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"Lonesome Dove" will be Saturday

The "Lonesome Dove" benefit dinner for the Rock Hotel/Z.I. Hale Museum is scheduled for Saturday, October 20 with carriage rides to the outdoor location beginning at 6:45 p.m. from the Winters Community Center. In case of inclement weather, alternate location is the Agricultural Show Barn nearby.

Mac Sayles, chairman of the Rock Hotel Restoration Committee, says ticket sales have been brisk and a good crowd is expected for the event. The decorations committee has been hard at work planning the outdoor appointments for the dinner. Those attending are encouraged to dress as a character from the TV movie "Lonesome Dove."

Donors will be feted to a full course meal and can enjoy a live western band.

All proceeds from the event will go toward restoring the historic Rock Hotel on West Dale Street.

1991 Livestock Show dedicated to R. Q. Marks

The Winters Livestock Show Association has announced the 1991 show will be dedicated to R. Q. Marks of Winters. Mr. Marks has been a member of the Livestock Show Association since 1961, and has been active in the Association every year since that time.

The Livestock Association reminds everyone to attend the Sunday barbecue lunch on October 28 at the Winters school cafeteria.

Council appoints new Chief of Police

Patrick Coggins, who had been acting Chief of Police since the departure of Larry Willis, has been appointed Chief of Police by the Winters City Council. In a special called meeting on Monday, October 15, Council members considered recommendations of the interview committee in executive session. Upon emerging from closed session, a motion was made, seconded and unanimously approved to appoint Coggins to the post.

Coggins came to Winters as a patrolman in March of this year. He formerly served as a law enforcement specialist with the U. S. Air Force and is originally from Virginia. Coggins is married and the father of one son.

Chief Coggins will be heading a department with a total of three officers at the present time following the departure of Willis and officer David Wheeler. Coggins says the department is currently seeking applicants to fill the two open slots to bring the force to full strength.

In other business, Council members voted to instruct the attorney who is handling the North Runnels Water Supply Corporation rate case to continue with negotiations and the discovery phase. This instruction followed a settlement proposal by the City to North Runnels on which North Runnels declined to agree by the deadline set by the City.

Homecoming activities, October 19

The Winters Ex-Students' Association invites everyone to participate in Homecoming activities on Friday, October 19.

The classes of 1940 and 1965 will receive special recognition as honored classes during this year's celebration.

Homecoming Queen and Coming Home Queen will be announced during halftime of the Winters-Anson football game.

Following the game, a reception for all WHS ex-students and guests will be held in the old gym next to Blizzard Field.

Ambulance bids accepted by hospital

The board of directors of North Runnels Hospital District accepted bids for the purchase of two ambulances in a special called meeting Monday, October 15. The board had authorized creation of an emergency ambulance service and the call for bids in a meeting on September 20.

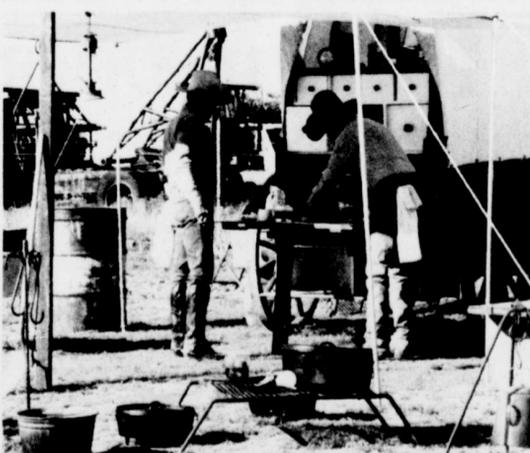
North Runnels Hospital is contemplating submitting a bid to county commissioners to provide ambulance service for the northern part of Runnels County. The bidding is for the county contract which provides a subsidy to the contractor. Bids are due to commissioners on November 13.

The two bids accepted were for a total of \$26,250 for two ambulances. One ambulance, a box type, was bid at \$14,250 and the other, a van type, was bid at \$12,000. The ambulances are not equipped excepting a stretcher which comes with one. Estimated cost of equipping the ambulances is \$1800 each, excluding radios hospital administrator Bob Prewit told the board.

The hospital will equip the ambulances and seek Texas Health Department certification as quickly as possible according to Prewit. The bids submitted to county commissioners by those seeking to provide the service will be for the amount the county is to subsidize the service.

The present subsidy is \$4750 per month and the contract is held by North Runnels Emergency Service, Inc. Contracts run for three years and the present contract expires December 31.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS
OCTOBER 28 - FALL BACK



Champion chuckwagon cooks Dean Peacock and Howard Rogers of the Fishhook and Brooks Ranch of Nolan prepare their award-winning meal at last weekend's Ranch Heritage Roundup.



WHS HOMECOMING QUEEN CANDIDATES are Seniors (left to right) Michelle Gray, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Mike Gray; Angela Brewer, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Archie Lancaster; Brandi Brown, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Neil Brown; and Gracie Rodriguez, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Dan Rodriguez. Homecoming Queen will be crowned during half-time activities of the Winters-Anson football game.

Blizzards 13 - Bearcats 6

For three quarters last Friday night, neither the Winters blizzards nor the Hawley Bearcats could cross the other's goal line. Neither team even threatened until the fourth quarter when Hawley's Richard Ibarra pitched a 50-yard touchdown strike to Silvino Toa to take the lead 6-0. The point after attempt failed and a few minutes later that failure loomed large for the Blizzards.

With 6:31 left in the game, quarterback Craig Slaughter threw to the Blizzards' Bodie Collins in the end zone to tie the game. Blizzard Bill Belew took a deep breath and prepared to try the extra point kick, something he does not normally do. Billy Waller, the regular point after kicker, had injured a knee earlier in the week and is out for the season. With everyone in the stands (including Bill's Mom and Dad) holding their breath, Belew put the ball between the uprights to give the Blizzards a one point lead 7-6.

The Blizzards held on until Timothy Torres intercepted a Hawley pass and ran it into the end zone with 46 seconds left in the game, giving some breathing room to all the Blizzard fans. Belew missed this extra point, but it wasn't nearly as critical as his first kick.

The defenses of both teams pretty well controlled the game as evidenced by the Blizzards gaining 174 yards on the ground as opposed to Hawley's 97. In

the air, the Blizzards' Craig Slaughter attempted 17 passes, completing only 4 for a 23.5%

rate and a total of 44 yards. Hawley completed 3 of 11 for 73 yards. First downs for the Blizzards totaled 12 to Hawley's 5.

Leading ground gainer for the night was Jody Guy with 76 yards on 17 carries for an average of 4.5 yards per carry. Following Guy was Timothy Torres with 14 carries for 40 yards and an average of 2.9 yards per carry. Scottie Rodriguez punted nine times for an average of 35.1 yards per punt. David Roman, returning after a week out from a groin injury carried the ball for a total of 60 yards, with 44 of those coming on punt and kickoff returns.

On the defensive side of the ball, Timothy Torres led the team with 4 solo tackles and 8 assists, followed by Bodie Collins with 7 solo tackles and 6 assists.

This Friday night the Blizzards face a homecoming crowd and the toughest team they have faced in District play so far. The Anson tigers come to town sporting a 2 win, 1 loss record in

District play and a 5 win, 1 loss record for the season. Their only loss came at the hands of Albany which is undefeated in 1990. The Tigers are coming off a 14-13 win over the Hamlin Pied Pipers last Friday night.

The Blizzards will face an Anson team which returned 13 starters from last year's team with three all-district performers. They are very experienced and an excellent defensive team. The Blizzards will have to play at their peak in order to defeat the Tigers who are 8 point favorites according to the Harris Rating System.

A large homecoming crowd is needed and expected to cheer the Blizzards to another victory this Friday night at Blizzard Field!



Go Blizzards!

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

- Oct. 14-20 National School Lunch Week
- Oct. 18-TAAS test (mathematics) grades 3,5,7,9 7 exit level Anson there (JV-8-7) 4:45
- Oct. 19-**HOMECOMING**
Homecoming Pep Rally 3 pm
5:15-7:30 Turkey & Dressing Dinner at the WHS Cafeteria
7:30 Anson here
- Oct. 20-UIL Marching Band Contest time 12:10 pm
Soccer Games in Ballinger
5:00 Norton Homecoming
Senior High Homecoming Dance
7 to 11 pm Jr. High Dance at Methodist Church
7:00 pm Runnels County 4-H Achievement Banquet at the Winters Community Center
Lonesome Dove Benefit Dinner
7:00 Domino Party at Shep Community Center
- Oct. 21-10:00 am Norton Homecoming
- Oct. 22-Social Security Rep. 9:30-10:30 am at Winters Housing Authority
4H Food Projects Workshop 5:30 at the Church of Christ Fellowship Building
City Council meeting at Winters Housing Authority
- Oct. 23-Fireman's Auxiliary Club to meet
Booster Club at 7 pm
- Oct. 25-Hamlin here at 4:45 (7-8-JV)
- Oct. 26-Hamlin there at 7:30
- Oct. 27-Soccer Games in Ballinger
6:30 Costume Contest/Haunted House at the Catholic Hall
6:30 Halloween Carnival at Winters Community Center
- Oct. 28-Daylight Savings Ends - Fall Back
ABC Golf Tourney 1:30 Winters Country Club

Nail Ranch "nails" 3rd straight championship

The fourth annual Ranch Heritage Roundup held this past weekend once again saw the return of world champions. The Nail Ranch of Albany, Texas returned to make it three years in a row to be the champion ranch team. This team, made up of George Peacock, Johnny Stewart, Johnny Scitem, and Bobby Williams, won the world championship in the Working Cowboy Association held in July in Fort Worth.

Jeff Waldrop, past world champion goat roper, claimed the champion goat roper title of the Ranch Heritage Roundup with a time of 33.85 on three head.

The champion chuckwagon was sponsored by the Fishhook and Brooks Ranch of Nolan, Texas. Dean Peacock was the head cook and Howard Rogers his assistant. They prepared a prime rib roast, beans, corn, potatoes, biscuits, and peach cobbler. It is amazing what these chuckwagon cooks can do with out the use of modern cooking conveniences.

Other winners in the ranch rodeo were the River Bend Ranch members from Santa Anna, consisting of Amos Otts, John Curtis, Russel Johnson, and Charles Coats, second place; the Forked Lightning Ranch members from

Menard, consisting of Dan Kothman, Mike Hernandez, Mann Rambo, and Robert Hernandez, third place.

Second place in the goat roping was Billy Teague and third was Freddie Fields.

The Winters Rodeo Association would like to thank all who helped make the fourth Ranch Heritage Roundup possible. Those of you who did not come certainly missed the excitement.

The Winters Rodeo Association would like to thank the Blue Creek Dischords who came out and played for entertainment.

The Winters Rodeo Association would especially like to thank the sponsors who believe in supporting their community, and also ask everyone to remember them before they trade elsewhere. The sponsors were Alderman Cave, Live Oak Real Estate, Peoples National Bank, Bob Webb Electric, Winters State Bank, Bahlman Chevrolet, Bahlman Jewelers, Country Cobbler, Guys Dirt Contractors, Heidenheimers, Jedd Manufacturing, John's International, John Montgomery's Texas Smoked Meats, Gene Wheat Shell Distributor, and Winters Oilfield Supply.

Once again, thanks to all that helped.

OIL BUSINESS . . .

By Reg Boles



Everyone has been wondering why oil companies have not significantly increased drilling activity since the run-up in oil prices. Look at the facts: oil prices have doubled, but the rig count has remained relatively flat.

Just what are those wily oil people up to?

As of this writing there had indeed been a substantial increase in oil prices, but, to my knowledge, no floor or safety net for prices had been established. And, with the volatility of prices on the New York Mercantile Exchange, the downside risk on prices is considerable. Imagine the following scenario, if you will:

Peace breaks out in the Middle East. Iraq is converted to Christianity and Kuwait is reinstated as a country with all producing, transportation, and refining capacities returned to the marketplace in both countries. To further concrete relations with the West, all Arabic countries, especially those with oil, urge their offspring to marry Israeli Jews to provide a long lasting "peace-bond" between all Middle Eastern neighbors.

Ok, Ok, I have exaggerated to make a point. The scenario as presented is about as feasible as Saddam Hussein's future home freezing over, but there is a thread of potential there. Things could return to "pre-invasion" status with no long lasting damage to the supply side of the oil market.

If that happens, oil prices could plummet to the \$15 range. Then, U. S. oil companies are back to square one. The oil business being the long term investment enterprise that it is, the risk placed on a project with a term of 5 to 10 years by depending on today's oil prices for that period of time is out of the question.

Some stability is what provides the impetus to drill and develop projects with long term potential. That is what you almost have at \$20, but you don't have it at \$40, because upward spikes often beget severe downward spikes that scare everybody in this business to death.

Here is an example that may help you to understand the oil man's and woman's plight when deciding how to invest the additional money generated by an increase in price:

Suppose you have been given \$200,000 to invest in a CD at your local bank. When you get to sit down with your friendly banker, she outlines the following terms of your CD:

1. You will tie up your money for 60 months.

2. You will receive 30% return on your money if oil prices stay above \$25. You will receive 5% return on your money if oil prices drop below \$20. You will receive no return on your money if oil prices drop below \$15.

3. Oh yes, there is a 50% chance you will not get any of your money back depending on the spin of a roulette wheel in my office today. (Roughly equivalent to the success ratio of a development well -- wildcats have only a 10% chance of success.)

The oil business doesn't sound quite as easy, now, does it? The uncertainty of oil prices really dampens your enthusiasm to drill wells. That is precisely the problem faced by oil companies, today. How long will it all last? Who knows?

Not to say that some shorter-life projects are not advisable at this time. Quick payout drilling wells, wells that look good even at \$15 oil, workovers that payout in two months or less, and other projects that stand a good chance of paying out during a period of high oil prices even if it is short-lived are examples of projects that are getting done because of higher oil prices.

The fact remains that a large scale gear-up of the oil business will not happen until there is some assurance that increased oil prices will stay around or at least some stability will be established. There are too many scars from collapsed oil companies, dissolved service companies, etc. to make the prospect of a broad-based resurgence in the oil industry a reality after just two months of higher oil prices.

HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

COMPLETIONS

Callahan County
Petro-Starr has completed the Boren -B- #2 in the Scranton Field (1 mile NE of Atwell) at an initial rate of 60 BOPD in the Cross Cut (perfs 1723-28). Loc. is 1212 FNL & 1160 FWL of Subd. 18, A. T. Burnley Sur., A-10.

Coke County
Parkins-Prothro has completed the Jameson Strawn Unit #B6 in the Jameson Field (20 miles NW of Robert Lee) at an initial rate of 67 BOPD in the Strawn (perfs 6624-6740). Loc. is 1980 FSL & 1980 FWL of Sec. 68, Blk. 12, H&TC Sur.

Coleman County
Plains Petroleum has completed the Novice Unit #703 in the Novice Field (2 miles NW of Novice) at an initial rate of 24 BOPD & 82 BWP in an unreported zone (perfs 3575-88). Loc. is 1060 FNL & 1320 FWL of Sec. 19, Blk. 2, T&NO Sur.

Concho County
Bowerman Oil & Gas has completed the A. Blaylock #8 in the Lonesome Dove Field (6 miles SW of Eden) at an initial rate of 148 BOPD in the King Sand (perfs 2086-2114). Loc. is 50 FNL & 467 FWL of J. A. Hall Sur. 2, A-1928.

Wiser Oil has completed the Jacoby -C- #9 in the Agaritta Field (5 miles W of Eden) at an initial rate of 90 BOPD in the King Sand (perfs 2102-11). Loc. is 1057 FSL & 1718 FWL of Sec. 70, Blk. 72, BS&F Sur., A-89.

Nolan County
Cockrell production has completed the Davis #6 in the Doris Field (7 miles N of Blackwell) at an initial rate of 30 BOPD in the Cook Sand (perfs 3911-16). Loc. is 2173 FNL & 886 FWL of Sec. 145, Blk. 1-A, H&TC Sur.

STAKINGS

Callahan County
SRG Oil Corporation has staked the MacDonald #1 as a wildcat 3 miles N of Baird (Depth 4800). Loc. is 1780 FNL & 960 FWL of Sec. 112, BBB&C Sur.

Russell's Drilling Company has staked the Williams #51 as a wildcat 6 miles N of Putnam (Depth 1000). Loc. is 750 FNL & 750 FWL of Sec. 1, Blk. E, T&P Sur., A-400.

Russell's has also staked the Williams #52 as a wildcat 750 FNL & 1050 FWL of same Sec. and Sur.

The Grothe Brothers have staked the F. Hart #5 in the Callahan County Regular Field 5 miles N of Putnam (Depth 1999). Loc. is 1650 FSL & 950 FWL of Sec. 7, D&DAL Sur.

Coleman County
HOFCO, Inc. has staked the Ranson -A- #2 as a wildcat in the Warner Field area 7 miles W of Coleman (Depth 3100). Loc. is 2028 FSL & 2271 FEL of Sec. 1, H&GN Sur., A-427.

Valera Oil Company has applied to re-enter the Harris #1 as a wildcat 2 miles SW of Valera (Depth 3050). Loc. is 403 FNL & 1550 FWL of Sec. 25, GH&H Sur.

Concho County
WiserOil has staked two wells as wildcats in the Agaritta Field area 5 miles W of Eden (Depth 4000). The Anderson #4 is located 1230 FSL & 330 FEL of Sec. 1, W. J. Boase Sur., A-1353. The Jacoby -A- #6 is located 2220 FSL & 330 FEL of Sec. 71, BS&F Sur., A-95.

Tucker Drilling has staked the Stansberry Trust #1 as a wildcat 5 miles NE of Eden (Depth 3600). Loc. is 1620 FSL & 2058 FEL of P. McGregor Sur. 1, A-1176.

Nolan County
Texzona Oil & Gas has applied to plug back two wells in the Holley Field and the Northeast Sears Fields, respectively, 2 miles N of Herndon (Depth 3650). The Sears-Streater -A- #4 is 2431 FSL & 467 FWL of Subd. 11, R. Cochran Sur. 290. The #5 is 1989 FSL & 467 FEL of Subd. 11.

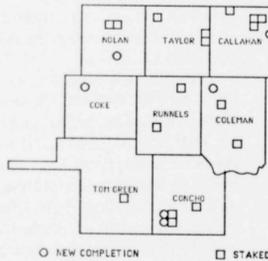
Runnels County
Enrich Oil has staked the H. O. Hubach #2-A as a wildcat 8 miles SW of Winters (Depth 4800). Loc. is 467 FNL & 600 FWL of Sec. 56, A. G. Willis Sur.

MSR Exploration has staked the Stoecker-State Unit #2 in the Winters Field 4 miles NE of Winters (Depth 3975). Loc. is 4319 FNL & 90 FEL of Sec. 9, Blk. 64, EL&RR Sur., A-650.

Taylor County
P. R. Mayo has staked the I. Franklin #1 as a wildcat 3 miles SE of Potosi (Depth 2000). Loc. is 1350 FSL & 2015 FEL of SE. 49, LAL Sur.

Beta-Tex has staked the G. Lindley -B- #2 in the O-B Otili Field 5 miles SW of Potosi (Depth 5000). Loc. is 990 FNL & 1650 FWL of Sec. 21, Blk. 19, T&P Sur.

Tom Green County
Coleville Petroleum has staked the McGowan #1B as a wildcat 10 miles SE of San Angelo (Depth 3400). Loc. is 1130 FNL & 900 FEL of Sec. 3, Blk. 25, H&TC Sur., A-1242.



Jr. High Dance Scheduled

This coming Saturday, October 20 from 7 pm to 11 pm the Methodist Church will be sponsoring a dance. All youth who are currently in the 6th, 7th, and 8th grades are invited to attend. There is a \$2.00 per person charge. No youth will be allowed to leave the dance unless authorized permission from a parent is given.

Faculty Selects Honored Students

Beginning with October, a new program honoring junior high students has been started.

The Boy of the Month and the Girl of the Month recipients will be selected from 7th and 8th grade students of Winters Junior High by members of the faculty.

Selections are based on students who exhibit outstanding or improved qualities in areas of citizenship, academics, and involvement in school and personal activities.

The Boy of the Month is sponsored by the Winters Lions Club and the Girl of the Month is sponsored by the Women's Service League. Honored students are invited to attend a club meeting each month, and a reception for all recipients and their parents will be held in May.



Girl of the Month: Rachel Edwards, 7th grader at Winters Junior High, has been selected for the month of October. She is the 13 year-old daughter of Murray and Kathi Edwards.

Rachel's favorite subjects are math and keyboarding (typing). She is a cheerleader and a member of the basketball team. She plays the saxophone in band and enjoys playing piano for the Wingate Methodist Church. She has participated in UIL oral reading. She won first place in district and area competitions for the Runnels County Soil Conservation poster contest, and second place at regional. Rachel is a member of the First United Methodist Church and involved in youth activities of her church. She enjoys babysitting in her spare time.

Rachel feels she has been most influenced by her parents for their strong encouragement in academics and the overall fine example they have set for her.

She plans to pursue a college degree and become a criminal lawyer.



Boy of the Month: Scott Kozelsky, 13-year old son of Mike and Carol Kozelsky, has been selected for the month of October. He is an 8th grade student whose favorite subject is math.

Scott is manager of the 8th grade football team, plays the saxophone in band, is a Star Scout and Patrol leader in Boy Scouts, and works with his dad and grandfather in their woodworking business.

He states he has been strongly influenced by his grandfathers who "take me many places and teach me a lot."

His future plans are to attend college and become an astronaut.

Local Scout leaders attend training

"Training Day Extraordinaire" was held on Saturday, October 6, at Camp Wood Lake near Brownwood Lake.

Four Girl Scout leaders from Winters attended this fun event. A variety of training and learning opportunities were offered for both new and experienced leaders.

Participants could take part in many courses which included: First Aid/CPR, games, songs, crafts, ceremonies, contemporary issues and many more. Lunch was served at the dining hall.

Scout leaders attending were: Easter Walden (Troop 162), Jill Bredemeyer (Troop 181), Sherry Cooper (Troop 178), and Chris Parramore (Troop 161).

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DISTRICT COURT FILING
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Ermon Wayne Fenwick, 10-08-90, Aggravated Assault
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COUNTY COURT
Douglas Washington, 09-12-90, Unlawfully carrying a weapon, Defendant entered a plea of guilty fined \$200 plus \$127.50 court costs
Kerry Craig, 09-12-90, Theft, Motion and order dismissing, Case refiled in District Court as a felony
Jim Wright, 09-13-90, Threat, Motion and order dismissing, Insufficient evidence
Claude E. Odnot, Jr., 09-17-90, Theft of merchandise by check, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$30.00 plus \$122.00 court costs (\$134.42 restitution)
Lloyd Martinez, 09-21-90, Making alcohol available to a minor, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$127.50 court costs
Jesse Paul Poindexter, 09-21-90, Making alcohol available to a minor, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$127.50 court costs
Homer Luna Rojas, 09-24-90, Assault, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$129.50 costs; 15 days jail (pay by jail)
Velma Blalack, 09-26-90, Theft of merchandise by check, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$40.00 plus \$159.50 court costs (\$184.00 restitution)
Gabriel Alberto Garcia Rodriguez, 09-26-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$129.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years at \$25.00 per mo. prob. fees (license suspended for 3 mos.)
Miguel Martinez, 09-26-90, Assault, Motion and order dismissing, Complainant no longer wishes to pursue this charge and asked the case be dismissed
Laura Drucilla Grohman Smith, 10-04-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$129.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years at \$25.00 per mo. prob. fees
Mary Bagwell, 10-09-90, Theft of groceries by check, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$10.00 plus \$139.50 court costs (\$35.15 restitution)
Felipe Garcia, Jr., 10-10-90, Evading arrest, Defendant entered a plea of guilty fined \$100.00 plus \$129.50 court costs (pay by jail)
Pedro Montalvo, Jr., 09-12-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$127.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years at \$25.00 per mo. prob. fees (attend DWI school)
Jose Martinez, 09-12-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$127.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years at \$25.00 per mo. prob. fees (attend DWI school)
Roy David Kidwell, 09-17-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$300.00 plus \$92.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years (attend DWI school)
Seledonio H. Suarez, 09-17-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$92.50 court costs; Assessed 30 days jail, probated for 2 years (attend DWI school)
Jimmy Albert Wright, 09-17-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$400.00 plus \$92.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years (license suspended for 90 days)
Jim Wright, 09-13-90, Threat, Motion and order dismissing, Insufficient evidence
Steve Chavez, 09-20-90, Reckless driving, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$129.50 court costs
James Roy Sherman, 09-26-90, Assault, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$127.50 court costs; Assessed 8 days jail - eight days credit
Eloy Marroquin Chavez, 09-20-90, DWLS, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$127.50 court costs (license suspended for 180 days)
Jose Noah Rodriguez, 09-12-90, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$127.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years (attend DWI school)
Joe D. Rowe, 09-12-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$127.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years (attend DWI school)
Olen Edward Potts, 09-12-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$127.50 court costs; Assessed days jail, probated for 2 years (attend DWI school)
Antonio Casares, 09-12-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$127.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years (attend DWI school)
Charlie Grohman, 09-24-90, Theft of merchandise by check Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$10.00 plus \$139.50 court costs (\$30.11 restitution)
Scottie Len Rodriguez, 09-12-90, Assault, Motion and order dismissing, Insufficient evidence
Tracy Don Price, 09-12-90, DWLS, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$129.50 court costs; Assessed 3 days jail - 3 days credit given (license suspended for 180 days)
Isaias Galvan, 09-12-90, DWI, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$350.00 plus \$127.50 court costs; Assessed 60 days jail, probated for 2 years (attend DWI school)
Isaias Galvan, 09-13-90, Motion and order dismissing (defendant plead in another case)
Victor Santoya, Sr., 09-12-90, Assault, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$100.00 plus \$129.50 court costs
Laura Drucilla Grohman Smith, 10-04-90, Unlawfully carrying a weapon, Motion and order dismissing, Defendant was convicted in another case
Scott Julian, 10-05-90, Theft by check, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$10.00 plus \$139.50 court costs (\$24.90 restitution)

Kenneth Wayne Baker, 10-05-90, Assault, Order of dismissal, Victim has requested charges be dismissed and has left the state
Mary J. Bagwell, 10-09-90, Theft of groceries by check, Defendant entered a plea of guilty, Fined \$10.00 plus \$139.50 court costs (\$35.47 restitution)



Betty Fields of Winters (left), her brother James Michael Cox (center) of Littleton, Colorado, and sister Sue Armstrong of Abilene enjoy a visit for together for the first time in their lives. See related story below.

Family united for first time

Betty Thomas Fields, owner of the Peachtree Plaza Restaurant in Winters, recently celebrated a family reunion.

On September 26, Betty and her sister, Sue Thomas Armstrong of Abilene, stood face-to-face with their brother, James Michael Cox of Littleton, Colorado. This reunion was very special to all because they had never met before and the meeting was a result of several years of searching and wondering.

Betty was born in Santa Marie, California, and Sue was born in Oklahoma, the children of Dud and Bessie Thomas. The family moved to Wingate, Texas, in 1949. Betty and her sister attended school in this area, married, and settled down with their own families.

On September 4 at 6:30 a. m., Betty received a call from a woman in Fort Smith, Arkansas, who stated she was in the business of locating lost family members and reuniting families. She asked Betty many personal questions about her childhood and then told her she had a half-brother who'd been trying to locate both sisters. Betty said she was shocked and skeptical.

She called Sue and they decided to check with their mother's cousin in Oklahoma. When asked about a brother, the aunt confirmed the story of a baby being born in Fort Smith, Arkansas to Bessie by a former marriage when Bessie was quite young. Bessie's husband left her after she became pregnant and Bessie was forced to live with her parents. Her father was most displeased with the situation and decided to take matters in hand. After the baby was born, he told Bessie that the child had died, and he signed the baby over for adoption.

The baby was immediately adopted and was raised only sixty miles from where his natural mother lived in Oklahoma. As a child, the boy was told that his natural mother had died during childbirth. Through the years, he wondered about his natural parents and his heritage, but he loved his adoptive parents and did not wish to hurt them in any way. Only after their death did he begin searching for his family roots.

Bessie discovered her first-born was alive and adopted about a year after his birth but was unable to locate him. She abandoned the search after marrying Dud and having two girls, Sue and Betty. Betty now believes her mother took up the search again in the 1950's but with no luck. Betty said her mother never mentioned another child.

Jim contacted a professional service to try to locate his family, and in September of 1990, succeeded. After Betty and Sue agreed to proceed with plans, they received a call from Jim on September 4. He informed them that he was their brother. They felt an immediate close bond, even over the telephone, and talked several times with plans to meet in Texas.

On September 26, Jim arrived in Abilene and was welcomed by his sisters, a second cousin, Zola Caldwell, and Josephine Grande, a cousin from Hawaii who came for this special reunion and had not seen Betty or Sue in 34 years. Jim had sent pictures of himself so the women recognized him immediately. He had no pictures of them, but recognized their voices without any problems.

Jim stayed with Sue in Abilene for 4 1/2 days and spent most of their time talking and catching up on many lost years. All family members wanted to make the most of their time together so activities included a Texas BBQ with about 30 people attending, including Joyce Weems of Winters, who is Betty and Sue's cousin. Jim was also given a tour of Winters and the Peachtree Restaurant. Time was also spent at their mother's gravesite at the Wingate Cemetery.

After many hours of talking and sharing, Jim returned to his home in Colorado and his job as a math teacher. He and his wife, Helen, have two children, Denise and Michael.

When asked about meeting her brother, Betty said, "This has been an experience that I'll never forget. I wouldn't take a million dollars for it. Sue and I fell in love with Jim. He's so sweet. We can't wait to see him again. We had always wanted a brother and now we have one. To find out we have a brother has been one of the happiest times in our lives. Now our family is complete."

Betty and Sue's excitement continues with plans in the making for getting together with Jim and his family during the holidays.

**FROM A
GOLDFISH BOWL**

BY PASTOR STEVE BYRNE

Being a part of a small town, and especially a small town church, is about belonging. Not immediately, perhaps. If you aren't born there. But eventually. Hopefully. And it feels good.

Wednesday choir practice had gone well. I had asked the choir to sing, in four parts, the traditional Aaronic Benediction (The Lord Bless You and Keep You...). I usually chant it. But it sounds so powerful when the choir sings it. We had it planned.

Sunday came. I was doing well. There were a lot of special twists to the service that day. I was on top of all of them.

As the Lord's Prayer ended, I breathed a sigh of relief. I had made it. All the little things I was trying so hard not to forget had been remembered.

I waited for the organist to give me the note to chant, staring straight ahead at the congregation. She seemed to take longer than usual. Then she gave me a chord.

A CHORD, no less! About 4 steps higher than normal. I picked out the note. And chanted the benediction.

I waited at the front door to shake hands with the worshippers as they left. The choir came out first. Laughing and carrying on. When they got to me, they all smiled and grinned and pointed.

Letting me know that I had forgotten that I had asked them to sing the benediction.

I had forgotten all about it until that moment. It hit me as a surprise. I joined them in this good-natured laughter.

I knew at that moment that I belonged. We could all laugh together at my mistake. Without malice or judgement.

When I first moved here, these gracious people would never have done that. They would have been "nice." And Malcolm, the choir director, would have asked me about it privately later. Or else not said anything at all. Like walking on egg-shells.

It is great when all the egg-shells have been broken. When you have rejoiced with their children's and grandchildren's birthdays and baptisms. When you have shared with them a mutual emptiness at the gravesite. When you have laughed at their jokes which weren't funny or you had already heard and they have done the same with you.

When all that water is under the bridge. And you can laugh together at your mistakes. When you know each other's strengths, weaknesses and vulnerabilities. And love each other for who each is - warts and all.

Then you know that you belong. To God. And to each other. It feels good.

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**Runnels 4-H
Banquet set
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"Showing Off" will be the theme for the Runnels County 4-H Awards Banquet to be held Saturday, October 20th. The Winters Community Center will be the site of the 7:00 p.m. banquet.

Deron Robinson, First Vice-President of the Texas 4-H Council will be the guest speaker for the evening. Special project recognition will be awarded to deserving 4-H'ers, as well as year pins for years of membership. The prestigious Gold Star Awards will also be given.

During the awards ceremony, Mr. Les Lott, Ballinger Wal-Mart manager will present Bike-a-Thon awards.

Immediately following the banquet and awards ceremony, a 4-H dance will complete the evening.

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The Methodist's Message

This Sunday the sermon will be "Lost But Not Forgotten" with Romans 14: 22-33.

Please remember our Lord's Acre on November 11 at the Community Center. Dinner will be served 11:30 to 1:30 and tickets are \$4.50 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 12. It will be Laity Sunday and the message will be brought by a lay member. It will also be Veteran's Day and we will honor all the Vets.

Youth news: The Jr. High youth will be sponsoring a Jr. High Homecoming Dance this Saturday night at the Church from 7 to 11 p.m. The charge is

\$2.00 a person.

On October 27-28 the 6th grade through the 12th grade will be involved in a spiritual life retreat at Lake Brownwood Baptist Encampment. For more information call Travis at 754-5213.

Wee Care News: The preschool would like to thank Jeff Heidenheimer and the Winters Volunteer Fire Department for visiting the preschool this week. The preschoolers learned alot about fire safety.

The preschool is also in need of a pumpkin for the children to carve. Call the church if you have an extra one.

Lords Acre 1990

Barbecue brisket and all the trimmings at the Community Center November 11, from 11:30 to 1:30. Auction to begin at 1:30. Join the United Methodist as they celebrate this annual event with their friends.

Worship at 9:30 a.m. with a Bluegrass gospel music group as guests. Enjoy some good old fashion Gospel Music and good food. Tickets for lunch are adults 4.50 and children (12 & under) 3.50. Available from any Methodist.

Recertification for 1991 Commodities

Beginning November 1, 1990, you may sign up for your new 1991 commodity card. You must bring proof of income and residency; also, if you receive Food Stamps, AFDC, Medical Assistance Only, and/or SSI, you must bring proof. The center office will be open (in the mornings only) from 8:00 am to 12:00 noon to help you, unless otherwise shown on the front door. Please call 754-4443 for more information.

You must have a new card before distribution in January 1991 in order to receive commodities that month. No cards will be issued on commodity distribution day.

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Lions' Roar

Noon Lions hosts music program

On Tuesday, October 23 at the noon Lion's Club, Diane Caspell will present a demonstration of the Yamaha Music Education System.

The system is presently being taught at the Hardin Simmons campus as a pilot program for a national system. Ms. Caspell is the instructor at the HSU campus.

The Yamaha Music Education System is for preschool age and kindergarten age children. It instructs them in piano, singing, and theory.

Sarah Speegle, age 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Speegle, will demonstrate her ability in the Yamaha program.

The demonstration will begin at 12:30 at the Winters Community Center. Anyone interested in this program is invited to attend.

Triple L met

The Triple L Club met in First Baptist fellowship hall Thursday for a covered dish luncheon. A program was presented by David Speegle with VCR pictures of the Glorieta trip.

Anita Wood observed a birthday this month. The members sang "Happy Birthday."

Guests were Ms. Virginia Mercier and Ms. Margaret Leathers.

Next month will be the Thanksgiving dinner.

Runnels Baptist Association will meet October 22

The Runnels Baptist Association will meet on October 22 for its 83rd Annual Sermon. The Annual Meeting will be held at the Robert Lee Baptist Church, Robert Lee.

The afternoon session will begin at 2:30 p.m. Reports will be given by Association leaders. Representatives from Texas Baptist Children's homes, Universities and Hospitals will speak.

The W.M.U. installation will begin at 5:00 p.m. The evening meal will be served at 6:00 p.m. The afternoon session will include an address by Barbara Curmatt, Associate Executive Director of the Woman's Missionary Union Auxiliary to the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

The evening session will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will include area committee reports. The Annual Sermon will be brought by Rev. Oscar Fanning, pastor of Hopewell Baptist Church. Roy Epperson, Moderator and pastor of Robert Lee Baptist Church, will preside at all sessions.

The public is invited to attend.

First Baptist's Beat

Lounette Templeton Circle meets

The Lounette Templeton Circle of the First Baptist Church WMU met in the home of Margaret Favor for their monthly meeting.

Hortell McCaughan, chairman, led in prayer and Charlsie Poe presented the prayer calendar for missionaries with birthdays to be remembered.

Susan Conner led the program discussion on "What is the proper age for a missionary?"

Missionaries can be of all ages as the answer as told in the lives of Martha Bowman, a new missionary in New Mexico for 30 years. John and Maurine McTyre continue to do mission work although they are retired after 27 years in Chile.

Others present were Louise Waggoner and Sarabeth Heidenheimer.

Classes have salad supper

The Good News and the Rebekah Sunday School classes of the First Baptist Church met in the fellowship hall for a salad supper and installation service on Monday night.

Following the supper, the new officers were installed by Mary Beth Drake. It was a very impressive service with a theme of "Galaxy of Stars".

The following were installed from the Good News class: Teacher - Edna England President - Dean Robinson Vice-President - Jerry Lloyd Secretary - Loretta Pierce Asst. Sec. Louise Seals Treasurer - Thelma Sneed Reporter - Lavonda Herrington

Group leaders - Gladys Sneed, Louise Seals and Lavonda Herrington

From the Rebekah class: Teacher - Virginia Schwartz President - Jo Poe Vice Pres. - Doxie Lou Marks Secretary - Janie Humble Treasurer - Emily Pendergrass Reporter - Tooter Harrison Group leaders - Virginia Brown, Theresa Briley, Darlene Sims and Dortha Laughon

Those present: Arlene Boles, Betty Jo Brown, Loretta Pierce, Louise Seals, Thelma Sneed, Jerry Lloyd, Dean Robinson, Lavonda Herrington, Joyce Krause, Virginia Brown, Janie Humble, Theresa Briley, Shirley Crouch, Virginia Schwartz, Emily Pendergrass, Patty Ross, Tooter Harrison, Jo Poe, and Mary Beth Drake.

CJC to present "Nuts in May"

The Hilton Dinner Theatre in Cisco will present *NUTS IN MAY*, a comedy by Comelia Otis Skinner, as its season opener.

The dinner performances will be on Thursday through Saturday, October 25, 26, and 27 at 8:00 p.m. There will be a dessert-only matinee on Sunday, October 28, at 2:00 p.m. For reservations or more information, please call Cisco Junior College at (817) 442-2589.

From Across The Mayor's Desk

by Randy M. Springer, R. Ph.

Trash!!! I once again would like to bring you up to date on the progress on the new trash pick-up service which will begin December 1st. THIS WEEK, each residential water user will receive a letter in their water bills asking what type of pick-up service they want (i. e., curbside or alley). If you elect to use alley pick-up, it is necessary that you return the form to city hall before November 12th in order that pick-up schedules can be completed. The city encourages you to try the curbside pick-up which is a \$4.00 per month savings. For the business customers, Mr. Lynn Lyons, a BFI representative, has been meeting with each of them over the past 10 days to discuss trash pick-up. If any business has not met with Mr. Lyons by the end of this week, please contact city hall. Again, I want to emphasize the importance of returning the letter you will receive in order to make as smooth a transition as possible.

As for the landfill, the city is undergoing the necessary requirements to close the site effective December 1st, and is leaning towards locating the

convenience center in a corner adjacent to the present site. We ask you for your cooperation and patience in our goal to provide a good trash and landfill service.

The negotiations in the water rate hearing case with North Runnels Water Supply Corporation have slowed somewhat with some delays, and a lot of examination of documents. More on this issue as the process develops.

I hope many of you have visited Elm Creek Reservoir since the rains. Our lake is a very nice one and we should be proud it exists, and eagerly promote it's use. The lake is extremely impressive following the recent rains.

The economic development forum held at the community center two nights last week spawned many good ideas. We would like to see even more interest in economic issues for Winters from all who may not have been able to participate. If you have any issues or questions regarding the city feel free to contact myself or Mr. Charles Ludwick, city administrator, at city hall.

Memo from the Chamber

Halloween decorations are beginning to show all over town!!! Businesses and residences will be judged on the 29th and 30th...awards announced on the 31st of October. Trick or treat for the very young will be from 5:00 p. m. to 5:30 p. m. downtown on Halloween evening of the 31st. Starting at the Chamber office, directions will be given for the young goblins to find their trick or treats.

The Arts and Crafts Show will be November 9th and 10th. Booths are still available. Remember, this is on a first come basis, so get your reservation in now.

Have you noticed the yellow ribbons going up downtown and some in the residential section? All over the United States, towns and residences are putting yellow ribbons out saying, "We are remembering those men and women overseas ready to defend what America stands for." You can put up your own, or call one of the local florist and they will make you a pretty bow.

Perhaps you have seen an article recently in one of our area papers about the items that are needed by the troops in the Persian Gulf. Items needed are personal ones, such as shaving articles, deodorant, sunblock, lip balm, mouthwash, foot powder, and insect repellent; fun things like squirt guns, nerf balls, macrame, and kite making kits. Information received by calling the Defense Logistics Agency confirmed the above articles needed and also that it would cost \$1.00 a pound to mail to the APO address. You may mail your own donations or bring them by the office. Eloise Brown will be helping to get the packages mailed. Any package should be addressed to Any Service Member, Desert Shield, APO, New York 09848-0006.

For further information on any of the above, call Winters Area Chamber of Commerce, 754-5210.

Keahey stumps for votes here

Jim Keahey, Republican candidate for Justice, 3rd Court of Appeals on the November ballot recently came to Winters in a quest for votes. Keahey is a former general counsel of the Department of Licensing and Regulation for the State of Texas and also has experience as a practicing lawyer, handling appeals from state agencies to the Court of Appeals for which he is now a judicial candidate.

The 3rd Court of Appeals covers 24 counties in Central Texas and sits in Austin. It handles almost all of the appeals of State Agencies' actions, such as the Railroad Commission, Public Utilities Commission, Insurance Commission and Water Commission. That makes this court vitally important to all Texans, according to Keahey.

Keahey points out that his opponent, Mack Kidd, is the former registered lobbyist for the Texas Trial Lawyers Association and that his experience has been primarily on the trial level, in medical malpractice and personal injury cases. Keahey asks that voters compare that with his experience in practicing before the court for which he is now a candidate.

Jim Keahey was a Phi Beta Kappa at the University of Texas, graduating with a degree in Journalism in 1955. He was also on the baseball team and editorial page editor of The Daily Texan. Keahey graduated from the University of Texas School of Law in 1958 and has practiced in Austin since then. He is married to the former Barbara Wilson, whose family is from Bastrop and Lockhart. They have three grown children.

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**Winters Elementary
Honor Roll**
1st Six Weeks

4th Grade

- Mandy Merfeld
- Uma Patel
- Tamara Thorpe
- Kenny Whittenburg
- Ryan Byrne
- Courtney Collom
- Candi Lara
- Teri Ledbetter
- Avel Hicks
- Jamie Bishop
- Kourtney Cathey
- John Morris Edwards
- Chanda Hoppe
- Esmerelda Sanchez
- Jimmy Soto
- Brooke Tounget
- Jill Holloway

5th Grade

- Stacy McMinn
- Greg Evans
- Heather Watkins
- Dennis Conner
- Jennifer Davis
- Steven Sneed
- Jeanna Kozelsky
- Diana Powers

6th Grade

- Brent Jacob
- Jaime Bahlman
- Matt Harrison
- Paige Bishop

**Blizzard J. V.
d e f e a t s
Hawley**

The Winters Blizzard Junior Varsity defeated Hawley last Thursday night 7-0 in Hawley.

The Blizzards scored in the second quarter and shut out the Bearcats. The Winters scoring drive was highlighted by two ball plays. The first one was a 15 yard completion from Gabriel L. Ortiz to Ahmad Griffin for a first down. The second was a 15 yard pass from Ortiz to Griffin for a touchdown.

The Blizzard defense played well the entire night. The Winters defense stopped Hawley on five fourth down attempts. "Defense was the key to the game," stated Coach Chuck Cathey after the game. "We played very well defensively, and for the first time this season we did not give up easy points to the other team."

Outstanding plays were made by all of the Blizzard defensive players. "The kids were really thrilled with the victory, and they deserved to be because they played very well," stated Coach Cathey.

The next action for the Winters J.V. is Thursday at Anson.

**Seventh Grade
Breezes bash
Hawley**

The 7th grade Breezes travelled to Hawley last Thursday and brought back a 44-14 victory.

Scoring for the Breezes, in order, are Jerry Esquivel on a 60 yard run; Mark Deike added the two point conversion; Keyin Conner on a 21 yard pass from John Paul Belew, Esquivel added the two point conversion.

Michael Mostad scored on a 15 yard pass from Belew. Esquivel scored on a 22 yard run while Deike added the two point conversion. Joe Reyna scored on a 36 yard pass from Belew, and Deike added another two point conversion. Derek Oats added the final touchdown on a 5 yard run.

Belew completed 4 of 5 passes for three touchdowns.

This much offense would not be possible without good blocking from the guys doing the defense.

Coach Lipsey states, "This is a fine group of kids, and they are starting to come together as a team. We still have a long way to go, but are improving each week."

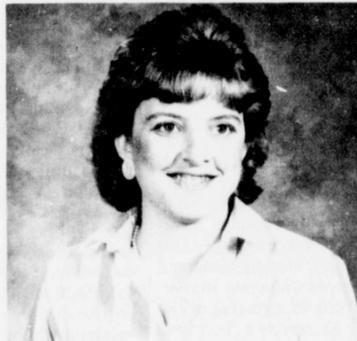
**School Days,
School Days**



**Mary Beth Ahrens
Elementary - Chapter I**

Mrs. Ahrens is originally from Perrins and has been employed by WISD since 1985. She has a bachelor of science degree in elementary education from Tarleton State University and a master's degree in education. She is currently the elementary Chapter I teacher. Her previous experience is in the Mineral Wells school district teaching first and second grades.

Mary Beth is married to Ted Ahrens, who farms and ranches and is an employee of the United States Post Office. They have one 4 year old son. Needlework, family activities, and church work are interests that Mary Beth finds rewarding. She also finds teaching very rewarding and loves to see the children's faces light up as they learn.



**Ann Shackelford
3rd Grade Teacher**

Mrs. Shackelford is a graduate of Tarleton State University and originally from Milsap, Texas. She has a bachelor of science degree in agriculture education. She also has certification in elementary education from San Angelo State University. Her previous experience includes teaching Vocational Agriculture in Rochester ISD for one year and she has been employed by WISD for eight years.

Ann is married to Roy Shackelford, who teaches Vocational Agriculture for WISD. The couple has one 4 year old son. Ann's hobbies include sewing, cooking, and arts and crafts. She enjoys seeing her former students excel in higher grades.

**Winters 4-H
Club to meet**

The Winters 4-H Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, October 22 in the Winters Church of Christ fellowship hall. The program is "Order in the Court." The refreshment committee is Linsey Brown, Angela and Susan Bryan, Richard Dunlap and Justin Mitchell.

Winters 4-H'ers and their parents who are interested in learning more about nutrition and the Food Show are invited to attend a Foods Project meeting at 5:30 p.m., before the monthly meeting. Patricia Hohensee, County Home Economics Extension Agent, will explain to 4-H'ers what to expect at the Food Show and how to set up their dishes at the Food Show.

**Booster Club to
sponsor Halloween
Carnival**

The Winters Blizzard Booster Club will have a Halloween Carnival, Saturday, October 27 beginning at 6:30 p.m. The carnival will be held at the Winters Community Center at Ted Meyer Park.

Games and booths to be featured are as follows: Duck Pond, Dart Throw, Baseball Throw, Football Throw, Beanbag Toss, Basketball Toss, Cake Walk, and Bingo.

A concession stand with food and drinks will also be run by the Booster Club. The public is invited and encouraged to attend.

New Booster Club members are Randall and Susan Conner, Ronnie and Gloria Poelhs, Bill and Cindy Cathey, Tommy and Brenda Grohman, and Charlie and Mary Jane Blackshear.

**8th Grade Breezes
defeat Hawley 37-0**

The Winters 8th grade Breezes, with the help of a defense which continuously set the offense in good scoring position, defeated Hawley 37-0. After holding Hawley on their first series of downs, the Breezes needed only two plays to score with Robert Silva doing the honors from three yards out. The extra point was no good. The next Hawley series ended with a blocked punt and the Breezes needed only one play with Lupe Roman going in from the three yard line; Roman also kicked the extra point. The Breezes added two more touchdowns before half, one by Lupe Roman and one by Anthony Earl Thomas, making the score 25-0 at the half. The Breezes added a touchdown by Robert Silva in the third and a touchdown pass from Nathan Collins to Anthony Earl Thomas for the 37-0 score.

The offense and defense both played well and will have to continue to do so in the weeks to come. The Breezes play Anson, there, October 18.

**W I S D
board meets**

The Winters Independent School District board met for its regular meeting on Tuesday, October 9 at the school administration building. Several items were on the agenda, but the one which took the most time concerned the duty and/or obligation of the District for insurance claims left unpaid to employees by a bankrupt insurance carrier.

Some 29 employees of the District were left with unpaid claims when the carrier filed for bankruptcy. The board took no action at this meeting.

The board voted to lease/purchase a new International-Blue-bird diesel bus to be ordered as soon as practical. The bus probably will not be delivered until sometime in 1991 according to Johnny Bob Smith, Business Manager for the District.

Mr. Smith also reported on the 1990 tax roll which shows a real appraised value of property in the District of \$126,827,500. After reducing the figure by the amount of exemptions, the net total of 1990 taxable value is \$89,066,860. The tax revenue from this amount, if 100% is collected would be \$1,082,486.

Business Manager Smith also presented the auditor's report to the board on the just completed fiscal year. The auditors reported the District has complied in all material aspects with the provisions of law and good accounting practices. Mr. Smith reported a year ending balance of \$490,123 which has dwindled from a year ending balance of over \$1 million dollars in some years past. The reason is that tax values have fallen Smith told the board.

Finally, the board voted to contact the architectural firm of Huckabee and Donham of Stephenville for further negotiations concerning the remodeling of the elementary school building. Three firms had been interviewed in the past several weeks by the board.

**LUNCH ROOM
MENU**

- Breakfast**
- Monday-October 22**
Sausage, gravy, biscuits, sliced peaches, milk
- Tuesday-October 23**
Toast, Lucky Charms, apricot halves, milk
- Wednesday-October 24**
Waffles, oatmeal, syrup, mixed fruit, milk
- Thursday-October 25**
Cheese biscuits, rice, purple plums, milk
- Friday-October 26**
Breakfast taco (eggs, sausage, cheese), hash browns, pineapple chunks, milk

- Lunch**
- Monday-October 22**
West Side
Taco with meat & cheese, tossed salad, red beans, crackers, cinnamon roll, milk
- East Side**
Ham & cheese sandwich or hamburger, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, mustard, mayonnaise, catsup, brownie, milk

- Tuesday-October 23**
West Side
Chicken spaghetti, seasoned green beans, tomato wedges, garlic bread, brownie, milk
- East Side**
Tuna sandwich or hamburger, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, mustard, mayonnaise, catsup, brownie, milk

- Wednesday-October 24**
West Side
Beef enchiladas, Spanish rice, pinto beans, tossed salad, pineapple pudding, milk
- East Side**
Same

- Thursday-October 25**
West Side
German sausage, scalloped potatoes, June peas, hot rolls, oatmeal cookie, milk
- East Side**
Same

- Friday-October 26**
West Side
Steak on bun, chopped lettuce, tomatoes, potato chips, mustard, mayonnaise, catsup, mixed fruit, chocolate cake, milk
- East Side**
Same

Subject to Change

**Literary &
Service Club
turkey dinner**

In conjunction with Homecoming and the Anson football game this Friday night, the Literary and Service Club will serve a turkey dinner with all the trimmings. The dinner, which includes dessert and drink, will be served at the Winters school cafeteria beginning at 5:15 p.m. Friday, October 19 and continue until game time at 7:30 p.m.

Adult plates will be \$4.50 and a child's plate (under 10) is available for \$2.50. Carry-outs will be available. Tickets may be bought from any member of the Literary & Service Club or at the door the evening of the dinner.

**Soccer
SCOOP**



- Week 7, October 20**
- U6: Muppets vs. Lions 12:00
- U8: Generals vs. Eagles 12:00
- U10: Badgers vs. Mustangs 1:30
- U12: WOLVERINES OFF
- Week 8, October 27**
- U6: Muppets vs. Sidekicks 12:00
- U8: Generals vs. Mustangs 12:00
- U10: Stingers vs. Mustangs 12:00
- U12: Gunners vs. Wolverines 10:30
- Week 9, November 3**
- U6: Muppets vs. Lions 12:00
- U8: Generals vs. Eagles 12:00
- U10: Badgers vs. Mustangs 12:00

Soccer team pictures and individual pictures will be taken Monday, October 29 at the Winters Practice Field. *The Winters Enterprise* will take individual pictures beginning at 5:20 pm and stagger the teams every ten minutes. See your coach for your team's time.

The group picture will be taken at 6:00 pm.

There are three packages available for purchase and payment will need to be made at picture taking time.



Putting his best foot forward!
Blizzard Bill Belew prepares to kick an all-important extra point against the Hawley Bearcats last Friday night.

7-2A Football Review

Another week, another undefeated team falls from the ranks. Just two teams are left with an undefeated record in District competition. Albany and Winters each have 3 wins and no losses in district play. This week is Homecoming and Winters meets Anson on home turf.

	DISTRICT			SEASON		
	W	L	T	W	L	T
Albany	3	0	0	6	0	0
Anson	2	1	0	5	1	0
Hamlin	0	3	0	2	4	0
Haskell	1	2	0	2	4	0
Hawley	2	1	0	3	3	0
Stamford	1	2	0	2	4	0
Winters	3	0	0	4	2	0
Jim Ned	0	3	0	0	6	0

This week's Harris Rating System picks:
Albany over Jim Ned by 34
Anson over Winters by 8
Hamlin over Haskell by 13
Stamford over Hawley by 12

Last week's results:
Albany 14, Stamford 0
Anson 14, Hamlin 13
Winters 13, Hawley 6
Haskell 48, Jim Ned 6

SPOOK HOUSE

Wednesday, Oct. 31
5:30 - 10:00 PM
\$2.00 Admission

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the Gym**

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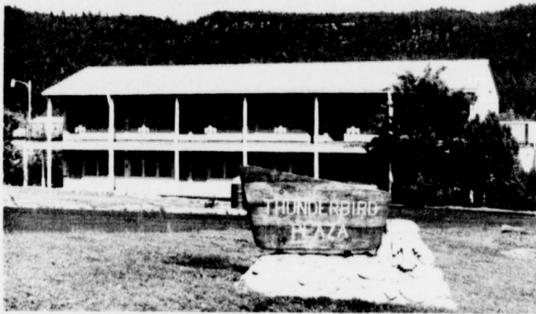
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Poe's Corner
By *Charlsie Poe*



Miracle of the Minority

Three members of the Glorieta tour group had so much pep and enthusiasm that they were nicknamed "The Golden Girls." They are Jerry Lloyd, Charlotte Miller, and Emily Pendergrass.

The beginning of Glorieta is written for them and others interested in history. The opening of the conference site took courage and sacrifice as told in a history by Dale and Betty Danielson. The late years are from my experience.

Glorieta's rise was to be like the grain of mustard seed; smaller than others, but yet it grew taller.

New Mexico Baptists wanted the Southern Baptist committee studying western assembly sites to come to New Mexico. When they finally arrived, it was too late. The Pecos Ranch had been sold.

When Harry P. Stagg, executive secretary for New Mexico Baptists, learned the 880 acre Breese Ranch at the summit of Glorieta Pass was for sale at \$50,000, he lost no time in bringing a delegation to see the site. It was breathtaking on the Santa Fe Trail and parade route of Western history. It was also on the main line of the nation's longest railroad—the "Santa Fe." The enchanting name of "Glorieta" had the ring of music in it.

Stagg lost no time in taking an option on the property with \$2,000 down and the balance due in 30 days. He didn't want to invite the Southern Baptist committee and lose it. He didn't know they would refuse even to come to look at it!

The New Mexico state mission board was a bigger problem. What did their executive secretary mean by going out and obligating them for something like that? They voted to purchase the ranch. Then they voted to reconsider. Glorieta was brand new to Baptists. Yet sixteen months later, it was to sweep the floor vote of the whole Southern Baptist convention, laying waste to the three year western assembly committee, who refused to look at the conference site before going onto the ash heap of history.

When it came time to vote, the victory for Glorieta over the other site at Harrison, Arkansas was stunning. The loners who had risked everything to bring it to pass saw it as a refreshing mir-

acle. They were speechless. "Nothing like it ever has happened before or since," said Skagg.

Before Glorieta would become what it is today, its promoters were called upon to pass the tests of Hercules. They had to prove there was an adequate supply of water. They had to buy two miles of highway frontage and raise \$100,000 for an administration building from people who had already turned their pockets wrong side out to buy the property.

New Mexico Baptists held their state convention in a tin tabernacle in 1949. They voted to meet again as a state assembly. But by 1950, the place had a new landlord—the Southern Baptist convention.

People went to work with a will and more land was bought to make 2,500 acres in all. The center is surrounded by 380,000 acres of the Santa Fe National Forest.

In 1952, two buildings were erected! New Mexico Hall, housing the business and conference rooms, and the dining hall that has been enlarged twice. The first full weeks program was held in 1953, after the Pioneer building had been erected and a well dug.

The center is opened the year around and almost every type of lodging is provided including hotel type, dormitories, apartment, and trailer hookups. One of the last additions is the Thunderbird Lodge with 120 units. There are also church owned cottages.

The Hall of States was built with an offering provided by people attending in 1952 from 18 states. Texas followed suit by building a 44 room unit and later adding Texas "B" with 40 rooms.

After one unit of the Texas Lodge burned, a fire department was added to the assembly. Previously the Santa Fe unit had been called upon. It takes 250 employees in the summer to operate the conference center and 200 in the winter.

The most inspiring place on the grounds is the prayer garden bordered by 27 varieties of white iris and red carnations. Stone steps lead up to rustic seats among the trees where 350 people can be seated.

If you have a conviction, be sure you are right and go ahead, even if you have to stand alone. Remember the mustard seed.

Letter to the Editor

The Board of Directors of North Runnels Emergency Service Inc. would like to take this opportunity to correct a few misconceptions and put a few rumors to rest.

All of the personnel that have left the ambulance service recently, were **NOT TERMINATED**, these people chose to leave of their own free will. Many of the people left after being told, by a person involved with the creation of a new service, that North Runnels Emergency Service was operating illegally. If any of these people had bothered to call the Texas Department of Health they would have found that we have always been legal and to date there has never been a complaint lodged against this service. For those interested in checking, call the Texas Dep. of Health at 695-7170, and ask for Ray Dillard or Andy Cargile. Those people that stayed with the service, stayed out of a loyalty to their community. By the time the personnel quit the service, we had numerous personnel from other areas that had called and offered to help, out of dedication to the profession. Out of necessity some of these people were hired to be a part of this service. These out of town personnel stay many days on duty at a time without seeing their families. These people are the best of what the EMS profession stand for, LOYALTY and DEDICATION to preserving life and alleviating suffering. These people have had to endure many hardships from other community services and yet remain loyal to meeting the pre-hospital medical needs of this community. Our community should welcome these people with open arms.

In an article appearing in *The Winters Enterprise* a short time ago it talked about diversification of hospital personnel. We must bare (sic) in mind that the hospital must maintain a minimum of personnel on the floor at all times. We are talking about an average ambulance call load of one run per day. It seems a waste of labor costs to maintain an extra 4 personnel above minimum staffing levels on a daily basis. The county contract requires two ambulances on line and the state regulations require two people on each ambulance. As any business person will tell you, one of the biggest operating expenses of any business is the cost of labor. There is also a national nurses shortage making it difficult to utilize our nurses in a dual role capacity.

There is also a rumor that it cost several hundred dollars for an in town run, and around a thousand dollars for a trip to Abilene. The amount of money that we are allowed to charge for a trip is regulated by Medicare. Medicare does allow us to charge mileage even within the town of Winters, which we feel is unnecessary. We do not charge mileage within the city of Winters, never have and never will. The

average cost of an in town trip to the hospital is between \$125.00 and \$200 depending on any special services or supplies and equipment needed to perform the transport. For transports to Abilene or San Angelo the charges average from \$210 to \$300. All of the above mentioned charges are paid by Medicare, Medicaid or most insurances at a rate of 80% which leaves a minimum amount to be paid by the patient. Our service also has an average of \$1500 to \$3000 per month that we are unable to collect because of people with no insurance or being financially unable to pay.

North Runnels Emergency Service, Inc. is financially stable and has been in business since October, 1984. The continued existence of this service will not be affected by the outcome of Mr. Nolte's trial. This service is a corporation and not a sole proprietorship, and is run as a corporation. After checking with the Texas Dep. of Health in Austin we have verified that there will be no problem with maintaining a provider license regardless of Mr. Nolte's final status, since this is a corporation operated by a board of directors. North Runnels Emergency Service, Inc. intends to continue in its normal operations.

In an earlier article in *The Winters Enterprise* the statement was made that the hospital would be much more closely regulated by a double standard of Medicare and the Texas Dep. of Health. After calling the Texas Dep. of Health, Health Facility Licensure and Certification Division (Medicare inspecting team) we have found that Medicare will not be inspecting the ambulance service they will only be looking to make sure that there is a police and procedure manual in use and to make sure that minimum hospital and ambulance staffing levels are maintained. Under the current state regulations all ambulance services must have a procedure manual and staffing plan in place. This means we will all be operating under the same governing rules. This can be verified by calling The Texas Dep. of Health, Health Facility Licensure and Certification Division in Austin at (512) 458-7111.

There is one factor not mentioned by anyone yet, and that is the loss of jobs by people if the hospital begins operation of an ambulance service. They are talking about using existing hospital employees that already have a job and income to feed their families. What about all of the people that will be out of a job after all of their years of service? We have many full and part time employees that derive all or part of their existence from the ambulance service employment.

North Runnels Emergency Service, Inc. would like to take this opportunity to express our thanks to the media and the citizens for allowing us the opportunity to clear up some of these issues.

Domino Party slated for Shep

There will be a Domino Party in the Shep Community Center Saturday, October 20, at 7 p.m.

Bring your dominos and snacks and come enjoy the fun and fellowship.

Announcement

The Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. announces sponsorship of the Child Care Food Program. All children in attendance will be offered the same free meals with no physical segregation of, or other discrimination against, any child because of race, color, handicap, sex, age or national origin.

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VETERINARY UPDATE

by Jimmy Smith, DVM

Frostbite Stress on Sorghum results in Prussic Acid Poisoning

Back in the drier early summer I wrote about the potential development of prussic acid in sorghums being grazed by livestock. My main concern at that time was to let you know that the conditions were just right for this poison to develop, and this could lead to catastrophic death losses.

Same song, second verse! The only difference is the source of the stress, and the one we have to deal with now is freezing. Another thing is that all of the green, growing sorghum is likely to produce prussic acid when it becomes frosted, not just a few spots in a field.

The signs of prussic acid poisoning depend upon the amount of prussic acid consumed. The more poison that is consumed, the more rapidly the signs show up and the more severe they are.

After the poison has been eaten, the cyanide is metabolized from the prussic acid. Cyanide is a highly volatile gas that is absorbed directly into the bloodstream. Its affect on the body is that the red blood cell is unable to transfer the oxygen that it carries into the cells of the body.

The first sign of intoxication is an increased rate of respiration, followed by salivation, muscle tremors, convulsions, and death. Venous blood will become bright red. Death can occur rapidly; as soon as five minutes and up to one-half hour.

Those animals that are affected will probably make it if they last as long as 1 1/2 to 2 hours.

It is important to note that if you suspect this toxicity in one of your animals, that you not try to move it to a pen for treatment. You've just got to treat the animal where you find it.

Cyanide is metabolized very rapidly, and the administration of a sodium thiosulfate - sodium nitrite mixture intravenously usually results in successful treatment.

Also, I need to mention that prussic acid poisoning resembles nitrate intoxication, but the incidence of nitrate poisoning is not brought on by freezing.

Prussic acid can be a problem with any sorghum forage that is grazed, green chopped, ensiled, or baled immediately after a frost.

However, as I said earlier, this poison breaks down rapidly. A good rule of thumb to remember is when a handful of sorghum leaves will snap and break cleanly when bent, prussic acid is no longer a worry. This usually takes 5-7 days after freezing.

I hope I haven't bored you by going over this again, but I felt like it is an important consideration at this time of the year for all of us in the livestock business.

Maybe the short time that you have spent reading this will save you some livestock (and money)!

If you have any questions concerning this problem, please contact *The Winters Enterprise* or myself, and I will be happy to discuss this with you or print a reply in this column.

Editorial Comment

by Roeneal Boles

The current flap over ambulance service for north Runnels County has caused some of the residents of the area to sit up and take notice. Letters to the editor have been frequent with the heaviest barrage coming from those working with or for the ambulance service currently holding the county contract.

Much of the time the letters have seemed to assume that if North Runnels Hospital District had not elected to form an ambulance service and submit a bid, the contract would automatically remain with North Runnels Emergency Service, Inc., the present contractor. That may or may not be the case.

The service is up for bid and anyone who meets the specifications of the Runnels County Commissioners Court, mainly having a provider's license from the Texas Department of Health, can submit a bid for the service. Bids are not limited to those services currently providing ambulance service in the county. There may and very likely will be other bidders than the two currently embroiled in the controversy.

When the bids are opened on November 13, county commissioners are obligated to their constituents to accept the best bid. This is the bid they feel will best serve the taxpayers of North Runnels County. Whoever is awarded the bid, be it North Runnels Emergency Service, North Runnels Hospital or Joe Blow Ambulance Service, will receive the county subsidy and benefit from our tax money.

Not receiving the county contract does not prevent an ambulance company or hospital district from operating a service. It is doubtful that the service could be profitable, especially in a rural county such as Runnels, without receiving the subsidy.

The bottom line of the whole disagreement is that the county commissioners hold the key to future ambulance service in North Runnels County. If you have feelings as to the ambulance service provided, talk to your commissioner.

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Obituaries

Flossie Lavada Kirkland

Flossie Lavada Kirkland, 92, of Wingate died Thursday morning, October 11, 1990, at Coronado Nursing Center in Abilene. She was born March 21, 1898 in Bell County and later came to Rannels County settling in Wingate. She married Clarice Kirkland, April 11, 1915 in Coke County.

She was a homemaker and a member of the Wingate Baptist Church.

Mrs. Kirkland was preceded in death by her husband in 1962.

Survivors include one son, Bill Kirkland of Cottonwood, Arizona; one daughter, Demetra Holder of Abilene; one sister, Estell Harding of Silver Valley; five grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and four great, great grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday at 10:30 a. m. at the Wingate Baptist Church with Rev. Charles Myers officiating. Burial was in Wingate Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were C. J. Cornett, Gilbert Smith, Suverne O'Dell, W. T. Holder, Roy Holder, and Wesley Wade.

Truett O. Nance

Truett O. Nance, 70, of Poway, California, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nance (deceased) of Winters, died Friday, October 12, 1990.

Mr. Nance was a retired major in the United States Air Force.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Patrick Nance; a sister, Mrs. Jewel Nance Orr; and two brothers, Woreth and Bill Nance.

Survivors include his wife, Jo Gooch Nance; a son, Patrick Nance of Hawaii; a daughter, Lisa Baez of Jose, California; two grandsons, Kanoa and Ethan Baez; and several nieces and nephews.

Primo Jose Reyes, Sr.

Primo Jose Reyes, Sr., 47, of Wingate died Saturday, October 13, 1990, at Humana Hospital in Abilene.

He was born August 5, 1943 in Runge, Texas. He married Severa Tamez on April 19, 1963 in Runge and moved to Wingate in 1967.

He was a farm and ranch laborer.

Mr. Reyes was also a member of the Mt. Carmel Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Severa Tamez Reyes of Wingate; four sons, Filberto Reyes, David Reyes, Joe Reyes, and Primo Reyes, all of Wingate; and four daughters, Sylvia Quroga of Ballinger, Susie Reyes, Beatrice Reyes, and Helen Reyes, from Wingate; four brothers, Juan Reyes, Jimmy Reyes, Joe Reyes, Jr., and Nicholas Reyes, all of Wingate; one sister, Hope Moreno of Winters; and three grandchildren.

Rosary was at 8:00 p. m. Monday at the Winters Funeral Home Chapel. Mass was at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday at Mt. Carmel Catholic Church with Father John Hoorman officiating. Burial was in the Wingate Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Vinnie Reyes, Joe Reyes, Ramiro Reyes, Jimmy Soto, Richard Tamez, and Armondo Tamez.

Cub Scouts to sell popcorn

Winters Cub Scouts, Chisholm Trail Council, pack 249 will begin selling popcorn on October 24 this year. The Cubs will be selling buttered microwave popcorn in a 5 pack or 12 pack and regular popcorn in a bucket.

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Dr. Thorpe is still trying to place a physician in his office prior to his closing 10-25-90. If he does not have a physician in his office by then or patients feel the need to have their medical records sent to another physician, please complete the form below and mail it to Dr. Thorpe's office. The address is P.O. Box 797, Winters, Tx. 79567. His office staff will be sending medical records to physicians upon patient's request for the next three months or until further notice is given in the newspaper.

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Wee Care students of the Methodist pre-school share some hands-on experience with Jeff Heidenheimer of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department during Fire Prevention Week.

Assisting in the demonstration are school aide, Sarabeth Heidenheimer (center) and teacher Chris Parramore, far right.

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Costume Contest, Haunted House planned Oct. 27

A Costume Contest and Haunted House will be held by the Knights of Columbus at the new Catholic Hall Saturday, October 27.

The Costume Contest will begin at 6:30 p.m. and will be for ages 6-12. Prizes will be given to 1st place winners only.

The Haunted House will open at 7:30 p.m.

Brownie Troop 162 meets

Brownie Troop 162 held a rededication and investiture ceremony on September 29th. Nine girls were rededicated and 6 girls were invested into the Girl Scout program.

Decorations were made earlier by the girls.

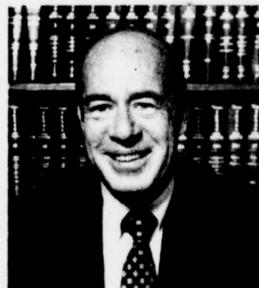
The Promise was recited and candles were lit as each Brownie was rededicated or invested. The "Brownie Story" was read. Songs and games along with refreshments make the meeting lots of fun.

Members of Troop 162 now are: leaders - Easter Walden, Lue Walker, Committee Members - Kay Smith, Diann McMinn, Janet Melton, Tina Smith; Brownies - Michelle Walden, Kelly Walker, Ambar Smith, Alecia Swim, Kalene Lincycomb, Scarlett McMinn, Staci Bishop, Tanya Melton, Meagon Galvan, Amber Hall, Debra Johnston, Monica Rodriguez, Jaci Smith, Isha Lara Kyla Collins, and Tracey Bums.



Parents' Night: Members of the Winters Blizzard varsity football team line up with their parents at Blizzard Field. Prior to the Hawley game last Friday, each player and his parents were introduced and given special recognition.

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1990 Varsity Schedule			
September	7	Coleman	16-14
	14	Coahoma	0-20
	21	Goldthwaite	0-19
	28	*Haskell	24-6
October	5	*Jim Ned	34-6
	12	*Hawley	13-6
	19	*Anson	H 7:30
	26	*Hamlin	T 7:30
November	2	*Albany	H 7:30
	9	*Stamford	T 7:30

*Denotes District 7-AA games

Junior Varsity and Junior High			
September	6	Coleman	JV 7-14
	13	Coahoma	JV 0-37
	20	Goldthwaite	JV 0-20
	27	Haskell	JV 12-18
October	4	Jim Ned	JV 7-20
	11	Hawley	JV 7-0 4:45
	18	Anson	7-8-JV T 4:45
	25	Hamlin	7-8-JV H 4:45
November	1	Albany	7-8-JV T 4:45
	8	Stamford	7-8-JV H 4:45

1990 Blizzard Twirlers



left to right: Mary Mostad, sophomore, Tandy Reagan, freshman, and Carla Smith, sophomore

Band Notes

by Stephen Henry, Director

As we prepare for contest this Saturday, it is important that we put things in perspective. What is the most important outcome that we can look for. Is an excellent rating most important?

I don't think so...

What is important is that we as a band set our goals, and work towards their fruition. This year we decided to achieve a Grade I rating. The band has been working day and sometimes night to achieve this goal. The members have dedicated their time, effort, and energy in working towards this goal. They have been disciplined enough to work long hours and practice at home on their own time.

In my eyes, they have achieved their goal. They will earn a high rating at contest because they have done the work that warrants such an honor. But what is most important, they have learned to work as a team, which will help beyond the band hall and the W.H.S. campus.

The band will march at 12:10 pm on Saturday. We invite all Winters Blizzard fans to come and support the band. The performance will be in Shotwell Stadium in Abilene.

This week, the spirit stick winners were Kristen Deike and Gabriel Ortiz. We are very proud of these and all of the band students.

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**NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
(AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)**

To the Registered Voters of the County of Runnels, Texas:
A los votantes registrados del Condado de Runnels, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., November 6, 1990, for voting in a general election to elect the Governor, Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers; and FOR the purpose of adopting or rejecting the proposed Constitutional Amendments as submitted by the Legislature, 6th called session(s), of the State of Texas.

Notificación por las presentes, que las casillas electorales siguientes estarán abiertas desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 6 de noviembre de 1990 para votar en la Elección General para elegir Gobernador, Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precinto y PARA adoptar o rechazar las enmiendas propuestas constitucionales así como fueron sometidas por la Legislatura 6th called session(s), de la Estado de Texas.

**LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCIONES DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)**

- VOTING PRECINCT 1 - Ballinger (Runnels County Courthouse)
- VOTING PRECINCT 3 - Winters (Housing Authority Building)
- VOTING PRECINCT 4 - Winters (City Hall)
- VOTING PRECINCT 5 - Wingate (Lion's Club Building)
- VOTING PRECINCT 6 - Norton (Community Center)
- VOTING PRECINCT 7 - Ballinger (Community Center)
- VOTING PRECINCT 8 - Ballinger (City Hall)
- VOTING PRECINCT 9 - Miles (City Hall)
- VOTING PRECINCT 10 - Rowena (Fire Station)

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at
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Office of the County Clerk, Runnels County Courthouse, Ballinger, Texas
(location) (sitio)

between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on October 17, 1990
(date) (fecha)

entre las 8:30 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 17 octubre de 1990
(date) (fecha)

and ending on November 2, 1990
(date) (fecha)
Week-end absentee voting will be conducted Sunday, October 28, 1990, from 1:00 P.M. until 6:00 P.M. at the County Clerk's Office.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
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Linda Bruchmiller, County Clerk, Runnels County
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Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on
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Five Winters students graduated from TSTI

Sweetwater, TX—During its annual commencement exercises, Texas State Technical Institute awarded associate degrees and certificates of completion to 319 graduates.

The following people from Winters graduated from TSTI. Their program of study is indicated, as well as their degree or certificate.

- Joyce D. Weems - Emergency Medical Services Certificate
- Elaine R. Miller - Emergency Medical Services Certificate
- Raul S. De La Cruz - Computer Maintenance Technology Associate Degree
- James Murphy - Computer Maintenance Technology Associate Degree
- Valerie A. Rusk - Fashion Merchandising Technology Associate Degree

TSTI is the largest residential technical college in the United States and the only state-supported technical college of its type in Texas. The Sweetwater campus and its satellites in Breckenridge and Abilene offer 17 different fields of study.

Mayfields celebrate 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mayfield were honored at a reception Sunday, September 30 at First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Hosts for the occasion were their children, Edna Ruth and Thurman Self of Wingate; Betty Jean and Alton Bradshaw of Brady; and Marilyn Kay and Charles McGaff of Midland. Karen Williams of Big Lake presided at the register table decorated with red tapers in double gold candelabra on a gold tree.

Appointments at the serving table were of crystal and silver, centered with an arrangement of daisies, mums and autumn leaves topped with a gold bow and white 50th Anniversary. Sheet cake iced in white decorated with yellow rosebuds, wedding bells and a gold 50th Anniversary was served to guests. Sue Sweet of Oak Creek and Scarlotte Mikeska of Wingate presided at the serving table.

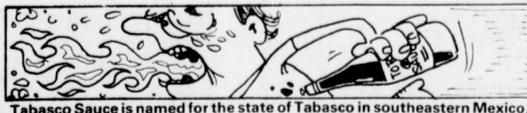
Brenna Mikeska of Wingate sang "Strong Enough to Bend." Approximately 50 friends and relatives called during the afternoon.

Norton Homecoming

A Norton Homecoming will be held Saturday and Sunday October 20 and 21 at the Norton Community Center. The Saturday meeting will be from 5:00 p.m. until and Sunday's gathering goes from 10 a.m. until.

Notice

Winters Independent School District has available to the public, for inspection, an Asbestos Management Plan. This information can be found at the School Administration Office at 603 N. Heights between the hours of 8:00 a.m. - 12 noon and from 1:00-4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.



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Orrie Jane Low celebrates 98th birthday

A birthday party honoring Orrie Jane Low was held in Sterling City, Saturday, October 13. Orrie was born in Bell County, October 16, 1892. She moved to the Wingate area when she was six years old.

Attending her party were four of her five living children and wives of two deceased sons.

Children present were Birdie Cotter, Weatherford; Ozella Whitaker, Plainview; Darrel and Pat Low, Winters; Mickey Orrell, Winters; Lacey Low, Garden City; Virginia and J.D. Green, Cross Plains.

Grandchildren were Gene and Geraldine Cotter, Austin; Peggy and Richard Wiley, Lockney; Wayne and Linda Low, Sterling City; Ike and Glenda Low, Big Spring; Keven and Jill Low, Snyder; Monty and Ronda Low, Potosi; Harold Whitaker, Floydada; Edna Smith, Plainview; Terry and Becky Smith, New Castle.

Great grandchildren were Melodie Cox, Lockney; Buddy Wiley, Lockney; Stacie and Pete Brown, Lubbock; Tracy Smith, Lockney; Carylon Low, Lubbock; Barbara Mitchell, Big Spring.

Great-great grandchildren were Kyle and Erin Low, Emily and Elizabeth Low, Cody Cox, and Christy Smith.

Also present were J.B. and Genevieve Denson, Wilmett; Shorty McAlpin, Mineral Wells; and Jan Koflanovich, Abilene.



Moore, Burton announce December wedding plans

The parents of Gina Kathleen (Kathy) Moore and Bret David Burton are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children.

The ceremony is planned for December 29, 1990, in the First Baptist Church in Ballinger.

Parents of the bride are Nathan and Chris Moore of Fort Davis, and the groom's parents are David and Nona Burton of Ballinger.

The bride, a graduate of Fort Davis High School, is a registered nurse at Methodist Hospital in San Antonio. She received her associate degree in nursing from Angelo State University.

The groom received his bachelor of science degree from Angelo State University, and is a second year medical student at the University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio.

The couple will make their home in San Antonio following the ceremony.

Murphys honored during dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Grover William Murphy marked their 50th wedding anniversary at a dinner party September 29 at Zentner's Steak House in San Angelo.

Ila Ruby Morgan and Grover William Murphy were married in Ballinger September 28, 1940. The couple has five children, Mary Lee, McBrayer of Fort Worth, Anita Carolyn Calverley and Grover William Murphy, Jr., both of Garden City, Maudella Jane Hutchings of Brownwood and Ruby Nell Jones of Blackwell. There are 12 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

The Murphys have lived in Winters, Wingate, Luther and Big Spring. They were engaged in farming. Mr. Murphy also was a carpenter and a school bus driver for the Gay Hill School where Mrs. Murphy worked in the cafeteria. Mrs. Murphy owned and operated a beauty shop in Big Spring. They are Southern Baptists. Since 1983 the Murphys have lived at Oak Creek Lake in Blackwell.

Honoring the party were the children and their spouses.



Mr. and Mrs. John Schaffrina to celebrate 50th wedding anniversary

John and Beulah Schaffrina will be honored with a reception on Sunday, October 28 from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the Winters Community Center in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Hosting will be four of their five children and their spouses; David and Linda Schaffrina of El Paso, Jean Schaffrina of El Cajon, California, Dan Schaffrina, Tommy and Laura Smith, all of Midland.

The Schaffrinas were both born in Callahan County and lived there until moving to Winters in 1967.

They were married on November 1, 1940 in the parsonage of the First Methodist Church of Abilene by the late Dr. J. H. Hamblin.

Their youngest son, Carl, is in the U. S. Navy, and sailed to the Far East in August when the present conflict began. He will be unable to attend. They have nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

John and Beulah are members of the First United Methodist Church of Winters.

They invite all their friends to help celebrate this rare and happy occasion with them.

Sylvia Reyna to wed John Krause

Mr. and Mrs. Epifanio Reyna of Winters have announced the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia, to John T. Krause, son of Mrs. Joyce I. Krause of Winters.

The wedding will be at 3 pm, November 24, in the St. John's Lutheran Church in Winters.

The bride-elect is a 1983 graduate of Winters High School and is presently employed by Dry Manufacturing.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1980 Winters graduate and is also employed by Dry Manufacturing.

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One problem with estrogen therapy is *endometrial hyperplasia*, an abnormal increase in the number of cells lining the uterus. Some physicians prescribe progesterone, another hormone, to help prevent this condition.

Estrogen is available as an oral tablet, vaginal cream, or intramuscular injection. Estrogen transdermal patches which are applied to the skin have been available for a few years. Usually the patch is applied twice a week for three weeks, followed by one week in which the patch is not used.

According to a recent report in the medical journal *Lancet*, estrogen administered in the form of a patch did not produce endometrial hyperplasia in a small group of women studied in Switzerland.

Health Hint:

While taking estrogen replacement therapy, supplement your diet with adequate amounts of vitamins B-1, B-2, B-6, C, E and folate and zinc.

North Runnels Hospital establishes new group

North Runnels Hospital A.D.H.D. (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder) held their first meeting Wednesday, October 10.

Officers were elected. President is Eilleen Prater, vice president is Laura Carrillo, and reporters are Sandy Hamrich and Bobbie Calcote.

If you have a child or are interested in learning more about A.D.H.D. Call Eileen Prater at 723-2011.

Card of Thanks

I appreciate the excellent care from Dr. Lee and the North Runnels Hospital staff following my recent accident.

Thank you also to all my friends for the cards, flowers, prayers, and concern.

M. L. Dobbins

Card of Thanks

The Daisies from Winters Girl Scout Troop 160 would like to thank Gary Moore and West Texas Utilities for the first aid kit they gave us.

Thank you for your support.

Daisy Troop 160

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends who brought food, sent flowers, or came by during our sorrow.

Thanks to Brother Gayland for his visits and beautiful memorial service.

Thanks to Mike Meyers and Linda Dry for their service and concern.

Thank you to the Ladies of Southside Baptist Church for the food and serving dinner to our family.

May we be as helpful to you as you were to us.

The family of James Sudduth

San Angelo Genealogical and Historical Society to meet

The San Angelo Genealogical and Historical Society will meet Tuesday, November 6, 1990, at 7:30 p. m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Church of Christ at 901 North Main.

Bradley C. Miles, well known local attorney, will speak on "Importance of Wills and Abstracts in Research."

The beginners' Genealogical Class, taught by Billy Scattergood, will be held at 6:30 p. m. Visitors are always welcome.

Runnels Soil Conservation News and Notes



Research indicates that the harvest of does early in the season has no adverse effect on the orphaned fawns.

Early weaning does not affect fawns

Let's imagine that it's the first week of deer season. A doe with her fawn walks quietly out of the heavy mesquite brush into the clearing you are watching and begins to graze. Even though your lease is scheduled for a substantial doe harvest and you want venison, you are reluctant to take the doe early in the season, believing that the orphan fawn would be stressed, stunted, or possibly not survive at all. The doe and fawn soon melt into the thick cover on the far side of the opening and are gone.

If you can see yourself in that situation, so can the many other hunters, landowners, and ranch managers whose decisions will play an important role in this years antlerless deer harvest. It is interesting to note that two recently completed studies agree that fawns, orphaned as early as two months of age, fare just as well as fawns that stayed with their mothers.

A study at the Kerr Wildlife Management Area near Hunt, Texas concluded that weaning of fawns at 60 to 90 days of age had no adverse effect on future body weights of doe or buck fawns or antler development of bucks measured at 1 1/2 years of age. What you might find surprising is the the yearling bucks in this study that were weaned at 60 days had higher average weights and antler measurements than the yearling bucks that had stayed with their mothers for 180 days.

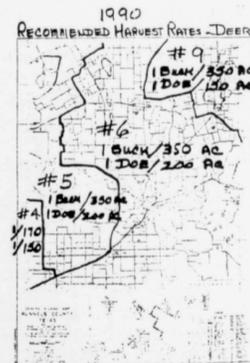
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Weekly livestock report

SAN ANGELO -- Weekly Trends/Texas Markets: At major Texas livestock market centers this week slaughter cows and bulls steady to 2.00 lower; feeder cattle and calves steady to 2.00 higher, except San Angelo steers and heifers over 500 lbs. weak to 2.00 lower. Barrows and gilts 3.00 to 4.00 lower, sows 1.00 lower.

At San Angelo last week receipts totaled 8021 head of sheep in a one day sale. Feeder lambs 1.00-2.00 higher, instances 3.00-5.00 higher on lambs under 60 lbs.; slaughter ewes steady to 1.00 higher; slaughter lambs steady.

In direct trading slaughter steers and heifers mostly .50 lower in the Panhandle area. In the South Texas area slaughter steers steady to .50 lower, heifers steady to .50 lower. In the West Texas area slaughter steers and heifers steady to .50 lower. Slaughter lambs weak to 1.00 lower. 80,700 head of slaughter steers and heifers sold out of Texas feedlots this week, with 76,000 head from the Panhandle area.

Wool & mohair: Trading on Texas mohair quiet. Couple loads fall adult sold at .70 grease fob warehouse. No new sales of Texas wool reported.

SHEEP AUCTION: Receipts for the week: 8,021; last week: 11,103; last year: 12,337. Compared with last week feeder lambs 1.00-2.00 higher, instances 3.00-5.00 higher on lambs under 60 lbs. Slaughter ewes steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter lambs steady. Trading active, demand good. Supply included 45% feeder lambs, 35% slaughter ewes, 10% stock ewes, 5% slaughter lambs, balance goats. This report compiled by the federal-state livestock market news service.

FEEDER CLASSES

Spring lambs: Choice and fancy 40-60 lbs., 54-61; 60-70 lbs. 52-57; 70-80 lbs. 50-56; 80-100 lbs., 50-54.50; mixed good and choice 40-60 lbs., 44-54; 60-70 lbs., 42-52; 70-100 lbs. 40-50.

Whiteface ewe lambs: Choice and fancy 60-75 lbs., 57-59.50.

SLAUGHTER CLASSES

Spring lambs: Choice and prime 100-125 lbs. shorn and woolled 50-55; choice 90-125 lbs., 48-50.

Ewes: Good 30-35, utility 20-30, culls 14-20.

Bucks: 20-31.

Goats: Spanish billies and muttons 40-55 per head, small billies and muttons 30-44 per head. Spanish nannies 30-44 per head, spanish kids 22-36 per head, small kids 16-22 per head; Angora billies and muttons 15-30 per head; nannies 14.50-27 per head; kids 13.50-20 per head.

Stock ewes: Good mixed age 45-52 per head. Medium and good solid and cheater mouth 40-45 per head.

Breeding bucks: 80-130 per head.

CATTLE AND CALF AUCTION:

Estimated receipts for the week: 4000; last week: 5323 (this includes 2670 calves at last Monday's feeder sale); last year: 11,243 (this includes 5513 feeder calves same period last year). Compared with last week feeder steers and heifers under 500 lbs. firm, heavier weights weak to 2.00 lower with most decline on plainer cattle. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower. Bulls steady. Stock cows and pairs steady. Trading and demand moderate. Quality rather plain. Supply included 20% stock cows and pairs, 40% calves, and 30% slaughter cows and bulls, and 10% yearlings.

Feeder steers and steer calves: Medium and large frame No. 1, 200-300 lbs., 125-145; 300-400 lbs., 115-130; 400-500 lbs., 98-108; 500-600 lbs. 90-96, few 99-102; 600-700 lbs. 86.50-91.50; 700-800 lbs. 82-86.50. Medium and large frame No. 1-2: 200-300 lbs., 110-125; 300-400 lbs., 100-115; 400-500 lbs., 85-98; 500-600 lbs., 80-90; 600-700 lbs. 76-86.50; 700-900 lbs. 72-82.

Feeder heifers and heifer calves: Medium and large frame No. 1: 200-300 lbs., 110-117; 300-400 lbs., 98-110; 400-500 lbs., 86-94; 500-600 lbs., 80.50-87.50, set 512 lbs., 90; 600-800 lbs., 80-85.75. Medium and large frame No. 1-2: 200-300 lbs., 90-110; 300-400 lbs., 86-98; 400-500 lbs., 76-86; 500-700 lbs., 70-81.50; 700-900 lbs. including heiferettes 70-80.

Slaughter cows: Breaking utility 2-3, 53-58.25, high dressing 60.50; utility and commercial 3-4, 47-53.25; cutter and boning utility 1-2, 49-59.50, high dressing 60-60.50; canner and low cutter 1-2, 43-49.

Slaughter bulls: Yield grade 1: 1400-2000 lbs., 68-72.75; low dressing 1050-1600 lbs., 60-68.

Pregnancy tested stock cows and heifers (young & middle aged): Set large frame No. 1-2 \$800 per head; medium and large frame No. 1-2, 650-770 per head; medium frame No. 1-2 500-650 per head.

Cow/calf pairs (young & middle aged): Few medium and large frame No. 1-2 cows with 100-250 lb. calves, \$820-860 per pair.

Stocker & feeder cows: Medium and large frame No. 1-2, (young) 700-1000 lbs., 63-70; (young and middle age) 700-1000 lbs. 56-61.50; few 1000-1175 lbs., 60-65; middle age 800-1000 lbs., 46.50-53.50.

ABILENE -- The market at Abilene Livestock Auction had estimated receipts of 1347 head of cattle at its sale Monday. Feeder cattle steady; lower on fleshy and plainer kind. Cow-calf pairs and replacement cows fully steady to strong. Packer cattle steady to \$2 higher.

Slaughter cows: Utility, 48-57; canner, 38-48; cutter, 48-60; fat cows, 46-53.

Slaughter bulls: Good, 60-70, utility 55-60.

Feeder bulls: 550-700 lbs., 75-90; 700-900, 60-75.

Steers: 200-300 lbs., 110-150; 300-400, 105-131; 400-500 lbs., 96-116; 500-600 lbs., 85-103; 600-700 lbs., 78-88; 700-800 lbs., 75-85; 800-900 lbs., 72-82.

Heifers: 200-300 lbs., 100-128; 300-400 lbs., 90-110; 400-500 lbs., 85-98; 500-600 lbs., 77-92; 600-700 lbs., 74-88; 700-800 lbs., 72-83; 800 and over, 60-78.

Cow/Calf Pairs: Old shelly, \$500-600; plain, \$600-800; good, \$800-1050.

Pregnancy tested cows: Old shelly, \$450-550; plain, \$550-650; good, \$650-800.

COLEMAN -- The market at Coleman Livestock Auction had a run of 625 head of cattle and calves at its sale October 10, compared to 700 last week.

Feeder steers: Medium and large frame No. 1 300-400 lbs., 105-115; 400-500 lbs., 96-105; 500-600 lbs., 89-96; 600-700 lbs., 85-89; 700-800, 79-81. No. 2: 200-300 lbs., 90-100; 400-500 lbs., 85-91; 500-600, 85-90; 600-700, 81-85.

Slaughter cows: cutter & utility 1-4, 48-54.

Slaughter Bulls: Yield grade 1-2, 1200-1800 lbs., 61-69.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and large frame No. 1, 300-400 lbs., 94-102; 400-500, 89-97; 500-600, 83-87; 600-700, 81-85; No. 2 400-500, 85-90; 500-600, 77-83; 600-700, 75-80.

Stock cows: Pregnancy tested, 3-9 year olds, large frame No. 1, \$750-845; medium frame No. 1, \$650-750.

Cow and calf pairs: large frame No. 1, \$850-930; medium frame No. 1-2, \$750-855.

Deer situation revealed to Young Farmers

The Winters Young Farmers met Monday, October 15, for a program by Don Davis, area wildlife biologist. Davis discussed with the group the ways used to determine age and quality of the deer harvested in last year's season.

His study of the four county area showed that deer aged two and one-half to six and one-half years produced the most antler points on buck deer. This same group also produced the heaviest body weight for both does and bucks.

Area deer count for this season conducted by Davis has revealed a reduced deer population. However, Davis emphasized that the quality of the deer available for harvest remains in excellent condition.

Wild turkey and quail population also seems to be down in most areas. Davis said this could be due to damage done to eggs during the hot June weather. A second hatch of wild quail and turkey is apparent in some areas.

Members are reminded that this is the month to pay dues to Dwaine Lange. The local Young Farmer chapter also contributed to the lease of the stock trailer used by the Winters F.F.A. chapter. Refreshments for the meeting were provided by Gary Jacob.

Classified Ads

CLASSIFIED RATES

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Real Estate

FOR SALE: by owner (House and 20 acres with 2 stock tanks) 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with fireplace and wet bar, all electric. One mile north of Winters past the rodeo arena. Price negotiable. Call (409) 567-7885, may call collect, for more information. Also available 200 acre farm. 36-tfc

FOR SALE: 120' x 140' lot, with fence on 3 sides, on Majestic Street. Call 754-5745 after 5 p.m. 40-4tp

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom house, completely remodeled, 204 Paloma. Priced to Sell!! Call 754-4511. 40-tfc

FOR SALE: 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, brick home, located at 204 Penny Lane. Fenced backyard with pool. Large shop in back-good water well. Shown by appointment only. Call 754-4004. 40-tfc

HOUSE FOR SALE: 3 BR, 2 B, brick, with central H/A, fireplace, corner lot, with outside storage, fenced backyard. Call 754-4468 after 6 p.m. 41-tfc

For sale, lease or trade: 3 BR, 2 Bath brick, 2 car garage, workshop, water well. 119 N. Penny Lane. 754-5009. 43-4tp

For sale: 3 BR, 1 bath, 1 car garage, fenced back yard, large corner lot. 300 E. Redner. 754-5009. 43-4tp

1502 acres, 4 miles south of Crews on Hwy. 382, tanks, water well, creek, coastal, good ranch. Call Bill Allen (915) 675-0522 or Allen Real Estate (915) 672-7990. 43-4tc

190 acres and home south of Winters, water meter, 2 tanks, can divide. Call (915) 675-0522 or (915) 672-7990. 43-4tc

Pre-Natal Classes to Begin

The Ballinger Family Health Center will offer free pre-natal classes, beginning on October 22, 1990, at the offices of Dr. Antoine Albert. Classes will be held from 7-9 PM each Monday evening.

Pre-registration is necessary as class size is limited to 8 couples.

Classes will offer information on several aspects of natural childbirth including breathing and conditioning exercises, proper nutrition during pregnancy, preparing for delivery and preparing for baby's arrival. The course will also offer information on proper nutrition for the newborn.

For information, or to register for classes, contact Jacque at 365-3507 in Ballinger.

For Rent

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2 BEDROOM APARTMENTS FOR RENT: Stove & refrigerator furnished. Central heat and air conditioning. Water paid. Ample off-street parking. Apply at 300 N. Grant. 19-tfc

1 BEDROOM DESIGNATED ELDERLY UNITS AVAILABLE: 1 handicapped wheelchair-accessible available. Great homes for retired men or women wishing to get away from the yard work and repairs. Water paid. Rent based on income. Apply in person at 300 N. Grant. 19-tfc

FOR RENT: 1 Bedroom house. Phone 754-4546. 29-tfc

FOR RENT: 2 Bedroom apartment. Central air & heat, carpet, range, refrigerator, dishwasher. Call 754-4511. 36-tfc

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house at 207 S. Arlington. Call Janice Merrill 754-4004 after 3 p.m. 40-tfc

House for rent: 2 BR, 1 bath unfurnished. N. Magnolia. Call Joe Gerhart 754-4578 (work) and 754-5272 (home). 43-tfc

For rent: Partially furnished 1 bedroom house and partially furnished 2 bedroom mobile home. 754-4640 after 5:00 p.m. or on weekends. 43-tfc

Wanted

WANT TO LEASE: 10-20 Acres for two horses. Call Wendell Lee 754-4611. 37-tfc

RESPONSIBLE HUNTERS looking for hunting lease-especially interested in duck, quail, dove and turkey. Call Doug Lueckemeyer (214) 350-6871 or 353-0591. 39-tfc

WANTED: Dead mesquite trees for BBQ wood. Call John Montgomery at Texas Smoked Meats 1-800-677-7076. 41-2tc

Automobiles

FOR SALE: 1962 Chev. pickup; runs good, good town pickup. \$500 Call 754-4958 or 754-5301. 37-tfc

Miscellaneous

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MAKE OFFER - 2 BR, 1 bath, on 2 lots, fixer upper.

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NEW LISTING - Very attractive, spacious 3 BR, 3 bath, H-A, quiet location.

NEW LISTING - Neat 3 BR, 1 bath, in good condition.

COMMERCIAL - 40 x 60 building on 4 acres, N. Hiway 83.

MAKE OFFER - 3 BR, 1 bath, large rooms, corner lot.

COUNTRY LIVING - 3 BR, 2 bath on 1 acre. Mid teens.

REMODELED - 2 BR, 1 bath, H/A, mid teens.

Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: 509 Majestic Street Friday and Saturday, October 19 and 20. Open at 8 a.m. 43-1tp

PORCH SALE: Five-family sale, clothing (all sizes), books, knickknacks, lots of stuff! Sat. 10/20/90 from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. and Sun. 10/21/90 from 1:00 p.m. 'til 201 W. Pierce, Winters. 43-1tc

Indoor 10 family sale: Old Springer's Pharmacy Bldg., 143 W. Dale. Furniture, clothing, pharmacy items, lots of miscellaneous. Friday 10/19 8 a.m. - 7, Saturday 10/20, 8 a.m. - 7. 43-1tc

Garage Sales: Rose Lane. Friday and Saturday. Quilts, blankets, teenage, kids and adult clothes. 43-1tp

Moving Sale: 500 W. Parsonage. Refrigerator, cookstove, 2 dinner tables, lots of misc. items. Friday and Saturday, starts 8:30 a.m. 43-1tp

Garage Sale: Sat., Oct. 20, 600 E. Bowen from 9:00 till 7 Lots of goodies. 43-1tp

Garage Sale: Friday and Saturday. Electrical appliances, kitchenware, hanging plants, tools, wheel barrow, glassware & lots more. 411 Tinkle. 43-1tp

Agriculture

CRP GRASS SEEDING: CRP grass seeding, plowing, shredding. Call Howard Pruser, 365-3656. 13-tfc

WHEAT SEED FOR SALE: Clean, treated and bagged. Seed has been run through out cleaner. Hawk, Caddo, Siouxland. Call 743-6737 or 743-8671. 41-4tp

Livestock services - complete livestock work, will travel. Call Kenny Hope at 754-5124. 43-7tp

Wanted: Grain field grazing. Will pay by the month or on gain basis. Call (915) 365-2032 or 657-8876. 43-4tc

For Sale

FOR SALE: 1981 V.I.P. 16 ft. boat, with 115 H.P. Evinrude motor, power tilt and trim, walk through windshield. Very Nice. Peoples National Bank, 754-5526. 39-tfc

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For sale: gas stove and refrigerator. \$275 each or \$500 both. Avocado green. Miscellaneous furniture, call 767-2024. 43-tfc

Help Wanted

TYPIST: \$500 WEEKLY AT HOME! Information: Send self-addressed, stamped envelope. Honey, P.O. Box 6509, Charlottesville, VA 22906. 36-9tc

Lost & Found

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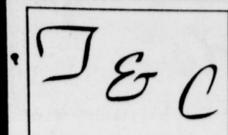
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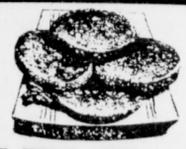
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