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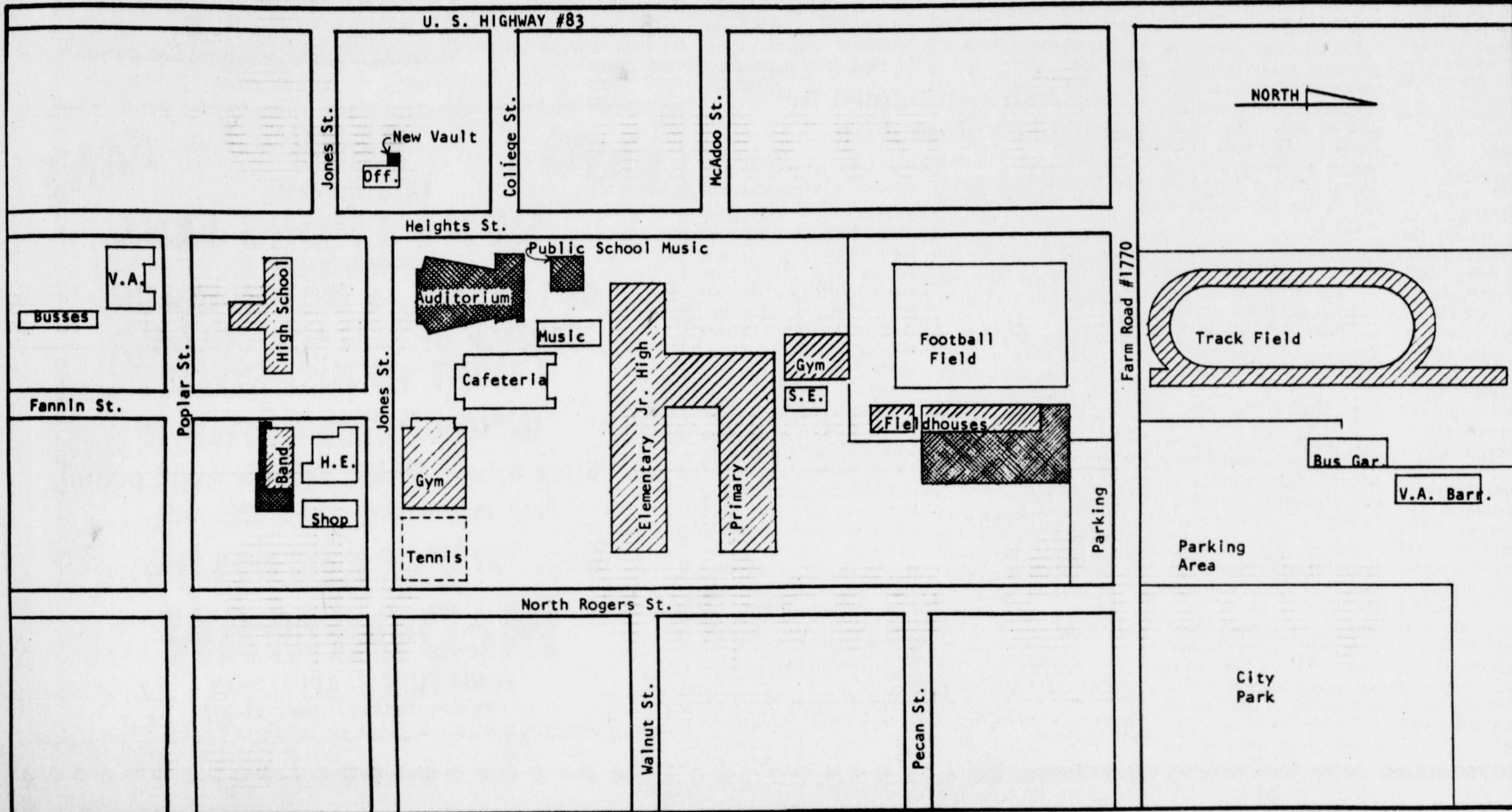
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City Manager election scheduled Saturday

Master Plan



Winters Independent School District Site Plan

Reproduced above is a scale drawing by the city architect indicating the master plan adopted by the board of trustees of the school district for a proposed school plant improvement program. Legend at

the right indicates the extent of the work involved. A series of articles is being published explaining the extent of the program planning.

- EXISTING BUILDING
- NEW BUILDING
- RENOVATION

Citizens of Winters will go to the polls Saturday, Aug. 23, to decide if the City of Winters will adopt the city manager form of government.

Voting in this special election will be at the City Hall, with polls opening at 8 a. m. and closing at 8 p. m., according to Buford Baldwin, city secretary. Martin Middlebrook will be election judge, and W. D. Waggoner, Mrs. Joe Irvin and Eunice Polk will serve as election judges.

The election was called in response to a petition presented the mayor August 1, signed by 57 citizens, representing not less than 20 percent of the total number of legally qualified electors voting for mayor at the last preceding city election, in accordance with state statute.

Under the city manager form of government, the city council would retain responsibility for operation and administration of the affairs of the city. The council would employ a person to serve as city manager, who would administer the policies of the council.

Presently, all departments within the city are separate.

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Mayor "not after manager job"

Contrary to rumors, which have no foundation, he said, Winters Mayor Lee Colburn reemphasized Monday that he was "not seeking appointment as City Manager," in the event the proposition to form a city manager form of government is approved by the voters in the election Saturday, Aug. 23.

"Although I am one hundred percent in favor of the manager form of government for Winters, because of the known efficiency of that type of operation, and the financial advantages of having a central manager operation," the mayor said, "I have never had an inclination toward seeking the position for myself, nor would I accept it if offered to me."

Mayor Colburn, who retired a few years ago after years of service with the Soil Conservation Service, said "I am retired, and I am not seeking a full time position, although I do construction work when I wish. I plan to devote as much time to conducting the affairs of the office of mayor of Winters as long as I am in office."

Firemen's Barbecue Saturday night

The annual Firemen's Barbecue, sponsored by the Winters Volunteer Fire Department, will be held at the Winters Community Center Saturday, August 23, beginning at 7:30.

The barbecue will be followed by a dance.

Admission to the barbecue will be \$8 per family, or \$4 for individuals. Tickets may be obtained from members of the fire department or at the door.

The Firemen's Barbecue began many years ago as an outing for members of the department and their families; it grew to include friends and former firemen, and later a special list of friends of the

fire department were included. In the early days of the barbecue, meat for the meal, along with "trimmings," were donated. However, during the past several years, the department has purchased the meat, and tickets have been sold to the barbecue.

Proceeds from the sale of barbecue supper tickets, and donations made by community residents and businesses are used to purchase much needed equipment for the fire department. At the present time, a special drive is being held to raise money to pay for special rescue equipment, the "Jaws of Life," purchased by the department recently. Cost of this

equipment was \$6,076. In addition, the department has acquired four Scott air paks, air tanks, masks and breathing equipment to protect firemen from harmful chemical smokes. These paks cost \$2,600. A special rescue van also has been purchased for \$3,000, and is used to transport rescue equipment and other equipment needed by the firemen.

Ray Alderman Aces No. 6 at C-Club

In the "closest to pin" contest during a best ball tournament at the Winters Country Club last Thursday, Ray Alderman won hands down.

Teeing off from the hill above No. 6 green, Alderman drove his ball across Bluff Creek on the flat below. The ball hit the green, and rolled into the hole, for a "Hole In One!"

The team winning the tournament was made up of Scott Perry, Sandy Griffin, Dr. Zae Yung Zean, Preston Barker and Nita Dry.

The next tournament will be Sunday, Aug. 24, with a 1:30 tee off time.

Pre-school meeting at St. Johns

A meeting for all mothers who have children enrolled in Lutheran pre-school has been scheduled for August 26 at 5:00 p.m. in the Educational Building of St. Johns Lutheran Church.

Lutheran pre-school starts Wednesday, September 10, at 9:00 a.m.

City gets \$8,520

The City of Winters has received \$8,520.64 from the State Comptroller's office, as the city's share of the one cent sales tax rebate for the July period. Total amount received by the city in 1980 amounts to \$59,783.05, a 15 percent increase over the amount received during the same period last year, \$51,650.63.

Winters, along with other cities in the state which collect the one cent sales tax, received an "extra" check this month, which includes some money from second quarter returns filed in the Comptroller's office on the July 31 deadline and normally included in

the September payment, according to Bob Bullock, state comptroller.

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July payments received by other comparable cities in the area are:

Albany	\$ 5,105
Anson	5,469
Ballinger	9,491
Cisco	10,668
Coleman	24,460
Hamlin	5,856
Haskell	924
Stamford	10,240
Winters	8,521

"REFLECTIONS"

BY RICHARD C. THOMAS

The Winters City Council has two regular, established meetings each month. The first one is on the first Monday evening of the month, during which regular and normal business is approached. Several years ago, the council declared a policy calling for a second regular meeting, to be held on the third Monday evening of the month. In the beginning, business of this second meeting was to be confined to discussions with the heads of the several city departments.

As the years went by, the council began to add other items to the agenda for the second monthly meeting, in addition to the get-together with the department. There is that volume of business which demands the attention of

the council, and in-depth discussions with department heads have suffered, if in fact they have not been shunted to the back burner many times. So, many times, operation of the several departments has been left to chance or momentum, at most. This is not to criticize any department head or council member; all of them have been doing a superb job, under the circumstances. The department heads are not policy makers. So, in many instances, they are forced to wait as long as a month before functioning on things of immediate importance, or ask the mayor to call a special council meeting. And each department is a separate entity unto itself, under the present form of

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Rescue equipment

Shown is some of the equipment which has been obtained by the Winters Volunteer Fire Department within the last few months, to provide greater safety in fighting fires, and in rescue work. Funds to purchase the equipment have been contributed by

public spirited residents, and from proceeds of the annual Firemen's Barbecue, which will be held Saturday evening at the Winters Community Center.

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**August 18-24 proclaimed
 "Lifelong Learning Week"**

In a proclamation dated July 1, 1980 Governor Clements designated August 18-24 as "Lifelong Learning Week" in the State of Texas.

In the proclamation the Governor said, "Education for the accelerating social and technological changes inherent in American life can no longer be contained in a short span of time.

"The people of Texas need lifelong learning to assist them in adjusting to social, technological, political and economic changes."

In the Big Country Tri-College Continuing Education and Vocational/Technical Training is affiliated with the Texas Association of Community Service and

Continuing Education, an organization which the Governor's proclamation commends as being "dedicated to facilitating learning through educational programs conducted by public and private educational and other institutions and organizations, through independent study, and through the efforts of business, industry and labor."

In the proclamation's summary statement the Governor says, "The State of Texas endorses and encourages the movement toward elevating learning to a place, not separate from life, but part and parcel of life, and that it include vocational and avocational learning, and education to serve family needs and personal development."

New processing system sends more sales taxes to cities

State Comptroller Bob Bullock last week said continued improvements in the tax processing system in his office will result this month in a one-time, multi-million sales tax rebate bonus to cities and quicker tax reimbursements in the future. Bullock said Texas cities who levy the optional one-percent city sales tax will receive two rebate checks for August.

He said this month's "extra" check will include a large amount of money from second quarter returns filed in the Comptroller's office on the July 31 deadline and normally would have been included in the September payment.

He said one check represents taxes being returned from last month's rebate cutoff through the end of July. The other check is the result of allowing an extra week of tax allocations for cities during the first week of August.

Statewide, Texas cities will share \$39.8 million for the normal end-of-July allocation formula and an additional \$61.1 million as a one-time bonus payment under the revised accounting system.

"That's well over the \$100 million that will be returned to cities as a result of improvements in our accounting system," he said.

Bullock said city sales tax rebates will now be allowed to accrue through the first week of each month and be paid about the 15th of the month. The previous allocation period ran from the end of one month to the first of the following month and cities were reimbursed

sometime after the middle of the month. Bullock said improvements in the state's deposit and tax posting system will allow his office to keep the rebate pipeline open into the first week of each month and still get out city checks by mid-month.

He said a single-step remittance processing system adopted last spring has reduced tax deposit time from six days to about 72 hours.

The city sales tax is collected by merchants and businesses along with the state sales tax and is refunded each month to the cities where it is collected by the Comptroller's office.

Area chairmen named for Cattlemen's Round-Up

Jim Alexander of Abilene, general chairman of the Cattlemen's Round-Up for Crippled Children, has named A. N. Crowley of Winters, Frank K. Antilley and Paul Michaelis of Wingate, as area chairmen.

Cattlemen wishing to donate livestock or equipment to benefit the CRCC and the West Texas Rehabilitation Center should contact their area chairman or the central office of WTRC, 4601 Hartford, Abilene, 79605.

The 21st annual Cattlemen's Round-Up will raise money to help the handicapped being treated at WTRC's three campuses in Abilene, San Angelo and Snyder.

"We appeal to every rancher, farmer and

Deadline set for crop insurance

Wheat growers interested in insurance against the possible loss of their 1981-crop investment should apply for coverage no later than the final closing date for sales, according to Larry Hollar, District Director of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation. The FCIC office serving Runnels County is located at 111 S. 8th Street, Box 637, Ballinger, Texas 76821, telephone 915/365-2516.

Hollar points out that the policies being offered this year provide maximum flexibility for the farmer to tailor his insurance protection to his individual financial situation. By carrying the maximum amount of insurance, it is possible to

protect the total crop investment against loss. On the other hand, the policies permit carrying lesser amounts of insurance (at a lower cost) in order to cover specific investments. For example, enough insurance to cover unpaid seed, fertilizer and chemical bills. Or enough to repay outstanding loans and interest.

In any case, the FCIC policies provide all-risk coverage, Hollar notes. In the event the insured crop falls short of the total production guaranteed by the policy, the insurance indemnity makes up the difference in cash. Hollar adds that the cost of the insurance is fully tax-deductible as a business expense.

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Not only do we believe this form of government would provide a more efficient system due to coordination of departmental functions, thereby saving tax dollars, but we believe it would in fact prevent the loss of funds available to our community through lay overthought.

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 Present Councilman

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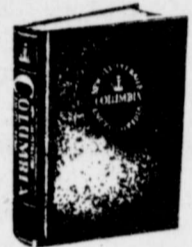
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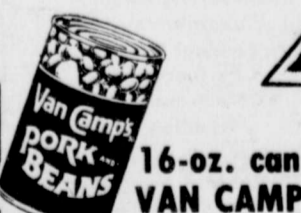


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PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing on the Runnels County Budget for the year 1981 will be held in the Commissioners Court Room on September 9, 1980 at 10:00 A. M.

A public hearing on the Runnels County Revenue Sharing Budget for the year 1981 will be held in the Commissioners Court Room on September 9, 1980, at 2:00 P. M.

BILL B. STULTZ
County Judge
Runnels County, Tex.
(Aug. 14, Aug. 21, 1980)

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I would like to say "thank ya" to all the hospital staff, Dr. W. J. Lee and Dr. Y. K. Lee for their care. Also a special thanks to all that sent flowers and cards, and to those that visited me. — La Dola Bates

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Cheerleaders attended camp at Big Spring

Six Winters junior high school cheerleaders recently attended a National Cheerleading Assn. camp at Howard College in Big Spring.

Those attending the camp were LaShea Guy, 8th grade and head cheerleader; Melinda Kvapil, 8th; Paige Fisher, 8th; Allison Allcorn, 7th; Dana Carroll, 7th; Libby Bedford, 6th; and Cindy Rogers, the sponsor.

The squad won three superior blue ribbons and one excellent red ribbon. For an overall rating of superior, the girls also brought home a purple ribbon.

The squad also won the spirit stick three times and were entitled to bring it home. The spirit stick is an award given only to groups showing outstanding spirit and enthusiasm.

Dorcas SS Class met recently

The Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Nadeen Smith on August 7 at 4 p.m.

A short business meeting was conducted by the president, Alice Traylor. The decision was made for a special offering to be taken each Sunday in August for World Hunger.

Roll call was answered by each member telling of their most embarrassing moment.

Those present were the hostess, Nadeen Smith, Merle Bains, Mida Colburn, Aletha Elder, Velma Hart, Alma Hughes, Frieda Robertson, Verda Smith, Alice Traylor, Grace Waggoner, Stella White, Lizzie Whitley, Lillian Roberson and two visitors, Mrs. Fredric Poe and daughter.



MRS. MICHAEL PAUL CALCOTE

Miss Pierce and Mr. Calcote wed Saturday

Sharon Renee Pierce and Michael Paul Calcote, both of Winters, were united in marriage Saturday, Aug. 16, at six o'clock in the evening, in the First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of the church, officiated for the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie W. Pierce. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Calcote.

Church decorations included an archway of greenery and satin bows, with candelabras on either side, entwined with greenery.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white organza gown with a sweetheart neckline edged with chantilly lace and embroidered with seed pearls. The long sleeves had cuffs of chantilly lace. The full skirt featured an overlay of organza caught up in bows to form scallops. Four lace edged ruffles at the hemline extended to

form a chapel train. Her long veil of illusion was edged with chantilly lace and attached to a Juliette cap of lace and seed pearls. She carried a cascade of white roses and daisies with streamers of white satin ribbon atop a white Bible.

Carmella Smith was maid of honor and Janice Marks of Abilene and Karen Hicks of Talpa, sisters of the bride, and Linda Calcote of Winters, were bridesmaids. They wore gowns of yellow polyester knit with lace edged cape collars, and carried nosegays of yellow and white silk daisies with white satin streamers.

DiDi Sue Pierce of Sheffield was flower girl. She

wore a long dress of yellow dotted Swiss with ribbon edged ruffles. She is a niece of the bride.

Best man was Keith Burns of Dallas. Groomsmen were Billy Calcote, Dan Calcote and Larry Calcote, brothers of the bridegroom, all of Winters.

Ringbearers were Aaron John Hicks of Talpa, the bride's nephew, and Jim Calcote of Winters, nephew of the bridegroom.

Ushers were Alton Pierce of Sheffield, brother of the bride, Rickey Calcote of Winters, brother of the bridegroom, Robert Marks of Abilene and Bill Hicks of Talpa.

Candlelighters were Angela and Amy Hicks of Talpa, nieces of the bride. They wore yellow dotted Swiss dresses with deep ruffles at the hemline.

Mr., Mrs. Cooke to note anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. (Pud) Cooke will be honored with a reception Aug. 30 celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

The reception, hosted by children and grandchildren of the couple, will be held in their home at 411 Murry, between the hours of 3 and 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend this reception.

When feelings, families clash

Parents and children must learn to bend with their feelings, or they will "break," says Dorothy Taylor, a family life education specialist.

"Parents are challenged by the need to find a healthy balance between the expression and suppression of emotions — for all family members. "This is necessary so the family becomes a "place" in which all its members can learn and grow.

"It's especially necessary for the children, because when this balance is achieved, children learn to understand and respect their own feelings," Ms. Taylor explains.

"Bending is not easy. It takes lots of practice and patience. Also, it is an "essential" for strengthening families that," according to Ms. Taylor, "needs constant attention."

Everyday events, as well as disasters, evoke emotions in all family members.

Often parents and children allow themselves to get pushed to the point

where they cannot manage their feelings, she points out.

"Emotions can pile up and swell — creating a sort of emotional hangover."

Parents can guide, but not control, the feelings of their children.

Also, parents can provide an environment for harmony — well-balanced food, enough sleep and pleasant surroundings all contribute to a pleasant mood.

Nevertheless, "surprises" can pop up out of any "good" environment — usually from that "old emotional hangover."

It's seldom productive to try to get at the root of a problem during a "surprise" — or fit of temper, the specialist advises.

"After a cooling-off period, sit down and talk," she says.

Sometimes parents and children must circle the globe before finding the real problem.

However, when families give adults and children space to grow as individuals, as well as provide love and support, feelings can clash without injuring a single family member.

Mrs. Randall Conner was organist and Mrs. Alton Pierce was soloist.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. The bride's table was covered with a white cloth with an overlay of white net caught up at the corners with a yellow bow and silk daisies. The centerpiece was a white candelabra with votive candles centered with the bride's bouquet. Appointments were of crystal.

In the house party were Carla Dean of Wingate, Jodie and Bobbie Butts of Abilene, Bobbie Calcote of Winters, Missy Bedford of Abilene, Penny Springer of Winters registered guests.

The bridegroom's table was covered with a beige cloth with an arrangement of daisies in wicker baskets and silver appointments.

Following a wedding trip to the Texas coast, the couple will be at home at 1957 1/2 Butternut, Abilene.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the parents of the bridegroom.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Winters High School, and will attend a commercial business school in Abilene. The bridegroom is a 1979 graduate of Winters High School and is employed by an auto company in Abilene.

CARD OF THANKS

We the loved ones of Cecil Wallar wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for all the nice things that was done for him.

Thank you to the nurses and doctors at North Runnels Hospital for their care, for the prayers and beautiful floral offerings and memorials. For the food at home and the ladies at the church for the lunch.

Thanks to Bro. Bently for the words of comfort, and to Ted and Mike for their very attentive care. Also to all others who helped in any way. May God bless you and let us be a helping hand when sorrow comes your way. — Ruby, Doris, Ralph, Bobby

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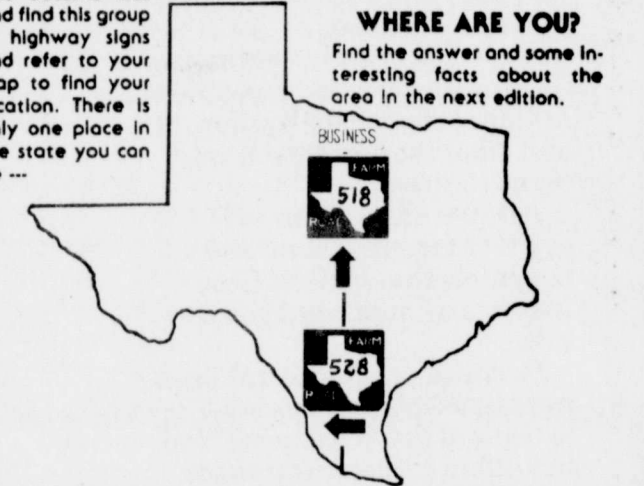
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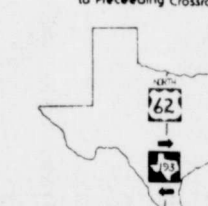
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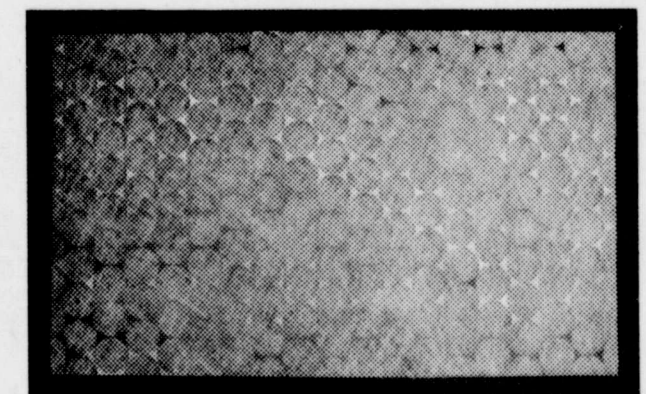
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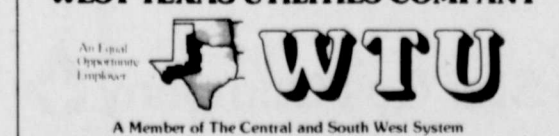
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Winters 4-H organizational meeting

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reported; Keith Kraatz, council delegate, boy; and Ketta Walker, council delegate, girl. Adult leaders are Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Parks, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Goetz and Mr. and Mrs. Sealy Bryan. Meetings will be held on the fourth Monday of each. Anyone interested in joining 4-H is invited to attend the next meeting, Sept. 22, at the Winters school vo-ag building.



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Medicare for people with kidney failure

Almost every person in the San Angelo area who has permanent kidney failure and needs maintenance dialysis treatment or a kidney transplant is eligible for Medicare health insurance, Franklin H. Upp, Social Security district manager in San Angelo said.

Medicare helps pay for kidney transplant surgery and related inpatient hospital services. It also covers outpatient maintenance dialysis and helps pay for doctors' services including surgeons' services for transplants, outpatient self-dialysis training, and home dialysis equipment, supplies and periodic support services. Medicare also helps cover the costs of a donor for kidney transplant surgery.

Della Allcorn of Coleman died Aug. 13

Services for Coleman housewife Mrs. A. S. (Della) Allcorn, 87, who died at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday of last week at Holiday Hill Nursing Home, were held at 2 p. m. Friday at Stevens Memorial Chapel.

The Rev. Bob Holloway, minister of Crews Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in Crews Cemetery.

She was the grandmother of Charles Allcorn, vo-ag teacher of Winters.

Born Dec. 30, 1892, in Lampasas, she married A. S. Allcorn Aug. 21, 1920, in Talpa. She was a retired schoolteacher and a former telegraph operator during World War I. She was a homemaker and had lived in Coleman for three years, moving from Crews, where she had lived since 1908. She was a member of the United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Arnold of Talpa; two grandsons, Charles of Winters and Benny of Coleman; two great-granddaughters, Allison and Ashley Allcorn, both of Winters; three sisters, Willie Hale and Mrs. Flay Brevard, both of Ballinger, and Mrs. Ralph Ruth of Fort Worth; and a brother, Ira Hale of Miles.

To be eligible for Medicare because of kidney failure, a person must have worked under social security long enough to be insured, from 1 1/2 to 7 1/4 years depending on age, or be the wife, husband, or dependent child of an insured worker.

Only the family member with kidney failure is eligible for Medicare; others in the family are not, Franklin H. Upp, said.

For people with kidney failure, Medicare protection generally begins with the third month after the month the person's course of maintenance dialysis begins.

Medicare protection can begin earlier if the person takes part in a self-dialysis training program in a Medicare approved facility and the person is expected to complete the training and self-dialysis thereafter. Protection can also begin earlier if the person is admitted to an approved hospital for a kidney transplant.

Medicare generally ends 12 months after a person no longer requires maintenance dialysis treatments or 36 months following a kidney transplant. Medicare can, however, be resumed if the transplant fails.

Anyone with permanent kidney failure who is not covered by Medicare, should apply at the San Angelo Social Security office, located at 2214 Sherwood Way, San Angelo, Texas.

Mrs. M. Tindle died Thursday in Abilene

Mrs. Miles Tindle, 82, died at 1:55 a. m. Thursday of last week in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene following an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in Winters Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Walter Sparks, pastor of the Four Square Gospel Church of Big Spring, and the Rev. Charles Steinberg, pastor of the Assembly of God Church of Winters, officiating.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Winters Funeral Home. Pallbearers were grandsons.

She was born Francis Clark Hudgins, Oct. 21, 1897, at Paris. She married Miles Tindle in 1916, at Lott, in Falls County. In 1917, they moved to Rannels County, settling in the Poe Community west of Winters.

Mr. Tindle died in 1937. In 1945 Mr. Tindle moved to Ballinger and in 1955 to Seagraves, and to Abilene in 1972.

She was a member of the Winters Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include five sons, Curtis Tindle of Ballinger, David Tindle of Odessa, Billy Jess Tindle of Big Su, Ore., Travis Tindle of Tatum, N. M., Tommy Tindle of Abilene; three daughters, Mrs. Rayborn Hickman of Kill- een, Mrs. Lee Shelton of Tye and Mrs. Charles Cloudus of Wichita Falls; two brothers, Albert Hudgins of Sequin and Thomas of Tatum; Mrs. Charles Thompson of Marble Falls, Arlene McClean of Aztec, N. M., Bonnie Pyburn of Brownwood and Annie Snow of Brownwood; 37 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.

Former resident dies of suspected drug overdose

Funeral services were held Wednesday in Winters Memorial Chapel for Stanley W. Tatom, 24, a former resident of Winters, who was found dead in his home at Graham Sunday. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery, under direction of Winters Funeral Home.

Graham officials say "evidence exists" that the Graham pharmacist and son of the superintendent of the Brady school district died Sunday morning from a drug overdose.

Graham Justice of the Peace Bob H. Choate pronounced Tatom dead about 7 p. m. Sunday. Choate said he ordered an autopsy on the former honor student.

The druggist, son of Superintendent Carroll Tatom of Brady, formerly superintendent of the Winters school district, was found dead in the kitchen area of his efficiency apartment, Choate said.

Choate said "evidence exists" that Tatom ingested drugs, but he

will wait on autopsy results before officially ruling on the cause of death.

Born Nov. 21, 1955, in Kermit, Stanley W. Tatom was selected as an Outstanding West Texas Scholar by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce during his senior year at Winters High School. He was valedictorian of Winters' class of 1974. He attended the University of Texas Pharmacy School at Austin, graduating in 1978. He practiced pharmacy in Austin, Winters, and since September 1979, in Graham. He married Sheila Williams Jan. 8, 1977, in Winters.

Survivors include his wife; two brothers, Steve of Baytown and Kyle of Dallas; his father, Carrol Tatom of Brady; his mother, Elwanda Tatom of Brownwood; paternal grandmother, Viola Tatom of Baird; and maternal grandmother, Mrs. Frankie Williams of Brownwood.

Jay Jones died Saturday in NR Hospital

Jay Jones, 66, of Ingleside and formerly a Fina distributor in Coleman, died at 3 p. m. Saturday in North Rannels Hospital in Winters, where he had been admitted a few days earlier.

He was the father of Mrs. Royce (Ann) McDorman of Winters.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Monday in Stevens Funeral Home Memorial Chapel in Coleman. The Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of Winters' First Baptist Church, officiated.

Burial was in Coleman City Cemetery.

Mr. Jones was born June 17, 1914, in Pioneer.

He attended school in Coleman and Junction. He was a retired wholesale Fina distributor, and owned Jones Oil Co. in Coleman. He retired in 1976 and moved to Ingleside.

He was a Rotarian and past president of the Coleman Country Club. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Ms. Norma Miller of Fort Stockton and Mrs. Royce (Ann) McDorman of Winters; two sisters, Mrs. Z. A. (Ila) Kirby Jr. of Coleman and Mrs. James (Tommie) Wilson of Lebanon Junction, Ky.; two brothers, H. A. "Ike" Jones of Coleman and W. G. "Bill" Jones of Carrizo Springs; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Judd Coats of Abilene died there Monday

Judd W. Coats, 80, longtime resident and former mechanic of Abilene, and father of Darryl Coats of Winters, died at 9:20 a. m. Monday in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a long illness.

Services were held at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday at the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church eight miles south of Cisco, directed by Mabene Allen Funeral Home of Abilene.

the Rev. V. D. Walters, Mabene Allen chaplain, officiated. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

Born Aug. 9, 1900, in Eastland County, he attended Shady Grove School in Eastland County. He married Mable Kind in Cisco Aug. 8, 1923.

He moved to Abilene in 1928. He was a member of the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Rosemary Horton of Abilene and Billy Joyce Hill of Longview; three sons, Darryl of Winters, Lonnie of Belton and C. L. Shirley of Abilene; a brother, Frank of Cisco; 10 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

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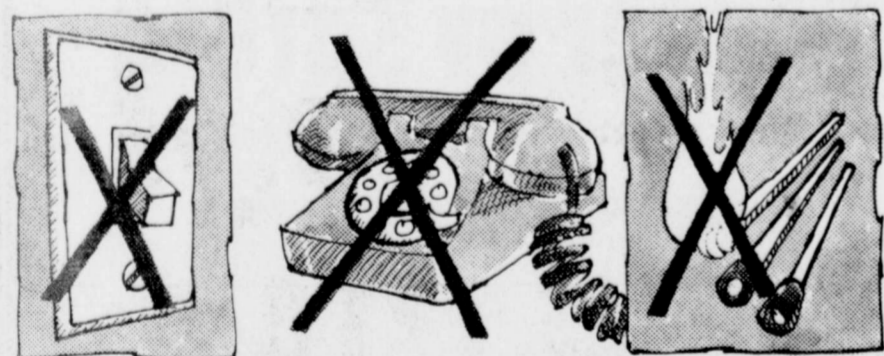
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- 1.** Do not switch anything electrical on or off. Do not use the telephone in your own home. Do not strike a match. Do not do anything that might cause a spark.
- 2.** Have everyone leave the house immediately, leaving doors open to help ventilate.
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School Board outlines plan

Ed. Note: In view of the school bond election set for Sept. 9, the board of trustees of Winters Independent School District and the school administration have expressed a belief that many problems facing the school, and the needs of the district, should be made known to the public, so patrons could become familiar and more knowledgeable of the situation, and act accordingly. The following article is the third of a series prepared by the school administration and the school board, and is published as a public service. Opinions and statements contained therein do not necessarily reflect the opinions of this newspaper.

The present band hall was constructed in 1958 at a cost of \$18,562 using surplus funds.

There are two areas of concern regarding this structure. First of all, the fill and the foundation of the building have proven over the years to be insufficient. This has caused some undue settling of the building and has produced some serious cracks and separation of the cement blocks that comprise the building. According to the school architect, a portion of the southeast corner of the building is being partially

held together by the friction or weight of the roof at the wall-roof juncture. The school architect has assured the Board of Trustees that any structural defects can be corrected and further recommended that the present building be retained and a rehearsal hall be added to the east end of the structure. Utilizing the existing structure will minimize the overall construction costs of this particular building.

The second area of concern has to do with a lack of storage space. The existing band hall area would be converted to storage space for musical instruments, uniforms, music stands, three practice rooms, two for individual and one for small groups, a music library, an office and restrooms. At the present time, all available space, including practice rooms, is filled with music stands and musical instruments. Other instruments are stacked on improvised shelves where they are exposed and occasionally shoved

off the shelf, falling to the floor as students try to get an instrument located behind one on the front edge of the shelf.

The proposed addition to the building and conversion of existing space to provide adequate storage for instruments, space to file music, and rehearsal or practice rooms will produce a facility that will meet the needs of the young people and the Winters public school for many years to come.

Also included in the proposed building program is the construction of a new public music building to replace the wood frame structure presently housing the music program. The present building will comfortably accommodate about 25-30 students without overcrowding. Some classes exceed this number and with 25 students it is extremely difficult to involve students in any kind of rhythmic exercises. In addition to more room, the new structure would be acoustically appropriate and designed to enable music to be properly taught in every respect.

The two music buildings are an integral part of the Winters school plant and need upgrading in order that all aspects of music and the fine arts can be better taught to students of all ages.

Any person who is a registered voter and resides within the boundaries of the Winters Independent School District and was registered at least 30 days prior to the date of the election is qualified to vote in this bond election.

Poe's Corner

BY CHARLES POE

A Wedding is a Wedding

Having two grandsons getting married the same week this summer has made me a little more aware of romance than usual. Although the ceremonies were entirely different, both were beautiful and just as the bride and groom planned them to be.

Perhaps we think that the custom of getting away from the traditional to a more personalized marriage ceremony is a modern trend but this is not the case.

Lura Lee Garrett, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Fred Tinkle, gave me some newspaper clippings that tell the story of her parents' wedding back in 1910 on the 19th day of June. The two writings show that young people have always been original in their thinking.

Tinkle-Meek

"By a previous arrangement W. M. Smiley came to the Methodist parsonage last Sunday and took Rev. J. W. Patison in his big auto, then to Dr. Tinkle's residence where the doctor was in readiness, then to the home of S. H. Meek where Miss Lee was taking leave of the home folks. Taking Miss Lee and her brother Joe D. along, the party headed for Bradshaw.

Reaching the foot of Moro Mountains a pause was made, and the personnel of the party somewhat changed in that, by a few words spoken by her pastor, Miss Meek became Mrs. Tinkle. Continuing the journey to Bradshaw, Dr. and Mrs. Tinkle took the afternoon train to Abilene, thence to Dallas and Galveston for a bridal tour of a few days when they will be at home to friends in Winters.

The best wishes of a host of friends is that their journey through life will be a happy one."

Another, shorter account of the wedding is cupid at Work."

"Dr. Tinkle and Miss Lee Meek, both of Winters, surprised their many friends last Sunday by getting married. Their plot was well laid. The Smiley car was secured and together with a few chosen friends the bride and groom hied off to Moro and there they were made one, until death do they part. Rev. Patison, the genial pastor of the Methodist Church, in a most impressive manner pronounced the words that bound them together.

After the ceremony, they were driven over to Bradshaw where they boarded the north bound A & S for Abilene.

They expect to visit at Dallas, Galveston and

other Texas points before returning. The many friends of this good couple join the Enterprise in congratulations.

Long may they live to bless the world and to enjoy the pleasures that come their way."

Dr. Tinkle had been practicing medicine in Winters for ten years at the time of his marriage. He was not a stranger to illness himself. The day he graduated from medical school at the University of Tennessee he went to the hospital where he remained for 18 months, undergoing treatment for abscesses of the liver.

After leaving the hospital, he began his practice by serving timber camps and plantations along the Mississippi River. He contracted malaria, which nearly took his life, and in February, 1900, he came to Winters for his health and to continue his practice. At that time, he weighed, including his overcoat, "about 75 pounds." The town then had a population of 35 people.

About the time of his marriage, Dr. Tinkle purchased his first automobile. It was a Maxwell, a two-seater, equipped with carbide lamps. The couple began housekeeping in a small house on the site of their present home. Their first seven acres cost the Tinkles \$62. Dr. Tinkle had lived on this land in a dugout with his parents and a house was not built until he married.

Dr. Tinkle had Winters' first two telephones. He retained the numbers 1 and 2, until the installation of the dial system.

Mrs. Tinkle, the doctor's office aide for many years, would often take a call on one system, then go to the other telephone and call him somewhere out in the country and give him instructions to rush to another patient located miles away. The doctor had been known to walk through mud, ice and water in order to reach a patient in time. He said, "I've never turned back once I started a call."

By 1947, Dr. Tinkle had successfully delivered about 4,000 babies and was working on his lifetime goal of 5,000 babies.

He died in 1951. Mrs. Tinkle continues to live in her home.



REAL ESTATE

Tax Update For Homeowners

Homeowners, age 55 or over, may exclude from their taxable income all capital gain up to \$100,000 from the sale of their principal residence. They must have lived in the home at least three of the five years before they sell it and the exemption may be claimed only once in a lifetime. The tax break is retroactive to July 28, 1978.

Deductions for moving expenses have been increased to \$3,000 (real estate commissions, mortgage costs, etc.) if you are forced to purchase a home due to a job change over 35 miles away. Up to one half this total (\$1500) may be deducted for pre-move househunting expenses and temporary living expenses (up to 30 days) at your new location.

There has also been a breakthrough in the area of capital gains when you sell real estate. If you sell after holding the property for over one year, you only have to pay tax on 40% of the profit. Prior to the 1978 Tax Reform Act, the figure was 50%. Real estate continues to be the best tax hedge for investors and homeowners.

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NEWCOMERS

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Marks of Raymondville, Texas are the parents of a

son, Jared Reagan, born Thursday, August 7 at 12:38 p.m. at Valley Baptist Medical Center in Harlingen. He weighed 8 pounds 6 1/2 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Marks of Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Black of Ballinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rogers of Tuscola. Great-grandparents are David Bryan of Wingate, Mrs. C.

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Cotton Festival on Saturday at Miles

The fourth annual Miles Cotton Festival Horse Show and Playday will be held Saturday, Aug. 23, at the Granzin Arena at Miles.

There will be four age groups including adult.

NORTH RUNNELS HOSPITAL

REPORT

ADMISSIONS

August 12
Tammy Ellis
Clifford Huffman
Mabel Hancock
Emerine Jonas
Bernece Gardner

August 13

Dustin Fisher
Jong Sook Chung

August 14

Ophelia Lopez

August 15

Ramona Lara

August 16

Rhea Parramore

Olivia Patino and baby girl

August 17

Ella Lewallen
Callie Sultemeier

August 18

No Admissions

DISMISSALS

August 12
Tracey Martinez
Tammy Ellis

August 13

Robert Gerhart
Charles Dry

August 14

Eleazar Barrera
Dustin Fisher

August 15

Jong Sook Chung

August 16

Mabel Hancock

August 17

Rhea Parramore
Ramona Lara
J. T. Jones, exp.

August 18

No Dismissals

August 18

Berneck Gardner
Ella Lewallen
Olivia Patino and baby girl

Ella Phipps

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Tractor Model	Bonus	
	July 15, thru Sept. 15, 1980	Sept. 16 thru Oct. 31, 1980
8640-4WD, 275 eng. hp	\$3,000	\$2,000
8440-4WD, 215 eng. hp	\$3,000	\$1,600
4840-2WD, 180 PTO hp	\$1,700	\$1,000
4640-2WD, 155 PTO hp	\$1,400	\$ 800
4440-2WD, 130 PTO hp	\$1,200	\$ 700
4240-2WD, 110 PTO hp	\$1,000	\$ 600
4040-2WD, 90 PTO hp	\$ 900	\$ 500

MANSELL BROS.

Reflections—

(From Page 1)

city government, with each reporting individually to the council.

One can readily see that in this era, "it's one heck of a way to run a railroad."

Suppose, for sake of comparison, that the school district had no superintendent, charged with the responsibility of conducting the school's business. Continue to suppose, if you will, that each department of the school was required to report directly to the sitting board of trustees — the vo-ag department, the maintenance department, the athletic department, the high school and elementary departments, the band, the history department, the math department, the English department, etc., etc. Draw your own conclusions.

A city manager form of government for Winters would serve to eliminate much of the confusion inherent in the present form. There would be a central point of authority, a plotting point for coordination of all city operations. A city manager would be responsible for the total operation, handed that authority by the city council. There would be no change in the council — that body would continue to serve as a policy-making body, and would not have to spend so much time on simple operation functions.

Under the city manager form, the council would be freed to make more comprehensive studies of questions vital to the successful conduct of the city's business, which time they do not have at the present. The city manager would be charged with the details, much as the superintendent of schools is charged with operation of the entire school system.

To adopt a city manager form of government would cost some money, true. But a trained and qualified city manager could gain back that cost, and more, through more efficient operation of the city government. Looking at the situation from another angle, a trained and qualified city manager would have the time and knowhow to search out all sources of extra monies available from federal as well as state agencies. We have been given to understand that there are many sources, as yet untapped by Winters, but we have been either unaware of them or lacked the time and talent to go after what could be rightfully ours.

There are many other pluses which could be included in an explanation for the need of a city manager form of government for Winters, but time and space prevents a complete list.

The decision is up to the people of Winters. Do we or don't we want value received for our tax dollars? Or do we want to continue to pay more for less? Do we want to remain in the horse-and-buggy age, in regards to operation of the city's business, or do we want to provide for a more efficient type of operation? When you get to the nitty gritty, we simply cannot afford to continue to operate a big business such as the City of Winters from the hip pocket.

Go to the polls Saturday, Aug. 23, and vote your conscience.

Absentee voting on school bond issue began Aug. 20

Absentee voting on the school bond issue began Wednesday, Aug. 20, and will end on Friday, Sept. 5. The school bond election will be held Tuesday, Sept. 9, in the office of the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce.

Absentee voters may cast ballots at the school business office, 613 N. Heights St., from 8 a. m. to 12 noon, and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. during regular business days.

Any person who is a registered voter and resides within the boundaries of the Winters Independent School District, and was registered at least 30 days prior to the date of election is qualified to vote.

Any questions about the bond election should be directed to the School Business Office, 613 N. Heights, or by calling 754-4618 or 754-4415.

City Manager election Saturday

(From Page 1) responsible directly to the city council on all matters. Each department head reports directly to the council as a whole, although under the present system, each councilman is assigned by the mayor to serve as liaison between the department and the council.

Many residents and officials, as well as former councilmen and mayors, have expressed the belief that the city manager form of government would make for a more economical situation, without overlapping responsibilities and activities. A city manager, they say, would be in a position to coordinate activities and work of all departments for a more efficient and more economic operation.

In a talk to members of the Winters Lions Club Tuesday of this week, Virgil Gray, city manager of Brownwood, explained some of the advantages of a city manager form of government. He pointed out that with increasing

complexity in operation of a city business — which he described as "big business" — there is an ever-increasing need for greater coordination between departments and the city council, which a city manager would provide. Cities receiving federal or state funds constantly find administrators of those funds "looking over the city's shoulders," to make sure that certain guidelines are met, and that required reports are made and regulations are complied with. He also said that there are many sources of federal and state funds available, if cities have the personnel qualified to seek them out.

Gray advised that the increasing costs of city operation "should de-



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mand closer control and more efficiency," in order to provide better services to the peoples of the affected communities. The city manager form of government in any city would provide that closer control and coordination, he indicated.

Winters Ind. School District School Calendar, 1980-81

Aug. 22, 25, 26, 27, 28 Teacher Inservice
 Aug. 29 Teacher Work Day
 Sept. 1 Labor Day Holiday
 Sept. 2 First Day of School
 Oct. 10 End of 1st 6 Weeks, 29 days
 Nov. 21 End of 2nd 6 Weeks, 30 days

Nov. 27-28 Thanksgiving Holidays
 Dec. 19 Classes end for Christmas Vacation
 Jan. 5 Classes Resume
 Jan. 12 Student Holiday
 Jan. 16 End of 3rd 6 Weeks, 27 days
 Jan. 16 End of 1st Semester, 86 days

Jan. 19 Teacher Work Day
 Feb. 27 End of 4th 6 Weeks, 29 days
 Apr. 10 End of 5th 6 Weeks, 30 days
 April 10 Classes End for Spring Break

April 20 Classes Resume
 May 29 End of 6th 6 Weeks, 30 days
 May 29 End of 2nd Semester, 89 days
 May 29 Last Day of School for Students, 175 days
 May 29 Commencement Exercises
 May 30 Teacher Work Day

County Hay Show set for Friday

The Runnels County Hay and Equipment Show will feature 50 hay entries on exhibit, along with Brahmantal, Chianina, Limousin and Simmentol beef cattle.

The show and exhibit will be held in the Winters Community Center Friday, Aug. 23, with the first of two programs beginning at 9 a. m.

Dr. Willis Gass, area agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will speak on hay sampling, hay quality and factors which affect hay quality.

Rob Brown, beef producer of Throckmorton, will speak on the three "E's" of beef production — "Europa, Exotic and Ear." All beef producers have been urged to attend this program.

At 1 p. m., the Runnels County Project Preview Show will begin. This will feature school-age children with sheep and beef projects, with a trophy to be awarded to the best showman in each division and age group.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this means to say thank you for your kindness during Dorece's recent illness. Words cannot express our gratitude for the many visits to the hospital, gifts, flowers, cards, food, expressions of concern, and most of all your prayers. A special thanks to Dr. Lee and Dr. Rives and the staff of the North Runnels Hospital, Dr. LeGrand and Dr. Stultz and

the staff of Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital, and the Runnels County Emergency Service. May God bless each of you. — Lee and Dorece Colburn



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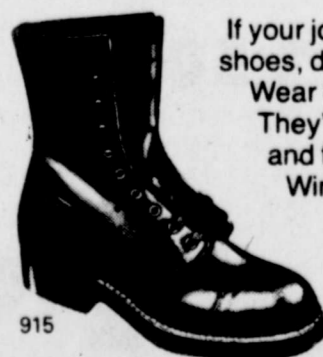
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