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BY RICHARD C. THOMAS

One of the best pieces of news to come from the local educational centers in years is that of the inauguration of a Building Trades Course, which has been approved by the State Education Agency for the Winters school system, and which will be offered to junior and senior students in the local high school beginning with the 1980-81 school year.

This is one of the things I, personally, have been advocating for years, and it leaves one with a sense of satisfaction. (Not that my position on the subject, and what I have said in the past has had anything to do with the final outcome; it has not . . . this is the result of some positive thinking and action on the part of the school board; it just happened they were thinking along the same lines as I.

For many years many people, myself included, have been inclined to feel that we all, through our schools, have been shortchanging our young people. We have been convinced that the offering of readin', writin', and arithmetic — with embellishments — was enough. Our schools (I'm talking about the smaller community schools such as ours, now) were required, we believed, to prepare a student for college, if he or she had such ambitions, and if he or she did not care for or could not afford further education . . . well, it was just a result of the system — we had gone as far as we were required to go. As a result, an overwhelming majority of the young people leaving our public secondary schools were wholly unprepared to meet the challenges of the outside world . . . they had built-in barricades to surmount. The "system" worked, to an extent, but not without leaving everlasting marks and blank spaces. Much talent has gone down the drain because of it.

Understandably, there have been obstacles to prevent our even attempting such courses of action in the smaller community schools — mainly, financial obstacles. Also, we accepted the status quo . . . "Well, that's the way it was when we were in school, etc." . . . and such. For the past few years, however, those obstacles have been diminished, mainly because of Federal and state assistance in the field . . . along with a growing realization that we were not meeting our obligations to our young people, in a fast-changing and developing world. Even as we are growing older, we are growing up. Perhaps now we are beginning to realize that our schools are not built around an atmosphere of football, basketball, track, band, cheerleading, and the like — although these activities play no small role in the local educational system.

There are other areas which could be included, once this new course is tried and found successful. There is some talk among administrators and some board members of exploring the possibilities of adding an Auto Mechanics Course to the curriculum. There are others: A Printing Course, for example. This would be most attractive, and would offer some of our young people a valuable background. (The Enterprise herewith makes an offer to promote and assist in such a development. We've made such an offer in the past, but acceptance was not forthcoming, because of circumstances. We make it again, and double our bet.)

Now that it seems a sure thing that the Building Trades Course will be off and running with the opening of the next school year, there is another area which needs exploring . . .

. . . most other schools offer their freshmen a typing course; in our local school, we make our

Party Primaries Saturday, May 3

L. League season is beginning

The 1980 Little League baseball season will get underway Saturday, May 3, with a special program and scheduled games, to be played on the Winters Little League field, and the Winters Senior League field.

Team pictures also will be taken on this opening day.

Officers of the Winters Little League Assn. for 1980 include: Johnny Merrill, president; Lupe Lajona, vice president; Helen Grantham, secretary - treasurer; Royce McDorman, purchasing agent; Kay Guy, girls player agent; and Ann McDorman, boys player agent.

League officials are reminding boys and girls ages 8-12 there is still time to sign up to play Little League.

Baseball play begins at 10 a. m., with two Little League games in the morning, and four in the afternoon and evening, on the Little League Field at the City Park. Senior Leaguers will play one game in the morning, on the Senior League field, and four in the afternoon and evening.

SCHEDULE Little League

10:00: Lions vs. Wingate Major Girls.

12:00: Giants vs. Wingate Minor Boys.

2:00: Jets vs. Wingate Major Boys.

4:00: Yankees vs. Dodgers.

6:00: Cubs vs. Jim Ned Minor Girls.

8:00: Bears vs. Jim Ned Major Girls.

Senior League

10:00: Pirates vs. Cardinals.

2:00: Little Indians vs. Jim Ned Minor Boys.

4:00: Big Indians vs. Jim Ned Major Boys.

6:00: Dudes vs. Wingate Senior Boys.

8:00: Angels vs. Jim Ned Senior Boys.

Freshman orientation meeting

Eighth grade students who will make up next year's freshman class in Winters High School will meet in the high school auditorium for an orientation session next Tuesday, May 6, at 7:30 p. m., Mike Grantham, high school principal announced this week.

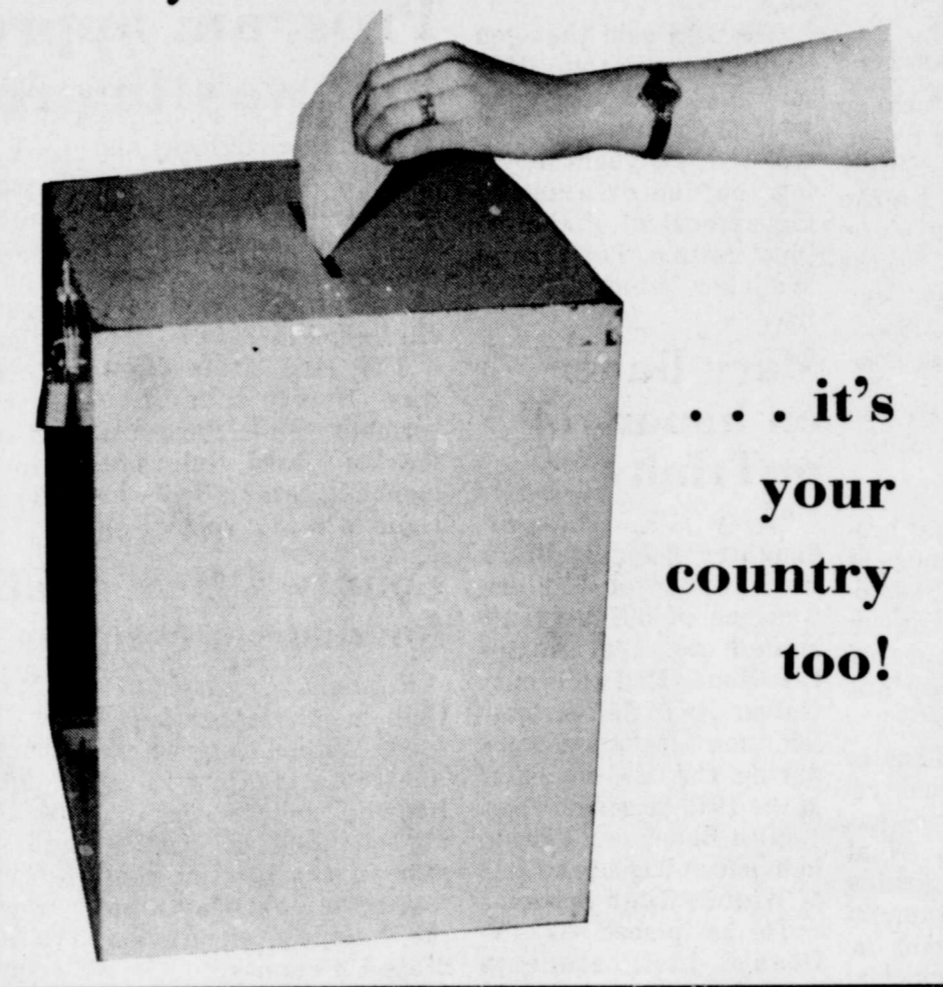
At this meeting, the students and their parents will be informed of requirements for graduation, courses offered, recommendations for math for the first year, and other problems relating to their high school years. In addition, the counselor will discuss the standardized tests the students have taken this year, Grantham said.

Pre-registration materials for next year will be given to the incoming freshmen and will be explained in detail, the principal said.

Parents have been urged to attend this meeting with their children. In this manner, it was stated, parents will have a better understanding of the students' high school needs.

students wait until their junior year. This know-how and experience could be most valuable to them in all four years of their high school life.

Cast your ballot . . .



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Annual Home Tour Sunday, May 4

Some of the newest homes in Winters will be open for the annual Tour of Homes, sponsored by the Diversity Club, Sunday, May 4, from 2 to 4 p. m.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Black, 213 Circle Dr., included in the tour, is a spacious brick home built for modern living. It is tastefully furnished and has an abundance of glass for natural light. The master bedroom has a handpainted picture of an old house surrounded by a wheat field, which still stands on the Black farm northeast of Winters.

The Rick Dry home at 125 Penny Lane features an archway at the front through which one enters the front door. Macrame plant holders which Rick made hang on each side of the fireplace. The walls throughout the house are painted with a Spanish Drag design, and many bamboo baskets hang on the walls in the dining area.

Across the street is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wade, 208 Penny Lane. The entrance hall to this house displays many pieces of bamboo and leads one into the living area where more bamboo is seen. There is a sloped ceiling in this area which is an unusual feature. The walls in this house are also painted with a Spanish Drag design. It has three bedrooms and two baths, one of which is beautifully decorated in green and white.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Fisher, 206 Penny Lane, is a modern four bedroom house. The first thing one notices is the cedar railing around the dining area. A bay window in the kitchen makes an attractive spot for displaying house plants. The family living room in this home is a sunken

Sports banquet at cafeteria Saturday night

The Winters High School All-Sports Banquet will be held in the school cafeteria Saturday, May 3, beginning at 7:30.

Don Smith from Abilene Christian University, will be the guest speaker for the banquet.

Sponsoring the annual event will be the Blizzard Booster Club and the High School Cheerleaders.

area with a cathedral ceiling. It is a home built for family living and atmosphere is displayed throughout.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Arnold was one of the first houses built on Circle Drive, and could be called the "House of the Bluebonnets," due to the many paintings on the walls. Articles from various areas of the world are also part of the decor. Refreshments will be served at this home.

Tickets for the Tour of Homes may be purchased from members of the Diversity Club or at each home included in the tour.

Revival set Pentecostal Church of God

Evangelist Jerry Johnson will be the speaker for a revival meeting series at the Winters Pentecostal Church of God, 606 N. Cryer, from May 6 to May 11.

Services will be held at 7:30 p. m. daily.

The public is invited to attend these services.

Democratic and Republican candidates will be nominated for precinct, county, district, state and national offices, in primary voting Saturday, May 3. Winners of these primaries, or the winners of runoff primaries in June, will be party nominees for the General Election in November. In most local cases, winning of the May 3 primary will be tantamount to election, as nominees will face no known opposition in the November voting.

This year, both Democratic and GOP party members will have an opportunity to state their preference for presidential nominees.

In Runnels County, Democrats will vote at usual polling places in the primary. However, for those voting the GOP ticket, there will be fewer boxes. Republicans in voting Precincts 3, 4 and 5, will cast their ballots in a central location, the office of the Winters Chamber of Commerce, Bill Cervenka, County Republican Chairman, said. Nancy Michaelis will be the election judge for this box.

Although there are contests for several precinct and county offices this year, campaigning thus far has been on a so-so, low-profile basis. Candidates with opposition have been campaigning as usual, but observers note that there has been no strong electioneering, as has been the case in primary campaigns in years past.

On a precinct level, the incum-

bent County Commissioner for Precinct 3, Pat Pritchard, is facing two challengers, J. A. Henderson Jr., of Winters, and Gilbert Smith of Wingate.

Jack Farmer, incumbent Runnels County Tax Assessor-Collector, has been challenged by VaRue McWilliams for that office.

County Sheriff Hershall Hall, seeking re-election to a second term, is being opposed by Grady Campbell in the primary.

In the immediate district and county, candidates for office are facing no challengers. District Judge Curt F. Steib has no opposition in seeking return to the bench in the 119th District. Royal Hart, District Attorney, also is alone in the field for return to office in the 119th Judicial District.

County-wide, other candidates for office face no opposition, including County Attorney John W. McGregor; County Treasurer Bobby Bryan, appointed to fill an unexpired term, has no opposition in his quest for return to office by way of the ballot.

State Representative Lynn Nabers of Brownwood, 55th District, has no opposition this year. State Senator Grant Jones of Abilene has drawn an opponent this year, Roland Simon Arriola of Waco.

Republican Tom Loeffler, U. S. Representative, 21st District, has no Republican opponent. Demo candidates for this office are Marilyn Jones and Joe Sullivan.

"100 Years In Runnels" program Thursday night

A special centennial program, "100 Years In Runnels County," will be presented in the Ballinger High School Auditorium Thursday, May 1, beginning at 8 p. m., sponsored by the Runnels County Historical Commission.

Each of the several communities in the county will be represented on the program, depicting different periods in the 100-year history of the county. Musical entertainment will be by the Senior Citizens Band of Winters and Ballinger. The National Guard unit of Ballinger will post the colors, and Mrs. A. T. Granzin will give the welcome address. Mrs. E. H. Boelsche will give a description of the countryside before 1880.

Years portrayed by each community in the county: — Miles, 1880-1900

— Rowena, 1900-1920
— Wingate, 1920-1930
— Olfen, 1930-1940
— Crews, 1940-1950
— Norton, Marie, Maverick, 1950-1960
— Winters, 1960-1970
— Ballinger, 1970-1980

Members of the speech class of Winters High School will take part in the program. Marcie Steinberg and Tammy Jackson will be readers. Others on the program will be Yolanda Sanchez, Tommy Chambliss, Rosalinda Vera, Diana Rodriguez, James Hinman, and Betty Luna.

Gloria Isaacks and Tancy Layton will sing "Runnels Is My County."

The Winters group will be under the direction of David Evans, speech teacher in Winters High School.

Trades course has been approved for school

The administration of Winters Independent School District have received approval of a proposal to add a building construction trades course to the curriculum in the high school, school officials announced the first of the week.

In addition, they said, certification of James Jones as a building trades instructor has been received from the Texas Education Agency.

The board of trustees recently had authorized the superintendent of schools to draw up proposed plans for such a course. It was understood that the course will be offered for the first time next fall, at the beginning of the 1980-81 school year.

In planning for the new course, the board decided to alter the format of the present Shop I and II classes, and Mechanical

Drawing courses to accommodate and include the Building Construction Trades class. Upon inauguration of the new course, it was explained, the emphasis will shift from small individual shop projects to large group construction. Classroom and shop experiences concerned with the erection, installation, maintenance and repair of buildings and other structures, using assorted materials such as metal, wood, stone, brick, glass, concrete or composition substances, will be stressed, it was stated.

Included in the course will be a variety of activities such as cost estimating, cutting, fitting, fastening, and finishing various materials, the uses of different hand and power tools, and blueprint reading.

The course will be restricted to junior and senior students, and it is anticipated that the junior class students in the program will participate for two years. After two years in the program, school officials anticipated, graduates should be prepared to enter the building construction industry and perform successfully as advanced apprentices. Their initial income would probably be higher than those employees who are hired who have had no previous training or experience, they suggested.

School board members and administrators expressed the belief that "this program will greatly benefit the young people of the community," offering them a greater opportunity to take their place in the community, upon graduation.

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Hogan brothers are making history at West Point

The Hogan brothers of Clyde, grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scott of Winters, are making history at the West Point Military Academy.

Cadet sophomore Mike W. Hogan of Clyde was elected president of the West Point class of '82 in the spring elections recently. His class consists of 1,200 members from the 50 states. He served on the sophomore class committee and was on the varsity football team last season. Academically, he has been on the dean's list for three semesters and was selected as a platoon commander during Plebe Week last year.

Mark Hogan was elected president of the Class of '81 last year.

According to information, this is the first time in the 178-year history of

Loeffler expresses concern

Following announcement of the aborted mission by members of the U. S. Armed Services to rescue the American citizens being held hostage by Iran, Congressman Tom Loeffler (R-21st Dist.) expressed concern for the safety of the hostages.

Without indicating his approval or disapproval of the attempted rescue, Cong. Loeffler, in a telephone call to *The Enterprise* Monday, said, "I am deeply saddened by the loss of American lives. My concern rests now with the American hostages and our ability to bring them home safely."

"The responsibility for the safety of our Americans still rests with the government in Tehran. They must prove to the world that they can demand and secure restraint from their people. "I pray that this will be the case."

Use 1040X for tax return changes

If you need to change something on your Federal income tax return after you've filed, you can make the correction on Form 1040X, according to the Internal Revenue Ser-

vice. The IRS said that generally the Form 1040X may be used to amend your tax return any time during the 3 years following the due date (including extension) of the original return. The form is available from IRS offices.

West Point that two brothers have been elected class presidents in consecutive years.

And, their younger brother, Melvin, a senior at Clyde High School, seemed destined to follow in their footsteps had his school preference not been involved.

Congressman Charles Stenholm announced recently that Melvin has been accepted to West Point next year following Shenholm's appointment. However, the Hogans father, Winford, principal at Clyde High School, said that Melvin has also received a presidential scholarship at Texas A&M and is currently leaning toward attending that school.

Mary Bauer on honor roll at Trinity

Mary K. Bauer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bauer of Winters, was one of 609 students named to the Dean's List/Honor Roll at Trinity University in San Antonio for their academic work during the fall semester of the 1979-80 school year.

Miss Bauer is majoring in music and is a graduate of Winters High School. To be placed on the Dean's List, students must have completed 15 hours with grades of A in courses that carry grade points. Full-time students receiving a minimum grade point average of 3.6 are placed on the Honor Roll.

Ranchers have until May 15 to complete hormonal spraying

Ranchers in regulated areas of Runnels County have until May 15 to complete the spraying of hormonal herbicides, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced.

In a hearing held last year, the area affected by the Texas Herbicide Law was enlarged by the County Commissioner's Court. In addition, the dates in which the herbicides may be used was changed. Herbicides may be applied within the regulated area between November 1 and May 15 without paying permit fees. However, between May 15 and November 1, spraying of the hormone-type herbicides is prohibited by court order.

Although the herbicides are used primarily to kill weeds and brush, the herbicides can have "adverse effects on non-target broad leaf plants," such as cotton and vegetables. Therefore, all spraying or hormone herbicides must be completed prior to May 15, Brown said.

Housework—who does it?

Some families "share" housework, in some it's "woman's work," and others view it as necessary "upon request" only.

How families decide their housework systems will serve to teach their children the value and importance of it—along with the value and worth of those who perform the work, says one specialist. Housework is not trivial, Nancy Granovsky, a family resource management specialist says.

It is a fact of life. If we are to create a comfortable environment and a sense of "home", then certain housework always will be necessary to maintain that environment, she adds.

Many families face a "re-thinking" of their housework systems, as

area of Runnels County affected by the revision begins on the west county line at its intersection with the Colorado River. The area then extends east-southeasterly along the Colorado River to its intersection with U. S. Highway 83, and north along Highway 83 to its intersection with FM 382.

The regulated area then continues northeasterly to FM 382's intersection with FM 2647, and then northerly along FM 2647 to its intersection with FM 1770, and westerly along FM 1770 to the intersection with Highway 83. At Highway 83, the area extends northward along the highway to its intersection with the northern Runnels County line, then westerly along the north county line to the northwest corner of the county. At the northwest corner of the county, the area affected extends southerly along the west county line to the Colorado River, and the point of beginning of the area as regulated by the Texas Herbicide Law.

more and more women enter the labor force. Of all women over age 16, 51 percent are in the labor force. Of that total, seven of every 10 work full time.

When women work outside of the home, who does the housework?

In households that "share" housework, each family member recognizes that family living is a shared experience, and, thus, household management and housework should be shared responsibilities. In these homes, work can depend on age, ability, interest, skill and/or time available.

In homes where housework is "women's work," it can mean long hours for the woman spent in gainful employment outside the home—as well as in it.

Food Service Assn. in last meeting for school year

The Runnels County health and education of school children through nutrition; to maintain high standards of school food service; to develop between school personnel and the general public a united effort to assure every child adequate school food service; to promote legislation designed to safeguard adequate school food service programs; to promote interest in training of school food service personnel and to improve and protect their status.

Members of the local chapter expressed a desire for the public to know some of the purposes of the association, which include: improvement of the

Program approved for highway improvement

The State Highway and Public Transportation Commission has approved a \$58.7 million program to improve almost 2,000 miles of State-Maintained Highways in Texas.

The 1981 State Highway Safety and Betterment and Farm to Market Road Improvement Program will include a wide variety of work in all sections of Texas.

Types of work include widening, new surfaces, improved signs and signals, and other means of improving the safety characteristics, traffic capacity, riding quality and ease of maintenance of the highways involved.

The Program contains a total of 334 separate projects located in 140 counties. Included is a project in Runnels County for seal coat on State Highway 158 from F.M. 3115 west to the Coke County Line, a distance of 4.6 miles.

Work on this project will be during the summer of 1981. Approval at this time will allow the Department to prepare the plans and award the contract.

Blue ribbon winners in the Senior Division were: Sheep: Raenese Turner, Kathy Hays, Ballinger. Collecting and Preserving Insects: Dina Alvarado, Karen McNelly, Rowena. Blue ribbon winners in the Junior Division were: Food and Nutrition, Let's Speak Out; Michelle Bryan, Grady Bryan, Winters. Horse: Michelle O'Neal, Melinda Sims, Winters. Horticulture Production and Marketing: Gena Davis, Ballinger.

Senior Citizens will be honored during celebration

Citizens of the Winters area who are 90 years of age and older will be honored in a special way during Winters' 90th Birthday Celebration, May 23-23, according to an announcement from the celebration committee.

The 90-year-old residents will receive special recognition in the parade and at the opening ceremonies for the celebration at the City Park, the committee said.

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce is compiling a list of those residents 90 or above, and ask that names and information be left at the chamber office, or by calling 754-5210.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Nina Hale would like to thank everyone for the help, flowers and food and kindness shown in our time of sorrow. Our deepest thanks and appreciation goes out to each one of you. —Raymond Hale, Ray and Alice Hale, Bill and Charlotte Hall, and all the Grandchildren.

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VaRue McWilliams
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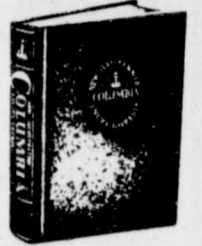
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Our deepest sympathy to the family of Mr. Barney Wright, especially to our Marvin Gerhart family out here. Those attending the funeral of Mr. Wright Wednesday from here were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brevard, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Campbell, Mrs. Alta Hale, Mrs. Rodney Faubion, and Mr.

and Mrs. Wilmer Gerhart. Mr. and Mrs. Burley Campbell visited a cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McDaniel in Menard on Wednesday. Bro. Lynn Means visited a while Sunday evening with the Campbells.

Those having dinner Sunday in the Noble Faubion home were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Faubion, Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. George Faubion, Norman, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Faubion, Saudia Arabia, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kraatz and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Prater, of San Angelo. Rose Marie, Claudette, Melissa Faubion, and the Rodney Faubion family came on Saturday night.

Bro. Lynn Means, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Osborne were dinner guests with the Rodney Faubions after church Sunday.

Gene and Wesley Phipps, and Graig Corley of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McBeth, of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Irvin of Winters, and Mrs. Mable White of Tuscola had dinner Saturday with the Chester McBeths. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Phipps of Stephenville came for a visit on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cooper of San Angelo visited with his folks the Earl Coopers.

Mrs. Amber Fuller received word that her son-in-law, Woodrow Worthington of Banning, Cal. was home after two weeks in Riverside Hospital, recovering from a motorcycle wreck.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hoppe, Fran Hoppe, and Larry Walker spent the weekend in Liberty Hill with the Jack Zillers.

Mrs. Effie Dietz and Mrs. Lilly Osborne attended the funeral of Mrs. Elsie Rhea in Winters Tuesday. Mrs. Dietz spent Friday evening with Miss Clara McKissack.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McGallion and Jr. of Winters, Mrs. Sue Campbell and Glenn of Winters, spent Sunday afternoon with the Theron Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth attended the funeral of Dwain Pruitt in Bronte. They also visited the family of Mrs. Valarie Lee in the funeral home.

The McBeths visited with the Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Hallford, their daughter, Mrs. Sherry Palmer, and Crece of Okla.

The Doug Bryans visited in the Dewitt Bryan home Friday night, and Vickie Bryan came Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Foreman drove up to Abilene after church services Sunday to see Mr. O. Z. Foreman who is in the hospital there.

Mrs. Alta Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Hoarce Stokes attended the Echo Musical Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mickalewicz of Blanton and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacobs drove to Coleman to see Mrs. Clara Hanke Sunday, but she wasn't

X-rays are beneficial diagnostic tool

X-rays are a useful tool that carry far less risk than some other diagnostic techniques and much less risk than the diseases X-rays are used to discover. But worries about excess exposure may be keeping some people from getting needed examinations, the Texas Medical Association (TMA) says.

TMA says X-ray is a tool that, when properly used, has benefits that most often outweigh risks. X-ray risks certainly are much less than those of exploratory surgery doctors had to use more often before X-rays were developed.

To help doctors utilize X-rays the best ways possible, people can keep records of when they were X-rayed and for what and tell physicians. If a doctor can use a recent, available X-ray, the patient may save time, money and a small amount of radiation exposure.

Patients also can talk with doctors about concerns about X-rays. A woman who thinks she may have even a chance of being pregnant especially should talk with her doctor about the concern to make certain precautions

are taken to protect her unborn baby. Special shielding can be worn while being X-rayed to protect sexual organs because some X-rays may affect a person's ability to have healthy children.

TMA says some people's concerns may be keeping them from getting X-rays that would diagnose problems that only will get worse as time progresses. The risk of such diseases is far greater than the chance of disease caused by X-ray exposure. It makes little sense to avoid scientifically controlled low levels of radiation exposure if X-rays are indicated.

How much radiation does it take to cause cancer or other problems? Scientists know very large doses of high-level radiation are harmful but they generally agree that the small dose of low-level radiation in a medical X-ray offers far more benefit than risk. One researcher has estimated that one chest X-ray carries as much risk as smoking two cigarettes or driving five miles on a highway.

It is known that people are exposed to naturally occurring radiation every day from such sources as

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Kids Krusade begins Sunday at local church

A "Kids Krusade," for children 4 to 12, will begin Sunday, May 4, at the Assembly of God Church, 304 Wood St., and continue through May 9, the Rev. Charles Steinberg, pastor, has announced.

Conducting the program will be the Kennedy Family of McAllen.

Programs will begin at 7 each evening, and refreshments will be served.

Attend state historical convention

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Pace and Mrs. Charlsie Poe represented the Runnels County Historical Commission at the 1980 Annual Historic Preservation Conference, held April 24-26, in Corpus Christi.

The Historic Preservation Conference is sponsored each year by the Texas Historical Commission and the Texas Historical Foundation.

350 conference participants from across Texas exchanged ideas about heritage preservation in the 1980s. A few of the topics of study were adaptive reuse of historic structures, the financial benefits of restoration and preservation, preservation as a tool for energy conservation, setting up a county archive, researching local history, and developing a positive image for the county historical commission.

Delegates to the conference heard addresses by some 15 preservation authorities, attended workshops and discussion sessions on contemporary preservation issues, and toured historic sites in Nueces County.

NEWCOMER

Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Folsom announce the birth of a son, Joe B., born April 17, 1980, in Ballinger Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed 15½ pounds and was 21 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mrs. Joe Nitsch and the late Joe Nitsch. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Folsom of Wingate.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray W. Golson announce the birth of a son, Ronald Wade, born April 15, 1980, at 1:16 p. m. The baby weighed 8 pounds 5½ ounces, and was 20 inches long.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Golson of Rankin. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Vick, also of Rankin. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Rose of Lawn and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Golson of Burkett.

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Poe's Corner
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The Art of Staying Alive

Those of us who took the eight-hour Defensive Driving Course sponsored by the Literary and Service Club at the Methodist Church were most respectful of the tall, handsome police officer who was in charge. In fact, we were tongue-tied.

In an effort to encourage some participation, Wendel Rehm told us our input would determine whether or not we must take the test at the end of the session.

This aroused us but when he said, "How many of you broke the law coming down here this morning?" you never heard such confessions and from some Sunday School teachers, too!

One had failed to turn on a signal light when coming around the corner. Another hadn't stopped when entering a public highway from a country road, but had looked both ways to see that no car was coming. One person had backed across a main street when leaving the garage rather than going to the end of the street and turning.

From then on Mr. Rehm had no trouble getting us

to talk nor did his assistant, Byron Deal. The course was certainly worthwhile and we learned that it would enable us to get a ten percent discount on parts of our insurance.

Traffic accidents are everyone's concern since every man, woman and child in the United States at one time or another is a driver, passenger or pedestrian.

Traffic accidents are the leading cause of accidental death, killing over 50,000 persons a year, besides injuries and economic loss. And such accidents are the leading killer of youths under 25 years of age. So, this was a course in how to drive to stay alive.

Defensive Driving means driving so as to prevent accidents in spite of the actions of others and the presence of adverse driving conditions.

In traveling all of us want to have a perfect trip and this involves avoiding the following types of driving errors: Accidents, traffic violations, vehicle abuse, schedule delays and discourtesy. The most dangerous mile is the one ahead and if every mile is driven carefully then it adds up to a perfect trip.

The standard accident prevention formula involves three interrelated steps: see the hazard, never assume everything will be "all right", understand the defense, and act in time, now take a "wait-and-see" attitude.

Since the hazard starts far in advance of a would-be accident, it is well to start with a pre-trip mental inventory of driving conditions even before you get behind the wheel. The six conditions of accidents are: light, weather, road, traffic, vehicle and driver.

Some rules are: always look to the right to protect yourself from glare of oncoming headlights. Put your lights on low-beam when meeting another car, and within 300 feet when approaching a car from behind. Reduce speed at night.



Jerry Lackey's Country Folk

My travels of the past three weeks have carried me in and through some 25 Texas counties. A couple of those trips were extra nice because I drove in rain, yet after making it back a week later, I found little comfort in discovering the moisture did any good.

We must brand the rains teasers! After an inch or even two fell, a drying wind sucked all the moisture away. And there have been unusually cold nights... grass can't grow if the soil don't remain warm day and night.

Joe Pat Jones of Eden says few folks believe him when he talks of the four inch snow there on April 13. "But it was on the ground I know because I had some new pigs and went to the barn at 4 a.m. to check them and shut the barn up. However, my family don't believe me either because when they woke up after daylight the snow was melted."

About 2,500 people met the white stuff in the Texas Hill Country the same weekend as they departed from a wild blowout at the YO Ranch at Mountain Home. The celebration was the 100th anniversary of the Charles Schreiner ranch in Kerr County. The party went on but not in the planned setting.

While that was all going on, I was chaperon to some 25 Colonial Rehab Rangers on a trip to Arlington and a baseball game between the New York Yankees and Texas Rangers. It was rained out and my little rangers were cold and wet by the time we got back to the bus.

To say this has been a different kind of spring and winter, for that matter, would be an understatement. The whole world has been upside down from the weather to the economy to government at home and abroad. It just seems like everything nailed down is coming loose.

Many in ranch country will remember James Gray, for many years the sheep and goat specialist with Texas A&M. Well, I had supper with Gray in Sonora the other night. He is retired from the Extension Service and practicing on his own. Reporting a 120 percent Angora kid crop this season... he smiled and added: "It hasn't been easy. My wife and I have sit up with the little kids to get them started."

Odus Wittenburg, well known lamb buyer and sheep dealer, was on the baseball game trip. He predicts the lamb market will be back in line by summer and wool prices better too. "I can see the wool buyers problem... they can't buy this stuff with 18 to 20 percent interest on their money. They would rather the old rancher pay for storage and gamble that the interest rate will comedown by the time the mills will need more natural fibers."

Chester Bannowsky who ranches near Cleo on Bear Creek in Kimble County thinks rain... "a good soaker and rise on the creeks will come before May is June."

Thomas Morris, Sutton County ranchman, is equally as optimistic. And bumping into Rufus Couey and Damon Evans in a Junction coffeshop recently... I witnessed the same kind of talk from some old-timers who have hit it right lots of times.

Just the same, in visiting with Shelley V. Smith, on rounds at the Fairway Oaks Golf Club in Abilene the other day as we made final plans for the LaJet Classic May 5 and 6, seeing all that watered green grass made matters at the ranch worse! Smith, who ranches near Abilene and Snyder besides running the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, says it will take four inches of rain "just to get up... then we will need some regular showers along."

I attended a regional meeting of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association at the invitation of General-Manager Don King. Bulk of discussion was concerning the introduction of computers to the livestock marketing industry. (I will address the subject in a forth-coming column.) Yet, it was interesting to hear that even the highly technical marketing efforts will nonetheless depend on the weather.

Well, it seems that everything as we know it in West Texas operates for the good or bad of the weather, particularly rain or the lack of it. Eating lunch the other day with Congressman Tom Loeffler, he believes the upcoming elections and inflation would be helped by a good general rain. But even Tom won't promise rain for a vote... "by the time Congress acted on it the election would be over and winter here again."

In bad weather clean windshield and all windows of accumulated ice and snow. Be sure all lights are working properly.

Any trip may involve a number of different road conditions. Adjust speed to conditions.

Your chances of staying out of an accident are better with a vehicle in top condition.

Driver condition figures in 92 percent of all accidents. Age is a factor for those under 25 and over 65. The younger driver has good physical condition, but lacks mature judgement. The older driver has experience, but their physical and sensory faculties may have deteriorated.

The most dangerous condition is being under the influence of alcohol. Studies of fatal auto accidents show that more than 50 percent of the drivers involved had been under the influence of alcohol or drugs, either prescription or illegal. Fatigue and sleepiness are other dangerous driving conditions, as well as emotions, such as anger or worry, and certain physical impairments.

A prescription for avoiding the head-on crash, since it is the most deadly, is: Read, try to anticipate; Right, stay on right hand lane; Reduce speed; Ride to the right, completely off the road, if necessary.

One third of all two car crashes occur at intersections while vehicle-pedestrian collisions account for 18 percent of traffic fatalities annually.

Census takers continue house calls here

Census District Manager, Billy Yarbrough reports good progress in this area of the follow-up phase of the 1980 Census of Population and Housing. Census takers are following-up on missing census questionnaires by visiting addresses from which householders have not yet mailed theirs back, as well as telephoning most households from which questionnaires were returned inadequately filled out.

The manager asks householders to welcome these census takers when they call and to give them full cooperation in supplying the required census information. But you should always ask to see their official credential before admitting them to your home. It is a red, white, and blue ID card bearing the U. S. Department of Commerce seal.

The manager stressed that, because the count of the Nation's population was to be for one day, April 1, everyone who was in the household on that day should be listed on the questionnaire, but not anyone who has moved in since.

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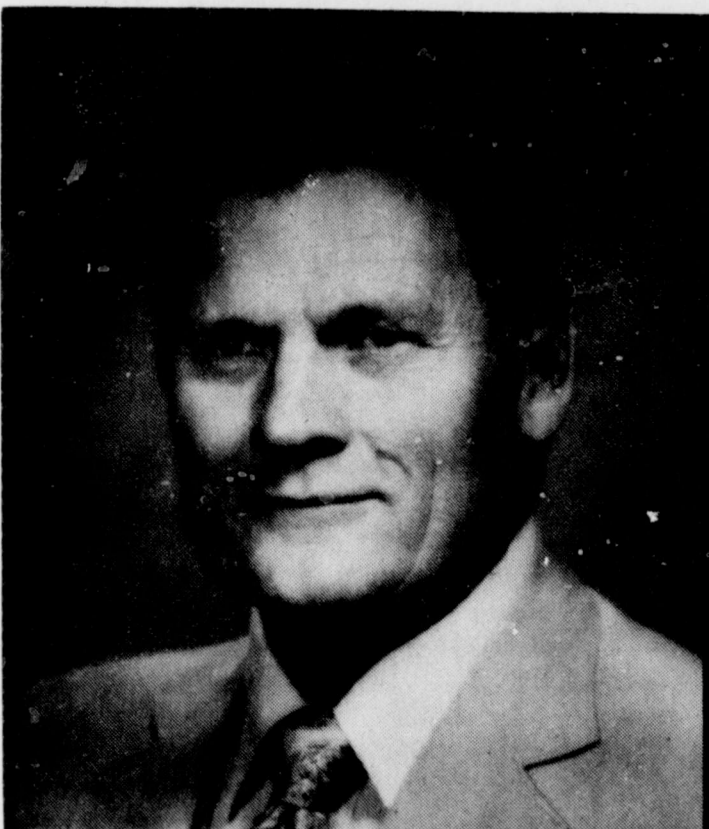
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I have been a member in the First Baptist Church of Tuscola for 31 years, the Tuscola Lions Club, the National Rifle Association, American Legion, VFW, the booster club, and the Marine Corps Aviators Association.

My professional experience in the courtroom has given me countless opportunities to make individual choices, individual judgments, and individual decisions. I can and will perform the duties of a Justice of the Peace without having to be partial, without bias and without prejudice. My experience has provided me with an insight that comes only from the proper kind of decision-making.

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Blackwell

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee had as their visitors Sunday afternoon their daughter, Mrs. Donald Moore of Sweetwater and his sister, Carrie Lee of Drasco.

The Rev. Buddy Trull, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Patterson, Savannah Thompson, Melvin Tubbs, Mmes. Bobby Barrett, Marie Romine, and Thelma Finley attended funeral services for Willis L. Sissom, of Sweetwater

and formerly of Blackwell at Cate-Spencer Funeral Home Chapel at 2:00 p.m., Monday, April 21. Larry Fluitt, minister of the Lamar Street Church of Christ officiated with burial in the Hylton Cemetery.

Mr. Sissom passed away Saturday evening April 19 in Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital after a two week illness.

Mr. Sissom was born Aug. 16, 1909 in Pinesville, Arkansas. He married Francis Emogene Fullwood Aug. 15, 1946 in Sweetwater. He was a farmer and had lived most of his life in Nolan County.

Warm weather brings ticks

Tick populations increase dramatically with warmer weather, causing inconvenience and health hazards for homeowners and pets.

Ticks are biting, blood-sucking parasites, and their bites may become inflamed and infected due to toxic secretions, points out Allen Turner, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Tick paralysis, tularemia and Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever may be transmitted through tick bites.

Brown dog ticks and American dog ticks are the most common in Texas home landscapes. Brown dog ticks are reddish-brown while American dog ticks are yellowish-brown when unfed and slate gray when engorged. The brown dog tick rarely occurs in rural areas; instead, it hides in crevices around buildings. American dog ticks are most often found along roads and trails.

A female tick may lay several thousand eggs, beginning a two- to four-month life cycle. Remaining stages - six legged larva (seed tick) and eight-legged nymph and adult - generally develop on separate host animals. After each feeding, the tick drops off the host and temporarily hides until the next developmental stage.

Regardless of the species, control is basically the same for all ticks, says Turner. Heavy infestations in the home may require treatment by professionals. Household sprays containing 0.5 percent diazinon or ronnel will control light infestations.

"Inflation fighting garden" guidelines

Gardeners all over Texas are looking at their backyards as a potential site to help fight inflation during 1980.

"Vegetable gardening is sweeping Texas as well as the rest of the country," says Dr. Sam Cotner, horticulturist with Texas A&M University. "Not since 1974 has there been such an interest in converting backyard areas into productive vegetable gardens.

"Although the grocery bill is probably not the ideal place to cut costs because many things have increased at a higher rate than food, it's the one place where many Texas families feel they can actually do something about the high cost of living," notes Cotner.

If you plan on having a vegetable garden this year, the horticulturist offers these guidelines for an "inflation fighting garden."

Inspect your garden closely for insects and diseases. Your "shadow" in the garden will prevent many potential problems before they start. If you do have problems such as taller-growing crops on the north side of the garden. Group remaining vegetables according to their maturity rate.

Have your garden's soil tested to determine what type of fertilizer and how much to apply. Your local county Extension agent can help you take a soil test.

Plant only recommended varieties. Check with successful gardeners, local nurseries and garden centers, and your Extension office for varieties best suited for your particular area.

use a mulch to control weeds and conserve moisture.

Determine which vegetables you want to grow in your garden. Plant only those crops which your family likes most and which you feel will be relatively high priced at the grocery store. If your garden is

small, do not plant crops requiring a lot of space. Locate your garden where it receives plenty of sunlight, is well-drained, and is free from competition with existing trees and shrubs.

Make a garden plan. Note where crops will be planted and how much space each needs. Plant long way toward insuring a successful "inflation fighting garden," believes Cotner.



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May 3rd is drawing near. I am asking for your vote of confidence in my bid for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor-Collector of Runnels County.

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Pallbearers were Joe Conradt, Levi Robertson, Douglas Thorn, Lee Craig, Charles Rowland and J. H. Thompson.

Those from Blackwell going to the Hylton Cemetery were: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Waggoner, Jack Waggoner, Mmes. John McRorey, Ninnie Kinard, Willie Stevens, Eddie Rowland and Thelma Conradt.

Mr. and Mrs. Sissom had moved to Sweetwater about a month ago. Mrs. Sissom will remain in Sweetwater to be near her children.

Joel Shipp is back at his home in Blackwell after spending about 2 months in the Sweetwater hospital suffering from a fall.

Grady Patterson and Savannah Thompson received word Tuesday night that their brother-in-law, Ben Henderson of Hermleigh was a patient in the Hendricks Memorial Hospital and was to have major surgery Wednesday. Thursday night he was reported to be doing as well as could be expected this soon, but will be in the hospital several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee visited last Tuesday with their grandson and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Taylor and sons, Wes and Buck in Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Oden and Larry had as their visitors on Sunday, their son and brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dan Oden and daughters, Sarah Joy and Melissa of Albany and their daughter and sister, Mrs. Ronnie Carlton and daughter, Cindy of Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Patterson and children, Mitchel Wade and Courtney Lynn of Merkel visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Patterson and Shandra and they all attended the morning services at the Blackwell First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Grady Patterson is a patient in the St. John Hospital in San Angelo where she underwent surgery last Wednesday morning and was reported to be doing real well.

attention to roadsides, animal trails and paths.

Most species of ticks can't survive in cleared areas where they are exposed to excessive sunlight and predators, points out the agent. Keeping areas clear of debris is important in tick control.

Hikers and campers may want to use repellent materials on their jacket cuffs or the bottoms of their trousers. Also, Turner recommends tucking trousers into the tops of socks or boots. Sleeves buttoned tight will also aid in protection.

He advises pet owners to examine their animals frequently. Light infestations can be controlled by rubbing carbaryl dust into the pet's hair. Also, treat the animal's sleeping quarters every week.

If a tick becomes attached to the skin, remove it with a slow, steady pull. Be careful not to break off its mouthparts. A drop of chloroform, isopropyl alcohol, ether, acetone or fingernail polish rubbed over the tick may help remove it. It can be removed a half-hour later with less damage to the skin because its oxygen supply is cut off, says Turner.

Always apply an antiseptic to tick bites, adds the agent. If your hands touched the tick, wash them thoroughly with soap and water to reduce the risk of spreading disease.

Outside the home where vegetation is thin, use 5 percent carbaryl (Sevin) dust at 20-25 pounds per acre. Increase the rate as vegetation thickens. If using a spray, mix five tablespoons of 25 percent diazinon emulsifiable concentrate (EC) in one gallon of water. Apply one gallon of spray per 1,000 square feet. Carbaryl gives the best residual control. When spraying, pay particular

Reemployment rights for vets

The Veterans Administration and the Department of Labor have joined forces to remind recently discharged servicemen and women of their reemployment rights.

VA is including in an information kit it sends to new veterans a Labor Department flyer detailing the reemployment rights federal legislation mandates for them.

Officials of the two agencies believe the flyer will aid veterans confronted with reemployment problems, many of whom are unaware of the rights they have in this area.

By law veterans are entitled to restoration in their previous job or to a similar one offering the same seniority, status and pay, including all benefits becoming due after reemployment which would have accrued by seniority.

Veterans must apply to their pre-service employer within 90 days after separation from active duty. There are special provisions for veterans who remain hospitalized following military service.

There are also special provisions for reservists and Air National Guard personnel.

For further information and assistance veterans should contact the nearest Veterans Administration regional office or Department of Labor field office.

How work affects checks

Social security offices receive numerous inquiries each year from disability beneficiaries concerning how work affects their disability checks.

Many beneficiaries incorrectly believe that if they attempt to work their disability checks will be immediately stopped. This is not the case. Disability beneficiaries who have not recovered from their disabling condition are generally entitled to a 9 month trial work period. The purpose of the trial work period is to give the disabled beneficiary a chance to test his ability to again engage in substantial work without penalizing him by stopping his social security checks. Effective Jan. 1979, a trial work month is any month in which a disability beneficiary earns over \$75.00 per month in wages or self-employment income.

During these 9 months of trial work and the 2 months after, the beneficiary is entitled to receive his full social security checks. At the end of the 9 month trial work period, the beneficiary's earnings or self-employment income, the type of work he is doing and other work-related factors are evaluated by the Social Security Administration.

If it is determined that the disabled individual has been engaging in substantial work activity during his trial months and is expected to be able to continue in such work, his disability checks would be stopped. If the work activity during the trial months is determined not to be substantial and he has not recovered from his disability, the individual's monthly social security checks would continue.

Do a good job in preparing your garden soil before planting. Work the soil to a depth of 8 to 10 inches - the deeper the better. Add liberal amounts of organic matter such as compost, grass clippings, hay or similar material.

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Oddities among tourists

Resulting from a kind of climatological roulette, Del Rio recently gained a new resident from Minnesota. The Minnesotan had bid his homeland goodbye and headed south with a pair of snowshoes strapped to his car, vowing to continue till someone asked what they were. It happened in Del Rio.

Somehow, the odds for encountering oddities are enhanced when dealing with travelers, or so say reports from the state's network of 11 Texas Tourist Bureaus.

The tourist bureau staff at Waskom—the little town at the Louisiana state line on I.H. 20—is looking forward to a springtime visit from a 65-year-old bike rider from El Paso. Early this year, he motored through to check out the route, promising to stop again and say hello when he pedals through—to New Jersey.

One minute it's bike riders; the next it's an 18-wheeler jockey—or a helicopter pilot. Besides fun, sun and vacation routings for pleasure travelers, tourist bureau staffs do double duty as licensing authorities for over-size and overweight highway loads requiring special permits and routes.



Aggies all

These Aggies, from Winters, Ballinger, Norton, and other parts of Runnels County, showed up for annual Aggie

Muster, April 21, held this year at the Winters Country Club.

Actually, 18-wheelers are routine. The pretty travel counselors, who reel off information on attractions ranging from Astro-world to Zoo World, can also classify 22, 26 or even 34-wheelers, and literally tell 'em where to go and where to get off when traveling the highways of Texas.

The helicopter pilot

who literally dropped in was an advance man for an enormous piece of refinery equipment moving through Orange on I.H. 0. Permits in hand, he windmilled up and away, to the bemusement of a Winnebago caravan of senior citizens lining the bureau's driveway.

While the bureaus note short-term decreases in

travel volume during gas-shortage scares, they polished off 1979 with services to more than two million highway travelers. It was a decrease of 2.5 percent compared to 1978, but the travel counselors didn't really mind. In bureaus operating nine hours daily, seven days a week, the average counselor had only two

minutes and 16 seconds for each visitor last year. Some take a little longer.

At the tourist bureau in Langtry where Judge Roy Bean ruled as "The Law West of the Pecos," it's only polite to suspend routine operations for a few minutes while nostalgic-minded couples say their wedding vows on

the porch of Bean's Jersey Lilly Saloon, now a state historic site operated by the tourist division. The parties bring their own official to tie the knot, and in keeping with the site's tradition, some attendants are complete with shotguns.

"There is a fullness of all things, even of sleep and love," Homer

Crop-livestock reports from farmers-ranchers needed

During late May and June, many Texas farmers and ranchers will receive a crop or livestock questionnaire from the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service or will be personally interviewed by the Service's field staff. The information gathered through the questionnaires and interviews provides the basis for determining the acreage devoted to the various crops and midyear livestock numbers for the state of Texas and for each county.

Crop and livestock reports provide a dependable, unbiased picture of Texas' most important industry — agriculture. The estimates in these reports are tools to help farmers and ranchers work out their planting, breeding, feeding, storing, producing, and marketing plans.

Farm organization and legislatures use them in planning programs. The

estimates are also used in establishing the various government program acreage and payment levels to farmers for the state and county.

Extension economists and private farm and ranch management consultants use them as a basis for advising farmers and ranchers.

Exporters use them in planning and promoting the sale of agricultural products abroad.

Prompt and accurate completion of the survey forms provides for more reliable estimates and helps to reduce survey costs.

All individual farm and ranch information is kept confidential, and only state and county summaries become part of the final published estimate.

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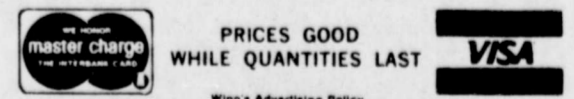
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Miss Smith and Mr. Sutton were wed

Leila Gwen Smith and Michael S. Sutton were married at three o'clock in the afternoon, May 17, in the Wingate Baptist Church. The Rev. Charles L. Myers, pastor, officiated for the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert F. Smith, Rt. 2, Wingate. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Christine Sutton of Abilene.

Church decorations included candelabra entwined with greenery.

Mrs. Charles Myers was organist, and Connie Holiday was soloist.

Candlelighters were James Thompson of Robert Lee, brother-in-law of the bride, and Ronald E. Lassiter of Abilene. Best man was John Cauley of Austin. Ushers were James Thompson of Robert Lee, and Ronald E. Lassiter of Abilene. Lassiter was groomsmen.

Marie Thompson of Robert Lee, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Betty Lassiter of Abilene was bridesmaid.

The bride's attendants wore peach color dresses featuring sweetheart necklines and cape sleeves, with A-line skirts.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore

a gown of white bridal satin, featuring a sweetheart neckline, lace bodice with sheer lace fitted sleeves. Her chapel train was of the same lace, and her veil of sheer illusion was edged with the same lace as her sleeves and train.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the educational building of the church. The bride's colors of peach and white were carried out at the bride's table, which featured the bride's bouquet.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of Winters, and

a 1977 graduate of Hendricks Medical Center School of Vocational Nursing. She is employed as an LVN at Hendrick.

The bridegroom is a 1969 graduate of Cooper High School in Abilene, and of Stephen F. Austin University. He is employed by William Cameron Lumber Co. in Abilene.

Before canning season arrives, make sure your canning equipment is in working order, says Mary K. Sweeten, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University System.

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Senior girls honored at special tea

Newcomers and friends were honored guests of the Diversity Club Thursday at a tea in the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. Special guests were senior girls of Winters High School and their mothers.

Theme for the occasion was "Unity In Friendship."

Mrs. Roy Young and Mrs. Ralph Arnold, president, greeted the guests, and Mrs. Addie Beth Stanley and Mrs. Roy Crawford alternated at the register.

Floral arrangements were used throughout the hall, and the tea table, covered with a lace trimmed white cloth, had a center-

piece of yellow and white daisies.

Refreshments of cookies, nuts, mints and punch were served. Presiding at the punch bowl were Mrs. Pauline Johnson and Mrs. Frank Brown. Other club members assisted with serving.

Hostesses were Mmes. Earl Roach, Roy Young, Ralph Arnold and Weldon Middleton.

Sixty-five members and guests attended.

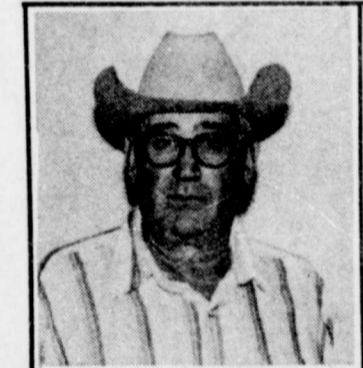
Miss Wienecke and Mr. Pritchard to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wienecke of Bluff Dale announce the engagement of their daughter, Penny Sue, to Mr. Steve Dale Pritchard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pritchard of Wingate.

The bride-elect is a 1978 graduate of Tolar High School and is attending Tarleton State University, where she is an accounting major. She is employed by Marvin Broudee Oil Co.

Mr. Pritchard is a 1978 graduate of Winters High School, and is attending Tarleton State university as an agricultural education major. He is employed at Texas Agriculture Experiment Station at Stephenville.

The wedding is planned for June 21 at four o'clock in the afternoon, in the Cedar Point Baptist Church. All friends and relatives have been invited to attend.



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- As a member of the State Legislature and as our Railroad Commissioner, is respected and known as a tough, independent and dedicated public servant who has consistently fought for the rights of Texas consumers.

Did you know that Jim Nugent's opponent, Jim Hightower:

- Has no qualifications to serve. His only background is having worked as editor of a radical left-wing newspaper (he calls himself an "investigative reporter") and working for a former liberal senator.
- Is the candidate of Ralph Nader, George McGovern, labor organizer Caesar Chavez and a group of Northeastern liberals intent on buying a seat on the Railroad Commission so the Northeast can continue to buy cheap energy from Texas.
- Is basing his campaign on hopes that the electorate will confuse his name—Jim Hightower—with well-known conservative Congressman Jack Hightower.

Jim Nugent has been endorsed by major newspapers* throughout the state. They have carefully considered qualifications of the two candidates, and have chosen Jim Nugent as the best man for the job.

*Jim Nugent has been endorsed by the Austin American-Statesman, San Antonio Light, Houston Chronicle, Dallas Morning News and the Dallas Times Herald. As of April 22, no major newspaper in Texas has endorsed his opponent, Jim Hightower!

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Young Farmers meeting has been postponed

The regular meeting of the Winters Young Farmers has been postponed from the first Monday to Thursday, May 8. A fish supper will be

served and a program presented at the Winters Community Center. Reservations for the supper must be made by calling the school vo-ag department, 754-4854.

All area farmers have been invited to join the Young Farmers for this special program.



Cheerleaders

These Winters High School girls will lead the cheering next fall when the football season begins. Front row, left to right, SiLes Fisher, Sherry McKnight, Lisa Bryan. Back row, Anna Vera, Tammy Gibbs, Kayleen McGuffin.

Mrs. R. Hale died Thursday of last week

Mrs. Raymond Hale, 66, died at 2:10 p. m. Thursday of last week, following an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Saturday in the Winters First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor, and the Rev. Emmitt Brooks of Abilene, officiating.

Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery under direction of Winters Funeral Home. She was born Nina Elizabeth Hill, Jan. 4, 1914, at Goldthwaite. It was there she attended school and later married Raymond Hale, Jan. 7, 1933.

The family moved to Winters Jan. 15, 1941. She was an employee of Dry Division, Wallace Murray Corp., for 20 years.

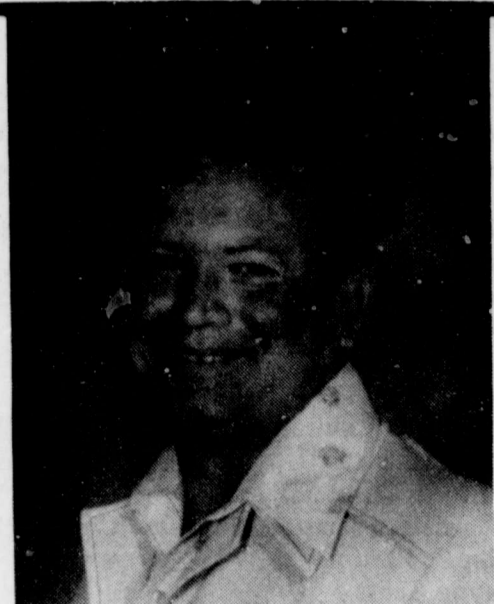
She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Bill of Seagoville and Ray of Winters; six brothers, O. C. of Winters, A. E. of Mansfield, C. H. of Arlington, Roy of Grand Prairie, Tom of Sherman, George of Grand Prairie; three sisters, Anna Lee Scott of Winters, Naomia Ward of Fort Worth and Jinsy Geaslin of Fort Worth; eleven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express the heartfelt thanks to all our friends and neighbors during the illness and passing of our husband and father. To the doctors and nurses at the hospital, for the beautiful flowers, food and other help you gave, may we in some small way be of help to you in time of need. May God bless each of you. —The Coy Riddle Family. 8-1tc



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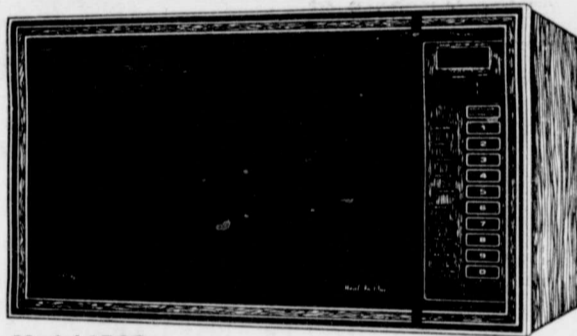
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Seat belts should be chosen with care

Automobile seat belts are mandatory now on all cars, but—unfortunately—if you have young children, buckling up won't protect them.

"Infants and young children weighing less than 40 pounds cannot be protected by belts," says John P. Murphy, with the Emergency Medical Services Division of the Texas Department of Health. "Because a child's bones are soft, an adult belt can cause internal injuries in a collision."

"Nor are children safe when sitting in an adult's lap. The force of a collision, even at low speeds, can tear a child from the person holding him or her. If the adult is not wearing

a seat belt, the child can be crushed between the adult's body and the dashboard or the front seat."

Murphy said a belt around a child sitting in an adult's lap can inflict critical internal injuries because the weight of the adult, greatly increased by the crash force, will press into the child's body.

Statistics for 1978, the latest year available from the Texas Department of Public Safety, show that 75 children ranging in ages up to four years old, died in Texas automobile accidents. For the same year, 5,595 were injured. Of the 50,000 persons who lost their lives on the nation's highways in 1978,

some 900 were child passengers under the age of five.

Children's car seats have been in use for many years, but until recently their purpose was to keep the child confined and elevated for a better view rather than for protection. Today, however, many crash-tested restraining devices, both seats and harnesses, are available. Basically, there are three types: the child safety seat, the shield restraint, and the simple harness.

The child safety seat has a five-point harness that cinches the child across the waist, between the legs and over the shoulder. The automobile safety belt secures the seat in place. Some models have anchoring straps at the top to keep the seat from toppling forward or sideways in an accident.

Charlie Poe's "Runnels Is My County."

Decorations, prizes and favors were courtesy of Santa Rosa and Top of Texas districts.

The annual state convention for 1981 has tentatively been set for Abilene, with Mesquite and Heart of Texas districts hosting the event.

Winters women attended annual convention of Women's Clubs

Two members of the Literary and Service Club of Winters attended the 83rd annual convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Amarillo, April 24-26.

Mrs. Zula Mae Lacy, a former state officer, won a second place award on her resume of Health, a division of Home Life Department.

Mrs. Wayne Sims, president of the Literary and Service Club, was a featured soloist, singing her own compositions. She is also a member of the TFWC Chorus.

A first place award was won by Mrs. J. S. Tierce, a local club member, in Overall Home Life Department Resume.

There are 14 districts composed of 548 federated clubs in Texas. The Heart of Texas District, which includes the Winters Clubs, had twelve members present. There were 13 districts represented, with 160 voting delegates.

One outstanding program of the three-day session was a panel discussion moderated by Edward Hill and composed of Amarillo attorneys. They discussed estate and tax planning, probate laws, validating wills and new laws affecting women.

Various clubs donated 280 books to the general Federation Library, the local club's donation being

NORTH RUNNELS HOSPITAL

REPORT ADMISSIONS

- April 22
Norma Hogan
G. C. Papasan
- April 23
Nina E. Hale
Connie Gray and Baby Boy
- April 24
Etta Russell
Judy Helsler
A. L. Vinson
Raymond Ortiz
- April 25
Geneva Emmert
Elnora Rainey and Baby Girl
- April 26
No Admissions
- April 27
No Admissions
- April 28
John Norman
Anna Schoenwetter
- DISMISSALS
- April 22
Maria Machuca
Thomas Bobo
- April 23
J. R. Smith
- April 24
Norma Hogan
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- April 25
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- April 27
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Melvin Ray Williams
- April 28
No Dismissals

An Effective Senator...

Grant Jones serves as Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, one of the most important and powerful appointments the Lieutenant Governor can make.

In addition to the Finance Committee Chairmanship, Grant Jones has posted an impressive record of hard work serving the voters of the 24th District.

Among his accomplishments in the last session of the Legislature are: Reforming property tax administration; implementing tax relief; revising the

consumer credit code; increasing state tuition grants to students at private colleges and updating strip mining regulations.

—Texas Monthly said of Grant Jones, "the Legislature's most ardent devotee of hard work; a beast of burden for whom the yoke is reward, not punishment."

In 1979, Texas Business magazine honored Jones with the Midnight Oil Award for the Best Committee Chairman ... saying ... "(he has) a continuing personal record of excellence."



vote May 3rd for Senator Grant Jones.

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Candidates on Democratic ballot

Following are the candidates and placement of names on the ballot for the Democratic Primary May 3:

For United States Representative, District 21:
Marilyn Jones
Joe Sullivan

For Railroad Commissioner
John Poerner
Buddy Temple

For Railroad Commissioner (Unexpired Term)
Jim Hightower

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1
John C. Phillips
Wayne Scott
James P. (Jim) Wallace

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2
Sears McGee
Lawrence E. Bergman

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3
Robert Campbell

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4 (Unexpired term)
C. L. Ray

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1
Marvin O. Teague
Leon Douglas

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2
Mike McCormick
W. T. Phillips
John Humphreys

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 3
Tom Davis
Edith Roberts
Walter Boyd

For State Senator, 24th District
Roland Simon Arriola
Grant Jones

For State Representative, 55th District
Lynn Nabers

For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, Third District
Malcolm Robinson
Austen Furse
John Powers

For District Judge, 119th District
Curt F. Steib

For District Attorney, 119th District
Royal Hart

For County Attorney
John W. McGregor

For Sheriff
Grady Campbell
Hershal Hall

For County Tax Assessor-Collector
Jack Farmer
VaRue McWilliams

For County Treasurer, Unexpired Term
Bobby Bryan

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3
J. A. Henderson, Jr.
Pat Pritchard
Gilbert Smith

For County Chairman
Drury P. Hathaway

NON-BINDING PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE REFERENDUM
Jimmy Carter
Edward M. Kennedy
Jerry Brown
Uncommitted

Candidates on Republican ballot

Following are candidates and placement of names on the ballot for the Republican primary, May 3:

For Office of President of the United States
Ronald Reagan
George Bush

For United States Representative, 21st District
Tom Loeffler

For Railroad Commissioner
Henry C. (Hank) Grover
E. W. (Billy) Kidd
John Thomas Henderson

For Railroad Commissioner (Unexpired Term)
H. J. (Doc) Blanchard

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1
Jim Brady

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4, 4-Year Unexpired Term
Will Garwood

For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 3rd District
Jim Keahy
Robert O. (Bob) Smith

NON-BINDING RESOLUTION

For or Against: Under the supervision of a judge, the state police should be able to use electronic surveillance methods, such as wiretapping, in cases where suspected drug dealers are involved.

For or Against: Texas should have Initiative and Referendum, a way for the public to vote directly on issues and make laws in elections rather than depending only on the state legislature.

Homemakers looking for period clothing for celebration

The Winters Young Homemakers are planning a fashion show to be held in conjunction with the Winters Birthday Celebration, May 23-24, and are looking for clothes which are at least 20 years old to model during the show.

Clothing and accessories for men, women and children will be worn in the show, and some will be displayed. Persons who have period clothing are encouraged by the Young Homemakers to participate in this project. The group would like a brief history of the clothing, including first owner, occasions worn, and other information on period clothing.

Residents interested in loaning old clothing for this style show may call Betty White, 754-5350, before 7:30 a. m. and after 9 p. m.



STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

One of the toughest issues the Texas Legislature will face next spring is the permitting of wiretapping by law enforcement officers investigating narcotics trafficking.

Lawmakers failed last session to approve a wiretapping measure pushed by then newly-elected Gov. Bill Clements, but the issue will certainly re-appear for a second turn at bat.

This time Clements and his team will be better prepared.

He has vowed to make anti-drug trafficking legislation a perennial issue of his administration — and included it as one of his "Super Issues" for the promised special session, now called off, in August-September.

He has appointed a Texas War on Drugs Committee and named H. Ross Perot, Dallas multimillionaire, as chairman. Perot, mastermind of the heroic mission which rescued several Americans from Iranian jails last year, lends the committee his expertise and get-tough charisma.

Why the wiretapping bill failed last session is a matter of controversy.

Clements pushed the bill hard, but many legislators who voted against it were unsure of the "safeguards" against abuses which he said it contained.

Safeguards: The Cruz

More than one lawmaker explained to the press then that he or she was not going to vote for a wiretapping bill which might lead to the invasion of privacy of law-abiding citizens. It's a tough issue to buck, because to the voters back home, it looks like their legislator is not getting tough on drug crimes.

Clements knows that, and he's going to put them on the spot again: vote for the bill or look bad to the voters back home.

He's not concerned about abuses because he thinks the safeguards are adequate. When asked at a press conference last week if he thought the bill would endanger the privacy of Texas citizens, he said: "I think that kind of sentiment is sheer nonsense. It's not invading anyone's privacy except the criminal's. Personally, it bores me to hear bleeding heart statements from those who oppose it."

The Bill's Intent

Clements and Perot have come up with a three-pronged program to curb drug use and traffic in Texas.

They want to allow wiretaps on the telephones of suspected drug dealers.

They want to educate parents and children to the dangers of drug use.

They want better cooperation among Texas law enforcement agencies in efforts to curb drug traffic and use.

Law enforcement officials who seek approval to use a wiretap will be forced to get approval from their superiors and the courts. Stiff penalties will be added for officers who misuse the wiretapping law.

New Federal Judge

U. S. District Judge William Wayne Justice of Tyler was appointed chief federal judge of the Eastern District of Texas last week, succeeding retiring Judge Joe Fisher of Beaumont.

The judgeship, decided on seniority among the four federal judges in the district, means more

District VFW convention Here

Winters Post 9193, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and its Ladies Auxiliary, will host the District 22 VFW convention at the Post Home, Saturday and Sunday, May 3 and 4.

VFW District 22 is made up of posts from Eden, Coleman, Ballinger, Big Lake, Ozona, Winters and San Angelo.

Johnny Martinets of San Angelo is District 22 commander, and Jo Hodges of Big Lake is president of District 22 Auxiliary.

M. L. Guy is commander of the host post, and Mrs. Ellen Meyer is president of the host auxiliary.

Representing the Department of Texas, VFW, will be R. W. (Rusty) Richmond of Denison, a Life Member of Gate City Post 2773, and serving as State Junior Vice Commander of the Department.

Registration for the convention will begin at 5 p. m. Saturday at the Winters Post Home. A social

hour will be held from 6 to 7 p. m., with a dance scheduled from 8:30 to 12:30.

The Sunday schedule calls for the commander's breakfast at 8 a. m., followed by registration at 9:30. A memorial service will be held at 10 a. m., with a joint meeting of the VFW and Auxiliary at 10:30. Lunch will be served at noon, and will be followed by separate meetings beginning at 1:30 in the afternoon.

Swine program in Winters next Thursday

Michael Deike, chairman of the Runnels County Swine Committee, has announced that Dr. Bill Thomas, extension swine specialist, will present a program in the Winters school vo-ag building next Thursday, May 8, at 8 p. m.

Dr. Thomas, recognized authority in swine production, will review the highlights of the recent State Swine Conference as well as discuss herd health problems.

Efficiency of production is always important, Deike said, but in these periods of low prices, it

Uniform cotton planting dates have been set

Runnels County farmers have agreed to follow uniform planting dates for cotton again this year, as a means of suppressing boll weevil damage, Allen Turner, county extension agent, said.

Five meetings were conducted by the Runnels County Crops Committee and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service,

becomes even more imperative to do a good job. Dr. Thomas will be prepared to discuss special problems and conference individually with producers, Deike said.

and the following dates were set, Turen said:

- Olfen, May 28
- Hatchel, May 28
- Wingate, May 28
- Rowena, May 26
- Miles, May 26
- Norton, May 26

Cotton producers are urged to abide by these planting dates, Turner said. It is equally important to complete planting as quickly as possible since the uniformity of the crop is of utmost importance, the extension agent said.

This system of production has much to offer producers and will enable Runnels County to continue to use cotton as an important part of their total farming operation, Turner said.

Even kite flying has hazards

Few people are fully aware of the hazards of flying kites. But problems ranging from airports to irrigation pipe can complicate this simple recreation which seems fun and safe — except for "Peanuts" character Charlie Brown who tangles yearly with a kite eating tree. Kite fliers in real life face several other problems besides trees. The effects of these hazards would not be funny even in a comic strip, the Texas Medical Association (TMA) says.

Electricity is the most serious problem. Benjamin Franklin used electricity to light up his life with his kite-flying experiment. But with a little bad luck the wise inventor would have been known today only as the first person to cook his own goose with electricity.

Most people today know not to fly kites in stormy weather for any reason, but many are not fully aware of the danger of electrical lines. The huge transmission towers are an obvious hazard but many people get the last shock of their lives when kites contact electrical lines in residential areas. Even a small residential line can carry 120 volts DC, which is enough to injure or kill. Most injuries occur when people poke at trapped kites with sticks, rods or even lightweight irrigation pipes which transmit electricity

much better than a kite, TMA says. Even a kite tangled in telephone lines should be left alone because of possible problems with electricity. Climbing a utility pole to rescue a kite is still another way to get shocked.

In an effort to keep a kite out of electrical lines and trees, some people fall into trouble by not watching where they are going. The best place to insure personal and kite survival is a large, open field.

Kite fliers can create trouble for others even in an open field. A kite flown within five miles of an airport or higher than 500 feet can be picked up by radar and confuse air traffic patterns in some areas. TMA urges parents to tell children about these and other kite-flying hazards including the danger of being cut by string when flying a strong-pulling kite and the risk of falling out of a tree and causing a painful, expensive injury while attempting to free a kite that costs much less than treating a broken arm.

During cold weather, use the kitchen range fan sparingly.

In a very short time, it can blow away a houseful of warmed air — air you have paid to heat, cautions Nancy Granovsky, a family resource management specialist with the Texas A&M University System.

Elementary, Junior High Honor Roll

The following students of Winters Elementary and Junior High School made an average of 90 or above on all subjects for the fifth six-weeks period of the 1979-80 school year, George M. Beard, principal, has announced:

FOURTH GRADE

Michelle Baker, Melissa

Faubion, Jim Lee, Chuck Patterson.

FIFTH GRADE

Jennifer Browning, Le Ann Foggie, Douglas Wheat, Michelle Wheeler.

SIXTH GRADE

Grady Bryan, Allan Windham.

SEVENTH GRADE

Kevin Busher, Marie Fisher, Stacey Grissom.

EIGHTH GRADE

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