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WISD Board approves calendar, resignations

In a called meeting Tuesday evening, the Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District gave approval to a modification of the school calendar for the school year 1984-85.

That change involves the spring break for students. The break, originally scheduled for March 11-15, was re-scheduled

for February 25- March 1. The spring break will coincide with the date for the stock show and will allow students time to participate in the stock show and not exceed the number of absences allowed by the state.

The calendar, otherwise, will remain unchanged. The school year will start August 27 and will end with graduation on May 23.

Holidays include: Labor Day, Sept. 3; Thanksgiving, Nov. 22-23; Christmas, Dec. 20-Jan. 1; Spring break, Feb. 25- March 1 (stock show dates); and April 5.

Also on the agenda for the special meeting of the school board was an "audience with individuals or committees (a) Re-

quest by Tom Roach." An eighth grade coach, P.E. instructor, and junior high science teacher for the past five years, Roach had requested to speak to the board before submitting his letter of resignation.

Citing section DGBA of the WISD Policy Manual, the board elected to not suspend the policy and allow Roach to speak to the board. That section of the policy concerns the handling of grievances from WISD employees. Roach then requested that his resignation be accepted and that he then be allowed to address the board as a citizen, which was denied. The second denial was made under the provisions of the school policy.

Board president Randall Conner closed the meeting to the public for the discussion of personnel. Following the brief executive session, the board accepted Roach's resignation without comment.

Roach had requested, in his letter requesting a place on the agenda, that his resignation be discussed in open session, under the provisions of the school's policy manual and of section 2(g) of the Texas Open Meetings Law, art. 6252-17. Both provisions allow for an employee to request that his hearing be public, in open session. The board then elected to discuss Roach's request in closed session.

Two other resignations were also accepted, with regret, by the board. Linda Priddy, secretary to elementary principal L.C. Hounsel, submitted her resignation along with Gary Ledford, high school math teacher, who has accepted the position of assistant principal in the San Angelo Independent School District.

School administrators told the board that there were no recommendations for filling these vacancies.

Before beginning a budget workshop session the board approved an amendment to the 1983-84 budget for the school lunchroom fund. That amendment was to allow for expenditures over the budgeted funds for that fund. The lunchroom budget called for expenditures of \$138,736 and the total spent was \$153,746. Business Manager Johnny Bob Smith said that budget over-run was due to more meals being served. He said that at the next meeting

another budget amendment would be presented to allow for

more money being taken in by the lunchroom than was

budgeted, also due to more meals being served.



Saturday crash

Failure to stop at a stop sign and rain slick streets contributed to this accident Saturday afternoon when a car driven by an Odessa man crashed into a pick up pulling a trailer loaded with wood at the intersection of U.S. 83 and F.M. 53.

There were no injuries in the smash-up which tied traffic up for about 30 minutes and caused considerable damage to all vehicles involved.

The accident occurred during an isolated rain shower which moved through the Winters area.

Wait a minute...

By Kerry Craig

Television-watching was really an eye-opener during the political confab. One never really knows how much he can enjoy not having the boob-tube on until a perfect opportunity comes along to pull the plug.

What with Fritz, Gerry, Jesse, and Gary along with the factions, the promises, and all a person could begin to look for distractions.

There are any number of entertaining things a body can do—mowing the lawn, pulling weeds, watching the traffic light change or even reading the telephone directory.

Those big-league news guys didn't help matters either. Before some important somebody made a speech, the news guy would tell us what was going to be said. We then would hear the real thing and before one could rush to the 'fridge for a snack or to the outhouse for —, the same news guy was telling us what the important somebody had just said.

Those network news professionals, as they call themselves, must really think the rest of us are a bunch of dummies.

Since I'm not much of a sports fan (except for the Blizzards) this week is another opportunity for something. Maybe to watch water boil.

In the time between the summer games and the other side of the political coin, I don't know what to do for recreation.

As far as national politics go, I still like my movie hero.

Taxes are going up, thanks to Mark's campaign promise being called due, and only a scant amount of rain has come down combine to make things even worse.

One good thing from the special session. It will be safer for the little ones to ride in cars with the law that makes it mandatory that approved seats be used for children under a certain age.

A sudden stop has bounced many kids off the dash. How many of us have had perfect imprints of a car radio or heater control on our face?

I don't like the idea of the government telling us we have to do something like this, but it is a good idea.

Now all they have left to do is to get the idea across to the kids that will have to sit in these safety contraptions—much less get in and out of them without serious bodily injury.

You may notice that the paper this week has a different look. We have had to follow suit in adopting a standard size for column widths and page sizes to suit some advertising executive that has, thus far, been denied the opportunity to try to figure all this stuff out.

Well, we are doing it and I hope he is happy about it.

Although the initial change became effective with this week's edition, we will be trying to smooth the rough edges over the next several weeks.

This nonsense has even given our new computer spasms which border on a nervous breakdown-break down-break down.



Services held for John W. Norman

John W. Norman, 85, of Winters died at 9:34 p.m., 1932 in the North Runnels Hospital in Winters after a brief illness.

He was born January 12, 1899 in Killeen, Texas. He attended schools in Killeen, the Mary Hardin Baylor University and the University of Texas. He taught school in Killeen.

He moved to Winters in 1924 to enter the dry goods business with his brother.

He married Mattie Mae Stevens on January 17, 1932 in Winters. She preceded him in death on September 30, 1942.

He was an active business man working in civic affairs of this community. He was a former employee and director of the Winters State Bank. He owned an insurance agency here for over 50 years.

He was admitted to the State Bar in 1941, was president of the Winters School Board for 16 years, president of the North Runnels Hospital Board for six years, a life member of Lion's Club International, and a deacon of the First Baptist Church. He was a horse breeder and showman for many years, having owned and shown National Grand Champion horses. He was a charter member of the West Texas Shetland Pony Breeders Association, member of the American Miniature Horse Association, and a member of the Runnels County Bar Association.

He is survived by one son, Steve Norman of Abilene; one daughter, Nancy Jones of Dallas; two brothers, Roy Norman of Belton and Harold Norman of Killeen; one sister, Jessie Norman of Killeen; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Abilene.

Services were held in the Winters Memorial Chapel at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, July 26, 1984, with Reverend Glenn Shoemaker, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Winters, and Reverend Charles Myers, pastor of Wingate Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Harry Herman, Audra Mitchell, C.J. Cornett, John McGregor, Dolf Richards, and Vern Brewer.

Robbery attempt injures one man

Runnels County Sheriff's officers say that one Mexican national was treated and released from Ballinger Memorial Hospital over the week end following an attempted robbery about seven miles north-west of Ballinger on F.M. 2111.

Deputy J.D. West identified the injured man as 21-year-old Juan Perez Orvito. His companion was 22-year-old Miguel Paloma, also a Mexican national.

The two men told officers that they were fishing on Elm Creek when they were surprised by three men who demanded money.

A fight ensued and the three would-be robbers fled after the intended victims began hurling rocks at them.

West said the would-be robbers were also thought to be citizens of Mexico. He said that no arrests have been made in connection with the incident.

Commodities will be distributed

Butter and cheese commodities will be distributed at the Multi-Purpose Center August 8 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Come to 142 West Dale Street or telephone 754-4443 to see if you qualify.

Missing women have been found—at home

Runnels County Sheriff Bill Baird and deputy J.D. West said this week that two women, who had been missing for two weeks, had been located.

Baird said that the women, 18-year-old Lisa Faye Singleton

and her 24-year-old sister Mary Kay Sanders, had contacted their parents several days ago to say that they were back home in Odessa.

A search for the women was begun by Runnels County officers after the women's disabled vehicle was found abandoned along U.S. 67, east of Ballinger. Deputy West said the women had last been seen in the company of three men at a night club west of Ballinger about 10 days ago.

Sheriff Baird said that it had been rumored the women had been in Acapulco but that his department could not verify the information.

At the time the women disappeared, they were enroute to Stephenville from Odessa. Although the women have returned home, officers said that they had not talked with the women and that there were no charges pending against the women.

Family Planning Clinic slated

A Family Planning Clinic will be held August 7, 1984 at 142 Dale Street at Multi-Purpose Center.

Applications, Lab Work and Counselling will be held from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Patients will return to the Center at 6:30 p.m. for Physical Exams and Medical Services.

Those attending must bring income and current Medicare verification. This program provides free exams for Medicare patients and charges a small copay fee to those who are income eligible. Private patients are welcome to participate.

A new look begins with this issue of *The Enterprise*

You may have already noticed that there is something different about the appearance of *The Winters Enterprise* this week. We have begun the transition from the page format that we have used for many years to a new format to conform with a new industry standard that is referred to as "SAU".

The front page, along with the classified page will show the least amount of change while the major changes will be obvious on the remainder of the pages.

The page widths will be slightly narrower. This will result in six columns on all pages but the classified page. In newspaper terminology, the front page columns will be reduced from 13 1/2 picas to 12 picas in width. On the inside pages, the column widths will in-

crease from 10 picas to 12 picas. The classified pages will have the columns reduced from 10 picas to 9 picas.

The type sizes, as well as the space between the lines will remain the same.

The reason for the change is to accommodate a new system of sizes for advertising. The "SAU" format was adopted by most newspapers on the first of July. Our change, a month later, is due to changes at the press where *The Enterprise* is printed.

The new format will also result in a new schedule of advertising rates for our advertisers. Each of our advertisers will be contacted by a sales representative in the very near future to answer any questions about our new look.

Coleman couple elected

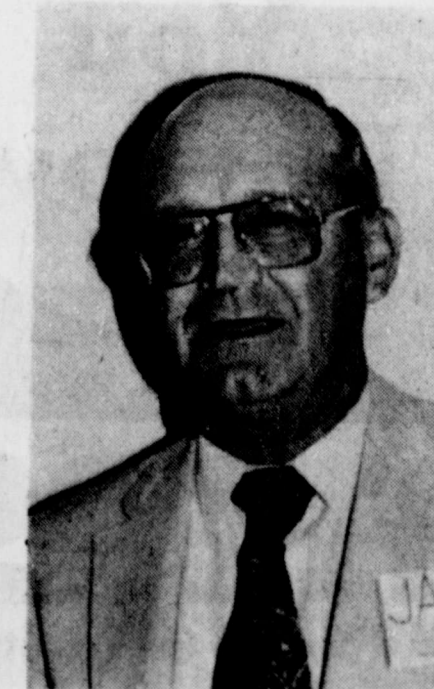
James and Jody Barr of Coleman have been elected to leadership positions in statewide rural electric organizations. Mr. Barr is a new member of the board of directors of the Association of Texas Electric Cooperatives. Mrs. Barr is now a member of the board of the Texas Rural Electric Women's Association and secretary of the organization. The elections came during sessions of the respective groups last week (July 24-27) in San Antonio.

Mr. Barr is general manager of Coleman County Electric Cooperative, which currently serves some 7,500 rural homes and enterprises in Coleman, Runnels, and Concho Counties. He has been with the Cooperative since 1960 when he began in the line department.

He held a variety of positions before becoming general manager in 1981. He's also been involved in the Coleman Rodeo Association and 4-H Club activities through the years and he's a member of the Chamber of Commerce and Masonic Lodge.

Mrs. Barr has also been active in 4-H and the Rodeo Association. She is zone chairman and chaperon for the Miss Rodeo Texas Pageant and is serving her second year as chairman of the Miss Fiesta event. She is also a director of the American Heart Association.

The Barrs are parents of a son, Jody Barr, a student at Tarleton State University, and a daughter, Leslie Barr Janca of Austin.



James Barr



Jody Barr

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Poe's corner
 by Charlsie Poe

From Captain To Clerk

While researching local history in preparation for writing my Runnels County book the name of Captain William L. Towner appeared again and again in county history. He was county and district clerk for 24 years and at the time of his death in 1911 was serving as Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, having been elected in 1910.

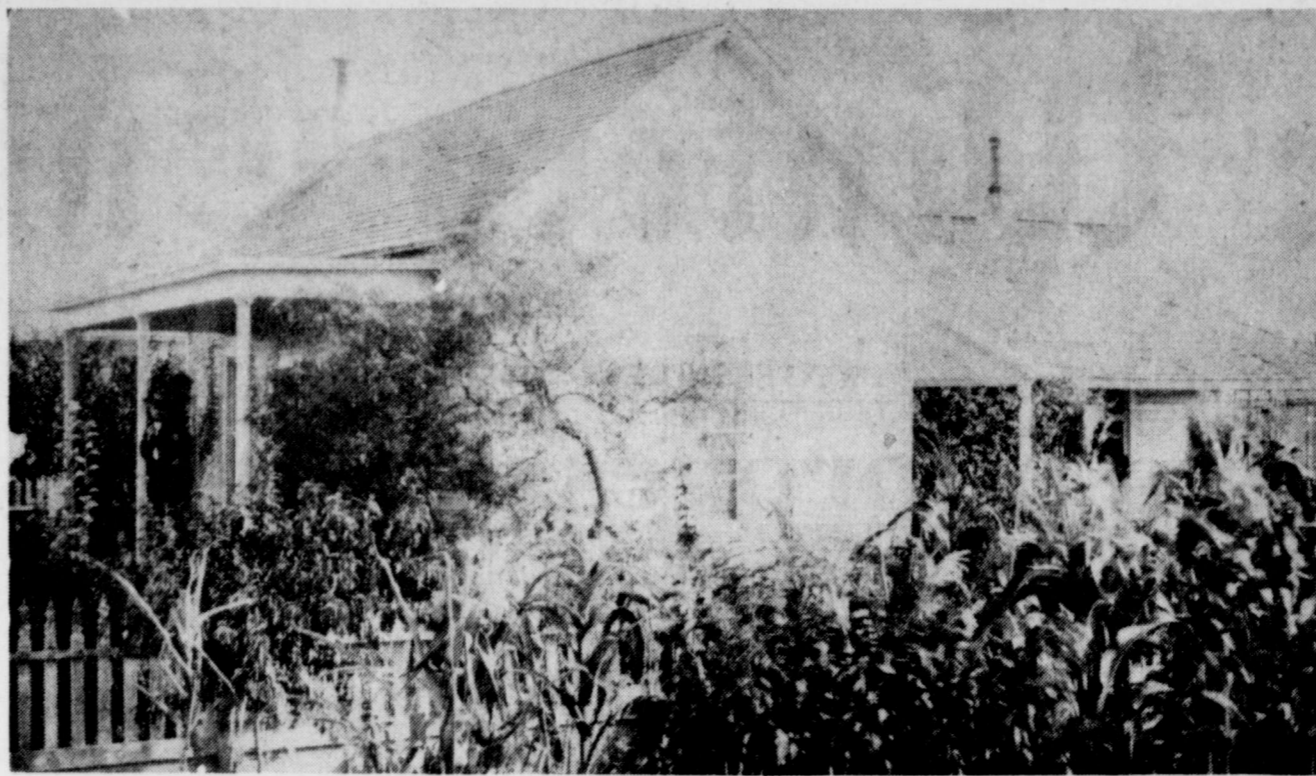
He was a confederate veteran and the grandfather of Towner Key, named for him, and the great-grandfather of John Glenn Key who has come up with some pictures and information concerning him when he moved

a box of family pictures while in the present process of renovating his home.

The record of Captain Towner's service was also found in a statement that he gave H.D. Pearce, postmaster at Runnels City, who was collecting biographical sketches of confederate veterans that he published in 1910. Mr. Pearce, himself a confederate veteran, collected the material between 1885 and 1896.

Captain Towner's statement was given, June 24, 1887. He was born November 1, 1841 in Clark County, Mississippi, and enlisted in the Confederate service from Scott County, P.O. Luke, in Captain Croper's company of infantry.

He was sent to Corinth where he was elected captain of Com-



Captain W.M. Towner on the front porch of his home in Ballinger.

pany E. 6th Mississippi Infantry and was at the re-organization of the regiment. Re-elected captain of Company E. and after seven months resigned on account of camp diarrhea and enlisted in the Texas Scouts under Captain Joseph Cobb of Waco, Texas. He was elected 1st Lieutenant of a company of cavalry commanded by Captain A.W. Towner and attached to Colonel Frank Powers'

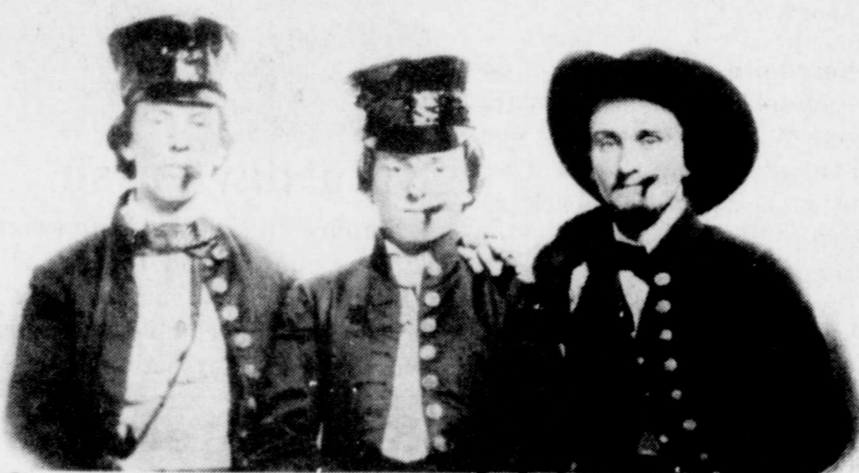
a lawyer by profession and was elected county and district clerk in November 1882, and has held the office continuously ever since. His wife died in 1899 and there were no children.

Surely the "no children" was a mistake but Johnny said that the Towners had one adopted daughter, and no children of their own. It seems that a Mr. La Foon had a large family and

member of the Presbyterian Church and his services were conducted by the pastor, Reverend J.D. Leslie. Burial was in the Old Runnels Cemetery by the side of his wife. "The high esteem and respect in which he was held was attested by the large concourse of citizens, who attended his remains to the grove. In his honor all the business houses of the city closed from 3:30 to 5:30 this afternoon."

J.G. Key owned and operated a meat market in Ballinger, but moved his family to Winters soon after Mr. Towners death. In 1919 he entered the oil business with his son, John Glenn, Jr.. In addition to Towner, the oldest, there are two sons, George of Tyler and John Glenn, Jr., deceased; two daughters, Sue, Mrs. Milton Case, who lived in Sweetwater for many years and later moved to Lamesa after her husbands death and Irby who married Howard Chapman and lives in Kingsland.

Captain W.M. Towner's accomplishments live on in Runnels County.



Captain Towner and friends

Capt. W.M. Towner, center, is shown with friends in 1860, when he was 19 years old. It seemed to be popular at that time to pose with a cigar in the mouth. The young men are in service uniform.

regiment. It was then sent by Captain Cobb to that command, in which command he was paroled at Meridean, Mississippi in Dick Taylor's department. He participated in several battles, including Shiloh.

Towner came to Hill County, Texas in 1865, and to Runnels County August of 1880. He was

when his wife died he allowed the Towners to adopt the baby girl named Irby.

This is confirmed by an account of Josie Towners death in the *Runnels County Ledger* dated June 2, 1899. The survivors are listed as Captain W.L. Towner and Miss Irby, the adopted daughter.

Mrs. Towner had been sick for several months with La grippe and later the measles. She died on May 29th and was buried beside her mother in the Runnels Cemetery after the funeral services were conducted at the residence in Ballinger by Reverend M.S. Smith. (For many years funerals were held in the homes.)

A long obituary in *The Ballinger Daily Ledger* for September 21, 1911 attests to the many achievements of Captain W.L. Towner. He died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.G. Key on 11th Street in Ballinger. "The father of Mrs. Key by adoption." His sister, Mrs Vivian of Waco was with the family.

In addition to his many political and civic activities, Captain Towner was a faithful

Museum seminar set

The Petroleum Museum will play host to a museum seminar on Friday, August 3. In an event co-sponsored by the Texas Historical Commission and the Permian Basin Museum Institute, museum consultant David Estabrook will speak on "How to Read and Research Artifacts for Interpretive Exhibits."

Estabrook, who formerly was with the Smithsonian Institution, will make a presentation demonstrating how primary materials—such as letters, diaries, photographs, and clothing—can enrich the understanding of a period and its people. Other topics to be covered include interpretation of three-dimensional artifacts, relationships between art and history in interpreting culture, and the inquiry method of teaching in a museum.

Registration and coffee will begin at 9 a.m. There is a \$5 fee payable to the Texas Historical Commission. The presentation gets underway at 9:30 a.m. and will last until approximately 3 p.m. Lunch is the responsibility of the individual. The seminar is open to the public and all interested persons are invited to attend.

Ballinger Manor

We would like to welcome our new residents Lena Stock and Bob Stead. Some of the residents have been to family reunions.

Edna Burkes and Hattie Gray, sisters, attended their reunion last weekend at the Nelson Ranch at Junction, Texas. It was the Hensley reunion. Hattie Gray has nine children and they were all present. The ladies said they had a great time. There was 112 relatives.

Fannie Tippett has been to her family reunion at the Comanche Lake. Six of her seven children were present. 200 attended her reunion. Fannie said, "I sure had a good time, I rode in the boat all one day."

Joe Taylor of Little Rock Arkansas visited his mother, Kate Taylor, and his uncle, P.W. Williams.

Florence Kittrell had visitors from Winters, Mrs. Laura Pace and Mrs. Lucy Kittrell.

Virgie Byrds sisters, Marie Franks and Dorothy Carptern, of Wingate visited her this week.

Willie Magee and Gertrude Ash are the 42 winners. Fannie Tippett and Annie Halfmann are Bingo winners.

The staff and residents wish to express our deepest sympathy to the families of Leo Multer, Anna Lowry and Etta Mae Davis. These friends will be missed very much.

The Ninth Street Church of Christ Group was out for their monthly visit. The singing was excellent as always.

The Covenant of Love Group was out last Friday night for their monthly visit. The residents are looking forward to their next visit.

The monthly birthday party was Thursday. Those celebrating birthdays this month are Edna Burkes, Maud Duff, Hilda Gottschalk, Flora Poe, and Frank Matthews.

Friends from Paint Rock provided the cakes. Thank you ladies for the delicious cakes. Charlie Kvapil provided the entertainment playing the accordion.

Monday was a day out for lunch for several residents. Edna Burkes, Willie Hale, Willie Magee, Virgie Byrd, Fannie Tippett, Thelma McCullough, and Maud Duff ate lunch at Senior Citizen Center. Christine Wade, volunteer, accompanied the ladies on the outing.

Our Country Kitchen dining room has received 13 more pictures of Old Ballinger scenes and one of Winters. These have added so much to the dining room.

We wish to thank the Seventh Street Baptist Church for the lovely flowers.

We wish to thank the pastors that have the Sunday afternoon church services. We do appreciate your kindness.

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Museum board sets meeting

The Z.I. Hale Museum board meeting to be held next Tuesday at 5 p.m. at the museum will include reports from members who will have attended the museum seminar at Midland on Friday.

The educational seminar will be held at the Permian Basin Petroleum Museum in Midland. It will include demonstrations of how primary materials such as—letters, diaries, photographs, and clothing—can enrich the understanding of a period and its people. Other topics will be relationships between art and history and the inquiry method of teaching in a museum.

Members and all those interested in our heritage are invited to attend.

SIMON'S SEAFOOD
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SALE
 Thursday, August 2 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.
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FOX FINE #38 & SEA WIND #38	\$11.95 PER YD.
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Crews

By Hilda Kurtz

Next year I'm going to slow down, and I can hardly wait to get started.

A reminder to our good friends about the community supper and game night Saturday night August 4th at 8 p.m. The host and hostess will be Mr. and Mrs. Sam Faubion, and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Baker will furnish the watermelon. Those who come are to bring chips and sandwiches.

We were glad to hear Mrs. Amber Fuller returned from a checkup at Temple with a good report.

Mrs. Jerry Kraatz would like to thank everyone for their cards, visits, food, and prayers.

After prayer meeting at Hopewell Church Wednesday night all went out to the Rodney Faubions and had ice cream.

L.C. Fuller enjoyed her daughter and family, Vicki Walz and two children, Walker and Parker of San Angelo.

The Hopewell ladies had their Bible study Monday morning in the home of Bernie Faubion with eight ladies attending.

Bryan Faubion, son of Bernie and Rodney, was baptised and joined the church Sunday.

Ann, Chris and Steven Terhune of Arlington spent several days with her mother, Mrs. Lilly Presley.

Mr. Burley Campbell of Ballinger is at home and doing o.k. after a few days in the hospital.

Our sympathy goes to the families of Mr. Roy Fuller and Grafton Brookshier.

Linda, Arron, Jennifer, and Isaac Denson of San Angelo spent Saturday with the Wilbert Alcorns. Wilbert and his brother, Raymond Alcorn, returned from a week in New Mexico.

Those spending Saturday with Hazel Mae and Russel Bragg were Dr. and Mrs. Larry Bragg, Amy, Kelly and Ashley of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bragg, David and Shelly of Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bragg, Joy and Mike, Glen Cove.

Mrs. Alta Hale traveled along with other 43 Bank Club Group members to Fort Worth Satur-

day from Coleman. While there they saw Fiddler On The Roof. Shane, Sherri and Scotty Ford of Rising Star are spending several days with Georgia and Connie Gibbs.

I got word that Odie Matthew is home after surgery and recuperating a few days with a daughter in Abilene before coming home.

Harvey Mae, Noble, Bernie Rodney, Gene and Bryan Faubion ate at a fish dinner in Coleman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brantly of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hokitt of Sonora, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wood all spent four days camping on Lake Brownwood and Coleman Lake.

Leota and Bob Booth of Ballinger were supper guests with the Doug Bryans. Other visitors during the week were Therin Osborne, Dewitt, Brent and Dawn Bryan of Abilene.

Coming by for a visit with the Coleman Foremans were Nila Osborne, Bernie Faubion, and James Nowell of Abilene.

Louise and L.C. Fuller came by to see Mrs. Effie Dietz, Earlen and Boots Burnette of the state of Oregon and Mr. and Mrs. Daton Smith of Ballinger also were visitors.

Phyllis, Von, Jennifer and Jeff Byrd of Abilene spent Sunday and had lunch with Adeline and Kat Grissom; the John Sims family came later.

Mike Boatright of Anson came by for a visit with the Noble Faubions on Saturday.

The Marion Woods received 2/10 in rain Sunday afternoon.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who participated in our time of sorrow. To the nursing home; to Dr. Lee and the staff at North Rannels Hospital; to Dr. Granaghan and the nurses at San Angelo; Brother Fisher of Brownwood and David Hutton of Big Spring; to all who sent flowers, cards, food, phone calls, memorials, and for visits.

The Family of Mrs. B.H. Denson

Memo from Kay

Winters was well represented in three parades during July by our Sno-Queen, J'Lynn Russell. The very colorful float, on which she rode, was the result of work done by Chamber directors, Cindy Smith and Betty John Byrns, Chamber member Randall Conner, and volunteers Hortie Joyce, J'Lynns grandmother, Mrs. Martin Middlebrook, and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Johnny L. Russell, and myself. We want to thank all concerned for their time and efforts.

The float received second place in the commercial division at the Coleman Rodeo Parade July 11, and it was well received at the Coke County Rodeo Parade in Bronte July 21, and the Brown County Rodeo Parade in Brownwood July 26.

At the last meeting of the Board of Directors of the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce a committee was appointed to receive ideas concerning a special day for retail trade promotions in Winters. You will be hearing more about this in the next few weeks.

A list of the present directors, their offices and committees follows. If anyone has any problems they would like to discuss or if someone has thoughts concerning the economic development of the Winters Area please feel welcome to approach a director with those ideas or opinions.

Lanny Bahlamn, President; Arnold Thormeyer, 1st Vice President and Membership Committee Chair; Bob Prewitt, 2nd Vice President and Agriculture Committee Chair; Benny Polston, Treasurer and Budget Committee Chair; Gary Moore, Chairman of the Retail Trade and Industrial Committee; Cindy Smith and Bunny Sullivan, Co-Chairman of the Ladies Committee; Murray Edwards and Glenn Shoemaker, Co-Chairman of the Project Committee; Edna Ruth Self and Betty John Byrne, Co-Chairman of the November Arts and Crafts Show.

Volunteer firemen attend school

Johnny C. Merrill, Chief of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department of Winters, Texas, attended the 55th Annual Texas Firemen's Training School, July 22-27. The school, attended by nearly 2,000 students representing about 750 cities from more than 25 states, was held on the Texas A&M University campus last week.

Firemen chose their courses at the school from a list including Fire Fighting, Fire Prevention, Fire Department Officer Training, Fire Department Pump Maintenance, Specialized Fire Protection, and Disaster Rescue Training.

Fireman Merrill was sponsored by Rannels County Farm Bureau Insurance Companies by their contributing toward the cost of the school. Since volunteer firemen are interested in attending this school to help do a better job of fire fighting and fire prevention, 100 County Farm Bureaus and the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies in the statewide program have sponsored 100 firemen at the school.

"The Farm Bureau Insurance Companies believe volunteer fire departments have been very effective in reducing the amount of loss involved by fire in rural areas," said President S.M. True, Jr. of Plainview. "It is our hope in sponsoring this program that the fireman will help the Winters Volunteer Department to better serve the residents of Rannels County."

Merrill's steers place in show

John Merrill, member of the Winters FFA and the Texas Club Claf Association, exhibited his steers in the Hill Country Extravaganza in Kerville, July 28th.

John placed 3rd with a Maine Anjou steer and 2nd with a Chianina steer.

Approximately 380 steers were exhibited at this prospect show.

"Money makes a man laugh." John Selden

Talpa

By Maggie Ruth Stokes

We were happy to have some rain this week. In two days time we had one inch and three tenths. I think some spots had more, but there wasn't enough to put out tank water at Talpa. Some of the water wells around here are going dry; that's what's scary.

A family reunion of Mrs. Alma Norris and Haydelene Gary of Valera was held recently at the Salado Pace Park near Belton. There were seven daughters of the family there but the only son was unable to attend. The family members stayed in the Stage Coach Inn. There were fifty members of the family there. Ray and Alma Norris who attended were from here.

Bill and Louise Brandon of Sun Lakes, Arizona spent a few days with her sister and family, Ray and Alma Norris, following the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Mecham and children and Marion Howerton and children of Higley, Arizona visited their mother, Ray and Alma Norris, a few days last week.

Pat Cassidy and I went with the Coleman Bank Club to Fort Worth on Saturday to see the "Fiddler on the Roof" stage show at the Casa Manana. The starring actors were Alfred Dennis as Tevye and Katy Bacus as Golde. Around 40 people went on the bus trip. Everyone reported a good time.

Gordon Brookshier had surgery in the St. John's Hospital on Friday. He is doing as well as could be expected.

A large group from the Immanuel Baptist attended the fifth Sunday night singing at Glen Cove.

Ronnie and Mary Jan Sikes and children of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Orby Sikes this weekend.

Several people from here attended the funeral of Grafton Brookshier of Ballinger Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist Church. He was survived by his wife, Inez; two sisters, Louise Williams of Odessa and Margaret Bragg of Pecos.

Kay Evans and Lindsay spent the weekend in Ozona with her grandmother, Ola Mills, and her sister, Jodie Sessom.



NEWCOMERS

Ricky and Kelli Davis are proud to announce the birth of their son, Joseph Tyler.

Joseph was born at 10:17 a.m. on July 25, 1984, in North Rannels Hospital weighing six pounds and 14 1/2 ounces and is 18 3/4 inches long.

He is welcomed home by one brother, Justin, who is two years and nine months old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.F. (Bud) Busher, Jr. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.L. (Bede) England and Mrs. Cullen Busher and the late Cullen Busher.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Sr. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Homer Davis of Athens and the late Homer Davis and the late Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Williams.

Bingo set for Friday

Bingo will be played at the VFW Post 9193 Friday, August 3rd at 8:30 p.m. Everybody is welcomed.

Card of Thanks

We appreciate the expressions of sympathy at the homegoing of our father. The Family of John W. Norman

Dulcie Decker.

Last Wednesday afternoon Loy Whitley, Lemma Fuller and I visited and played spades in the Leoma Poe and Edith Toombs home in Coleman.

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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the
Winters Southside Baptist Church
of Winters, Texas

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Statement of Resources and Liabilities		Thousands of dollars
ASSETS		
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Loans and lease financing receivables		
Loans and leases, net of unearned income		
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses		
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve		
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve		
Assets held in trading accounts		
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)		
Other real estate owned		
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		
Intangible assets		
Other assets		
Total assets		
LIABILITIES		
Deposits		
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Noninterest-bearing		
Interest-bearing		
In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IFB's		
Noninterest-bearing		
Interest-bearing		
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IFB's		
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Other borrowed money		
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases		
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding		
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits		
Other liabilities		
Total liabilities		
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Surplus		
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Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments		
Total equity capital		
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital		

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in accordance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Estrella Brodomeyer
Vice President & Cashier

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of the above named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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July 2, 1984

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GARAGE SALE: 610 Floyd Saturday only from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, August 4, 8 a.m. till 7:00 Belair. Exercise bike, lamps, Kid pool table, children's clothes, women's clothes, and lots of misc.

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Eden hosts sheep dog trials

Concho County is an appropriate place to have sheep dog trials. The county has the largest concentration of sheep in all of Texas. Eden, the county's largest town (population 1,300) is strutting its stuff at festival time this August 18th by hosting the second trial in the Triple Crown of Southwest Sheep Dog Finals.

There will be 25-30 dogs coming from all over Texas as well as Arizona, Illinois, and Canada. "Maid," the most famous Canadian dog, was born in Ireland. When only a year and a half old, she won her nursery class by working her sheep right through an I.R.A. shootout where several people were wounded and everyone took to the ground.

Gel, a seven year old, was imported from Wales and won the Bluegrass National Championship at Lexington, Ky. Judy was

imported from Scotland. Sue Ellen is the daughter of an imported dog named "Texas Dog Of The Year." These dogs have competed before in Eden and their same quality is expected again this year.

Sheep dogs work in obedience to whistles or spoken commands from their handler—and a lot of natural instinct. In the trials they are graded on how straight they direct a group of sheep from objective to objective set up on a large field, how tightly they can turn the sheep around objectives and how well they meet the time restrictions in performing the routines. One of the more critical parts of the trials is how well the dog can separate two sheep from a flock of five.

Bob Childress of Ozona will be competing with several of his internationally known dogs. Childress and his dogs have won second and third places in the British Isles where there are 20,000 sheep dog handlers, fifteen competitions, and from 150

to 250 dogs in each meet.

Sheep for the trials will be provided by Billy Dan Sorrell, registered Columbia sheep breeder and Concho County ranchman. Judges will be named on show day by the Texas Sheep Dog Association.

There will be trophy plaques and money for first place dogs in each of four classes: ranch class, open ranch class, open class, and pro-am. There will be \$750 in added prize money.

The sheep dog trials will be held at the Eden Consolidated Independent School District ball field at 1 p.m., August 18. Admission for the event is \$1 adult, 50 cents student.

Sheep hearing Competitions will be held that morning at the ball field beginning at 8:30 a.m. Also during the day will be Regional Washer Pitch Competition with 64 entrants, Horseshoe Pitch, Auction of Bargains, Country Fair, Bean Cookoff, and an array of food, game and craft booths. The day actually starts at 7 a.m. with a free pancake breakfast, progresses through the day with free live entertainment to a barbecue supper and street dance that night. New this year to the Eden festival will be a children's fun club with supervised activities for children. Charges for this service will be nominal.

"...Conservation must exist in the mind before it exists on the land. The number one problem in the establishment of conservation lies before the educators of the nation. Every teacher, in every grade, in every subject, must share this responsibility of teaching conservation, the primary duty of our schools."
Ollie E. Fink

John Deere develops new safety feature

Deere & Company today announced that in the interest of farm safety it will make available at no cost to the farm equipment industry its patents for a transmission device that reduces the risks of tractor accidents.

The special transmission valve, which was developed at the John Deere Product Engineering Center in Waterloo, Iowa, prevents hydraulically activated transmission clutches from engaging unless the clutch pedal has been depressed and released by the operator following each start.

Operators have been injured when they improperly started their tractors by bypassing normal circuitry while standing on the ground. It is a practice that manufacturers have urged farmers not to use and have tried to discourage through other design changes.

Control white grubs in lawns

White grub control in lawns is important during the summer season.

May or June beetles are emerging from the soil and starting to swarm in late evenings. Females are laying eggs and white grub worms that hatch will soon be feeding on roots of bermuda grass and St. Augustine grass in home lawns. Once grubs begin feeding, control measures should be taken, says Allen Turner, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Treatment time varies with the particular area of the state and ranges from early July in South Texas to mid-August in the Panhandle. Homeowners in Rannels County will need to treat between July 20 and August 15. Timing of application is critical for adequate control.

White grubs in excessive numbers can heavily damage lawns, notes the agent. Check for white grubs by cutting a square foot section of sod with a shovel and examining the roots and soil to a depth of four inches. Examine at least one square foot of sod for 1,000 square feet of lawn area. Chemical treatment is needed if there are more than four grubs per square foot of sod.

Diazinon, Dursban or Dylox provide adequate control and should be used at recommended rates given on the chemical container label. The granular form is easier to apply and to wash into soil than liquid or spray formulations. After using granules, drag the grass with a tow sack or water hose to knock them down to the soil. Then apply enough water to soak the granules into the soil.

Apply diazinon sprays at the rate of 25 gallons of water, including the insecticide, per 1,000 square feet to wash the insecticide into the soil. Wetting the lawn before spraying also helps. Always keep children and pets off the treated lawn until the grass is dry.

The key to white grub control in home lawns is proper timing of chemical applications and getting the insecticide through the grass to the root zone where grubs are feeding, emphasizes Mr. Turner.

Further information is provided in the publication, "White Grubs in Texas Turfgrass," available at the County Extension office.

Public Notice

The Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District will meet Tuesday, August 14, 1984, at 7:30 p.m. in the School Administration Office, to consider a proposed budget for the school year of 1984-85. Public notice is hereby given as required by law, and any person desiring to discuss the proposed budget is invited to attend.
July 26, August 2

Western Cotton Conference slated

The 1984 Western Cotton Production Conference in Oklahoma City, August 13-14, will focus on markets, crop management, ginning and water use, says a cotton specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Discussions will key on cotton markets, the world outlook, marketing alternatives, the 1985 farm bill, pest control, varieties, use of heat units and yield enhancers, weathering losses, crop preparation for harvest, barked cotton, module management, ginning costs, surge flow irrigation and growing cotton under limited irrigation.

Ag chemical situation

Farmers should have a good arsenal of agricultural chemicals available for their 1984 crop season, notes an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Supplies of pesticides, fertilizers and fuels are holding steady for the current crop season although pesticide usage is increasing as field crops is expected to climb 17 percent this year despite an overall rise in fertilizer prices. Farm energy usage is expected to be up 10 percent this year due to increased crop acreage.

Free tax material available from IRS

Small business owners are being reminded by the Internal Revenue Service of two free publications that explain federal tax requirements and procedures.

Publication 334, "Tax Guide for Small Business," goes into detail on such subjects as setting up a tax records system, determining net income, and tax credits and business assets. Publication 583, "Information for Business Taxpayers," explains what a small business person needs to know to meet tax obligations, such as how to file forms and to compute the tax.

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Obituaries

Mrs. B.H. Denson

Mrs. B.H. Denson, 90, of Wingate died at 11:15 a.m. Friday at Angelo Community Hospital after a brief illness. She was born Beatrice Allman, July 7, 1894 in Youngport, Texas. She moved to Wingate in 1906. She married B.H. Denson February 12, 1913, in Wingate. She was a member of the Wingate Church of Christ. Her husband died on May 9, 1972 and Maxine, her daughter, died in 1920. Survivors include four sons, J.B. of Winters, P.H. of Colorado City, Ray of Brownwood, and B.H. Jr. of Big Spring; one brother, Bennie Allman of Bakersfield, California; 11 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, July 29, in the Winters Memorial Chapel with David Hutton, of Cedar Rich Church of Christ in Big Spring, and Alvis Fisher, of Brady Avenue Church of Christ in Brownwood, officiating. Burial was in Wingate Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home. Pallbearers were grandsons, Johnny Denson of San Angelo, Don and Bill Denson of Colorado City, Russell Denson of Brownwood, and Ricky and Kerry of Big Spring.

Claud Brookshier

Claud Grafton Brookshier, 68, died at 6 a.m. Friday, July 27 at the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. He was born on June 24, 1916 in Runnels County, Texas. He was the son of Claud Brookshier and the former Maggie Foust. He married Inez Clack on June 10, 1939 in Talpa, Texas. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church. Survivors include his wife, Inez; and two sisters, Louise

Williams of Odessa and Margaret Bragg of Pecos. Services were held at 4 p.m. Sunday, July 29, at the First United Methodist Church with Dr. Noble Atkins officiating. Burial was in the Garden of Memories under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Steve Brunson, Bill Witt, Coleman Harwell, Lewis James, David Moore, David Cauchon, F.E. Clayton, and Wilson Andrews.

Etta Mae Davis

Etta Mae Davis, 97, of Ballinger died at 8:30 a.m. in the Ballinger Manor. She was born on October 12, 1886 in Paris, Texas. She was the daughter of T.B. Wade and the former Catherine Elizabeth Carter. She married James Maurice Davis on January 13, 1908 in Hatchel. She was a member of the Norton United Methodist Church. Her husband died on April 26, 1972. A son, Maurice Jr., also preceded her in death on November 21, 1980. Survivors include: two daughters, Mrs. Irene Wigley of Pauls Valley and Mrs. Isabell Fowler of Ballinger; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Davis of Glendora, California; one sister, Mrs. Carl King of Ballinger; one brother, Floyd Wade of Mineral Wells; ten grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Thursday, July 26, in the Rains-Seale Chapel with Dr. Noble Atkins officiating. Burial was in Old Runnels Cemetery under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home. Pallbearers were her nephews, Herman Lange, William Wade, JoLee Cooper, Lloyd King, Jack King, and Raymond Wade.

Child safety seats required in Texas

A law just passed by the Texas Legislature and signed by Governor Mark White will go a long way toward protecting the health and safety of Texas children. The new law requires the use of automobile safety seats or seat belts for children under age four. Its aim is to reduce the grim statistics which have Texas leading the nation in deaths and injuries for this age group. Last year in Texas, 78 children under the age of four died as innocent passengers in automobiles, and another 6,603 were injured—many seriously. National studies indicate that up to 80 per cent of the deaths and injuries could have been avoided through the proper use of child passenger safety restraints. Texas lawmakers passed the bill mandating the use of child passenger safety seat systems on June 30, 1984. Specifically, the legislation requires children under two years old to be secured in child passenger safety seats, and children between the ages of two and four years to be secured by either safety seats or safety belts. The law goes into effect October 31, 1984.

The new legislation also provides for a \$25-50 fine for non-compliance, but the penalty can be dismissed if a person acquires a safety seat system within ten days of the offense. No fines will be charged until January 1, 1985. In reaction to the new law, Dr. Robert Bernstein, Commissioner of Health, said, "It gives me great pleasure and relief to learn that the legislature has acted on this problem. The new law, combined with public education and awareness campaigns, will save the lives and protect the safety of thousands of infants and young children in Texas."

In an effort to increase parents' voluntary use of safety seats and to reduce the number of young children killed or injured in motor vehicle accidents, the Texas Department of Health has initiated the Safe Riders program. This program, conducted in cooperation with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, began in April. John Snider, child passenger safety coordinator at TDH, said the program consists of the statewide awareness effort and a special demonstration project in the Dallas/Fort Worth area (Public Health Region 5).

The statewide effort includes: 1) A public awareness campaign to encourage parents to use child safety seats in their cars; 2) A toll-free information line (1-800-252-8255) manned by bilingual (English/Spanish) operators from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday; 3) Promotional and educational materials for consumers and health care providers concerning the use and availability of car safety seats; and 4) Educational resource materials for community leaders who want to establish loaner and reduced-cost sales programs. "Because children cannot decide for themselves whether or not to use a safety seat, the statewide Safe Riders public awareness campaign will inform the public about the benefits of using car safety seats properly and consistently," Snider said.

"Information in English and Spanish about localized child passenger safety programs which loan or sell seats at reduced prices is available through the hotline. In addition, callers may order bilingual educational materials, as well as receive consumer information about safety seats," he said. The demonstration project in the Dallas/Fort Worth area includes: 1) A localized public awareness campaign; 2) Face-to-face educational programs and technical assistance for health care providers and community leaders to establish loaner and discount sales programs and to encourage local parents to use safety seats; and 3) Provision of about 1,900 safety seats to supplement existing loaner programs and stimulate the creation of new ones. This demonstration project is expected to show that the deaths and injuries of children in motor vehicle accidents will decrease with better availability and wider use of child safety seats. The Dallas/Fort Worth area was targeted because it has a high number of children who are under age four and parents who do not use safety seats and because it has a high percentage of deaths and injuries resulting from automobile accidents.

To further widen the scope of the child passenger safety program in Texas, TDH is sponsoring the first statewide Child Passenger Safety Education Conference. It will be held in Austin on September 13-14 at the Austin South Plaza Hotel. The conference is also sponsored by the Texas Public Health Association, Texas Pediatric Society, American Academy of Pediatrics-Texas Chapter, Texas Medical Association Auxiliary, Center for Health Promotion Research and Development, Texas Coalition for Child Passenger Safety, Texas Safety Association, and the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. Individuals or groups who wish to donate or contribute to the child passenger safety effort in Texas can call 1-800-252-8255 for more information.

Building a step family takes time. Rearing children is tough, but rearing someone else's children is even tougher. "Today a parent who divorces or becomes widowed is likely to remarry. And the new spouse may have children by a previous marriage too," says home economist Dr. Dolores Stegelin. Combining two families in a new marriage may be extra complicated because old and new relationships, attitudes and beliefs are involved, says Stegelin, a specialist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service. "Members have not shared past experiences and the new family may have to redefine rights and responsibilities to fit their individual and combined needs," she continues. Time and understanding are the key allies in making a successful transition to a new family, says the home economist. But if problems do occur, deal with them openly and seek professional counseling, step-family organizations or support groups, if necessary, she advises.

The monkey wrench is named after its inventor, a London blacksmith named Charles Moncke.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS

July 24
Lillie McKinney
Wanda Brown
Rae Dean Kennedy
Ivey Wood
Connie Cisneros

July 25
Cisneros' baby girl
Kelli Davis & baby boy
Roy Young

July 26
Dorothy Buickeroad

July 27
Fred Cummings

July 28
Florinda Cortez

July 29
Ruby Turk
Albert Plumley

July 30
Rita Rodriguez
Benito Castillo

DISMISSALS

July 24
Fred White
Henry Vogler
Gracie Arispe
Ruby Turk
Jim Lackey
John Norman, Exp.

July 25
none

July 26
Connie Cisneros & baby girl

Kelli Davis & baby boy
Lillie McKinney
Norma Hogan
Hazel Lancaster
Sylvia Romero

July 27
Mary Brooks
Wendell Reagan
Wanda Brown
Lois Wheeler

July 28
Ivey Wood

July 29
none

July 30
Roy Young
Rita Rodriguez

Self-employment taxes explained

Social Security taxes for self-employed people are paid with their Federal income tax. However, a self-employed person may owe Social Security taxes even though he or she does not owe income tax. Self-employment includes work in a trade, business, or profession, either as a sole owner or as a partner. Net earnings are figured by deducting allowable business expenses from the gross earnings of the trade or business. A person engaged in more than one business must combine the profit or loss from all of them when figuring net earnings and his or her tax. A husband and wife who operate a business as a partnership must report their respective shares of their business earnings on separate schedules, even though they file a joint income tax return. The amount reported by each depends on the partnership agreement.

Not all husbands and wives who take part in a business are actually partners. If they are not, the net earnings are credited to the one who manages and controls the business. Therefore, the net earnings should be reported for that person even if the couple files a joint income tax return. A parent and child may also be partners. In such cases, both are considered to be self-employed, and each is required to report his or her share of the business profits as net earnings. Additional information about Social Security coverage for self-employed people may be obtained from the San Angelo Social Security Office located at 2214 Sherwood Way. The telephone is 949-4608.

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Schedule RC—Balance Sheet

ASSETS

	Dollar Amounts in Thousands	Mill. Thou.
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions	1,000	1.0
2. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,500	1.5
3. Interest-bearing balances	750	.75
4. Securities (from Schedule RC-B)	750	.75
5. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,000	1.0
6. Loans and leases (net of unearned income) (from Schedule RC-C)	5,960	5.96
a. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	None	0
b. LESS: Allowance for unearned income	None	0
7. Other real estate owned	None	0
8. Accounts and notes receivable (net of allowances for doubtful accounts and reserve items 4 and 5) (from 4 and 5)	5,809	5.809
9. Assets held in trading accounts	None	0
10. Premises and fixed assets, including capitalized leases	229	.229
11. Other real estate owned	None	0
12. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	None	0
13. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None	0
14. Intangible assets	None	0
15. Other assets (from Schedule RC-F)	201	.201
16. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 15)	9,465	9.465

Includes cash items in process of collection and unposted debits

LIABILITIES

	Dollar Amounts in Thousands	Mill. Thou.
17. Deposits	13,100	13.1
a. In domestic offices (sum of totals of columns A and C from Schedule RC-B)	13,100	13.1
(1) Noninterest-bearing	1,500	1.5
(2) Interest-bearing	11,600	11.6
b. In foreign offices (edge and agreement subsidiaries and IFBs)	None	0
(1) Noninterest-bearing	None	0
(2) Interest-bearing	None	0
18. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	None	0
19. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	None	0
20. Mortgage indentures and obligations under capitalized leases	None	0
21. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	None	0
22. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	None	0
23. Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-B)	19	.019
24. Total liabilities (sum of items 17 through 23)	13,119	13.119
25. Limited-life preferred stock	None	0
EQUITY CAPITAL	6,346	6.346
26. Perpetual preferred stock	None	0
27. Common stock	200	.2
28. Surplus	6,146	6.146
29. Unearned profits and capital reserves	None	0
30. Cumulative foreign translation adjustments	None	0
31. Total equity capital (sum of items 25 through 30)	6,346	6.346
32. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 24, 25, and 31)	19,465	19.465

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The undersigned directors, attested to the correctness of this Report of Condition and Income, and the accompanying schedules and accounts that have been examined, and to the best of our knowledge and belief, the same are true and correct.

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Winters Scouts receive awards

The Winters Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts had an Awards Meeting last Tuesday night at the Scout Hut. Due to inclement weather, the ceremony was moved inside.

In a candlelight ceremony, the Webelos advanced to Boy Scouts. Crossing the bridge and receiving caps and scarfs were Brandon Boles, Jode Walker, Johnny Rodriguez, John Austin, Chris Briley, Billy Witte, Jr., and Jason Stewart.

All of the boys mentioned above received aquanaut and craftsman awards; and Brandon Boles, Jode Walker, and Chris Briley also received the Arrow of Light award. Billy Witte, Jr. received the scientist and forester awards.

Jim Calcote of Den III received two Silver Arrows.

In the Boy Scouts, first aid and swimming badges were presented to Raul Rodriguez, Billy Holland, Russell Stewart, and J'Dan Miller. Michael Alatorre received a first aid badge, and Billy Barnes was honored with swimming and environmental science badges.

Scott Shifflett received a badge for environmental science.

Russell Moore received merit badges for his work in music, first aid, and life saving, as well as a hiking skill award. He was recognized for obtaining his CPR certification at Camp Tonkawa. He was advanced to second class.

WHS twirlers take band camp honors

The Winters High School twirling team composed of J'Lynn Russell, Stacey Grissom, Jacque Connor, Jill Connor, and Josie Rodriguez was named the best twirling line at the San Angelo band camp held recently.

The Winters twirlers have won the award for three years in a row now.

Over 700 band members attended the camp.



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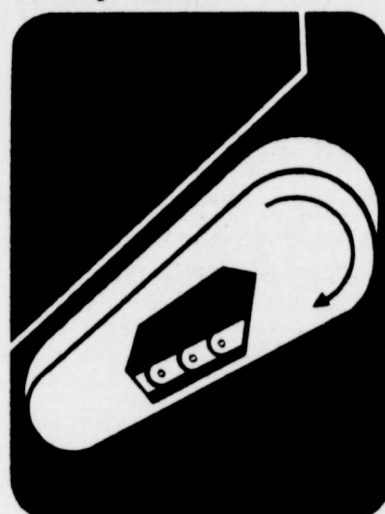
Ernest Swift, director, Wisconsin Conservation Department.



Bouncing high

Freddie Poe, five-year-old son of H.D. and Nelda Poe, executes fancy jumps and twists on his backyard trampoline during a long summer evening recently.

Safety Corner



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School expenses may be deductible

Educational expenses related to a person's present employment may not only increase future earnings, they may be deductible on the federal tax return, the Internal Revenue Service says.

To qualify, the expenses must meet one of two guidelines. Taking the course of study must be mandatory in order for the person to keep his present job—for example, a teacher required to take a course to retain a teaching position. If not, the course must be helpful in maintaining or improving skills which are required in your present employment—for instance, a television repairman taking a special course to keep up with the latest changes.

Educational expenses for tax purposes include amounts spent on tuition, books, supplies, laboratory fees, and similar items, and certain travel and transportation costs.

Except for reimbursed expenses included in income, travel, and transportation, educational expenses are an itemized deduction and should be listed on Schedule A (Form 1040) as a miscellaneous deduction. Travel, transportation, unreimbursed expenses, and all outside salesperson's educational expenses are deductible as adjustments to income using Form 2106.

Additional information on

Winters Band practices set

The following schedule for the Winters High School Band pre-school practice sessions are as follows.

Monday to Friday, August 13-17: Full Band, 7-9 p.m. No practice on Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday of that week. Football scrimmage in Winters on Thursday, August 23.

Monday, August 27 (first day of school): Band practice from 7 to 9 p.m.

Tuesday, August 28: Band practice from 7 to 9 p.m. Beginning on Tuesday September 4, the normal Tuesday night practice from 7 to 9 p.m. will resume throughout the football season. Other small group practice times will be discussed after the first general meeting on August 13. Student attendance at these

rehearsals is important and expected.

TSTI pre-entrance exam set August 4

The vocational nursing program at Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater has scheduled another pre-entrance exam Saturday, August 4, for persons wishing to enter the program this fall.

The exam begins at 9 a.m. in room 217 of the D.A. Pevehouse Technology Center. The cost is \$15, payable by check or money order.

According to LaVohn McGlothing, program chairman, the test measures general knowledge in language arts, math and science. The scores on the exam will be coupled with a personal interview to determine acceptance into the program, she said.

The TSTI program is one year in length and is certified by the State Board of Nursing Examiners. Graduates of the program are eligible to take the state licensing exam for vocational nurses.

Fall nursing classes begin September 6, and persons wishing more information may contact the public information office or the nursing department at TSTI-Sweetwater, (915) 235-8441 or 1-800-592-TSTI.

Bronte FFA boy wins scholarship

Troy Dan Draper, an outstanding Bronte FFA member, recently received a four-year \$8,000 college scholarship from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

Troy, son of Glenda and Joe Draper of Tennyson, recently graduated from Bronte High School, where he was valedictorian of his class. He was an FFA member for four years, serving as chapter sentinel and delegate to the area convention.

Troy participated on the farm skills, poultry judging and senior chapter conducting teams, and as 10th high-point individual at the San Marcos judging competition.

Draper, who plans to major in agricultural economics at Texas A&M University, was one of 50 recipients of Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo scholarships presented at the Texas State FFA Convention.

educational expenses appears in the free IRS Publication 508, "Educational Expenses," available by using the mail order form in your tax package.



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NOTICE OF CALCULATION OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE AND PUBLICATION OF ESTIMATED UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SEC. 26.04, PROPERTY TAX CODE, THE CITY OF WINTERS HAS CALCULATED THE EFFECTIVE TAX RATE WHICH MAY NOT BE EXCEEDED FOR MORE THAN THREE PERCENT BY THE GOVERNING BODIES OF THE CITY OF WINTERS, TEXAS, WITHOUT HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING AS REQUIRED BY THE CODE. THAT RATE IS AS FOLLOWS: \$.7698 PER \$100 OF VALUE. THE ESTIMATED UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCE FOR MAINTENANCE & OPERATION FUND IS \$130,000. THE ESTIMATED UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCE FOR INTEREST & SINKING FUND IS \$0.

CALCULATIONS USED TO DETERMINE EFFECTIVE TAX RATE

I. DATA	
1. 1983 Total tax levy from the 1983 tax roll	\$ 161,678
2. 1983 Tax rate (5.00 M&O and 5.00 I&S)	\$.100
3. 1983 Debt service (I&S) levy	\$ 0
4. 1983 Maintenance and operation (M&O) levy	\$ 161,678
5. 1983 M&O taxes on property in territory that has ceased to be a part of unit in 1984	\$ 0
6. 1983 M&O taxes on property becoming exempt in 1984	\$ 0
7. 1983 M&O taxes on taxable value lost because property is appraised at less than market value in 1984	\$ 0
8. 1984 Total taxable value of all property	\$ 21,252,219
9. 1984 Taxable value of new improvements added since Jan. 1, 1983	\$ 304,350
10. 1984 Taxable value of property annexed since Jan. 1, 1983	\$ 0
11. 1984 Tax levy needed to satisfy debt service (I&S)	\$ 0
12. Rate to raise 1983 tax levy due to appraisal roll errors (lost dollars divided by the difference of 1984 taxable values minus over-65 homesteads taxable values)	\$ 0 / \$100
13. Rate to regain taxes lost in 1983 due to appraisal roll errors (lost dollars divided by the difference of 1984 taxable values minus 1984 over-65 homesteads taxable value)	\$ 0 / \$100
14. 1983 M&O Taxes used to regain lost 1982 levy	\$ 0
15. 1984 Taxable value of over-65 homesteads with frozen taxes	\$ 184,210
16. Frozen M&O levy of over-65 homesteads with frozen taxes	\$ 1,105
17. Frozen I&S levy of over-65 homesteads with frozen taxes	\$ 0

II. CALCULATION

MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION (M&O) TAX RATE	
(A) 1983 Total tax levy (Data 1)	\$ 161,678
(B) Subtract 1983 Debt service levy (Data 3)	\$ 0
(C) Subtract 1983 Taxes on property no longer in unit (Data 5)	\$ 0
(D) Subtract 1983 Taxes on exemptions (Data 6)	\$ 0
(E) Subtract 1983 Taxes on productivity valuation (Data 7)	\$ 0
(F) Subtract frozen M&O levy of over-65 homesteads (Data 16)	\$ 1,105
(G) Subtract 1983 M&O taxes used to regain lost 1982 levy (Data 14)	\$ 0
(H) Adjusted 1983 M&O Levy	\$ 160,573
2. (A) 1984 Total taxable value of all property (Data 8)	\$ 21,252,219
(B) Subtract 1984 Value of new improvements (Data 9)	\$ 304,350
(C) Subtract 1984 Value of annexed property (Data 10)	\$ 0
(D) Subtract 1984 Value of over-65 homesteads (Data 15)	\$ 184,210
(E) Adjusted 1984 Taxable value for M&O	\$ 20,763,659
3. (A) Divide the Adjusted 1983 M&O Levy (1-H) above) by the Adjusted 1984 Taxable value for M&O (2-E) above) x \$100 valuation	\$.7698 / \$100
(B) Multiply by \$100 valuation	\$ 76.98 / \$100
(C) Effective M&O rate for 1984	\$ 76.98 / \$100
INTEREST AND SINKING (I&S) TAX RATE	
4. (A) 1984 I&S levy needed to satisfy debt (Data 11)	\$ 0
(B) Subtract frozen I&S levy of over-65 homesteads (Data 17)	\$ 0
(C) Adjusted 1984 I&S Levy	\$ 0
(D) 1984 Total taxable value of all property (Data 8)	\$ 21,252,219
(E) Subtract 1984 Value of over-65 homesteads (Data 15)	\$ 184,210
(F) Adjusted 1984 Taxable value for I&S	\$ 21,068,009
(G) Divide the Adjusted 1984 I&S Levy (4-C) above) by the Adjusted 1984 Taxable value for I&S (4-F) above) x \$100 valuation	\$ 0 / \$100
(H) Multiply by \$100 valuation	\$ 0 / \$100
(I) Effective I&S rate for 1984	\$ 0 / \$100
APPRAISAL ROLL ERROR RATE	
5. (A) Rate to raise 1983 levy due to appraisal errors (Data 12)	\$ 0 / \$100
(B) Add Rate to regain taxes lost due to errors (Data 13)	\$ 0 / \$100
(C) Total Rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors	\$ 0 / \$100
TOTAL EFFECTIVE TAX RATE FOR 1984	
6. (A) Effective M&O rate (3-C) above)	\$ 76.98 / \$100
(B) Add Effective I&S rate (4-I) above)	\$ 0 / \$100
(C) Add Rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors (5-C) above)	\$ 0 / \$100
(D) 1984 Effective Tax Rate	\$ 76.98 / \$100

1984 Effective Tax Rate is the tax rate published as required by Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code

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Quick, easy weight loss not long-lasting

Despite all the gimmicks for "quick" and "easy" weight loss, the only safe and effective way to lose pounds is to cut back on high-calorie foods and exercise regularly, says the Texas Medical Association.

Each year more "new, revolutionary" diets are promoted. And every year thousands of people begin these diets and are disappointed when they fail to lose weight permanently.

Advocates of quick and easy reduction programs may suggest practices ranging from sweating off weight to starving it away. They may recommend pills, hormonal therapy, or diets emphasizing a single food such as grapefruit, bananas, or rice.

The real problem with many of these methods is that they are seriously lacking in essential nutrients. Not only will people on these diets be malnourished, but they often become bored with a diet's monotony and give it up. The pounds they managed to shed will come back as they revert to overeating high-calorie foods.

Fasting and very low-calorie diets like liquid-protein ones can be dangerous. Most people ultimately find fasting disappointing because weight regained after a fast is put on first as fat. Since fat tissue requires fewer calories to sustain itself than muscle tissue, it is harder for an individual to lose weight the next time.

In addition, the body responds to a drastic cutback in calories by lowering the rate at which it burns them. For many dieters, this means that even if they do not cheat on their diet, weight loss may halt.

Exercise, however, can change all of this. It conditions the muscles, helps burn calories, lowers blood pressure, and allows a person to eat enough food to obtain required nutrients without gaining weight.

Recent research also suggests that exercise significantly increases the body's metabolism. Some studies suggest that after vigorous exercise the body continues to burn calories at a higher rate than it would have without exercise.

These benefits can best be achieved through a half-hour of vigorous activity like fast walking, jogging, fast bicycling, swimming, rollerskating, jumping rope, or aerobic dancing three times a week.



One company has found a way to turn that kind of trash into vital energy and useful, recycled materials. The company, Combustion Engineering, Inc., designs steam generators that burn such substances. In one year, it created about \$3 billion worth of energy from waste. That may be one reason the company is considered a leader in energy technology worldwide.

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Not the real thing

Three-year-old Michael Patrick of Abilene gets no response from "Henrietta," Bo Pilgrim's stuffed chicken, during the "world's largest fried chicken dinner" staged recently in Abilene. The dinner, a fund raising event benefitting the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, raised over \$60,000

for the Center's Joint Venture for Crippled Children. Pilgrim, Chief Executive Officer of Pilgrim's Pride, donated his new whole boneless chickens for the dinner. (Photo courtesy of Ken Ellsworth, Abilene Reporter-News).

World's largest fried chicken dinner held

What has been billed as the "world's largest fried chicken dinner" was held recently as a fund raising event in Abilene's Taylor County Coliseum. The proceeds benefitted the West Texas Rehabilitation Center's annual Joint Venture for Crippled Children.

Guests attending the big event were able to savor a unique dining experience and help

a worthy cause at the same time.

The dinner featured whole boneless fried chicken donated by Bo Pilgrim, CEO of Pilgrim's Pride, who developed the revolutionary new method of deboning whole chickens.

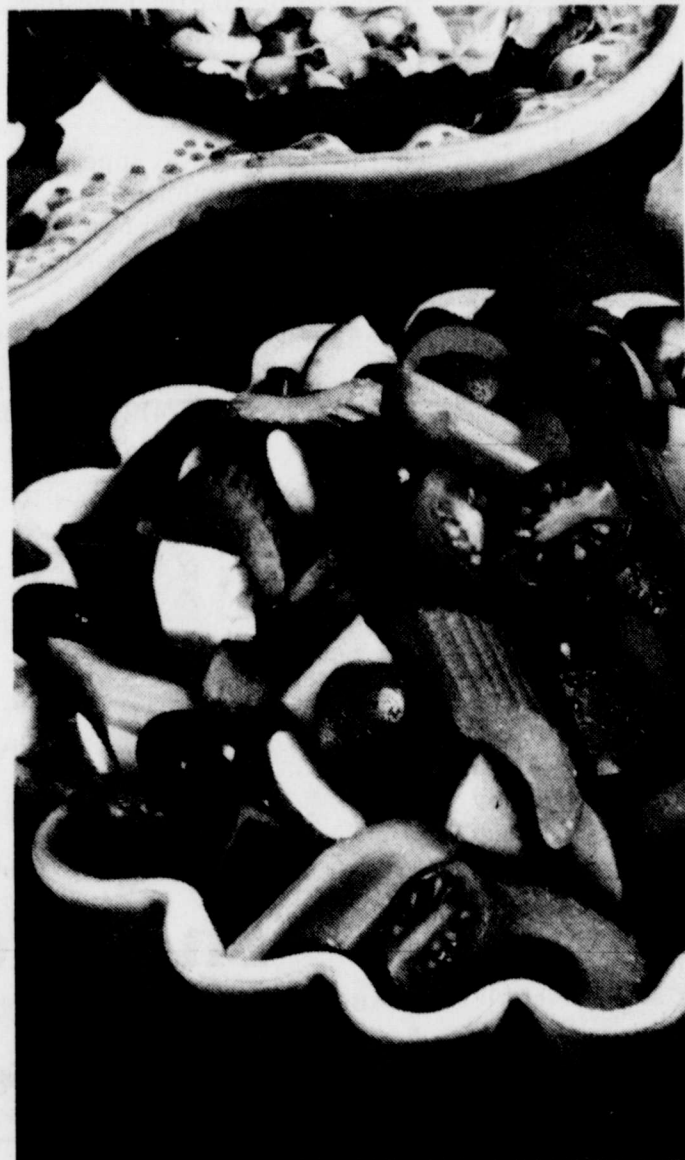
The West Texas Rehabilitation Center is a non-profit medical facility which treats thousands of handicapped

children and adults annually free of charge at centers in Abilene and San Angelo.

Pilgrim, who in 1945 in partnership with his brother started a little farm supply store in Pittsburg, Texas, has developed into one of the largest poultry

and egg marketers in the nation. His new process of deboning whole chickens has been hailed as "mind boggling" by leaders in

the Dallas and Fort Worth food business where the new product was recently introduced.



A Garden Variety OF SALAD IDEAS

When it comes to salads, no two are alike. They are versatile in that salads make use of different ingredients and easily take on many forms. It can be easy to transform ordinary salads into something special by using a wide variety of fruits and vegetables. Alternating dressings can play a big part in expanding the salad repertoire, too. Try a different combination of ingredients every day of the week, to prevent the family from getting the "salad blahs."

Start out the week with this interesting recipe from the Kraft Kitchens for Chunky Garden Salad. It combines cherry tomato halves, cucumber chunks, celery and radish slices, and pitted ripe olives. Top it with an inventive dressing that mixes Kraft Italian dressing with plain yogurt.

There's a "garden variety" of salad ideas... there may never be a need to make the same one twice!

CHUNKY GARDEN SALAD

- 2 cups cherry tomato halves
- 1 1/2 cups cucumber chunks
- 1 cup thick celery slices
- 1/2 cup radish slices
- 1/2 cup pitted ripe olives
- 1 8-oz. carton plain yogurt
- 1/2 cup Kraft Italian dressing

Combine vegetables; toss lightly. Chill. Serve with combined yogurt and dressing.

6 servings

Understanding Science

Many people who've read about dioxin may be confused by the scientific terminology. Here are some facts about dioxin that could help answer some of your questions.

When people talk about dioxin, they're referring to what's really a family of similar chemicals of 75 different chlorinated compounds. Dioxin is a crystal that's made up of the basic elements of oxygen, hydrogen, carbon and chlorine. The whole story of where dioxin comes from is not yet known. It was once thought only to be a by-product of man-made chemicals. Now we know that it can also come from several types of common combustion processes, such as the burning of common fuels. Even burning wood in a fireplace at home produces soot containing dioxin.

Dioxin was a trace contaminant in Agent Orange, the defoliant used by the military in the Vietnam War, from 1965 to 1970.

to protect soldiers' from enemy ambush. There is little likelihood, based on overwhelming scientific evidence, that Agent Orange could have caused the health conditions some veterans have described. Veterans who believe they are ill should seek medical care. They have been through a difficult experience, a tough, demanding duty, which fortunately, more Americans are beginning to appreciate.

What about the health effects of dioxin exposure? Here's what the American Medical Association has to say. A review of available research has concluded that there is no convincing support for allegations that dioxin causes cancer, birth defects or other reproductive difficulties in humans. Studies of animals exposed to dioxin show a variety of health effects that vary widely from species to species. It seems that humans are less susceptible to dioxin than various animal species.

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Educating teen-agers can prevent smoking

With an estimated 300,000 deaths per year linked to cigarette smoking in the United States, this habit continues to be a major public health problem.

The Texas Medical Association says one of the best ways to battle the problem is to educate teen-agers on the harmful effects of smoking. Scientific studies have tied smoking to deaths from lung cancer, emphysema, chronic bronchitis, and heart disease.

Smoking among teen-agers is of particular concern because the earlier one starts to smoke, the more difficult it is to quit. And those who begin at a young age have a longer total smoking time, so they face a higher risk of disease.

Unfortunately, teen-agers may not consider the health consequences of their habit. The possibility of developing cancer or any other fatal health problem may seem remote and less important than trying to impress peers.

Many people believe that smoking just a few cigarettes will not hurt because they can stop whenever they want. Few people starting to smoke realize just how addictive the nicotine in cigarettes is. The habit is also expensive.

Parents and teachers can play an influential part in encouraging teens not to smoke by setting an example of not smoking and by:

1. Helping teens recognize how easy it is to get hooked on cigarettes.
2. Teaching teen-agers how cigarette advertising uses misleading images to manipulate them into making decisions dangerous to their health. An ad may imply that the attractive, slender woman shown is happy and successful because she smokes, but there is, of course, no relationship.
3. Making sure teens understand how cigarette smoking damages health. In addition to the long-term risks of death, immediate effects include reduced physical endurance and poor athletic performance.

4. Helping teens resist pressure from peers who smoke by providing them with information needed to defend their decision not to smoke. Encourage them to educate others about the serious health risks and expense of smoking. Point out that a 1982 nationwide study of high school seniors revealed that only 6 to 7 percent felt that smoking a cigarette makes someone look "cool."

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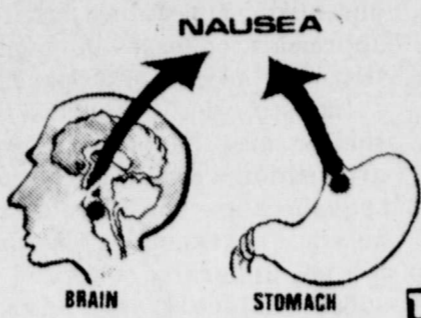
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New Drug Offers Hope For Cancer Patients

A drug which can prevent the nausea and vomiting often associated with cancer chemotherapy has been approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Reglan® (metoclopramide HCl, A.H. Robins) given before and during treatment with the widely used anticancer drug cisplatin has reduced nausea and vomiting in up to 86% of patients in clinical trials.

Reglan may permit more effective cancer treatment for many patients who previously could not tolerate the side effects and often had to discontinue treatment.

Reglan acts on the brain center which controls nausea and vomiting as well as on the stomach. Many cancer drugs are believed to cause vomiting by stimulating that brain center. Reglan apparently "turns off" these unpleasant signals, and thus reduces or elimi-



nates nausea and vomiting. At the same time, Reglan counteracts the stomach movements which accompany vomiting and nausea.

This dual action may be why Reglan is more effective than previously tried drugs in protecting patients from the gastrointestinal side effects of cancer chemotherapy.

Although no universal cure for cancer has yet been found, controlling the side effects of chemotherapy can make treatment a lot less unpleasant while improving the quality of life for many cancer patients.

be quick or easy. The only viable control alternative is slowing down the economy. One method, voluntary wage and price guidelines, has already been announced to spell out business and labor contributions to solving this vital problem.

As one major company, Sun Company, put it in a recent publication, "...controlling inflation is in everyone's best interest. Past experience has shown that voluntary controls stifle productivity and lead to inequities. But we intend to support the program to the best of our ability."

The undesirable alternative, as Sun sees it, is mandatory wage and price controls. And the company adds, "...if we want to retain the maximum freedom possible for our economy, we must work together—government, business, labor and the public—to control inflation."

Inflation - Fighting IDEAS

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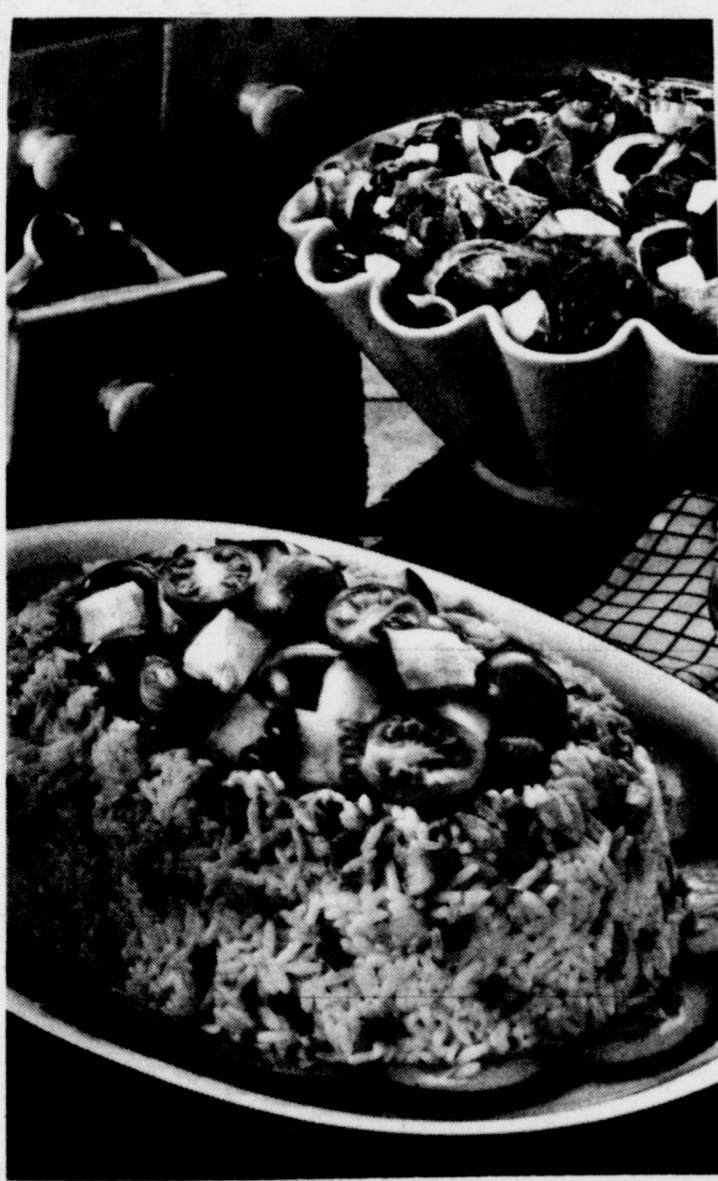
If you're into today's lifestyle of staying fit and watching calories, this is the ideal snack to have in the "fridge" when you crave something a little sweet. Applestick Snack has fresh, crisp apple and tasty apple juice, and comes in at only 35 calories a half-cup serving. This is only one of a dozen sweet temptations you can serve to the family, easily prepared with the new Jell-O brand sugar free gelatin. Served plain, sugar free gelatin has only 8 calories in a half-cup serving! So, you can add other ingredients—such as fresh or canned fruit in juice or light syrup, vegetables, yogurt—and still come up with a treat that's low in calories and high in taste appeal. The speed-set method (using ice cubes) hastens thickening of gelatin, so there's no long waiting until enjoyment time. Sugar free gelatin comes in strawberry, raspberry, cherry, orange and lime, promising a bevy of light sweet temptations for everyday family menus.

APPLESTICK SNACK

- 1 package (4-serving size) Jell-O brand strawberry flavor sugar free gelatin
- 3/4 cup boiling water
- 1/2 cup apple juice
- Ice cubes
- 1 medium unpeeled apple, cut in matchstick pieces (about 1-1 1/2 cups)

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Combine apple juice and ice cubes to make 1-1 1/4 cups. Add to gelatin, stirring until slightly thickened. If necessary remove unmelted ice. Stir in apple; pour into a bowl or dessert dishes. Chill until set. Makes 2-3 1/2 cups or 5 to 6 servings. (35 calories per half-cup serving)

"Slowly but surely humanity realizes the dreams of the wise." Anatole France



VERSATILE SALADS for any occasion

With more people on-the-go and eating light, salads have come into focus as viable alternatives to heavy meals. And what better time to try inventive salad ideas than on busy weekends? The Kraft Kitchens have created these two salad recipes which would fit well in the weekend schedule.

Fresh vegetables fill the center of a unique mold featuring cooked rice, salmon, celery, and Kraft creamy cucumber dressing in this recipe for Salmon 'N' Rice Salad. This is a great one-dish meal that's both appetizing and colorful.

For a special Sunday dinner, this recipe for Spinach Salad, provides just the right touch for the first course. Kraft Italian dressing is the perfect match for fresh spinach leaves tossed with crumbled bacon, chopped hard-cooked egg, and onion rings.

Simple or elaborate, delicate or hearty, salads suit almost any occasion, meal, or position in the menu.

SALMON 'N' RICE SALAD

- 3 cups cooked rice
- 1 7 1/2-oz. can salmon, drained, flaked
- 1/2 cup celery slices
- 1/2 cup Kraft creamy cucumber dressing
- 1/4 cup chopped pimiento
- 1/4 cup green onion slices
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 cup cherry tomato halves
- 1/2 cup chopped cucumber

Combine rice, salmon, celery, dressing, pimiento, onion and pepper; toss lightly. Pack into 4-cup ring mold; chill. Unmold. Combine tomatoes and cucumber; toss lightly. Fill center of mold with vegetable mixture. Garnish with cucumber and serve with additional dressing, if desired.

4 to 6 servings

Variation: One 6 1/2 or 7-oz. can of tuna may be substituted for salmon.

SPINACH SALAD

- 1 qt. torn spinach
- 4 crisply cooked bacon slices, crumbled
- 3 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
- 1/4 cup onion rings
- 1/4 cup Kraft Italian dressing

Combine spinach, bacon, eggs, onion and enough dressing to moisten; toss lightly.

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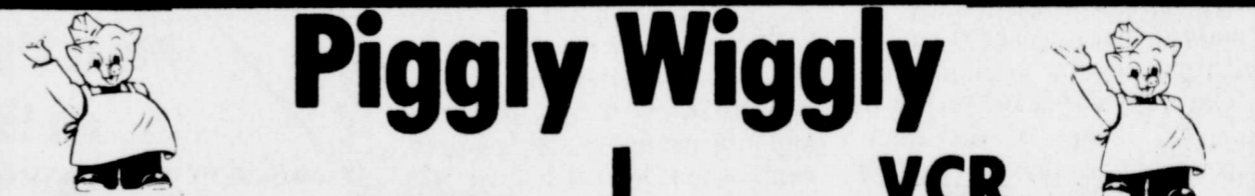
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By Mandie Armstrong
County Entomologist

General Situation

Rain is necessary for growing crops but it also "grows" a lot of smiles! The showers we've had the last two days have made the agriculture scene look much better. The rains have been fairly general with amounts ranging from .5 to 2.0 inches. Of course, more would be nice but isn't this much a blessing!

Most cotton fields are blooming now and the rain came at a good time for them. This was a much needed boost for the dryland fields that came up to a good stand.

Grain Sorghum harvest of dryland fields began before the showers and will soon continue.

Bollworm Activity Continues

Our bollworm activity still continues with no signs of relief in sight. The egg tray that started July 5 continues. This week our counts reached 458 eggs per 100 terminals. Since July 8, at least one field in the Pest Management Program has had 100+ eggs per 100 terminals. The egg tray over the weekend seemed even higher than before with many fields sporting a 200+ egg count per 100 terminals.

Beneficials Still Trying

Our beneficial populations this season have saved us and solved many bollworm problems. But they can only do so much and we're finding that more eggs and bollworms are getting by the beneficials. The numbers are simply overwhelming our good guys. They are still feeding up a storm but can't keep up in many fields.

Bollworm numbers have reached 27 small worms per 100 terminals and growing. The showers are probably improving the worm's ability to survive and we're expecting to see more and larger worms as the days go by.

Broken Record

Scout! Scout! Scout! How many times have we all been told the importance of scouting? It's true and it's the best recommendation I can give you!

Check irrigated fields twice a week, especially now, and check dryland fields at least once a week. Failure to do so may result in a worm population of "snakes" that are hard to control with our regular artillery.

Carefully check 100 terminals (top 4-6 inches of the plant) throughout the field. Avoid field margins. Keep careful track of eggs and worm numbers.

When I scout for worms, I assure there is a worm in every terminal and I search until I'm convinced there's not. Those little worms are hard to find and I guarantee they won't jump out of there and say, "Count me! Count me!" However, it is critically important to find

Bullock will not run for governor

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Monday that he will not run for governor in 1986.

Almost two years ago Bullock surprised the usual political circles by announcing for the 1986 governor's race on general election day in November, 1982, the same day he was reelected to a third term as Comptroller.

"Frankly, there has been no great public clamor for my services as governor," Bullock said. "If I were looking for a draft, I think I can now quit waiting."

"Since my announcement I've had about 100 expressions of support and one \$5 contribution from a Mr. Lan Nelson of Walker County which I am returning," he said.

"Seriously, though," Bullock said, "I respect the Comptroller's office and the Governor's office both too much to continue to hold one office and be a candidate for the other when it works to the detriment of both."

"I hope this announcement ends all speculation on the part of some people as to the political influence on each and every action of the Comptroller's Department," he said.

Bullock said he will "make up my mind at some point in the future as to running or not running again for Comptroller."

"It's two years until the next election and I intend to take it one day at a time," Bullock said.

worms when they are small. They are much more controllable if treated when they are 1/4" long or less.

Take Action

If your field is blooming and you have 10 to 12 small worms with many beneficials or eight to 10 small worms with few beneficials, I would recommend a biological insecticide application.

If 25 or more bollworm eggs per 100 terminals are present, I'd recommend adding an ovicide such as chlorethimform (Galecron or Fundal).

If you waited too long and have mostly medium-sized (1/4" to 1/2" long) worms, a harsh chemical may be necessary. After all beneficials are removed from a field, the action level for additional insecticide application is 4 to 6 small worms per 100 terminals.

Remember that waiting too long to discover a bollworm infestation or waiting too long to make a decision concerning bollworm control, can be devastating to the crop and your pocketbook! If harsh insecticides are required to control the worms, you may be "locked" into a spray schedule which can be costly and nerve-racking. Furthermore, we really need to make the cotton that is setting now; most of us really don't have time, money or water to start over now!

Need Help?

A bollworm scouting meeting will be held at the Westside Gin in Wall on Wednesday, August 1st at 8:30 a.m. Come join us!

Final Tidbit

"It ain't the things you don't know that gets you in trouble; it's the things you know for sure, that ain't so." - Anonymous

IRS guidelines for tax shelters listed

Careful tax planners are thinking about next April's tax bill right now. It pays to be wise to the strict new penalties dealing with abusive tax shelters and avoid the promise of tremendous tax write-off ratios as the sole reason to invest.

The Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act of 1982 (TEFRA) makes participation in abusive tax shelters more hazardous than ever, with penalties and interest approaching 50 percent when IRS disallows the

claims. IRS defines abusive tax shelters as marketing schemes that involve artificial transactions with little or no economic reality, frequently making use of unrealistic allocations, inflated appraisals, or losses in connection with nonrecourse loans.

Investing in an abusive tax shelter may be an expensive proposition when all of the consequences are considered, IRS noted. For example, the promoter generally charges a substantial fee. If the return is examined by the IRS and a tax deficiency is determined, the taxpayer will then be faced with payment of the tax, interest on the underpayment, plus the possible application of severe penalties for negligence or civil fraud. And, in the most aggravated situations, IRS may decide to prosecute the case for criminal tax violations.

Since there are many abusive tax shelters and more are developed daily by promoters, it is not possible to list all the factors a taxpayer should consider in determining whether an offering is an abusive tax shelter. However, one should ask the following questions, which might provide a clue to the abusive nature of the plan:

1. Do the promised tax benefits far outweigh the economic benefits?
2. Is this a transaction you would seriously consider, apart

Charles Stenholm named chairman

The House Small Business Committee Chairman announced today that Congressman Charles W. Stenholm has been named chairman of the Subcommittee on Energy, Environment and Safety Issues Affecting

from the tax benefits, if you hoped to make a profit?

3. Do shelter assets really exist and are they insured for less than their purchase price?

4. Is there a nontax justification for the way profits and losses are allocated to partners?

5. Do the facts and supporting documents make economic sense? In that connection, are there sales and resales of the tax shelter property at ever increasing prices?

6. Does the investment plan involve a gimmick, device, or sham to hide the economic reality of the transaction?

7. Does the promoter offer to backdate documents after the close of the year and are you instructed to backdate checks covering your investment?

8. Is your debt a real debt or are you assured by the promoter that you will never have to pay for it?

The watchword when evaluating investment prospectuses is that, if something sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

Small Business. Chairman Parren J. Mitchell (D-Md) said the vote by the full House committee for Stenholm was unanimous.

Stenholm, a third-term representative, said he believes the chairman's seat will be a boost to all small business people in the 17th District.

"Being named chairman of a House subcommittee will allow me to have a more positive impact on legislative issues of great interest to the small business community, not only in the 17th District and Texas, but in the nation as a whole," the Stamford Democrat said.

"Given the fact that over 13.7 percent of the 17th District is self-employed, this leadership position will be very valuable," the 45-year-old congressman

said. "We have almost twice as many self-employed people in our district as the national average. The input that comes from our business community will be very helpful in all areas of legislation viewed by the subcommittee," Stenholm said.

"The major areas of concern are, of course, energy issues, environmental issues and concerns for the safety of small business people and their employees," he said. "Since Texas is at once both an energy and environmental state, any legislation in these areas will have a vital impact on our district and the state."

Stenholm said, "This chairmanship will give me a clear position to use my knowledge from Texas business people and positively affect the small business concerns of the nation as well."

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Paul B. Sears



New office opens

The new Winters office of the Heart O' Texas Savings, located at 302 S. Main, is now open for business. A grand opening is tentatively set for early September.

Sesquicentennial Air Show approved

The Sesquicentennial will take to the skies in June of 1986 when Texas State Technical Institute in Waco hosts the Texas Sesquicentennial Air Show, a two-day extravaganza of aviation in Texas. The Air Show has received the official stamp of approval from the Waco Sesquicentennial Commission, taking its place among the major, statewide events for the Sesquicentennial.

With a tentative date of June 14 and 15, 1986, the Air Show will take place at TSTI's Waco Campus airport (formerly James Connally Air Force Base). Mr. Jack H. Kultgen, founding chairman of the TSTI Board of regents and former member of the Texas Highway Commission, has been named honorary general chairman of the event.

The Air Show's theme of the history of Texas aviation will be carried out with possible demonstrations from such well-known flying teams as the U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds, the Navy Blue Angels, the Army Golden Knights, the Confederate Air Force of Texas, and many other aerobatic performers.

Ground displays of Texas aircraft, as well as exhibits featuring NASA (which celebrates the 25th anniversary of the opening of its Houston Space Center in 1986), the general aviation industry, and the Texas-based commercial airlines will also be included.

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Warning to bingo operators

State Comptroller Bob Bullock is warning Texas bingo operators they can say good-bye to their state licenses and hello to local police if they ignore state laws governing the game.

"When bingo people stray outside the Texas Bingo Enabling Act, they risk charges under the state's criminal laws against gambling," Bullock said. "All the Comptroller's Office can do is take away their license, but local police and prosecutors can treat them just like they'd been caught in a back alley crap game—just like any other two-bit gambler."

Comptroller agents have recently visited 500 bingo games and found nearly a third are violating some section of the bingo law.

"Most of these violations were minor mistakes made by honest charity groups running their own games," Bullock said, "but that doesn't mean we can sit still for them. We have warned these groups and sent copies of the warnings to local police."

"A more serious problem is with commercial promoters who dupe charitable groups into letting the promoters run the game, count the money and give

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"The Sesquicentennial Air Show should prove to be one of the most exciting, attractive and crowd-pleasing events for 1986," said Sesquicentennial Commission Executive Director Randy M. Lee. "We're extremely proud that this first Air Show will be held during the Sesquicentennial and will carry the Texas label. I know of no better way to showcase Texas' rich aviation history."

For more information about the Sesquicentennial Air Show, contact Dr. Thomas L. Charlton, Chairman, Waco Sesquicentennial Commission, CSB Box 401, Waco, Texas 76798, telephone (817) 755-3437.



Ready for business

Heart O' Texas personnel (l-r) Jacque Connor, Sue Spill, and Jean Gibbs are ready to serve customers in their new office on Main Street.

the charity what's left—if anything. The Texas bingo law just won't allow this. Where we find it, we're jerking licenses faster than you can say B-10. We suspended two licenses for this violation this week and we've got a hearing on a third set for next week.

"We'll be continuing to visit bingo games and our auditors will be looking closely at the books of everybody involved in bingo—the promoters, bingo organizations, supply distributors and manufacturers. These people can expect to hear from

us and they can also expect us to share evidence of whatever violations we find with their local district attorney," Bullock concluded.

"We shall achieve conservation when and only when the destructive use of the land becomes unethical-punishable by social ostracism."

Aldo Leopold

The highly flavored spice known as mace is actually the covering of the nutmeg. It is usually sold ground and is often used to flavor fruit pies.

St. John Lutheran Church Women met

The St. John's Lutheran Church Women held their quarterly meeting on Saturday morning, July 28, at 10 a.m. with coffee and doughnuts.

Estella Bredemeyer, president, presided for the meeting and gave a devotion from Matthew Chapter 6. Minutes were read and the treasurer's report given.

The secretary of stewardship reported that a love offering was sent to the National ALCW Convention at Detroit, Michigan; and cookies were carried to Clifton Lutheran Home. Plans were discussed to help Midland Lutheran Home with making items to wear; and plans were made for "Blanket Sunday" in September.

The secretary of education reported that four ladies attended the Woman to Woman Project at Roscoe, Texas in June.

A Mission Festival will be held in the fall.

Newly elected officers for year 1985-1986 are: Mrs. Margaret Pruser, president; Mrs. Frances Bredemeyer, treasurer; and Mrs. Adala Ueckert, secretary of stewardship.

The group expressed appreciation to the outgoing officers. They plan to make items for the German Festival in October.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

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At home in new Ballinger City Hall

Willie Mae Cole, secretary-receptionist at the Ballinger City Hall, smiles behind her desk in the former Santa Fe Depot. The historic structure is now a modern, spacious, airy office building housing the city offices and the Chamber of Commerce office.

Lightning strikes Taylor's home

Lightning struck a tree outside the Jimmy Taylor home on Roselane in Winters Tuesday, July 24, with some strange results. According to Mrs. Taylor, the bolt struck the tree, jumped to the telephone in the kitchen nearby, and turned on a water faucet in the kitchen sink. No one was injured in the incident.

Mixed drink tax refund received

State Comptroller Bob Bullock recently sent checks totaling \$11.8 million to 222 counties and 426 cities as their share of the state's 10 per cent mixed drink tax collected during the second quarter of 1984.

Bullock said the state collected a total of \$40.9 million in taxes on the sale of mixed drinks during the quarter, up 5.5 per cent over the same period in 1983.

Texas cities and counties each receive a 15 per cent rebate on the tax collected on mixed drinks sold within their boundaries under the law that legalized the sale of mixed drinks in the state. Runnels County received \$429,233.

The Texas Legislature recently increased the mixed drink tax from 10 to 12 per cent, and decreased the city and county share of the tax from 15 to 12.5 per cent, effective October 2, 1984. However, the actual amount returned to cities and counties will not change, and the state will receive the entire gain from the tax increase, Bullock said.

"Dieting is a system of starving yourself to death so that you can live a little longer."
Jan Murray

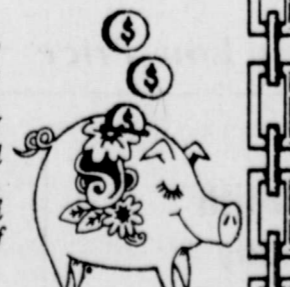
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Crime Of The Month

August 1981
Vandalism costs taxpayers millions of dollars every year. Municipal, county, and state facilities are meant to be enjoyed by the public. All it takes is one joker with a can of spray paint to ruin this enjoyment for all of us, including our children. For example, the Ballinger City Park has been a favorite playground and fun spot for Ballinger residents and out of town visitors for generations. It is also a great place for people to walk or jog. It is not uncommon now to find obscenities written on traffic signs or buildings in the park. Street lights and restrooms are being vandalized frequently. This kind of harmless juvenile fun is not funny and it costs money to repair. The result is a 10 p.m. curfew in the park and locked restrooms. If you witness any vandalism please do everyone a favor and call RUNNELS COUNTY CRIMESTOPPERS at 365-2111 or dial 0 and ask for ENTERPRISE 67574. You do not have to give your name and you may be eligible for a cash reward.

If you have any information that may lead to the arrest and indictment of the individual who committed this burglary, please call RUNNELS COUNTY CRIMESTOPPERS at 365-2111 or dial "0" and ask for ENTERPRISE 67574. You do not have to give your name and you may be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$1000.00. Call today.



Runnels to receive job training funds

Governor Mark White announced today that \$1,112,468 will be used for job training programs for economically disadvantaged, unemployed, and underemployed Texans in the West Central Texas area. The Governor has approved the expenditure of these funds for job training programs in Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, and Throckmorton Counties. The Texas Department of Community Affairs has executed a contract effective July 1 for provision of a job training program under the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA).

"The Job Training Partnership Act is a catalyst for integrating the private and public sector in developing skills needed by Texans for productive employment and economic self-sufficiency," Governor White said.

Under the Job Training Partnership Act, local elected officials in partnership with private industry councils, composed of business and community representatives, plan and provide programs best suited for residents of their area. Program services include basic education skills training and job placement.

There was an average of one teacher for 15.3 students in Winters ISD compared to a statewide pupil-teacher ratio of 1 to 16.4. The pupil-teacher ratio is not the same thing as the average class size because teachers and students are not necessarily in class the same number of hours each day.

Statewide, the ratio of teachers to students has remained the same the past three years. The report notes that during the 1980's school officials have used additional payroll dollars to increase salaries beyond the rate of inflation, whereas during the previous decade more dollars were spent to hire additional teachers while average salaries grew less than the rate of inflation.

Local property taxes were increased by \$327 million for a total of \$3.6 billion last year. Locally, the Winters ISD's tax levy was decreased by 8.3 per cent for 1983-84, as compared to a 10.0 per cent increase for the average school district in Texas. School property tax rates in 1982-83 averaged \$0.613 per \$100 of market value (selling price). The school tax on a property selling for \$100,000 was \$613 in the average school district. Locally, the rate on market value in Winters ISD was \$.753, or \$753.00 on a property selling for \$100,000.

If the property were a homestead or owned by a senior citizen, the school tax would be less because of various exemptions. Open-space land that qualified would be valued on its productivity value rather than market value.

Revenue lost from exemptions totaled \$679 million, which was \$125 million more than that exempted the previous year. To balance school budgets, the revenue loss from exemptions was imposed upon other taxpayers in the school district.

Preparing school budgets for next year, the report noted, will be difficult. Not only did the Special Session of the Legislature provide substantial additional funds, but also changed the method for allocating aid to different districts. School officials also must begin implementing a variety of new educational programs including new curriculum standards.

Until the nineteenth century, solid blocks of tea were used as money in Siberia.

A popular spectator sport in 1870 was heel-and-toe walking races.



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Social Security visit scheduled

Garland Gregg, representative of the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his August visit to Winters.

He will be at the Housing Project Office on Monday, August 27 between 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

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

The San Angelo Social Security Office has telephone service available to assist you in filing for any type of Social Security or Supplemental Security Income benefits.

Prompt return of applications and documents requested enables Social Security to process your application quicker.

"Fiction is fact distorted into truth." — Edward Albee



What is it?

Motorists passing Machann's Exxon in Ballinger may have wondered what the bright red and black contraption sitting on the corner was. According to a station attendant, it is a lynch mill used to grind corn. It belongs to Levi Russell of Ballinger and is painted in Ballinger High School's colors.

WINTERS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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First Day of School - August 27
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