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Class of '98 Honor Students



Heather Anne Watkins Valedictorian 98.856

Heather Anne Watkins, daughter of Fred and Brenda Watkins, is the Valedictorian for the 1998 graduating class of Winters High School. Her four-year average is 98.856.

She earned highest class average her jun-

Heather participated in FCA, track, crosscountry, basketball, and tennis. She was recognized as an Academic All-District Student in each of the sports in which she participated. She was a Blizzard band member her freshman year and varsity cheerleader her junior and senior years. She was a 1997-'98 nominee for Homecoming Queen.

She was a member of the National Honor Society for two years and was honored to have participated in UIL Readywriting and Informative Speaking where she qualified for regional competition.

Heather served as Class President and



Deborah Leigh Baize Salutatorian 97.756

Football Sweetheart as well as Most Likely to year. Succeed. She received All-District Honorable Mention in Basketball.

sity of Texas in Austin where she will major in business administration.

Deborah (Debbie) Leigh Baize is the 1998 Salutatorian for the Class of '98 with a fouryear average of 97.756. She is the daughter of

Paige and Sue Baize. During her freshman year, she participated in cross-country, basketball, track, and band. Debbie continued in basketball and track her sophomore and junior years and also was

a member of FCA during that time. She was honored to receive highest class average her freshman year and to serve on National Honor Society for the last two years. She was named Academic All-District her



Stacy McMinn Highest Ranking Boy 97.330

NHS President her senior year. She was voted junior year and Class Favorite her senior

Debbie plans to attend Angelo State University for the next two years and then trans-Her future plans are to attend the Univer- fer to Texas Tech where she will major in

> Highest Ranking Boy in the Class of '98 is Stacy McMinn. He is the son of John and Diann McMinn.

> During his high school career, Stacy played football his freshman year, ran cross-country his sophomore year, and was elected to the National Honor Society his junior and senior years. He served on the Small Schools Academic Team his senior year.

Stacy also had highest class average his sophomore year.

He plans to go to Texas Tech University

Bruchmiller resigns as County Clerk; Ocker appointed to fill vacancy

appointed to fill the vacancy created when County Clerk Linda Bruchmiller resigned at Tuesday's Commissioner's Court meeting. Following a closed session to discuss what to do about the vacancy, commissioners voted 3-1 to appoint Ocker to the post effective June 1. Commissioner Skipper Wheeless voted against the motion to appoint Ocker, made in open court following the executive session.

Judge Marilyn Egan, speaking for the court, said the appointment "should in no way be construed as a political endorsement. We had no other choice, since Emma Smith, the chief clerk is also retiring."

Ocker is a Democratic candidate for the clerk's post in the November general election. She is opposed by Vickie Rutledge, running on the Republican ticket.

Bruchmiller submitted her resgnation in a letter to the county judge and commissioners court, effective May 31. She has been County Clerk since 1982 and did not seek re-election in the March primary election, announcing she was planning to retire.

Commissioner Thurman Self asked, in a joking way, if the court had any choice in whether or not to accept the resignation, but was told by Judge Egan the law states the resignation must be accepted by the court.

Commissioners also voted to terminate the sales contract entered into by the County and Herman West and John Conn for the old Safeway building. Judge Egan read from a letter from attorney Ebb Grindstaff which stated the title company would not issue a title policy until three years after a Ballinger.

Deputy Clerk Elesa Ocker was tax sale on property purchased through such a sale. The Safeway building was purchased by West and Conn through a tax sale less than three years ago.

A request from Miles Volunteer Fire Department that the county pay all or part of the cost of a new \$2,300 pump for a tanker truck was tabled by commissioners. The old pump was worn out and had to be replaced, according to Commissioner Ricky Strube. Strube said, "I remember us paying for a pump for Winters and Ballinger in the past."

Commissioner Keith Collom pointed out the county had increased its contribution to each of the fire departments in the county by 50% this year. "We have to draw a line somewhere," he said. Judge Egan said, "I don't think the county can pick up the tab every time something breaks on a fire truck."

Following some discussion as to how long ago the county paid for pumps for Winters and Ballinger, the matter was tabled for further study.

Other business included:

· Discussion of whether to buy a used pickup truck for the use of the Courthouse Maintenance Department. The one currently being used is in bad shape and needs to be replaced, according to Commissioner Strube. The court voted to have Commissioner Strube check on the availability of used vehicles from the state and other sources and authorized him to buy one if he found a suitable pickup, at a cost of not more than \$6,000.

 Commissioners approved a request by County Judge Marilyn Egan to purchase a new computer for her secretary's office at a cost of \$780.00 from Micro Print-X in

CYNDI ASHLEY, LVN at North Runnels Hospital, and STEPHANIE BURLESON (right), director of North Runnels Home Health Agency, shared honors as NRH Employees of the Quarter.

Ashley and Burleson selected as NRH Employees of the Quarter

North Runnels Hospital recently honored two Employees of the Quarter. Cyndi Ashley, a licensed vocational nurse at the hospital, and Stephanie Burleson, director of North Runnels Home Health, shared the honors.

Cyndi, a longtime resident of Winters, was employed by North Runnels Hospital February 3, 1992. She has one daughter, Melissa, who is a school teacher. A son, Jim, is in the roofing busi-

Stephanie began working for North Runnels Home Health on December 10, 1997. She and husband Bruce, who reside in Abilene, have two sons, Kenneth and Lonnie, and two daughters, Brittany and Brook. Brook is married and has two sons, Larry and

Stephanie enjoys taking trips with her husband on their Honda Gold Wing.

Seniors to receive diplomas next week

Some 55 Winters High School Davis and Justin Deike. seniors will be reaching another milestone in their lives next Friday evening, May 29, as they receive their high school diplomas.

Graduation ceremonies are set for 8:30 p.m. at the Blizzard football stadium. In case of bad weather, ceremonies will be held in the school gymnasium.

After the ceremony, seniors and their guests are invited to attend the all night lock-in party, Project Graduation.

Project Graduation is designed to bring students together in a safe and entertaining environment. This year's celebration will feature many funfilled, entertaining

events. The 1998 seniors who will be featured next week in a special keepsake edition of The Winters Enterprise are Ida Arizmendi, Wendy Arredondo, Michael Bagwell, Debbie Baize, Eric Bernal, Jason Butler, Travis Calcote, Dennis Conner, Michael Conway, Nicole Cross, Jennifer

Also featured will be Rachel Esquivel, Greg Evans, Jaime Fernandez, Joe Folsom, Lance Guevara, Amy Heathcott, Tim Hilliard, Virginia Horton, Tiffany Hubach, Eric Joeris, Jeanna Kozelsky, Isaias Lara, Jr., Martin Leuvano, Michelle Luna, and Enrique Luz.

Also included will be Stephanie Martinez, Ericka Martinez, Stacy McMinn, Jessica Medina, Justin Minzenmayer, Georgie Lee Murchison, Joe (Bear) Nitsch, Karen Oats, Joelda Ovalles, Monica Parramore, Haidee Perez, Lisa Poindexter, Michael Pritchard, Lawanda Rainey, Herlinda Reyes and Rosita Rocha.

Additionally, Marshall Scates, Angela Shoemake, Steven Sneed, Judy Spill, Desiree' Thomas-Mathis, Emiliano Torres, Kathy Torres, Julie Uresti, Leo Uresti, Noemi Vega, Martin Villarreal, and Heather Watkins.

Congratulations, Seniors '98!

School Awards Day May 22

have a format different than in the ous scholarship winners.

WHS students at 9:00 a.m. this given for highest class averages, Merit "W" award winners, Aca-

The annual Awards Day will demic All-District, as well as vari-

Businesses and community or-Awards will be presented to ganizations which would like to present awards during this cer-Friday, May 22, in the school au- emony need to contact Ketta ditorium. Recognition will be Garduno or Charles Kidwell at 754-5516 to reserve a place in the

Please see AWARDS, pg. 4

Goin' buggy? Join the third graders for an evening of entertainment

The third grade students will present "Goin' Buggy" Thursday at 7:00 p.m. at the WHS auditorium.

The insect population (a.k.a. third graders) will air its grievances and point with pride towards its accomplishments. The insects attempt to prove that they are worthwhile and travel to Washington to demand their rights.

Teachers directing the play are Penni Smith, Linda Mitchell, Mary Beth Ahrens, and Kathy Pringle. Accompanist is Fran Kidwell.

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

May 21-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal Noon, Elementary Track Meet 6:30 p.m., Game Night, American Legion 7 p.m., Winters Squares, Community Center 7 p.m., 3rd Grade Play "Goin' Buggy", Auditorium Literary & Service Club May 22-9 a.m., High School Awards, Auditorium

1 p.m., Jr. High Awards, Auditorium 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal May 23-7 p.m., Winters Squares, Community Center May 24-11 a.m.-2 p.m., Mandie England BBQ,

School Cafeteria 1 p.m., Mandie England Auction, WHS Gym May 25-Elementary Water War

MEMORIAL DAY May 26-Elementary Awards Day 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal Noon, Lions Club 7 p.m., WVFD

Fire Dept. Auxiliary May 27-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal 3:30-5 p.m., 4-H, City Park May 28-10 a.m., 39+, First United Methodist Church 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal

6:30 p.m., Game Night, American Legion LAST DAY OF SCHOOL



With oil prices hovering at 10year lows, there are renewed calls for an import fee, a floor price for oil, or a new subsidy for domestic

producers. Good ideas-or not? Those in favor cite the impending disaster for smaller domestic producers if oil prices stay low as an example where a minimum price scheme would work. If a producer could depend on prices staying above \$15 per barrel, he or she could maintain production from marginal wells longer, so the logic goes. The accompanying result would be that the country would benefit by reducing imports, theoretically.

Further, proponents say, some bottom-up stability is required to maintain the domestic industry's infrastructure and expertise. An import fee or minimum price would insure that stability.

And, if you buy the arguments for some floor on prices, there are some compelling reasons to do it

Inflation is low, so an import fee on oil would only impact the inflation rate a half-point or less. With the strong economy, this "necessary infrastructure tax" can be as easily absorbed as the taxes on your telephone bill or your local sales tax.

Opponents, on the other hand, see the pitfalls of an artificial imposition on the free market. Item 1 would be that a floor is an aberration in the free flow of goods and services that could have farreaching ramifications. Since petroleum is in so many consumer goods beyond just fuels, everything from milk to building materials to cleaning products would feel the impact of a surcharge.

Hey, and if the government were willing to pay to keep prices above a floor, would paying producers not to produce (to bolster prices) be far behind?

Since producers would be willing to accept a handout from the government, would they be willing to hand over some of the gravy if prices exceed some ceiling? Even if those producers are reluctant to agree to such terms, they may have no choice (remember the Federal Excise Tax on socalled "windfall profits?").

Further to the point, opponents of subsidies or taxes to maintain a floor on oil prices point out the

For every \$1 drop in oil price below some minimum, \$2.5 billion would be required to subsidize yearly oil production in the U.S. Imagine the costs if the floor were set at \$18 and the current field price of \$13 prevailed. A billion here ... a billion there ...

All of this discussion, pro and

con, may be of little consequence beyond coffee shop talk. Congress and the people have been unwilling to subsidize or support an industry they view as undeservedly enriched. I personally don't expect that attitude to change anytime soon.

> HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

COMPLETIONS

Nolan County

Clear Fork has completed the Palo Pinto Unit #7059R in the EVB Field (3 miles NW of Nolan) at an initial rate of 150 BOPD in the Palo Pinto (perfs 5679-90). Loc. is 2221 FSL & 1792 FWL of Sec. 59, Blk. X, T&PRR Sur., A-430.

Sinclair Oil has completed two wells. The B. Jean #2H, which is in the Burkes Reef Field (4 miles W of Maryneal), potentialed at 73 BOPD & 42 BWPD in the Ellenburger (perfs 6843-54). Loc. is 1550 FSL & 1000 FEL of Sec. 169, Blk. 1-A, H&TCSur., A-154. The Raymond #1, which is a Wildcat (15 miles NW of Sweetwater), potentialed at 175 BOPD & 3 BWPD after a plug back in the Hope Sand (perfs 4882-99). Loc. is 1000 FEL & 1100 FNL of Sec. 185, Blk. 1A, H&TC Sur., A-176.

STAKINGS

Coleman County

Caddo Operating has staked the Renfro #1A in the Gray Field, 4 miles NE of Novice (Depth 4900). Loc. is 1950 FEL & 580 FNL of Sec. 46, Blk. 2, GH&H Sur.

Delray Oil has applied to plug back the W.L. Brown et al #2 in the County Regular Field, 1 mile S of Talpa (Depth 3625). Loc. is 750 FSL & 1450 FEL of Sec. 114, ETRR Sur., A-1185.

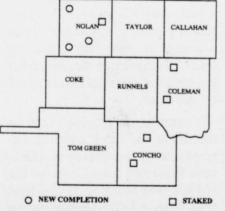
Concho County

Dove Exploration has staked the Armor #1 in the Southeast Speck Field, 6 miles W of Eden (Depth 2300). Loc. is 3400 FWL & 2170 FSL of M.L. McBride

Sur., A-1747 The Pickens Company has staked the Fritz #2-339 in the West Millersview Field, 4 miles W of Millersview (Depth 3600). Loc. is 467 FNL & 467 FWL of Sec. 339, Blk. 72, T&NO Sur., A-545.

Nolan County

Walter Exploration has applied to plug back the E. Pace #3 in the Sprague Field, 12 miles SE of Sweetwater (Depth 4250). Loc. is 1120 FWL & 1650 FSL of Sec. 3, Blk. X, T&PRR Sur.



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Obituaries

Cassie Knight

WINTERS-Cassie Knight, 84, died Tuesday morning, May 12, 1998, at North Runnels Hospital in Winters.

She was born January 9, 1914, in Bartlesville, Oklahoma. She married C.R. Knight on August 17, 1931, in Claremore, Oklahoma. They came to Hamlin in 1934 and to Winters in 1961.

Mrs. Knight was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1995.

Survivors include two sons, Cloyd Knight Jr. of Arlington and Charles Knight of LaPorte; four daughters, Ruby Morrison of Winters, Sandy Banner of Dryden, Becky Long of Goldthwaite, and Betty Pierce of Shamrock; one sister, Dorothy Axsom of Bartlesville, Oklahoma; nineteen grandchildren; seventeen great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Services were held at 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, at First Baptist Church with Reverend Glenn Shoemake officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery in Winters, directed by Winters Funeral Home. Grandsons were pallbearers.

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church or the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

In Appreciation

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone who helped to fight the fire on our place and the person who called in the alarm.

We especially want to thank Thurman Self and Brett Mikeska along with the Wingate Fire Department for fighting the fire until the other trucks arrived.

We appreciate everything that everyone did.

Paige, Sue, and Debbie Baize

Card of Thanks

Thank you to everyone who sent flowers and food, visited, and called during our time of loss.

Thank you for visiting us at the funeral home and helping at the house. We also appreciate your cards and prayergrams.

A special thanks to the ladies of Hopewell Church for the food, to Brother Akins for the funeral service, and to Mike Meyer and Linda Dry of Winters Funeral Home for their care.

The family of Bradley Pape

Card of Thanks

The family of Cassie Knight would like to thank our many friends for their love, thoughtfulness, phone calls, visits, food, flowers, memorials, and, most of all, their prayers.

Our thanks to Dr. Biddix and his staff, North Runnels Hospital, and the compassionate staff of nurses. Many thanks to Brother Shoemake for his loving words of encouragement and the First Baptist Church for their hospitality to our family. Thanks also to Mike Meyer and Linda Dry for their comforting support and help through our loss.

You all will always be remembered and have a special place in our hearts.

Children of Cassie Knight

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Card of Thanks

At times like this, words cannot describe how we love and appreciate all of our friends and neighbors. For as we all know, John Wayne never knew a stranger — each person that he encountered was just a friend that he hadn't met yet.

He will be deeply missed by all and yet he will always live on through his family, friends, and neighbors. Our lives have been richly blessed for knowing him.

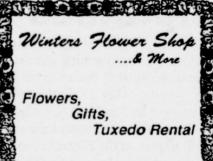
Thank you for all of your prayers and concern shown to us at this time. To those who sent food or flowers, offered a kind word, and visited, thank you from the bottom of our hearts and may God bless you all.

The family of John Wayne Gardener

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Aline Hathaway

BALLINGER—Aline Hathaway, 96, passed away at 2:05 a.m. Saturday, May 9, 1998, in the Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

She was born July 25, 1901, in San Angelo to William Clay and Ida Judson (Morris) Barber. She lived and worked in Paint Rock during the late teens and later moved to Ballinger where she met and married Drury Patterson Hathaway on November 27, 1930.

Mrs. Hathaway worked with her husband, who was a practicing attorney and owned and operated the Runnels County Abstract Company for many years. She was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church in Ballinger and had taught the second grade department of the Sunday School for decades. She was also a member of the Ballinger Order of Eastern Star.

She was preceded in death by her husband on December 6, 1983. Survivors include special friends, Marie Stuart, Aline White, Ramona Akins, Imogene and Lavon Hutton, Rosa Hernandez, Sue Manning, Elreta Day, Doris Potter, Marlene Harrell, Amanda Harrell, and Marguret Bryan.

Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Monday, May 11, at the First Baptist Church in Ballinger with Reverend Ferris Akins officiating. assisted by Dr. Marty Akins. Burial followed in the Garden of Memories Cemetery in Ballinger, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Clayton Brazelton, O.L. Parish Jr., Jerry Willingham, Bill Sykes, Dr. Oran Chandler, and Roland Koch.

Leopoldo H. Jaso

BALLINGER-Leopoldo H. Jaso, 50, died at 1:24 a.m. Friday, May 15, 1998, at his residence.

He was born November 15, 1947, in Mexico to Rufino Jaso and Juanita Hernandez Jaso. He married Gloria Martinez on October 3, 1984, in Ballinger.

Mr. Jaso was employed by M&M Packing Company in Ballinger for 16 years. He was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Ballinger.

Survivors include his wife, Gloria Jaso of Ballinger; three sons, Tony Cabrera of Winters, Fernando Cabrera and Gregory Cabrera, both of San Angelo; two daughters, Lionor Jaso and Jennifer Jaso of Ballinger; and three grandchildren.

Visitation was at 7:00 p.m. Friday, May 15, at Rains-Seale Funeral Chapel in Ballinger. Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, May 16, at St. Mary Catholic Church in Ballinger with Father Hubert Wade officiating. Burial was in the Latin-American Cemetery in Ballinger, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Patsy Jo Clark

BALLINGER-Patsy Jo Clark, 62, passed away at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 16, 1998, in the St. John's Campus Hospital in San Angelo. She was born February 1, 1936, in Blanton to Lynn C. and Maude James Canady. She married Marvin Clark on November 26, 1952, in

Ballinger. Mrs. Clark worked as an office clerk for Dry Manufacturing in Winters for over 25 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Ballinger and the Three Rivers Good Sams Club. She worked with the church youth and the Little League programs for many years. She loved her arts and crafts and had received many awards for her crochet work. She was also an avid archer and had been a member of the National and State Archery Association for over 10 years.

Survivors include her husband, Marvin Clark of Ballinger; one daughter, Mickie Hallmark and her husband Danny of Gatesville; two sons, Marvin L. (Buster) Clark and his wife Mary Joe of Ozona, and John David Clark and his wife Carol of Dallas-Wylie; nine grandchildren, Jason and Jessicca Hallmark of Gatesville, Amy, Russell, Frankie, and Donna Jo Clark of Ozona, and Katha, John, and Carl Clark of Dallas-Wylie; one sister, Mrs. O.J. Murray of Winters; one brother, Carl Canady of Freeport; and many nieces and nephews.

Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, May 19, at the First Baptist Church in Ballinger with Reverend Jerry Howe officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home of Ballinger.

Memorials may be made to the West Texas Rehab Center, the American Cancer Society, or a favorite charity.

Olivia Schwertner

ROWENA—Olivia Schwertner, 85, died at 12:55 p.m. Thursday, May 14, 1998, at Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

She was born October 31, 1912, in Rowena, Texas, to Ben and Frances Buxkemper Moeller. She married Ludwig F. Schwertner at Rowena on November 18, 1935. Mrs. Schwertner was a homemaker and a member of St. Joseph

Catholic Church, St. Ann Altar Society, Rowena Arts and Crafts Club, and Family Skat Club. She was preceded in death by her parents and a grandson, David

Survivors include her husband, Ludwig Schwertner of Rowena;

two sons, Lloyd Schwertner of San Angelo and Maynard Schwertner and his wife Nancy of Rowena; two daughters, Jane Holtmen of Ballinger and Rita Frey and her husband Will of Mason; four sisters, Cordula Beimer of Rowena, Leona Book of Miles, and Gladys Multer and Alice Wilde, both of Ballinger; one brother, Norbert Moeller of Rowena; fourteen grandchildren; and eleven great-grandchildren.

Rosary was at 7:00 p.m., Friday, May 15, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rowena. Funeral mass was at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, May 16, at St. Joseph Catholic Church with Father Stephen Kennelly and Father Benedict Zientek officiating. Burial was in St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Rowena, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home of Ballinger.

Morris Williams

TUSCOLA-Morris Williams, 86, died Monday, May 11, 1998, in the Senior Citizens Nursing Home in Winters. He was born August 3, 1911, in Gorman and came to Pumphrey as

a child. Mr. Williams was a farmer and a Methodist.

Survivors include two brothers, James D. Williams of Franklin and Edward F. Williams of Fort Worth; one sister, Janie Lee Nix of Bellingham, Washington; and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services were held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, May 14, at Pumphrey Cemetery in Pumphrey with Rick Cobb officiating. Burial was directed by Winters Funeral Home.

There is only one thing about which I am certain, and that is that there is very little about which one can be certain.

—Somerset Maugham.

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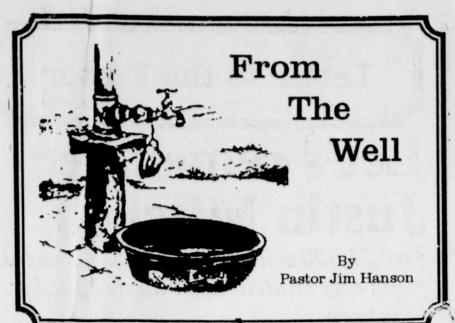
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Pastor Jim Hanson

Years ago there was a Broadway Musical. I don't remember the name of the musical, but I do remember a portion of one of the songs. It went something like this:

"When you're down and out Lift up your head and shout 'There's goin' to be a great day'

Angels in the sky Promise that bye and bye 'There's goin' to be a great day' Gabriel will warn you Some early morn You'll hear his horn **Root-Toot Tooting** It's not far away, o Lift up your voice and say 'There's gonna be a great day."

What a prescription for depression. For anxiety. For fear! It has to be a God prescription. Because, it really does work!

Praise works! Praise to God works! Ever so often I see this miracle work. In my own life, first of all. There are many days when, after just a few ours of living...I am dying. Too much to do! Too little time! I am overcome.

But, if I will just move into praise, the load lifts! Happened just yesterday. I was driving into Abilene early in the morning. And I was pooped already. I turned on the radio - pushed the seek button and heard nothing that helped. And then it came to me up from my well, something that I had read just the day before.

It was in a little book lying on my desk under pile of papers. The book was a "free-be," one of those you get fo nothing. For some reason, I kept it. Maybe it was the title, "Ministerig To The Lord," that made me keep it. Anyway, I was about to throw into the circular file when I opened it up. Just to grab a word or two nd see if it was worth keeping. Here's what I saw: "The Bible is clearhat the first obligation of a Christian is ministry to the Lord." And the means worship. And worship means "lifting up your head... and our voice" to God.

Like the Psalms - which are songs to be ang - "To You, O Lord, will I sing," "Make a joyful noise to the Lof...come into his presence with singing," "Bless the Lord, O my so, and all that is within me bless His holy name." So, I did it. All the ay into Abilene. Driving to town, singing songs to God, singing prises to God, and thoroughly

enjoying His company. One of the first things we learned to in Sunday School was to sing "praise songs." "Praise Him, praise Im, all ye little children, God is love" was one of them. "Jesus loves e," "God made you" are others. Up beat songs. As you lift your voic the Lord lifts the load off of your shoulders. It's one of the ways Heakes the burdens, and takes over.

Some time ago, I went to a "Prolise Keepers" meeting at the Texas Stadium. The place was packed ith men and boys. Great speakers. Great lessons. But, what was nost powerful to me was hearing that whole crowd sing "Amazing cace." (What was most amazing to me was that everybody sang...all ie men and boys.)

There is something about aising God that does what nothing else does. If you get into it, that i/If you give your voice to it...even if it's just humming. You don't he to be perfect about it. You were born with it. Jesus said so, "Out the mouths of infants and nursing babies Thou has prepared perfect raise for Thyself." So, "when you're down and out, lift up your headand shout Praise God!"

Retiring ofter 39-1/2 years



J.B. GRENWELGE, shear department supervisor at Dry Manufacturing Airmate Division, Selkirk Inc., was presented a clock/ plaque in appreciation of 39-1/2 years of service with the company. J.B. retired effective May 1, 1998.

What a strangillusion it is to suppose that beauty is goodness.

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Dr. and Mrs. **Tommy Russell** honored at state dental meeting

Dr. and Mrs. Tommy Russell recently attended the Texas Dental Association State meeting in San Antonio.

Dr. Russell was appointed a life member in the Texas State Dental Association.

Marthiel was installed as recording secretary on the state level of the Alliance of the Texas Dental Association. She is currently president of the Seventeenth District Dental Alliance.

Postal Service to open entrance examination

The Rural Carrier Associate examination will be open to the general public May 26, 1998, through June 5, 1998, for the Abilene Area eligibility register.

Offices included in the Abilene AER are Abilene, Anson, Aspermont, Baird, Blackwell, Clyde, Colorado City, Hamlin, Haskell, Hawley, Hermleigh, Knox City, Lawn, Loraine, Luders, McCaulley, Merkel, O'Brien, Roby, Roscoe, Rotan, Rule, Snyder, Stamford, Sweetwater, Tuscola, and Winters, Texas.

Individuals interested in applying to take the examination may complete one application/admission card, at any one of the post offices listed above.

No applications will be accepted before or after the above comed the parents and guests. She

ST. JOHN'S PRESCHOOL GRADUATES (sitting, from left) Neville Campos, Miranda Torres, John Smith, Caylene Rice, and Lisa Dees with undergraduates (standing, from left) Kelsea Esquivel, Cannon Bryan, Aldrin Feniza, and Caitlin and Camille Kurtz. St. John's Preschool graduates five, returns five

St. John's Christian Preschool had their closing program Friday, May 15, 1998, in the fellowship hall of the St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Winters.

The room was decorated with crafts the children had made, including their handprints, original paintings and cuttings, sand art bottles, and a tree with nesting birds. Each child presented their mother with a shell necklace made especially for them by their children.

Mary Kurtz, teacher, wel-

and teacher Melba Hoppe then Kelsea Laraine Esquivel, Aldrin helped the children present a program acompanied by Ruby Carter on the piano. The children led their guests in the Pledge to the United States Flag and the song "God Bless America" and each recited a different memory verse. They also presented other songs, rhymes, fingerplays, and musical activity expenses.

Graduates Neville Isiah Campos, Lisa Renea Dees, Caylene LaRee Rice, John Andrew Smith, and Miranda RaShea Torres then received diplomas and undergraduates Cannon Wayne Bryan,

Thomas L. Feniza, Caitlin Jade Kurtz, and Camille Janea Kurtz received certificates. All received a praying hand statuette. The program was closed with the group singing "Jesus Loves Me" and the children praying a prayer of thanks.

To the enjoyment of all, Elsie Belk and Nancy Spill then served refreshments of sandwiches and cookies provided by the parents.

Other teachers helping this year were Ruby Carter and Marty

Poe's Corner

By Charlsie Poe

Goodbye Wild Goose

Later we learned that (G.I.) Army Intelligence had found what they were looking for. Two sergeants had been paid plenty to sabotage the plane and the chutes. I guess the motive was to lower morale at a time when it was high because the war was nearly over. Americans killing Americans for money. Can you imagine that? They should have been shot. Maybe they were.

The next week, the whole world got the big news. The first tactical atomic bomb had been dropped on Hiroshima. When the Japanese did not surrender after fair warning, the second bomb was dropped on Nagasaki. That was it. The Japanese surrendered, unconditionally. It's a terrible thing that so many had to die. But better them than us if you think of the estimated million more dead and wounded we would have suffered if it had come down to invading Japan.

A week or so later, I received orders transferring me to Chanute Field, Illinois, for training as a weather officer. I had to see the Goose one more time. As I walked to the flight line, I thought of all that had happened since my arrival.

When I got to "The Wild Goose," I climbed in and headed up front. I was surprised when Major Trent said, "Come on in, Chief. Be my copilot today."

I sat down in the right seat. For

"Never, never, never, never give up!"



a minute or two, we looked at each other. I thought of all that I had learned from this man. Not only about the B-17 but also about character and growing as a man.

"You've done a good job for me, Chief. As you know, the base will probably be closing eventually because we won't be needing transition training. Now it's time for you to get on with your life; back to college after you're discharged."

When we got out of the plane, we stood and shook hands. We reminisced for a while. Then he said, "Good luck to you, boy."

That was the first time he hadn't called me Chief.

Major Trent turned, walked to his jeep, got in and waved as he drove away. That phase of my life was behind me.

That is the saga of a 19-yearold "boy" and that is what I was. Just a kid caught up in the biggest war that the world has ever known. I wouldn't take anything for those long ago times and experiences. But then, I wouldn't want to repeat them either.

The End

- Winston Churchill

Make a donation to the Hospice Memorial Tree this weekend insurance, but many are medically

Memorial Day weekend, Hospice of the Big Country will have a Memorial Tree in Wal-Mart Supercenter. For a small donation, a person may write the name of a loved one, either in memory or honor of, on an available leaf. This leaf will be placed on the

Hospice patients suffer from any number of diseases ranging from cancer to end-stage Alzheimer's. Hospice is committed to making their patient's remaining days pain-free with quality time spent with family and

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indigent with no ability to pay for medical services.

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Hospice accepts any appropriate patients without regards to the ability to pay. It is on behalf of these medically indigent patients that the tree is established.

Hospice of the Big Country feels that Memorial Day weekend is the appropriate time to remember someone you love and help your community at the same time. Donations help this Hospice continue to serve the terminally ill and their families.

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> What is the difference between hyperglycemia and hypoglycemia?

Hypoglycemia means low blood sugar, that is blood sugar levels that are usually below 70 mg/dL. In diabetes, hypoglycemia is often called an insulin reaction. This can be caused by too much insulin, oral medications, eating too little food, not eating on time, or exercising too much. Onset is sudden. Left untreated, hypoglycemia can lead to insulin

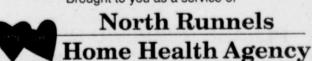
Hyperglycemia refers to high blood sugar, which is usually when blood sugars are above 200 mg/dL. This is caused by too little insulin or the body's inability to use the insulin properly. For example, if you have type I (insulin-dependent) diabetes, you may not have given yourself enough insulin. If you have type II (non-insulin-dependent) diabetes, your body man have enough insulin, but the insulin is not as effective as it should be. Other causes of hyperglycemia include eating too much, exercising too little, being ill, or having other physical or emotional stress. The onset



of hyperglycemia is gradual, but it can progress to ketoacidosis, or diabetic coma. Ketoacidosis develops when your body does not have enough insulin. The body starts using fat for energy. Ketones, which are toxic, build up in the blood. Ketoacidosis develops only in people with type I diabetes. It can happen after missing only a few doses of insulin. Ketoacidosis is life threatening and needs immediate

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Brown graduates **Cum Laude from University of Texas**

Brandi Lea Brown graduated Cum Laude Sunday, May 17, 1998, at the University of Texas at Dallas with a Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies.

Brandi is a 1991 graduate of Winters High School.

Her parents are Neil and Kay Brown of Snyder. Grandparents are Ora Green and the late Oliver Green and George and Cleo Brown, all of Winters.

Say congrats to a graduating senior

The Winters Enterprise is now accepting expressions of congratulations to 1998 Seniors!

The expressions will be printed in the 1998 Graduation Tabloid, along with pictures and write-ups of each of the seniors.

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edition to be treasured for years to come!



ERIC BERNAL (center) brought home a sixth place win in the 400 meter race at the State Track Meet Saturday in Austin. Eric's time of 49.93 was his personal best and set a new WHS record measured in meters. Jerry Awalt's record of 48.9 set in 1967 and measured in yards, still stands. Also competing for Winters was Jeanna Kozelsky who finished 8th in the long jump with a distance of 15'10".



SUNFLOWER SINGERS guaranteed to make you smile during the recent first grade musical program are Julie England, left, and Camille Kruse. Julie is the daughter of Mandie and Lanny England and Camille is the daughter of Terry and Cheryl Kruse.

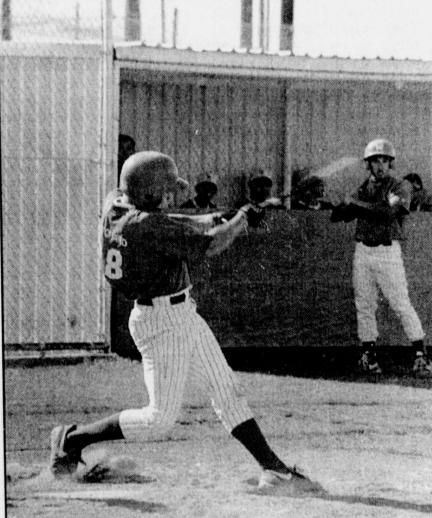
Reagan receives Excellence Award, graduates from **Texas Tech School** of Nursing

Tandy Reagan is a May 1998 graduate of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing with a degree of Bachelor of Science in Nursing.

During graduation ceremonies, she was presented the Quest for Excellence Award. This award is given by the Library of Health Sciences to a student for best exemplifying the skills necessary for learning effective information management.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van Spill and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Reagan. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spill, Lucille Reagan, and Dorothy Car-

Tandy has accepted a position Remember this a "keepsake" in the Critical Care Unit of Breckenridge Hospital in Austin,



MICHAEL PRITCHARD, WHS senior, hits the solid grounder during varsity Blizzard baseball action. The Blizzard closed out the 1998 season last week.

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Letter to the Editor

Let's remember Justin Mitchell

Two \$1,000 scholarships to be given this year; any contribution appreciated

Dear Friends,

In memory of Justin Mitchell on his birthday, May 21, we are asking you to remember him with a contribution to the Justin Ryan Mitchell Memorial Scholarship.

This year, the committee will award two \$1,000 scholarships to graduating seniors. We would like to see this worthwhile endeavor continue in the memory of our good friend.

It is our goal to provide assistance each year to deserving seniors who plan to further their education. Please remember that you can make a contribution in memory or honor of any relative or friend on

You may contribute directly to the account at First State Bank or mail your contribution to James Andrae, 802 CR 361, Winters, TX 79567. Any contribution you could make would be most welcomed and appreciated.

James Andrae & Brent Jacob

Auction, barbeque this Sunday to help Mandie

The Mandie England benefit lunch and auction will be this Sunday, May 24, at the Winters school cafeteria. Lunch will be served from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. with take-outs available.

Also available will be home delivery to shut-ins who are unable to pick up their neal or attend the function. Anyone needing this assistance is asked a call Janet Cason at 754-5205 or Sherri Mikeska at 743-2198. Shutins are asked to call ahead to schedule home deliv-

Cost of the mal is only \$6.00 per plate which includes brisket, sausage, potato said, beans, bread, dessert and tea.

Anyone interestd in providing a dessert is asked to call LaVera Tharp at 754-4243 Desserts may be delivered to the cafeteria any time Saturday morning or Sunday morning. Approximately 150 desserts are needed to seve the expected crowd.

Help is also neede for preparing food on Saturday morning. If you are willing to help please be at the cafeteria at 9:00 a.m. on the

An auction will begin romptly at 1:00 p.m. in the adjacent gymnasium. Items donated for he auction can be brought to the gym on Saturday or Sunday moring, or you may contact Deb Pritchard at 754-5243 or Marthiel Russi at 754-5339 concerning donated items.

Raffle tickets for a doublevedding ring, handmade quilt are available for \$1.00 each. Done inhades of blue with a touch of yellow, this special quilt was compled by members of the Sew and Sew Club of Wingate. The drawing ill be held on May 24, at the auction, and you need not be present to in.

On June 20, a drawing will beeld for a custom cut and wrapped side of beef. Ticket donations are 3.00 each and may be purchased at M&M Packing Company in Ballizer, Hobo Barbeque in Winters, and The Reproduction Center in San ngelo. Tickets will also be available on the day of the benefit, May 2 and you need not be present to

AWARDS, continued

program.

Awards will be presented to junior high students at 1:00 p.m. in the auditorium. Special recognition will be given to the Outstanding Girl and Boy of WJHS. The public is invited to attend

both ceremonies.

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—Thomas Fuller

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Mrs. Richard Jason Dodson

Reed, Dodson exchanged marriage vows in March

Texas, and Richard Jason Dodson of Waller, Texas, were wed March 21, 1998, at the Oakland Farm and Ranch Chapel near Tomball, Texas. The Reverend Evelyn Cox officiated.

Parents of the bride are Beverly and Elmer Reed of Hockley. The groom's parents are Don Dodson of Minden, Louisiana, and Jeri Ann Nelson of Dodge City, Kansas. Jason formerly resided with his legal guardian, Jay Cannon, of Waller.

Grandparents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Sprinkle of Winters. Great-grandmother is Nina B. Puckett of Winters.

Given in marriage by her parents and escorted by her father, the bride selected a Mori Lee Ringbearer was Ricky Blackford, gown of candlelight silk and nephew of the groom, of Aurora, battenburg lace, with a six-foot Colorado. train. The gown was covered in bridal pearl and iridescent paillettes. She carried a beautiful bouquet of 31 stemmed Sahara roses complemented with babies breath and airy tree fern.

The vocalist, Crissy Barnett, friend of the bride and groom, sang a special song, "Power of Love," by Celine Dion.

Serving as maid of honor was Miss Candace Malin of Spring, Texas. Bridesmaids were Miss Tammy Urban of Hockley, Miss Summer Emmott of College Station, and Miss JoAnna Madsen of Austin, cousins of the bride; Miss Sonya Foster of Longview, and Miss Courtney Sprinkle and Miss Jennifer Sprinkle, both of San Antonio. The bridesmaids wore burton Services of Kilgore.

Shanna Lea Reed of Hockley, long, pale pink gowns with a sheer overlay drape and carried stemmed roses.

Flower girls were Lindsey and Lauren Vaclavik, cousins of the bride, of Slidell, Louisiana. They wore tea-length candlelight lace dresses and carried flower cones filled with pink rose petals.

Serving as best man was Shane Reinshaw, brother of the groom, of Kilgore. Groomsmen were Shea Reed, brother of the bride, of Tomball; Kirby Cannon of Waller; Clint Cannon of Waller; Rusty Chadwick of San Angelo; Ray Dowler of Waller, and Justin Ferguson of Waller.

Ushers were cousins of the groom, Josh Adams of Waller and Robert Hudgins of Kilgore.

The house party consisted of Betty Frazier; Jeriann Baker; Lynna and Nancy Wischnewsky; Kristin Hudgins, cousin of the groom; Mavis Flukinger and Johnna Kay Wilson.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Oakland Farm and Ranch.

The couple shared a honeymoon trip to Cozumel, Mexico, and will reside in Gladewater,

Mr. and Mrs. Dodson are 1994 graduates of Waller High School. Shanna attended Tarleton State University and Blinn College. Jason attended Blinn College and is currently employed with Halli-

Retirement Reception Linda Bruchmiller Thursday, May 28 9:00-10:00 a.m. County Clerks Office, Runnels Co. Courthouse Everyone invited

Engagements

Monnig, Karr announce engagement

Dan and Wendy Monning of Anson announce the engagement of their daughter, Cindy, to Mike Karr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stoecker of Winters and the late John "Dub" Karr.

The bride-elect graduated from Abilene Cooper High School and from Cisco Junior College as a licensed vocational nurse. She currently resides in Abilene and is employed by Concepts of Care.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Wylie High School in Abilene and Texas State Technical College in Sweetwater with a degree in auto mechanics. He also resides in Abilene and is employed by Circle K Oilfield Supply.

A June 20 wedding is planned at 1:00 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran

The couple has plans to move to Winters after August.



JAMES MICHAEL TENNISON & NATOSCHIA RENEE ROBERSON

Roberson, Tennison to marry

A June 20th wedding is planned at Cottonwood Baptist Church in Cottonwood, Texas, for Natoschia Renee Roberson and James Michael

The bride-elect, daughter of Dennis and Dorthy Roberson of Hamilton, will be a 1998 graduate of Hamilton High School. Natoschia will be attending Coryell Cosmetology College in Gatesville.

The prospective bridegroom, son of Jackie and Marilyn Tennison of Cross Plains, is a 1995 graduate of Robert Lee High School, He is employed by the Hamilton County Sheriff Department in Hamilton,



THOMAS DAVID WELLS IV & HEATHER DIANE NOVAK

Novak, Wells wedding planned in July

Dr. and Mrs. Lou Novak of Paris, Texas, proudly announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Heather Diane Novak, to Thomas David Wells IV. Todd is the son of Tom and Russell Bedford Wells of Paris.

The bride-to-be is the granddaughter of Albertine Novak and the late John L. Novak of Charleroi, Pennsylvania, and the late Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lungren of Canton, Ohio.

The prospective bridegroom is the grandson of Mary Helen Wells and the late T.D. Wells of Paris and the late Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Bedford of Winters. The couple will celebrate their marriage Saturday, July 18, 1998.

at six-thirty in the evening at First Christian Church of Paris. Verl Daugherty, Godfather of the bride, will officiate at the service. Heather is a graduate of Paris High School and a 1996 graduate of

Texas Christian University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology. She is employed as a co-proprietress of Victoria's Secret in Friendswood, Texas.

Todd is a graduate of Paris High School and a 1996 graduate of Baylor University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Biology. He is employed as a surveyor with Laney Directional Drilling in Humble,

Following a wedding trip to Hawaii, the couple will make their home in Kemah, Texas.

Central Texas Opportunities Inc. to host Community **Action Volunteer Recognition Program on May 28**

Inc. will host a Community Action Volunteer Recognition Program at 1200 S. Frio, Coleman, on May 28, 1998, at 2:00 p.m. to which the public is invited. Emmett Payne, the executive director, who has been with CTO for 8 years, stated it is indeed time to highlight the local achievements of Community Action, "For over thirty years, we have truly helped people break the cycle of poverty and move to selfsufficiency."

According to Payne, in the last year, Central Texas Opportunities Inc. served over 350 low income and disadvantaged families in seven counties through its services involving 10 different programs. The agency helped people provide secure and retain meaningful employment, needy families get access to food, and many

Central Texas Opportunties individuals were assisted through cies around the country. CTO's health care services.

Through extensive counseling and intervention, a case manager provides support and encouragement needed for a client to achieve the ultimate goal of selfsufficiency. The person is assisted in identifying strengths, defining goals, setting priorities, and following through with planned activities. Toward that goal, CTO offers education and training programs such as GED literacy, budgeting, nutrition, home ownership, parenting classes, and job search assistance.

National Community Action Month is a national celebration established in 1997 by the national Association of Community Action Agencies (NACAA) to highlight local achievements as well as the achievements of the 1,000 Community Action Agen-

Brenda Clough gets closest to the pin to win money

The winning ladies golf team Tuesday, May 12, was Beth Whitlow, Brenda Clough, and Joan Hightower. Winning the "built-up pot" for closest to the pin on #5 hole was Brenda Clough.

Others playing were Janice Merrill, Diana Billups, Eva Gibson, Jan Sims, Ora Lee Dean, Myrna Steward, Sac Sprinkle, and Tina Smith.

The Ladies Association will be in charge of collecting and distributing the door prizes for the upcoming Industrial Golf Tournament on June 6 and will be helping throughout the day in various ways.

> Shop At Home

For more information on programs and services provided by Central Texas Opportunities Inc., contact Terri Soderwall at 915-754-4443, CTO Multi-Purpose Center, 601 W. Pierce, Winters.

The community is encouraged to attend the Volunteer Recognition Program and talk to Emmett Payne, staff, and the many volunteers who help make Community Action work!

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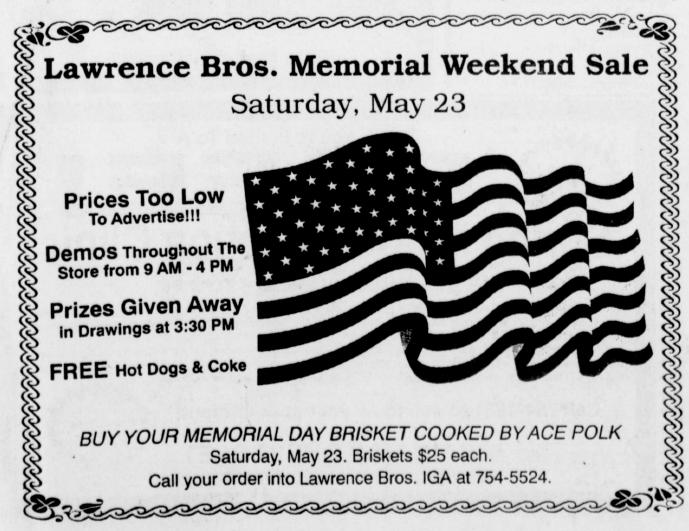
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TOP OF THE CLASS at the Senior Citizens Nursing Home were (from left) Frank Collins, Reba Norris, Maydell Box, Edna Sudduth, and Isaias Fernandez. All residents enjoyed "school days" and were presented "diplomas" in recognition of National Nursing Home Week.

Residents celebrated National Nursing Home Week

by Billie Ruth Bishop, Activity Director On Friday, May 15, we ended a weeklong series of "school the adoption of Dawn Bryan's days" in celebration of National Nursing Home Week.

Graduation exercises were held to complete our days of going to school. "Diplomas" were given to every resident in the nursing home, followed by a reception and open house.

We are also happy to announce Church will host the party. Pre-K class.

Thursday, May 21, we will celebrate birthdays of three of our residents for the month of May. They are Katie Boatright, 5-8; Lorene Clark, 5-10; and Walter Collins, 5-11. The Bethany Sunday School Class of First Baptist us.

We have been suddened by the death of two of our residents. Our sympathy is extended to the families of Mr. Morris Williams and Mrs. Cassie Knight.

Mrs. Agnes Burson has returned from the hospital. We are happy to have Agnes back with

Crews News

By Hilda Kurtz



Hilda

When you are right, no one remembers. When you are wrong, no one forgets.

Erhard and Margie Fisher of Kerrville and Joe Webb were visitors at Hopewell's Sunday morning services. Margie is Helen Alexander's sister.

There was no ladies Bible study on Monday night.

Melvena and Marvin Gerhart, Audine and Dennis McBeth, Nila and Therin Osborne were hosts services. for the Crews get-together supper and going away party for the Bill Mathis family. A potluck supper and freezer ice cream was enjoyed. The Mathises were presented with a gift. Saturday night was the last meeting until sometime in September.

We thank Dale Duggan, Chauncey Mansell, and Therin Osborne for replacing and putting lights on the gym ceiling.

Melvena Gerhart spent Thursday with her daughter, Sherri Mikeska, and grandsons.

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Maurine and Sara Scott came out to Mildred Morrison's on to do some business. Afterwards, they carried Sara to Hord's Creek

Selma and Viron Wilkerson visited Mildred on Tuesday and Thursday.

Curtis and Lou Morton of Glen Cove and daughters, Betty and Amanda, came on Saturday.

Visiting Selma and Viron Wilkerson for three days were Viron's brother, Curtis Wilkerson, and wife Jean of Orinda, California. Joyce and Dorintha Wilkerson of Winters came one night for

Joe Webb and Carolyn Webb spent Saturday in Abilene shopping. Bro. Ferris Akins and Ramona and Joe Webb were lunch guests with Carolyn after church

Elaine Miller and Josie Hoppe

attended Holy Communion. Fairy and Wilbert Allcorn were in San Angelo to attend the ASU graduation of grandson Isaac Denson. They also saw grandson Aaron Denson from Amarillo and visited daughter Linda.

Harvey Mae and Noble Faubion and Carolyn Kraatz spent Sunday with Eileen and Kenny Cartwright in Hawley. Jeremy is spending the summer with his dad, Mike Prater, in San Angelo.

Sam and Dee Faubion, Brenda and Fred Tyree, and Dee's sister, Bennie Stubblefield, spent a week Monday. They went to Coleman in East Texas visiting relatives.

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Brenda Tyree spent Saturday with Dee and Sam.

The Atoka Cemetery Association met Saturday with 62 attend-

Doris Wood's grandson, Robert Bryant of Abilene, spent one day out doing odd jobs and mowing grass.

Erhard and Margie Fisher spent the weekend with Helen Alexander. On Saturday, they were at Tarleton University in Stephenville to attend the graduation of Margie's granddaughter. On Sunday evening, they visited with Sally Mae and Marvin Gerhart.

The Dennis McBeth family has a new addition—a beautiful colt Roy named Cinnamon. The McBeths attended the Boy Scout Blue and Gold Banquet Sunday in the Winters school cafeteria.

Margie Jacob was host to a 42 party and supper Saturday night. Present were Roy and Anita Schafer, Herbert and Evelyn Jacob, Frances and Jerry Holle, Hattie Minzenmayer, Sybil Waller, Brenda Jacob, and Beverly VanZandt. Winners were Sybil, Jerry, and Roy.

Spending Sunday with Margie were Brenda Jacob; Justin Busenlehner; and Beverly, Corey, and Brad VanZandt. Sharon and Jerry Engler; Carol, Mike, and Jeanna Kozelsky of Winters came in the afternoon.

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CAUSE NO. 3857: The County of Runnels, The City of Winters and Winters Independent School District vs. Edna Gallihar, heir to the Estate of Willie R. Ludwig, Deceased, the Unknown heirs to the Estate of Willie R. Ludwig, Deceased, Becky Collins and Security State Bank, Leinholder (In Rem Only). East half of Lot 7 and all of Lot 8, Block 1, Forbus Addition to the City of Winters, Runnels County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 530, Page 400 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas;

CAUSE NO. 3352: Winters Independent School District, The City of Winters and The County of Runnels, Texas vs. Sandra Musick and First State Bank, N.A., successor in interest to Winters State Bank, Leinholder (In Rem Only). East 50' of 110' of Lot 1, Block 11, College Heights Addition to the City of Winters, Runnels County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 602, Page 234 of the Deed Records and Vol. 139, Page 272 of the Deed of Trust Records, Runnels County, Texas;

CAUSE NO. 3902: Winters Independent School District, The County of Runnels, Texas and The City of Winters, Texas vs. Pedro M. Sanchez and Amelia Sanchez. North one-half of Lot 3, Block 7, Murray's Addition to the City of Winters, Runnels County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 466, Page 3 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas;

CAUSE NO. 3920: Winters Independent School District and The County of Runnels, Texas vs. Mary Edging and First State Bank, N.A., fka Winters State Bank, Leinholder (In Rem Only). Lot 12 and the East 28 feet of Lot 13, Block 1, L.R. Hoppe Addition, Runnels County,

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Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 55, Page 51 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said DATED May 4, 1998, and issued defendants or their attorney, a suffipursuant to judgement decrees of the cient portion thereof to satisfy said District Court of Runnels County, judgment for delinquent property Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on taxes and accrued penalties and insaid date, and to me directed and de- terest and costs of suit and sale; sublivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have ject, however, to the right of redempon May 4, 1998, seized, levied upon, tion, the defendants or any person and will on the first Tuesday in June, having an interest therein, to redeem 1998, the same being the second day the said property, or their interest of said month at the Courthouse door therein, within the period of time and of said County, in the City of in the manner provided by law, and Ballinger, between the hours of 10:00 subject to any other and further rights o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. to which the defendants or anyone on said day, proceed to sell for cash interested therein may be entitled, to the highest bidder all of the right, under the provisions of law. Said sale title, and interest of the defendants to be made by me to satisfy the judgin such suit in and to the following ment for delinquent property taxes described real estate levied upon as and accrued penalties and interest the property of said defendants, the rendered in the above styled and same lying and being situated in the numbered cause, together with inter-County of Runnels and the State of est thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED May 4, 1998, at Ballinger, Texas.

Sheriff William Baird Runnels County, Texas by Dana Gore, Deputy

9-19(3tc)

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June 3, 1998 6028-15-001, Runnels County 6028-13-001, Sterling etc. Coun-6027-47-001, Sutton County

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas County of Runnels

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of an Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Scurry County, on the 27th day of October 1998, for the sum of \$16,638.74 and cost of suit, in favor of Hi-Pro Animal Health, division of Friona, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 19609 and styled Hi-Pro Animal Health Division of Friona vs. Sny-Tex Feeders, Inc. Henry Lawson, Ind. and Jim Garmatz, Ind., placed in my hands for service, I, William A. Baird as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did on the 11th day of May 1998, levy on certain Real Property, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

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and levied upon as the property of Henry Lawson and that on the first Tuesday in June 1998, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door of Runnels County, in the City of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described Real Property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Henry Lawson.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said sale, in The Winters Enterprise, a newspaper published in Runnels County.

WILLIAM BAIRD Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas by: Kenyon Black, Deputy 9-20(3tc)

NO. 6143 IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-TATE OF WILLIE ELMO MAYHEW, DECEASED

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RUNNELS COUNTY, TEXAS NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS

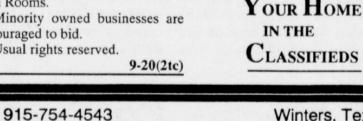
HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF WILLIE ELMO MAYHEW, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that Original Letters Testamentary upon the estate of WILLIE ELMO MAYHEW, deceased, were issued on the 14th day of May, 1998, to the undersigned, in the proceeding indicated above, which is still pending. and that I now hold such Letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered in the County above named, are hereby required to present the same to us at the address given below, before suits upon the same are barred by general statutes of limitations, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law.

Claims should be mailed to: PAULINE MAYHEW, Executrix; WILLIE ELMO MAYHEW Estate, c/o Harvey L. Morton; P.O. Box 10305; Lubbock, Texas 79408.

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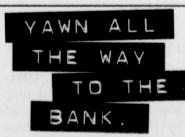
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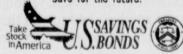
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The information below is taken from reports on file with the Winters Police Department. Some of the information is provided to police by citizens, and in some cases, police have not finished investigating the reports. These reports make up a small percentage of the total calls the Department receives and responds to each week. Winters Police Department reports received and/or investigated from Sunday, May 10, 1998, through Saturday, May 16, 1998. Winters Police Officers:

• received a report of a grass fire in the 300 block of Jewel Street. It was later learned that some juveniles started the fire. No charges are being filed, but the parents may be held liable for damages.

• arrested Michael Dwain Beaird, 38, of Ingram, for an outstanding warrant out of

 received a report of a criminal mischief in the 200 block of S. Farrar. • received a report of a runaway child in the 300 block of E. Pierce. Child was gone for five days and returned home.

· received a report of a criminal mischief in the 100 block of West Street. arrested Pablo Soto Longoria, 20, of Kansas, for driving while license suspended

after a traffic stop in the 100 block of S. Murray. • received a report of phone harrassment in the 500 block of Van Ness. · arrested Robert Lee Oliver, 33, of Ballinger, after a traffic stop for possession of marijuana, unlawfully carrying a weapon, and possession of a controlled substance.

• arrested Emma Katherine Ash, 40, of Winters, for an outstanding warrant out of Shackelford County for a Class A theft. · arrested Jason Devon Wheeler, 35, of Plainview, for outstanding DPS warrants

· arrested Mario Alber Esquivel, 32, of Winters, for assault after a call of a disturbance in the 300 block of Redtner.

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From The Mayor's Desk

By Dawson McGuffin

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City receives citizen's letter of appreciation

It is good to be appreciated by tage of Spring and their chipped the citizens. On May 12, our City Manager received a letter as follows:

"Dear Aref:

I wanted to drop a note to you, the city, and specifically to the street department. My husband, Alan, has obtained large amounts of mulch for me to use in my flower beds and around the house. I appreciate the city offering this to the community. I also appreciate the men down at the street department for their time and efmulch. Thank you.

Sincerely, J'Lynn R. Cooper"

When I went to Aref's office, he excitingly handed me the letter and mentioned with a smile, "See, once in a while the citizens appreciate us, too!"

to invite all citizens to take advan- ervoir Lake Park.

composted mulch which is available in a big pile at the Street Department compound. No letter of appreciation is required, but I will not discourage you either.

Let's be a community of recyclers. This mulch is from your own tree limbs that are chipped up on the last Friday of every month by the employees of the Street Department. If you leave limbs neatly stacked by the curb, as required, they will come to your house, chip them up, and fort in helping us obtain the haul them to the Street Department compound. These chips are piled up and waiting there for you to come by and pick up for your

We leave this opportunity open for our dear citizens until the end of May, 1998. Whatever is left, if any, we will use in the City's That reminded me to write this parks including Elm Creek Res-

Wildlife Expo youth poster, essay, poetry contest open

hunting and fishing licenses as winners of the 1998 Texas Wildlife Expo youth poster, essay, and poetry contest. "Grounds for Outdoor Adventure" is the theme for this year's event, highlighted by the 75th anniversary of Texas State Parks.

In addition to the license, winners will receive the Texas Wildlife Viewing Guide and a one-year subscription to Texas Parks and

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Texas students have the chance Wildlife magazine. The total of to compete for one of 15 lifetime each prize is valued at more than \$1,000.

> The poster contest is open to students in kindergarten through sixth grade and must be on standard-size poster cardboard (approximately 22 inches by 28 inches) and be in any medium. Students in grades 7-12 are eligible to enter the essay contest. Essays must be 500-1,000 words. The poetry contest is open for students in kindergarten through 12th grade. Poems must be 50-500 words.

One winner will be selected from each grade level for the poster and essay contests. Two poetry winners will be selected, one in the kindergarten through sixth grade category and another for seventh through 12th graders.

One entry (either poster, essay, or poetry) per individual may be submitted. Winners will be recognized at the 1998 Wildlife Expo Celebrity Banquet on Oct. 2.

Deadline for entering the contest is June 1.

For more information or entry

4-H to conduct last meeting of the year May 27

The Winters 4-H Club will meet Wednesday, May 27, from 3:30 till 5 p.m. at the Winters City

As the year comes to a close, the 4-H officers would like to invite all 4-H members to have hot dogs in the park. Members are asked to meet at the yellow building after school then walk as a group to the park. A short meeting will be held with installation of new officers.

Parents please pick up your children at 5 p.m. from the park.

Words of Wisdom: Remember that the coin you clutch has never brought happiness. The world and you will profit more from sincere thoughtfulness.

Amy Heathcott receives \$500 scholarship from San Angelo Stock **Show Foundation**

Amy Heathcott, WHS senior, has been named one of 23 area students to receive a \$500 schol-Show Foundation.

Amy, the daughter of Denny and Barbara Heathcott, plans to attend Angelo State University.

1987, provides a vehicle whereby students from Tom Green and other counties within a 150-mile radius of San Angelo could further their educational pursuits. Over the past eleven years, the fund has granted \$152,000 in scholarships to one hundred and thirty-seven local and area youth.

The trust allows the \$500 scholarships to be paid directly to the educational institution. The scholarships may be renewed for a maximum of four years provided requirements are met. A five-member committee meets annually to review the applications and award the scholarships.

The scholarships may be used to attend a Texas vocational/technical school or accredited Texas college or university. Applicants are members of 4-H, FFA, or FHA. Applicants do not have to pursue a career in agricultural or related fields. Scholarship applications are accepted without regard to socio-economic level, race, creed, sex, color, religion, or national origin.

Please help get the names of all area veterans

by Bill Ray, VFW service officer

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9193 is looking at getting the names of all veterans living in the Winters area listed on a plaque in the Veterans Room of the Rock Hotel.

There will be two plaques one with the names of deceased veterans and the other with living veterans.

If you know of veterans, please inform them that their names are wanted on this plaque. Also if you know of a deceased veteran, that name is also wanted.

For the living veterans, there will be a charge of \$25 to help defer the cost of the plaques. Please send your donation to RC Kurtz, Robert Holder, or bring by Bill's Woodwork and Locksmith at 107 N. Main.

Any help that you can be with this project is greatly appreciated. Remember what each veteran has sacrificed to make this country what it is today!

What does Part **B** of Medicare cover?

Part B of Medicare covers doctor's services including surgical services, diagnostic tests, and X-rays that are part of your treat-

It also covers medical supplies furnished in a doctor's office, services of the office nurse, and drugs that are administered to you that you cannot administer to your-

Reservoir News

New laws, ordinances, and user rates in effect at lake

while the street crew was grading the "roads" around the lake, or very soon afterward. Still nothing. But it is much easier for vehicles to get to some of those "se- year. cret fishing spots" that only 4wheel drive vehicles and boats could access before, thanks to the City of Winters Street Depart-

Needless to say, the water level is down, the advantage to that being a larger beach all around the

Since last summer, there have been new state laws go into effect, and new City ordinances have been passed. We urge everyone to be familiar with these before taking to the water. We've been working on a pamphlet with this and all other information about the lake. So far, it isn't ready to distribute, but we can answer your questions at 723-2081. We do have the current "Water Safety Act" brochure available to everyone.

Rates for the lake have been arship from the San Angelo Stock updated, but remain low compared to other recreational facilities in this region. User fee is still \$1.00 per day for all users 13 years of age and older. People The Foundation, established in over 60 are still exempt, as well as kids under 13, if accompanied by an adult.

Camping with water and electric hookups is \$11 per night; tent camping in an RV space is \$7 per night; and primitive camping is \$5 per night per tent.

user permit which is still available fees for up to 75 people. (For ac-

We were sure it would rain for immediate family only, for day use only, a family (only) permit can now be purchased that will include afterhour use, primitive camping, night fishing for \$30 per

For \$40 per year, a family can

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have the same benefits as the \$30 permit plus up to 5 adult guests at one time. The guests, however, must be accompanied by the permit holder. Holders of the upgraded permits can still have hookups, but the charge is the difference between primitive camping and RV camping (\$6.00) or tent camping in an RV space (\$2.00).

It will still be necessary to let the park attendant know if you are experiencing your camping benefit or guest benefit, and who your guests are. If camping, with the annual permit, where you camp still depends on space availability. In summer, camping reservations are recommended.

Confused? There's more! The pavilion can be rented for In addition to the \$20 annual \$75 per day (rate includes user

tivities lasting four hours or less, it's \$37.50). For a two-day event, such as a family reunion, the total \$150 includes camping spaces.

Holders of annual permits receive a price break on pavilion rental depending on which type of annual permit is held by the sponsor.

Parents please note that kids under 13 are exempt from paying only if accompanied by a parent or other responsible adult. The lake is a good place for kids to spend their time, and we try to keep it safe and wholesome enough for everyone. Please remember, if you are leaving your kids at the lake alone (unsupervised) please let us know, and make sure we have a reliable phone number or location where you can be reached. While we can't be responsible for their activities and whereabouts at all times, we need to know where to reach you in case of an accident, or if you are needed for any other reason.

When using the lake and park, please remember the old laws and ordinances, as well as the new ones, for the safety and benefit of yourself as well as everyone else.

We expect the campgrounds to be fairly full for the holiday weekend. Tables have been added during the year to make more room for picnicking in areas other than camping spaces, and with the roads around the east side of the lake more passable, there is much easier access to the lake for primitive camping.

May 14

Felony Criminal

possession of a controlled substance

decency to a child by contact

stop and render aid

ing while intoxicated

ner-promissory note

er-account

May 8

May 11

April 27

Marshall Rickie Rister, Jr., filed for

Douglas Ray Rotharmel, filed for in-

Gabriel Zapata, filed for failure to

Mario Duane Alvarez, filed for driv-

Lori Yvonne Luera, filed for posses-

sion of a controlled substance (cocaine)

Small Claims

May 12

May 14

Andrew F. Way vs. Michael Ray Ham-

Donald Paske Shell vs. Matt Maur-

No Calories.

dba DBO Oil, Inc-easement dispute

Hugh B. Edmonson vs. Andy Orgon

filed for issuance of a bad check

Martha J. Lemons dba The Windmill.

Have a safe holiday.

Official Records

County Court Criminal May 11

Conifacio Fernandez, Breckenridge, filed for driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense

May 12 Jason Ryan Cain Walker, Winters, filed for possession of marijuana May 13

Cornelio Reyna, Winters, filed for making alcohol available to a minor Danny Trevino, Winters, filed for making alcohol available to a minor Otis Liggins, Winters, filed for mak-

ing alcohol available to a minor Joey Mathew DelaRosa, San Angelo, filed for driving while intoxicated

Dispositions

Mario Alberto Rodriguez, driving while intoxicated, pleaded guilty, sentenced to six months in county jail, probated to one year, fined \$750 plus \$224.25

court costs, 50 hours community service Reynaldo Tovar Gomez, assault, pleaded guilty, sentenced to one year in county jail, probated to one year, fined \$500 plus \$184.25 court costs, 50 hours community service

Clara Odinot, theft of merchandise by check, pleaded guilty, fined \$100 plus \$184.25 court costs, \$15 hot check fee and restitution of \$54.65

Jerry Don Patton, making alcoholic beverage available to a minor, case dismissed, insufficient evidence

District Court

Divorces filed May 11

Sherry Lee Pollan and William Anson Pollan

Divorces Granted May 12

Jeffrey Robert Bottalico and Indya Civil Cases

AT&T Universal Card Services Corp. vs. Steven V. Arnold-account **May Grand Jury Indictments**

Marcus Andrew Hoelscher, Hereford, deadly conduct Gabriel Ray Aguilera, Ballinger, trans-

porting a controlled substance into a correctional facility Frank Juarez, Ballinger, two counts, aggravated sexual assault of a child; two

counts, indecency with a child by contact Johnny Molina Rodriquez, Jr., Ballinger, driving while intoxicated

Mario Duane Alvarez, San Angelo, driving while intoxicated Daniel Gomez Portillo, Ballinger, driving while intoxicated

Robert Gomez Vasquez, Wingate, driving while intoxicated Mark J. Anthony Cortez, Abilene, possession of marijuana

Bill Jowers, Brownfield, theft

Justice of the Peace Court Precinct #1

Criminal May 7

Larry Robison, filed for untagged trotline May 8

Robert G. Arthur, filed for no fishing May 10

Walter A. Six, filed for no fishing license

May 11 Glen Richardson, filed for theft by check, two counts Jeffrey L. Key, Jr., filed for theft by

Ofelia M. Chavez, filed for issuance of a bad check, two counts Onofre Ortiz, filed for issuance of a

Onofre Ortiz, filed for theft by check Priscilla Wink, filed for theft by check,

Mary Paske Hollis, filed for theft by check Alexander Rivas, filed for issuance of bad check

May 12

Gloria Soliz, filed for theft by check Michael D. Brasher, filed for theft by check

Teresa Arispe, filed for theft by check Robert H. Van Zandt, filed for theft by

Amanda D. Dumas, filed for theft by

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see them hills it ain't goin' to rain, if you

can't see 'em it's rainin'!"