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PEACE—A good memory is fine,
but the ability to forget is the
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Veterans memorial service planned at monument Saturday morning

by MARY KURTZ, Winters VFW Post 9193 Auxiliary President

A Veterans Day "World War II Remembrance Day" ceremony will be held at the Runnels County Memorial on the Runnels County Courthouse Square Saturday, November 11, 1995, beginning at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is invited to attend, especially World War II veterans and their families.

As we complete the 50th Anniversary of World War II, it is an appropriate time to pay special tribute to the American veterans of World War II as we honor all

American veterans who have served in every other war and period of peace, before and after World War II.

On September 2, 1954, the worst war the world had ever seen ended with the signing of a surrender document by the Japanese delegates on the deck of the U.S.S. Missouri. In his speech to the gathered representatives, General Douglas MacArthur remarked "It is my earnest hope, indeed the hope of all mankind, that from

this solemn occasion a better world shall emerge out of the blood and carnage of the past." His closing words were "Let us pray that peace be now restored to the world and that God will preserve it always. These proceedings are closed."

Although, the United States of America officially entered the war on December 8, 1941, many of her citizens had been involved as volunteers since 1939. The Toll

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WINTERS VETERANS were honored guests at the flag raising ceremony Monday at Winters High School. Saluting the flag were (left to right) R. C. Kurtz, Walter Durham, Dawson McGuffin, Elby Miller, Louis Delacruz, J. T. Esquivel, Bill Hall, Robert Holder, C. R. Pinkerton, Ray Alderman, Jerry Awalt, John Key, Buddy Miller and Ed Henley. The ceremony was conducted by WHS student council members, under the direction of Rhea Parramore, to commemorate the 50th anniversary of Veteran's Day.

Blizzards buffalo Stanton, 44-26

It wasn't pretty but the Blizzard football team made the long trip back to Winters with a win over the Stanton Buffaloes 44-26 last Friday.

With a rare occurrence of back to back kick off returns for touchdowns (including Mark Deike's 73 yards for Winters) to start the ballgame, fans for both teams were primed for an exciting game.

With less than thirty seconds off the clock, the Blizzards and the Buffaloes were tied at 6-6.

The big Blue held Stanton after the second kickoff and Winters took over on their own 45-yard line and got to the Stanton two. On fourth down, the pass was overthrown and Stanton took over.

On third and eight, Ricky Luz intercepted the pass and Winters had the ball on Stanton's 31 yard line. After a 13-yard pass from John Belew to John Biddix, Mark Deike caught the 17-yard pass from Belew for Deike's second touchdown of the evening.

Biddix caught the pass for the extra points and Winters led 14-6. Stanton came right back and scored a touchdown and the two-point try was good, ending the first quarter tied 14-14.

The second quarter started with Winters having the ball and with 9:44 to go in the half, quarterback John Belew scrambled 14 yards after a great second effort block by Kevin Conner. The try for two

was no good and Winters led 20-14.

With 5:01 to go in the half, Belew ran a quarterback sneak for one yard for the touchdown, then also ran the extra points to end the scoring for the half, 28-14.

The Blizzards received the kickoff in the second half and started to move the ball downfield until the Buffalo defense intercepted the ball at the Stanton 49-yard line.

Stanton drove the ball down and scored on a 41-yard pass to a wide-open receiver. The extra

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Possible playoff scenarios seem mind boggling

Winters will face the Wall Hawks this Friday in Blizzard stadium. If Winters, 4-0 in district, wins this last district game, the Blizzards will be district 6-2A champions.

A possible bi-district game site would be Monahans against Anthony on Friday, November 17. Anthony is the district 5-2A runner-up if everything goes correctly this Friday in that district.

If things fall apart in district 5-2A, San Angelo would be a possible playing site against Iraan, Eldorado, or McCamey.

If, by chance, Winters should lose against Wall, the Blizzards would have to lose by 15 points to affect their being district champs.

District 6-2A has adopted a point system for ties to avoid the dreaded flip of the coin.

Now you really need to hang on for this attempted explanation.

If a three-way tie occurs (Stanton, Wall and Winters each with one loss) points would be awarded for a 15-point win.

Stanton presently has zero points by beating Wall by 21 points (giving them plus 15 points) but then losing to Winters by 15 (taking away their 15 points).

Wall has minus 15 points by losing to Stanton by 21.

Winters has plus 15 district points for beating Stanton by more than 15.

So then, if Wall beats Winters by less than 15, Winters still wins. If Wall beats Winters by more than 15, then all three teams have zero points and another tie.

The next tie breaker is scores, then penetrations and then first downs.

If you are now thoroughly confused, just back the Blizzards to a win this Friday and there will be no problem.



BEAUTY AND THE BEAST (but which is which), say these two Halloween "lovelies" who left their office and roamed the downtown area last week. Spreading joy all around are Zanette O'Dell (left) and her partner in crime, Kim Jackson.

Family Dollar store may finally open in Winters

Jere Lawrence of Lawrence Brothers supermarkets with headquarters in Sweetwater, has at last secured possession of the old Winn's building on Main street. Plans should proceed for Family Dollar to open their store within the next few weeks.

Mr. Lawrence is still in the process of gaining ownership of the adjoining building which will hopefully be the new home for a cardboard carton company.

Randall Conner honored by Texas Agricultural Extension Service

Randall Conner, owner and manager of Farmers Seed and Supply in Winters, was named by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service as an Epsilon Sigma Phi (ESP) State Friend of Extension during the Extension's November 1 state-wide staff conference.

ESP is made up of Professional Extension Service Veterans of five years or more service and retirees. The satellite staff conference was held across the state. Texas A&M's Research and Extension Center in San Angelo was the local site.

Conner's award was the highest presented by the State ESP Chapter to non-Extension persons. It recognized truly outstanding support and personal involvement in Extension efforts.

Conner has long been a strong Extension supporter. He is heavily involved in District 7's Extension program, but still finds time to help county agents and Extension specialists in Districts 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, and 10.

When District 7 was without an Extension agronomist from 1983 until 1989, Conner took the lead in getting wheat seed for test plot plantings. His company still secures wheat seed, divides it among cooperating counties and often delivers it. In 1995, he delivered seed to 39 counties.

Conner has served as chairman of the Runnels County Agricultural Crops Committee. During



Randall Conner

his tenure, the annual Runnels County Ag Day has grown each year of its 10-year history. Over 1,000 people attended in 1995.

Conner is also directly involved in planning and conducting result demonstration tests. He is instru-

mental in organizing grain sorghum variety demonstrations conducted by the Winters Young Farmers. He is involved in obtaining seed, planting, conducting tours, and harvesting the test plots.

The information collected is published in the Extension Grain Sorghum Performance Test Publication. Conner has also been directly involved in securing the necessary equipment for completing the result demonstrations.

Dr. Tom Fuchs, San Angelo based Professor and Extension's state Integrated Pest Management Coordinator, was presented ESP's State Mid-Career Service Award.

Fuchs honor is designed to pay tribute to an experienced Extension professional with 10-to-20 years service

WHAT'S HAPPENING ?

- Nov. 9-2 p.m., Jr. High Pep Rally, School Activity Bldg.
- 5:30 p.m., Jr. High vs. Wall, Here
- 6:30 p.m., I.V. vs. Wall, There
- Study of Iwo Jima, Winters High School
- Nov. 10-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- 3 p.m., Varsity Pep Rally, WHS Gym
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Winters Livestock Assn. Barbecue, Community Center
- 7:30 p.m., Varsity vs. Wall, Here
- After Game Fellowship, First United Methodist Church
- Study of Hiroshima and Nagasaki Japan Surrenders, Winters High School
- Buddy Poppy Sale by PTC
- Nov. 11-VETERANS DAY
- 9-11:30 a.m., Scout Door-to-Door Food Drive
- 10:30 a.m., Memorial Service, Veterans Monument, Ballinger
- 10:30 a.m., American Legion Flag Raising and Memorial Service, Shep Cemetery
- 1-3 p.m., Winters Hog Validation, Ballinger Community Showbarn
- 1:20 p.m., State Cross Country Meet, Southwestern University, Georgetown
- 3-7 p.m., First United Methodist Church Fall Festival, School Activity Bldg.
- 4:45 p.m., Flag Raising, VFW Post
- 5-7 p.m., Veterans Barbecue, VFW Post
- WVFD Auxiliary
- Buddy Poppy Sale by PTC
- Nov. 12-11 a.m., St. Joseph Parish Fall Festival, Rowena
- Nov. 13-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- 11:30 a.m., Retired Highway Employees Luncheon, Luby's, San Angelo
- 2:30 p.m., Retired Teachers Assn., First United Methodist Church, Ballinger
- 6 p.m., City Council, Winters Housing Authority
- 6 p.m., WCTCOG, Civic Center, Abilene
- 6-9 p.m., ESL Classes, School Ag. Bldg.
- 7 p.m., Band Boosters
- 7 p.m., PTA Meeting, WHS Auditorium
- 7 p.m., VFW & Auxiliary
- 7 p.m., College/Technical Night, Abilene High School
- Nov. 14-10 a.m., Commissioners Court, Courthouse, Ballinger
- 6-9 p.m., ESL Classes, School Ag. Bldg.
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Lions Pancake Supper, Community Center
- 5:30-8 p.m., Winters Stock Show Entry Party, Ag. Bldg.
- 7 p.m., WVFD
- 7 p.m., Athletic Boosters, Blizzard Field
- 7 p.m., Winters Squares, Community Center
- 7:30 p.m., Elm Creek Water Board
- 7:30 p.m., School Board, Administrative Bldg.
- Nov. 15-9 a.m.-1:30 p.m., WIC, Winters Housing Authority
- 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal
- 6:30-7:30 p.m., Stock Show Clinic, Catholic Fellowship Hall
- 8:30 p.m., Christmas Choir Rehearsal, First Baptist Church
- Clean Texas 2000 Applications Must Be Postmarked

OIL BUSINESS . . .

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Don't look now, but there is a co-venture frenzy going on in the domestic production market.

Shell and Amoco are joining their operations into one company in West Texas and New Mexico. Employees will no longer be loyal charges of Shell or Amoco but of a new, as yet un-named, company.

This combination is a real shock to the system considering the heritages of each co-venturer. Amoco has a long history of company pride and a frugal manner of doing business. Shell on the other hand, goes "Cadillac" all the way.

But, if this combination wasn't enough, three large independent companies have announced that they will be joining their marketing operations together to sell gas and liquid products (other than crude oil).

Oryx, Parker & Parsley, and Apache will form a new company that will be responsible for getting the best price for their gas, as well as opening doors for eventual direct sales from producer to end-markets.

The logic behind the operating combination is to minimize redundancy and unnecessary cost. Both of the co-venture companies have interests in the same properties, thus one operating company will delete at least some personnel and procedures that oversaw the ownership for each company.

Details of the combination are yet to be released, but it is sure that revenue will be shared based on the ownership of each partner before the formation of the new company. It will be interesting to see how and if this works as the participants hope.

The gas marketing co-venture has different root causes, although saving money is a prime motivator. The marketing of gas is undergoing a transformation in this country, and this new venture is at the cutting edge. The transformation began with the de-regulation of the natural gas market some years ago.

In a nutshell, the production and sale of natural gas is slowly being transformed into a free market from a rigidly controlled market under federal regulations. The participants are positioning themselves to take advantage of the new situation where the consumer rules. In a consumer-controlled situation, the customer may want to buy its gas from the producer instead of a middleman.

These are interesting times, aren't they?

HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY COMPLETIONS

Callahan County

E.G. Operating has completed a deepening of the McCarty #3T in the Annuity Field (2 miles W of Oplin) at an initial rate of 17 BOPD & 60 BWPD in the Ellenburger (perms 4488-4520). Loc. is 3463 FSL & 330 FWL of W.C. Jenks Sur. No. 382, A-256.

Concho County

GeoSurvays, Inc. has completed the Jacobson #1 as a Wildcat, 8 miles SW of Pasche at an initial rate of 257 MCFPD (AOF) in an unidentified zone (perms 893-98). Loc. is 467 FSL & 467 FEL of Sec. 21, Blk. 70, H&TC Sur., A-463.

Sedona Oil & Gas has completed the K. Moore #1 as a Wildcat, 10 miles SW of Eden (perms) at an initial rate of 776 MCFPD (AOF) in the Upper Harkey Sand (perms 3232-39). Loc. is 776 FWL & 660 FNL of Sec. 76, Blk. 8, H&TC Sur., A-1804.

Nolan County

Clear Fork has completed the Boyd-44-#7 in the EVB Field (4 miles NW of Nolan) at an initial rate of 174 BOPD in the Palo Pinto Reef (perms 5750-64). Loc. is 823 FSL & 1550 FWL of Sec. 44, Blk. X, T&PRR Sur., A-1450.

Four "C" Oil & Gas has completed the Kilgore #4 in the West Group Field (2 miles S of Maryneal) at an initial rate of 90 BOPD in the Strawn (perms 6114-24). Loc. is 467 FSL & 1694 FEL of Sec. 140, Blk. 1-A, H&TC Sur., A-1347.

STAKINGS

Coke County

Edco Petroleum has staked the Texaco #1 as a Wildcat, 4 miles SE of Bronte (Depth 5800). Loc. is 0 FNLW & 2500 FSWL of Sec. 321, H. Mills Sur.

Exxon has applied to plug back the Bronte Palo Pinto Unit #118 in the Bronte Field, 2 miles SW of Bronte (Depth 5364). Loc. is 3594 FNL & 474 FEL of Sec. 5, C&MRR Sur.

Concho County

Osborn Heirs Company has staked the Carter Ranch #1 in the H&R Field, 2 miles NW of Eden (Depth 4150). Loc. is 1000 FNL & 1000 FEL of Sec. 28, Blk. 9, H&TC Sur., A-1699.

Xeric Oil & Gas has applied to re-enter the Hutchinson #1 in the Dark Horse Field, 5 miles NW of Eden (Depth 4175). Loc. is 990 FEL & 8500 FNL of W.P. Dodson Sur. No. 2, A-1069.

Nolan County

Pecos Valley Management Company has staked the L. Monroe #2 in the South Lake Trammel Field, 10 miles E of Roscoe (Depth 5700). Loc. is 467 FEL & 467 FSL of Sec. 32, Blk. X, T&PRR Sur., A-1442.

Union Pacific Resources has staked the Petty #1 in the Hodnet's Hill Field, 17 miles SE of Sweetwater (Depth 5700). Loc. is 1750 FEL & 2455 FSL of Sec. 40, Blk. 5, T&PRR Sur.

Taylor County

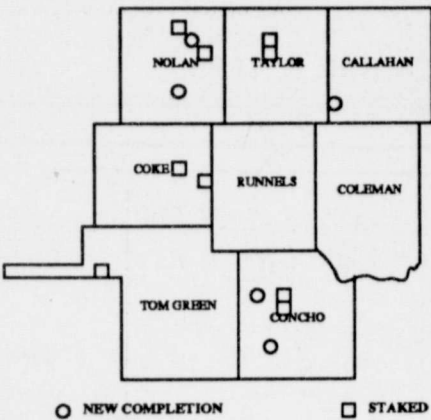
Kern Company has applied to plug

back the Sowell #1 in the Black Field, 9 miles SW of View (Depth 4805). Loc. is 1000 FNL & 467 FWL of Sec. 268, Blk. 64, H&TC Sur.

S.U.E. Company has applied to re-enter the D. Farr #1 in the County Regular Field, 2 miles SW of Wylie (Depth 4490). Loc. is 1022 FSL & 4670 FWL of J.L. Smith Sur. No. 52, A-245.

Tom Green County

Myco Energy has staked the Jameson #4 in the Rio Concho Field, 10 miles W of San Angelo (Depth 6000). Loc. is 297 FEL & 4735 FSL of Sec. 829, M. Keller Sur., A-1591.



Card of Thanks

Thank you to all the many people who gave our family support and encouragement during the past few months.

Thank you for all the prayers said for us; for all the cards, phone calls, and visits that boosted our spirits; and for all the delicious food provided and beautiful flowers sent.

Winters is not a large town physically, but the hearts of the people who have made Winters their home have no limit on their love, kindness, and thoughtfulness.

Thank you again friends for helping our family endure the trials that have been placed upon us.

The family of Dora Sudduth

Card of Thanks

The family of Marvin Bedford wishes to thank everyone for their wonderful acts of kindness in the loss of our sweet loved one.

We deeply appreciate all the cards, letters, food, plants and prayers that have been given.

Marvin loved this community and all the people who live here. He always had a story to tell on just about everybody, and always with a quick smile and a twinkle in his eye.

A special thank you to Bro. Glenn Shoemaker for all his visits, and to the members of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department who helped make Marvin's final call so special.

Thank you all again for the abundant love you have given us.

The family of Marvin Bedford

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our gratitude to friends near and far for every expression of sympathy and comfort uttered and every service rendered during our time of sorrow. Your prayers sustained and upheld us. Your love surrounded us.

Charlsie Poe and family

Social Security to increase for 1996

Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits will increase 2.6 percent beginning with the payments that Social Security beneficiaries receive January 3rd and SSI recipients receive on December 29th, Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager for San Angelo announced October 30. The automatic cost-of-living adjustment is made annually.

For Social Security beneficiaries, the average monthly benefit amount for all retired workers will rise from \$702 to \$720. The maximum federal SSI monthly payment to an individual will rise from \$458 to \$470. For a couple, the maximum federal SSI payment will rise from \$687 to \$705. Some states add a supplement to the federal payment.

Social Security and SSI benefits increase automatically each year based on the rise in the Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) from the third quarter of one year through the corresponding period of the next. This year's increase in the CPI-W was 2.6 percent.

Card of Thanks

The family of Fred B. Joeris would like to thank our Winters family for the phone calls, flowers, and food.

A special thanks to Teresa and Jack Davis Jr., Mike Meyer, our friends from Dry's and WTU, Jana Smith, and our wonderful neighbors on Tinkle Street.

We love you all and are proud of being a member of the Winters community. May God be with you all.

John, Rhonda, Eric, Joseph, and Thelma Joeris

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Nov. 13 thru Nov. 17
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Monday, Nov. 13: Chicken & gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, cornbread, and fruit.
Wednesday, Nov. 15: Stew, Jello salad, vegetable sticks, cornbread, and brownie.
Friday, Nov. 17: Turkey & dressing, mashed potatoes, cranberries, green beans, rolls, and pumpkin pie.

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Obituaries

Pauline Tomme

WINTERS—Pauline Tomme, 83, died Sunday evening, November 5, 1995, at Heritage Oaks Estates in Ballinger.

She was born on November 22, 1911, in Mason County and lived there until the age of 7 when she moved to Brady. She married Joe Proctor in 1930; he died in 1953. She then married C.E. Tomme on August 13, 1960.

Mrs. Tomme worked as a cook at the nursing home in Winters for several years. She has lived in Heritage Oaks since February, 1993. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, C.E. Tomme of Winters; one son, Gordon Wayne Proctor of Dallas; two daughters, Eddie Joe Prescott of Midland and Elma Lou Key of Big Spring; four sisters, Dorothy Modisett, Benni Fine, and Robbie Cotter, all of Winters, and Golda Prose of Odessa; three grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 7, at the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Rick Cobb officiating. Burial was in the Lakeview Cemetery, directed by Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Alan Martin, Cecil Tekell, Shayd Martin, Glenn Prescott, Delmer Prescott, and Pete Devee.

C. Jeannine Poe

TILLAMOOK, OREGON—C. Jeannine Poe, 66, died Monday, October 30, 1995, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

She was born on May 7, 1929, in Winters at her home place of Poe's Corner and graduated from Winters High School in 1946. She graduated from Baylor University in 1950 in Drama and English and also received her Masters degree.

Miss Poe taught school in Houston, Dallas, and Phoenix, Arizona. She began a career in claims with Liberty Mutual Insurance Company in Phoenix and later transferred to Long Beach, California. She worked as an agent for Country Companies for 15 years in Tillamook, retiring September 1, 1995. She was a member of the Living Waters Church in Tillamook. She was preceded in death by a brother, Dennis Poe.

Survivors include her mother, Charlsie Poe of Winters; one sister-in-law, Rhuennell Poe of San Angelo; four nephews, five grandnieces, and one grandnephew.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, November 2, at the First Baptist Church in Winters with Reverend Glenn Shoemaker and Reverend Cliff Poe officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, directed by Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Greg Poe, Perry Poe, Brandon Poe, Matt Poe, Clifton Poe, and Harold Poe.



Frankie Lee Spence

ROWENA—Frankie Lee Spence, 81, died Thursday, November 2, 1995, at Heritage Oaks Estate Nursing Home in Ballinger.

She was born on March 21, 1914, in Granbury and married Leonard Lee Spence on September 16, 1934, in Marietta, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Spence was a retired Internal Revenue Service office clerk and a member of the First Baptist Church in Miles. She was preceded in death by her husband, Leonard Lee Spence, in 1985.

Survivors include nine grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren, and two daughters-in-law, Nell Spence of Cameron and Greta Spence of Las Vegas, Nevada.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, November 5, with Reverend Eddie Tingle officiating. Burial was in the Protestant Cemetery, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Gloria R. Lopez

BALLINGER—Gloria R. Lopez, 59, died Sunday, November 5, 1995, at Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

She was born on December 27, 1935, in Ballinger and married Isidro Lopez on September 18, 1971, in Winters.

Mrs. Lopez was a homemaker and a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Ballinger.

Survivors include her husband, Isidro Lopez of Ballinger; three sons, Eddie Guevara of Ballinger, Ernest Guevara of San Angelo, and Clyde Escobar of Detroit, Michigan; one daughter, Vikki Garcia of Ballinger; three brothers, Joe Ramos of California, Ysaias Ramos of Ballinger, and Jose Tena of Florida; three sisters, Emma Gonzales of Ballinger, Mary Arredondo of Winters, and Estella Mota of San Angelo; 15 grandchildren; two aunts, Mrs. Phillip Mata of Ballinger and Mrs. Faye Martinez of Houston; and three step-daughters, Melissa Lopez, Cynthia Hicks, and Sylvia Holloway.

Rosary was said at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, November 7, at the Rains-Seale Chapel. Services were held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, November 8, at St. Mary's Catholic Church with Father Louis Moeller officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home of Ballinger.

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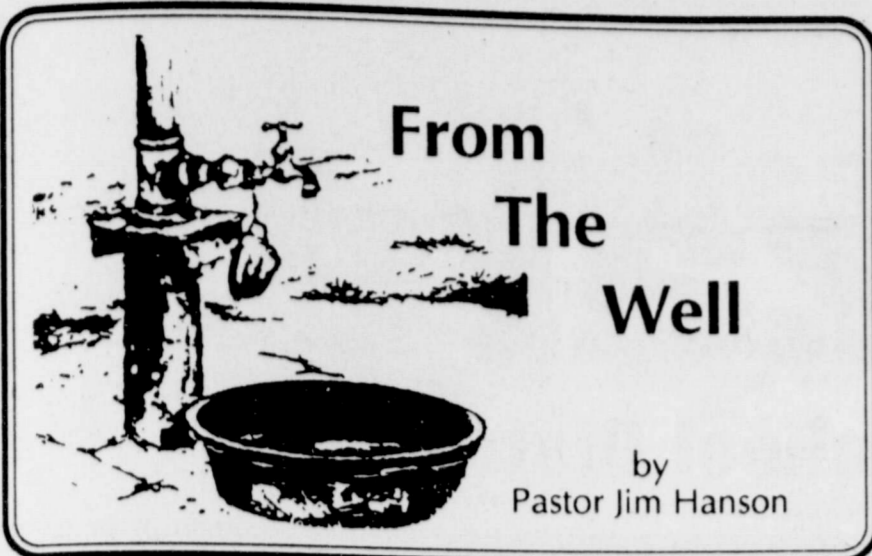
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From The Well

by Pastor Jim Hanson

This weekend we celebrate Veterans Day. It used to be called Armistice Day, marking the anniversary of the signing of the Treaty of Versailles. The end of World War I. The signing actually took place at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month. That would help us not to forget the "war to end all wars."

My father fought in that war. He was a sailor, that farm boy from Wisconsin. Crossed the Atlantic Ocean 12 times on a troop carrier. I think her name was the U.S.S. LEXINGTON. Their main cargo was soldiers. I also had three uncles who were in that war - in the Army. They all came home after the war. Like the song, "When Johnny comes marching home again, hurrah, hurrah! We'll give him a hearty welcome then, hurrah, hurrah!"

As a boy, growing up in a small town in South Dakota, the word "veteran" meant something to me. These were real men, my kinfolk, who had gone overseas and fought in a war and won it - making the world safe for democracy. Every year there were three big holidays in which we were reminded of the price that was paid for freedom: Memorial Day in the spring, the 4th of July in the summer, and Armistice Day in the fall. On each occasion there would be parades.

Veterans would get out their uniforms, wear them, and march in formation. At the very front of the parade was the "color guard," with the flag of the United States of America carried by one veteran and guarded by 3 others. The band would play "The Star Spangled Banner" and the "Stars and Stripes Forever." And I would be thrilled - shivers would run up and down my spine. I was so proud to be an American. So glad to live in "the land of the free and the home of the brave."

Then came World War II. We all got involved in World War II. My two older brothers served - one in the South Pacific in the Navy on an L.S.T. and the other in the Air Force. I was too young. But, we were all caught up in the "war effort." We collected newspapers every Saturday, bundled them up, and sent them for recycling. We collected scrap iron. Ladies made up "kits" for the service men and women. We gave blood. We bought U.S. Savings Bonds. We were rationed sugar, meat, tires, and gasoline. We sang "God Bless America" and "Let's Remember Pearl Harbor." We sent letters to our folks and friends on "V-Mail" stationary. We prayed that God would protect our men and women and would grant us the victory. And when it was all over, when we finally won the war and the Japanese surrendered, the streets of the city were jammed. But, in small town America, the churches were jammed. At least they were in our small town in South Dakota.

That was fifty years ago. As a dear friend of mine put it, "We were patriotic then. We loved our country. We counted it a privilege to serve. We were willing to die for 'freedom's holy light.'"

Today it's different. At least it seems so. Not nearly so patriotic. Let's face it, Memorial Day, the 4th of July, and Veterans Day are no longer reminders of our history and occasions to recall the price of freedom. They, like so many other holidays, have become "a day off," or "a three-day weekend," serving no connection with the event like Christmas without church. It's so sad. And truly, frightening. We need a revival of patriotism. We need to sing "God Bless Our Native Land" and "God Bless America."

Maybe a good way to begin to become patriotic again would be to take part in some, if not all, of the Veterans Week Activities planned by our local V.F.W. Take some time to remember. Not only those who served in World War I and World War II, but also Korea, and Vietnam, and the Gulf. And those who are serving today, on call for their country. God forbid that we forget. Freedom has a price. And we are all in debt to those who pay it with their lives.

Finalé for World War II Remembrance

- Nov. 9-11 - United States flags will continue to be flown downtown.
- Winters Elementary and High School continue special programs.
- Window decorations by merchants, sponsored by Winters Chamber of Commerce.
- Library will have a special display of World War II books and mementos.
- Artwork of the Winters Elementary students in the Winters V.F.W. Remembrance Contest will be displayed in the windows of the Public Library.
- Nov. 10 - PTC to sell Buddy Poppies.
- ASU Ram Guard, directed by Russell Parramore, will post the colors prior to the Winters-Wall football game.
- Nov. 11 - * Veterans Day
- Memorial Service at the Runnels County Veterans Memorial on the Runnels County Courthouse Square in Ballinger at 10:30 a.m.
- Flag raising at the Winters V.F.W. Post 9193 at 4:45 p.m. followed by a free barbecue meal for the community with veterans and senior citizens as honored guests. Serving from 5-7 p.m.
- Flags flown at local cemeteries and wreaths placed. All U.S. flags must be picked up before dark, according to the Flag Code, even small ones that are placed.
- Ringing of bells and blowing of whistles on the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month.
- PTC to sell Buddy Poppies.
- Nov. 12 - Special services at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church and Southside Baptist Church recognizing members who have served in the armed services through the years.

Veterans, continued

of War from 1939-1945 was 293,121 hostile deaths, 670,846 wounded, and 115,185 non-hostile deaths. Direct economic cost related to the war totaled \$288,000,000,000. The international cost was: battle deaths, 14,904,000; battle wounded, 25,218,000; and civilian deaths, 38,573,000. The international direct economic costs were \$1,600,000,000,000.

Each year the President of the United States urges "all Americans" to honor the commitment of our veterans through appropriate public ceremonies on November 11. On November 11, 1918, at 11:00 a.m., World War I ended. In 1921, an unknown World War I American soldier was buried in Arlington National Cemetery on November 11 and similar ceremonies had occurred earlier in England and France on November 11. These memorial gestures all gave universal recognition to the celebrated ending of World War I fighting as the 11th hours of the 11th day of the 11th month. The day became known as "Armistice Day." If the idealistic hope that World War I was "the war to end all wars" had been realized November 11 might still be called Armistice Day.

In 1954, realizing that peace had also been preserved by veterans of W.W. II and Korea, Congress was requested to make this day an occasion to honor all veterans who had served at any time.

President Eisenhower signed a bill proclaiming November 11 as Veterans Day. In 1968, a law was passed to change Veterans Day to the fourth Monday in October, but it soon became apparent that November 11 was a date of significance to many Americans.

Therefore in 1978, Congress returned the observance to its traditional date.

Please join us in observing Veterans Day on November 11. The program will start promptly at 10:30 a.m. so try to be in your place before this time. If you wish to sit, please bring a lawn chair.

The Veterans Day ceremony will be sponsored by the Winters Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9193 and the Ladies Auxiliary, the Roy Scoggins American Legion Post of Winters and its Ladies Auxiliary, the Ballinger Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8119, and the Rowena Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9196 and its Ladies Auxiliary.

Some of the information in this article was taken from material furnished by the National Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary. If you have any questions on this article, please contact Mary Kurtz, 915/754-5182.

Runnels County Retired Teachers meet November 13

The Runnels County Retired Teachers Association will meet Monday, November 13, at the First United Methodist Church in Ballinger at 2:30 p.m. "Planning For The Holidays" will be the program.

Chamber announces winners of 1995 Halloween contests

The winners of the costume contest were Zanette O'Dell (Hatler Insurance), ugliest; Kim Jackson (Hatler Insurance), funniest; Fran Walker (First American Bank), cutest; Lou Wright (North Runnels Hospital), scariest; and Mary Beth Drake (First State Bank), best costume.

The winners of the children's division were Suzanne Jones, funniest; Jordan Sanchez, scariest; Jessica Meyer, cutest; and Steven Kruse, best of costume.

Several businesses decorated for the event. Most Spooky was the Housing Authority; First American Bank was Best of Show; and First State Bank was Most Original.

Best decorated homes were Crystal Burton, Best of Show; David Scates, Most Spooky; Ann Shackelford and Family, Most Original.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to thank everyone who participated in the fun activities for Halloween.

Town Criers

Alanna Lynn Cooper

Alan and J'Lynn Cooper of Winters are proud to announce the arrival of a daughter, Alanna Lynn, born Wednesday, November 1, 1995, at 1:06 p.m. at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. She weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Tommy and Marthiel Russell of Winters.

Paternal grandparents are Ruth Cooper of Winters and the late Doyle Cooper of Winters.

Maternal great-grandmother is Billie Middlebrook of Winters.

Destiny Hope Cravens

Charles and Pamela Cravens of Winters are proud to announce the arrival of a daughter, Destiny Hope, born Tuesday, October 3, 1995, at 1:30 p.m. at Angelo Community Hospital. She weighed 9 pounds, 8 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Destiny Hope is welcomed home by a sister, Tiffany, age 4.

Maternal grandparents are Joy and Ronnie Curry of Winters, and Dean and Mary Harper of San Angelo.

Paternal grandparents are Bertha Cravens of Winters, and Ray and Arlene Cravens of Kansas.

Maternal great-grandparents are Jewell and LaVell Smith of Winters, Geraldine Pace of Canyon Lake, and T.C. Harper of San Antonio.

Paternal great-grandparents are Selma Drummond of Ballinger and Verdie Climer of Missouri.

Scouts Food Drive re-scheduled for Saturday morning, Nov. 11

Due to rain, the Scouts Annual Food Drive to benefit the Winters Food Pantry was not held last Saturday and was re-scheduled for this coming Saturday, November 11.

Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts of all age levels will combine efforts to canvass the town from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. asking for donations.

Anyone planning to be away from home during that time may leave a donation in a sack by the door and the scouts will pick it up.

With the holidays soon approaching, any canned goods or non-perishables that may be used to fill holiday baskets will certainly be appreciated.

Also needed by the Winters Food Pantry are bath and laundry soap, toothpaste, shampoo, and paper products. The Scouts will also gladly gather any of these items that you wish to donate.

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- 1 TXism: "gave his bearers the slip" (recovered)
- 5 instrument in the Houston symphony
- 6 belly button fuzz
- 7 TX pianist Samartoff
- 8 TXism: "mighty ___ (not many) ___ ordinances"
- 9 TXism: "he'd have to study up to ___ half wit"
- 12 TX roadrunner: "___ of the highways"
- 17 TXism: "numerous as ants ___ worm"
- 19 Amarillo is "___ capital of the world"
- 21 side ___ chutes are used in rodeos for bucking stock
- 22 representatives for TX pro athletes
- 23 in '90, this herbicide was used to poison Austin's "Treaty Oak"
- 28 partly in Fort Bend, Harris & Waller Cos.
- 29 TXism: "___ your drift"
- 30 TXism: "___ of cash" (savings)
- 31 this George found the dinosaur tracks at Glen Rose
- 35 Dr. Pepper rival
- 36 TXism: "useless ___ a sow"
- 42 TX ___ Dave Danforth created the "shine ball"
- 44 SMU alumnus & TV producer Spelling
- 46 TX Kenny sang: "...four hungry children and a ___ fold"
- 48 by law, TX youngsters must ___ school daily
- 49 TXism: "does a fat man sweat?"
- 50 TX-infested ski area in NM
- 51 big TX cities have ___ ordinances
- 52 plague of TX apple industry: root ___
- 53 ex-Astro mgr. Howe
- 54 to pat down
- 56 TX George Strait's ___ Come to Expect It From You"
- 57 South TX rancher Mary ___ West
- 58 African antelope
- 1 Glen Rose hosts this event to raise money for the black rhino (3 wds.)
- 2 Taylor Co. seat
- 3 TX Space's "The ___ Home"
- 4 TXism: "___ sleeping dog lie"
- 9 TXism: "couldn't ___ a drum" (loser)
- 10 TXism: "___ ducks on a pond"
- 11 citrus drink
- 12 "mucha ___" (girl)
- 13 TX lawmaker
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- 15 TX Morris release: "Sweet Red ___"
- 16 Granbury inn: The ___ House
- 18 drug agency (abbr.)
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- 24 sixth sense
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- 26 pope's office
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District 6-2A — Overall

Team	W	L	T	PF	PA
Winters	9	0	0	304	107
Stanton	7	2	0	234	163
Wall	6	3	0	179	109
Coahoma	5	4	0	206	184
Jim Ned	5	4	0	171	141
Forsan	2	7	0	104	240

District 6-2A

Team	W	L	T	PF	PA
Winters	4	0	0	164	56
Stanton	3	1	0	106	66
Wall	3	1	0	74	37
Coahoma	1	3	0	69	108
Jim Ned	1	3	0	51	97
Forsan	0	4	0	36	136

Last Week's Scores: Winters 44, Stanton 26; Wall 28, Forsan 0; Jim Ned 22, Coahoma 12.
 This Week's Games: Wall at Winters, Stanton at Coahoma, Jim Ned at Forsan.

VARSIITY STATISTICAL SUMMARY

	Winters	Stanton
First downs	20	11
Rushes-yards	20-153	28-81
Passing yards	243	135
Total yards	396	216
Comp-Att-Int	18-25-1	7-17-3
Fumbles-lost	2-2	3-2
Punts-average	2-44.5	2-34.5
Penalties-yards	7-77	3-25

SCORING SUMMARY
 By Quarters 14, 14, 0, 16 14, 0, 6, 6

FIRST QUARTER
 Stanton
 11:45, Leo McCallister 70 kick return (kick failed).
 Winters
 11:32, Mark Deike 75 kick return (kick failed).
 Winters
 4:55, Michael Mostad 17 pass from John Paul Belew (John Biddix pass from Belew).
 Stanton
 1:46, McCallister 26 pass from Taylor Looney (Jason Hopper pass from Looney).

SECOND QUARTER
 Winters
 9:44, Belew 14 run (pass failed).
 Winters
 5:01, Belew 1 run (Belew run).

THIRD QUARTER
 Stanton
 Touchdown score (kick blocked).

FOURTH QUARTER
 Winters
 8:53, Jason Carrillo 26 field goal.
 Winters
 6:11, Dennis Conner 37 pass from Belew (kick failed).
 Winters
 3:47, Kevin Conner 25 interception return (Carrillo kick).
 Stanton
 :58, Kyle Hern 2 run (pass failed).

Colors raised by ASU Ram Guard
 The Angelo State University Ram Guard, directed by Russell Parramore of Winters, will post the colors prior to the Winters-Wall football game on Friday, November 10. Game time is 7:30 p.m.
 As Veterans Remembrance Week nears its conclusion, please join with pride in honoring those who served our country. The flag still stands today as a symbol of freedom. "Onenation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

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Girls take third at regional cross country; go to state Saturday

By COACH DEB WHITTENBURG

The Blizzard girls cross country team finished third in the regional meet at Lubbock on Saturday. This qualifies them for the state meet. Erika Vega was the top runner followed closely by freshman Kourtney Cathey. Heather Watkins, Noemi Vega, and Cristin Corley finished within four seconds of each other. Misty Pritchard and Alison Wells complete the team. Both did a good job. Misty ran as an alternate for Janet Guy. Janet will run for the team on Saturday.

Places and times include:

Erika Vega	29th	13:34.3
Kourtney Cathey	30th	13:34.6
Heather Watkins	40th	13:48
Noemi Vega	42nd	13:51
Cristin Corley	44th	13:52.2
Misty Pritchard		14:13
Alison Wells		15:33

Congratulations and good luck at the state meet.

The state meet will be held at Southwestern University in Georgetown on Saturday, November 11. Winters girls will run at 1:20 p.m. Alternates who will travel to Georgetown are Karen Oats and Karolen Biddix.



SIDELINE SUPPORTERS Friday night included (left to right) Charles Kidwell, WHS principal; Terry Wyatt, elementary principal; and "cheerleader" Bill Cathey, dean of students.



1995-96 BREEZES CHEERLEADERS are (clockwise from left) Desiree' Hammersmith, Shanna O'Dell, Jessica Corley, Kelli Slimp, Jackye Dexter and Shelley Meyer (center).

Basketball action next week






Nov. 13	5:00 here	Panther Creek 8th boys
Nov. 13	7:30 here	Trent 7th girls A&B
Nov. 14	4:00 here	Eula JVG, JVB, VG, VB
Nov. 17	6:00 there	Hawley Fr.B

Congratulations, Lady Blizzard Cross Country Team

Janet Guy, Erika Vega, Alison Wells, Cristin Corley, Heather Watkins, Kourtney Cathey, Karen Oats, Karolen Biddix, Noemi Vega, Misty Pritchard & Coach Deb Whittenburg

Good Luck at the State Meet in Georgetown Saturday, November 11

1995 Fearless Football Forecasters

				
Jimmy Butler	Renee Calcote	Craig Gehrels	Garry Goff	Jimmy Smith
69-21	73-17	71-19	70-20	70-20

Wall at Winters	Winters Stanton	Winters Stanton	Winters Stanton	Winters Stanton	Winters Stanton
Stanton at Coahoma	Stanton Jim Ned	Stanton Jim Ned	Stanton Jim Ned	Stanton Jim Ned	Stanton Jim Ned
Jim Ned at Forsan	Hamlin	Hamlin	Hamlin	Hamlin	Hamlin
Hamlin at Stamford	Ballinger	Ballinger	Ballinger	Ballinger	Ballinger
Comanche at Ballinger	Eastland	Eastland	Eastland	Eastland	Eastland
Eastland at Breckenridge	Clyde at Merkel	Clyde	Clyde	Clyde	Clyde
Iraan at Eldorado	Iraan	Iraan	Iraan	Iraan	Iraan
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JV lose tough one to Stanton

Losing is never easy. And it's especially hard when you lose by one point in the final minutes of a contest.

The JV Blizzards came out on the short end of the stick 8-7 against the Stanton Buffaloes last Thursday.

Winters got on the scoreboard first in the first quarter. Michael Prewit's punt to the 1-yard line set up the score when Mike Fowler recovered the Stanton fumble and took it across for the Blizzards.

The Stanton score came with 1:30 left in the game. The two point conversion was good and then the clock ran out and Winters trailed 8-7.

"I can't say enough about our kids' effort," said Coach Chris Wilde. "We lost to a very good football team. I hate to lose more than anyone, but this was probably the best football we've played all year."

The JV squad will meet the Hawks at Wall at 6:30 Thursday to end the 1995 season.



MARK DEIKE maneuvers through the Stanton defense, helping his team win 44-26 over the Buffaloes last Friday. Mark also returned a kickoff 73 yards to put Winters on the scoreboard in the first few seconds of the ballgame.

Belew, Biddix, Conner, Deike receive honors

The *Abilene Reporter-News* has named Winters quarterback John Belew as Offensive Player of the Week. Belew completed 18 of 25 passes for 243 yards and two touchdowns. He also rushed for a touchdown in the 44-26 win over Stanton Friday night.

The *ARN* also gave honorable mention to Mark Deike who ran a kickoff back 73 yards and caught another touchdown pass.

Kevin Conner was also listed as honorable mention for his performance Friday. The linebacker recovered a fumble and returned a pass interception 27 yards to score.

The *San Angelo Standard-Times* applauded John Belew and John Biddix as outstanding players for the week. Biddix had seven catches for 118 yards.

7th Breezes lose to Stanton, 0-20

The Winters 7th grade team was defeated by the Stanton Buffaloes last Thursday, 0 to 20.

The game started off fairly well as the Breezes fought to a hard halftime ending score, 0 to 8. In a last ditch effort to put the Breezes on the scoreboard before the half ended, Andrew Medina dove over the goal line. A disappointing call from the referee staked the ball on the 1-foot line. It appears that Medina's knee had touched down before his dive.

Things just didn't get any better for the Breezes. At halftime, the Breezes were locked out of their field house and filed in shifts to the restroom.

During the second half, the blue and white offense played well but was always stopped by the Stanton defense or a yellow flag.

Coach White was pleased that the cold weather was not a big factor. "The boys played well through the cold, unlike the game against Coleman. Many players had their best game," said White. "I would also like to thank the brave fans that traveled and sat through the weather."

The Breezes finish their season this Thursday at 5:30 p.m. at Blizzard Stadium as they meet the Wall Hawks. Come out and watch them play!

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VARSITY PEP RALLY
WHS Gym
Friday, Nov. 10
3 p.m.
Grades 4 - 12

8th grade Breezes fall to Buffaloes 20-7

The bus ride to Stanton is mighty long, but it was really long for the 8th grade Breezes who lost 20-7.

The Buffaloes scored first in the first quarter on a 5-yard run. The extra point was good, and Stanton led 7-0.

Stanton struck again in the second quarter on a 45-yard run. Again, the PAT was good, pushing the score to 14-0.

The Breezes finally got on the scoreboard late in the second quarter on a 55-yard pass from Oscar Luz to Arthur Martinez. The extra point kick by Chris Lujano was good and Winters had seven points.

The Buffaloes stampeded again in the third quarter with a 70-yard kickoff return, making the final score 20-7.

Coach Chad Russell said, "We gave up too many big plays. The long Stanton run for a touchdown came after we hit the quarterback four times behind the line of scrimmage. Then after we finally scored, they returned the kickoff for a touchdown. We have to do a better job of tackling."

The 8th grade Breezes finish the season against Wall at Winters on Thursday at 6:30 p.m.



1995-1996 JR. HIGH TWIRLERS are (left to right) Michelle Paschal, Fallen Perrie, Kristian Castillo-Cadena, and Britney Tekell.

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Blizzards, continued

point was no good and Winters' lead was cut to 8 points at 28-20.

The Blizzards then fumbled the ball on the second play of possession and it looked like Stanton was gaining strong momentum.

But Stanton fumbled three plays later and Winters recovered. But the Blizzard offense could not move the ball and punted.

The Big Blue defense then decided to take charge and forced the Buffaloes to punt.

The Blizzard offense made a 16-play drive converting three third downs and one fourth down that led to a 27-yard field goal by Jason Carrillo.

And the Winters fans breathed a little easier with the 31-20 lead.

Stanton fumbled on their first play from scrimmage and Kevin Conner recovered on the Stanton 39-yard line.

Eight plays later Dennis Conner caught a 37-yard pass from Belew and high stepped into the end zone and the party started.

Kevin Conner couldn't let younger brother Dennis upstage him, so three minutes later Kevin intercepted a pass as the ball bounced off the back of the Stanton player. Kevin raced 28 yards into the end zone and the almost-always-stone-faced senior managed to smile over the score.

With the Blizzards now leading 44-20, all the Winters fans breathed a lot easier.

Throughout the game, different running backs made big plays to help keep Blizzard drives alive. Jerry Esquivel ran six times for 39 yards, Arnold Silva ran 6 for 35, Marshall Scates was 7 for 29, and Mark Deike was 7 for 19.

Stanton hit paydirt again with only seconds remaining for a final score of Winters 44, Stanton 26.

Head Coach Robin Byrd said, "At times we stunk it up. We made too many mental mistakes. We didn't pick up stunts or their blitzes."

The Blizzards are now 9-0 overall and 4-0 in district, and will face Wall this Friday at Blizzard stadium. Kickoff is at 7:30. The Hawks always play Winters a tough game.

Wall is 6-3 overall and 3-1 in district. Stanton beat Wall 21-0.

If Winters wins this last district game, the Blizzards will be District 6-2A champions.

A possible bi-district game site would be at Monahans against Anthony on Friday, November 17. Anthony is the district 5-2A runner-up if everything goes correctly this Friday in that district.

For other possibilities in play-off action for Winters, see related story on page 1.

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CAFETERIA MENU

Nov. 13 - Nov. 17
Subject to change

Breakfast

- Monday-Nov. 13
Golden Grahams
Wheat Bread
Pineapple Chunks
- Tuesday-Nov. 14
Fruit Loops
English Muffins
Peach Half
- Wednesday-Nov. 15
Honey Nut Cheerios
Raisin Bread
Sliced Peaches
- Thursday-Nov. 16
Lucky Charms
Butter Bread
Mixed Fruit
- Friday-Nov. 17
Trix
White Bread
Peach Half

Lunch

- Monday-Nov. 13
Ham/Cheese Sandwich
Lettuce/Pickles
Potato Chips
Pineapple Chunks
- Tuesday-Nov. 14
Corn Dog
Mustard/Mayonnaise
Mixed Vegetables
Sliced Peaches
- Wednesday-Nov. 15
Steak Fingers
Catsup
Green Beans
Rolls
Mixed Fruit
- Thursday-Nov. 16
Bar-B-Q on Bun
Onions/Pickles
Potato Chips
Sliced Peaches
- Friday-Nov. 17
Hamburger
Mustard/Mayonnaise
Lettuce/Pickles
Potato Chips
Peach Half

All meals served with milk

Students of the Month

Each month the junior high teachers select students from the 7th and 8th grades to be Boy and Girl of the Month. These selections are made on the basis of academics, leadership, and citizenship.

Colby Walker is "Boy of the Month" for October. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Larry Walker.

Colby is 12-years-old and is in the seventh grade where his favorite subject is Texas history.

He has received honors in U.I.L. Literary competition.

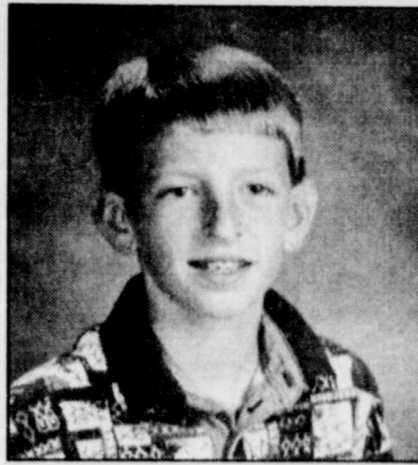
Colby passes time by playing with his dogs.

He enjoys sports and hunting.

His duties include keeping his room clean and mowing the grass.

The people Colby admires most are his mom and dad.

He plans to attend college and study veterinarian medicine.



Colby Walker
Boy of the Month

Lori Bredemeyer, 12, has been chosen as the "Girl of the Month" for October. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodrick Bredemeyer.

Lori is in the seventh grade, and enjoys Texas history.

She is honored to have received awards in piano and 4-H activities.

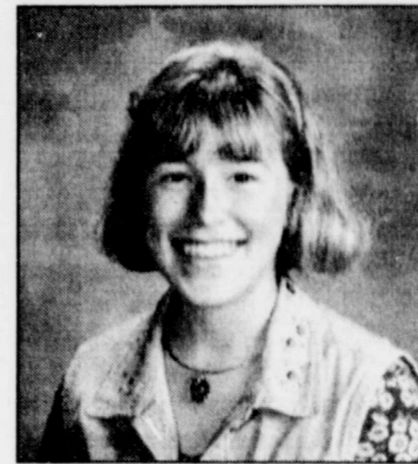
She enjoys playing the piano and basketball.

To pass the time, she reads and watches T.V.

Her duties include cleaning her room, washing the dishes, and taking care of the animals.

She plans to attend college and take a career in the medical profession as a pediatrician.

The people whom she most admires are her parents.



Lori Bredemeyer
Girl of the Month

Main Drug selected as Spirit Business of the Week

Main Drug Company is the Spirit Business of the Week. Main Drug's storefront window has displayed a message of support all season long. It is exciting to see how many of you who own or operate businesses as showing support for the Blizzards and cheering them on.

The last Booster Club meeting did not introduce any new business. More consideration for a new concession stand was made. The new flags for downtown will arrive soon and were reported to have a much better appearance than the ones now being used.

Meetings are held at 7 p.m. every Tuesday night at the fieldhouse. Business is discussed and the preceding week's game film is shown. All are invited.

Blue & White, Go, Fight, Fight!

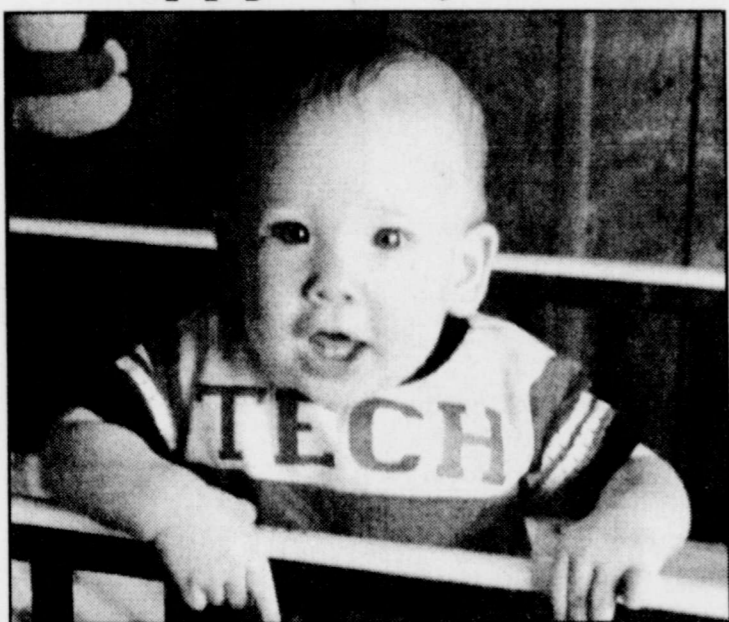
Lions Club Pancake Supper

Tuesday, November 14
5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Winters Community Center

\$3.50 per person



Happy 18th, Kevin



We're Proud of You Mom, Dad, & "The Sisters"

Identity of birthday boy #1 is revealed elsewhere in this issue.

Abilene to host college/technical school night on Monday, Nov. 13

Junior and senior students of high schools in the Big Country who are planning to pursue a higher education and the parents of these students will have an opportunity to meet and talk with representatives from various colleges, universities, and vocational training schools at a college/technical school program at Abilene High School on Monday, November 13, at 7:00 p.m. Representatives from forty institutions have been invited. In addition, representatives from the Air Force, Army, Marine, and Navy ROTC programs and a representative to discuss financial aid will participate in the program.

The evening program will begin in the auditorium where Michael Conley, president of the Abilene High School Student Council, will preside. Mr. Royce Curtis, principal of Abilene High School, will welcome the students and parents.

Following the general meeting in the auditorium, each student and parent will have an opportunity to attend three discussion groups of thirty minutes each to obtain information about three different schools in which they

P.T.A. to hear speaker Nov. 13

The Winters P.T.A. will meet on Monday, November 13, in the high school auditorium at 7 p.m.

The speaker will be Patti Davis of the Region XV Educational Service Center in San Angelo who will give tips on parent/teacher communication.

Other topics to be discussed include Santa's Secret Shop and the membership drive.

Child care will be provided. All parents and teachers are invited.

P.T.A. survey results in favor of scholarship

The Winters P.T.A. recently held a meeting to discuss the possible discontinuance of the chapter in Winters.

Parents and teachers were given questionnaires which included several topics important to the welfare of Winters students.

1. Should the P.T.A. continue or not?

2. What is the most important function of the P.T.A.?

3. What kind of meetings would you most likely attend?

Seventy-two percent (72%) of the teachers questioned wanted the P.T.A. to continue. Sixty-two percent (62%) of the parents questioned agreed the P.T.A. should continue.

The High School Scholarship was rated by both teachers and parents as the most important function that the P.T.A. could provide. The second most important function were the meetings with topics or speakers relevant to helping the students.

Popular meetings would include: tips to students on how to be more successful at school, improving parent/teacher communication, and P.T.A. fundraising.

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School Days, School Days



Cathy Oliver
Special Education

Cathy Oliver currently resides in Bronte, but calls San Angelo her hometown.

A graduate of Angelo State University, Mrs. Oliver received her Bachelor of Science degree in Early Childhood and Special Education. She began teaching at the Winters Independent School District in August, 1995.

She and husband, Al, have two children, Angie Shults, 15, and Stephen Shults, 23. Al is a sales representative. They are members of the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Oliver volunteers as a tutor for the Tom Green Adult Literacy Council and works with CASA as a child's advocate.

November 17 is the deadline to order band tapes After game fellowship

Winters Band Boosters will be taking orders for marching films and halftime show tapes until November 17, 1995.

These tapes are being transferred to VHS from old contest marching films and halftime shows and are being made by the decade—50s, 60s, 70s, and 80s. Each tape is \$25. You do not have to purchase all four tapes; purchases can be for any decade in any amount.

Send payment and decade(s) desired to Winters Band Boosters, 210 E. Pierce, Winters, TX 79567.

For more information, please call Teresa Davis, 915/754-5422; Sandy Hamrick, 915/754-4208, or Shelia Paschal, 915/723-2697.

Tapes will be delivered after Thanksgiving.

The First United Methodist Church will host the after game fellowship on Friday, November 10.

Students from grades 7-12 are invited.

Fellowship will conclude promptly at 11 p.m. Parents are encouraged to pick up their children no later than 11 p.m.

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PRE-K, KINDERGARTEN, AND FIRST GRADE costume parade contest winners are (back, l to r) Anthony Ramirez, ugliest; Don Davis, scariest; Kevin Cook, most original; Kelsey Jones, cutest; Cameron Burson, scariest; Trenton Grohman, cutest; (front) Kody McCuiston, most original; Jason Stambler, scariest; Kim Jackson, cutest; Marty Torres, ugliest; Jesse Tamez, ugliest; and (not pictured) Sonia Armendariz, most original.



SECOND AND THIRD GRADE costume parade costume winners are (back, l to r) Rachel Davis, most original; Kendra Esquivel, cutest; Jessica Hamilton, ugliest; Beca Morrison, most original; (front) Kathryn Hatler, scariest; Kindy Walker, cutest; Steven Clark, scariest; and (not pictured) Skye Salinas, ugliest.



FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADE costume parade contest winners are (back, l to r) Leah Bredemeyer, most original; Doris Johnson, best of show; Justin Young, scariest; Dana Clough and Kirby Hatler, ugliest; Stephanie Wilkerson, cutest; (front) Brianna Parramore, most original; Nick Haussecker, scariest; Arturo Reyna, ugliest; and Jessica Perry, cutest.



SIXTH GRADE costume parade contest winners are (l to r) Toni Retana, ugliest; Monica Hicks, most original; Karen Wimberley, cutest; and Consodra Johnson, scariest.



ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN PRE-SCHOOL—Back row, left to right: Jacie Frierson, Sybil Bridgeman, Maritza Bowden, Chelsy Lipsey, Braden Mikeska, and instructor Mary Kurtz. Front row: Julie England, Coltyn Pritchard, Colby Pritchard, Kirsten Grun, and Guyman Richards.



SENIOR CITIZENS NURSING HOME—Back row, left to right: Sherry Jordan, Mary Jane Bryson, Billie Bishop, Buelah Schaffrina, Pat Hollis, Toni Torres, and Melinda Tucker. Front row: Vicky Carlton, Sheryl Webb, Harrell Watkins, and Sandra Willborn.



LOUIS WADE (left) AND LILLIAN EUBANK were unrecognizable in their complete costumes on October 30 at the Senior Citizens Activity Center. Both wore dresses, shawls, sombreros, and bright pink happy faces.

Option #1



Option #2



Option #3



Option #4



Vote for your favorite design

The City of Winters is asking all residents to offer input on the painted design of the proposed new water tower. At the left, you will find four options.

Option 1, 2, and 3 include a blue ball with white lettering and a white base.

Option 4 is white with blue lettering.

Please check your preferred choice below and return by December 15, 1995, to:

City Hall, 310 S. Main, Winters, TX 79567.

- Option #1
- Option #2
- Option #3
- Option #4

Thank you for your participation and for your interest and concern of Winters' welfare.

You need not give your name but please only one vote per person.



SENIOR CITIZENS ACTIVITY CENTER EMPLOYEES are (left to right) Eddie Bennie, Eileen Cartwright, Olga Meyers, director Janet Cason, Evelyn Jacob, and Shirley Hord. Their mornings consist of planning, preparing, and cleaning up of meals for approximately 125 persons most every day. Aging Services, Meals on Wheels, and Title III Home Delivery are currently programs in service.

Dedicated cooks at Senior Citizens Activity Center prepare a "feast" every weekday

by SUSAN RIPPLE

With the thoughts of Thanksgiving and Christmas upon us, many can vision the bountiful holiday tables complete with turkey & dressing and all the trimmings. However, few can envision the preparation required to present such a meal. How many times have you prepared a meal for your entire family? You know how much planning and work go into cooking for a family of 10.

What if you and five helpers had to plan and prepare a meal most every day of the week for 125 individuals and then clean up afterwards. That is exactly what the employees of the Senior Citizens Activity Center do Monday through Friday. Director Janet Cason and helpers Evelyn Jacob, Eileen Cartwright, Shirley Hord, Olga Meyers, and Eddie Bennie should take pride in their job performance and with good reason.

On Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, they prepare for approximately 75 persons to come into the Activity Center to eat hot, nutritious meals offered to Senior Citizens through the Aging Services Program. (Don't forget Janet has to have ample stock on hand and coordinate a menu that meets the four food groups prior to the meal preparation.)

In addition to the Aging Services Program, Meals on Wheels and Title III Home Delivery currently feed an additional 52 elderly and/or homebound or disabled persons at their residence every day of the week, excluding holidays (17 through Meals on Wheels and 35 through Title III).

Janet and her staff begin work at 7 a.m. and prepare plates so that

delivery can begin by 11 a.m. Janet would like to thank area church members for their service of delivery. Those churches include First United Methodist Church, First Baptist Church, Southside Baptist Church, St. John's Lutheran Church, Mount Carmel Catholic Church, North Main Church of Christ, and Wingate Baptist Church. First American Bank and Eastern Star are also to be thanked.

Volunteers rotate schedules and are always welcome to expedite delivery. The more volunteers that are available, the quicker the residents will receive their meals. By delivering, residents also enjoy fellowship and are provided with a safety check at approximately the same time every day. Any church groups, clubs, or organizations are invited to participate. If interested, you may contact Janet at 754-4205 or come by 601 Wood Street.

At this time, a decision by the legislature has placed a freeze on the Meals on Wheels program. The Texas Department of Human Services funds 70% of the program, with the remaining 30% to be met by the community through donations. Government funding is simply not available now. Residents who currently receive daily meals will continue to receive these meals; however, no new applicants will be accepted for Meals on Wheels until the freeze has been lifted. It is not known when or even if the problems in funding will be resolved.

Title III Home Delivery is very similar to Meals on Wheels. The West Central Texas Council of

Government funds a percentage of the program with the remainder funded by the county. People with disabilities, but not eligible for Meals on Wheels for one reason or another, may still qualify for Title III. The requirements are that the individual(s) be homebound or disabled and 60 years of age and over. If you would like to know if you qualify for Title III Home Delivery, contact Janet Cason. She will ask you a few questions and inform you of the need to fill out an application.

For any of the above programs, discrimination cannot be made due to income, race, sex, nor religion. To support the programs, donations and memorial contributions will be applied towards the percentage of funding required to be met at a local level. In the past year, the percentage of local funding has almost always come from the county budget. Donations are most welcome and definitely appreciated for this needed cause.

Most senior citizens will tell you that as they dine they enjoy the companionship very much and, as an additional feature, the food is good too, especially the desserts.

Now I don't know about you, but I couldn't handle even the thought of preparing for a "feast" of this magnitude. So the next time you see Janet, Evelyn, Eileen, Shirley, Olga, or Bennie tell them just how much you appreciate all their hard work on behalf of the elderly and disabled of the community. Congratulations team for a job well performed, not once but many times! May your holiday tables be abundantly filled—by family and friends so that you get the break you so deserve.

L-G's Place to serve Turkey Dinner Nov. 22

L-G's Place, 237 S. Main, will be serving their annual Turkey Dinner on Wednesday, November 22, from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Items on the menu include turkey and dressing, gravy, green beans, mashed potatoes, cranberries, and bread.

Pie slices will also be available.

Place your order early at 754-4118!

L-G's also takes this time to thank their patrons.

Retired highway employees invited to lunch on Nov. 13

Retired highway employees are invited to a dutch treat luncheon at 11:30 a.m. on Monday, November 13, 1995, at Luby's Cafeteria in Sunset Mall in San Angelo.

Retirees planning to attend the luncheon should contact Doc or Kitty Watson at 915/944-3968, or Glenda Rumpy at 915/947-9202 by November 9 to make reservations.

Former Winters resident leads students to safety in school fire

Bryan Green, formerly of Winters, knows first-hand the benefits of school fire drills even when an unexpected escape route is used.

Green, a 1989 graduate of Winters High School, teaches and coaches at Burton High School which is located about twelve miles west of Brenham.

On October 4, flames burst forth in the school's cafeteria and shot down a hallway just as the lunch period was coming to an end.

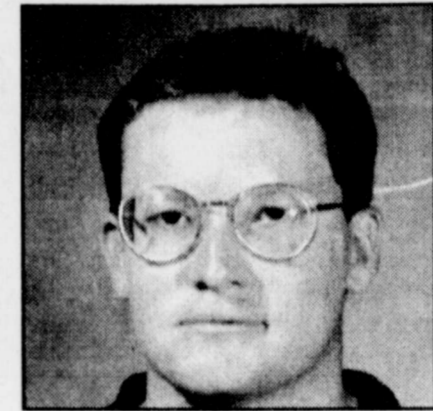
Green was teaching a seventh grade science class at the time.

"It sounded like a tornado," Green said. "All of a sudden we saw a lot of smoke. It looked like a dust storm."

He said he knew they could not evacuate through the hallway because of all the smoke that was

beginning to enter the room from that direction. He struggled a few moments with a window until he was able to open it and guide the students to safety.

"I tried to get them out of there as fast as I could," Green said.



Bryan Green

He said the students were "pretty shook up," but that they were as calm as could be expected

and fairly organized as they exited through the window one at a time, jumping about 7 feet to safety.

Green said if the fire had begun ten minutes sooner, many more students would have been in the cafeteria and others may have been in the hallway on their way to lunch. And he said had it happened ten minutes later, the hall would have been filled with student on their way to class.

Luckily, only one minor injury was reported in the fire. Three units from the Burton Volunteer Fire Department responded to the 9-1-1 call, and were assisted by a unit from the Berlin Mill-Creek Zionsville department. Cause of the fire is under investigation.

Bryan Green is married to the former Julie Wheat, and is the son of Willie and Brenda Green of Winters.



HILIARY AND BILL, IS THAT REALLY YOU? For a minute it looked like Winters was getting a visit from the President and First Lady but Hiliary doesn't wear purple troll hair on Tuesdays. Rachel Davis and Kathryn Hatler served their third grade classes proudly, however.

Free martial arts exhibition Nov. 13 at activity center

A free Tae Kwon-Do demonstration will be open to the public on Monday, November 13 at 7 p.m. at the school activity building.

Two Master instructors will perform and answer questions for the audience. There is no charge for this demonstration which is open to ages 6-65.

Classes for tae kwon-do in Winters are pending and more information will soon be available.

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Begin at 12 Noon

Auction! Begins at 1:30 p.m.

Sausage Sandwich Supper
Served from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Dance! Music by THE SWIGS
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Andy Webb picked as coordinator for 1995 Aggie Bonfire

Andy Webb, a 1991 graduate of Winters High, is the head civilian in charge of building the 1995 Aggie bonfire at Texas A&M University.

Each year, the A&M student body works from the beginning of the fall semester until the week of the Texas University game in constructing what is one of the world's largest, if not the largest, bonfire.

Last year, an estimated 125,000 hours of labor was done entirely by student volunteers to construct the bonfire.

Landowners in the Bryan-College Station area who want their land cleared allow the timber to be cut from their property. The bonfire is constructed entirely of green logs cut with axes on the property, called cut-site or "cut", and then loaded on flatbed trailers and hauled to the campus.

In 1969, the bonfire reached its record height of 102 feet but the University has since mandated a maximum height of 65 feet. The logs are stacked around a center pole and tied to this pole and to each other, then stacked on top of each other up to six tiers.

And on top is the traditional outhouse (called by the Aggies the TU "frathouse").

The bonfire tradition, which started in 1909, symbolizes the Aggies' "burning desire" to beat

Texas.

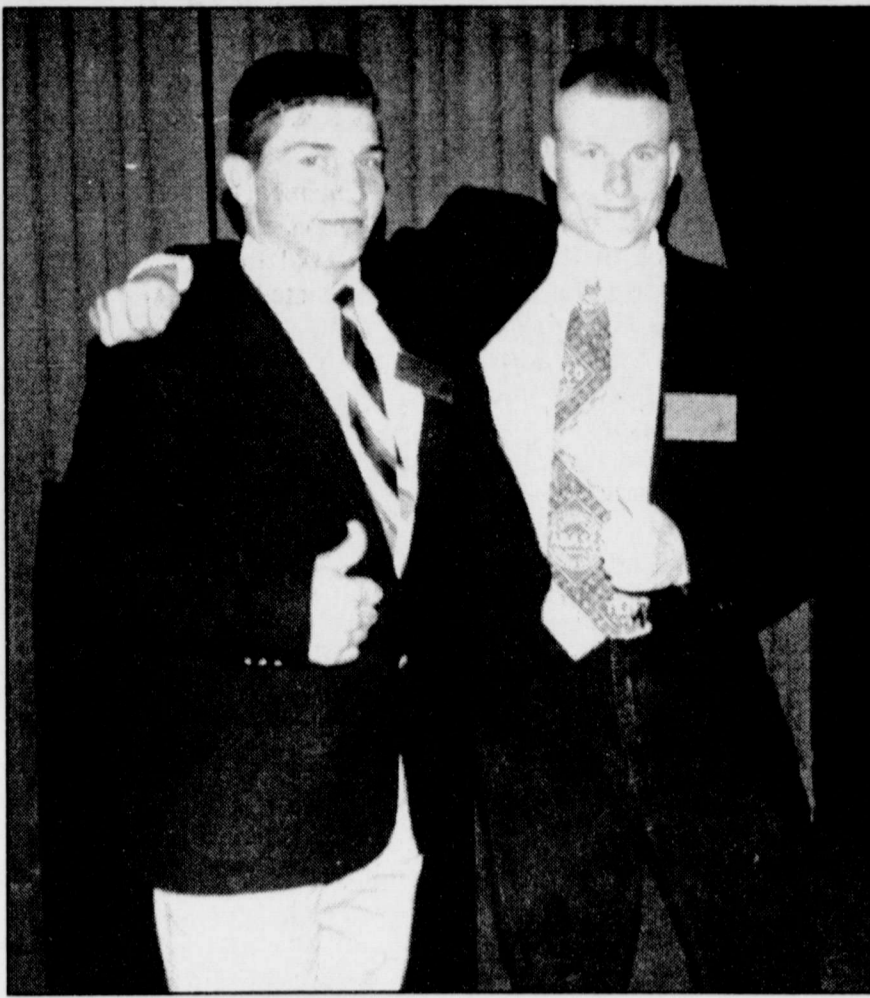
Overseeing all this activity are eight junior and eight senior students called "redpots". These students earn these positions through their hard work, commitment and leadership in bonfire activities.

While the actual construction of bonfire is done each fall, the "redpots", or coordinators, are involved on a year-round basis. They visit Aggie clubs and alumni all across Texas to inform, educate and encourage Aggies to be a part of the bonfire tradition. During the remainder of the school year, they visit with students individually and in groups encouraging their involvement.

The overall coordinator for the bonfire, called "Head Stack", is traditionally a member of the Corps of Cadets. This year's Head Stack is Carl Baggett of Dallas. Andy works with him and the other coordinators during the entire construction process to ensure that everything is done safely and on time.

Bonfire will be lit this year on Friday, December 1, the evening before the annual A&M-Texas game.

Andy is the son of Bryan and Marcie Webb, and the grandson of Henry and Ollie Webb of Winters.



"GIG 'EM, AGGIES" says Andy Webb (right) as he chums with a fellow bonfire coordinator. Andy was selected as head civilian in charge of the 1995 bonfire.

Methodist Fall Festival is Saturday

First United Methodist Church of Winters will have a Fall Festival on Saturday, November 11, from 3:00-7:00 p.m. in the School Activity Center (yellow building).

Festival activities will include a "Bazaar" with a variety of holiday and other handmade crafts, a "Country Store" featuring delicious homebaked items, a "Children's Fair" with fun youth activities, and a "Silent Auction." A "Catfish Dinner" will be

served from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Adult tickets are \$5.50 and children, under the age of 10, are \$3.50. Take-outs are available. Dinner music will feature the Methodist Mamas, the FUMC Children's Choir, and the Summerlin Family.

Come enjoy the festivities—fun, arts and crafts, homemade goodies, a silent auction, and wonderful entertainment with a delicious meal.

St. Joseph Parish to host 73rd Annual Fall Festival Nov. 12

St. Joseph Parish, Rowena, will host its 73rd Annual Fall Festival on Sunday, November 12, 1995, at the Parish Hall. The theme of this year's festival is "Country Folks Gathering Together."

Members of the parish will prepare approximately 128 turkeys, 1200 pounds of dressing, 2 1/2 tons of German style sausage, 47 cakes, 334 pies, and all the trimmings.

The noon meals and meals to go will be served from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Prices are \$6.00 for adults; \$3.00 for children; and \$6.00 for plates to go. Sausage sandwiches will be available from 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. for \$2.00. Sausage will be sold by the pound, cooked or uncooked.

A country store and fancy stand will feature handmade items. Tickets are being sold for three items—a quilt, afghan, and Christmas tree skirt—to be given away at a 4 p.m. drawing.

Bingo and children's games begin at 12 noon and continue until 4 p.m. An auction of cotton and merchandise starts at 1:30 p.m.

The day's activities will climax with a dance from 7 p.m. until 11 p.m. with music by THE SWIGS.

Mass for workers will be held on Saturday, November 11, at 5 p.m. Sunday services are scheduled for 7:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Runnels Baptist Association to host World Mission Banquet Nov. 20

The Runnels Baptist Association will meet for a World Mission Banquet on November 20 at First Baptist Church, Bronte.

The Executive Board and W.M.U. will meet at 6:00 p.m. At 6:30 p.m., everyone will meet in the fellowship hall for the banquet.

The Associational W.M.U. Director, Mrs. Bobbie Elliott, is in charge of the program. Don Bass, missionary to Yemen, will be the guest speaker.

Church member families and youth mission groups are invited and welcomed to attend.

Crews News

by Hilda Kurtz



You know you're in a small town when you miss a Sunday at church and receive get well cards!

Visitors to Hopewell Baptist Church on Sunday were Mike and Billy Boatwright of Amarillo, Joe and Inez Kerby of Amarillo, and Rudy and Ronnie New of Abilene. Bro. Oscar and Janie Fanning of Abilene enjoyed after services lunch with Netha and Arthur Kerby.

Mildred Morrison, Selma Dietz, and Nila Osborne attended the 1995 Woman's World Day of Prayer and lunch on Monday at the Winters Baptist Church.

Over the weekend, Janie Fanning, Selma Dietz, Melvena Gerhart, and Nila Osborne attended the Woman's Growth Conference at the Prestonwood Baptist Church in Dallas. Keynote speaker was Evelyn Christianson of St. Paul, Minnesota.

Joe and Inez Kerby of Amarillo are spending several days with Mildred Morrison. Joe got a 10-point buck on the first day of deer season.

Lavonda and Weldon Foreman of Kerrville spent two days, Tuesday and Wednesday, with Helen Alexander.

Jimmy and Frances Chapman of Ballinger enjoyed lunch and the visit with Selma Dietz on Thursday.

Those spending Saturday with Georgia and Connie Gibbs were Justin, Brooke, Haley, Tammy, and Mark Kaczyk; Lane, Tanna, Saffron, and Kenny Gibbs; Anna Smith; and "Cowboy," a friend from Odessa.

Eileen and Kenny Cartwright

and Jeremy Prater went to Abilene on Tuesday to the doctor and to shop. On Thursday night, Eileen worked at the concession stand at the Winters J.V. game. On Saturday, Eileen, Tiffany, and Jeremy attended the 4-H Food Show in the Rowena Catholic Hall. Tiffany participated.

Brad Pape was in San Angelo on Monday for his checkup with his doctor.

Daughter Pat Giles of Brownwood spent Saturday with Leona and Charles Matthes.

Lenvil and James Phipps of Dallas visited with Dennis and Audine McBeth and did some hunting during the week.

Sharon and Jerry Engler of Brownwood were Saturday dinner guests with Margie Jacob. In the afternoon, they attended the wedding of Emma Lou Halfmann and Randy Russell in Wall.

I attended the quilting at the St. John's Lutheran Church on Monday with 11 or 12 other ladies. I enjoyed the luncheon at noon. Twelve (12) quilts were tackled.

Glenn Hoppe came by for a while and visited Harvey Mae and Noble Faubion on Monday. Rodney Faubion visited on Sunday. He also visited with the Dale Duggan family.

On Monday, Harvey Mae and Noble Faubion ate out at Pizza Hut, then went on to San Angelo for Noble's doctor's appointment. He got a good report.

Our sympathy to Georgia and Connie Gibbs and other relatives due to the death of Georgia's sister, Vera Saunders, 90, of Grand Prairie. The funeral was on Wednesday.

Tooter Harrison nominated for re-election as HSU Trustee

Lula Mae "Tooter" Harrison of Winters has been nominated for re-election as a trustee of the 42-member board of Hardin-Simmons University.

Mrs. Harrison received her Bachelor of Arts degree in English in 1950 from Hardin-Simmons University. She obtained a Masters of Education in Psychology and Counseling, also from HSU, in 1969.

She is a retired teacher/counselor of the Winters Independent

Conner's piano students receive ensemble ratings

Piano students of Susan Conner participated in the Abilene Music Teachers Ensemble Festival at McMurry University, Saturday, November 4.

The students performed duets in pairs or with their teacher. They were evaluated by Kathie Goodrich of Abilene and received Superior or Excellent ratings.

Students were Eric Wyatt, Alecia Sudduth, Marci Paschal, Megan Felty, Kinsey Airhart, Jared Airhart, Leah Bredemeyer, Allison Calcote, Michelle Dexter, DeAnna Goff, Trudy Holladay, Stacey Sneed, Lori Bredemeyer, Michelle Paschal, Kelli Slimp, and Jana Presley.

The students received purple participation ribbons and certificates for their achievements.

School District, and is a member of the First Baptist Church in Winters.

Mrs. Harrison's name will be presented to "messengers" at the BGCT sessions by the Committee on Nominations for Institution Boards during the annual convention of Texas Baptists on November 13 in San Antonio.

All HSU trustees must be members of the Texas Baptist congregations, and are recommended for a three-year term. Nine years of service is the maximum permitted by policies of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

If re-elected, Mrs. Harrison will begin her second 3-year term of service.

Christmas Choir to rehearse three more times

The Winters Area Christmas Choir began rehearsals on November 8 at First Baptist Church.

Any area resident who loves to celebrate the Christmas season with music is invited to join the choir. Age limit is Junior High students to Senior Citizens.

Rehearsal continues on Wednesday nights, November 15 and 29, and December 6 at 8:30 p.m.

Performance will be Sunday night, December 10.

For more information, contact Susan Conner.

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Happy 18th, Jer-Bear!

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PTC to sell Buddy Poppies Nov. 10 & 11

by MARY KURTZ, VFW Post 9193 Auxiliary President

The Winters Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9193 and its Ladies Auxiliary are being assisted this year with its Buddy Poppy Sale by the Parents That Care (PTC) organization. They will conduct a Buddy Poppy blockade at the traffic light in downtown Winters on Friday afternoon, November 10, and Saturday, November 11, Veterans Day. The VFW Buddy Poppies are assembled by disabled veterans and the contributions made at this

time will be for the benefit of disabled and needy veterans, and the widows and orphans of deceased veterans. The citizens of this community are asked to recognize the merits of this cause and contribute generously as evidence of their gratitude to the men and women of this country who have risked their lives in defense of the freedoms which we continue to enjoy as American citizens. Let us "Honor the Dead by Helping the Living."

Veterans to be honored with barbecue meal and flag raising

In remembrance of the 50th Anniversary of World War II, the Winters Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9193 and its Ladies Auxiliary invite the citizens of Winters and the surrounding area to a free barbecue meal at the Post Home on Saturday, November 11, from 5 to 7 p.m. Veterans and all the people who helped on the homefront during World War II are especially urged to come and receive the thanks you so rightly deserve. A Flag Raising will be held at the Post Home at 4:45 p.m. and the public is invited to attend.



CRISTI BURTON, WHS student council member, hoists the flag during special ceremonies Monday morning. Special guests were members of the Army reserve and fourteen local veterans. The Blizzard Band performed before a large crowd of elementary and secondary students and other guests.

Letters to the Editor

Remembering our veterans

Fifty years ago, World War II came to an end. Once more we won the battle to remain a free nation and to worship in our own way. Many lives were sacrificed. We fought two enemies who wanted to rule the world. A call went out, as well as being drafted, for men to help defend our country. We came through united. We were not ready, but we quickly formed a united front. There were farmers, office clerks, and just "plain folks" who came forward to the effort to keep our country sound. Rationing of lots of things became a way of life and sacrifice was endured by one and all. So today (Monday, Nov. 6) at the Flag Raising Ceremony at the Winters High School, remembering those fifty years, we thank the faculty and staff of the Winters School for inviting all veterans of Winters to the ceremony. Thank you for having the program. As last, we veterans are not forgotten. We, The American Legion, still stand for God and country. Let's all write our congressmen and senators and urge them to pass the Flag Amendment to

protect our flag. With your help we can get the amendment passed. Sincerely, *Walter Durham* Post Commander Roy Scroggins Post #261

Retired Sergeant writes letter in appreciation

I would like to take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation to those involved in the tribute to veterans conducted on the Winters High School campus Monday morning. The faculty and student body of Winters High School should be commended for their efforts in recognizing veterans. To Mr. Felty and the Blizzard Band, I will say, "well done." Thanks to the Army Recruiting Office of Abilene. A special thank you to Rev. Jim Hanson for his inspiring and encouraging words. *The Winters Enterprise* should certainly share in the thanks for their promotion of the ceremony and for being there. Last but certainly not least, thanks to the veterans who chose to be present at the ceremony. *Billy J. Hall* Master Sergeant, retired United States Air Force

From Across The Mayor's Desk

by Dawson McGuffin
Hello! Hope everything is going well for you. I would like to take this time to offer a very sincere "thank you" to Rachel Edwards and the rest of the Student Council. The Flag Raising Ceremony was very impressive. Well Done! I believe that the younger kids need things like this very much. History and the knowledge about what those that have gone before us are lessons that we all must learn. The freedom that we enjoy was not free, someone has paid for it and some have paid dearly. Don't miss the chance this week to pay tribute to those men and women. God Bless You!

American Legion to conduct Veterans Day program

A Flag Raising and Memorial Service has been planned at Shep Cemetery at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, November 11, 1995. A special tribute will be made to the Gold Star mother. This program is co-sponsored by the American Legion Post 261 and Unit 261. Everyone is welcome.

Winter energy saving tips from West Tx Utilities

October is National Energy Awareness Month and West Texas Utilities Company (WTU) offers the following tips to save on energy costs as temperatures fall this season. • Seal Air Leaks: About 15 percent of the energy used to heat your home is wasted on warming cold air leaking through cracks. Caulk around windows, wall cracks and install weather stripping around doors. • Add Insulation: An extra layer of R-30 attic insulation (a thickness of 10 to 11 inches) can cut your energy bills by 8 percent or more. • Install Attic Vents: Moisture build-up during cold weather lessens the effectiveness of attic insulation. Your attic should be able to "breathe" during hot and dry weather. Proper ventilation will help attic insulation year-round. • Install Storm Doors and Windows: No part of a home lets more heat escape per square foot than windows and doors. Storm windows and doors add value to your home while lowering heating bills and raising comfort. These improvements help save energy and money, but the biggest savings come from high-efficiency heating and cooling equipment - such as an electric heat pump. Heat pumps don't "create" heat like conventional systems. Instead, they pump heat from one place to another. By using energy that's already in the environment, heat pumps help conserve natural resources and can help cut energy bills by up to 40 percent less than conventional systems. Programmable thermostats can also help reduce energy needs by heating your home and water when you need it most.

Entries for Governor's Awards for Environmental Excellence must be postmarked by November 15

Clean Texas 2000, a statewide environmental excellence project, will be awarded by the Governor during the spring of 1996. The Governor's Awards Banquet for Environmental Excellence will be held May 2, 1996, in Austin. Awards will be presented in the following categories: ★ Large Business/Technical (more than 100 employees) ★ Innovative Technology ★ Large Business/Non-Technical (community outreach projects by businesses with more than 100 employees) ★ Small Business (100 or fewer employees) ★ Government ★ Civic/Non-Profit Organization ★ Education (academic institutions only) ★ Youth Organization (science clubs, Boy Scouts, 4-H, etc.) ★ Media ★ Agriculture ★ Individual In addition, special awards may be given in areas such as workplace recycling, border initiatives, "closing the loop," and comprehensive environmental programs. The Texas Natural Resource Commission will make the final decision on the appropriate category for your project. Applications will be scored in one category. Project types are Recycling, Composting, Technical, Community Outreach, Waste Minimization, Water Quality, Air Quality, Conservation/Beautification, Nonpoint Source Pollution Prevention, and General Environmental. Recommendations for winners will be made by the Governor's Awards Blue Ribbon Selection Committee. Final selection will be made by the Texas Resource Conservation Commissioners and the Governor. Selection of the winning projects will be based on the following criteria: ★ Innovative: Does the project contribute new information on how to improve the environment? Is it a new concept or process? Has it ever been executed successfully before? First time in Texas? Is it a creative solution to a problem? ★ Beneficial: Does it make a significant contribution to improving the environment? Reduce health risk? Reduce a large volume or significant percent of hazardous/toxic or solid waste? Does it work? Are people participating? Does it tackle a difficult task? Is it effective? ★ Measurable: Describe your project's results. Can its contribution to environmental quality be measured? Is the measure specific? ★ Educational: Does the project promote public awareness or education? Does it include employee training or technology transfer? Does it include "how to" guidelines/brochures/videos? Does it encourage other environmental efforts? Are employees involved in development and implementation? Does it serve as a model for other efforts? ★ Cooperative Effort: Does this project involve a cooperative effort between multiple entities or organizations (city/state government, industries, civic groups, schools, citizens, associations)? ★ Technical: What type of waste is being reduced? Is the waste reduction a significant fraction of the current waste? How is the reduction accomplished (source reduction, on-site or off-site recycling, treatment or volume reduction)? ★ Exceptional: Is the project self-sustaining or ongoing? Does it go significantly beyond legal requirements? Does it address other social needs, such as environmental equity? Does it solve a serious environmental problem or result in a significant positive impact on the environment? Does your project take place in a critical region, such as the border area? Applications must be postmarked by November 15, 1995, for consideration for the 1996 Governor's Awards, and are available at City Hall, 310 S. Main Street, Winters, TX 79567. For more information, call Clean Texas 2000 at 512/239-3164 or dial 1-800-64-Texas.

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 The City of Winters hereby notifies the owner and anyone else concerned that the property known as 416 E. Dale (legal description being lots 11 and 12 block 1 Tinkle addition) has been deemed in violation of City of Winters City Health and Sanitation Ordinance Article 6.302 (c) Accumulation of weeds and rubbish. If mowing or other such reasonable attempt to remedy these conditions has not been made by 11/27/95, the City will remedy the conditions and will bill the owner. If the bill is not paid, a lien will be placed upon said property to cover all expenses.

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Call report of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department

Members of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department responded to 6 emergency calls during the months of September and October, 1995, as reported by Rodrick Bredemeyer, recording secretary for WVFD:

Sept. 10 5:45 p.m. Trailer house fire on Merfield Ranch 10 miles northeast of Winters. Dispatched 2 trucks.
 Sept. 16 9:30 p.m. Unknown fire behind North Runnels Water Supply Corp. Was a controlled burn of a brush pile. Dispatched 3 trucks and SWAT wagon.
 Sept. 29 4:30 p.m. Assisted Tuscola Fire Dept. on grass fire north of Bradshaw on County Road 402. Dispatched 1 truck.
 Oct. 14 6:30 p.m. Grass fire north of Moro Cemetery. Was a controlled burn. Dispatched 2 trucks.
 Oct. 14 5:20 p.m. Grass fire in 800 block of Parsonage. Dispatched 2 trucks.
 Oct. 16 1:30 p.m. Tank battery separator fire on Gilbert Minzenmayer lease 8 miles west of Winters. Fire was set by use of cutting torch. Dispatched 1 truck.

Birthday boy #2 is Jerry Esquivel.

Public Record
COUNTY COURT
 Guadalupe Luna Jr., 10-27-95, Theft. Defendant entered a plea of guilty. To pay costs of \$157. Assessed 6 months in County Jail.
DISTRICT COURT
 Tommy Lee Dean vs. Sherri Jane Yarbrough, 10-19-95, Divorce.
 Christine Louise Hinman vs. James S. Hinman, 10-19-95, Divorce.
 Jo Ann Tubbs vs. Buford Baldwin, 10-20-95, Damages.
 Johnny L. Bland vs. Rebecca L. Ueckert Bland, 10-30-95, Divorce.
J.P. COURT
 West Texas Utilities vs. Carl M. Pollak, 10-24-95, Account.
 Jimmy S. Cruz, 10-21-95, Littering.
MARRIAGE LICENSES
 Steven Mark Lee and Ada Ruth Fiveash Amendt, 10-27-95.



RUNNELS COUNTY SENIOR 4-H GOLD STAR AWARD RECIPIENTS are (left to right) Amanda Harrell of Norton, Brent Jacob of Winters, Dusty Hohensee of Miles, Jamie McWright of Ballinger, and Doug Hohensee of Miles. Not pictured is Jana Jackson of Winters. The Gold Star is the highest award given at the county level. These and other outstanding 4-H'ers were awarded for various achievements at their annual banquet held Saturday, October 21, 1995, at the Winters Community Center.

Deadline to enter stock shows is November 17

Major stock shows are just around the corner and Runnels County 4-H'ers are reminded of the entry deadline of November 17.

County Extension Agents Mike Mauldin and Lance Rasch will conduct entry parties at the following locations and times:

- WINTERS, High School Ag. Shop, Nov. 14, 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.;
- BALLINGER, Community Center, Nov. 16, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.;
- MILES, High School Cafeteria, Nov. 20, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

If an exhibitor cannot attend their respective entry party, they should plan to come to the County Extension Office on the third floor of the Courthouse by noon on Friday, Nov. 17.

Entries will be taken for the following major shows: Fort

Worth, San Antonio, Houston, San Angelo, Odessa, and El Paso.

Also entries for the Ballinger Stock Show are due Nov. 17. Four-H'ers planning to enter the Ballinger Stock Show should attend the Nov. 16 party at the Community Center or come to the Extension Office prior to Nov. 17.

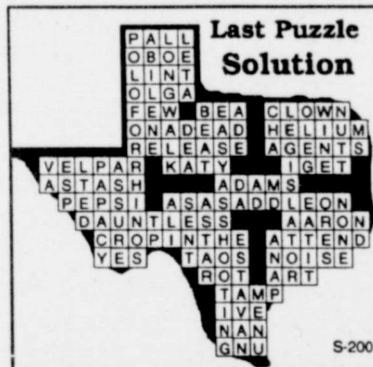
Four-H exhibitors showing at Winters or Miles should contact the vocational ag teachers for entry forms. Miles entries are due Dec. 15, and Winters entries are due Dec. 8. These deadlines will be strictly adhered to.

Age of calves changed for vaccinations

Jimmy Smith, DVM, has been notified by the Texas Animal Health Commission that the ages for calfhood vaccinations for brucellosis have been changed from 4-12 months to 4-10 months of age.

Heifer calves older than 10 months are no longer eligible for calfhood vaccinations.

If there are any questions, call Dr. Jimmy Smith at 754-5487, Pioneer Veterinary Clinic.



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Beth Eggemeyer to compete for Miss Texas Farm Bureau title

Elizabeth "Beth" Eggemeyer of Miles will compete for the title of Miss Texas Farm Bureau and a \$2,000 college scholarship at the state's largest general farm organization's competition in Corpus Christi at the 62nd annual convention Nov. 26-29.

Miss Eggemeyer qualified for the state competition by winning the county and the district contests earlier this year. Finals will be held Nov. 26 at the Bayfront Plaza Convention Center in Corpus Christi.

The Miss TFB winner will receive a \$2,000 scholarship. The runner-up will be awarded a \$1,500 scholarship. Other district winners have been assured a \$600 scholarship.

Beth is the daughter of James and Rose Eggemeyer of Miles and is a 1994 graduate of Miles High School. She currently attends Tarleton State University where she is studying Agricultural Sciences and is active in Track. Beth plans to become an Ag Journalist.

Swine validation is Saturday

The Runnels County Swine Validation will be held Saturday, November 11, at the Ballinger Community Center Showbarn. Ballinger pigs will begin validation at 7:30 a.m. Miles will validate at 10:00 a.m. and Winters at 1:00 p.m.

All pigs showing at the local stock shows in Winters, Miles, Ballinger, and any major stock shows must be validated or they will not be permitted to show.

Please bring social security numbers for all exhibitors showing pigs. Lots of help will be needed that day so be prepared to assist with your animals.



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County 4-H Food Show produces many winning recipes from members

The Runnels County 4-H Food Show was held Saturday in Rowena at St. Joseph's Hall. Eighty-two (82) 4-H Club members competed for top honors, according to Patricia Hohensee, County Extension Agent-HE.

Judges for the Food Show included: Louise Lathram, Deron Robinson, Kendra McCown, Audine McBeth, Amanda McCown, Marty Stultz, Carolyn McCown, Roxanne Bowman, Ann Strube, Kay Halfmann, Carol Asbill, and Nancy Halfmann.

Champions and Reserve Champions were announced in each age division and food category. Runnels County Farm Bureau provided silver picture frames for all Champions and Reserves. Winners were as follows:

- Junior Main Dish**
Mandy Pritchard, Champion
Evan Heinze, Reserve
Kevin Glass, Alt. Reserve
- Jr. Fruits & Vegetables**
Stefanie Davis, Champion
Jessica Pritchard, Reserve
Keri Hoelscher, Alt. Reserve
- Jr. Breads & Cereals**
Kelly Walker, Champion
Roxanne Halfmann, Reserve
Trisha Frerich, Alt. Reserve
- Jr. Snacks & Desserts**
Kari Walker, Champion
Jessica Pelzel, Reserve
Rachel Davis, Alt. Reserve
- Intermediate Main Dish**
Holly Englert, Champion
Lee Dickson, Reserve
- Int. Fruits & Vegetables**
Nicole Galvan, Champion

- Chadd Brown, Reserve
- Int. Breads & Cereals**
Tracie Book, Champion
Kayla Jansa, Reserve
- Int. Snacks & Desserts**
Jenny Harris, Champion
Kristen Martinez, Reserve
- Senior Main Dish**
Tamra Schwertner
Chanda Hoppe, Reserve
- Senior Fruits & Vegetables**
Julie McWright, Champion
Jessica King, Reserve
- Senior Breads & Cereals**
Alisha Frey, Champion
Amy Travis, Reserve
- Senior Snacks & Desserts**
Lori King, Champion
Jammie Harris, Reserve
Tamra Grohman,

Honorable Mention

Additional recognition was given to 4-H'ers who excelled in planning a balanced creative menu. They are Kirby Hatler, Jamie Wanoreck, Cody Faubion, Leslye Geistmann, Ryan Bland, and Chana Buchanan.

Special recognition was given to 4-H'ers with the Best Project Record Forms. They are Jennifer Englert, Bryan Book, Maegan Schwarz, Amy Schwertner, Michelle Paschal, and Britni Adams.

Outstanding Food Display awards were given to 4-H'ers to recognize creative and attractive display of their Food Show entry.

Awards went to Jessica Halfmann, Kayla Pruser, Travis Grohman,

Jocelyn Nagel, Jana Vinson, Kathryn Hatler, Brian Pritchard, Christina Perrie, Raline Watson, Megan Cole, Melissa Dickson, Aaron Pritchard, Megan Pollan, and Rebecca Scates.

A new competition was added for educational food exhibits. Winning first place was the Miles 5th grade food group led by Sheré Heinze.

Other contestants receiving blue ribbons were: Juniors - Tamra Brown, Sara Galvan, Amy McDuffee, Stacy King, Jami Owens, Marci Paschal, Cody Pritchard, Amber Glass, Meagan Minzenmayer, Courtney Faubion, Kelly Travis, Erica Birkenfield, Dana Clough, Shelby Milner, Georgetta Horton, Kari Collins, and Andrew Birkenfield; Intermediates and Seniors - Laura Pospical, Michelle Paschal, Michelle Walden, Fallen Perrie, Tiffany Prater, Kaci Collins, Robby Heathcott, and Desiree Mathis.

Other donors for the Food Show included Adams Extract Company, Runnels County Family and Community Education Council, One-Stop Grocery, Shoppin' Basket, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Dankworth Packing, Lawrence Brothers IGA Grocery, Dairy Kremer, Sonic, M&MPacking, Ideal Food Store, Today's, and Pizza Hut.

The champions in each age group will advance to district which will be held in Wall on November 18.

Stock show clinic for 4-H and FFA exhibitors, Nov. 15

The Winters 4-H Club will sponsor a stock show clinic on Wednesday, November 15, from 6:30-7:30 p.m. at the Catholic Church Fellowship Hall.

The program entitled "Cheating to Win: Is It Really A Victory?" will be presented by Ray McCoy, principal at Miles High School. Mr. McCoy will address the unethical practices going on in the showing today and discuss whether cheating to win brings true gratification. This program is designed for both students and their parents.

All 4-H and FFA exhibitors are encouraged to attend.

Refreshments will follow the presentation.

More details can be found at the Livestock Association's Barbecue at the Community Center before Friday night's football game with Wall.

Benefit roping for Kerwin Denton

A benefit roping for Kerwin Denton will be Saturday, November 11, at the Winters Rodeo Arena. Kerwin was accidentally shot while hunting on September 17 and sustained serious injuries to the face and chest.

A barbecue lunch will be served at 11 a.m.

Books open at 12 noon. Roping begins at 1 p.m.

A benefit auction will be held at 3 p.m.

For donations or information contact Tim Arrot, 743-8611; Lee Evans, 468-2277; Lonnie Briley, 944-4873; Paul Williams, 473-3800; Kent Lee, 469-3936; or Wendell Lee, 754-5545.

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4-H past and future notes

The Winters 4-H Club met Monday, October 23, at the Senior Citizens Activity Center to discuss past and upcoming events and hear a program on gun safety.

Amy Heathcott called the meeting to order. Ryan Bland and Mandy Pritchard led the 4-H motto; Megan Schwartz led the pledge of allegiance; and Brent Jacob gave the inspiration. Chanda Hoppe read the minutes of the last meeting. Michelle Paschal gave the treasurer's report.

Amy reported on the District 7 meeting which was October 21 and encourage all members to attend next year. Deb Pritchard gave an IFFY program.

Mandy Pritchard reported on the Awards Banquet which was hosted by the Winters 4-H Club. Two hundred and thirty guests participated in the theme "See How Runnels County Shines," and indeed it did.

Two of the six top awards were given to Winters 4-H kids Brent Jacob and Jana Jackson. They each received the Gold Star which is the highest award attainable at the county level. Craig Jacob receive the Silver Star. Chanda Hoppe

was named the Outstanding Secretary, while Jana Jackson was the Outstanding Reporter. Congratulations to all recipients.

Sheep and goat validation was October 28, and 4-H would like to thank all people who helped during the day.

Hog validation is November 11 from 1-3 p.m. at Winters.

November 4 was the date set for Runnels County Food Show to be held at the Rowena Parish Hall.

Prices will be the same again this year for the turkey raffle.

Stock show entries were due earlier this year.

Amy Heathcott introduced Kirk McCustion who gave the program on gun safety. He discussed the proper handling of a gun, and warned that anytime a gun is picked up, it should be treated as a loaded gun.

Kevin Briley informed the group of their theme for refreshments for the evening, "Deer Hunting Food."

Patricia Hohensee reminded that thank you notes should be written to donors for record book awards.

CFSA emergency loan assistance is available for Runnels County

In response to a request from Gov. George W. Bush, the U.S. Secretary of Agriculture has designated Runnels County eligible for emergency physical loss loans through the Consolidated Farm Service Agency (CSFA).

Gov. Bush's request came on the heels of tornado, hail, and heavy rainfall damage and losses caused by storms which occurred March 28 to June 10. In addition to Runnels, six other Texas Counties are eligible for physical loss loan assistance. They are: Coleman, Coke, Concho, Nolan, Taylor, and Tom Green.

The designation allows family-size operators in both primary

and contiguous counties who suffered severe physical losses only, to be considered eligible for emergency loans from CFSA through May 29, 1996.

CFSA has a variety of farm loan programs available, in addition to the emergency loan program, to assist eligible farmers to recover from periods of adversity. Additional information and assistance is available through local CFSA county offices.

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