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Wait a minute...

By Kerry Craig

Saturday is the day, one of them anyway. Voters in the City of Winters, the Winters Independent School District, the Wingate School District, and the North Runnels County Hospital District will go to the polls to elect their representatives to the respective governmental entities.

Some will vote for a candidate. Others will vote against a candidate. Many more will probably think about voting, which is about as far as they will get. If you vote, great. If you don't vote, and are not happy with the results of the election, tough.

If you don't vote—don't gripe.

In each of these elections one should keep in mind that we are, in effect, hiring someone to help manage a very large business. Business that cannot, by law, make a profit. Business that is funded by taxpayers' dollars. Businesses that also cannot operate at a loss.

Saturday is the day. Vote as you please, but please vote.

In talking about forthcoming elections, those of us who are limited to watching television programs from the major networks are subjected to endless debates between the three guys who are seeking the Democratic nomination for presidency.

I think it would be interesting if these candidates would talk about their own good points rather than about their opponents bad points and shortcomings. The three of them cannot even get together in their disdain for the current office holder.

Not only are we forced to endure the endless rhetoric from the hopeful candidates, we must then hear those self-professed election experts (better known as network news people) explain to us what the candidates are trying to say or wanted to say. With their projections and computers, these networks are doing their best to take the element of suspense out of an election by telling us who will win—even before the votes are cast.

I have reached the point where I would rather watch a re-run of a sitcom than another installment of hopeful candidates and newsmen adding to the confusion by telling what they think the candidates are trying to say.

The next thing you know there will be a Saturday morning cartoon series about the race for the nomination. It wouldn't last, Mickey Mouse would get higher ratings in the polls and surveys.

A reminder, you can give the gift of life Thursday. United Blood Services will be at the Winters City Hall from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. to give all of us the chance to donate blood.

See you there—see you at the polls too.

Blood drive scheduled

On April 5th, citizens of Winters will have an opportunity to make an important personal contribution to the welfare of this community. That is the scheduled date of a blood drive to be held at the City Hall from 3 to 6 p.m.

Carolyn Priddy, Chairman of the drive, would like every person to consider this drive to be an invitation for personal action—the simple, satisfying action of donating blood for a person in great need. In only 30 minutes you may give the most precious gift of all—the "Gift of Life".

In 1983, 12 units of blood were collected from this area. In 1984, 150 units of blood are needed to supply the needs of patients in your hospital. In 1983, North Runnels Hospital patients used 105 units of blood. This blood can only come from caring individuals—the human body is still the only source.

Be a lifesaver. Make an appointment to donate blood by calling 754-4300 or stop by when the mobile unit is in the community on April 5th. Your gift is vitally needed.

Saturday is election day

Saturday is election day for the Winters City Council, the Winters Independent School District, the Wingate Independent School District, and the North Runnels County Hospital District.

In two of the races voters will have a choice, while in another race the incumbents are unopposed. In the fourth race, Wingate's school district, there are no announced candidates and there are two school board positions up for election.

In the Winters city election, incumbents Dawson McGuffin, Randy Springer, and Rick Dry are being challenged by Charles Wearden and Ramon Hudson. In this election, the three candidates receiving the most votes will be elected.

Two places on the Winters School Board have the incumbents running uncontested while two new-comers

Harris murder trial postponed

The murder trial of Danny Bruce Harris of Winters, scheduled to begin in 119th District Court in Ballinger Monday was postponed after one of the defense attorneys requested the delay.

Jury selection had been expected to begin Monday for the trial of Harris, who is accused of first-degree murder in connection with the shooting death of his wife in October of last year.

District Judge Curt Steib, after granting the postponement, did not comment on when the trial might be re-scheduled.

Band Booster Salad Luncheon is today

The Winters Band Boosters offer a delicious salad luncheon, with meats included, today, Thursday, April 5, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Main Street Church of Christ Fellowship Building. Take-out lunches will also be available.

Tickets cost \$3.50, and the menu includes meat casseroles, meat salads, vegetable casseroles, vegetable salads, and sweet salads.

The luncheon is the group's biggest project of the year, with funds donated to the support of the band. The Boosters have already spent over \$9,000 this year on new instruments and equipment for the Band Hall.

Winters man held in abduction attempt

Charges of Burglary with intent to commit kidnapping were filed last week against a 24-year old Winters man in connection with the attempted abduction of a 16-year old female at a drive-in restaurant in Ballinger last Tuesday evening.

Martin Martinez, of Winters, was

Reward offered in shop burglary

Tools and equipment valued at about \$15,000 were taken over the week end from Larry's Truck and Tractor Repair on highway 83 about three miles north of Winters.

A reward of \$500 has been offered by Roy Calcote & Sons, Inc. for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who burglarized the shop which is owned by Larry Calcote.

The burglary occurred either late Sunday or early Monday and en-

are running for the place 5 seat being vacated by Dr. Jimmy Smith.

Ranch Manager Earl Foster and former Vocational Agriculture teacher Charles Allcorn are on the ballot for that seat.

Joe Bryan is running unopposed for re-election to place 3 on the school board and Gary Don Pinkerton is unopposed in his bid for place 4 on the school board.

Bill Cathey, Ronnie Poehls, and George Mostad are all running unopposed for re-election to their seats on the Board of Directors of the North Runnels County Hospital District.

Voters in the Wingate Independent School District election will be filling two seats on the school board as well as voting on a proposition calling for the school district to be governed by a board of five trustees. At the present time the Wingate School District is governed by a seven-member board of trustees.

In the trustee election, Wingate ISD voters are again faced with a blank ballot. It has become almost a custom in the Wingate ISD election to have no announced candidates and to have the voters cast write-in votes.



Band Division One winners

The Winters Junior High Band members who earned a Division One ranking in the Cisco Junior College Junior Music Festival Solo Contest are (l-r): Julie Wheat, Lynda Billups,



Lots of corn

Corn was over ankle-deep in the ditch along U.S. 83 about five miles north of Winters one morning last week when a large 18-wheeler ran off the road and overturned.

The driver of the truck was not injured in the accident, but the truck and trailer were very heavily damaged.

The corn, which was purchased by a local business, was salvaged by using a tractor-mounted loader and by using scoops.

The truck was enroute top Junction when the accident occurred early Wednesday morning.

Winters Council okays contracts

The Winters City Council got down to business Monday after taking several weeks to select a new city administrator. Scott Epperson is to assume duties the first of next month.

In their Monday night meeting,

the council affirmed a recommendation by the Planning and Zoning Commission rejecting a proposed zoning change from residential to commercial property located at 405 south Church Street.

Members of the Bridwell family, which owns the property, had requested the change but gave no indication of any plans for commercial ventures at the site.

In other action, the council met

Two arrested in burglary

Two men were returned to Runnels County last week after being arrested in West Texas in connection with the burglary of a Ballinger residence.

Sheriff's officers went to Midland and Odessa last Tuesday to pick up James Wolverton of Odessa and William Boyette of Midland in connection with the burglary of the Milton Fulton residence in Ballinger.

Officers said that two weapons were taken in the burglary and that one of the weapons was recovered by Midland County authorities who answered a family disturbance call. William Boyette was taken into custody at the mobil home when the weapon was located.

Wolverton was taken into custody by Runnels County officers and Ector County officers a short time later.

Both men were returned to Runnels County to face charges of burglary of habitation. Bonds of \$10,000 were set for each of the men on the charges.

with planning engineer Billy Jacob concerning the city's application for a Community Development Block Grant from the federal government. The target area for the grant is mostly in northwest Winters where paving and drainage is badly needed.

The target area and projects are basically the same as in last year's application, which was not funded.

Approval was given by the council to an application for additional land at the city's sanitary landfill. The application is for an additional (See Council page 10)

Candidates speak on school issues

The Enterprise sent questionnaires to all four school board candidates, and received two responses. Those candidates who returned the questionnaire are Earl Foster and Charles Allcorn, who are running for the same seat on the Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District. Their responses are given below:

What do you think of the proposed nine-hour school day? Foster: A nine hour school day is too long. It will be too hard on teachers especially. Yet if the classes are cut to 15 students, that will certainly help. But quantity of time isn't the answer—it's quality.

Allcorn: I feel that a nine hour school day would not be in the best interest of students and teachers alike. Also, the increased cost would be detrimental to the local school district.

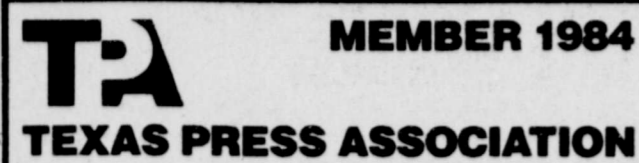
(See Candidates page 9)

Sample ballots on page 8



Band Division One winners

These students won a Division One rating in the Cisco Junior College Junior Music Festival Ensemble contest. Richard Bryan. Row two (l-r): Carla Briley, Julie Wheat, Kim Slaughter, Heather Brown, Barbie Bradley, Cindy Greer, Carla Lindsey, DeDe Davis, and Lynda Billups. Row one (l-r): Jimmy Ripley, Richard Lett, Michael Hicks, Greg Shifflett, Gary Halfmann, Stephen Patterson, and



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Poe's corner

by Charlie Poe

300th Anniversary of Mission San Clemente

A long line of cars on each side of every road leading to Millersview Sunday afternoon greeted visitors and teaching the area where the San Clemente pageant was to be held became a problem. But the crowd of more than 2,000 people was orderly and spectators were soon seated in the lawn chairs they had brought from home. The 300th Anniversary of Mission San Clemente, 1684-1984, was portrayed in a pageant by Gus Clemens and the entire program was called "A Celebration of Christian Heritage," under the direction of the Diocese of San Angelo. It consisted of a pageant, a religious service and a barbecue.

The exact location of San Clemente is a matter of dispute among historians and no definite conclusion has been reached. But Bishop Joseph Fiorenza said, "We have chosen to celebrate the tricentennial in Millersview, near the junction of the Concho and Colorado Rivers, where earlier historians placed it. More significant than the actual site is our Celebration of the Christian Faith which San Clemente Mission served 300 years ago."

The congregation of our Lady of Guadalupe Mission, with the help from many neighboring parishes and missions, hosted the celebration at Millersview.

The Runnels County Historical Commission as well as the State of Texas agrees with the earlier historians as the State of Texas placed a marker at the junction of the Concho and Colorado Rivers in 1936. It was located on the Currie Ranch near Paint Rock and is inaccessible to the public.

Due to the good work in 1968 of the Runnels Commission members then known as the survey committee in placing markers, they were awarded a San Clemente Marker with state matching funds, that is accessible to the public. It is located on Highway 83, seven miles south of Ballinger. The marker reads:

SAN CLEMENTE MISSION (site located 10 miles southeast.)

The first mission known to have been established in Texas east of the Pecos River, San Clemente was hastily built, two-room structure located on a hill about 17 miles south of present Ballinger. Some historians place the site farther south, near Junction. Although earlier than the great Spanish mission monument, this was one of the first (1984) in Texas and was founded by Juan Dominguez de Mendoza and Fray Nicolas Lopez.

Named for the San Clemente River (actually the Colorado), the mission was founded at the request of the Jumano Indians, who desired Christianity and the friendship of the Spanish. The building was probably constructed of logs, its lower story serving as a Chapel and its upper story as a lookout post. Though they stayed only from March 15 to May 1, awaiting envoys from 48 tribes (bands), the Spaniards baptized many of their several thousand Indian allies.

Crews

By Hilda Kurtz

One thing is certain, if you had your life to live over, you'd definitely need more money.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kraatz and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Prater, hosts for the April 7, 7 p.m. Easter Supper, would like you to come and have fun and a good meal. Bring either one large dish or two smaller dishes. See you there.

Hopewell Baptist will begin their revival April 25 through 29, with night services beginning at 8. Dr. Taylor Henley, director of the Geriatrics Center, San Angelo, will be the

evangelist. Mr. and Mrs. David Speegle of First Baptist Church, Winters, will lead the music and play the piano.

I attended the all-day quilting Monday at Saint John's Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall. 14 quilts were tacked and finished. I'd say 16 ladies took part.

Maggie Ruth Stokes, Loy Whitley, and Alta Hale had a 42 at Hazel Mae Braggs Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ambrose, Fort Worth, spent the week with Doris and Marion Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Siever, Big Springs, came for the

weekend.

Therin and Nila Osborne spent Saturday out at Wingate helping the McGallians with their new home.

Brother and Mrs. Jim Shipman's new granddaughter's brother Kyle, Fort Worth, has the chicken pox.

Mrs. Jim Shipman's mother, Mrs. R.L. Briley, Winters, is recovering nicely at home after a heart attack.

Louise and Blue Alexander, San Angelo, dropped in on the Norval Alexanders Friday for a while.

Mr. Richard Teetsel, Winters, and the Rodney Faubions were Hopewell visitors.

Nila Osborne and I had a nice visit with the Burley Campbells in Ballinger Thursday morning.

Alfred Collom and Clarence Hambright were to see Mrs. Effie Dietz.

Dewitt, Frances, and Brent Bryan, Nila and Therin Osborne visited the Doug Bryans during the week.

Mrs. Walter Jacob's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Halfman of St. Lawrence, and Mrs. Louise Michaelwicz, Ballinger, spent Sunday with the Jacobs.

Mrs. Cookie Van Zandt and boys and Miss Brenda Jacob attended the air show Sunday in San Angelo.

Mrs. Arthur Kirby hosted a bridge game Monday in her home with Mrs. Jo McWilliams, Mrs. Sam

Faubion, and Mrs. Alta Hale as guests.

Mrs. Alta Hale attended the club bridge party in Coleman in the home of Ortha Whittenburg. There were three tables of players.

On Wednesday, Alta accompanied Harvey Mae Faubion to San Angelo. They visited Eileen Prater and children; afterwards went by to see Mrs. Jettie Faubion in Ballinger.

On Thursday Alta went in to see Miss Willie Hale in the nursing home in Ballinger. Afterwards she went by to see the Horace Stokes in Talpa.

Sunday afternoon Alta Hale visited with the Kenneth McWilliams and her two sisters, Mrs. Lamo

Lynn and Donna Faubion, Fort Worth, were supper guests with the Noble Faubions.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Faubion, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Faubion, Gene, and Brian, and Melinda and Chad Kraatz spent the day in San Angelo Sunday. They had dinner with the Mike Praters. Afterwards they attended the Thunderbird Air Show at Mathis Field, San Angelo.

Keith Gerhart and Gene Faubion spent the night Friday night with the Faubions.

Happy and many more birthdays, Jettie.

Mr. and Mrs. Von Byrd, Jennifer, and Jeffery spent Sunday with Adline and Kat Grissom. John. Wan-Poe and Edith Tombs.

da, and Joe Sims came for supper.

There was 3/10 of moisture in my rain gauge Monday a.m.

Dale Sewing Club met

The Dale Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. Walter Kruse. Quilt blocks were pieced and refreshments served to Mmes: Mrs. Leland Hoppe, Mrs. George Onken, Mrs. Carl Baldwin, Mrs. Walter Kruse, Mrs. Tip McKnight, Mrs. Norbert Ueckert, Mrs. L.W. Rogers, Mrs. Oliver Wood, Mrs. Verge Fisher, Mrs. L.W. Scott, Mrs. Herman Spill and Mrs. Clifford Lehman.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Carl Baldwin, April 10.

Wingate plans game night

A game night is scheduled for Thursday, April 12 at 7 p.m. in the Wingate Lions' Club Building. All kinds of games will be played, and the entire community is invited.

Lady golfers elect officers

Linda Smith was elected president of the Winters Ladies Golf Association in the March 5 meeting. Other officers include Sandy Griffin, secretary-treasurer; and Mary Jane Blackshear, golf tournament chairperson.

June 2 was set as the date for the ladies invitational 4-person best ball tournament.

The salad supper will be April 12 at 6:30 p.m. at the Country Club. Anyone interested in joining the ladies association is welcome to come. For further information, contact Linda Smith at 754-5139.

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Open Kitchen invitation sent

Mrs. Lucille Virden invites her friends and neighbors to come and see her new kitchen and visit with her on Sunday, April 8, from 2 to 5 p.m.

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United Methodist Women met

The United Methodist Women met Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. in the church parlor of the church with 14 ladies present.

Billie Middlebrook, president, presided. The open song was "Open My Eyes That I Might See," with Margurite at the piano and Carol led the song. The prayer was

given by Odessa Dobbins. In the business, minutes were read and approved.

Treasurer gave a financial report. We will meet here next Tuesday, April 10 at the church parlor. Our study today was on prayer with Jewel Mitchell giving the 5th chapter of the study-Scripture Luke 7:1; 8:56; 18:35 and 43. What is prayer? by Margaret Anderson. Billie gave other comments on prayer.

Those present were: Ora Mae Hill, Billie Middlebrook, Carol Turner, Alene Mapes, Ionah Vinson, Odessa Dobbins, Dorece Colburn, Ethel Bridwell, Ozie Stanley, Willie Lois Nichlos, Jewel Mitchell, Margurite Mathis, Pauline Mayhew and Margaret Anderson. Dismissed by repeating the Lord's prayer.

Visitors in Sneed homes

Recent visitors in the Kenneth and G.W. Sneed homes, were Mr. & Mrs. O.D. Claxton of Modesto, California. Brother and wife of Gladys & Thelma Sneed, Shara Sneed of San Antonio, granddaughter of Mr. & Mrs. G.W. Sneed, Terry and Sharon Sneed of Winters and Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Barker of Modesto, California.

Rebekah Class met

The Rebekah Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Rosson.

Mrs. Henry Sibley presided over the business meeting. Roll call was answered with rivers of the Bible. Mrs. Raymond Schwartz brought a devotion on "Trees With A Biblical Significance."

Others present were: Mrs. Lillian Roberson, Ronald Cooper, Monroe Boles, R.Q. Marks, Kenneth Sneed, Jack Pierce, Cliff Poe and Leamon Herrington.

Triple L Club will meet

Dorothy Mazuk of San Angelo will be the featured speaker at the Triple L meeting in the First Baptist Fellowship Hall on Thursday, April 12.

Director of senior adults in her association, Miss Mazuk is a world traveler and a dynamic speaker.

The covered dish luncheon will be served at 12 o'clock and the program will follow. All senior adults are invited to bring a dish and share in the fun.

Winters Young Homemakers

The Winters Young Homemakers will meet April 9 at 7:30 p.m. The program is Time Management Devotional. Speaker will be Mary Mathieson.

Hostesses are Jill Bredemeyer, Linda Mitchell, Connie Briley and Sheila Paschal.

Sew and Sew Club meets

The Sew and Sew Club in Wingate met March 27 at the Lion's Club Building with Madlin King as hostess. Roll call was taken and minutes were read.

Following was a business meeting conducted by President Edna Rogers. A quilt was quilted for the hostess.

Those attending were Flossie Kirkland, Pauline Huckaby, Ethel Polk, Mabel Hancock, Vida Talley, Mildred Patton, Annie Faye King, Elizabeth Babb, Lessie Robinson.

Also, Lorene Kindard, Grace Smith, Ruby Folsom, Demetra Holder, Edna Rogers, Mayola Cathey, and two visitors Bessie Phillips and Edith Walker from California.

Dues were paid at the meeting. The next meeting will be April 10 with Flossie Kirkland as hostess.

Nazarenes are having revival

A revival is in progress in the Church of the Nazarene, 9th and Harris Streets, in Ballinger. It will continue through April 8 with nightly services at 7:30 p.m. Sunday services will be at 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Reverend and Mrs. V.B. Curless of Kansas City, Missouri are with the church for the revival.

The local pastor is Reverend Kirby Choate. For further information, call the church at 365-2484.

Blalocks to celebrate 50th anniversary

The children and grandchildren of Helen and Thurman Blalock are honoring them with a reception on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. The reception will be held in the Forum Room of the Wilbarger County Auditorium in Vernon, Texas from 2 to 5 p.m.

Firemen's Auxiliary meets

The Winters Firemen's Auxiliary met March 27 at City Hall with a Mexican



NEWCOMERS

Mr. & Mrs. Les McClellan announce the birth of a daughter, Amanda Michelle, born at 5:40 p.m. Wednesday, March 28 at Hendrick's Medical Center.

She weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces and was 20 inches long. She has a brother, Chad, who is 2 years old.

Paternal grandparents are Major & Mrs. Charles McClellan of Abilene. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Lester McClellan from Coleman. Mrs. Martha Dunn of Santa Anna. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Rummfield from DeLeon.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. John McNeill of Wingate. Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. B.B. McNeill of Winters.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to all who assisted in the passing of our beloved husband and father, Dr. C.R. (Dick) Bellis. Especially to: Ted Meyers and the staff at Winters Funeral Home, Rev. Mickey Smith for his ever present help and assistance and for such a beautiful service, Doug York for the lovely songs and accompaniment, Maggie Sanders for her assistance with the music, to Ann Smith and all the ladies of the Gospel Assembly Church who served dinner, to each of you who showed their love and thoughtfulness through visits, calls, flowers, memorials, cards and etc. To those who are caring for our little "Twety" Lisa Dawn, at the Nursing Home.

The family of Dr. C.R. (Dick) Bellis

To the lovely people of Winters who were friends and family of Mrs. Lois Collins.

Thank you all so much for the love you have always shown her, for your prayers, and for all that you did at the time of her death. Even though she had been away from Winters for several years it was still her home, and she loved all of you.

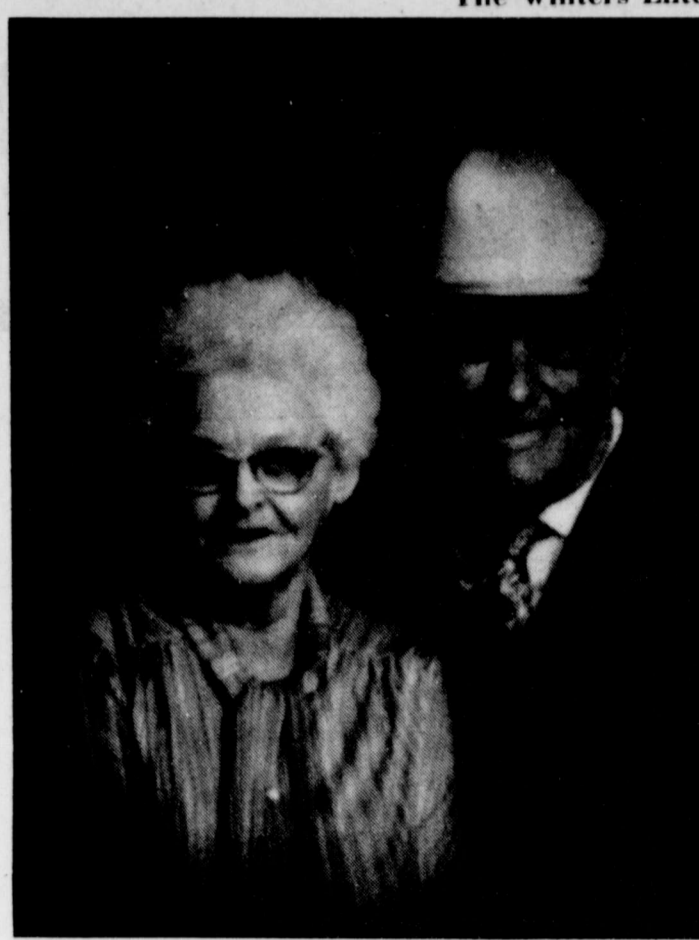
With our love, her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Card of Thanks

I would like to express my appreciation to all the contributors in the presentation of the fine rifle and plaque to me at the "Runnels County Sheep Field Day."

Every time I shoulder this fine piece, and look down the barrel, I will whisper a prayer to "The Great White Father," that he not only will guide my bullet, but also my life, and my efforts, to their intended mark. Which is to serve God, and you, in the necessary capacity as I know the rifle will serve me.

A sincere thanks to my friends and colleagues of the Runnels County Sheep Producers Association. Connan D. Walker



Stoeckers to celebrate 60th anniversary

A reception will be held Saturday, April 14, 1984, at the Church of Christ Fellowship Building, 104 East Pierce, Winters, Texas, honoring Mr. & Mrs. Neut Stoecker on their 60th wedding anniversary.

The reception, being given by their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, will be held from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. The couple resides at 205 West Roberts in Winters, Texas.

Mr. Stoecker was born in Navasota, Texas, and Mrs. Stoecker was born in

Eula, Texas. They met in Winters and were married in the Winters Church of Christ parsonage on April 12, 1924.

During their marriage they have lived in the Winters area, where they have been engaged in stock-farming. They are now retired.

Their children and grandchildren are Mr. & Mrs. Frank Brown of Winters, Mr. & Mrs. Ace Polk of Winters, and Mr. & Mrs. Ron Graham, Noell and Jarrett of Dallas.

Parties honor Missy Bedford

Missy Bedford, Bride-elect of John Rendon, was honored recently with several parties.

On March 24th, Mr. & Mrs. Marvin Bedford honored their niece with a family grocery shower. Approximately 40 attended.

On Wednesday, March 28th, the employees of The Concho Valley Savings and Loan, where she is

employed, gave her an after 5 p.m. Buffet party and presented her with a money tree.

Hostesses for a bridal shower given at St. John's Lutheran Church on Saturday, March 31st, were Mrs. Leland Hoppe, Mrs. Skip Sheppard, Mrs. Larry Nitsch, Mrs. Leon Springer, Mrs. Don Miller, Mrs. Bill Gerhart, Mrs. Freddie Bredemeyer, Mrs. Glenn Hoppe, Sr., Mrs. Van Spill, Mrs. Bob Prewit, Mrs. James Bomar, Mrs. Allen Andrae, Mrs. Bill Campbell and Mrs. Everett Favor.

Mrs. Freddie Bredemeyer greeted and registered guests at a linen and lace table adorned with a bud vase filled with burgundy silk flowers.

Burgundy napkins and a burgundy and pink floral arrangement were used on the bride's table which was laid with a white and knit and lace cloth. Colorful mints and cookies completed the color scheme.

Mrs. Larry Nitsch served the fruit punch and Mrs. Van Spill presented Mrs. David Evans and Mrs. Sky Sheppard who gave a vocal rendition of "Surround Me With Love." Mrs. Spill and Mrs. Bob Prewit presented gifts to the bride. Approximately 50 attended.

Betty Lisso to wed Clark Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lisso of Ballinger, formerly of Winters, announce the engagement of their daughter Betty to Clark Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Neill Johnson, Jr. of Tow, Texas.

The couple plans a May 26 wedding in the Holy Angels Catholic Church in San Angelo.

Miss Lisso is a 1981 graduate and salutatorian of Winters High School. She graduated this year from American Commercial College in San Angelo, and is employed by First City National Bank there.

Johnson graduated from Odessa Permian High School in 1973. He is employed by Reece Albert, Inc. of San Angelo.

Theodore Roosevelt was America's first president to fly in an airplane. The event took place in 1910, more than a year after he had left the Presidency.

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- Wed. "When the Rooster Crowed" Luke 22:54-62
- Thurs. "The Tragedy of a Wasted Life" John 13:21-30
- Fri. "The Question of All Questions" Matthew 27:22
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SHERIFF'S SALE

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF RUNNELS**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Writ of
Execution issued out of the Honorable 119th District Court of Runnels
County, 20th day of March 1984, by Loretta Michalewicz, Clerk of said
119th District Court of Runnels County for the sum of \$243,828.44
Dollars With interest thereon from the 22nd day of December 1983,
at the rate of 9% per annum and costs of suit, under a Judgement,
in favor of A.J. Smelley, Jr. in a certain cause in said Court, No. 9883
and styled A.J. Smelley, Jr. - Plaintiff vs. Milton Bryan - Defendant,
placed in my hands for service, I, William Baird as Sheriff of Runnels
County, Texas, did, on the 20th day of March 1984, levy on certain
Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows,
to-wit: 203 acres of land more or less, comprising: 1) 11-3/10 acres in
the Chas. Osgood Survey No. 365, Abstract No. 392, 2) 98-7/10 acres
in the Chas. Osgood Survey No. 364, Abstract No. 393 and 3) 93 acres
in the G.W.H. Taylor Survey No. 2, Abstract No. 1005, all in Runnels
County, Texas, and being a part of the tract conveyed by L.A. Droll
to Jack Seales, et al by deed dated March 13, 1948, and recorded in
Volume 216, Page 535, and a part of the tract conveyed by Runnels
County Baseball Club to Jack Seales, et al, by deed dated January 19,
1954, and recorded in Volume 276, Page 451. Deed Records of Runnels
County, Texas, said tract of 203 acres being described by metes and
bounds as follows: BEGINNING at an old corner post at the Northwest
corner of the Chas. Osgood Survey No. 364; THENCE South 60 deg.
East 867-5/10 varas along the North line of said Survey No. 364 to a
corner post; THENCE South 13 deg. 07' East 88 varas along the
Southerly line of the tract conveyed to the Lone Star Gas Co. by deed
recorded in Volume 141, Page 437, Deed Records of Runnels County,
Texas, to the Southeast corner; THENCE South 4 deg. 45' West
198-89/100 varas to the Southwest corner of a 2-9/10 acre tract;
THENCE South 58 deg. 16' East at 11-4/10 varas pass the West line of
Survey No. 365, in all 131-8/10 varas to a corner post in the Westerly
line of the Ballinger-Winters Road; THENCE South 13 deg. 07' East
109-3/10 varas along the Westerly line of said road to the intersection
with the West line of Fifth Street of the West End Addition to the
City of Ballinger; THENCE South 30 deg. West 260-4/10 varas with
the West line of Fifth Street to the Northeast corner of the Town and
Country Addition to the City of Ballinger; THENCE North 60 deg.
West along the North line of the alley of said addition, at 195 varas
pass the East line of Survey No. 364, in all 783-36/100 varas to the Northerly
line of the road or lane leading to the theater; THENCE North
21 deg. 55' East 270-7/10 varas along the North line of road; THENCE
North 56 deg. 32' East 149-4/100 varas; THENCE North 20 deg. 09'
East 111-24/100 varas; THENCE North 55 deg. 11' West 225-22/100
varas; THENCE South 3 deg. 41' West 245-52/100 varas; THENCE
South 18 deg. 06' East 65-06/100 varas to the Southerly line of road;
THENCE South 21 deg. 55' West 281-1/10 varas along the South line
of said road; THENCE North 60 deg. West 270 varas to a pipe at the
Northwest corner of the Hallmark lot; THENCE South 30 deg. West
75-6/10 varas to the Northerly line of the Ballinger-Bronte Road;
THENCE North 60 deg. West with the North line of said road, at
147-7/10 varas pass the East line of Survey No. 2 in all 495 varas to
a corner post; THENCE North 6 deg. 05' East 337-2/10 varas along
the fence to a corner post; THENCE North 65 deg. 03' West 533-4/10
varas to a corner post; THENCE North 111-4/10 varas to the Northwest
corner of the tract conveyed by the Runnels County Baseball Club
to Jack Seales, et al, said corner being in the North line of the Taylor
Survey No. 2; THENCE East 1236-7/10 varas along the North line of
Survey No. 2 to the Northeast corner of said Survey No. 2; THENCE
South 30 deg. West 300 varas along the East line of Survey No. 2, to
the place of beginning; and levied upon as the property of Milton Bryan
and that on the first Tuesday in May 1984, the same being the 1st day
of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the City
Limits of Ballinger Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.,
by virtue of said levy and said Writ of Execution I will offer for sale,
and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right,
title and interest of the said Milton Bryan in and to said property.
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the
English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks weeks im-
mediately preceding said day of sale, in the Winters Enterprise, a
newspaper published in Runnels County.
Witness my hand, this 20th day of March 1984.

William Baird
Sheriff Runnels County, Texas.
By Joe David West Deputy.
(April 5, 12, 19, and 26, 1984)

**Miss Winters
Contest Saturday**


Thirty-one lovely young
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ing the annual pageant this
Saturday night at 7:30 p.m.
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auditorium.
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afternoon from 2 to 5 p.m.
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Utilities; Allison Allcorn,
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surance; Amy Tuggle,
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Poe, Shell Oil Company;
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surance Agency; Michelle
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Rodriguez, Spill Brothers
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nathie, Super D Foods.
Ketta Walker,
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Foster Barber Shop; Jac-
que Conner, Alderman-
Cave Milling; Gina Rosson,
Charles Bahlan
Chevrolet; Suzanne Spill,
Mansell Brothers.
Stacey Grissom, Pool
Company; Stephanie
Smith, Taylors 2; Melissa
Taylor, Harrison's Auto;
Louise Davis, Flowers,
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ny R. Polston, CPA; Karen
Carter, Heart of Texas
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The pageant is spon-
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Under Section 5 (f) S.B. 117, Acts of the 68th Legislature, Regular
Session, The Winters Independent School District will have a public
meeting or hearing on the block grant funds (E.C.I.A. Chapter 2)
to be used as the local district determines. This public hearing will
be held in conjunction with the Board of Trustees regular meeting to be
held at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 10, 1984.
(April 5)

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UIL winners

Winters Junior High UIL winners included (l-r) Cheryle Powers, Landa England, Shelly Owen, Melissa Faubion, and Clint Deike.

School Food Service group studies C.P.R.

The Runnels County School Food Service Association, District 15, met Monday, March 19 at the Ballinger High School lunchroom. Queba James presided over the meeting. Edna Gillespie gave the devotion on "Light of Life." Roll call and reading of minutes was by Betty Hedden. A program on C.P.R. was given by Ballinger Paramedics. New officers were elected and will be installed at the April 16 meeting in Winters. Refreshments were served to Pauline Briley, Betty Easterly, Elouise

Prine, Margie Jones, Juanita Garza, Gladys Hilliard, and Tillie Moseley.

Also, Dorothy Fiveash, Larena Owens, Pat Hale, Glenda Rose, La Verne Redman, Marie Schwertner, Lavada Haupt, Audrey Schniers, Annalee Hoelscher, Frances Spieker, Bonnie Virden, Barbara Rollwitz, Edna Gillespie, Betty Hedden, and Queba James.

Suzanne Spill is third medalist

Suzanne Spill of Winters High School took third medalist honors at the District Golf Tournament in Sweetwater Thursday. Suzanne had tied with Kimberly Rason of Anson for second place; so a one-hole playoff was used to determine who would advance to regionals; and Miss Rason won. Both girls had shot a 96. Loretta Grant of Baird was first medalist with 84. Baird won the meet with a total of 397. Eastland took second with 500. Pam Poe of Winters shot 109, and J'Lynn Russell had 113. Kenny Young is the Winters golf coach.

Breezes Band receives excellent rating

The Winters Junior High "Breeze" Band participated Friday, March 30 in the annual Cisco Junior College Junior Music Festival. The Breeze Band performed first in the Concert competition and was awarded a Division Two "Excellent" rating by the three judges. They were Doug Fry of Abilene, G.T. Gilligan of Kermit, and Bill Woods of Abilene. The Winters group next competed in the Sight-reading portion of the festival and received another Division Two rating from the sight-reading judge, Larry Kingsley of Coahoma. Individual members of the Winters Junior High Band then competed in the solo and ensemble competition. In all, twenty-three solos and ensembles competed from Winters and fourteen of those entries received a Division One "Superior" rating and medal.

Those solo entries who performed and their ratings received were: Monica Brown, Flute-II; Christi Hilliard, Clarinet-II; Gary Halfmann, Alto Sax-II; Stephen Patterson, Cornet-II; James Carillo, Baritone-II; Landa England, Xylophone-I; Tracey Grantham, Xylophone-I; Melissa Hatler, Snare Drum-I; Barbie Bradley, Piano-I; Carla Briley, Piano-II; Lynda Billups, Piano-I; Tracey

Grantham, Piano-I; Julie Wheat, Piano-I; and Christi Awalt, Twirling-I. The ensemble entries and their ratings were: Clarinet Trio-DeDe Davis, Cindy Greer, Carla Lindsey-Div. I; Saxophone Trio-Brady Cowan, Dan Killough, Brandon Poe-Div. II; Clarinet Trio-Lynda Billups, Carla Briley, Kim Slaughter-Div. I; Mixed Trio-Heather Brown, Gary Halfmann, Stephen Patterson-Div. I; Trombone Trio-Richard Barnett, Otto Cortez, Russell Moore-Div. III; Percussion Trio-Richard Bryan, Jimmy Ripley, Scott Shifflett-Div. I; Cornet Duet-Kenyon Black and Russell Stewart-Div. III; Cornet Duet-Michael Hicks and Richard Lett-Div. I; Piano Duet-Barbie Bradley and Julie Wheat-Div. I.

Winters Band Director Bailey McNulty stated, "I am very proud of our young band students in this group. I feel that their efforts of this day was the best possible for this time in their band career. There are always things that could have been better prepared, but this festival competition is a good opportunity to be evaluated and in our case, to have some successes."

Also journeying to Cisco and serving as piano accompanists to some of the solos were Beverly Halfmann and Gina Rosson.

churches.

The church extends a very special invitation to all the people in Wingate and surrounding areas to attend this revival. Sermons will deal with events in the last week of Christ's earthly ministry.

Following the Sunday morning service, dinner will be served in the Fellowship Building.

E is the most frequently used letter in the English alphabet. Q is the least.

Wingate Baptist plans revival

Revival services will be held at the Wingate Baptist Church April 11-15. Evening services will begin at 7:15, with group prayer meetings at 6:55 p.m. The preaching will be done by the pastor, Charles Myers. He is completing his 27th year as the pastor of the church, and his 50th year in the ministry. He resides in Abilene.

Myers is a graduate of Howard Payne University and of the Southwestern Theological Seminary. He is a fellow of the College of Hospital Chaplains, having served as a chaplain in Hendrick Medical Center for many years. He also pastored churches in Naples, Leonard, and Houston, Texas. Kenneth Coats, minister of education and administration at Pioneer Drive Baptist Church, Abilene, will be in charge of the music. He is a graduate of Baylor University, with bachelor's and master's degrees in music, and has studied at the University of Texas at Austin. He has written various materials for the Southern Baptist Convention. He has served as minister of music at churches in Gilmer, Andrews, and Levelland; and as minister of education-administration in Austin, Abilene, and Houston



Dairy cattle judging team

The Winters FFA dairy cattle judging team placed sixth in the Area IV contest at Tarleton, March 29. Back row, l-r, are vocational agriculture teacher Jackie Tension and Bill Palmer. Front, l-r, are Michael Michaelis, Frank Davis, and Russell Stone. The team will compete in the state contest at A&M on April 28.

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Track Foot Notes

Varsity Boys

The Winters Varsity Boys participated in track meets in Comanche on March 23 and in Albany on March 31. Gatesville, a 3A school, won the Comanche meet over 11 other teams. Wellington, a 2A school, won the Albany meet over 15 other teams.

1600 Meter Run 5th-Don Kvpil 5:05.37
110 High Hurdles 5th-Kelly Hood 17.00
800 Meter Run 4th-Robert Baker 2:12.59
1600 Meter Relay 6th-Kelly Hood, Robert Baker, Greg Guevara, and Kent Billups 3:48.60.

Coach Calvin Steen said, "Despite a late start due to a combination of spring break, basketball playoffs, and rained-out meets, the varsity boys are steadily improving. This group of young men have the best attitude of any group I've had the pleasure to work with in a long time."

"We are small in number, but fiercely competitive. The district meet is only two weeks away, but with the good attitude we've got, we expect to be very competitive. All the meets we are scheduled to attend are extremely tough, making it difficult to place well; so we work to show improvement every week, using the stiff competition to help us prepare for district," he concluded.

Remaining track meets are at Aspermont on April 7, at Hamlin on April 14, and the district meet at Cisco on the 18th.

Varsity Girls

The Varsity Girls participated in a track meet in Albany on March 31 with 17 other teams. Clyde won the meet with 86 points. Winters took seventh place with 31 points.

High Jump 3rd-Ketta Walker 4'10"
100 M. Hurdles 2nd-Maggie Campos 16.3. 3rd-Melinda Kvpil 16.5

100 M. Dash 2nd-Maggie Campos 13.4
400 M. Dash 6th-Ketta Walker
3200 M. Run 5th-Robin Michaelis 14.30

The girls will have their district meet Thursday, April 5 in Cisco. This will include the seventh and eighth grade girls as well as the varsity. Field events start at 8:30, running events at 11:30 and finals at 3 p.m.

Seventh Grade Girls

At the Ballinger Track Meet, the girls competed with six other teams, including Brady, Coleman, Merkel, Ballinger, Wylie, and Clyde. The Winters

girls scored 28 points, and Heather Brown broke the meet record in the shot put with a toss of 27'. Jones of Brady held the record before with 26'9 1/2" in 1982. Coach Debra Whittenburg said, "The girls did a good job and will be ready for their district relays on Thursday, April 5."

400 Relay 5th-Gina Priddy, Tammy Belew, Carla Lindsey, Tracey Grantham 59.83

100 M. Hurdles 3rd-Tracey Grantham 18.64.

Discus 4th-Heather Brown 70'
Shot Put 1st-Heather Brown 27'. 4th-Tammy Belew.



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Obituaries

Ollie Hamilton

Ollie Hamilton, 92, of Winters, died at 6:55 p.m. Friday in the North Runnels Hospital following an illness of several months. He was born in Bell County on August 8, 1891. In 1907, the family moved to Runnels County, settling in the Truitt Community east of Winters. Later Mr. Hamilton moved to Winters where he lived for over 60 years.

He was a carpenter and a member of the Main Street Church of Christ. He is survived by several nieces and nephews and their families. Among local survivors are Mrs. Garland Crouch, Mrs. Jim Hamner, and Mrs. Neva Joyce Stevens, all of Winters.

Bill Hooten, minister of the Main Street Church of Christ, conducted services at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Winters Memorial Chapel. Interment was in the Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Van Whittenburg, Wesley Wade, W.T. Davis, A.B. Gray, Nolan Bahlman, and Johnny Merrill.

Travis McNeill

Travis McNeill, infant son of Cody & Connie

McNeill, died at 7:29 a.m. Monday at the North Runnels Hospital, where he was born a few hours earlier.

Besides his parents he is survived by maternal grandparents Mr. & Mrs. Connie B. Bryant of Ballinger; paternal grandparents are Tim McNeill of Abilene, Ouida Depetrillo of California and great-grandmother Mrs. Ira McNeill of Winters. Also two sisters of Winters, Heather Renea Reel and Kira Jo Reel.

Services were at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 4, 1984 at graveside at the Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home, with Glenn Shoemaker officiating.

Ralph Nuel Kee

Ralph Nuel Kee, 68, of Ballinger, formerly of Snyder, died at 2 a.m., March 29 in Shannon Hospital, San Angelo.

He was born on August 28, 1915 in Harrold, Texas to Charlie David Kee and the former Maggie Ada Moody. He served in the United States Navy during World War II. He married Ruth Rogers on February 13, 1943 in Rockwall.

He was the head operator of a Texaco refinery. He was a member of the

First Baptist Church and of the Scurry Lodge 706.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth, of Ballinger; a daughter, Mrs. Darrell (Sherry) Rains, Ballinger; a son, David Kee, Dallas; a brother, John Kee, Wichita Falls; and five grandchildren.

John Ballard, pastor of First Baptist Church, Lubbock, conducted the funeral at the First Baptist Church, Ballinger, on Friday, March 30. Burial followed in Old Runnels Cemetery under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Ethridge Howerton, Frankie Berryman, Virgil Fleming, T.S. Thomas, Grady Moore, Roland Koch, and Audis Moore.

WHS to attend UIL regionals

Competition in Region II, Conference AA, of the University Interscholastic League gets underway on the Tarleton State University campus April 12 with presentation of one-act plays. The plays will be held in the auditorium of the Clyde Wells Fine Arts Center at 6:30 p.m. under the direction of Dr. Mary Jane Mingus.

A full schedule of literary events is planned for the following day. The contests and directors are: debate, Dr. David Elkins; ready writing, M.C. Bell; typewriting, Dan Dudley; shorthand, Ruby Barker; science, Dr. Lamar Johnson; spelling, Jane Gohan; and calculator applications, Charles Slaten.

Saturday literary events include journalism, Mark Grear; prose reading, Ken Good; poetry interpretation, Tracy Freed; persuasive speaking, Cheryl Cannon; informative speaking, Dr. Tom Watson; and number sense, Dr. Dwayne Snider.

Action will resume on Monday, April 16 with tennis and golf for girls. Tennis matches will be played at the Potishman Complex with golf scheduled for the Tejas Golf Course. Finals in the two events will be held on the Oscar Frazier Track under the supervision of Bill Pringle.

The final round of competition in the regional meet will start Monday, April 30 with boys' tennis and golf. Dr. Bruce Craig is in charge of tennis and Donnie Campbell is director for golf to be played at the Legends Golf Course.

Region II competition will wind down Friday and Saturday, May 4-5 with preliminaries and finals in boys' track and field. The events will be supervised by Bill Pringle.

Dr. Mike Leese, vice president for Student Services at TSU, is director general for the spring meet.

Schools in Region II, Conference AA, include: District 9 Albany, Anson, Baird, Cisco, Eastland, Hawley, Tuscola (Jim Neel), Winters.

District 10 Bangs, Early, Junction, Mason, Menard, San Saba.

District 11 Archer City, Boyd, Chico, Henrietta, Holliday, Jacksboro, Nocona, Olney, Petrolia.

District 12 DeLeon, Dublin, Hamilton, Hico, Millsap, Ranger.

District 13 Aubrey, Celina, Coppell, Frisco, Gainsville (Callisburg), Little Elm, Pilot Point SELZ, Southlake (Carroll).

District 14 Anna, Farmersville, Howe, Pottsboro, Sadler (S&S), Tom Bean, Van Alstyne, Whitewright.

District 15 Crandall, Eustace, Ferris, Forney, Derens, Nevada (Community), Palmer, Roysse City.

District 16 Blooming Grove, Clifton, Glen Rose, Grandview, Itasca, Whitney.

Ballinger Chamber of Commerce holds meeting

The Board of Directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce met in regular session March 12, with President Aubrey Faubion presiding. Andy Eubanks led the opening prayer.

Jack Clinkscale, a member of the Chamber, spoke to the board on the roping scheduled for the same day as the Ethnic Festival. Sponsored by the Riding Club of Ballinger, the roping had been scheduled well in advance, and hopefully would draw more people into town for the festival and dance. However, the roping is not considered a part of the festival and is not sanctioned by the Chamber.

Ballinger Manor News

March 17, the residents gathered in the dining room for the St. Patrick's Party. The St. Patrick's decorations, green and white, were everywhere. This was a time of laughter and fun. Gene Hash sang and played the organ for the residents. Thank you, Gene. The residents always enjoy your music.

Tuesday mornings are our time for a special coffee break. The residents cooked biscuits one Tuesday had butter and jelly to eat with them. Last Tuesday yeast doughnuts were made. What fun and what good eating!

We express our deepest sympathy to the families of Edward Tillman and William Gottschalk.

Frank Matthews is in the Veteran's Hospital in Kerrville. We send our best wishes to him.

Pauline Morgan, Fannie Tippet and Lillian Wilde are the big bingo winners. Thank you 9th Street Church of Christ for your monthly visits to sing for the residents. They always look forward to your visits and the excellent singing.

Father Sam Homsey is out each Friday for Catholic services. He has been coming to the home for several years. Thank you.

XYZ outing this week was fun. We went to First Baptist Church and watched a movie. The refreshments were delicious. The XYZ group has been taking the residents on outings for the last four years. We appreciate your caring. Thank you. XYZ stands for Extra Years of Zest.

"Joy of being in the race to be better or best, miss not the joy of being." Edward Gloggieler.

Boy Scouts Troop 249

Boy Scouts Troop 249 of Winters held an awards night Tuesday night, March 27, 1984. Raul Rodriguez received Hiking Skill, First Aid Skill, Cooking Skill and Swimming Skill Awards, and a Second Class Rank.

Billy Holland received Hiking Skill, First Aid Skill, Cooking Skill, Swimming Skill Awards and a Second Class Rank.

Lance Bellis received Hiking Skill, First Aid Skill, Cooking Skill, Swimming Skill Awards and a Second Class Rank. He also received a Scout Show patch.

Russell Stewart received Hiking Skill, First Aid Skill, Cooking Skill, Swimming Skill Awards. He also received a Scout Show patch and received a Flint & Steel for selling 32 tickets to the Scout Show.

J'Dan Miller received Hiking Skill, First Aid Skill, Cooking Skill, Swimming Skill and a Second Class Rank.

Otto Cortez also received a First Class Rank. Michael Alatorre received Environment Skill Award and a First Class Rank.

Billy Barnes received Swimming Skill Award and a First Class Rank. Jason Young received Family Living Skill Award.

Richard Barnett received Star Rank. Stephen Patterson received Swimming Skill, Family Living Skill, Camping Skill, Cooking Skill and Star Rank.

Jeff Heidenheimer received a certificate of appreciation for helping the Scouts with First Aid.

Other business included: Discussion of the Ethnic Festival to be held April 28-29 on the Courthouse Square.

Concession stand at the festival dance will be operated by Jack Wright, Jack Benham, Carol Stokes and their spouses.

Quarterly review and approval of the work of the manager, and an increase of his car expense by \$50 to \$200, effective April 1.

This meeting was the last for the 1983 Board of Directors.

ADMISSIONS
March 27
Allen Fowler
March 28
Ollie Hamilton
March 29
none
March 30
Sidney Horton
March 31
Mary Hall
April 1
Richard Bauer
April 2
Connie Reel & baby boy

DISMISSALS
March 27
Joseph Coy Grant
Loice Smith
March 28
John Norman
Maribel Cabrera
March 29
Ashley Harris
Allen Fowler
March 30
Ollie Hamilton, Exp.
March 31
none
April 1
Mary Hall
Comiller Jean
April 2
Lorene Clark
Baby Reel, exp.

Monthly Schedule
Mondays-Sing-A-Longs at 10:30 a.m. Bingo at 2 p.m.
Tuesdays-Crafts at 3 p.m.
Wednesdays-Bible Study at 10 a.m. Movies at 3:30 p.m.
Fridays-Catholic Church Services at 9:30 a.m. Shopping at 2 p.m.
April 3 Winters String Band. April 5 & 26 XYZ outings at 9:30 a.m. April 18-9th Church of Christ singing at 6:45 p.m. April 19-Monthly birthday party at 3:30 p.m. Family night supper-covered dish.

Ethnic Festival Parade Entry

Your entry representing _____
Marching Band _____ Riding Club _____ Float _____
Clowns _____ Marching Unit _____
Town _____

Please give a brief explanation of your parade entry. For example, if you are a beauty contest winner, tell about yourself; if a marching band, tell the honors received this year.

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 7 de abril 1984
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7 de abril 1984

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FOR ALDERMAN

PARA LOS FUNCIONARIOS
THREE TO BE ELECTED
3 CONCEJALES

- Dawson McGuffin
- Randy Springer
- Charles Wearden
- Ramon Hudson
- Rick Dry

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION
APRIL 7, 1984

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 7 de abril 1984
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FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE

PARA CONSEJERO ESCOLAR

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 DISTRITO INDEPENDIENTE ESCOLAR DE WINGATE

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VAN A SER 2 ELECTADOS

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- For
- Against



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HOSPITAL DISTRICT
APRIL 7, 1984

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EL CONDADO DE NORTH RUNNELS
HOSPITAL DISTRITO
7 de abril 1984

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FOR DIRECTOR

THREE TO BE ELECTED

POR EL DIRECTOR

VAN A SER 3 ELECTADOS

- BILL CATHEY
- RONNIE POEHL
- GEORGE MOSTAD
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Talpa
 By Maggie Ruth Stokes

Rainfall in the Talpa area on Monday morning was reported to be from 4 to 6 tenths of an inch.

Edgar and Loy Whitley of Coleman spent Sunday in our home. Alta Hale visited us on Thursday night.

Jim Sikes of Odessa visited last week with his grandparents the Orby Sikes during his school break.

Jeanette Brooks spent part of the week with Orby & Thelma Sikes.

Mr. Sike's niece, Mr. & Mrs. Donald Kinsey of Oklahoma City, spent Saturday in their home.

A large number of women from Talpa attended the shower for Kay Evans given on Wednesday night at the First Coleman National Bank Club Room. Out of town guests were Charlene Griffith of San Angelo; Ola Mills, Jodie, Stacie, Stormi Sessom of Ozona; Jackie Ginsberg of Dallas; Sue & Gene Evans of Columbus; Billy & Louise Sneedley of Brownwood. Many nice baby gifts were received and all were greatly appreciated.

Gene & Sue Evans of Columbus visited over the weekend with Steve & Kay Evans.

Lorena Nixon of Coleman visited in the Steve Evans home on Saturday.

Gordon Brookshier had a yearling horse that had rabies last week. Gordon, his hired hand, and his son are taking rabie shots, the vet, his wife and child have to take the shots also. He had to have his horses vaccinated that was near this one. It is a serious problem and very expensive when rabies are found.

Dinah Strawn, Jonna, Jeffi of Ballinger visited the Johnny Decker's on Saturday.

Darrell and Ann Green announce the birth of a granddaughter, Amanda Michelle, daughter of Donnie & Lisa Dunn of Aspermont on Wednesday, March 28. Ann Green is there this week helping take care of her.

Shorty Skipper Hollinger went to Llano on Sunday and spent the day with her nephew's family, Mr. & Mrs. Kenny Sanders.

Loy Whitley, Alta Hale and I went to Hazle Mae Bragg's Friday night to play "90" we enjoyed the visit.

Baker & Hiawatha Hallford of Midland took Shirley Hallford, Orby and Thelma Sikes out to dinner Sunday in Ballinger. The occasion was Baker's birthday.

Don Davis aunt, Mrs. Grace Davis Flowers, passed away and was buried Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. She was 87 years old and a granddaughter of

Welcome Chandler, the first settler in Brown County. She was survived by several nieces and nephews.

Ralphene Davis attended a baby shower in San Angelo for Brent Michael Dickeyhut in the home of Mrs. Bobby Allen. He got many gifts and Ralphene said he would be "one of the best dressed kids in town."

Karen Hicks gave Melody Fancher a surprise 14th birthday party one afternoon after school. Those attending were: Cynthia and Peggy Kelsey, Bonnie Ozmun, Angela and Amy Hicks and David Faucher.

On Thursday night Bill & Karen Hicks gave a surprise birthday supper for her father, Jack Pierce of Winters. Those attending were: Mr. & Mrs. Pierce, Renee Calcote, Justin and the Hicks children.



UIL Ready Writing team
 Marci Caffey, Eric Foster, and Ketta Walker.

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UIL Number Sense team

Junior High students Kim Slaughter, Linda Billups, Clint Deike, and Jim Lee.

Candidates

Do you think athletics is over-emphasized in Winters schools? Foster: I enjoy athletics—our students do also, especially if you're winning—as Winters has been doing the last couple of years. Our sports provide a valuable tool in the learning process, yet they do need to be monitored. Let's not look only at the gate revenue. I would like, however, to see a policy of higher academics required for participation and perhaps a limit of what a student may participate in—that last one requires more thought. Perhaps it's just that I miss my oldest son.

Allcorn: I think all extra-curricular activities are very important to the learning process and have noticed that when our school has a winning year in athletic contests, we have a good school year.

Should teachers be allowed to give homework as they wish? Allcorn: Some classes need more homework than others. I have enough confidence in our teaching staff to let them make this decision.

Foster: Homework is a valid tool. It should be used yet not abused. I feel when it is used for punishment, however, you diminish its effectiveness. Teachers should use all aids available to educate.

Should students be exempt from exams if they have good attendance? Allcorn: Good attendance should be rewarded and exemption from exams is one way of doing this. However, students also need to know how to take exams and if they are exempt in all classes, they will have difficulty in college where there are no exemptions.

Foster: Definitely not. Certainly you have to be there to know a subject, but just because you're

there doesn't mean you know it. If a reward is needed for attendance, something could be worked out.

Comment on teacher pay raises. Foster: Give them their just due. They need raises. They also need greater esteem and respect in the community. It is a great task they have assumed. I am trusting them with the most precious things I own—my children. But let's get what we pay for.

Allcorn: I know very few millionaire school teachers—a pay raise would be nice and I'm sure they would appreciate one!

Do you favor voluntary prayer in the schools? Allcorn: Yes, Foster: What a bag of worms! In a word, no. I am Christian. I trust Jesus Christ as my Lord. If parents desire prayer in the morning, let them pray before they leave for school. We pray daily for teachers, students, needs, loved ones, etc. We call ourselves a Christian nation—there is a big difference in that and "religious freedom." Just like the difference between Christ and Buddha. Whose God will we be praying to? No—let the school take care of the intellect. I'll care (with Jesus) to the spirit. Please if anyone wants to talk more about this, call me.

Do you think teachers should be held accountable for the grades their students make on achievement tests? Foster: Another tricky one. I'm not sure what will work here. But yes, there needs to be some accountability. This is difficult to address, but they are responsible to a great degree; now how do we measure effectiveness?

Allcorn: No more so than a student's parents should be held accountable. Most students who make low scores on achievement tests either have a learning

disability or a poor home life.

Do you think Winters will need a school tax increase in the near future? Allcorn: I am unable to answer this question at the present time. If all the recommendations of the Select Committee on Public Education are adopted by the Legislature, then naturally there would have to be a tax increase. Hopefully this will not happen.

Foster: Certainly—who doesn't—they have to! Especially looking at the state's proposals. Let's just be sure we get what we pay for.

What other issues are important in Winters? (What changes, if any, would you make in the school district?) Allcorn: I would favor any change that would be of benefit to the students, faculty, administration, or staff, that would not be an increased burden to the taxpayer.

Foster: I would like to see a foreign language offered, an art department, a journalism class. Yes, there are things I would like to see happen. Not having been on the inside, however, it is difficult to know what is practical or possible to initiate academically.

Make any comments you wish. Foster: It looks like the Legislature is going to take care of changes for us. And here is a point I would like to make.

I regret that government has taken responsibility in education. If we had discipline we wouldn't need their legislation, just their "guidelines" and "resources." I have been told there is so much state regulation that much of the board's work is only rubber stamp approval. This hurts me. I'm not going to fight it or the trustees, but I want to know "Why?"

We all know we are a different community than

Center, Texas (on the Louisiana line), but we are controlled by the same laws. I'm not denying that we are part of the whole, but we need to be as independent and self-thinking as possible. The education of our children should be our highest priority. We know they are our future. But what we do here intellectually and spiritually will affect that quality of life.

It was a difficult time when our gasoline prices started to become realistic to world prices. It hurt. It cost. Our education system must go through the same pains. We must now take that responsibility also. As parents it will cost money—for the students, it will cost time and effort.

Though we are a small community in today's world, we touch many lives. Tomorrow we'll touch many more. I pray we are prepared to give an accounting of our blessings.

Mayfest adds new activities

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce will be sponsoring the third annual Winters Mayfest on Saturday, May 5. The Mayfest will be a county fair-type day filled with contests, entertainment, food, and games for all ages.

The activities begin at 11 a.m. and continue to 6 p.m. at the City Park and Community Center with no admission fee charged.

The big event of this year's Mayfest will be Armadillo races to be held in the afternoon. A new event that will be included is the tug-of-war. Other events include a domino tournament, a tennis tournament, continuous musical entertainment, arts and crafts, a pet show, an egg toss, a sack race, a dunking booth, a blood pressure clinic and a car bash. The day will conclude with a dance.

A number of food booths will be open and will include baked goods, lemonade, barbecue plates, hot dogs and cokes, homemade ice cream, German burritos, hamburgers, Fajitas, coastal cookies, sausage on a stick and pickled eggs, and sandwiches and tea.

Food, game, and craft booths are still available for you or your organization. You may make reservations by contacting the Chamber of Commerce office at 754-5210.

Museum will feature attic style show

An attic style show will be featured at the Z.I. Hale Museum open house on Sunday, April 8, from 2 to 4 p.m.

The Young Homemakers will be assisting with the hostess duties.

Everything in wearing apparel goes! Bring a favorite hat, dress, shoes, gloves—any item that you are too fond of to discard.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Contact Edna England or Mary Margaret Leathers if further information is needed.



UIL Spelling, Writing team

Junior High students Tracey Grantham, Melissa Faulbion, Cheryle Powers.

Correction

Last week, we inadvertently omitted Marianne Mostad's name from the list of UIL winners. She was given honorable mention in the listing of the All-Star Cast of the One Act Play Contest.

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Division Two, Three winners

Winters Junior High Band Solo and Ensemble entries earning Division Two and Three ratings at the Cisco Junior College Junior Music Festival last week include: row one (l-r): Carla Briley, Christi Hilliard, Monica

Brown, Brady Cowan, Brandon Poe, and Russell Stewart. Row two (l-r): Stephen Patterson, Gary Halfmann, Russell Moore, Kenyon Black, Dan Killough, James Carrillo, Otto Cortez, and Richard Barnett.



UIL Spelling, Writing team

Mandy Hancock, Bill Wheat, Marie Fisher, Rebecca Moore, and Doug Wheat.

Kidnap —

large knife to her. Officers said the woman broke away from the man, who then fled the scene.

Officers said that the vehicle driven by the suspect collided with a parked vehicle as he fled.

Ballinger Police notified area officers to be on the look out for the suspect and his vehicle. A short time after the incident occurred, Winters Police officer Tim Dexter stopped a vehicle fitting the description of the one sought by Ballinger authorities. Dexter and Police Chief L.C. Foster then took Martinez into custody.

Sheriff Bill Baird and Deputy Steve Boon then transported the suspect to the Runnels County Jail.

Teacher contracts approved by board

By Patsy Roach
Meeting in called session March 27, the Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District renewed the contracts of the following teachers and other personnel, at state

base pay unless otherwise noted, and subject to assignment to a different grade or subject than they have taught this year:

Elementary: Brenda Bahlman, Lisenell Brown, Betty Byrns, Cindy Cathey, Diane Davis, Sara Dubose, Barbara Everett, Ernestine Geistmann, Helen Grantham, Landa Grohman, Nina Hale, Jo Hancock, Bonnie Hood, Joyce Krause.

Also, Brilla Magee, Melinda Meyers, Anne Mills, Ouida Nichols, Sarah Parker, Doris Prewitt, Thomas Roach (\$2,000 above), DeLane Routon, Helen Russell, Melanie Shackelford, Carolyn Slaughter, Voleta Smith, Juanita Wade, Jacquelyn White, Debra Whittenburg (\$2,300 above), and Jane Wyatt.

High school: Dean Beckloff, Frances Bredemeyer, Bill Cathey, David Evans, Jim Farmer (\$3,300 above, 10 1/2 month contract), Patricia Hambright, Tooter Harrison, Vickie Harrison, John Key, Gary Ledford, Mack Lingo (\$2,300 above), Bailey McAnulty (\$1,000 above, 10 1/2 month contract, \$100/month expense account).

Also, Audine McBeth, Nancy Michaelis, Susan Mostad, Clifton Poe, James Powers, Wanda Puckett,

Virginia Schwartz, Roy Shackelford, Mary Stanfield, Calvin Steen (\$2,600 above), Jackie Tension, Patricia Weber, Betty White, and Kenny Young (\$3,300 above).

Clerical aides who were guaranteed jobs for next school year included: Virginia Black (\$620 above), Jureta Ledford (\$620 above), Linda Priddy, Jo Poe, and Voleta Smith.

Funding for the salaries of Dean Beckloff, Jackie White, and Barbara Everett is provided by the federal government under the Chapter 1 program.

Landa Grohman, Bette Raymond, and Bouneva Mayo are hired through the Special Education Co-op.

Contracts for head coach Danny Slaughter, principals L.C. Hounsell and Mike Grantham, business manager Johnny Bob Smith, and superintendent Tommy Lancaster had already been approved in previous board meetings.

In other business, the board received a list of proposed improvements to the elementary building, with an estimated cost, from the architects Chakos, Zentner, and Markum of San Angelo. Proposals included removal of the exterior walls of the building to facilitate closing the windows with brick, leaving only one large window in each room; wall and ceiling insulation to a value of R-25; new lighting; acoustical suspended ceiling; resilient tile flooring for the rooms; vinyl wallcovering for the walls where windows will be removed; refrigerated air conditioning; more electrical outlets; repair of cracks in existing building; concrete retaining walls to stop the erosion of soil from the east end of the building; and ramps and railings to make the building more accessible to the handicapped.

Cost of that work would be about \$957,688, which is more than the school district has on hand to spend at this time, according to Johnny Bob Smith, school business manager. The school wants to avoid another bond issue and use available funds. Another board meeting was held



UIL Journalism team

Resa Porter and Mandy Hancock.

Council —

15 acres of land adjacent to the present landfill site, southwest of the city.

The council approved the renewal of the contract with Mrs. Jim Hamner for reading water meters in the city. The new contract calls for an increase of five percent in the amount paid Mrs. Hamner for her services.

Also approved was the contract with Jimmy Lee Fines for maintaining the Northview and Lakeview Cemeteries.

Jimmy Smith, D.V.M., was awarded a new contract for leasing of city owned property around the water treatment plant. The council devoted some time to discussing the possibility of selling the old City Lake property. Officials noted that there had been some inquiries into the land but that no firm offers had been received thus far.

No action was taken concerning the leasing of property around the city lake

last Wednesday night to discuss what could be done now, and what could be postponed; but no decision has been reached as yet.

The school has some funds left after finishing the high school, since the bonds were left in savings so much longer than expected, due to delays in completion of the high school.

The next board meeting will be April 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the Administration Building.

for oil exploration. The council noted that was a lot to be considered before anything of this nature could be done around the lake.

As a routine item the council approved a quitclaim deed on an alley behind the KRUN office in Winters. The action was taken after being requested by Dean Smith, owner of the radio station, to clear a deed on the property.

The first stars to be elected to baseball's Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, NY, were Ty Cobb, Babe Ruth, Honus Wagner, Christy Mathewson and Walter Johnson.

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