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Wait a minute...

By Kerry Craig

The Constitution of the United States of America has become something that those who wrote it wouldn't recognize for the most part. It has been fixed and patched, re-written and amended and, in too many cases, found to be unconstitutional.

Those first few amendments, however, have withstood time, politicians, and lawyers. Their meanings have been interpreted in many different ways. I feel, however, that those guys that wrote that great document knew what they were doing.

On the other side of the fence, politically, or the world for that matter, there was another set of guidelines—the ten steps for a communist take-over.

Our Constitution made no bones about it when it provided for the private ownership of firearms to provide for the common defense of our homeland.

The ten steps to communism, specified the following: Cause the registration of all firearms to provide for the subsequent confiscation of all firearms to prevent any opposition from those opposed to such political change.

In newspaper advertising, radio advertising, and television advertising we are being told of a move in our congress to control the ownership of firearms.

A letter to the editor from the National Rifle Association, printed in the paper this week, that pending legislation is outlined. Also mentioned in the letter is a plea to contact our congressmen to express our feelings about such a move.

Some of the big-time political professionals from the northeast are pushing H. R. 975, the Feighan Gun Control Bill which closely parallels the New Jersey Gun Control legislation.

To control, limit, and restrict the sale of firearms to citizens as well as to make it against the law to own such items smacks of one of the ten steps—to cause the registration and subsequent confiscation of all guns.

One might wonder what would happen to these guys that want to enforce such legislation and their ilk if suddenly we found ourselves back in the McCarthy Era.

We might, however, be able to send these folks to some place where the only guys that have guns are the bad guys. Registered or not, controlled or not, the outlaws will have their guns while our paid lawmakers would keep us from being able to protect our homes, our loved ones, and our country.

Down south, our neighbors in Ballinger, Rowena, Miles and all of the southern half of Runnels County will go to the polls Saturday to vote in an election which can give Ballinger's hospital a new breath of life, or close the doors on a much-needed medical facility.

As we have mentioned before, there are two sides to the issue. Miles is closer to the San Angelo hospitals. Rowena is about as close to San Angelo as it is to Winters.

Not being able to vote in that election, I cannot really support either side, I can only observe.

To say that Ballinger needs its hospital is an understatement. The health of the community depends on it.

If the voters give approval to creating a taxing district to support the hospital, a number of questions could arise.

Would the management and directors of the hospital continue as they have in the past? Their track record is not too good.

With approval, would the hospital continue with its management agreement with Shannon, or for that matter, if the issue fails what happens to that contract? The management agreement with Shannon costs about \$1,800 per month.

If the issue were to fail, who would pick up the tab for the in-

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More help

The Winters Volunteer Fire Department received another big boost in its fund-raising program Monday. Members of the local VFW Post and its Ladies Auxilliary presented the fire department checks totaling \$1,000. The money was raised primarily through a special luncheon hosted recently by the post.

The checks were presented to Fire Chief Johnny Merrill by Pat McGinnis of the VFW Auxilliary and Donnie Oats representing the VFW Post.

Blizzards to begin two-a-day workouts Monday

The Winters Blizzards will begin football practice Monday, August 8, according to Athletic Director Danny Slaughter.

Grades 9-12 will practice twice a day at 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Coach Slaughter said Tuesday that he expects between 50 and 60 young determined to improve upon last year's season.

The Blizzards have 16 lettermen returning from last year's team including nine starters.

"Even though the early polls don't give the Blizzards much of a chance," Slaughter said, "the Blizzards feel as if they will be a dark horse in the race."

The Winters Blizzards will be playing in a new district this year. In the new district are Wall, Reagan County at Big Lake, Ozona, Forsan, and Eldorado.

The Blizzards are scheduled for two pre-season scrimmages, Hawley comes to Winters on

Friday, August 19, then the Blizzards go to Albany for a scrimmage on August 26.

The season opener this year is a break in tradition for the Blizzards. For many years the season opener has been between arch rivals Winters and Ballinger.

Winters season officially opens on Friday, September 2, when the Blizzards play host to another rival, the Coleman Blue Cats.

Also on the Blizzards schedule for 1988 will be Roscoe, Hamlin, Jim Ned, and Stamford.

District play opens on October 7 when the Blizzards go to the wall with the Wall Hawks.

A complete schedule for the Blizzards, the Junior Varsity, 8th Grade and 7th Grade may be found on Page 7.

Everyone is urged to come out and support the Blizzards during their work sessions and in the scrimmage with Hawley on August 19.

First Annual Firemen's Benefit Golf Tournament to be held

Foxworth-Galbraith's Lumber Yard will sponsor an A.B.C.D. Tournament on Saturday, August 20 at 9 a.m.

There will be separate longest drive contests held for men and women on the #1 tee box, with prizes given to the winners. There will also be a closest to the pin contest on the #5 hole, with a prize awarded to the winner.

The Volunteer Fire Department will have some of their fire equipment on display at the Country Club, and will also have a booth set up with sandwiches and snacks for sale.

We are asking for a \$10 donation to play in the tournament, but if you can give more it will be greatly appreciated. If you would like to enter or have a golf cart that you can loan the tournament, please call Dickie Clough by August 19, so that play can begin on time on the 20th.

Please come out and join our tournament, and help the Coun-

Ole-Fashioned Gospel Sing slated

An Ole-Fashioned Gospel Sing will be held at the Bronte Senior Center on Saturday, August 7, from 2-4 p.m.

Persons of any age are urged to participate. Bring your specials and instruments.

1st Annual Firemen's Benefit Golf Tournament Sat. Aug. 20, 9 a.m.

Saturday election to set fate of Ballinger hospital

Weeks of meetings, fund raising, asking questions, answering questions, concern and worry will come to an end Saturday when voters in Ballinger, Rowena, Miles and all of southern Runnels County go to the polls to vote either for or against the formation of a hospital district with the power to collect taxes to support the hospital in Ballinger.

The bulk of the support for the tax district proposal has come from Ballinger while the main opposition from citizens in Miles and Rowena.

Not unlike a number of hospitals, private and public, across the state and nation, Ballinger Memorial Hospital has suffered financial woes due to rigid Medicare regulations and guidelines as well as a decreased patient census and poor collections.

The problems in Ballinger were compounded early this year when the board of directors approved a management contract with Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

That contract, along with an apparent lack of communications with the medical staff resulted in one doctor withdrawing from the medical staff and another doctor reducing the number of admissions in the Ballinger hospital, electing to practice in another San Angelo hospital.

By mid-Spring, the Ballinger hospital was unable to meet its 30-day credit obligations. Donations and fund drives generated enough money to allow the hospital to continue to operate.

Approval was received last year to take a referendum before local voters, giving them the option of creating a hospital district with the power to levy and collect ad valorem taxes to support the hospital.

As the financial bind on the hospital drew tighter, the Runnels County Commissioners' Court appointed an interim board of directors charged with the responsibility of calling an election that could, with a favorable vote, save the hospital and create the Ballinger Memorial Hospital District.

This Saturday, voters will be going to the polls to make the decision.

In Miles opposition to the proposal has been strongest. The residents there are closer to San Angelo than to Ballinger.

Other opposition has been heard in Rowena and many rural areas of the county involved in the election.

If the issue passes, the Ballinger hospital will not be able to collect taxes until next year but,

will be able to use its taxing powers as collateral to secure loans to support the hospital until tax dollars are available.

On the other hand, rejection of the issue could mean the closing of the 25-year old hospital.

This would leave Runnels County residents with only one hospital, North Runnels Hospital, to provide medical care.

North Runnels Hospital is a district with taxing authority. Its area covers the northern half of the county. If Ballinger's hospital closes, the hospital in Winters could see a large increase in patient census.

The Ballinger hospital, as an

expression of optimism as well as to fill a need, has added a new doctor to its staff and to Ballinger.

Voters will be going to the polls Saturday in that election. Turnout is expected to be heavy in the highly contested election and a high percentage of the approximately 6,433 registered voters qualified to vote in that election are expected to cast their ballots.

Although the area involved in the election covers the southern half of the county, election officials say that voters should be prepared to show, on the map, that they live south of the hospital district line which generally bisects the county.

Winters Council appoints citizens committee

About a dozen Winters parents and concerned citizens met with the Winters City Council Monday evening to discuss the drug and alcohol situation in Winters.

The citizens group told the council that the abuse of drugs and alcohol by some of the youth in the community had become very serious. They also said that they were concerned by the lack of enforcement of the drug and alcohol laws by the Police Department.

Among the problems encountered by police officers are the complexities of the laws covering juveniles.

The council asked the group to serve as an ad hoc committee to look into possible solutions and to report back to the council on a monthly basis with suggestions.

Mayor Randy Springer said, "We don't want to run them (kids) out of town but, at the same time, we don't want busted

beer bottles around town." The mayor agreed that there is a problem and that the city was just as interested in resolving the situation as are the parents.

In other action, the council gave approval to a five-year extension on the current leases at the municipal airport.

The council also spent some time discussing a request for water service to a parcel of property outside the city limits.

Under the present ordinances, the city will agree to extension of water service to areas outside the city limits after annexation proceedings are initiated on the property.

City officials said that the current request involves property that cannot come into the city.

The Winters Council were scheduled to meet again Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. in a budget workshop session in which employee salaries and merit increases will be discussed.

North Runnels Hospital now offers CT-scanning

Another service to the citizens of Winters and North Runnels County has been added at North Runnels Hospital according to administrator Rita Mason.

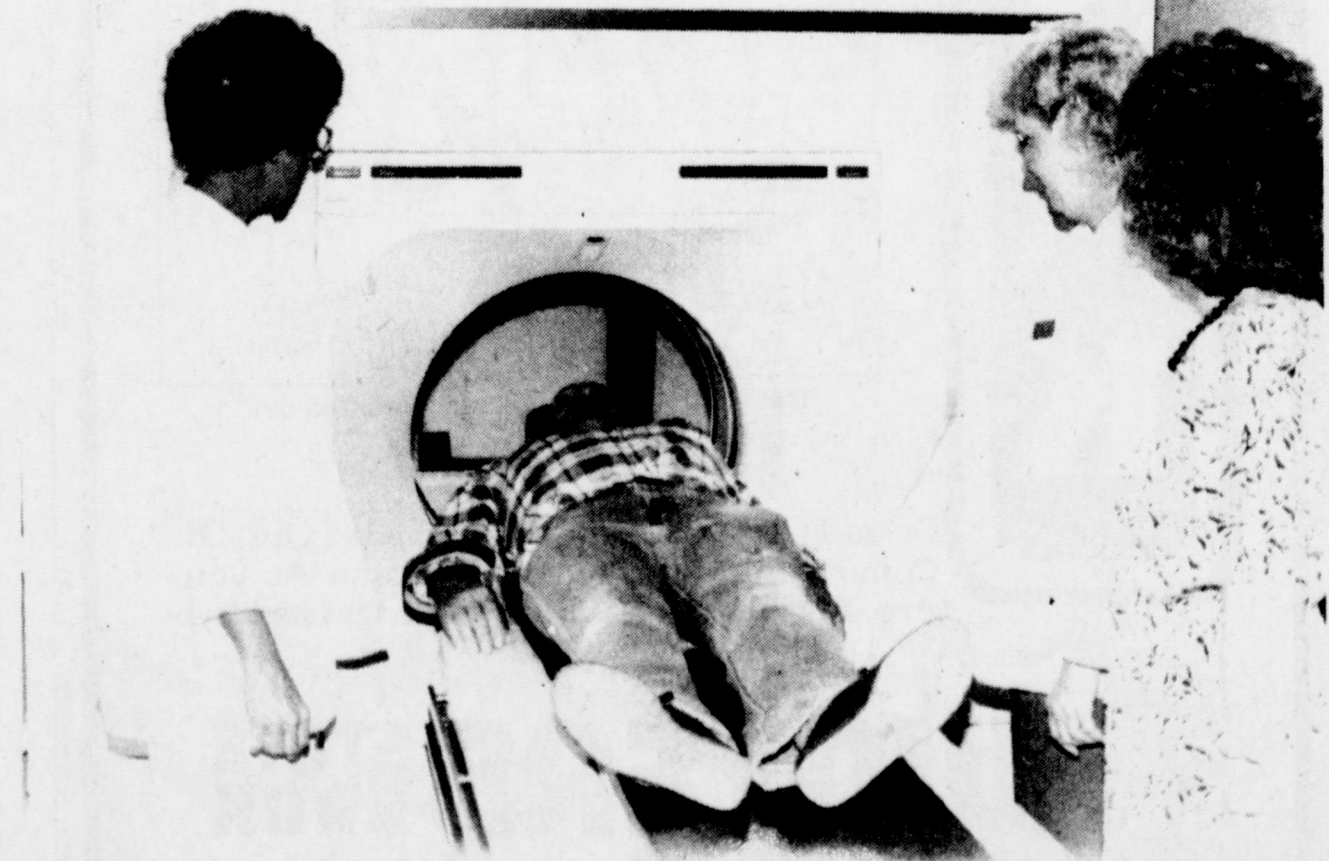
Through an agreement with Mobil Technology Corporation, computer Axial Tomography, or CT-Scanning is now available at the local medical center.

Commonly referred to as "cat-scan" the procedure offers diagnostic imaging previously available only in Abilene or San Angelo.

The local availability of the CT-Scanner will allow local residents to schedule the procedure at home and not be faced with the time and expense of travelling to a major hospital.

The CAT Scan unit is completely self-contained in a truck trailer and will come to Winters on a weekly basis or as needed.

The unit is supplied with emergency medical equipment and with skilled technologists and utilizes highly trained and licensed CAT Scan technologists and state-of-the-art equipment.



Test ride

The MTC mobile CAT Scanner was in operation at North Runnels Hospital this past week and, along with performing CT Scan procedures, technologists were giving hospital and medical personnel tours of the state-of-the-art equipment.

Nursing Director Billie Brown (left) and Hospital Administrator Rita Mason (right) look on while technician Connie Rustad gives hospital engineer Gene Richardson a test ride on the CAT Scanner.



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Poe's corner

by Charlsie Poe

Disturbance in Harmony

This story has been taken in the main from a letter received by Alton O'Neal, Jr., from his cousin, J. Edmond Dial who now lives in Ridgecrest, California.

Dial writes that since he and Alma Phipps were married in 1936 they have kept a diary listing their income, all kinds of purchases, as well as unusual events. As he writes he makes frequent references to his diary:

"In 1934 Alma and I were living in one of the three classrooms that had been converted into a teacherage for the principal in the Harmony School building. Enrollment in the Harmony district had declined, so that the district had only two teachers. I was principal-teacher, and Mrs. Charles Kruse taught the lower grades. The trustees in 1940-1941 were Bryant Bishop, Walter Gerhart, and Oren Mathis. My contract was for a term of nine months at a salary of \$82.70 per month. I also received \$1.00 per month as janitor for the school.

In the year 1915 two rural schools, Truitt and Long Branch, were consolidated. The two buildings were moved to the new location and used until a modern building was erected at Harmony in 1918.

"It is interesting to note the prices of some items about 1941. According to my diary, prices were: April 13, one dozen eggs, 20 cents; April 19, haircut, 35

cents; April 21, my suit tailor bill was 40 cents; April 24, Sul Ross State Teacher's College, Education, \$1.93; five gallons kerosene, 30 cents; and one package of cigarettes, 16 cents.

"Our oldest daughter, Linda Gray, was born on March 12, 1940. On April 26, 1941, Alma bought two pair of shoes for herself for \$3.58 and one pair for Linda that cost 79 cents.

"There was nothing unusual about the weather around Winters in 1941, except on April 14. There were some giant thunderclouds floating through the sky. About 2 p.m. Mrs. Kruse and I were teaching the children as usual when suddenly a boy from her room burst in to my room and said, 'Mr. Dial, there's a cyclone out there!'

I followed him to the yard and he pointed to a large cloud to the northwest. I observed the cloud for awhile, but saw nothing unusual, and returned to my classroom. Soon afterwards another boy from Mrs. Kruse's room came to me with the same information and I repeated my trip to the yard, but again returned to the classroom, seeing no cause for alarm. Very soon the third excited person came into my room. Mrs. Kruse said, 'Mr. Dial, there is a cyclone in that cloud toward the northwest!' I went with Mrs. Kruse and all the school children following us, to again observe



Harmony Rhythm Band composed of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd grades wins first place in County in 1941 in UIL Contest. Teachers left to right: Mrs. Dial, Mr. Dial and Mrs. Kruse.



Jimmy Kruse and Rosalie Gerhart (Sauer), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gerhart 1st Place in the County in 1941-UIL in rythm band, 1st thru third grade, Uncle Sam and Miss America. The following Christmas he won 1st Place in Winters Band.

the giant boiling cloud.

When I looked at the cloud this time, the lower part of it resembled a big wash pot of boiling water, tumbling and rolling. Soon, a portion of the cloud shaped similar to a cornucopia came out of the cloud. The tail of the horn swung back and forth and soon struck the ground. Everything in the tornadoes path flew to one side. It would then swing up and swoop down again.

I felt someone tugging at my shirt. It was Alma who came running out of the house with Linda in her arms when she heard all the commotion. She demanded that I get the car and take them away from that horrible cloud! Probably within five minutes, the tornado had been drawn back into the cloud and the big thunderhead moved on to the northwest.

After classes were dismissed, Alma and I drove over the road north of Harmony on which Thad Traylor was living, about seven miles northwest of the Harmony School. The path of the twister was about 100 yards wide and a half mile long. It destroyed one building and damaged another.

In the fall of 1941, we moved to Hatchel where I accepted a position as principal-teacher.

The main thing that Mrs. Kruse remembered about the tornado was that it "missed them", which is a very important fact. Her greatest memories are of the outstanding work done by the students in 1941.

The rhythm band composed of the first three grades at Harmony won first place in the county in the University Interscholastic League Contest that year.

A patriotic theme was carried out with boys and girls dressed in blue pants and skirts, white blouses, red ties and soldier's caps.

Jimmie Kruse and Rosalie Gerhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gerhart, represented Uncle Sam and Mrs. America.

In the fall of 1941, Harmony was consolidated with Winters and Mrs. Kruse moved with the school to Winters where she taught in the school system for 29 years. Prior to that time she taught seven years at Dale and four at Harmony.

The long and successful teaching career of Eula Mae Kruse was honored by District Six of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs when she was elected "District Teacher of the year in 1955."

As sponsor, Mrs. Kruse accompanied the Winters Future Teachers Chapter to the convention at Houston in 1971. She was shocked to receive the "John H. Lovelady Lifetime for Youth Award," unaware that she had been nominated by the Chapter she was sponsoring.

Some of our happiest memories are entwined around our school days; "School days, school days, Dear old golden rule days."

Bradshaw 50th Class reunion held

The 1938 graduating class of Bradshaw High School was honored recently at the annual Bradshaw community reunion. The members attending the fiftieth celebration were Nellie Stricklin Pain of Barstow, California; Leonard McDonald of Hobbs, New Mexico; Bert Fincher, Abilene; Marion Ledbetter, Breckenridge, Texas; and Mary Stanfield, Winters. Mildred (Babe) Wood Richards of Abilene was unable to attend. The other member of the class was Leon Boozer of Chicago, Illinois, now deceased. The class sponsor, Mrs. Elza Belle Watson Alsbrook of Odessa was also unable to attend the reunion. However, the group enjoyed a letter and some pictures taken of the group in 1938 which she sent along for the occasion.

The class met at the Bradshaw Community Center for a time of reminiscing and then had dinner at the Peachtree Plaza Restaurant in Winters. Guests of the group included the wives of three members of the class, Mesdames Irene McDonald, Virginia Fincher, and Ethelene Ledbetter, and also Miss Mae Sanders of San Angelo, Texas.

Messrs. McDonald, Fincher, and Ledbetter are retirees from oil-related jobs. Mrs. Pain recently retired from restaurant management, and Mary Stanfield is a retired public school teacher.

The group plans to meet each year the last weekend in July at the time of the Bradshaw Community reunion.

Crews

By Hilda Kurtz

Some businessmen refuse to cash checks because sometimes the checks come back and customers don't.

Come and have supper with us at the Crews gym at 7:30 p.m., August 6, 1988, if you like bring your favorite dish and your friends.

We have two birthdays I'd like to mention, two fine ladies we send wishes to are Fairy Alcorn and Adeline Grissom. Many more happy birthdays! On Adeline's birthday she, Wanda, Melinda and Kris ate a fish supper out. Marie Kurtz ate supper Sunday night in the home of Adeline.

The Dale Duggans are babysitting a baby coon for the Chauncey Mansell family, who are off on a trip for a few days. The baby coon is doing fine on goat's milk.

Gladys Cotton, Ballinger and Walter Pape of Santa Anna, visited with Ruth and Bradley Pape Sunday night.

Sorry to hear Uncle Joe Shelton, a longtime resident out here before moving to Ballinger, is seriously ill in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. The last few years he has been making his home in Canterbury Villa in Ballinger.

Hildegard and W. A. Asbury, San Angelo, came by Saturday and had dinner with me, later joined the 45th Class reunion in Winters before going on to Abilene for supper, spending the night and Sunday.

Louise Osborne, Nila and Therin Osborne were in San Angelo Sunday evening to see Joe Shelton in Shannon Hospital, he seemed to be doing some better. The Osbornes visited with Lee Shelton in Ballinger Thursday.

Crews Hopewell Church Revival ended Sunday after dinner with a short service afterwards. A good attendance all four nights and Sunday.

Visiting with the Noble Faubions during the week were Opal and Bill Hamilton, Winters; Helen Alexander, Gladys Cotton, Ballinger; Walter Pape, Santa Anna; and Amentina Faubion of Winters.

On Friday Corra Petire went to see Mrs. Effie Dietz in the Ballinger hospital. While there Effie was moved back to the Canterbury Villa Nursing Home. Corra received word her granddaughter, Melinda Somerville of San Antonio, was seriously ill and rushed to the hospital.

The Walter Jacobs and Louise Michalewicz attended the bridal shower for Martha Stone and Curtis Michalewicz Friday night in the Winters Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

On Saturday Walter and Margie Jacob, Louise Michalewicz attended the wedding of Genese Gray and David Bell in San Angelo.

The Marvin Gerhart family and the Rodney Faubion family attended the wedding of Terry and Michelle McNutt in the St.

Joseph Catholic Church in San Angelo Sunday. Rehearsal supper was Saturday night at the Holiday Inn in San Angelo.

"Correction" Mrs. Ester Worble Ohio called Marie Kurtz on the phone, Pastor Worble is deceased.

During the week with Marie Kurtz were, Betty and Marvin Gray, Odetta Minzenmayer and myself.

Brenda, Richard, Doddie and Gina Chambliss, Hawley, spent Sunday and had dinner with Pat and Earl Cooper. Pat says she is doing some better after seeing her doctor several times.

We are glad to hear Sally Mae Gerhart is doing well enough to be in church Sunday after a few days in North Runnels Hospital.

Odetta Minzenmayer would like to thank the person or persons who is killing all the snakes on the road close to her home, especially the large one at their mail box, sure do appreciate it!

Winters AA meets every Thursday 8 p.m. at 204 W. Truett

Library Notes

By Pauline O'Neal
NEW BOOKS

The Legend of the Lone Ranger

Cabbage Patch Kids Making Friends

Curious George Takes A Job

B-29 The Super Fortress

by Carl Berger

Spitfire

by Air Vice-Marshal "Johnnie" Johnson

DONATIONS

Winters Women's Club \$50

Winters Lions Club \$10

Doris Prewit

BOOKS DONATED BY

Jeff Miller

Kathy Merrill

Juanita Shields

Tandy and Chane Reagan

Jackie Bates

ARTIST OF THE MONTH

Barron Guy

Children not present to receive their certificates for reading were, Tiffany Donica, Tamara Thorpe, Jeana Kozelsky, Kyle Green, Sophia Esquivel, Monica Esquivel, Michael Franklin, Brittany Franklin, Dee Dee Goff, Kristin Goff, Justin Deike and Kerri Heidenheimers.

Garage Sale items are coming in every day. We are grateful for each item. Those donating items by Tuesday morning were: Flowers Etc., Spills, Fay Killough, Nora Reagan, Mary White, Charlsie Poe, Mrs. Henry Vogler, Southside Baptist Church, Ted Butler, Connie Cisneros, Gayland Broadstreet, Stephen Byrne, Dorothy Long, Ruth Green, Oma Lee Overman. Thanks everyone!

See you at the Library!

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1988-1989 School supply list

- PRE-KINDERGARTEN**
 1 jar-white paste (8oz)
 1 box-Crayons (basic 8)
 1 Husky pencil
 1 pr. blunt scissors
 1 box Kleenex-200 count
 1 pkg. assorted construction paper (size 12"x 18")
 1 Nifty 112 Manuscript tablet
 1 school box
- Be Sure To Label All Supplies, With The Student's Name.**
- KINDERGARTEN**
 2 lg. pkgs. assorted construction paper (12"x 18")
 1 box of Kleenex (200 count)
 1 pr. scissors-blunt end
 1 box BASIC 8 Crayons
 1 bottle Elmers glue-4 oz.
 1 school box or cigar box
 1 bar deodorant soap
 2 #2 lead pencils
- FIRST GRADE**
 1 folder with pockets
 2 Primary pencils (Huskey or King Cole)
 2 #2 lead pencils
 1 bottle-Elmer's glue-8 oz.

- 1 pair scissors pointed
 1 box Crayons (16 count)
 2 boxes Kleenex (200 count)
 2 Big Chief tablets
 1 eraser-pink
 1 school box
- SECOND GRADE**
 1 roll of Scotch tape
 1 Big Chief tablet
 1 ruler-12 inches-wooden
 1 bottle Elmers glue 8 oz.
 1 eraser
 2 pencils #2 lead
 1 pr. scissors-pointed
 1 box Crayons 24 count
 2 boxes Kleenex (200 count)
 1 spiral notebook
- THIRD GRADE**
 1 roll Scotch tape
 notebook paper standard
- FOURTH GRADE**
 1 pkg. assorted construction paper (either size)
 2 boxes Kleenex (200 count)
 1 box Crayons-24 count
 1 pr. scissors-pointed
 1 box map colors
 1 ruler
 2 red lead pencils or pens
 notebook paper standard
 1 lg. pencil eraser
 1 pkg. Scotch tape
 1 pkg. manila paper 9"x12"
 1 bottle Elmers glue-8 oz.
 1 black magic marker
 3 expansion folders with pockets
 5 #2 lead pencils
 2 pens-blue or black
 1 pkg. crayola markers-8 count
- FIFTH GRADE**
 1 protractor
 1 pkg. construction paper (assorted & either size paper)
 notebook paper standard

- MARKERS**
 1 box Kleenex (200 count)
 1 eraser
 2 Spiral notebooks (80-100 pages per notebook)
 1 folder (with pockets and brads)
- FOURTH GRADE**
 1 pkg. assorted construction paper (either size)
 2 boxes Kleenex (200 count)
 1 box Crayons-24 count
 1 pr. scissors-pointed
 1 box map colors
 1 ruler
 2 red lead pencils or pens
 notebook paper standard
 1 lg. pencil eraser
 1 pkg. Scotch tape
 1 pkg. manila paper 9"x12"
 1 bottle Elmers glue-8 oz.
 1 black magic marker
 3 expansion folders with pockets
 5 #2 lead pencils
 2 pens-blue or black
 1 pkg. crayola markers-8 count
- FIFTH GRADE**
 1 protractor
 1 pkg. construction paper (assorted & either size paper)
 notebook paper standard

- SIXTH GRADE**
 Notebook paper-standard not college rule
 1 water color paint set 8 count
 No notebooks, such as Trapper Keepers
- 1 pr. scissors - pointed
 1 box map colors
 1 pens - blue - not black
 1 pens - red
 1 pencils #2 lead
 1 box Crayons 24 count
 1 green pen
 1 box Crayola markers 8 count

Volunteer firemen attend school

Ronald H. Stringer volunteer fireman of the Miles Volunteer Fire Department, Miles, Texas is attending the 59th Annual Texas Firemen's Training School, July 24-29. The school, attended by nearly 2,000 students representing about 750 cities from more than 25 states, is being held on the Texas A&M University campus this week. Firemen can choose their course 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 Stringer is being sponsored by Runnels County Farm Bureau and Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies by contributing toward the cost of the school. Since volunteer firemen are interested in attending this school to help do a bet-

ter 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 Miles Volunteer Department to better serve the residents of Runnels County."



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<p>Boneless Sirloin Steak \$2.69 lb.</p>	<p>Sliced Beef Liver 89¢ lb.</p>	<p>Fresh Ground Chuck \$1.39 lb.</p>	<p>Market Trim Boneless Brisket \$1.98 lb.</p>	
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NOTICE! NOTICE! The Winters Housing Authority has always accepted single elderly handicapped or disabled qualified tenants and we will continue to do so. However, as of June 14, 1988 we will now accept and place single non-elderly, non-handicapped and non-disabled qualified applicants. Apply in person at 300 N. Grant, Winters, or call 754-4232 Monday-Friday 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Equal Opportunity Housing.

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HELP WANTED: Runnels County Sheriff's Office is now taking applications for Jailor. Apply at Runnels County Sheriff's Office.

THE PEACHTREE is now accepting applications for the position of cook. Apply in person only, Peachtree Restaurant, Highway 153 West, Winters.

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LOST OR STRAYED: Male Shetland Sheep Dog. Dark amber brown and white. Has one blue eye, one brown eye, wearing a collar and tags. Answers to Woody. Last seen about 10 miles SW of Winters. If found please contact Leo Minzenmayer at 754-4216.

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AKC REG. MALE POMERANIAN: 10 months old, approx. 10 lbs., \$50. Call 754-4987 or 754-5400.

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GARAGE SALES

ANNOUNCING! City Wide Garage Sale, Saturday, August 6, Winters Community Center. Proceeds go to the Winters Public Library. We are asking the citizens of the City of Winters to support your local library by donating items for this sale. Please bring your items by the library or call 754-4251 for pick up. Thank you for your support! All book donations for the library are appreciated.

GARAGE SALE: 600 Trinity, Thurs., Fri. 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., Sat. 8-2. Evaporative A/C, several old school desks, figurines, 1 nice study desk, old time fruit jars with glass lids, kid's clothes & misc.

YARD SALE: 207 Redner St. Saturday only, 9-5. Selected linens, clothes, misc., and plants galore. Reasonable! Don't miss it!

CARPORT SALE: Fri. & Sat. Aug. 5 & 6. Baby car seat, walker and playpen, color TV, glass shower doors, stereo, clothing and lots of what-nots, 205 S. Magnolia.

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Carpet, furniture, toys, bikes, jeans, bedspreads and clothes (children & adults), 212 Laurel Drive, Fri. 9-6 and Sat. 8-1.

Eat wise with age

Senior citizens should remember that your need for nutrition doesn't decline even though you don't need as many calories as you used to. In fact, you probably need to eat more wisely than you ever have in your life.

Dr. Ann Blankenship, nutritionist at Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine, tells her audiences of senior citizens to choose nutrient-dense foods, like nonfat yogurt, low-fat cheeses, lean meats or fresh, raw fruits or

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District will meet Thursday, August 18, 1988, at 7:30 p.m. in the School Administration Office, to consider a proposed budget for the school year of 1988-89. Public notice is hereby given as required by law, and any person desiring to discuss the proposed budget is invited to attend.

(August 4, 11)

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE: Wed., Thurs., Fri., Aug. 3, 4, 5, 100 Parklane. Water pumps, 10 speed bicycle, piano, small appliances, dinette and much more.

YARD SALE: Fri. 8-6, Sat. 8-12 (weather permitting) 402 E. Pierce. Lots of things.

CLEANING OUT GARAGE SALE: Wed. p.m. until Friday night, twin bed, complete 2 living room chairs, complete window water, A/C, refrigerated A/C, lot of misc. You name I got it, 809 E. Truett.

vegetables. Get the most nutrition for the fewest calories. Try adding nutrients to the food you eat...like putting nonfat dry milk powder in puddings, mashed potatoes, cooked cereals and cream soups.

And for seniors, it's particularly important to watch the sugar, salt and fat. Eliminate the calories that do you no good.

Dr. Blankenship has another tip for older citizens: Prepare food when your energy level is high. Cook them then and freeze or store them so that you'll have them on hand when you might not feel like preparing them. You can avoid having to resort to processed, high-cost, convenient food.

Eating right can help you maintain a vigorous, bright lifestyle, whether you're 25 or 75.

Across the Mayor's Desk

Today, I would like to dedicate "Winters Area All Stars Day" to honor the three teams that represented Winters, Robert Lee, and Bronte in the area playoffs. There are two girls teams and 1 boys team that should be congratulated. Even though this is not a city related matter it is a community related accomplishment that took many hours of hard work on the part of our youth. I had the fortune to follow the boys team and it was the highlight of my summer and Winters, Robert Lee, and Bronte should be very proud of the outstanding achievements of each team. Their accomplishments are significant in several areas. First, the shedding of city rivalries to work together towards a common goal was tremendous and proved West Texans working together can accomplish anything. These teams were up against towns such as Abilene and Snyder and fought every inch of the way without once being intimidated. Secondly, the dedication shown by the coaches and these players to spend the many hours of their summer vacation to represent our cities. Unless you have been involved, the average person has no idea. Thirdly, one of the area tournaments was hosted by our Little League and it gives us a chance to show off our city and its citizens. So if you see Bill Cathey or any of the directors of the Little League give them a thanks. Once again, I salute the youth of our community.

Coleman Junior Rodeo planned

The 32nd annual Coleman County Junior Rodeo will be held on August 11, 12, and 13, 1988 at the Coleman Rodeo Grounds. J. C. Knapp Rodeo Company of Mansfield, Texas will produce this years rodeo with nightly performances at 8 p.m.

The 1988 Rodeo Queen is Shanna Ehrler, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ehrler of Coleman, Texas. She will be featured nightly at the rodeo as well as in the downtown parade in Coleman on Saturday, August 13, at 5 p.m. Saturday's parade will feature all entries in the float division, riding clubs, and decorated cars, along with any other riders. All divisions will be judged and awarded prizes.

The highlight of this years rodeo is the presentation of two Longhorn trophy saddles to be given to the High Point Boy and High Point Girl Trophy buckles will be given to all first places and trophies to second and third places. All events will be jackpot in three age divisions of 12 and under; 13-15; and 16-19. Admission charges for this years rodeo are 5 and under free; 6-12 \$1; and 13 and over \$2. Proceeds from the rodeo this year will go toward scholarships in the amount of \$800 awarded to Coleman County Seniors who are active in the Coleman County Junior Rodeo Association.

Southern Cross of Coleman, Texas will play for the dance at the open air pavilion each night from 9 to 1 a.m. Admission charges are \$3 each or \$5 per couple.

This years junior rodeo officers are Archie Jameson President; Gregg Harris, Vice-President; Leigh Ann Alexander, secretary; and Shawn Harris, Jr. Arena Director. Senior officers are Rusty Ryan-President; Max Jameson-Vice-President; Kay Hubbard-Secretary; and Debby Bodenchuk-Treasurer; and Buck McGonagill-Sr. Arena Director.

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With the swimming year working on it's last month, I would like to take this opportunity to thank Dottie Loudermilk and her staff for an outstanding job at the municipal pool this summer. It's been our most successful year in many due to their hard work and extremely responsible attitude. The pool will close at the end of August so lets all enjoy the final month to the fullest extent.

If you have any questions or comments feel free to contact me, Randy M. Springer or the Winters Enterprise.

Dear Editor
Your firearm rights may be taken away from you unless you call your Congressman immediately and ask him to oppose H.R. 975, The Feighan Gun Control Bill!!!

Between August 2 and 12, the most important vote on the Gun Issue to ever come before the U.S. Congress will take place. I urgently need you to call your Congressman at the telephone number that I have put on the response document that is included in this mailing.

The vote on this bill will determine whether your state and all of America is forced to accept New Jersey style Gun Control legislation that routinely denies honest citizens the right to own firearms while armed criminals remain untouched. That is why Rodino has joined forces with Sarah Brady and Handgun Control, Inc., to pass the Metzbaum/Feighan Gun Control Bill. If they succeed, all America will be living under a system where gun ownership is no longer a guaranteed right but one controlled by a government bureaucrat who has dictatorial powers and you have no right of

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appeal on his decision. The anti-gun crowd is going to great extremes on this one. Because Metzbaum and Feighan are in the front of the Gun Ban movement, they've renamed their legislation the "Brady Bill" in order to fool the general public and to help the anti-gun press in their attempt to railroad this bill through congress.

They can call this bill whatever they want to, but it sets up a system that will eventually take away all your firearm rights and ban gun ownership in America.

The Feighan bill is not a crime control proposal, it is a gun control proposal. The truth is criminals operate outside a system like this.

Criminals won't wait, won't register, won't apply to be investigated by the government. Criminals are criminals, and that's what Peter Rodino, Howard Metzbaum, Ed Feighan, and Sarah Brady can never get through their heads. Under the Metzbaum/Feighan/Brady Gun Bill, only honest citizens are harassed and lose their firearm rights.

So, please—even if you have helped a dozen times before, we need your help again. If you have never called or written your Congressman before, now is the time to do it.

Our firearms freedoms can not be protected unless you are willing to write or call and let your Congressman know you won't stand for a bad bill. The Metzbaum/Feighan Bill, the Brady Bill or the drug/gun control bill, whatever phony name it may be operating under on the day you call.

Remember, after you call your Congressman at the telephone number I've put on the response document, follow up with a letter, telegram or mailgram.

If your Congressman votes for the anti-gun proposal, you and I and all Americans will have lost our constitutional right to gun ownership in America. You must call or write your congressman immediately and ask him to oppose the Feighan Gun Control Proposal!

Sincerely,
Wayne LaPierre, Executive Director
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Obituaries

James Smith

James Franklin Smith, 85, of Winters, died at 3:45 a.m. Wednesday, July 27, 1988, at Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Ballinger.

Born February 7, 1903 in Lampasas, he married Armendy Bailey July 28, 1951 in Lampasas and lived there until 1952 then moving to Bryan. They returned to Winters in 1959 and had lived here since.

He was a farmer and served in the U.S. Air Force in World War II.

Survivors include one son, James Marvin Smith of Winters; three daughters, Rubby Ussery of Phoenix, Arizona, Marie Crisler of Fontana, Kansas and Alice Marie Oaks of Waco; three brothers, Luther Smith and LaVell Smith, both of Winters and Cleo Smith of Lampasas; two sisters, Dorothy Connally of Deer Park, Texas and Gladys Lungsford of Lampasas; and four grandchildren.

Services for James Franklin Smith were held at 2 p.m. Friday, July 29, at the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Jim Gehrels officiating. Burial was in Old Runnels Cemetery near Ballinger, directed by Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were: Bill Hollis, Jerry Wright, Andy Smith, Eddie Bennie, Johnny Fine and Conrad Smith.

Joe Brosig

Joe C. Brosig, 88, of San Angelo, passed away at 9:10 a.m. Tuesday, July 26, 1988, at the Baptist Memorial Geriatric Center.

Mr. Brosig was born on December 4, 1899, in Tom Green County and moved with his parents, Julius and Nellie Brosig, to Concho County in 1903. He attended school at Lowake, Texas, and later continued his education at Blinn College in Brenham.

Mr. Brosig married Eula Mae Hoy July 2, 1923, in Denton, Texas. The couple later moved near Paint Rock, where Mr. Brosig was engaged in ranching. In 1983 they moved to Baptist Memorial Village. This year they marked their 65th wedding anniversary.

He was a former director of the First State Bank of Paint Rock, a charter member of the Lions Club, a former President of the Lowake Community Center and a longtime member and past deacon of the First Baptist Church at Paint Rock. He was also active in the Soil Conservation Service, Lower Concho River Authority and Highway 83 Association.

He was preceded in death by three brothers and three sisters.

Survivors include his wife, Eula Mae; two sisters, Hattie Goetz of Winters and Anna Wood of Corsicana; three sisters-in-law; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services for Joe C. Brosig were held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, July 28, in the Robert Massie Riverside Chapel with Dr. Taylor Henley, executive director of Baptist Memorial Hospital, and the Rev. Bill Swindler of Paint Rock officiating. Burial was in Fairmount Cemetery, directed by Robert Massie Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were nephews E. H. Brosig, Jr. of Paint Rock, Joe Carver Brosig II of Paint Rock, Joe Emery Parkes of Wolfe City, Texas, D. J. Goetz, Jr. of Winters, J. H. Justice of Corsicana, Donald Brosig of San Angelo, Mickey Brosig of Austin and Stanley Brosig of Big Spring.

The family requests memorials be made to the Baptist Memorial Geriatric Center, First Baptist Church of Paint Rock or a favorite charity.

Pam Turk

Pam Turk from The Colony in Dallas passed away in her sleep July 20, 1988, at the family home. Memorial service was held Saturday, July 23, at 10 a.m. in Restland Memorial Chapel in Dallas. Service was conducted by her brothers-in-law, the Rev. Dr. Truman Turk of Gatesville, and the Rev. Wayne Kolendo of Minneapolis, Minn. Interment was in

Restland Memorial Gardens in Dallas.

Pam was born October 7, 1951 in Dallas. She attended Dallas Public Schools and East Texas State University.

She was married to Arnold S. Turk, September 10, 1963. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Turk. She was a Baptist and was employed by Lone Star Life Insurance Company of Dallas as director of data processing.

Survivors include her husband, Arnold S. Turk; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee of Dallas; one sister, Diane Kolendo of Minneapolis, Minn.; one brother Jerry Lee of Dallas; her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Randles of Dallas; and other loving relatives and friends.

Charles Neff

Charles E. Neff, 60, of Lake Brownwood, died Tuesday, July 26, 1988, in Clyde.

Born in Hale County, he moved to Lake Brownwood 10 years ago from Coleman County. He had lived in Artesia, New Mexico for 30 years. He was an auctioneer and rancher. He was a Baptist, a Master Mason and a U.S. Army veteran.

Survivors include three sisters, Mary Lou Jones of Trickham, Betty Davis of Odessa and Jean Jackson of Hico; a brother, Robert Neff of Ballinger; and several nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles.

Services for Charles E. Neff were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, July 28, at First Baptist Church in Santa Anna with the Rev. Jasper McClellan officiating. Burial was in Coleman City Cemetery, directed by Henderson Funeral Home of Santa Anna.

Grace Lisso

Grace Lisso, 78, of Ballinger, died Sunday, July 31, 1988, at a San Angelo hospital.

Born in Sidney, Montana, she moved to Ballinger in 1947.

She was a saleswoman for Black's Department Store and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Charles Lisso of Blackwell and Tommy Taylor of San Angelo; a brother, Hughie Rundle of Austin; and three grandchildren.

Services for Grace Lisso were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, August 2, at the Rains-Seale Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. James Wilcox officiating. Burial was in the Protestant Cemetery, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Nadine Callan

Nadine Callan, 81, of Rotan, died Tuesday, July 26, 1988, in a Rotan nursing home.

Born in Bonham County, she graduated from Anson High School and Abilene Christian University in 1927. She moved to Rotan in 1930 from Temple.

She was a homemaker and the widow of Dr. Chester U. Callan.

Survivors include two sons, Dr. C. M. Callan of Rotan and Dr. Jack Callan of Abilene; a daughter, Charlotte Lancaster of Winters; 12 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services for Nadine Callan were held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, July 28, at Rotan Church of Christ with Don Dawes and Tommy Harbin officiating. Burial was in Belvieu Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Etta Doran

Etta Jewel Doran, 80, of Ballinger, died Saturday, July 30, 1988, in Austin.

Born in Voca, she was a longtime area resident.

She was a housekeeper and a member of the Church of Christ. Survivors include three daughters, Ida Chastain of Prairie Lea, Gladys Campbell of Kyle and Barbara Everhart of San Angelo; a son, James LeRoy Fanning of Austin; a sister, Mary Belle Brookshire of Longview; 17 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren.

Graveside services for Etta Jewel Doran were held at 2 p.m. Monday, August 1, in the Evergreen Cemetery with William Hart officiating, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Maxsima Trevino

Maxsima Trevino, 84, of Winters, died at 3:45 p.m. Monday, August 1, 1988, at North Runnels Hospital.

Born Maxsima Aguilar April 15, 1904 in Mexico. She married Nicholas Trevino September 11, 1939 in Hondo. They lived there until 1959 when they moved to Winters.

She was a homemaker and a member of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church. Her husband preceded her in death.

Survivors include one son, Pablo Trevino of Winters; one daughter, Cecilia Dela Rosa of Winters; and eight grandchildren.

Rosary was said at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Winters Funeral Home Chapel. Mass was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, August 3, at the Mt. Carmel Catholic Church with Father William Daughtery officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were: Paul Trevino, Jr., Robert Baker, Eddie Trevino, Monte Baker, Nick Trevino and Danny Trevino.

USDA extends CRP signup and weed control program

The conservation reserve program signup in the ASCS office has been extended from August 5 to August 31 of this year because of the drought situation. This allows farmers more time to consider the effects of the drought.

According to the Soil Conservation Service, weed control is important in establishing grasses on your conservation reserve program acres. If it is evident that weeds are overtaking or damaging your seeded grass, it's time to take action.

There are two types of weed control, chemical and mechanical. The goal is to kill or suppress weeds so that the desirable seeded grasses may become established. Several factors must be evaluated before action can be taken in controlling the weeds. A person must know: how dense the weeds are (are they shading out the seeded grasses and stealing vital moisture); how mature are the undesirable plants; what kind of weeds are most prominent; and what stage of growth are the desirable grasses (is there any grass).

Chemical Control
If your CRP acres are located in the northwest corner of Runnels County (north of Colorado River and west of Hwy. 83), during the time between May 26 and October 1, hormonal herbicides cannot be used. So a person may want to use a mechanical method of weed control, rope wicking, or apply herbicides before May 26, if the CRP acres are in this location.

When using herbicides to control weeds use a selective chemical that will kill the most prominent weeds without damage to the desirable grasses. Keep in mind that the seeded grass must be past the four to five leaf stage or any chemical will damage or kill the grass and the seed production of the grasses may be affected if sprayed in the early boot of heading stage. Herbicides are usually most effect between 70 and 80 degrees F, satisfactory between 64-85 degrees F, and can damage your grasses if sprayed above 90 degrees F. Caution should be used when spraying on windy days. If velocity exceeds 10 mph, don't spray.

Ropewicking can be used in the regulated spray zone and or to be selectively kill johnsongrass and other undesirable plants that may be shading out the seeded grasses. Ropewicking selectively wipes the chemical (roundup) on taller plants, allowing only shorter plants that are not seeded or desirable grasses are six inches below the undesirable weeds.

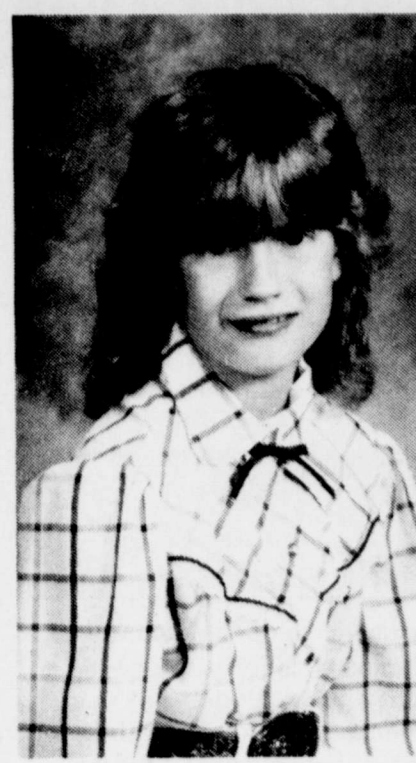
Mechanical Control
Another alternative used to control weeds is shredding or mowing. The shredder should be set 1" above the average height of the seeded grass. This method suppresses the weeds allowing the desirable grasses to over-

Local girl wins awards at horse show

Cheri Dry, daughter of Cherry and Linda Dry, was in Lubbock, Texas, on July 23 and 24, to participate in a Southwest Association of Western Horsemen approved points horse show. The SAWH show circuit includes shows in Texas cities such as Lubbock and Plainview as well as cities in New Mexico such as Clovis and Roswell.

On July 23, Cheri entered five classes. She placed third in Showmanship at Halter-age 14-17, first in Western Pleasure-13 and under, second in Western Riding-17 and under, second in Trail-13 and under, and second in Trail-Green ("Green" classes are for horses in their first and second year of showing. They may be shown by professionals or amateurs of any age.)

On July 24, Cheri entered six classes. She placed third in Showmanship at halter-Age 14-17, first in Western Pleasure-13 and under, fifth in Western Pleasure-Green(Cheri was the only child entered in the "Green" events. She competed against professional trainers and amateur adults.) first in Western Riding-17 and under, second in Trail-13 and under, and second in Western Horsemanship-13



Cheri Dry

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Rosettes were awarded to first place winners and ribbons were given to second through sixth places.

Cheri and her American Quarter Horse, Jolly's Fox Socks, train under the supervision of Ken Lynch of Ballinger.

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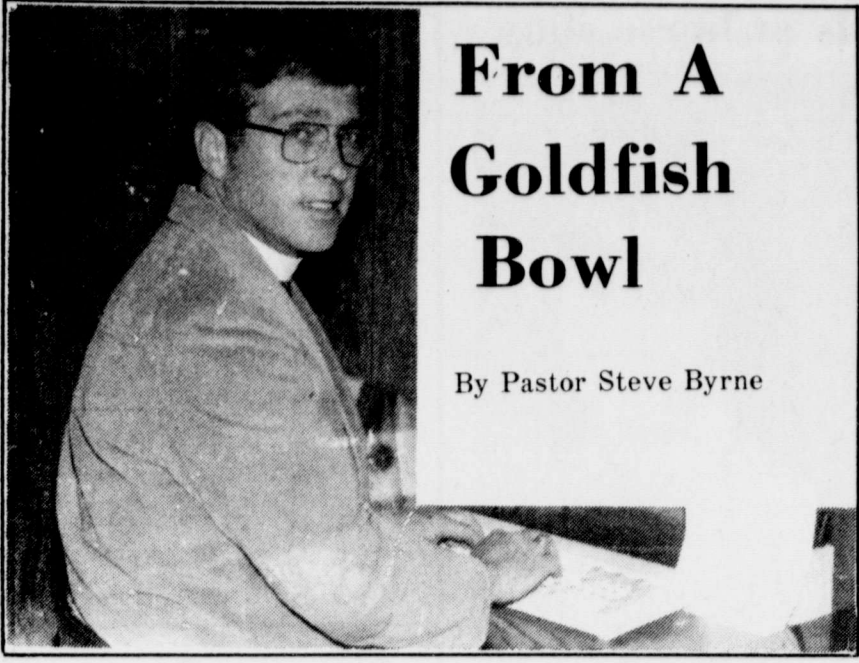
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55 Roast 9-lb. Ground Meat 10-lb. Fryers 5-lb. Cutlets \$55



From A Goldfish Bowl

By Pastor Steve Byrne

What goes around comes around. It is almost 20 years ago now that the rock opera, *Jesus Christ, Superstar*, was in the news. Churches were denouncing it as blasphemous. It would surely shake the foundations of Christianity. You see, this musical work dealt with the humanity of Jesus as the artist who wrote it imagined.

I saw the play and bought the soundtrack. It made Jesus very real to me. I had never thought much of the humanity of Jesus. That he really felt all the things that I felt. He just dealt with them infinitely better than I did. *Jesus Christ, Superstar* was a significant influence on my decision to go to seminary.

Now we have the same sort of thing going on with a movie that very few people have ever seen. *The Last Temptation of Christ*. It is a movie that is about to be released by Universal Pictures in September. The story line is that it is one man's (Nikos Kazantzakis') fantasy of what must have gone through Jesus' mind as he was on the cross. From the cross, Jesus has this dream sequence in which he imagines what it would be like for him to give up the pain of the cross, come down, and go on and live a normal life, like the rest of us. And die an old man in his own bed.

Evidently, part of living this normal life is being a weaker person than we know Jesus was. And the movie, according to reports, shows some scenes where Jesus imagines a sexual relationship with Mary Magdalene, fathering children with Mary and Martha, Lazarus' sisters. Jesus is supposedly pictured as a "wimp," according to one minister who has not seen the movie either, but has read the script.

I have a hard time with some of the exploitation that goes on in the movies. I have a harder time with something like this. But I have an even harder time with censorship. Many of my colleagues and fellow Christian countrymen are launching a campaign to prevent Universal from releasing the movie. I have a very dear friend and colleague who is mounting a campaign to boycott any movie house in Abilene that shows this movie for a period of one year. He is earnestly gathering signatures on a petition. I applaud him for standing up for what he believes. But I still have a problem with censorship.

You can read most of this stuff in the papers and watch it on TV. After Kazantzakis' death, his wife published a book of his personal letters. He was a big time author a time back. Three years after he completed *The Last Temptation*, in 1954, he wrote a letter to a friend named Borje Knos. In it he says, "I've always been amazed at the narrow-mindedness and narrow-heartedness of human beings. Here is a book that I wrote in

a state of deep religious exaltation, with fervent love for Christ, the Pope, has no understanding of it at all, he cannot sense the Christian love with which it was written, and he condemns it!"

This kind of book certainly wouldn't be my way of showing fervent love for Christ. But evidently it was for Nikos.

The director, Martin Scorsese, whose project it was to make the film, was raised Roman Catholic and studied for the priesthood before directing films. His comment on the movie is, "I firmly believe that we have made a motion picture which will serve as a reaffirmation of faith to members of the Christian Community."

What is one to believe? Will it drive us into the arms of Satan if we see it? Or will it affirm our faith in Christ?

I am glad that we live in a country where Christians are free to voice their opinions, boycott things that they feel are blasphemous, and picket theaters. But it is the same first amendment that gives Kazantzakis the right to publish a book and Universal the right to release the movie.

Maybe it is time for the Church to get our heads out of the sand and realize that heresies do abound in our world. And we won't stop them by censorship of books and movies, but we can confront them. With proclamation of sound doctrine as to the deity and humanity of Christ.

When a Church takes a stand and tells an adult person that he/she should or should not read a book or see a movie, it appears that we do not respect the ability of an adult to think and discern and make up his/her own minds. It smacks of treating adults with very little respect or dignity. At best, it is condescending and patronizing.

People don't have to go to this movie. Some will. Some Christians will. Some Christians may be enriched in their faith. Others may be disgusted. With all the publicity that this movie has garnered, that IS the reality. It seems to me another approach in response to the movie would be to honor the fact that people will make up their own minds. And for those who choose to see the movie, the church could offer a guided discussion of how this piece of fiction relates, if at all, to the factual story of Jesus in the Bible. Frankly, I hope that St. John's can respond in that way.

Whether you see the movie or not, it makes little difference. What really makes a difference is that 2000 years ago Jesus surely must have been tempted to avoid the cross (the Bible talks about that in Matthew 26, Mark 14, and Luke 22) Yet because he loved you so much, he died on the cross so that you could be saved. If you get that point, you have just about got it all.

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Zan Blount receives ACU scholarship

Abilene Christian University senior Zan Blount, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lipham, has been awarded a \$2,500 Arthur H. Carter Scholarship.

She is an accounting major from Tuscola.

The scholarships are awarded to students from across the nation with good character and promise of leadership in the field of accounting.

Carter was a partner in the firm of Haskins & Sells. Mrs. Carter was the daughter of Eli-

jah Watt Sells, founder of the international firm of Deloitte Haskins & Sells, Certified Public Accountants.

Awards may be made to undergraduate or graduate level students. Blount will receive her check during the first meeting of the ACU Student Accounting Society meeting this fall.

"This recognition is a mark of excellence for the student and for the school as well," wrote the trustees for the Carter Scholarship Fund.

Turk reunion held

Descendants of Otto F. Turk gathered at the Winters Community Center in Winters on Saturday, July 16, 1988 for the annual family reunion.

O. F. Turk, along with his parents emigrated from Germany as a boy of seven. The family arrived in Galveston on October 15, 1879. Otto's boyhood years were spent in Austin, LaVaca, Fayette and Gonzales Counties. He married Minna Schroeder in 1896. She died in 1906, leaving Otto with three small children. In 1907 he married Theresa Wild. In 1912 Otto and Theresa and family moved to Runnels County, settling east of Winters on what is now known as the E B Ranch. Both Mr. and Mrs. Turk are buried in the Lutheran Cemetery by St. John's Lutheran Church in Winters where they were members.

The children of Otto and Minna Turk are: Alexander (deceased); Alma Turk Baack (deceased); Hilda Turk Bredemeyer of Winters, and Otto (deceased).

The children of Otto and Theresa Turk are: William F. Turk of San Angelo (unable to attend because of ill health); Hertha Bates of Ballinger, Hedwig Minzenmayer of Winters; Leona Piel of Malone; Carl Turk of Winters; Raymond Turk of Cuero; Robert Turk (died in infancy); and Elfreda Muston of Corpus Christi.

Some seventy-five descendants including six children and their spouses; grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren were present for the festivities. They came from Ft. Worth, Dallas, San Antonio, Ballinger, Midland, Springtown, Blomington, Inez, San Angelo, Corpus Christi, Cuero, Robinson, Malone and Waco.

The family will meet again next July in Winters.

Nursing Home News

Mr. Cecil Fox has returned to the Home after a lengthy stay in Humana Hospital in Abilene. We welcome him back and hope he continues to improve.

Jo Miller and John Haley entertained for us last Friday night. We appreciate their coming and all those who volunteer their time and talents for us. I failed to mention last week that we had Garland Crouch, Jim Prine, Leon Springer and Jo Miller to play and sing for us. We enjoyed you too, guys and gal. Keep up the good work.

We had lots of good vegetables brought in to us last week. Those whose names I have been given are A. J. Bishop, squash & okra, O. C. Hill, blackeye peas & okra, Joyce Moore, okra, George and Cleo Brown, grapes. I hope that I have mentioned everyone who has shared with us. Thank you so much.

1st Annual Firemen's Benefit Golf Tournament Sat. Aug. 20, 9 a.m.

Keep up with the latest happenings in the Winters area. Subscribe to the Enterprise.

District 4-H Fashion Show held

Runnels County 4-H'ers came home with their share of the gold from the recent District 7 4-H Fashion Show. The competition took place at the District Research & Extension Center near San Angelo.

The big winner of the day was Diane Kalina, of Miles, who will advance to the State 4-H Fashion Show competition August 22-23 in Corpus Christi. She was not only the champion in her Senior Tailored Division, but was also the 1st Place Wool Award winner and the 1st Place Mohair winner.

Tammy Strube, of the Norton 4-H Club, received championship honors in the Junior Sportswear Division.

Receiving Reserve Champion honors in the Intermediate Daywear Division was Angie Hohensee, of the Miles 4-H Club. She also received the 1st Place Cotton Award in the Intermediate Division.

Others attending the competition and receiving first place ribbons were: Angela Bryan of Winters; Jennifer Bickel of Ballinger; Leslie Moeller of Miles; Tracey Binder of Ballinger; and James Moeller of Miles.

Also receiving recognition and second place honors were Bonnie Dierschke of Rowena; Susan Bryan of Winters; and Amanda Harrell of Norton.

These 4-H'ers competed with 4-H'ers from seventeen other counties in our district. Competition was based on appearance of their constructed garments on themselves.

Also attending were the parents and leaders of these 4-H'ers and Patricia Hohensee, County Extension Agent. Serving as some of the judges were two Runnels County Home Economists: Diane Halfmann and Donna Hinders.

Winters women return from trip

Ellen Meyer, Jo Olive Hancock, Nina Hale, and Mary Stanfield returned July 26 from a 31-day motor tour of the Northwest. Points of interest on the trip included the Badlands, Mount Rushmore, and the Passion Play in South Dakota; Glacier National Park, Montana; Banff, Lake Louise, and the Jasper ice fields, Alberta Canada; Fairbanks, Denali (Mt. McKinley), Anchorage, and Skagway, Alaska; Dawson City, Whitehorse, and Watson Lake in the Yukon Territory; the Inside Passage from Skagway to Vancouver Island aboard the Alaskan and British Columbian ferries; the Butchart Gardens and the city of Victoria on Vancouver Island; Mt. St. Helens and Mt. Ranier in Washington State; Yellowstone National Park in Wyoming; and Aspen, Colorado.

Detours from the original itinerary were required twice—the first in the Yukon because of a landslide near Destruction Bay and Whitehorse, and the second in Wyoming because of a forest fire in Yellowstone National Park near Old Faithful geyser.

Memo from the Chamber of Commerce

Are you going to Sea World at San Antonio between now and December 31? If so, come by the office and pick up some coupons that will give you a 15% discount on Gate Passes.

Have you cleaned out the closet for the Library Garage Sale? Time is now, the sale begins 8 a.m. Saturday, August 6 at the Community Center north of town. If you have anything to donate, call the Library 754-4251 or the Chamber Office 754-5210. And on September 10, Casa Cabana is making that Library Day at

their restaurant. A percentage of the profits will be donated to the Library.

We trust that all the craft people out in this area are getting ideas to begin work soon. Time moves along so fast that before we know it, October will be here, and reservations for the big Annual Arts & Crafts Fair will need to be made.

Enjoy the remainder of your summer. Life rushes by so so fast in our busy world, take time to "smell the roses" as you live each day.

Methodist ladies met

The United Methodist ladies met August 2, in the church parlor. Those present were, Corra Petire, Lois Jones, Odessa Dobbins, Billie Middlebrook, Ionah Vinson, Dorece Colburn and Ethel Bridwell.

The president held a short business meeting and Odessa lead the group in prayer. Corra Petrie was in charge of the program "Gospel Clues, to Communication". Odessa read the scripture, and "Wonderful Words of Life" was sang and "We've a Story to tell to the Nations". Billie lead in prayer. Those on the program were Billie and Ethel.

Benediction was repeated in unison.

Hospital

Notes

ADMISSIONS

July 26 None
 July 27 Lillian Awalt
 Rita Flores
 Gladys Myers

July 28 Kenneth Boynton
 Sandra Ovalles

July 29 None
 July 30 None
 July 31 Evelyn Forrester

August 1 None

DISMISSALS

July 26 Kandy Sheppard

July 27 None

July 28 Gladys Myers

July 29 Gavier Gonzales, Jr.
 Kenneth Boynton
 Exie Haynes

July 30 None

July 31 Rita Flores
 Marie Wheat

August 1 Sandra Ovalles

Friendly Helpers held meeting

The Wilmeth Friendly Helpers Club met with Rosalie Simpson Wednesday, July 27 with six members present.

A quiz and preception was held with Joyce winning the prize.

Refreshments were served to: Oma Lee Overman, Lessie Robinson, Eva Wright, Genevieve Denson, Joyce Broadstreet and hostess, Rosalie Simpson.

The next meeting will be with Eva Wright August 10.

Card of Thanks

My family joins me in an attempt to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness while I was in the hospital in Abilene and since my return home.

The many beautiful cards and words of encouragement, telephone calls, food brought to the home, the prayers offered and for ever offer of help.

We hope each of you will accept this as our personal "Thank You".

Ellen Reid
 Doris and Homer Stoecker
 Margaret Ellen and
 Paul McCormick



NEWCOMERS

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Barthelemy are proud to announce the birth of a son, Steven Keith, born Sunday July 24, 1988. He weighed seven pounds 10 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Steven Keith is welcomed home by three brothers, Michael Jason and Andrew.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nichols and Winnie Barthelemy, all of Winters.

Paternal great-grandmother is Freda Reeves.

Teri Hinds of Winters announces the arrival of a daughter, Kendra Lynnette Hinds. Born June 20, 1988, at Humana Hospital in Abilene weighing six pounds and 5.4 ounces.

Grandparents are Kerry and Kelly Craig of Winters and Barbara Hinds and David Hinds of Coleman.

Great-grandparents are Frankie and LeRoy Griffin of Stephenville, Yvonne Thomas of Winters, Lee and Evelyn Craig of Coleman and Carroll and Addie Hinds of Glen Cove.

Great-great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Traylor of Coleman.

Tree talk: Scientists speculate that some trees may have the ability to communicate with each other. *International Wildlife* magazine reports that willow trees, and perhaps some others, may warn trees of their own kind that insects are on the attack. When insects start nibbling on one tree, it gives off a scent that may be picked up by other trees nearby. The scent tells the other trees to produce insect repellent chemicals quickly in their leaves.

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8-19	Hawley Scrimmage	7:30 H	8-19	Hawley Scrimmage	6:00 H	* District Games				
8-26	Albany Scrimmage	7:30 T	8-26	Albany Scrimmage	6:00 T					
9-2	Coleman	8:00 H	9-1	Coleman	6:30 T					
9-9	Roscoe	8:00 H	9-8	Roscoe	6:30 T					
9-16	Hamlin	8:00 T	9-15	Hamlin	7:30 H	9-15	Hamlin	6:00 H	9-15	Hamlin 5:00 H
9-23	Jim Ned	8:00 H	9-22	Jim Ned	7:30 T	9-22	Jim Ned	6:00 T	9-22	Jim Ned 5:00 T
9-30	Stamford	8:00 T	9-29	Stamford	8:00 H	9-29	Stamford	6:30 H	9-29	Stamford 5:30 H
10-7	Wall *	8:00 T	10-6	Wall	7:30 H	10-6	Wall	6:00 H	10-6	Wall 5:00 H
10-14	Reagan Co.*	8:00 T	10-13	Open		10-13	Wall	6:00 T	10-13	Wall 5:00 T
10-21	Ozona *	8:00 H	10-20	Open		10-20	Comanche	6:30 H	10-20	Comanche 5:30 H
10-28	Forsan*	8:00 T	10-27	Open		10-27	Open		10-27	Open
11-4	Eldorado *	8:00 H	11-3	Eldorado H		11-3	Eldorado	6:00 T	11-3	Eldorado 5:00 T

Dates set for commodities distribution Summer band rehearsal schedule

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. will distribute USDA commodities in Runnels County during the month of August, 1988 at the following sites:

- Rowena-SPFST Hall - Tuesday, 8/9/88-8:30 a.m.
- Miles American Legion Hall - 8/9/88-9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
- Ballinger-Ballinger MPC - Wednesday, 8/10/88-8:30 a.m. to noon.
- Winters-Winters MPC - Thursday, 8/11/88-3 to 5 p.m.

Items available this month are: butter and flour.

The flour is in very short supply. CTO has no control over

what items are available or the quantity of the items. Allocation of all commodities depends on the availability of food items from the USDA. All eligible persons will receive emergency food assistance without regard to race, sex, political beliefs, age, national origin, or handicap. Shut-ins are encouraged to designate an authorized representative to pick up for them. Commodities will be distributed on a first come/first serve basis. Volunteers are greatly needed and appreciated to help with this most worthwhile program.

Monday, August 8th
9:00-10:30 Flag and Twirlers and Drum Major
11:00-12:00 Clarinets, Flutes and Saxophones
12:00-1:00 Lunch
1:00-2:00 Trumpets, Cornets
2:00-3:00 French Horn, Trombone, Baritone and Tuba
3:00-4:00 Percussion
4:00-6:00 Full Band

Tuesday, August 9
Same

Wednesday, August 10
Same

Thursday, August 11
Same

Pool Party 7:00-9:00

Friday, August 12
March (All)

Monday, August 15
9:00-10:30 Flags and Twirlers and Drum Major
11:00-12:00 Clarinets, Flutes and Saxophone
12:00-1:00 Lunch
1:00-2:00 Trumpets
2:00-3:00 French Horn, T-Bone, Baritone and Tuba
3:00-4:00 Percussion
4:00-6:00 Full Band

Tuesday, August 16
11:00-12:00 March (All)

Wednesday, August 17
11:00-12:00 March (All)
12:00-1:00 Lunch
1:00-2:00 All Woodwinds
3:00-4:00 Percussion
4:00-6:00 Full Band

Thursday, August 18
11:00-12:00 March (All)
12:00-1:00 Lunch
1:00-3:00 Full Band

Friday, August 19
No Rehearsal

Monday, August 22
3:00-4:00 Auxiliaries and

Percussion
4:00-6:00 Full Band

Tuesday, August 23
3:00-4:00 Auxiliaries and Percussion
4:00-6:00 Full Band

Wednesday, August 24
4:00-6:00 Issue Uniforms

Thursday, August 25
4:00-6:00 Full Band

Friday, August 26
No Rehearsal

Monday, August 29
4:00-6:00 Full Band

Tuesday, August 30
4:00-6:00 Full Band

Wednesday, August 31
4:00-6:00 Full Band

VA Follow-Up Clinic to be held

The VA Follow-Up Clinic at Dyess Air Force Base, Abilene, Texas, will be held August 11, 1988, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., according to Conrad Alexander, Big Spring VA Medical Center Director. Veterans will be seen by appointment only. To make appointments, veterans should contact Dan Garcia, Taylor County Service Officer, (915) 677-1711, Ext. 328 or 329, or Peter J. Pegan, Chief Medical Administration Service, at the VA Medical Center at (915) 263-7361 Ext. 312 or 314. Veterans are requested to report at the time of their scheduled appointment in order to prevent unnecessary waiting time.

To enter Dyess Air Force Base, veterans must use the VA shuttle, located at the old entrance on Military Drive. Parking is available at this site. Veterans will be taken to the clinic by shuttle 15 minutes prior to their scheduled appointment. Only one family member may accompany the veteran to the clinic in order to reduce congestion in the area. Veterans are reminded that the only days they may gain access to the Base for refill of medications are on regular scheduled clinic days. If you should have a problem between the second and fourth Thursdays, please contact the VA Medical Center in Big Spring at the numbers listed above. If you should need to contact any of the VA staff the day of the clinic at Dyess, please call (915) 696-4722.

Pennap M, and pyrethroids (if you are controlling worms too). It is important to pick squares twice per week! Weevils numbers can increase in a hurry—don't let this sneak up on you.

Weed Identification and Control Program

* August 16 at Westside Gin and August 17 at Wingate Gin there will be a Weed Identification and Control Program held in conjunction with the weekly turnout meetings. Charles Sticher, Area Agronomist from Fort Stockton, will be there to answer any agronomy questions you may have. So bring your weeds with you to the meeting so he can ID them for you.

The Crop Connection

By Richard Minzenmayer

General Situation

Cotton ranges in growth stage from pinhead square to bloom stage. Most fields have really begun setting lots of squares in the last ten days or so. Our insect pests in cotton now include fleahoppers in the younger fields, bollworms and boll weevils.

Grain sorghum is holding up well considering the insect pressure its had and dwindling soil moisture. Insect pests in grain sorghum now include sorghum midge in blooming sorghum, headworms, stinkbugs and greenbugs.

We need to keep in mind how our crop is progressing in relation to the time remaining. In this area, for cotton to produce a harvestable boll, it must bloom by September 1. That's a little controversial with some of you, but year in and year out, I think you can believe it.

For a bloom to bloom by September 1, it must be a pinhead square around August 5-10. Usually from bloom to open boll takes about 60 days. If we continue to have cooler than normal temperatures we can expect the entire boll maturation period to take longer than normal.

Cotton Fleahoppers

Cotton in the pinhead and matchhead square stages is still susceptible to fleahoppers. Young cotton should continue to be scouted for fleahoppers and their damage on a regular basis. If you find 15-20 fleahoppers per 100 plant terminals and blasted squares, control may be needed.

Many fields in the area are past fleahopper problems. If your fields average 6 to 8 squares per plant or is blooming now, you shouldn't worry about fleahoppers anymore. You have other insects to worry about now!

Cotton Bollworm & Budworm

High egg counts can be easily found in most fields. Our counts this week range from 4 to 260 eggs per 100 plants. We have a lot of fields with an egg count exceeding 100 percent or more. It is very important to keep a close eye on the situation. Remember, "Bollworm eggs are a potential problem", they are not a problem until they hatch into small larvae.

Often times, large numbers of eggs fail to produce economically damaging worm infestations, therefore insecticidal control of eggs alone is not recommended.

Environmental factors such as hot, dry weather can significantly reduce field levels of eggs. Some other important factors to consider is the natural control from predacious insects, spiders and parasitic wasps.

Folks, much of the cotton looks good from the pick-up, but when scouted, it is clean. No fruit set at all. Check Your Cotton!!!

Boll Weevils

The insect pressure this year is as bad as I have ever experienced. The new County Entomologist is getting initiated well into the area. This type of insect pressure could cause a person to start drinking.

We are still finding overwintered weevils in the fields and we are beginning to find some F1 generation weevils. (The difference is that the overwintered weevils are gray and the others are reddish.)

Our percent punctured green squares range from 0-37. Fields that were treated earlier for overwintered weevils have much less damage at this time.

If you have fields that have one third grown squares and some are punctured, it is too late to apply overwintered weevil applications.

So what should I do now? Start picking squares! This is not difficult to do. Everyone can do it!

*Pick 100 green, healthy-looking one-third grown squares per field.

*Pick squares from all heights of the plants and don't pick more than one square from a plant.

*Be sure that the squares you pick snap off the plant. If they don't, they may have been damaged earlier. We only want to know current damage so pick fresh squares.

*Inspect squares carefully for damage. Total the number of squares that have boll weevil feeding egg-laying punctures.

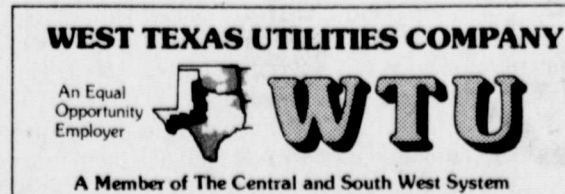
If the percent punctured squares exceeds 15-20 percent, control is needed. Some products that will work include: Guthion, Vydate, parathion,



If your old air conditioner can't beat the heat or won't last the summer, cool off with an electric heat pump.

The heat pump will keep you cool in the summer and warm in the winter. You'll also save money because the heat pump delivers two or more units of heat for every unit of electricity used.

Plus as a WTU customer, installing a heat pump with a seasonal energy efficiency rate of 9.0 or above can qualify you for \$500 when your home meets WTU's Energy Saving Plan requirements.



Contact your local contractor or WTU office for details.



Wait
 creased costs of indigent care, longer ambulance trips, additional ambulance crews in Ballinger, and potential needs for more facilities at the other hospital in this county?

Each side in the issue can present some really good, common sense arguments for their sides. At the same time, neither side has fully addressed all of the questions and problems that could, or will, arise.

For those of us in the other end of the county, this election affects us as surely as it does our neighbors to the south.

The results of the election Saturday will be felt here—regardless of which sides wins.



**Wanda Laxson
 Nursing Home
 administrator
 returns**

Wanda M. Laxson has returned to the Senior Citizens Nursing Home in Winters after serving as administrator of a Kingsland nursing facility for the past year.

Wanda had previously served as administrator of the Winters care facility.

After leaving Winters, she returned to her home in Llano. She returned to assume duties here in early July. She has worked in nursing homes since 1966 and became a licensed administrator in 1973.

Wanda said of her return to Winters, "I think the people of Winters are very special people. This nursing home is unique and so is the community and the family support. My only purpose on being here is to serve the people in the home and community. I look forward to it."

Under 14 Soccer

Efforts are being made to have a Winters Under 14 soccer team to travel to surrounding towns to play soccer. Ballinger and Coleman are in the process of getting under 14 teams together also. Your support in this effort would be most helpful.

If these teams make, they will play in a different town each Saturday. We hope to have enough children to form a team.

A minimum of eleven (11) children are required to make a team. We already have an interested coach for this age group. A child has to be at least 12 years of age before January 1, 1989 and not over 13 years of age before January 1, 1989.

If you are interested and need more information contact one of the following directors: Bobbie Calcote, 767-2030; or Tammy Dunlap, 754-4372.

The Winters Area Soccer Assn. fall registration soon

The Winters Area Soccer Assn. will have their fall registration on August 16, 1988 from 5-8 p.m. in the Educational Building at St. John's Lutheran Church. To play soccer a child must be four years of age before January 1, 1989 and cannot be 14 years of age before January 1,

1989. The fee is \$15 for the 1st child and \$10 for any other children in the immediate family. All persons interested in coaching, please contact Ray Guevara 767-3651, Monte Angel 754-4963, Bobbie Calcote 767-2030 or Tammy Dunlap 754-4372.

St. John's Lutheran Church accepting applications for Preschool

St. John's Lutheran Church is currently accepting applications for Preschool for the 1988-89 school year.

There will be a class for three year olds and one for four year olds.

Applications will be accepted through August 15. For information or applications please con-

tact Jill Bredemeyer at 754-5707 or Teresa Davis at 754-5422.

Soccer Camp

The Ballinger Area Soccer Association is offering a soccer camp to all children from the age of 5-18, August 15-19, Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Deadline for entry is Monday, August 8. Camp tuition is \$50. The cost to BASA is \$50 for each player registered. BASA is not using the camp as a fundraiser. A T-shirt will be given out at the end of camp.

Any soccer player who played soccer in the Fall of 1987, should have received an application from BASA regarding the camp. If you didn't receive an application and are interested in attending the camp, call one of the numbers below.

Misail Tsapros, who is the soccer coach at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene will direct the camp.

If you are interested in carpooling or would like any further information please contact one of the following directors: Bobbie Calcote 767-2030 or Tammy Dunlap, 754-4372.

Bryan reunion set

The Bryan reunion will be held Sunday, August 7, 1988 at the Norton Community Center beginning with the noon meal. Everyone come.

**Farmers Market
 Every Friday
 4 p.m. until dusk
 Every Tuesday
 8 a.m. until 1 p.m.
 Peoples Bank Parking Lot**



Computer Axial Tomography

Completely self-contained, this van contains a state-of-the-art Computer Axial Tomography, or CAT Scanner.

Until recently the services available in this van were available to area residents only in Abilene

or San Angelo. Through an agreement between North Runnels Hospital and Mobil Technology Corporation the service will be available at the Winters hospital on a weekly basis, or as needed.

Ballinger Chamber of Commerce news

by Camilla Corder

There will be a "Back to School" Sale by all merchants of Ballinger. Plans are not complete at this writing but plan to buy "at home" for back to school bargains that are in the August promotional plans of the Chamber of Commerce. Congratulations to Larry Lange, a young native of this area, married with two children, that is working so diligently to improve conditions and make his "home town" alive and thriving. He needs everyone's support and help, he can't do it by himself.

About the town of Ballinger, the good the bad and the lovely.

Twirlers, band, flag corp, are "Spiffin" up uniforms and have going to camps and really working to preform to perfection for all school activities. I noticed a sign that said Karen Williams a featured twirler for Ballinger is going to give twirling lessons and that's great for the young girls of Ballinger. To be able to learn at home! If Ballinger loses their young people—they are a "dead duck" town.

Congratulations "Big Al" I know one day you would find your "notch" in life! With your six years of college at ASU you should make Ballinger a great Policeman! Just do one thing be "fair", treat the "poor Jones kid" as fair as you do the rich "Smith kid". Love and good luck from "The crazy ole Lady on Tenth Street."

I was so proud of a young man that came in the florist the other day. He wanted a rose for his wife. He said he had been married for ten years, "We have a good marriage and I'm gonna keep it that way," he said. Whoever this man's wife is—congratulations—you must be a wonderful person to have a husband like this, that loves you and plans to keep your almost perfect marriage that way. God has blessed you both, your a couple in a million!

Dankworth Packing is growing by leaps and bounds. Reconstruction improvements and plans for more. Mike, son of Jimmy and Dorothy Dankworth, I'm sure is making his parents and grandparents proud. That's the way to go Mike.

I talked to Deon Ross, we worked together at Canterbury Villa for some years. I was Activity Director and Deon was Maintenance Man. I've never seen a better Maintenance Man and I have worked many, many years with a great many people. Deon did his job and more and the residents loved him! He was never too busy to talk with them—be kind to them and speak Spanish to the Spanish speaking people. To light a cigarette, bring them a cup of coffee, or left them up in a chair. Yes, he did that—made them

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Supply published their first *The Town Flyer*, a paper for people and businesses of Ballinger and surrounding areas. Copies are free—everything from Greyhounds to tandem axle trailers, even ads for a sack of money to a blonde cook! It is a great "little paper" full of information.

To all the people that listen to gossip, if you don't listen the gossip cannot be told.

See Ya, Camilla

At The Sidewalk Sale Savings Never End!!

Rack of Boy's & Girl's Shorts Health Tex-Wrangler-Coca Cola-Le Tiger \$1.00 to \$5.00	Boy's Le Tiger, Campus, Wrangler Knit Shirts \$1.00 to \$5.00
Girl's & Ladies' Toe Sandals \$2.00	Ass't Colors Hi Top Tennis Value \$14.95 \$5.00
Girl's Leather Hi-Top in yellow-white \$5.00	Jr. & Misses Lee, Levi, Wrangler Stonewash 1/2 Price
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National Gun Owners Alert

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Strong anti-gun forces have launched a major offensive. U.S. Senator Metzenbaum and Congressman Feighan are pushing legislation, H.R. 975/S. 466, that will abolish constitutionally-protected handgun ownership in America.

If this bill becomes law, it will:

- Impose de facto nationwide handgun registration;
- Give the government control over the sale, transfer, trade, loan or gift of a handgun;
- Create a multi-million dollar bureaucracy that could deny handgun ownership; and
- Make federal law of legislation already rejected by a majority of states—including Metzenbaum's and Feighan's home state of Ohio.

The bill will rob states of the right to determine their own handgun laws. It will override fair and just state laws already in place. Your vote will be made meaningless.

They say this bill will stop crime. That's a lie. The truth about criminals is simply this: They won't wait, they won't register and they won't submit to background checks. But you will. If H.R. 975/S. 466 becomes law.

Don't let Congress strip away your constitutional rights and call it fighting crime. Act now. Call your senators and congressmen at 202-224-3121. Write them in care of the Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Or in care of the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515. Tell them you won't stand for Metzenbaum and Feighan's backhanded attack on handgun ownership. Ask them to vote against H.R. 975/S. 466.

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