ham slices in rows on top of noodles mixture. Bake at 350 degrees for about 25 minutes or until bubbly. Sliced smoke butt or Canadian bacon may be substituted for ham roll. 6-8 servings.

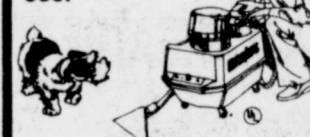
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County Tax Notices Mailed

As Runnels County tax notices were being prepared for mailing to county taxpayers about Oct. 1, Jack Farmer, tax assessor-collector, reminded taxpayers that the total amount on the statement does not represent county taxes.

Farmer said there had been some confusion in the past, because the Runnels County tax statement includes, in some instances, taxes due not only the county, but special districts

for which the county collects.

Included on the tax statement, in addition to actual county taxes assessed, will be the State tax .10 per \$100 assessed value, and also, where applicable, .50 per \$100 for North Runnels Hospital District; .25 for Elm Creek Water Control District; .20 for Willow Creek Water Control District; .10 for Valley Creek Water Control District; 1.45 for Miles School District;

and 1.75 for Olfen School District.

Farmer said assessed value is 35 percent of market value.

By paying county taxes in October, Farmer said, taxpayers can save 3 percent; 2 percent in November; and 2 percent in December. The net will be due in January, 1978, with a January 31 deadline for paying county taxes, and all other taxes listed on the county-prepared tax notice.

Other directors of the Elm Creek Water Control District are David Ledbetter of Bradshaw, chairman of the board; W. C. (Bud) Davis of Winters, secretary-treasurer; Malcom Holliday of Bradshaw, Charles Clifton of Ballinger, N. L. Faubion of Crews, James Mueller of Ballinger and Walter Spill of Winters.

Faubion and Spill have been members of the board since the district was organized under authority of the State Legislature in a special legislative act in 1967. The late J. E. (Buck) Smith was also a member of the original board.

University where he earned his bachelor of science degree in agronomy, Colburn is a native of Winters. He and his wife, Dorece, a native of Bryan, retired in Winters about a year ago.

Colburn is a charter member of the Soil Conservation Service Society of America and is presently a member of the Concho Valley chapter of the society.

He has done extensive work with watershed programs, and has recently renewed work in this area through study of the Winters municipal water storage and flood control program.

Lee Colburn Named To Water Board

Lee Colburn of Winters was recently named as a director of the Elm Creek Water Control District, to fill the vacancy created by the death of the late J. E. (Buck) Smith.

Colburn is a retired Soil Conservation Service employee. He worked for SCS for 35 years while living in South Carolina, during which time he served as a soil scientist and for 18 years as an area conservationist.

A 1939 graduate of Texas A&M

Hints For Economy Bread Buying

Bread buying for economy should be "by weight"—and for nutrition, its label should say "enriched" or "whole grained."

That advice from Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Other bread-buying notes include these:

—a compact loaf will appear much smaller than a larger soft loaf, yet it might weigh as much.

—when consumers choose bread by "size" instead of "weight," they might pay for

air.

—a two-pound loaf usually costs less per pound than a one-pound loaf.

—usually the standard white loaf is the least expensive item on the bread counter, and standard whole wheat bread cost little more—if any.

—ingredients must be listed in order of the amounts used, from largest to the smallest.

Some brief descriptions of various breads are these:

—White: contains refined wheat flour, liquid, salt, yeast and certain optional ingredients.

—High protein: quantity of milk used is higher than in standard white bread, and it may contain pure wheat germ and high protein flour. Its texture is coarser and its color creamier than standard white bread.

—French, Italian, Vienna: use high protein flour—and they use water instead of milk to produce thick, crisp crust.

—Salt Rising: leavened with a special bacterial ferment instead of yeast. Texture is fine and close-grained, and the flavor and odor are cheese-like.

Salads Are Wholesome

Salads are wholesome and welcome, says Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Fruit salads, salad plates and cheeses provide vitamins A and C, calcium, and other minerals and vitamins.

Vitamin A is abundant in popular green and yellow salad vegetables. Vitamin A helps keep skin and linings of nose, mouth and inner organs in good condition, Miss Reasonover says.

Vitamin C helps maintain tissues throughout the body. Citrus fruits, tomatoes, melons and raw green vegetables—all used in salads—help to supply our daily need of this vitamin.

Green peas, lima beans and some green leafy vegetables provide B-vitamins for steady nerves, normal appetite, good digestion, and healthy skin, says the specialist.

Cheese provides calcium needed for strong bones that form the framework of the body and to help build teeth. Calcium also helps muscles work and nerves to carry messages. It also helps blood to clot and to keep the heart beating.

For Stay-healthy salad

School District Tax Notices Oct. 1

Johnny B. Smith, tax collector for Winters Independent School District, said tax notices for the district will go into the mail about Oct. 1.

There will be no change in the tax rate for 1977 taxes, Smith said. It has been about seven years since any significant tax increase has been made by the school district, he said.

An increase in the total levy for

1977 raises the total to \$434,133.43 from the previous year's total of \$425,068.93, Smith said. 1977 assessed value for the district for 1977 is \$37,466,680. Taxes are computed at a 90 percent ration, at \$1.10, all marked for maintenance service. The district's last bonded indebtedness was paid off some years ago, so no amount of the anticipated 96 percent of collections is

earmarked for debt service.

Taxes amount to 41.19 percent of the local school district budget, Smith said. The remainder comes from State sources.

School district taxpayers may take advantage of a 1 percent discount in total if taxes are paid during October, it was said.

Read & Use The Classifieds

Some classified ads play con games, says Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. Beware of companies that run "Help Wanted" ads, then charge for training or equipment.

Besides not getting a job, you may lose money, the specialist says.

Both the giraffe and the camel can close their nostrils at will.

Winters Scouts In Training At Tonkawa

Five members of Winters Boy Scout Troop 249 were among 65 Boy Scouts from the Chisholm Trail Council who participated in the junior leadership training held at Camp Tonkawa Sept. 23-25. Training consisted of the boys doing all the cooking, camping and leadership training.

The boys were divided into eight patrols, with the Winters and Baird boys in the Beaver Patrol. The Beaver Patrol won first place in the compass course con-

test, and second place in overall patrol spirit.

Winters Boy Scouts in the Beaver Patrol were Clay Bailey, Ralph Austin, Tony Blackshear, Elias Arispi and Jim Bob Blackshear. Baird boys were Jeff Day, Mike McCormick, Davlyn Belash and Charles Hurt.

Liberalized divorce is easing alimony, reports Debby Johnson, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. More and more states are going to short-term alimony, where support is gradually decreased and eventually terminated, the specialist says.

SS Rep Sets Winters Visits

Peter Gonzales, social security representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his October visits to Winters.

He will be at the office of the Winters Housing Authority Monday, Oct. 17, and 31, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

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



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