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Sign-Up For Adult Classes Next Tuesday

An organizational meeting for adult vocational classes will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 23, in the Winters High School auditorium. The classes will be presented by Winters Independent School district in cooperation with Texas State Technical Institute of Sweetwater.

Interest from prospective students indicates that courses will be offered in welding, bookkeeping, office machines, office practice, filing, and typing I and II. Superintendent of Schools Bill Graves said Tuesday. The courses are designed to teach beginning skills in each area, except for typing II.

There will be no cost to the students for the courses, which will be taught on various evenings each week until Christmas. Each course must have a minimum enrollment of 10 students to be included in the program.

Supt. Graves said he is experiencing some difficulty in securing instructors for all courses, and that some classes may not be offered this semester.

All interested adults are urged to attend the organizational meeting next

Tuesday. Additional courses in auto repair, nurses' aide, and electronics will be considered if enough interest is shown.

Lions Golf Tourney Re-Set

The annual Lions Club Golf Tournament, which had been scheduled for last Saturday, will be played Saturday of this week. The tournament was rained out last week.

Several golfers have signed up for the 18 holes of golf, many from out of town.

Immunization Clinic At School

An immunization clinic will be held in the school nurse's office of Winters Elementary School Friday, September 26, beginning at 10 a.m.

Children who need shots or booster shots will receive them during this clinic.

FFA Sweetheart Contest Next Monday

The annual FFA Sweetheart contest will be held Monday, September 22, at 8 p.m., in the Winters High School auditorium.

Winner will represent the Winters Future Farmers in the area contests later in the school year.

Contestants will have a practice session Sunday at 2 p.m.

Candidates for the contest are:

Seniors: Dana Davis, daughter of Mrs. Joan Howard; Cindy Seals, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Seals; and Rita Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cooper.

Juniors: Cathy Colburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Colburn; Susan

Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Williams; and Donna Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Carroll.

Sophomores: Rhonda Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter; Prissy Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Roach; and Leslie Dunlap, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dunlap.

Freshman: Denna Danford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Danford; Omega Ortiz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ubalde Ortiz; and Toni Hambricht, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hambricht.

The public has been invited to attend this FFA Sweetheart contest.

Blizzards To Coleman Friday

The Winters Blizzards, fresh and up after their 13-7 win over the Merkel Badgers last Friday night, go on the road again this week, seeking their second win of the season as they meet the Coleman Bluecats.

Coach Jimmy Stubblefield said the Blizzards showed a lot of improvement in the game with Merkel, but much more is needed—and expected—for the Coleman game. The squad will work on passes and blocking this week.

Coleman will be looking for their first win of the season when they meet the Blizzards Friday night. The Bluecats were defeated by Sonora in the opening game, and then last week dropped a close one to the Brady



RADIO FOR POLICE—Mike Briley and Rick Davis, representing the Winters Jaycees, present Winters Chief of Police Luther (Doc) Smith with a small Citizen Band radio, to be installed in one of the police cars. Because so many people now have CB radios, in their autos

or at home, the Jaycees said they felt that a CB unit in the police car would provide instant communication between the public and the police, without having to use the telephone, and the regular police radios.



Who's Got the Doggone Fire Plug ... ?

... Someone made a short turn at the corner of Lamar and Arlington recently, and knocked over a fire plug and the street sign post. The fire plug was of the "break-away" type, with the water cutoff below the break, so there was no water lost. Water Department superintendent Jim Hamner said his crew had left the plug lying beside the outlet overnight, with plans to pick it up and repair it. The next morning the plug was gone. The broken-off fire plug might be a nice conversation piece in some den, but they are quite expensive, Hamner said, and the City Water Department would like to have it back.

Jaycees To Have Competition Shoot At Lake Rifle Range

The Winters Jaycees will sponsor a competition shoot at the rifle range at the Winters City Lake, Sunday, September 21, with shooting to begin at 1 p.m.

Several divisions will be offered, with competition in both trap and target shooting.

Proceeds from this shoot will be used by the Jaycees for community service projects.

Bulldogs.

The Bluecats are a big tough team, and throw in speed to provide tough competition. They outweigh the Blizzards almost throughout. Coleman works from the wishbone on offense, field-commanded by junior quarterback Jim Hargett. Grant Brown in the backfield also provides a lot of speed. Coleman uses the 4-3 on defense.

There are 19 returning lettermen on the Bluecat squad, with a big line. Guards are 193 and 200, while tackles tip the scales at 190 and 185.

Coach Stubblefield said there may yet be some changes in the lineups for the Coleman game, but below are the probables:

OFFENSE

Marvin Moore, QB.
Mike Helm, FB.
Jimmy Chapman, HB.
Flent McNeill, HB.
Tony Johnson, SE.
Jack Fairey, C.
Darrell Kurtz, G.
Douglas Rogers, G.
Phil Colburn, T.
Jerry Willis, T.
Douglas Williams or Kent McNeill, TE.

DEFENSE

Tye Rougas, HB.
Jeff Buxkemper, T.
Musick, T.
Gary Schwartz, LB.
Jack Fairey, LB.
Kent McNeill, E.
Mike Helm, E.
Jimmy Chapman, CB.
Darrell Kurtz, CB.
Marvin Moore, HB.
Flent McNeill, HB.

Water Corp. Manager Is Named

LaDell Davis has been named general manager for the North Runnels Rural Water Supply Corporation, effective September 1.

Davis, who has been president of the board of directors of the rural water distribution corporation since its

beginning, resigned from the board upon his appointment to the position of manager.

Davis said the non-profit corporation will open a temporary office in Winters within a few days.

Most of the right-of-way easements for phase 1 of the project have been obtained, Davis said, and the engineers should have the final plans for this first phase within a short time. Funds for construction of this first phase of the project have already been assured by the Farmers Home Administration. Applications for grants and loans to build the second phase of the water distribution project are being prepared for forwarding, it was said.

Named by the board to succeed Davis as president of the non-profit corporation board of directors was Sam Faubion. E. F. Albro was named vice president, and Morris Robinson, secretary-treasurer.

Building Permit Obtained For New Apartment Complex

The Bright Co. of Fort Worth has obtained a building permit for construction of a rental housing complex in Winters, Buford Baldwin, City Secretary, said Tuesday.

Baldwin said the permit is for a \$110,000 project. The rental housing project will be built in the vicinity of the housing project of the Winters Housing Authority, between the Authority housing and Huffman House cafeteria, it was understood. This will be a privately-constructed and operated project.

Voter Registration Requirements Have Been Clarified

Secretary of State Mark White reminded Texans the deadline for filing new voter registrations for the upcoming Constitutional election is October 3, 1975.

In a statement issued from his Capitol office, White said, "As the State's Chief Election Official, I sincerely urge you to participate in the electoral process. Your vote is your voice in government and it is your right and privilege to cast that vote."

"Our laws make it easier to register to vote in Texas than in any other state," stressed White.

"Bilingual instructions and forms are provided with each voter guide now being mailed to all postal patrons in

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Band Booster Member Drive Is Underway

The annual membership drive of the Blizzard Band Boosters got underway this week, with a goal of 500 family memberships, and will end next Wednesday. Mrs. Bob Lindsey is president of the Band Booster organization.

This drive will be about the only drive for financial benefits this year, it was said, with possibly some bake sales added during the year.

Family membership in the Band Boosters is \$3 per year, with business memberships at \$5. Funds raised by the membership drive are used to purchase instruments and equipment, and to provide funds for trips to music festivals and the like.

Members of the band and officers of the Boosters will sell memberships in the Blizzard Band Boosters.



FINISH POLICE SCHOOL—Bobby Butts, left, and Wesley McGallion, members of the Winters Police Department, recently completed the Basic Law Enforcement course in Abilene, sponsored by the West

Central Texas Council of Governments. All members of police departments now must take similar courses to be certified law enforcement officers under State statute.

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**R. O. Hood
Died Tuesday
In Winters**

Richard O. "Chaney" Hood, 61, of Winters, died at 4:30 a.m. Sept. 16, at the North Rannels Hospital following injuries suffered in an auto accident on Sept. 9.

Born Aug. 27, 1914, in Claude.

He married Velma Mann of McLean, in 1940. He moved to Winters in 1951.

Mr. Hood was employed at John's International, Inc. in Winters, and was a member of the North Main Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jerry D. Hood of Winters; two daughters,

Mrs. Charles Bahlman of San Antonio, Betty Hood, a student in Abilene Christian College; a brother, W. N. Hood of Pampa; a sister, Mrs. Homer Hodge of Winters, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday in the Main Street Church of Christ with Paul Wallace, minister, and Glenn Gray of Arlington, a former minister of the Winters Church, officiating.

Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery under direction of Spill Funeral Home.

COW POKES By Ace Reid



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NORTON CLASS OF '55-The Class of 1955, Norton High School, held their first reunion since graduation, at the Ballinger City Park in August. The Norton School burned several years ago, and the district was consolidated with Winters and Ballinger districts. Attending the class reunion were, left to right, Jane (Berry) Watson, San Angelo; Lou (Bryan) Scott, Athens; Lonnie Fowler, Winters; Mary Stanfield, teacher in the Norton School for 10 years, and now teaching in Winters; Shirley (Bowden) Hambricht, Abilene; Carl Horton, Saginaw; Janet (Minzenmayer) Sanders, Shreveport, La.; and Wanda (Dyess) Ramirez, San Angelo. Other members of the class, unable to attend the reunion live in Hurst, Houston and Fort Worth. Plans are for another reunion in 1976.

**Mrs. C. Davis
Died Tuesday
Of Last Week**

Mrs. Clifton Davis, 74, died at 4 p.m. Tuesday of last week in North Rannels Hospital, following a short illness.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. David Crooks, pastor, and the Rev. Richard Chaffin, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Santa Anna, officiating.

Burial was in Northview Cemetery under direction of Spill Funeral Home.

She was born Lettie Alma Cottress, Feb. 24, 1901, in Tuscaloosa County, Ala. In 1907 the family moved to Taylor County settling in Tuscola.

Mrs. Davis attended school in Abilene and graduated from A&I College in Kingsville. She taught school for 23 years. She later moved to Rannels County and was married to Clifton Davis, Aug. 17, 1940, at Winters. Following her marriage she taught school in the Dale Community east of Winters for several years.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Mr. Davis died Feb. 28, 1968.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Joyce Skinner of Austin and Mrs. Venita Worthington of Fresno, Calif. a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charlotte Davis of Winters; two sisters, Mrs. Irving Dean of Santa Anna and Mrs. Louis Weston of Fallbrook, Calif.; six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ernest Smith, Wilma C. Davis, LaDell Davis, R. Q. Marks, Dennis Poe and Bobby W. Bowen.

Hawaii Imports
Hawaii imported the pineapple from the Caribbean, the ukulele from Portugal, and the grass skirt from Samoa.

WINGATE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hensley of Walnut Springs have recently visited in the Duncan Hensley, David Bryan and Mrs. I. G. Hensley homes.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Briley and Bryan of Midland, were guests in the home of Mrs. W. W. Wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leonard of Monroe, La. are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Cloy Allen.

Monty England was home from Wasco to be with his family.

Lutheran Ladies Aid Circle Met

The Ladies Aid Circle of St. John's Lutheran Church met in regular session in the Fellowship Hall of the church at 2 p.m. September 5. Mrs. Walter Gerhart, president, presided, and Mrs. Robert Gerhart was program chairman. The meeting opened with the group singing. Mrs. Ellis Ueckert gave the devotional.

Mrs. Robert Gerhart, Mrs. Herman Spill and Mrs. Erwin Schroeder were Bible study leaders. Mrs. W. F. Minzenmayer played a piano solo for those having birthdays in September.

Mrs. John Hiller, Mrs. Bill Hoppe and Miss Emma L. Henniger were hostesses for the September meeting.

CARD OF THANKS

Your prayers, cards, visits and expressions of concern were gratefully received during my surgery and recovery. I wish to thank all of you for the strength and encouragement given to me during this time.

Sincerely Homer Hodge
28-ltc.

**Mrs. McNeill
Died Friday
In Abilene**

Mrs. Ethel Alice McNeill, 68, of Abilene, and formerly of Winters, died at 5:45 p.m. Friday in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Services were at 11 a.m. Monday in First Baptist Church in Abilene, with graveside services at 2 p.m. in Fairview Cemetery at Winters.

Services were under direction of Spill Funeral Home of Winters. A supervisor for Hendrick Home for Children in Abilene for a number of years, she was born Jan. 3, 1907 in Pioneer and later lived in Winters.

Her husband, Clovis, died in 1951.

Survivors include two sons, Jerry McNeill of Austin and Dr. Virtus E. Gideon of

Fort Worth; her mother, Mrs. Minnie McDonald of Colorado City; two sisters, Mrs. Woodrow McHugh of Eunice, N. M., and Mrs. C. B. Webb of Colorado City; a brother, W. A. McDonald of Ballinger; and three grandchildren.

**Help Is Needed
In Stand
At FB Field**

Additional help is needed at the concession stand operated by the Blizzard Band Boosters at the football field, it was announced this week. Especially is help needed during varsity football games.

Following a meeting of the Boosters Monday evening, a call went out for extra help to operate the stand. Those interested in working at the stand are asked to call 754-4172 at any time, or 754-4108 after 5 p.m.

IN BUCHANAN HOME
Visiting Sunday with the Joe Buchanans have been Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pearce of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and sons of Lawn and Doyle Buchanan and daughters of Ovalo.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Bea Tekell would like to express their sincere appreciation for all the acts of kindness, the flowers, food, cards and memorials given in her name.

To Dr. Rives, the nursing staff at the hospital, Ted, and everyone else concerned in any way we offer our heart felt thanks.

To Rev. Virgil James, Rev. Temple Lewis, Rev. Clovis Griffin who helped make our sorrow a little bit easier to bear we say Thank You. family of Bea Tekell 28-ltc.

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GOLDEN CORN 3 FOR **\$1**

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SWEET PEAS 16-oz. Can 3 FOR **\$1**

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PEPPERS 16-oz. **53¢**

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STEAK

lb. **98¢**

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ROAST

lb. **89¢**

ARMOUR STAR
CANNED PICNIC
\$3.79
3-lb. CAN

CLUB SWIFT PROTEIN BEEF
Steak lb. **\$1.49**

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Steak lb. **\$1.79**

SIRLOIN SWIFT PROTEIN BEEF
STEAK lb. **\$1.69**

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Bologna lb. **79¢**

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FRANKS 12-oz. PKG. **63¢**

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HOT LINKS 7-lb. **89¢**

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BEEF lb. **89¢**

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ROAST lb. **\$1.19**

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FOR SALE: OAK WOOD \$40, Mesquite wood, \$30. R. L. Russell, 406 S. Melwood. 754-5043 23-12tp.

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FOR SALE: WE HAVE 84 winch, grain, gravel, van, mixer, crane, gas & diesel truck tractors etc. 51 loby (15 or 50 ton), tank, van, pole, gooseneck, oilfield, dump, grain, 1-2 & 3 axle flat floats etc. We got gum - Need money, Call now 817-725-6181, Johnston Truck, Cross Plains. 27-3tc.

FOR SALE: CADDO wheat seed sacked and treated. Nortex oats in bulk. Call M. E. Mathis, 754-4310. 24-1tfc.

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Advertising Pays

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GARAGE SALE: 501 E. Truitt, good clothing, and odds and ends. 28-1tc.

GARAGE SALE: FRI & Sat., all day starting at 9 a.m. and Sun. afternoon, Sept. 19-21. Several families. We have a little bit of everything. Clothes sizes 3-18. At the home of Mrs. Floyd Sims 1010 State St. 28-1tp.

NEIGHBORHOOD CAR- port sale: A little of everything, 110 Mel Street. Thurs., Fri., and till noon Sat. 28-1tc.

LOST & FOUND

LOST OR STOLEN: BOB- tail Siamese cat. Call 754-4870. Child's pet. 28-tfc.

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HELP WANTED: FEMALE ATTENTION DEMONSTRATORS — Toys & Gifts. Work now thru December. FREE Sample Kit. No experience needed. Call or Write Santa's Parties, Avon, Conn. 06001. Phone 1 (203) 673-3455. Also Booking Parties. 22-8tc.

HELP WANTED: FULL time stock clerk. Apply at Piggly Wiggly 339 S. Main. 20-tfc.

HELP WANTED: NURSES Aid for the 10 p.m. — 6 a.m. shift. Apply in person at Merrill's Senior Citizens Nursing Home — Winters, Texas. 28-tfc.

HELP WANTED: TYPIST, call 754-5221 during the hours of 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 28-tfc

HELP WANTED: APPLI- cations are being taken for the teacher's position at the Winters Child Development Center. Applicants must have experience in working with small children, able to attend out-of-town workshops and staff meetings. Persons interested in this position should write P.O. Box 820 Coleman, Texas 76834, Head Start Department. Deadline for applications to be in is October 1, 1975. Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer. 28-2tc.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To: Raymond R. Walston
Defendant, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 13th day of October 1975, at or before ten o'clock A.M. before the Honorable 119th District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Ballinger, Texas.
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 5th day of May A.D. 1975, in this cause, numbered 9640 on the docket of said court, and styled, Alderman-Cave Milling & Grain Company Plaintiff, vs. Raymond R. Walston Defendant.
The names of the parties to the cause are as follows:
Alderman-Cave Milling & Grain Company are Plaintiffs and Raymond R. Walston are Defendants.
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:
Petition of Plaintiff to have Judgment against Defendant for the sum of \$3,646.72 with interest thereon at the rate of 10% per annum, as provided in said note, from May 5, 1975, until paid, also Attorney's fees with interest and cost of suit.
As is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.
If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.
Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 27th day of August A.D. 1975.
Attest:
Myrt Jobe Clerk,
District Court, Runnels County, Texas.
By Deputy.

WANTED

WANTED: SCRAP IRON, cables, metals. Ballinger, Salvage Company. 27-tfc

Miscellaneous

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NO HUNTING, FISHING or Trespassing on land owned by Barbara L. Smith and/or Vera Lafoon. Violators will be prosecuted. 28-tfc.

NOTICE: VFW POST 9193 Will have a bar-b-que Sat. Sept. 20, 1975, at 8 p.m. for a membership drive. All members who have paid their dues for 1976 eat free — those who haven't and guests will be charged a fee of \$2 a plate. 28-1tc.

New X-11 Reducing Plan 42 Tablets \$3.00 Main Drug Co. 20-10tp.

CARD OF THANKS
Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings, and other kindnesses; we are deeply grateful. —The family of E. G. Bridwell 28-1tp

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
The City of Winters, Texas, has applied to the Texas Department of Health Resources for a permit to operate a Type II solid waste disposal site and a proposed brush disposal site each on a 15-acre tract of land to be located along the east side of an unnamed county road 0.4 mile south of Farm to Market Road 53, and 1.7 miles west of U.S. 83, in Runnels County, Texas. It is estimated that the facility will receive an average of approximately 3 tons of municipal solid waste per day.
Pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Solid Waste Disposal Act (Article 4477.7, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes) and the Texas Department of Health Resources Municipal Solid Waste Regulations, a public hearing on the aforesaid application will be held in the Civic Center of the City of Ballinger, Texas, at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 7, 1975, to receive evidence on the conditions, if any, under which the permit may be issued.
A copy of the complete application may be reviewed by contacting the Texas Department of Health Resources. Anyone who wishes to appear and make a presentation at the public hearing will be heard, and submitted to the Hearing Examiner at the time of the hearing or in advance thereof by mail.
Issued this 3rd day of September, 1975.
Fristis L. Duff, M. D., Director
Texas Department of Health Resources
By: G. R. Herzik
G. R. Herzik, Jr., P. E.
Deputy Director for
Environmental and Consumer
Health Protection
Texas Department of Health Resources 28-1tc.

FD President Wesley Vogler Has Resigned

Wesley Vogler, president of the Winters Volunteer Firemen, said Tuesday morning he is submitting his resignation as president, and also as a member of the Fire Department, effective September 15.
Leonard Bowden, who has been vice president of the Volunteer Firemen, will step up to president, Vogler said. Vogler has been a member of the Volunteer Firemen for seven years. He said he had enjoyed his years as a fireman, and appreciated the cooperation of all concerned during his tenure of office. Vogler also is a member of the board of trustees of Winters Independent School District.

LUNCHROOM MENU

Monday, Sept. 22, 1975
Western spaghetti, tossed green salad with French dressing, seasoned corn, white cake with orange topping, garlic butter French bread, milk or chocolate milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 23, 1975
Hamburgers or ham sandwiches, French fries, catsup in cups, fruit salad, cheese sticks, Devil's food cake, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 24, 1975
Chicken pot pie, tossed green salad with French dressing, dill pickles, chocolate chip cookies, hot rolls, butter, milk or chocolate milk.
Thursday, Sept. 25, 1975
Meat balls and spaghetti, green beans, jello with whipped cream, oat meal cookies, hot rolls, butter, milk or chocolate milk.
Friday, Sept. 26, 1975
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Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help during our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings, and other kindnesses; we are deeply grateful. —The family of Mrs. Clifton Davis 28-1tc

THANKS

I am closing my practice in Winters effective Sept. 30. The business office will remain open through October for the convenience of my patients.
I want to express my appreciation to Dr. Rives, Dr. McCright, the members of the Hospital Board, Jim Shook, the staff at North Runnels Hospital, Winters Chamber of Commerce and all the residents of Winters and the surrounding communities for their continued support. —Yung Kee Lee, M.D. 28-1tc.

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Joe and I would like to take this means of thanking our friends and neighbors, Drs. Rives and Lee and the Hospital Staff for their concern for me while I was in the North Runnels Hospital for tests.
Your visits to the hospital and to my home have been greatly appreciated. —Mrs. Joe Awalt 28-1tp.

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CREWS NEWS

A father is a person who forks over \$1,000 for his daughters wedding and then reads in the paper that he gave her away.

The rains came and went. We are happy out here for every drop that fell. Mr. Norvel Alexander reports 7/10, Bury Campbell 1 6/10. Some farmers have enough moisture to sow their small grain.

Rev. Mike Jenkins, Miss Debbie Bradshaw of Brownwood, Bro. Haeward Morrison of San Antonio, were Sunday dinner guest with the Hazel Deitz.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Arthur Alcorn is home after spending sometime in Hendricks Hospital. Calling on her since she returned were, Willie Hale, Mrs. Cora Petrie, Arnold Alcorn, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alcorn and daughters.

Mrs. Betty Whittemore of Pueblo, Colo., is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Faubion and family several days.

Mrs. Robert Hill and Mrs. Mike Hill visited with Mrs. Virgil Low in Wilmeth, other visitors in the Low home was Mrs. John Ball of Junction, and Mrs. Harrell Sanders of Iran.

Visitors during the week of the Marvin Hambrights were, Mrs. Carl Baldwin, Mrs. Gladys Wilson, Mrs. Effie Deitz, Mrs. Lillie Osborne and Selma, Mrs. Geraldine Lange and son, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Faubion and family of Ballinger, and Clarence Hambricht.

Raymond Kurtz shot a rattler in half with a shotgun in his chicken yard.

Mr. and Mrs. George McBeth of Rotan were recent visitors with the Chester McBeths, Lyndon McBeth of Monahans also came home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Obed Fuller are in Houston visiting her brother Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black.

Mrs. L. C. Fuller and Mrs. O. C. Fuller were in Abilene to see her Dr. Mrs. Fuller went to Coleman to be with her brother-in-law, Mr. John May who has returned home from Hendrick Hospital, he is doing nicely.

Mrs. Fuller says she's great grandma instead of great-great, a pencil mistake. On Monday ladies quilted a friendship quilt in the fellowship hall at the Hopewell Church.

The Calvin Hoppe family was in San Angelo to visit his brother Leland Hoppe who is in Shannon Hospital, he is doing real well. They also the Jimmy Hoppe home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Busnsenlehner and son visited with the Mike Kozelsky's in Snyder Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Matthews were in San Angelo Sunday for her parents 62th anniversary. Dinner was served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Osborne were in Fort Worth Saturday and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Owens a nephew. On Saturday they visited with Bro. Bob Scott and family and on Sunday they attended Church in Dublin with the Hopewell pastor Harold Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Prater and their friends of San Angelo spent the weekend with the N. L. Faubions.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith and boys of Winnie are spending the week with the Clyde Bervards.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacob helped their daughter Beverly move Friday and also visited with their daughter Brenda in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Busnsenlehner and son were dinner guest Tuesday of the Walter Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wood were in Temple to visit her sister Mrs. Jean Huffman for the weekend.

Robert Wright Died In Bronte Tuesday

Robert Leslie Wright, 69, died at 7:45 a.m. Tuesday of last week in the Bronte Hospital, following a short illness.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Friday in Spill Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. Temple Lewis of the Wilmeth Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Wilmeth Cemetery under direction of Spill Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wright was born at Weatherford, March 6, 1906. In 1922 the Wright family moved to the Wilmeth Community, where he had farmed for 53 years. He

married Mrs. Nell Hill, April 10, 1959, at Mertzton.

Survivors are his wife of the Wilmeth Community; his mother Mrs. Lydia Wright of Wilmeth; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Carl Wittig of Warren, Mich.; two brothers, Archie and J. L., both of Wilmeth; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Virgil Plumley, J. B. Denson, Cecil Tekell, Roscoe Morrison, E. F. Albro and Walter Onken.

Monumental Achievement
When sea gulls devoured a horde of large black crickets that threatened to wipe out the Mormons' first grain crop in Utah in 1848, the sect was so grateful that it passed laws protecting the bird and erected a monument to it.

Mother of Local Resident Died

Mrs. Pedro (Teofila) Hernandez, 75, mother of Mrs. Brigida Ortiz of Winters, died Monday of last week in Menard Hospital.

Funeral services were held in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Menard with burial in Garden of Memories.

She was born Jan. 1, 1900, in Mexico, and was married July 4, 1922, in Menard. She had lived in Menard County since 1911.

Survivors include her husband of Menard and Vancouver; two daughters, Mrs. Ortiz of Winters and Mrs. Dominga Rodriguez of Knox City; five sons, Ralph Her-

nandez of Knox City, Snow Hernandez of Muskogee, Okla., Mike Hernandez of Menard, Jesse Hernandez of San Angelo and Alvin Hernandez of Sonora; a sister, Mrs. Sylvester Ramon of Eldorado; a brother, Amalio DeAnda of Abilene; 43 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

School Library Club Elected Officers Monday

The Library Club of Winters High School elected officers Monday for the new school year.

Dana Davis was elected president; Lisa Bedford, vice president; Sherri Curbo, secretary-treasurer; and Teresa Wright, reporter.

J.O.Y. SS Class Meeting Recently

The J.O.Y. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the Fellowship Hall of the church for a salad dinner and business meeting recently, with Mrs. Robert Paschel and Mrs. Joyce Krause, hostesses.

Mrs. Paschel presided and Mrs. Lillian Roberson gave the devotional.

A sunshine box was packed for Mrs. Ernest Cook who is recovering from surgery in John Sealy Hospital, Houston.

Those present were Mesdames Jack Pierce, R. G. Cooper, Wayne Sims, Lee Harrison, L. D. Herrington, Kobert Paschel, Clifton Poe, Lillian Roberson, Kenneth

Sneed, Raymond Laughon, Emily Pendergrass, Walker Tatum and Joyce Krause.

DALE SEWING CLUB
Dale Sewing Club met recently in the home of Mrs. Walter Kruse. Quilt blocks were peced.

Those present were Mesdames Quincy Traylor, Oliver Wood, Ralph McWilliams, Carl Baldwin, August Stoecker, Clifford Lehman, Reese Jones, Tip McKnight, Jack Whittenberg, Verge Fisher, I. W. Rogers, Carroll Stoecker, Walter Kruse, and Miss Emma Henniger, and two visitors, Mrs. Mary Wolford and Mrs. Hobbrook.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Reese Jones.

Attended Meeting in San Angelo

Mrs. Raymon Lloyd attended the meeting in San Angelo last Tuesday of the District 16, Texas Nurses' Association.

Featured speaker on the program was Dr. Thomas Reid of San Angelo, who talked on orthopedic surgery. On display were some of the latest devices that have been developed to be used in replacing joints.

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Miss Basabe and Mr. Whitecotton to Marry

Mrs. George Basabe of Emmet, Idaho, has announced the engagement of her daughter Debra to Leslie Dale Whitecotton III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Whitecotton, Jr. of Winters, Miss.

Basabe attended McCall, Idaho, schools for eight years and graduated from Emmet this year. Whitecotton was also a member of the graduating class of '75 in Emmet.

Lamplighter Group Meeting

The Lamplighters group of the United Methodist Women met in the home of Mrs. Jewel Mitchell Tuesday morning. Mrs. Alene Mapes, chairman, presided, and gave the devotional.

Mrs. Paul Gerhardt presented the program, "The Church and the State." Mrs. Cary Foster and Mrs. August McWilliams took part on the program.

Ten members were present.

An October wedding in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Emmet is being planned. They will make their home in Winters, where he will be employed with Dale's Ford Sales.

Lay Leader Will Speak At Presbyterian

A lay leader will speak during the third Sunday morning worship at the First Presbyterian Church in Ballinger.

E. G. Bridwell Died Thursday In Hospital

E. G. Bridwell, 91, died at 7:40 p.m. Thursday in North Runnels Hospital, following a brief illness.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Spill Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. David Crooks, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

Mr. Bridwell was born March 8, 1884, at Gatson, Ala. The family moved to Texas when he was young, and settled in Collin County

and in 1906 they moved to Runnels County.

Mr. Bridwell farmed in the Winters area until 1947 when he and his wife moved in to Winters. He was custodian of the Winters schools for 18 years, and retired in 1965.

He married Lula Stevens, Dec. 26, 1909, in Oklahoma. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife; one son, J. M. Bridwell of Fort Worth; a brother, M. T. Bridwell of Winters; a sister, Miss Sallie Bridwell of Austin; one grandson and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Milton Patterson, Marvin Bedford, Bill Robinson, LaDeil Davis, Ellis Zane Moore, and Gene Virden.

Former Runnels Man Shot, Killed

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Spill Memorial Chapel in Winters, for Louis A. Berryman, 65, who died of gunshot wounds at his home in San Angelo at 7 a.m. Friday.

The Rev. Temple Lewis, pastor of Wilmeth Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery of Winters.

Listed in critical condition in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo was his wife, Mrs. Gladys Berryman, 69, with a gunshot wound in the chest.

According to officials the shooting occurred in the bedroom of the home, where

Berryman was found beside the bed with a .22 rifle at his side. Mrs. Berryman was found in her home bleeding from two gunshot wounds in the chest. She had been able to summon help and was taken to Shannon Memorial Hospital, where she underwent surgery Friday morning.

Peace Justice Richard Self had indicated he would return a ruling of death due to self-inflicted gunshot wounds. He said indications are that Berryman shot his wife and then turned the rifle on himself.

Mr. Berryman was born Dec. 2, 1909, at Groesbeck in Limestone County. The family came to Runnels County in 1917 and settled in Wilmeth Community, where he lived until 1939.

He then moved to Big Spring where he worked for a funeral home.

He married Gladys Guinn in 1940 in Big Spring. He served in the Army during World War II and following his discharge he moved to San Angelo. He later moved to Midland where he and his wife operated a nursing home for a number of years.

About eight years ago they moved to San Angelo where he was a salesman for an insurance company.

He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife; one daughter, Mary M. Dixon of Austin; one brother, Frank Berryman of Ballinger; and one sister, Mrs. E. F. Albro of Winters.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS (S. J. R. NO. 11)

SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 4, 1975

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the separation of powers, legislative and executive provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article II, Separation of Powers, is amended to:

Provide that the powers of government of the State of Texas are divided among three distinct branches: legislative, executive, and judicial. Except as otherwise authorized by the constitution, members of one branch may not exercise any power properly attached to either of the others.

Article III, The Legislature, is amended to: Continue the present structure of the legislature consisting of a senate with 31 members and a house of representatives with 150 members. The present organization and procedure of the legislature are continued except that the provision allowing closed executive sessions of the senate is omitted. Provisions on the conflict of interest of members of the legislature are continued, as is the governor's power to veto bills or line items in appropriation bills. The article provides for single-member senatorial, representative, and congressional districts. A compensation commission is created to recommend the compensation and allowances to be received by members of the legislature. The legislative compensation, set by law, may not exceed this recommendation and does not take effect until after an intervening general election. The article provides for annual sessions of 140 days in odd-numbered years and 90 days in even-numbered years, and a veto session of 15 days upon request of three-fifths of the membership of each house. The legislature may meet in organizational sessions prior to the convening of the legislature in regular sessions.

Article IV, The Executive, is amended to: Continue the present status of the governor and all other statewide officers, and include the commissioner of agriculture as an executive department officer. The governor is limited to two consecutive terms. The governor is authorized to designate chairmen of state boards, and to remove gubernatorial appointees to state agencies for cause unless the removal is vetoed by the senate. The article mandates the legislature to provide a new governor-elect an appropriation so the governor-elect may organize an office prior to inauguration, and permits the legislature to grant powers of fiscal control to the governor. All governmental agencies, with several exceptions, have a life of not more than ten years unless extended by the legislature, and, at the regular session held in odd-numbered years, the governor shall submit to the legislature a report on the organization and

efficiency of the executive branch.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising the SEPARATION OF POWERS, LEGISLATIVE, AND EXECUTIVE PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution."

If adopted by the voters, will become effective January 1, 1976, except Article III, Section 5, which becomes effective January 1, 1981.

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the judiciary provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article V, The Judiciary is amended to:

Establish a unified judicial system consisting of the supreme court, court of appeals, district courts, and circuit courts. Existing county courts and county judges are continued until otherwise provided by law. All judges (except municipal judges), district attorneys and district clerks must be elected by the people. The supreme court and the court of criminal appeals are merged into a single court of last resort, and this supreme court is authorized to provide for efficient administration of the judicial system and to balance case loads. Individual rights for a trial by jury and appeal by the accused are continued. The state is granted the right to appeal in criminal cases in limited circumstances, and the legislature is permitted to establish methods of appeal to the courts from decisions of state agencies.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising the JUDICIARY PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution."

If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976.

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the voting and election provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article VI, Voter Qualifications and Elections, is amended to:

Provide for registration and qualifications for voting including voter residency requirements to be established by law. A citizen of the United States who is at least 18 years of age and who meets the registration and residence requirements provided by law is a qualified voter unless the person has been convicted of a felony and for that felony is incarcerated, on parole, or on probation, or unless the person is mentally incompetent as determined by a court. Voting by the people in all elections must be by secret ballot, and the legislature shall provide by law for residence, registration, and absentee voting

requirements, for the administration of elections, and for the protection of the electoral process. The general election for state and county officers is to be held in even-numbered years on a date prescribed by law.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising the VOTING AND ELECTION PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution."

If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976.

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the education provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article VII, Education, is amended to:

Provide that the Permanent and Available School Funds and the county public school funds are continued for the support of the free public schools. The State Board of Education is retained and the Permanent and Available University Funds are continued for the benefit of The University of Texas and Texas A&M Systems. A new Higher Education Fund for Texas is established for the benefit of colleges and universities outside The University of Texas and Texas A&M Systems. The state ad valorem tax of ten cents on \$100 valuation is continued as the source of revenue for the fund. The ten cent higher education tax may be changed by law within the ten cent maximum. The legislature may allocate by law a portion of the Higher Education Fund to certain state vocational and technical institutes. The article provides that the public education system must furnish each individual an equal educational opportunity, but a school district may provide local enrichment of educational programs exceeding the level provided by the state consistent with general law. Authority to issue Permanent University Bonds is continued but the bonds may not exceed 30% of the Permanent University Fund.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising the EDUCATION PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution."

If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976, except Article VII, Section 9, which becomes effective January 1, 1979.

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the finance provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article VIII, Finance, is amended to:

Provide that state taxes may be levied and collected only by general law and to prohibit any state ad valorem tax on real property or tangible personal property except the ten cent tax provided for in Article VII and a

tax of two cents on the \$100 assessed valuation to provide funds for the State Building Fund. Provides that all real property and tangible personal property must be taxed equally and uniformly in proportion to market value. Existing exemptions from ad valorem taxation are continued. The present dedication of motor fuel taxes for highway purposes and the Available School Fund is retained. The "pay-as-you-go" principle for the operation of state government is retained. The legislature shall establish separate formulas for appraising land to promote the preservation of open-space land devoted to farm or ranch purposes and may establish separate formulas for appraising land to promote the preservation of forest land devoted to timber production. The \$3000 exemption from state ad valorem taxation for residential homesteads is continued and the legislature by law may increase this amount. A separate \$3000 exemption from ad valorem taxation by political subdivisions is provided for the residential homestead of persons at least 65 years of age and the political subdivision may increase this amount. The legislature by law may exempt from ad valorem taxation certain property owned by veterans' organizations, nonprofit water corporations, and persons in need because of age or disability, and economic circumstance. The legislature may also exempt property to preserve historical, cultural or natural history resources. Taxpayers are provided a new method of correcting inequitable tax assessments by paying ad valorem taxes under protest and suing for a refund in a district court. State debt may be authorized by law only if approved by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature and submitted to and approved by a majority of the qualified voters of the state voting on the question. Public funds and public credit may be used only for public purposes and no public funds or public credit may be used to influence the election of a public officer. The article prohibits a retail sales tax on agricultural machinery or parts, fertilizer, feeds or seeds, prescription drugs or medicine, or food, except food sold by restaurants for immediate consumption. An assessment voted by marine food or agricultural producers on their product sales is not a tax if provision is made for the individual producer to receive a refund of the assessment when the producer does not desire to be assessed.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising the LOCAL GOVERNMENT PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution."

If adopted by the voters, will become effective on September 1, 1976.

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the general provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article X, General Provisions, is amended to:

Provide the basic requirements relating to public officeholders such as the official oath and residency requirements. The provision defining the separate and community property of spouses is retained, and the protection of a homestead from forced sale is continued. The legislature is required to protect certain personal property from forced sale. Current wages for personal service are not subject to garnishment. A private corporation may not be chartered except under general law, and no bank may engage in business at more than one place in this state. The legislature must provide for the regulation of bank holding companies. The present system of local-option elections for the prohibition or sale of alcoholic beverages is continued. The legislature is required to prohibit lotteries and gift enterprises but may permit certain bingo games and raffles. The presently existing provisions for retirement benefits of teachers and other public employees are modified to allow the state to con-

tribute more than 10%. A policy that the quality of the environment of the State of Texas is to be protected is established, and the legislature is required to implement and enforce this policy. No state funds may be used to remove surface water from the river basin of origin if the surface water is necessary to supply the reasonably foreseeable water requirements of the basin for the ensuing 50 years, unless the removal of water is sufficiently replaced to the point of removal from outside the state or is on a temporary, interim basis. The seaward beaches of the Gulf of Mexico and coastal submerged lands belonging to the state are held by the state in perpetual trust for the people, and subject to reasonable limitations prescribed by law, the public has the free and unrestricted right of use and benefit of the beaches. The provision is continued that, except as otherwise provided by law, a rate of interest in excess of ten percent a year is usurious, and that if a contract does not specify a rate of interest, the rate under the contract may not exceed six percent a year. Discrimination against handicapped persons is prohibited, and a goal of the state is established to provide every resident access to adequate, comprehensive health care.

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the local government provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article IX, Local Government, is amended to:

Provide that the counties of the state are those that exist on the date of adoption of the local government article and that county boundaries may be changed if approved by a majority of the qualified voters in each affected county who vote on the question. Counties may be merged or county seats relocated if approved by two-thirds of the qualified voters in each affected county who vote on the question. The present elected constitutional county offices are retained and four year terms of office are provided. The voters of a county may create additional offices, eliminate the duties and functions of offices. The voters may also grant ordinance making power to the governing body of the county. Cities and towns having more than 1,500 inhabitants may become home-rule cities. Tax limitations are established for operating purposes for cities and counties and the legislature is required to fix debt limits for cities, towns, counties, and school and community junior college districts.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising the GENERAL PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution."

If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976.

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the mode of amending provisions of the Texas Constitution. The proposed article will be the last article of the constitution. If only Proposition No. 8 is adopted, the article will replace Article XVII of the present constitution. If other propositions are adopted, the article will be appropriately renumbered to remain the last article of the constitution. If all propositions are adopted, the article will be Article XI. Article XVII, Mode of Amending the Constitution of the State, is amended to:

Establish a procedure for constitutional amendments requiring a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature and majority approval by the voters. The calling of a limited or unlimited constitutional convention with voter approval is provided. The question of whether to call a constitutional convention must be submitted to the people every 30 years.

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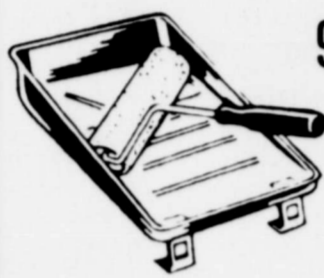
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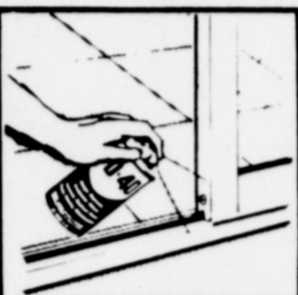
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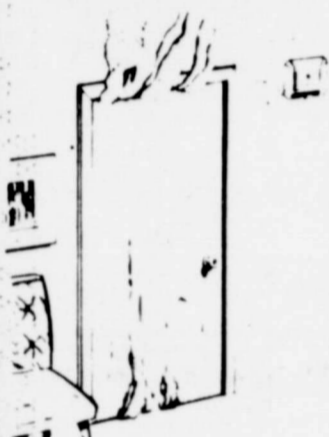


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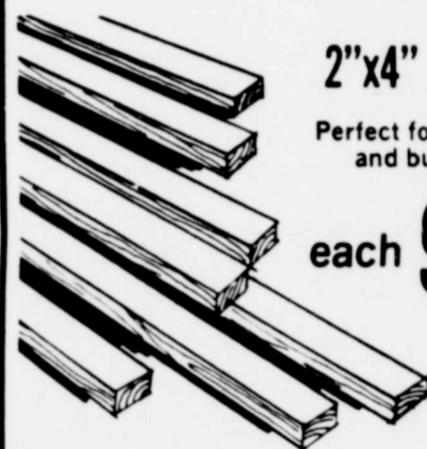
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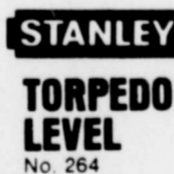
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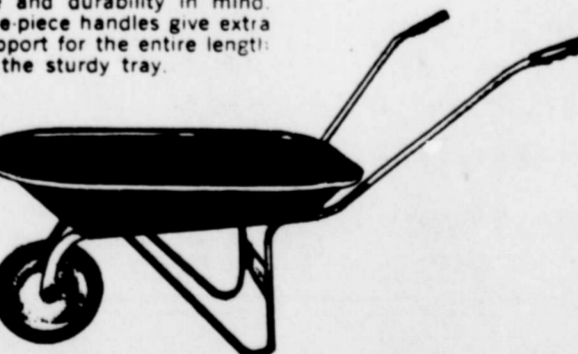
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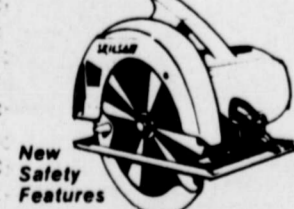
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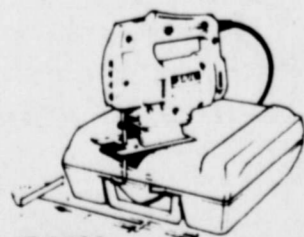
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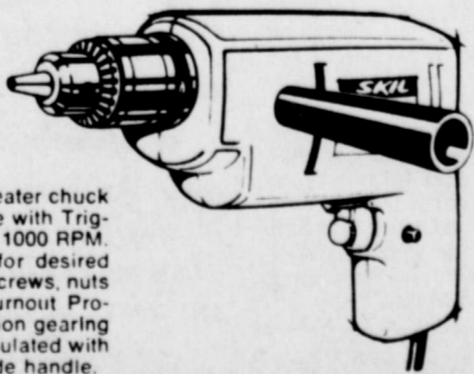


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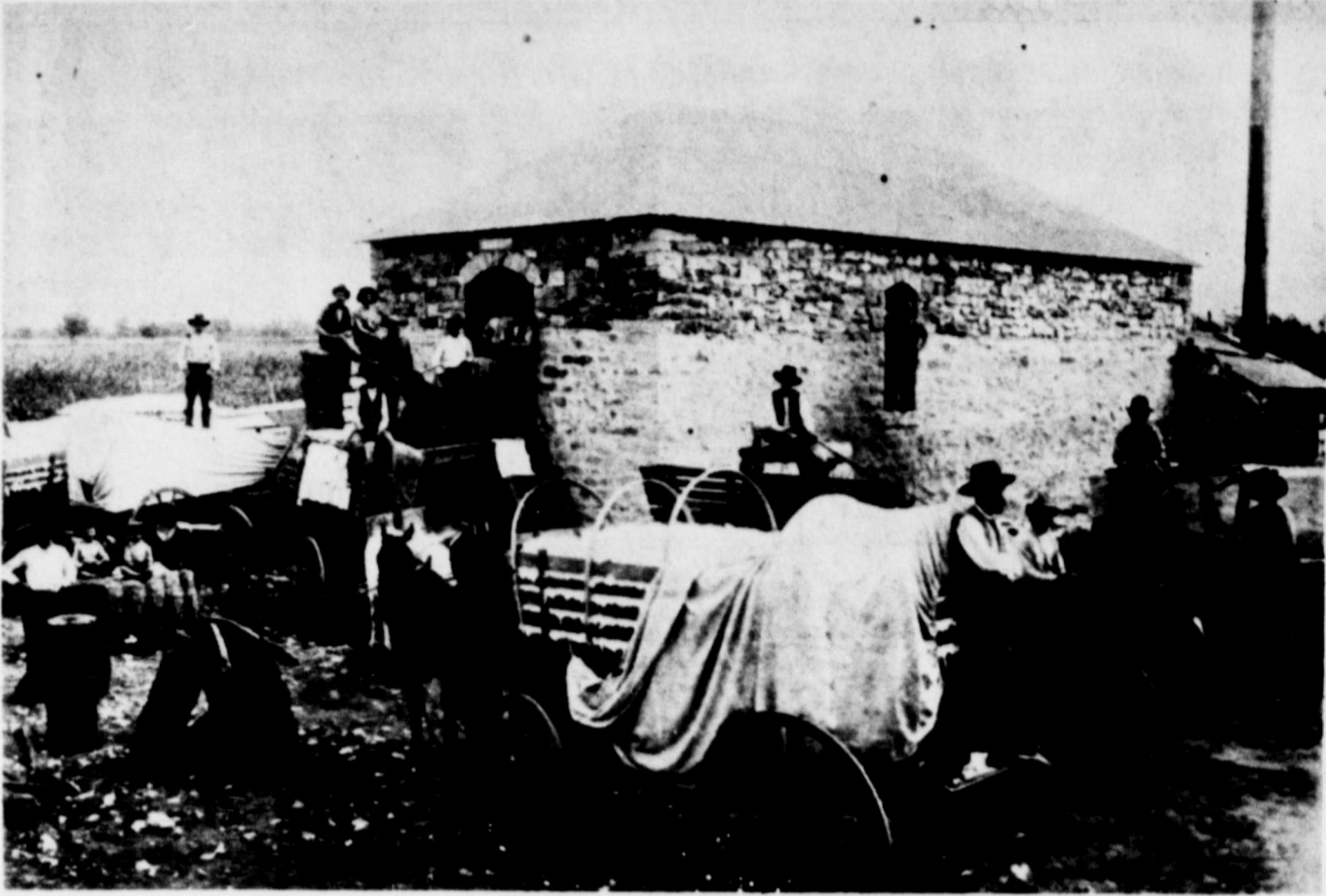


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King Cotton has long been an important part of our economy and it is hard for us to realize that once there was

no cotton at all in Runnels County.

The first cotton was planted on an experimental basis in 1884 when R. F. Counts of Content raised the first bale of cotton ever grown in the county. It was carried to Atoka, in Coleman County to be ginned, and brought back to Runnels City (first county seat) and put up as a curiosity. This information is from the Ballinger Ledger, March 19, 1909.

Encouraged by Mr. Count's success, farmers in the fertile Content valley area planted cotton in 1886, in fields that ranged from 4 to 5 acres in size up to 30 or 40, for a total of 548 acres.

No one could foresee the devastating drought of 1886, which completely ruined the Content farmers. The county relief committee directed that the major part of funds and provisions be given to the people at Content.



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The county recovered from the drought and 584 acres of cotton was planted around Content in the Spring of 1888, which produced a total of 88 bales.

In anticipation of a harvest, the Miller Brothers, Charles S. and W. J., built a gin on Elm Creek at Ballinger that Fall and ginned the 88 bales, all that was produced in the county that year.

The following year other farmers devoted a few acres to cotton with the result that production increased to 300 bales. In 1890 the record for the year was 500 bales, with 3,000 bales being ginned in 1899. A steady increase in acreage was commenced, until in 1906 the county raised 35,525 bales.

Sometime before 1892, the Content citizens converted their corn mill into a steam gin. It is highly probable that they used the building and machinery for both purposes, hooking up the old type machinery to the corn grinder or to the one-stand cotton gin, as needed.

From a diary kept by Alf A. Hanscomb, a Yankee who came to Content for his health and served several terms as postmaster and notary of public, we learn that the corn mill exploded Sat. March 28, 1896, and C. B. Woodrow was killed.

Early in 1898, a new gin housed in a rock building was erected a little to the East and across the creek from the old gin. It was built over a running stream in order to have water to operate the machinery, and was called "a modern steam gin." The rock walls of the building are still standing but the machinery was moved to Wingate. The property now belongs to Mrs. H. S. Bright of Tyler.

Facilities for handling cotton have advanced from a few hundred dollars investment by the Miller Brothers in the early day plant, to several million dollars today. In the 1930's there were some 40 gins in Runnels County with ten of them in Winters. Four of these belonged to C. Kornegay; Planters Gin Co., Farmers Co-Operative, Davidson & Reid, Hinds & Carlisle, Williams & Miller, and the Red Gin managed by Ralph Ashburn.

The first gin at Winters was a one-stand gin built south of town by I. M. Barton, a Civil War Veteran, the same year the town was named in 1890. This gin burned a year or so later. A "modern" gin was then built by Irvin Brown and Will Murray.

With the railroad came the first major industry, the

Winters Cotton Oil Mill Company. The rock building was constructed in 1909 by Bird, Hall & Mertz of San Angelo and soon sold to Giesecke & Co. of Ballinger.

When cotton seed was available and the mill was open, it ran day and night and employed 30 men. At one time Winters produced more cotton than any other town in the Nation. Winters also had several cotton warehouses and a cotton yard with a public weigher elected by the citizens. The mill was purchased by Anderson & Clayton in 1927, and the machinery moved to Brownfield in 1939.

Within a few years after the first cotton crop was ginned, land prices more than doubled. Grassland that had sold for \$5 and acre now brought its owners more than \$10 an acre, as plows began to turn under new cultivation lands. This gain continued until the years of 1928-29, when several owners turned down offers up to \$150 and acre. During the depression there was a slump in land prices, but since that time several farm sales have netted the owners as much as \$500 an acre.

The largest cotton production in the history of the county was 78,172 bales in 1932. Cotton brought in from other counties to be ginned here is not counted in the records.

In later years farmers have been planting more feedstuff to take care of their livestock, and have reduced their cotton acreage. Despite this reduction Runnels has remained far out in front of other West Texas counties in cotton production, offset occasionally by drought and boll weevils as last year when only 13,035 bales were harvested.

Soil conservation, seed improvement and terracing of land has done much for the farmers in improving all field crops and especially cotton.

Susie Baker Group Meeting

Susie Baker group of the First Methodist Church met in the W. T. Stanley home with Beatrice Traylor presiding.

Mrs. Lucille Rogers lead the opening prayer. Mmes. Traylor, Stanley, and Arnold had parts on the program.

The meeting was dismissed by repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Cake and coffee was served to seven members present.

Rare Pandas
Pandas are very rare — from 45 to 1,000 survive — and are found in the cold, damp bamboo forests on the rugged hillsides of eastern Tibet and Szechwan Province in remote southwest China. They eat nine kinds of bamboo.

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The total amount of gold that can still be recovered from the earth is estimated at 31,250 tons, more than half of it in the gold fields of South Africa and 625 tons in the United States.

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PARKER'S COLUMN

Planning Prevents Farm, Ranch Accidents

Don't wait until an accident happens before thinking about accident prevention on the farm and ranch.

Instead, give top priority to planning for year-round safety, suggests C. T. Parker, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Most industries place a high priority of safety programs, points out the agent, and that's a major reason why these industries have lower accident rates than does agriculture.

Planning for accident prevention will reduce injuries, time delays and money losses that result from farm and ranch accidents. Parker offers these guidelines for planning accident prevention:

1. Make accident prevention a farm and ranch management goal.
2. Be informed about accident prevention. Study all instruction manuals, read safety articles, and obtain available safety publications.

BLACKWELL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dell Modrall of East Texas visited recently with Mrs. Flora Sanderson and other friends in Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Gaston and sons of Mount Pleasant were weekend visitors of his mother, Mrs. Lea Gaston, other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Oden and Larry visited last Sunday in Albany with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dan Oden, who have moved to Albany recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Siman Best, Mrs. Bessie Patterson, and Mrs. Odessa Armstrong all of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Best, Jimmy Best and Mrs. Estelle Stracner all of Sweetwater visited last Tuesday with Mrs. Flora Sanderson, other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Park Thomas and children of Maryneal visited last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Lanier.

Savannah Thompson attended the luncheon at the Bronte Community Center for the Senior Citizens, with 54 in attendance. Others from Blackwell attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Sanderson and Mrs. Elna Sweet. The next meeting will be October 14.

Mrs. Roy Cole of Snyder visited Tuesday thru Friday with her mother, Mrs. Lea Gaston, other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Wilson and sister, Miss Ruby Pinkard visited Wednesday thru Friday in Nolan with Mrs. Wilson's grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson and children.

The United Methodist Women of Blackwell met in the home of Mrs. Abe Lanier, Monday afternoon. The next meeting will be September 22 in the home of Mrs. Jennings Lewis with Mrs. Lewis as hostess and Mrs. Josie Hipp will bring the program.

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3. Routinely inspect all equipment and buildings, then correct faults and hazards.

4. When purchasing new equipment or facilities, insist that hazards be "designed out" and thus eliminated from the start.

5. Train others to use safe-work procedures. Observe work practices after training others and correct them if needed.

6. Routinely use personal protective equipment when needed, including protective caps or frames on tractors.

7. Keep up with federal, state and local safety and health regulations. Use sound judgment in initiating accident prevention programs; don't wait on an accident to spur you into action, emphasizes Parker.

Control Stored Grain Pests

With the harvest season at hand, producers should be sure their grain storage facilities are free of insect pests, points out Parker, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It is also a good practice to periodically inspect the storage bins throughout the storage period.

Stored grain pests damage grain by eating the entire kernel or by damaging the seed germ. Livestock may also refuse to eat feedstuffs that contain high numbers of stored grain insects.

Both primary and secondary pests damage stored grains, notes the agent. Primary pests, including the rice or corn weevil, lesser grain borer and Angoumois grain moth, attack whole kernel grain and complete their development inside the kernel. Because of their "hidden" developmental habits, they may go unnoticed and cause large grain losses. Therefore, seeds should be split open when inspected for primary grain damaging insects.

Secondary pests, such as the rice moth, Indian meal moth, Mediterranean flour moth, flat grain beetle, confused flour beetle, feed primarily on cracked or broken kernels. These secondary pests are easier to find in the grain.

All store grain insects are small, so careful sampling of

each lot of grain is essential, emphasizes Parker. Samples should be taken with a probe at various depths to determine if an unseen insect infestation is building within grain lots. If careful inspection yields one rice weevil or one lesser grain borer, or many as five of the other previously mentioned insects per quart of sampled grain, then treatment is needed.

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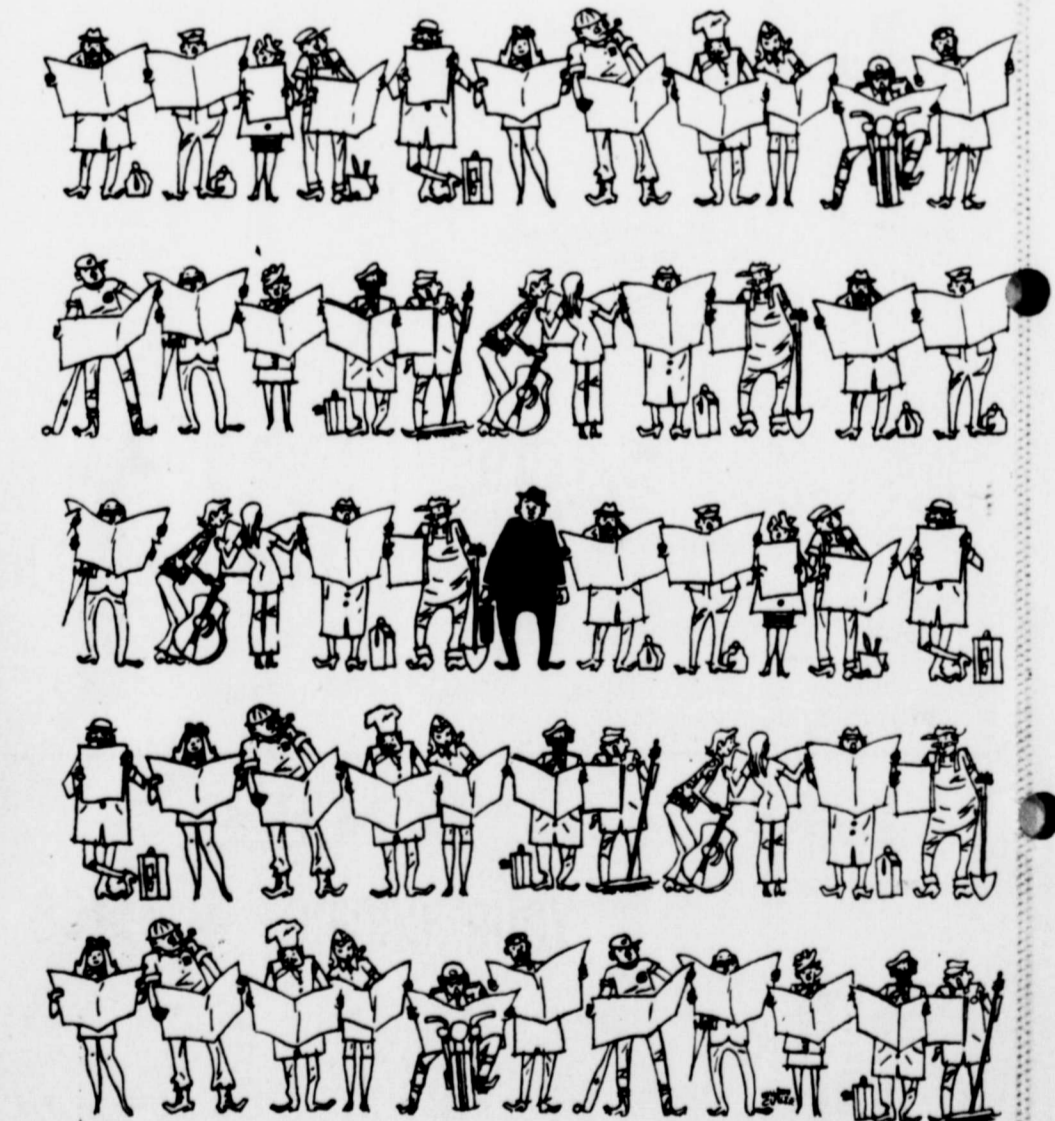


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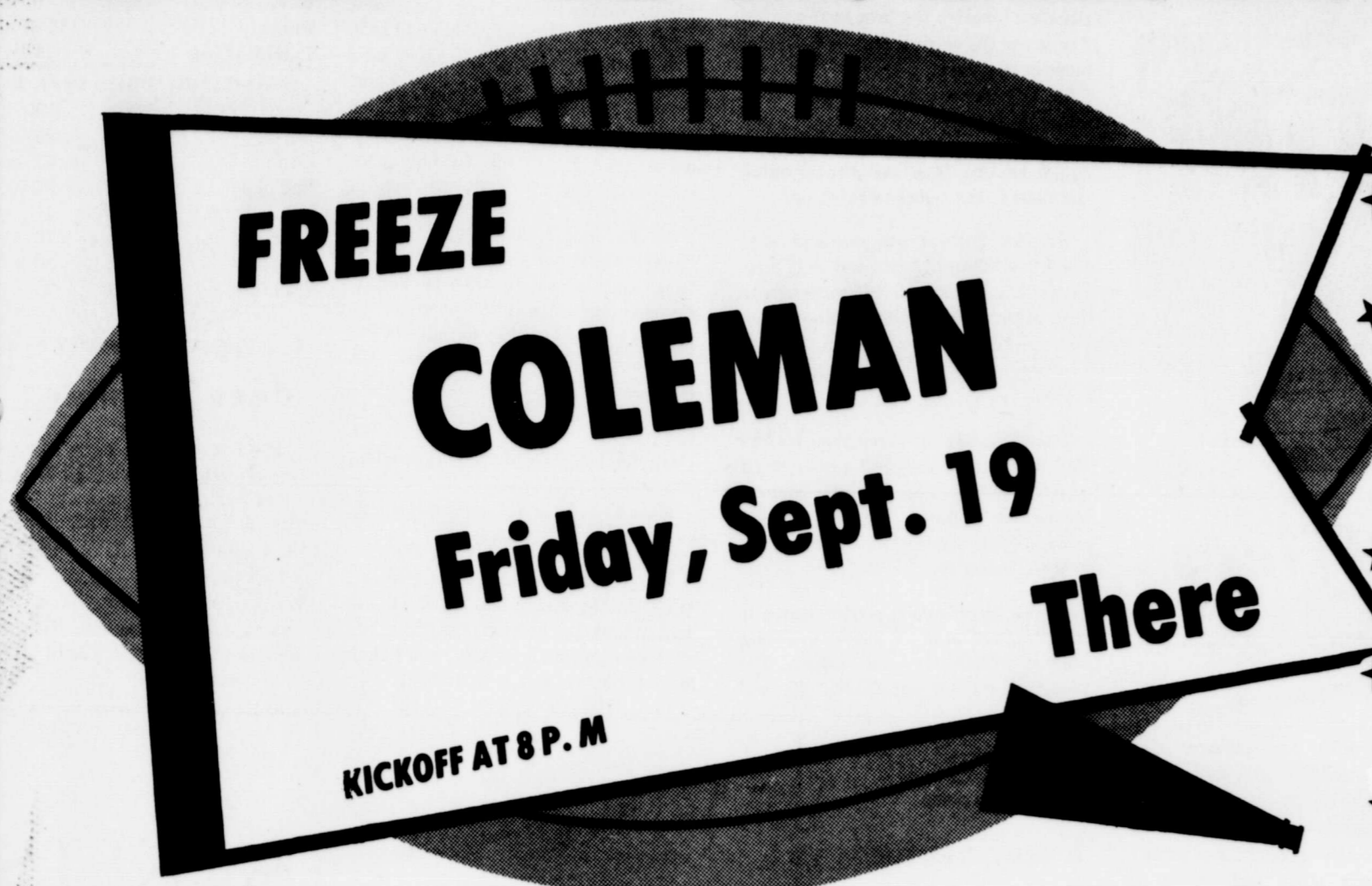
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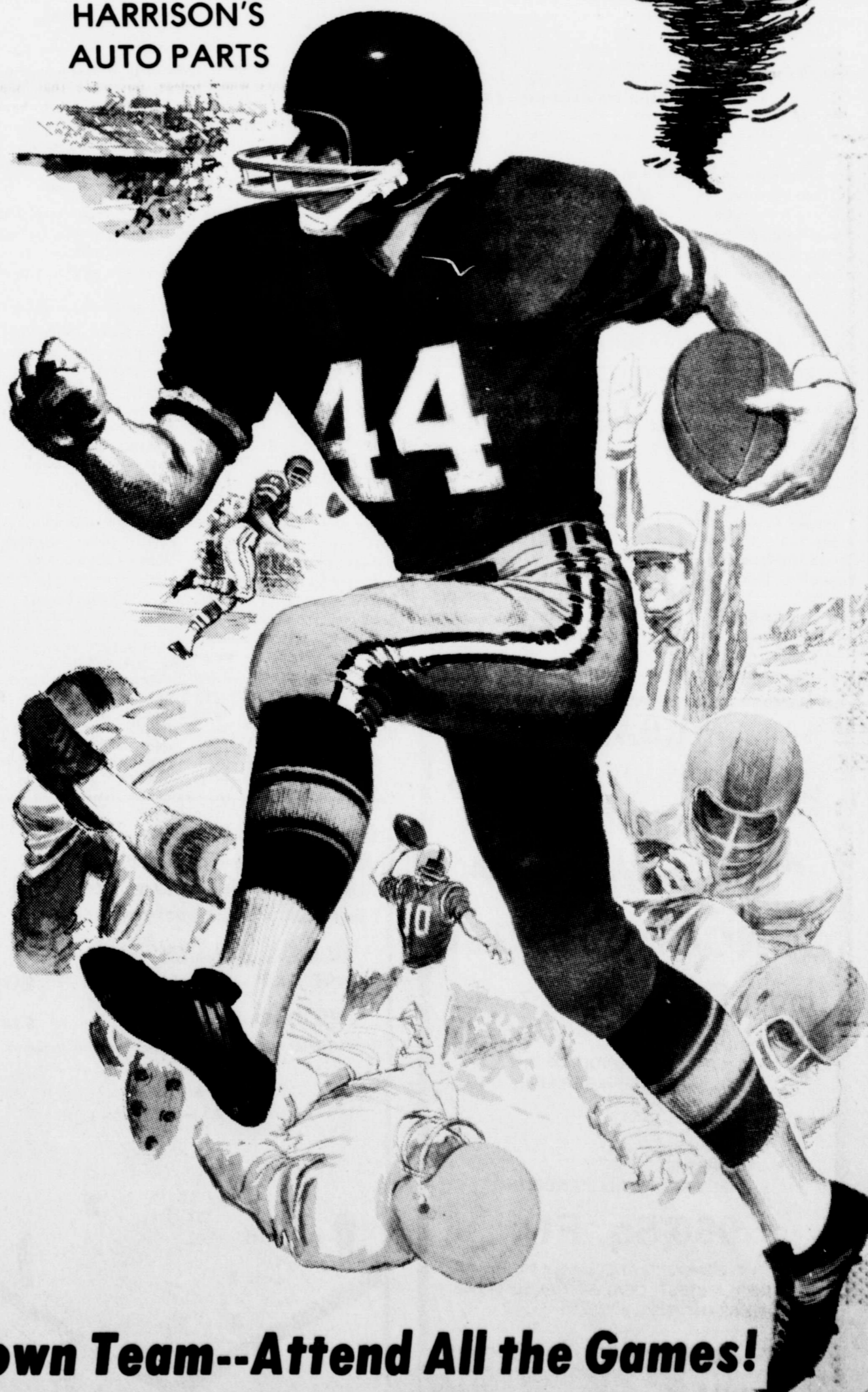
- Sept. 5 0 Winters vs. Clyde 33
- ★ Sept. 12 13 Winters vs. Merkel 7
- Sept. 19 Winters vs. Coleman
- ★ Sept. 26 Winters vs. Eldorado

District 6-AA Games

- Oct. 3 Winters vs. Ballinger
- ★ Oct. 10 Winters vs. Hamlin
- Oct. 17 Winters vs. Coahoma
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Highway Maintenance Offices To Be Moved From County

Responding to the current financial pressures upon the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, District Engineer D. R. Watson of San Angelo has announced the consolidation of the work forces of Resident Engineers Wilkins B. Hoppe of Ballinger and Gerald G. Lackey of San Angelo. The consolidated forces will operate after October 1, 1975 from offices at Paint Rock Road, San Angelo. The new arrangement is a part of statewide economies being caused by the effect of inflation upon construction costs. Within recent years, construction costs have doubled while departmental income from the gasoline tax has levelled off due to the energy shortage. The net result of a level income and double costs is drastically reduced construction, e. g. work has just been received that the October 14-15 statewide bid lettings have been cancelled.

Currently, there are no highway construction projects in progress in Runnels County and only two projects are planned in the near future. One of these, a two mile stretch of reconstructing Farm to Market 382 is awaiting funding for inclusion in a bid letting. The other, a \$1,500,000 project for reconstructing U. S. 83 from Hutchins Ave. in Ballinger to a point approximately 2.5 miles south is in the planning stages. The U.S. 83 project includes widening 7th Street, building storm sewers and curb and gutters in

Ballinger, as well as widening the Colorado River bridge. Some of the personnel within the Ballinger Residency will be offered transfers to Sonora and Ozona for work on Interstate 10 construction projects. Others will be taken into the First Add, taken into the consolidated residency in San Angelo, and continue the planning work on U.S. 83. Some have indicated they will accept transfers, while others have elected to seek or accept new employment in Ballinger.

Sr. Resident Engineer W. B. Hoppe's approaching retirement was one of the many factors considered in the consolidation decision.

Expressing regret for the consolidation, District Engineer Watson remarked, "It is extremely painful to me to be forced by economic realities to disrupt the lives of faithful employees, and to disturb an office that has served Runnels County well. However, an equal distribution of the work load within District 7, and the economic need to have the employees where the work is going on, leave me no choice. Runnels County construction projects will now be planned and supervised from the consolidated residency in San Angelo, and will receive all needed attention and manpower. This consolidation will in no way affect the progress of these two programmed projects, or any future highway developments in Runnels County. We

have always enjoyed an excellent relationship with the citizens and officials of Runnels County, and expect this to continue in the future."

On a statewide basis, the Department is presently involved in a 90-day study of work loads and personnel requirements, which may result in further consolidations, transfers or work force reductions. This study is scheduled to be completed about October 15, according to a Departmental directive released by Engineer-Director B. L. DeBerry of Austin.

Voter Registration--

(Continued From Page 1)
Texas. When you receive the proposed charter, read the inside back cover carefully. If you have voted in Texas in the primary or general election of 1972, or anytime since then, you do not need to re-register," explained White.

Many County Tax Assessor-Collectors are receiving dual registrations due to this provision in the law. White added many citizens have applied prior to receiving the Constitution's material and are re-registering unnecessarily. They will receive voting certificates by mail in the near future he said.

Completed voter registration forms may be delivered in person or mailed to the Tax Assessor-Collector in the county in which the applicant legally resides.

Blizzards Whip Merkel 13-7

The Winters Blizzards hit the come-back road Friday night, defeating the Merkel Badgers 13-7 in a non-conference game on Blizzard Field.

The Blizzards had charge of the situation through the first half, scoring 7 points in the second, and then coming back in the third to repeat, with no PAT. Several of the players played 48 minutes of football, and toward the end of the third, and into the fourth period, began to tire and then the Badgers dominated, but failed to catch up.

The first quarter was give and take, and it was not until there was only 3:29 on the clock that the Blizzards made their initial mark on the scoreboard, as Flent McNeill went over for the one. Tony Johnson split the uprights for the PAT.

The Blizzards increased their lead to 13-0 with 42 seconds left in the third quarter when quarterback Marvin Moore hit Johnson with a 15-yard scoring pass, the only completed pass of the evening for the Blues.

In the last quarter, Merkel drove to the Winters four to meet a strong defense which held on downs. The Blizzards punted out to the 35, and

with 55 seconds left in the game, Merkel quarterback Paul Tucker found end David King with a 35-yard scoring pass. Larry Smith kicked the PAT.

The entire Blizzard team showed great improvement over the week before, Coach Jimmy Stubblefield said. Standouts were Jimmy Chapman, who carried 22 times for 87 yards; Flent McNeill, 8 for 35; Marvin Moore, 7 for 26. Tony Johnson took the 15 yard aerial from Moore for the only pass completion and TD.

Marvin Moore, who stayed on the field for the entire 48 minutes, won the "most tackles" award, with 14. Jimmy Chapman was graded 86 percent, the highest for the evening, for his work in the backfield. Phil Colburn was outstanding lineman on offense, with a grade of 79 percent.

On defense, Wesley Musick, tackle, was graded 77 percent.

Musick and Chapman tied for the evening's "Big Hit" award.

The Blizzards, many of whom had been ill, let down and tired in the second half, and Merkel made 88 yards of their total in the fourth, more than half of their total for the evening.

GAME STATISTICS

	Winters	Merkel
First Downs	10	14
Yards Rushing	148	134
Yards Passing	15	50
Passes Completed	1-8	1-8
Interceptions	0	1
Punts	4-30	3
Fumbles Lost	1	5

SEASON RECORDS—DIST. 6-AA

	W	L	Pts.	Opp.
Anson	2	0	69	27
Hamlin	2	0	41	7
Ballinger	2	0	34	7
Colorado City	2	0	17	13
Coahoma	1	1	13	26
Winters	1	1	13	40
Stanford	1	1	32	29

Cancer Society To Meet Tuesday

The first meeting of the new year of the North Runnels Unit of the American Cancer Society will be held Tuesday, September 23, in the office of the Chamber of Commerce, at 5 p.m.

New officers for the year are Mrs. W. L. England, president; George Garrett, vice president; Mrs. M. L. Dobbins, secretary and Mrs. Margaret Bell, treasurer.

Students Win Calves At Fair Scramble

Roger Kruse and Gary Schwartz, Winters High School FFA students, each won \$200 gift certificates in the calf scramble event at the West Texas Fair in Abilene last week.

The students must use the certificates to purchase registered heifer calves, and show the calves at the fair stock show next year. Roger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Kruse. Gary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schwartz. Both are sophomore students.

P. Michaelis Animals Win At WTFA Fair

A bull calf owned and shown by Paul Michaelis, Wingate rancher, in the Polled Hereford division of the West Texas Fair Livestock Show last week, was named reserve champion bull calf, PEM Domestic 233 454. Michaelis also took the honors for calf get-of-sire from Joe Mischief OG. 8233, in that division.

Mrs. C. Parks Died Thursday In Ballinger

Mrs. Robert F. (Clara) Parks, 78, of Ballinger, died at 3:50 a.m. Thursday at Twilite Acres Nursing Home. Services were at 10:30 a.m. Friday in the Grace Baptist Church.

The Rev. Frank Wilson, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the Wingate Cemetery, directed by Allen Davis Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 4, 1896, at Lott in Falls County she married Robert F. Parks, Dec. 20, 1914, in Lee County.

She and her husband came to Runnels County in 1920 from Lee County.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Mrs. Loreta Campbell of Abilene; four sons, W. H. of Ballinger, Gerald of Holly, Weldon and Carroll, both of Abilene; three brothers, J. C. Scott of Lubbock, Earl Scott and Lewis Scott, both of Andrews; two sisters, Mrs. G. W. Scott of Winters, and Mrs. Flora Bridwell of Portales, N.M.; 11 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, 3 step grandchildren; and 6 step great-grandchildren. Two sons preceded her in death.

Purists
To keep their language, Icelanders discourage the introduction of foreign words. When television arrived, for example, Icelanders rejected this alien word in favor of sjovarp, derived from the two old words: sjon (sight) and varp (throwing).

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CASTING LEATHER - SUBURBAN

- Pile Lined Body - Polyester Quilt Lined Sleeve
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WHS Class Classes Elect Officers For School Year

The four classes of Winters High School Monday elected class officers for the new school year.

By class, officers are:

SENIORS

Wesley Musick, president; Cindy Seals, vice president; Tonya Bahlman, secretary-treasurer; Dana Davis, reporter.

JUNIORS

Douglas Rogers, president; Tye Rougas, vice president; Christi Spraberry, secretary;

Donna Carroll, treasurer; Cheryl Colburn, reporter.

SOPHOMORES

Gary Schwartz, president; Phil Colburn, vice president; Emerald Rodriguez, secretary-treasurer; John Hurt, reporter.

FRESHMEN

Reggie Boles, president; Omega Ortiz, vice president; Becky McKnight, secretary-treasurer; Randy Drake, reporter.

Winters FFA Chapter Elects Officers

Members of Winters Chapter Future Farmers of America elected officers for the new school year Monday.

The new president of the FFA organization is Paul Airhart. Bill Pendergrass is vice president; Doug Rogers, first vice president; Rodrick Bredemeyer, second vice president; Ricky Dunlap, secretary; Malcolm Bredemeyer, treasurer; Kenny Hope, reporter; Randy Mabry, sentinel; and Greg Black, chaplain.

Greenhand officers elected are: Jim Bob Webb, presi-

dent; Kelly Blackerby, vice president; Donald Baize, first vice president; Steven Soto, second vice president; Terry Gerhart, secretary; James Blackwell, treasurer; John Musick, reporter; John Bedford, sentinel; and Doug Bryan, chaplain.

Advisors are Stanley Blackwell and Charles Allcorn, vo-ag teachers in Winters High School.

Snow Bound

Snow arrived in Mississippi and Texas on railroad cars in 1967. When 27 inches of snow fell in Chicago that February, the Chicago River became so clogged with dumped snow that city officials had the snow loaded onto southbound railroad cars, where the sun would dispose of it.

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