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**LOVE—To learn and never be filled,  
 is wisdom; to teach and never be  
 weary is love.**

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## "Largest saltwater disposal clean up in state's history" near Winters

Project near Poe's Corner cost \$403,017

Texas Railroad Commission Chairman Michael L. Williams was in Runnels County last Wednesday, January 19, to unveil one of the commission's largest environmental clean-up projects.

The clean-up site is an abandoned commercial saltwater disposal facility, Runnels County SWD, Inc., originally owned by Bub Caffey of Norton, located approximately 5.5 miles from the city limits of Winters, just west of Poe's Corner on State Road 384.

The site consisted of four large pits and eleven tanks (vessels) situated on approximately six acres. The tanks and pits contained basic sediment (BS) and water, crude oil, and saline produced water (saltwater). The site also had several spill affected areas.

According to John Tintera, assistant director for site remediation and special response team for the Railroad Commission (RRC) of Texas, in a statement made in early October, the operator either failed or refused to clean up the site.

Under the supervision of the RRC, wastes from the area were

excavated and hauled to a Commission permitted facility located at Gale in Borden County.

The effort removed more than 2,360 barrels of saltwater, 22,285 barrels of BS and water, and 680 cubic yards of crude-oil contaminated soil. A barrel is equivalent to 42 gallons.

After the clean up, the soil was tested and about 500 cubic yards of clean dirt was brought on site. Railroad Commission officials said the site "never posed any threat to groundwater."

Estimated to take three to four weeks to clean up, "depending on the weather," the project was completed in approximately 60 days. The cost for the project was originally estimated to be about \$250,000. Total cost of the project was \$403,017.

Monies to support the project came from the Oil Field Clean-up Fund of more than \$10 million. Chairman Williams said "the owner had come upon hard times," and was unable to comply with the RRC's clean-up regulations.

Labeled the "largest saltwater disposal clean-up in the state's history,"

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MICHAEL WILLIAMS, CHAIRMAN OF THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS, (center) was in Runnels County on Wednesday, January 19, 2000, to unveil one of the Commission's largest to date environmental clean-up projects—an abandoned saltwater disposal facility located 5.5 miles west of Winters. Joining Chairman Williams were (l-r) Emmitt Hataway of Midwestern Services, Inc; J. Randall Ross, RRC District 7-C Manager; William J. Stevens, Executive Vice President of the West Central Texas Oil & Gas Association; Robbie Luxton, RRC District Office Clean-up Coordinator; and John Tintera RRC Assistant Director for Site Remediation & Special Response Team. (More pictures on page 7.)

## City says "no outside watering" allowed

The City of Winters recently asked for voluntary water cut-backs, and "appreciates everyone for their conservation efforts," says Jack Davis, Jr., Water Superintendent.

At this time there is a need to restrict usage even more.

According to Davis, effectively immediately, no outside watering with hoses and sprinklers or sprinkler systems or open

ended hoses is allowed. No car washing at home is allowed.

Violation of these restrictions is punishable by fines up to \$100 for a first-time offense and up to \$1,000 for subsequent offenses.

In a special meeting of the

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## Some ????? about Super Bowl Sunday from the St. John's reporter

by Pastor Jim Hanson

Did you know that for a mere \$2.2 million you can get 30 seconds of advertising on T.V. during Super Bowl?

Did you know that for a "free-will" donation you can eat a wonderful brisket and chicken dinner at the Winters school cafeteria on Super Bowl Sunday from 11:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.?

Did you know that your donation will be matched by Lutheran Brotherhood Branch #8824, and Aid Association for Lutherans #7878?

Did you know that all the proceeds will go to Christmas in April in Winters? (Last year over \$4,000 went to this worthy project.)

Did you know you can get "takeouts" that day? And that you can order briskets and chicken, cooked by Ace Polk, by calling Teresa Davis at 754-4571 or Nancy Spill at 754-4073 or 754-5682?

Did you know that we do appreciate your support? Now, you know.

See you there.

## Census testing in Winters February 8

Sandra Burroughs, recruiting assistant of Census 2000 - Abilene region, will be testing in Winters on Tuesday, February 8, at 6 p.m. in the Winters Housing Authority Meeting Room.

Please bring your drivers license and social security card, as both will be needed to complete the necessary paperwork.

A sample test is available at the Winters Public Library.

## Elementary Select Choir to perform for community tonight

The Winters Elementary Select Choir will host a community performance on Thursday, January 27, at 6:30 p.m. in the WHS auditorium.

The group will present the musical program they will be performing the following day in Carrollton, near Dallas. The per-

formance will include popular selections from the past century. According to choir director Fran Kidwell, it will be a very upbeat, energetic presentation. Admission is free and the public is invited to attend this entertaining concert.

## Residents shopping more at home— Winters rebates increase 34.60%

As reported by the office of State Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander, January sales tax rebates for the city of Winters increased 34.60 percent as compared to the prior year's January payment.

January month's sales tax rebates include local sales taxes collected by monthly filers in November, and reported to the Comptroller in December.

Winters' rebates totaled \$11,078.05 this reporting period. For the prior year's reporting period, rebates totaled \$8,230.07.

Receipts in Miles decreased 5.03 percent; Ballinger increased 22.76 percent and reported \$28,893.27 in payments.

City sales tax rebates to date for Runnels County for the 2000 reporting period total \$41,060.45, a 24.75 percent increase as compared to last year's period total of \$32,912.14

The current city sales tax rate for Winters and Ballinger is 1.5 percent. Miles is 1.00 percent.

The Comptroller's next sales tax allocation is scheduled for Friday, February 11.

## "Celebrating the Century"— Winters' Chamber of Commerce banquet set for Saturday night

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce will host their annual banquet Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Winters Community Center. Theme for the evening is "Celebrating the Century."

Entertainment for the evening will be provided by Heaven's Jubilee. The meal will be catered by JC's Catering (Janet Cason) and will consist of roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, green

beans, salad, cobbler, and tea. Tickets were advanced sales only. No tickets will be available at the door.

Winters Area Man and Woman of the Year Awards will be named, highlighting the banquet festivities.

Winters' Girl Scout Troop #s 163 and 180 will be the waitstaff for the evening.

## Fajita Supper tomorrow night during Winters vs. Bangs ballgames

The WHS Junior Class will sponsor a Fajita Supper tomorrow night during the Bangs basketball games. The meal will be served from 5 to 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

The dinner will include 2 homemade fajitas, your choice of chicken or beef with all the trim-

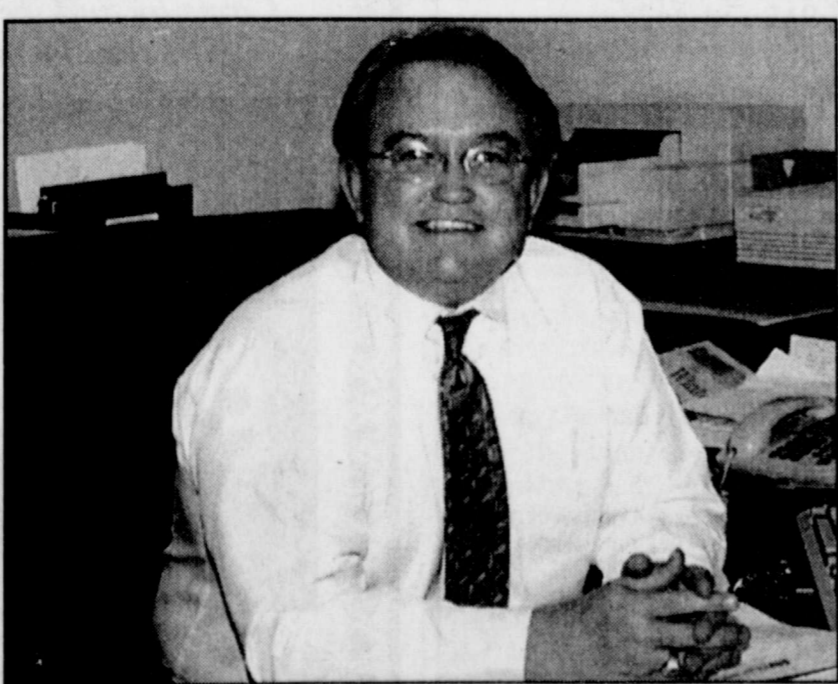
mings, refried beans, chips and salsa, pudding, and tea.

Tickets for adults are \$5 each and children, 10 and under, eat for \$3.50. Take-outs will be available.

All proceeds from the supper will benefit the Junior/Senior Prom.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING ?

- Jan. 27-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 5 p.m., Museum Board, Z.I. Hale Museum
- 6:30 p.m., Winters Elementary Select Choir, WHS Auditorium
- Jan. 28-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 7:30 p.m., Cowboys for Christ, Drasco
- 8 p.m., Athletic Boosters, WISD Cafeteria
- Jan. 29-WHS Powerlifting Team at Mason
- UIL Academic Meet at Brownwood
- 7 p.m., Winters Chamber of Commerce Banquet, Community Ctr.
- Jan. 30-11 a.m.-1 p.m., Lutherans Super Bowl CIA Meal, WISD Cafeteria
- Jan. 31-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 6 p.m., Weight Watchers, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 6 p.m., City Council, City Hall
- 7 p.m., VFW & Auxiliary, Post Home
- 7:30 p.m., School Board, WISD Administration Bldg.
- Feb. 1-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- Noon, Lions Club, Community Center
- 3 p.m., Friends of Hale Museum, Z.I. Hale Museum
- 7 p.m., American Legion, Legion Hall
- Feb. 2-7 a.m., WABIC, Chamber Office
- 11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 6 p.m., Chamber Directors, Chamber Office
- Feb. 3-11:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 3:30-6 p.m., Immunization Clinic, TDH
- 7 p.m., Winters Squares, Community Center



BILL SPILLER, Branch Manager for First American Bank at Winters for the past three years, will be honored with a going-away reception Friday afternoon at The Rock Hotel. Spiller will be moving to Eastland to manage banks at Cisco, Ranger and Eastland.

## Spiller moving to Eastland

A reception honoring Bill Spiller, Assistant Vice-President and Branch Manager for First American Bank, will be on Friday, January 28, 2000, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the Rock Hotel Heritage Center.

Spiller, who has been with the Winters branch of First American Bank for the past three years, will be moving to Eastland where he will be Vice-President and Area Manager of First American banks at Eastland, Cisco and Ranger.

He says, "I have had a wonderful time in Winters and I'll certainly treasure all my experiences living here."

During his stay in Winters, Spiller has been involved in many

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## Oil Bidness

By Reg Boles ©2000



We are ready to continue our discussion of deep-water exploration and development. And, this time, we are going to talk about a few interesting items that might be encountered on a typical deep-water well.

As the deep-water business began to take off, it didn't take long for operators and drillers to realize that setting casing was going to be a real challenge. Usually several strings are required to deal with all the situations in a typical drilling well.

There is a riser string, a string to deal with special problems at shallow sediment depth just below the ocean floor, multiple strings to offset pressures that can be increasing at higher-than-normal rates, and additional sets of casing to hold back the normally unconsolidated sediment near the reservoir of interest. The design of the proper sequence of such a complex set of strings requires intense effort and a high level of expertise.

There is also a unique phenomenon that is potentially catastrophic if not considered in pre-well planning: shallow-water flows. These flows are gaseous releases that occur regularly all over the ocean floor. They are very much like small volcanoes spewing methane and other gases into ocean water as a release of build-ups in pressure. The trick is not to avoid them (you can't—they are everywhere), but rather to plan for them by surveying the bottom-hole location prior to spud.

The key seems to be to allow for their release by not blocking any currently active flows. If flows are blocked or disturbed, then the pressure has nowhere to go but some new outlet, and the worst place for that is up the wellbore you are drilling. The result is an uncontrolled blowout.

Completion of a well is also tricky. The application of decisions more than a mile from the location of the bottom of the hole is always tough. In a deep-water well, the situation is made even more difficult by having to deal with the pressure of salt water and their currents affecting tools used downhole. Perforating tools, logging indicators, steering motors, downhole valves, and just about anything used to complete a well have to be designed with the special conditions in mind.

Fraught with troubles and challenges from start to finish, it would be easy to ignore the deep waters and their potential treasures. But, this business has never been one to shy from things made difficult, especially when there is a potential pot of gold at the end of the proverbial rainbow.

See you next time.

### HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY

#### COMPLETIONS

##### Coleman County

Korney-Tillman Company has completed the Hall #1 as a Wildcat, 4 miles N of Coleman (Depth 2172). Loc. is 1550 FEL & 2079 FNL of Sec. 8, Blk. 2, GH&H Sur., A-891.

#### STAKINGS

##### Nolan County

Chisholm Exploration has staked the Texaco Fee #4 in the Mulberry Canyon Field, 6 miles NE of Nolan (Depth 4200). Loc. is 1053 FWL & 1530 FSL of Sec. 69, Blk. 5, T&PRR Sur., A-237.

##### Runnels County

R&R Well Service has staked the D. Herring #2A in the Tulie Field, 4 miles N of Talpa (Depth 3700). Loc. is 340 FSL & 105 FWL of J.R. Merrill Sur. No. 70, A-1324.

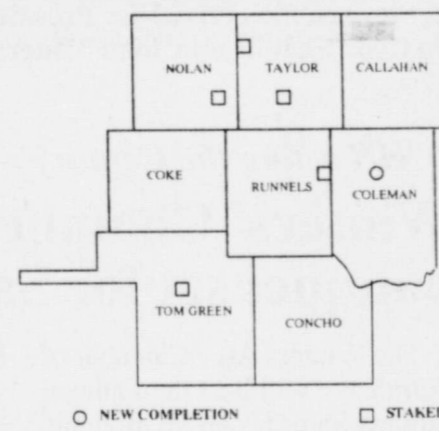
##### Taylor County

Diler Development, Inc. has applied to deepen the Spratlen #1-51 in the White Field, 3 miles SW of Merkel (Depth 5475). Loc. is 1980 FWL & 2228 FNL of Sec. 52, Blk. 19, T&PRR Sur.

L.C.S. Production Co. has staked two wells in the County Regular Field, 3 miles W of Tuscola (Depth 4999). The Stockton #3 is loc. 750 FWL & 2080 FSL of Sec. 36, Blk. 1, SPRR Sur. The Stockton #12 is loc. 1427 FWL & 2558 FSL of same Sec.

##### Tom Green County

B&R Operating has staked the Rathbone #609 in the McIntire Field, 5 miles SW of Knickerbocker (Depth 1200). Loc. is 2511 FSL & 1306 FEL of Sec. 9, Blk. 20, H&TC Sur.



### SPILLER, continued

activities, including Winters Lions Club, Winters Area Business and Industrial Corporation, Z. I. Hale Museum, Winters Area Chamber of Commerce, and Campus Objectives Council of the Winters Elementary School.

Through his efforts as President of the Board of Directors of the Winters Public Library, the local facility received \$40,000 in

grant monies to renovate the building and update materials, books and computers.

Spiller also serves on the State Board of Directors of Texas Fort Trails, part of the Texas Historical Commission.

His last day in the Winters office at First American will be Friday, January 28.

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## Obituaries

### Michael Wagner

WINTERS—Michael Wagner, 54, died Thursday, January 20, 2000, in a San Angelo hospital.

He was born March 5, 1945, in Houston. He married Deanne Hardy on December 30, 1989, in Winters.

Mr. Wagner was a retired machinist at Dry's Manufacturing. Survivors include his wife, Deanne Wagner of Winters; mother, Grace Wagner of Winters, one son, Robert Glenn Wagner of Winters; one daughter, Alisha Wagner of Winters; one aunt; and one uncle.

Graveside services were held on Friday, January 21, 2000, at the Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

### Linda Bedford Sullivan

HOUSTON—Linda Bedford Sullivan, 61, formerly of Winters, died Monday, January 17, 2000, at her residence.

She was born August 13, 1938, in Tyler and moved to Winters as a child. She was a graduate of Winters High School and Mary Hardin Baylor College.

She married James Richard Sullivan, Sr. on November 22, 1967 in Abilene. She moved to Houston in 1969. She was a bus driver for the Alief School System and a member of the Sylvania Baptist Church in Tyler.

Survivors include her husband, James Richard Sullivan, Sr. of Houston; her mother, Lillian Bedford of Abilene; three sons, Steven Glenn Henson of Odessa, James Gregory Henson of Liberty, Missouri, and David Wayne Henson of Houston; one stepson, James Richard Sullivan, Jr. (Rick) of Houston; a brother, Donald Bedford of New Braunfels; a sister, Jane Hardy of Taos, New Mexico; and six grandchildren.

Graveside memorial services were held at 2:30 p.m., Sunday, January 23, 2000, at Lakeview Cemetery in Winters. Reverend Barry Taylor officiated and burial was directed by Winters Funeral Home.

### Michael Escobar

SAN ANGELO—Michael Escobar, 38, formerly of Ballinger, died Saturday morning, January 22, 2000, at San Angelo.

He was born September 26, 1961, in Ballinger. Mr. Escobar was a printer for Western Posters of San Angelo. He was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Ballinger.

Survivors include a companion, Janie Huerta of San Angelo; two sons, Michael Wayne Escobar and Andrew Jacob Escobar of San Angelo; three daughters, Cecelia Lee Ann Escobar of Ballinger, Danielle Rene Huerta and Desiree Raquel Escobar, both of San Angelo; his mother, Helen Escobar of Ballinger; one brother, Martin Escobar of Ballinger; four sisters, Christina Martinez and husband Ysidro of Arlington, Lisa Hays and husband Ben of Ballinger, Vanessa Escobar and husband Arthur of Ballinger, Anna Guerrero and husband Roumaldo of Mercedes; five nieces and four nephews; numerous aunts, uncles, and friends including dear friend Cha-Che Quarles.

Rosary was at 7:00 p.m. Monday, January 24, at Rains-Seale Funeral Chapel in Ballinger. Services were at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 25, at St. Mary Catholic Church in Ballinger with Father Hugh Wade officiating. Burial was in the Latin-American Cemetery in Ballinger, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

### Joshua Thomas Allen

AUSTIN—Joshua Thomas Allen, infant son of Matt and Wendy Allen, formerly of Ballinger, died at 12:24 a.m. Saturday, January 22, 2000, at Austin.

Other survivors include siblings, Anthony Manley, Tavius Allen, and Nekish Green, all of Austin; maternal grandparents, Phil and Myra Sonnenburg of Miles; paternal grandparents, Dominga Gonzales of Ballinger and the late Matt Allen Sr.; and great-grandparents, John and Joan Doves of Morgan, and J.C. and Olga Sonnenburg of Mereta.

Graveside services were held at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 25, at Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger with Father Stephen Kenelly officiating. Burial was directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

## Senior Citizens Nursing Home News

By Billie Ruth Bishop

Thank you to the Wingate Baptist Church for the wonderful birthday party last week. The refreshments were nice. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Those receiving gifts and having birthdays this month were Geneva Emmert (100 years old), Geneva McNeill, and Joe Flores. Mr. Flores returned to his home the day of the party, but a niece who is employed here as a CNA

delivered his gift to him.

Cleo Brown was a resident for a few days, but was able to return to her home last Monday. We miss her, but we're glad she was able to go home.

Mrs. Jacqueline Cope, from Norton, has recently been admitted to the nursing home. She is in room 122. She would appreciate your letters and visits.

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### Raymond (Pappy) Wade

BALLINGER—Raymond (Pappy) Wade, 72, passed away on Saturday morning, January 22, 2000, in his home.

He was born February 11, 1927, in the Blanton community near Ballinger to Hilliard E. and Myrtle Pearl Davis Wade. He attended school in Blanton and served in the U.S. Army during World War II as a captain's aide. He married Janie Lacy on November 20, 1948, in Ballinger.

Mr. Wade worked in the oil fields as a pusher for 20 years before he began work for the City of Ballinger water plant. He retired from the city and spent the rest of his time farming and ranching. He attended the First Baptist Church in Ballinger.

Survivors include his wife, Janie Wade of Ballinger; two daughters, Janet Dankworth and husband John, and Abie Williams, all of Ballinger; five grandsons, John Raymond, Joe, and Justin Dankworth, and Timothy and Wade Williams; one granddaughter, Lindsey Williams; two brothers, William Wade and wife Christine of Ballinger, and Elwood Wade and wife Virgie of Winters; one brother-in-law, Harold Lacy and wife Marlena; four sisters-in-law, Mary Lou Lacy, Dorothy Salvato, Lynn Holbrook and husband Arby, Nellie Murphy and husband Dan; several nieces and nephews; a special friend, Heidi Hethcock; his coffee shop buddies; and a host of other family and friends.

Family visitation was from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Sunday, January 23, at Rains-Seale Funeral Home in Ballinger. Services were at 4:00 p.m. Monday, January 24, in the First Baptist Church of Ballinger with Reverend Bo Keithley and Reverend Ferris Akins officiating. Burial followed in the Old Runnels Cemetery in Ballinger, directed by Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

### Thurman O. "Bob" Brannon

BIG SPRING—Thurman O. "Bob" Brannon, 86, died Wednesday, January 19, 2000, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

He was born March 23, 1913, in Comanche County. He moved to Wingate at the age of 10 and graduated from Wingate High School. He married Marie Dean on September 30, 1934, in Winters. The couple had recently celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary.

Mr. Brannon served in the Army Air Corps during World War II, after which he returned to Wingate and worked for the Texas Highway Department. He moved to Colorado City and Big Spring, retiring in 1977.

He was a longtime member of the Senior Citizens Hot Potato Band and RSVP. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Big Spring. The Brannons had recently moved to Blackwell to be with their daughter Diana Spence.

Survivors include his wife Marie Dean Brannon of Big Spring; a daughter, Diana Brannon Spence of Blackwell; one brother and two sisters, Floy Brannon of Ft. Worth, Dortha Lawrence of Winters, and Doyleene Helm of Acton; two step-grandchildren, Gretchen Pelton and her husband Robert of Rockwall, and Daniel Spence of Beaumont; and one step-great-grandchild, Ashley Pelton of Rockwall.

Services were held Saturday, January 22, 2000, at 10:30 a.m. in the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Alan Lee officiating. Burial followed in Wingate Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers included Joe Dean, Rick Dean, John Dean, Tommy Dean, Cecil Ray Self, Thurman Self, Blake Bodine, and Michael Brannon.

Memorials may be made to Hendrick Hospice Care in Abilene, P.O. Box 1922, Abilene, TX, 79604.

### Faye Anderson

ABILENE—Faye Anderson, 82, died Thursday, January 20, 2000, in an Abilene care center.

She was born in Fort Worth and attended school in Mazeland in Runnels County, graduating in 1934. She graduated from Jolly School of Beauty in San Angelo and moved to Abilene in 1937 from Winters.

Mrs. Anderson was a hairdresser for over 37 years. She had owned and operated Brookhollow Beauty Salon, before retiring. She was a member of Abilene Woman's Club, Rose Park Senior Citizens, and South Eleventh and Willis Church of Christ.

Survivors include one brother, V.A. McGee of Anson; three granddaughters, Chrys Vickers of Abilene, Teresa Buckner of Flower Mound, and Rhonda Ware of Anaheim, California; four great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Visitation was from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Friday, January 21, at Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home in Abilene. Services were at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, January 22, in the Elliott-Hamil Chapel of Faith with Ian Fair officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park in Abilene, directed by Elliott-Hamil Funeral Homes.

Memorials may be made to Christian Service Center, 901 Mesquite, Abilene, TX 79601.

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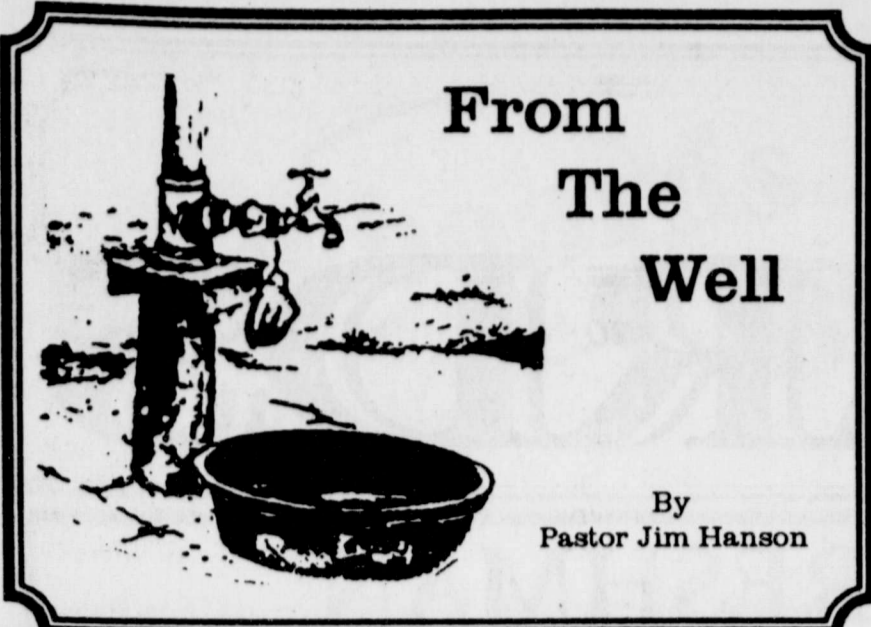
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## From The Well

By  
Pastor Jim Hanson



Pastor Jim Hanson

Can you imagine a church without a Ladies Aid? I can't. Without a group of women who huddle together at least once a month... in prayer and Bible fellowship... having a program...

planning a project... remembering birthdays... closing with "lunch?" I can't. And I can't really imagine a church surviving without one. All of this came up out of my well when I heard Theodora Frick tell our congregation about the 75 years of Ladies Aid at St. John's. I can assure you it was not boring! How eight women got in going in 1925, and how it has been rolling along ever since. In spite of all the "changes," the program and the work is pretty much the same. Get together. Study the Bible. Pray. Celebrate birthdays. Plan a project. Eat lunch.

I can't remember a Ladies Aid where these basics were not the care program. And, I can't ever remember attending a Ladies Aid meeting where I didn't leave feeling renewed, encouraged, and proud of their mission and ministry.

But, in these days in America, Ladies Aids don't get very good press. It seems that women have "come a long way." And Ladies Aids aren't part of that progression. Remember the cigarette ad — with some slinky smooth sophisticated... and beautiful woman — who was pictured with a cigarette in her hand — and these words, "You've come a long way... baby."

Well, that ad isn't around anymore. For good reasons. And Ladies Aids are. For good reason.

I can remember, quite well, when I was truly proud of the young people in our church up north. There were about fifteen of them, Ramona and I, and some other sponsors. We were attending the national youth convention of our denomination in New York City. It was a large gathering and the meetings were held in Madison Square Garden.

On the center stage a group of young people were doing a skit, a short drama, on church life. They were trying to demonstrate how, in "our time" the old patterns don't really work. They had a scene, very satirical, which poked fun at "Ladies Aid." The women were portrayed as somewhat ugly, with high-topped tennis shoes and overly pious. Most of the crowd was laughing.

But... not our bunch. I heard them whispering to each other, "They are poking fun at our ladies aid"... "They are putting our mothers and grandmothers down"... "What's the matter with those kids? Don't they realize we wouldn't be here if those ladies hadn't helped us by serving meals, having 'bake sales,' and even taking money out of their treasury?"

And, all of sudden, they all stood up and walked out! Single file. In protest. We joined them.

God bless 'em. I've seldom been so proud of young people. They knew. They knew who truly loved them. Prayed for them. And... supported them. The Ladies Aid.

Ladies Aids have been around a long time. Since Jesus' time. They supported Jesus and the 12, "The 12 were with him... and also some women... who provided for them out of their means." (Luke 8:2,3) And Paul would never have gotten the church in Philippi off the ground if he hadn't wandered down by the riverside together with Luke "where we sat down and spoke to the women who had come together (to pray)." One of them was Lydia, a worshipper of God. She heard the gospel and was baptized. "And opened her home to us," writes Luke in Acts 16:14.

So — we can say, "You have come a long way, ladies." Two thousand years of unbroken service all over the globe. And they keep on going. With or without a pastor. Coming up with new projects... even when they are old. The Ladies Aid Circle at St. John's has another one — "to renovate the Sanctuary at St. John's — to be completed by November 4, 2004 — the 100th anniversary of the church." Even if some will probably not be on earth to see the completion.

No wonder they call themselves "the Ladies Aid." For, indeed, they are "ladies." And for certain, they "aid." First. And foremost. No wonder God chose one and her womb as a place to enter this earth. And thank God for the millions of women in Ladies Aids who have received Him in their hearts and aid us in so many ways in their service of Him. Amen!



TALKING TO PARENTS, STUDENTS, AND SIBLINGS during the secondary school's "Meet The Teacher" Night is teacher Kenneth Fowler. Mr. Fowler spoke about the rules, grading procedures, expectations, and class activities of his 7th grade Life Skills Management/Leadership Class. Listening attentively are (from left) Clent Bryan, George Lozano, Mildred Doty, Thomas Doty, Adam Escalona, Vera Jackson, Diana Escalona, and Patrick Escalona. Approximately 100 attended the open house hosted on January 10.

### Southside Baptist to host "Super Gospel Sing" on Sunday, Jan. 30

Winters Southside Baptist Church will be hosting the "Fifth Sunday Super Gospel Sing" on Sunday, January 30, starting at 6:00 p.m.

Churches from South Taylor and North Runnels Counties will have singers performing Southern Gospel and Country Gospel music. There will also be church hymns by the congregation.

A great time of fellowship will follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Winters Southside Baptist is located at 617 Crews Road. Everyone is invited for this great time of music and fellowship. Call Dwayne Andrus at 915-529-4791 for further information.

### Emmaus to meet

Runnels County Emmaus will meet Thursday, February 3, 2000, at 6:30 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Winters.

For more information, contact Nancy Thompson at 754-4016.

### Arts and Crafts Festival in San Angelo, Jan. 29-30

The eighth annual All American Arts and Crafts Festival will be held Saturday and Sunday, January 29-30, in the Exhibits Building at the San Angelo Coliseum Complex.

Hours for the show are Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 5 p.m.

There is no admission charge. For more information, contact Mel Prather, organizer, at (915) 263-7690.

### Winters Woman's Club learns history of Fort Chadbourne during January 11 meeting

The Winters Woman's Club met Tuesday, January 11, 2000, at the Security State Bank in Winters. Hostess was Bonnie Lee. Co-hostesses were Jane Allcorn, Mary Ellen Moore, and Sondra Petty. Twenty members were present.

Phyllis Boles introduced the speaker, Garland Richards. He gave a very interesting program on the history of Fort Chadbourne and the restoration project he and his wife, Lana, have undertaken.

Fort Chadbourne has been in the Richards family since 1876. The fort was established in 1852.

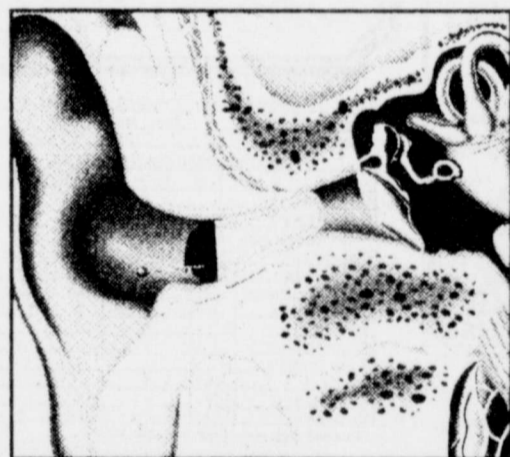
The fort was named for Lt. Theodore Chadbourne, who was killed during the 1840s in Mexico.

The first soldiers sent to the fort were infantry soldiers. Their duty was to defend against the Indians. They were later replaced with Cavalry soldiers. In 1867, Fort Chadbourne ran out of water and relocated at Fort Concho. The final soldier was transferred out of Fort Chadbourne in 1873. In 1876 the Odoms established Fort Chadbourne Ranch.

The Fort Chadbourne Restoration Foundation was established

in 1998. This project will have three phases. The first phase involves research and recommendations for stabilization of the fort. The second phase involves establishing a visitors center and museum. The third phase involves reconstruction and restoration of some of the buildings.

The Winters Woman's Club has a very rich history in this area, and the community is fortunate to be able to participate in the restoration project by supporting the efforts being made to bring this part of the heritage to the public.



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**Tuesday, Feb. 1:** Chicken pot pie, beets, hominy, crackers, and pudding.

**Wednesday, Feb. 2:** Hamburger steak w/gravy, rice, tomato salad, roll, and dessert.

**Thursday, Feb. 3:** Beef casserole, pinto beans, coleslaw, cornbread, and brownie.

**Friday, Feb. 4:** Stew, Jello salad, vegetable sticks, cornbread, and cobbler.

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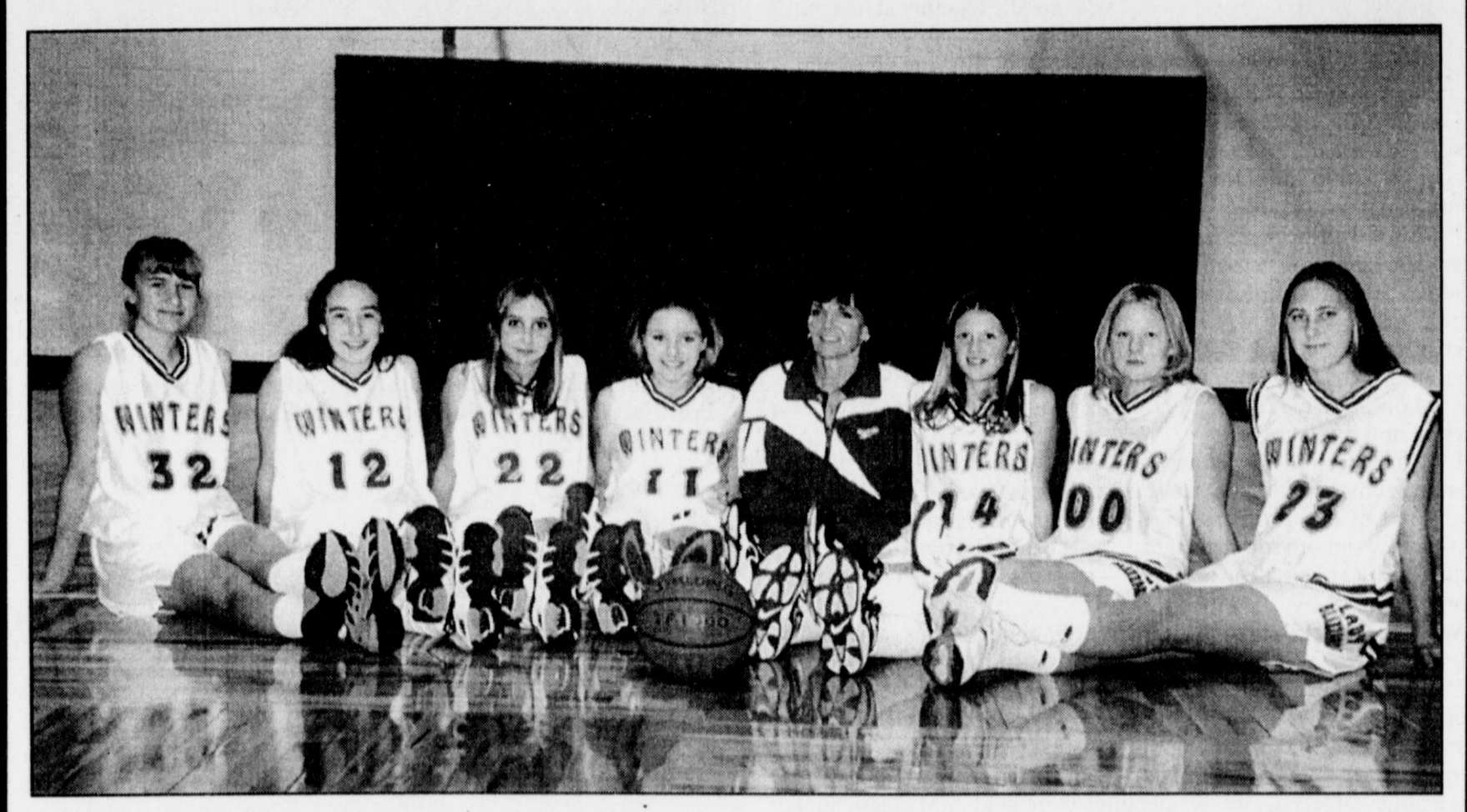
# Winters BLIZZARDS

**CAFETERIA MENU**  
Jan. 31-Feb. 4  
Subject to change

**Breakfast**  
Monday-Jan. 31  
Biscuits  
Sausage  
Juice  
Tuesday-Feb. 1  
Toast  
Cereal  
Juice  
Wednesday-Feb. 2  
Blueberry Muffin  
Cereal  
Juice  
Thursday-Feb. 3  
Pancakes/Syrup  
Cereal  
Juice  
Friday-Feb. 4  
Cheese Toast  
Cereal  
Juice

**Lunch**  
Monday-Jan. 31  
Pizza  
Corn  
June Peas  
Chocolate Pudding  
Tuesday-Feb. 1  
Chicken Nuggets/Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Pears  
Hot Roll  
Wednesday-Feb. 2  
Taco/Meat/Cheese  
Tossed Salad  
Red Beans  
Fruit  
Brownie  
Thursday-Feb. 3  
Turkey Roast/Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
June Peas  
Pineapple Chunks  
Hot Roll  
Friday-Feb. 4  
Hamburger  
French Fries  
Lettuce/Pickles  
Sliced Peaches  
Cookie

## 1999-2000 FRESHMAN LADY BLIZZARDS



Left to right:  
#32 Stacey Walden Post  
#12 Leah Bredemeyer Guard  
#22 Dana Clough Guard  
#11 Kirby Hatler Guard  
Coach Deb Whittenburg  
#14 Heather Martin Guard  
#00 Lacey Meyer Post  
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Team: Varsity Boys Coach: Robert White  
Opponent: Mason Date: Jan. 15, 2000  
Place: Winters

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	15	23	8	21		67
OPPONENT	16	15	2	12		45

Free throws made: 16 of 17 for 94%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Cody Walker 21 3 1 1 0  
Josh Mizumatsu 17 7 2 3 3  
Shane Colburn 8 3 2 3 1  
Wade Parramore 9 1 0 1 1  
Arthur Martinez 0 1 0 1 2  
Austin Pritchard 8 2 1 0 0  
Oscar Lopez 4 1 0 1 2  
Jeremy Hope 0 1 0 1 2  
Chris Santova 0 0 0 0 0

Team: Varsity Boys Coach: Robert White  
Opponent: Coleman Date: Jan. 21, 2000  
Place: Coleman

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	12	13	6	11		42
OPPONENT	6	2	5	9		22

Free throws made: 8 of 17 for 49%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Cody Walker 8 3 1 0 1  
Josh Mizumatsu 12 6 0 1 1  
Shane Colburn 1 2 1 1 1  
Wade Parramore 10 2 0 0 0  
Arthur Martinez 0 0 0 2 0  
Oscar Lopez 1 0 1 0 0  
Austin Pritchard 3 4 1 3 3  
Jeremy Hope 6 3 1 0 2  
Chris Santova 0 0 0 0 2

Team: Varsity Girls Coach: Ken Fowler  
Opponent: Mason Date: Jan. 15, 2000  
Place: Winters

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	15	23	8	21		67
OPPONENT	16	15	2	12		45

Free throws made: 40 of 27 for 68%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Jessica DeLa Rosa 13 3 1 1 1  
Kendra Hope 10 1 1 1 5  
Jana Presley 9 6 1 4 4  
Kelli Simpson 4 2 2 2 0  
Michelle Paschal 9 14 0 0 0  
Kacy McArthur 5 5 2 0 0  
Laci Walker 0 2 0 0 1  
Stacy Bishop 2 0 1 0 0  
Lori Bredemeyer 0 0 0 0 0

Team: Varsity Girls Coach: Ken Fowler  
Opponent: Coleman Date: Jan. 21, 2000  
Place: Coleman

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	12	13	6	11		42
OPPONENT	8	11	7	5		31

Free throws made: 4 of 11 for 36%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Mandy Pritchard 4 1 0 1 1  
Britney Tekell 2 2 0 1 1  
Suzanna Montgomery 2 2 0 1 1  
Kelli Walker 2 2 0 1 1  
Stacey Sneed 4 4 0 1 1  
Jackie Decker 0 2 0 1 1  
Jana Bishop 7 7 0 1 1  
Kendari Hale 18 18 0 1 1  
Aly Calvo 4 4 0 1 1  
Laci Walker 4 4 0 1 1  
Michelle Decker 0 2 0 0 1

### Exams for accelerations available to grades 7-12

The Texas State Board of Education now requires that school districts provide students the opportunity to take an examination to be "accelerated" to a higher grade level or to receive credit for a course he or she has not yet taken in school.

In order for a student to receive course credit, the student must score at least a 90 on the test. Winters ISD has set the following dates on which "examinations for acceleration" will be administered: March 6 and 7 at 3:30 p.m. at Winters High School.

Since the tests are ordered from Texas Tech University, students will need to sign-up at the high school by February 7. For more information, please contact Becky Reel, WHS counselor at 754-5516.

Team: Junior Varsity Boys Coach: Chris Brandon  
Opponent: Mason Date: Jan. 15, 2000  
Place: Winters

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	12	14	6	8		38
OPPONENT	0	4	8	2		14

Free throws made: 11 of 19 for 58%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Arturo Lopez 2 1 1 1 2  
C.C. Hernandez 0 0 0 0 0  
Will Blaine 2 1 0 1 1  
Travis Goshorn 0 1 0 0 0  
Ben Blaine 15 5 2 0 0  
Zeek Martinez 5 2 2 2 2  
T.J. Conner 3 3 3 4 0  
Andrew Medina 11 5 1 1 1  
Dion Aguero 0 1 1 3 0

Team: Junior Varsity Girls Coach: Deb Whittenburg  
Opponent: Mason Date: Jan. 15, 2000  
Place: Winters

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	8	3	10	12		33
OPPONENT	6	2	5	9		22

Free throws made: 8 of 17 for 49%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Mandy Pritchard 8 5 4 1 1  
Britney Tekell 4 3 1 1 4  
Suzanna Montgomery 3 4 1 0 1  
Kelli Walker 3 3 5 0 0  
Stacey Sneed 8 4 0 1 1  
Jackie Decker 0 2 0 1 1  
Jana Bishop 7 7 0 1 1  
Kendari Hale 4 7 2 1 1  
Laci Walker 0 2 0 0 1  
Aly Calvo 2 2 0 0 1  
Michelle Decker 0 2 0 0 1

Team: Junior Varsity Girls Coach: Deb Whittenburg  
Opponent: Coleman Date: Jan. 21, 2000  
Place: Coleman

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	12	13	6	11		42
OPPONENT	8	11	7	5		31

Free throws made: 4 of 11 for 36%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Mandy Pritchard 4 1 0 1 1  
Britney Tekell 2 2 0 1 1  
Suzanna Montgomery 2 2 0 1 1  
Kelli Walker 2 2 0 1 1  
Stacey Sneed 4 4 0 1 1  
Jackie Decker 0 2 0 1 1  
Jana Bishop 7 7 0 1 1  
Kendari Hale 18 18 0 1 1  
Aly Calvo 4 4 0 1 1  
Laci Walker 4 4 0 1 1  
Michelle Decker 0 2 0 0 1

Team: 8th Boys Coach: Richard Buchanan  
Opponent: Mason Date: Jan. 17, 2000  
Place: Hamilton

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	7	4	4	12		27
OPPONENT	16	4	15	12		47

Free throws made: 9 of 15 for 60%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Tim Feenick 7 7 0 1 1  
Benjie Valles 7 7 0 1 1  
Basilio Rocha 0 0 0 0 0  
Jonathan Lajano 3 3 0 1 1  
Wacey Canon 0 0 0 0 0  
Eric Lopez 20 20 0 1 1

Team: 7th Boys Coach: Cliff White  
Opponent: Roundock Date: Jan. 22, 2000  
Place: Blackwell Tournament

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	12	14	6	8		38
OPPONENT	0	4	8	2		14

Free throws made: 11 of 19 for 58%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Pete Griffin 6 2 2 7 0  
Max Harrison 2 0 1 1 0  
Jacob Hernandez 2 0 1 1 0  
Thomas Rice 0 0 0 0 0  
Ske Salinas 6 4 2 2 0  
Matthew Gray 4 4 1 1 0  
Scott Bryan 8 12 2 2 0  
Shawn Kraatz 0 1 1 0 0  
Jose Hernandez 0 0 0 0 0  
Jacob Applegate 6 10 0 0 0

Team: 7th Boys Coach: Cliff White  
Opponent: Hamilton Date: Jan. 22, 2000  
Place: Blackwell Tournament

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	8	5	11	10		34
OPPONENT	3	7	2	8		20

Free throws made: 7 of 14 for 50%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Pete Griffin 3 5 4 1 1  
Max Harrison 15 13 3 0 0  
Jacob Hernandez 3 1 1 0 0  
Thomas Rice 7 3 3 0 0  
Ske Salinas 2 4 1 1 1  
Matthew Gray 0 0 0 0 0  
Scott Bryan 2 4 1 0 0  
Shawn Kraatz 0 1 0 0 0  
Jacob Applegate 0 2 0 0 0

Team: 7th Boys Coach: Cliff White  
Opponent: Hamilton Date: Jan. 23, 2000  
Place: Blackwell Tournament

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	4	9	5	6		24
OPPONENT	7	2	12	7		28

Free throws made: 10 of 15 for 66%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Pete Griffin 12 12 5 1 1  
Max Harrison 12 12 5 1 1  
Jacob Hernandez 5 1 2 0 0  
Thomas Rice 0 0 1 1 1  
Ske Salinas 4 8 0 0 0  
Matthew Gray 0 0 0 0 0  
Scott Bryan 2 4 1 0 0  
Shawn Kraatz 0 0 0 0 0  
Jacob Applegate 2 11 0 0 0

Team: 8th Boys "A" Coach: Richard Buchanan  
Opponent: Mason Date: Jan. 25, 2000  
Place: Winters

POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER						
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	FIN.
WINTERS	5	0	2	2		9
OPPONENT	0	5	8	10		23

Free throws made: 3 of 9 for 33%  
Players Name Points Rebounds Steals Assists  
Justin Laird 1 1 0 0 0  
Jesse Sherman 2 2 0 0 0  
Jesse Flores 0 0 0 0 0  
Chance Hogan 2 2 0 0 0  
Will Abrams 0 0 0 0 0  
Francisco Santos 2 2 0 0 0

**Basketball '00**  
Catch the Action  
Jan. 28-29—Jim Ned Tourney, TBA, There, 8G, 8B  
Jan. 28—Bangs\*, 5 p.m., Here, JVG, JVB, VG, VB  
Jan. 31—Early, 5:30 p.m., Here, 7G, 8G, 9G  
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Feb. 1—San Saba\*, 4 p.m., Here, JVG, JVB, VG, VB  
Feb. 4—Early\*, 5 p.m., Here, JVG, JVB, VG, VB

**Powerlifting Meet at Mason Saturday, January 29**  
Important meeting—  
Booster Club to meet January 28

**Powerlifting Meet at Mason Saturday, January 29**

**Glacier Annual Staff Baked Potato Supper**  
Friday, February 4 (during Early basketball games) 5-8 PM School Cafeteria

### Freshman class parents to meet Jan. 27 to discuss fund-raisers

The freshman class parents will have a parents' meeting, Thursday, January 27, 2000. The meeting will be held in the high school cafeteria at 5:30 p.m. Discussion will be held on upcoming fund-raisers. For more information, please call Cheryl Sneed at 767-3977 or Teresa Davis at 754-5422.

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**Booster Club to meet January 28**  
The Booster Club will have a meeting on Friday, January 28, at approximately 8:00 p.m. The meeting will be in the WISD cafeteria between the varsity girls and boys game. This is a very important meeting in order to discuss future plans for spring activities. The 1999 Blizzard football play-off T-shirts are now available at Winters High School for just \$10. Contact Susie Taylor at the high school for more information.

**Powerlifting Meet at Mason Saturday, January 29**

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## Lady Blizzards pick up two "big" wins over Mason and Coleman

The Winters Lady Blizzards recorded two more district wins in basketball action last week with Mason and Coleman. Prior to Tuesday evening's game versus Goldthwaite, the Lady Blizzards were 7-2 in district, second behind the Lady Eagles.

In last Tuesday's game with Mason the Ladies picked up "a big win" to start the second half of district," according to Coach Ken Fowler.

Winters outscored the Lady Punchers in the first two quarters to lead at halftime by ten. However Mason outscored the Blizzards, 25-8, in the third quarter to take a seven point lead into the final period of the game.

The Lady Blizzards tallied 21 points to Mason's 7 in the fourth quarter. Winters won the game by seven, 67-60.

"Basically we went to sleep in the third quarter," said Fowler. "We quit moving and started watching."

"In the fourth quarter, we woke up again—and played much better defense. The key was free throws. We made 27 of 40. So 27 of our 67 points came from the free throw line."

On Friday evening the Lady Blizzards earned another big win at Coleman to take sole possession of second place in the dis-

trict battle. Winters defeated the Lady Cats by six, 51-45.

"Both teams played really well in the first half," said Fowler. "Coleman hit a three pointer right before the buzzer at halftime—to go up by 4."

"Probably some of the best "D" (defense) we've played in a long time, came in the next quarter and a half. Coleman scored only 2 points," Fowler added. The coach also noted that the Lady Blizzards had an 11 point lead at one point in the fourth quarter.

However the Ladies also tallied 30 turnovers in the game—"the worst all year." The key to the game once again came at the free throw line. Winters connected on 24 of 43 shots.

"So out of our 51 points, nearly half were from the free throw line. We had a mental lapse late in the fourth quarter and we quit doing what we were doing. Coleman didn't press us most of the game because we beat it the first game we played them."

"They started pressing in the fourth quarter and we couldn't run through it," said Fowler. "We showed maturity. They got within 3—then we settled down and started doing what we do."

After playing Goldthwaite on Tuesday, the Lady Blizzards will host Bangs on Friday evening.



AARON PRITCHARD #45 of the varsity Blizzards goes high for the short jumper against the Mason defender.

## Interested in baseball? First meeting for Winters Area Baseball Assoc. on Wed., Feb. 2

The Winters Area Baseball Association will hold its first meeting for the year 2000 season on Wednesday, February 2, 2000, at the City Hall at 7:00 p.m.

The agenda for the meeting will include coaches, fundraisers, concession stand, and registration fees and dates.

Anyone with a child in this league needs to attend. This meeting will affect every child who touches a bat or ball in this league.

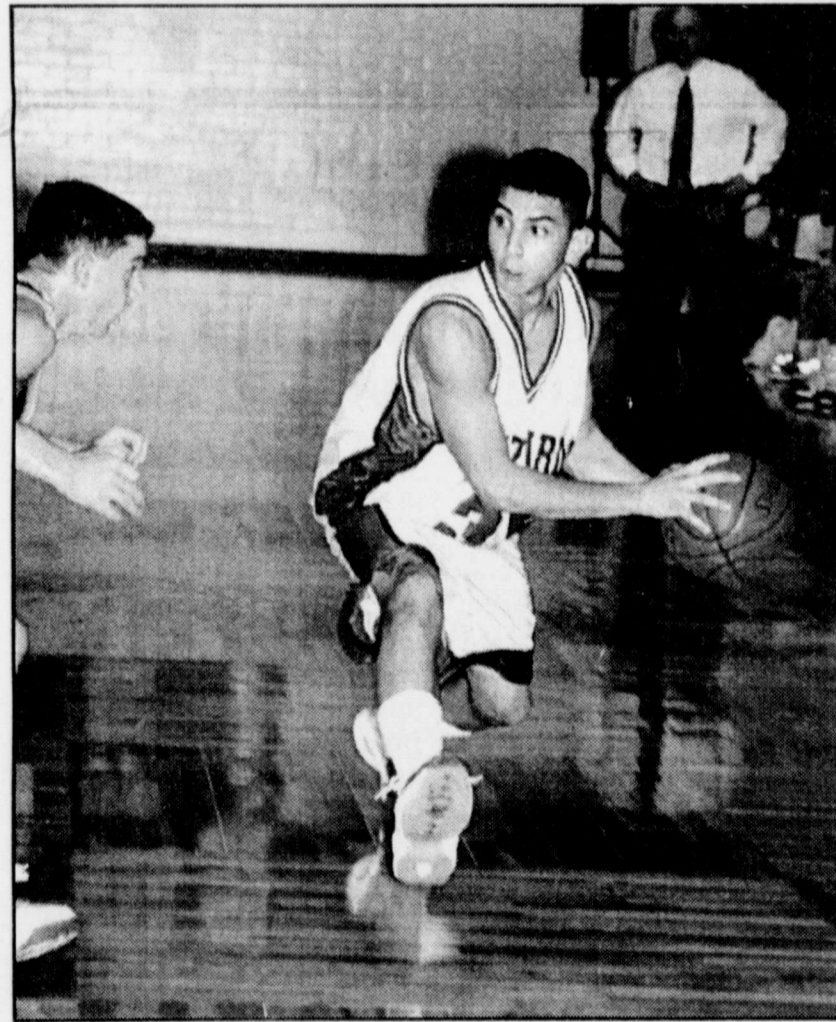
If you have ever wondered about the "whys" and "hows" of this organization, please feel free to attend.

## G/T nomination forms available for parents of kindergartners

Winters Elementary has announced that nomination forms are now available for parents of kindergarten students who are interested in the Gifted and Talented Program for their child.

Any parent of a kindergarten student who would like to have their child evaluated for entrance into the G/T program is encouraged to fill out a form.

Forms are available in the elementary school office and should be returned there by no later than Monday, January 31, 2000.



SENIOR OSCAR LUZ looks to make the pass during the varsity Blizzards' district contest against the Mason Punchers.

## Inexperience proves costly to Blizzards

The young varsity Blizzards continue to struggle in their quest for a district bid, losing to Coleman 64-41 last Friday in the Bluecat gym.

But Coach Robert White says, "Don't give up on this team. We believe that we can surprise some folks as we start the second round of district play."

Coleman scored 12 points to Winters' 4 in the first quarter, giving the Blizzards a hole to dig out of from the get-go.

"We couldn't buy a basket in the first quarter," said Coach Robert White. "Coleman played with a lot of confidence and it's hard to spot a team 8 points and then play catch-up."

Things didn't improve much in the second quarter when Coleman's leading scorer hit two 3-point shots and three 2-point shots. "This seemed to bust our bubble," said Coach White.

But on a positive note, the Blizzards out-rebounded Coleman and held the Bluecats to only three 3-point shots.

The Blizzards are also improving at the free throw line, shooting 65 percent as a team, making 29 of 32 in district play.

"Considering how bad we were at the free throw line at the beginning of the season, we've come a long way," said Coach Fowler. "Our goal is to shoot over 70 percent as a team."

High scorers for the Blizzards were Josh Minzenmayer with 12 and Wade Parramore with 10.

The Blizzards dropped their game against Mason 65-49 on Jan. 18. The Punchers got into a half-court trap which the young Blizzards team had trouble handling.

Foul trouble also plagued the Blizzards against Mason who went to the free throw line 37 times, scoring 25 points. Minzenmayer had three very picky fouls early in the first half. Colby Walker and Aaron Pritchard fouled out, making the Blizzards play very conservative basketball. Winters made 16 of their 17 free throws.

The Blizzards traveled to Goldthwaite Tuesday night but no scores were available at press time.

Friday night, Winters meets Bangs in Blizzards gym at 8 p.m.

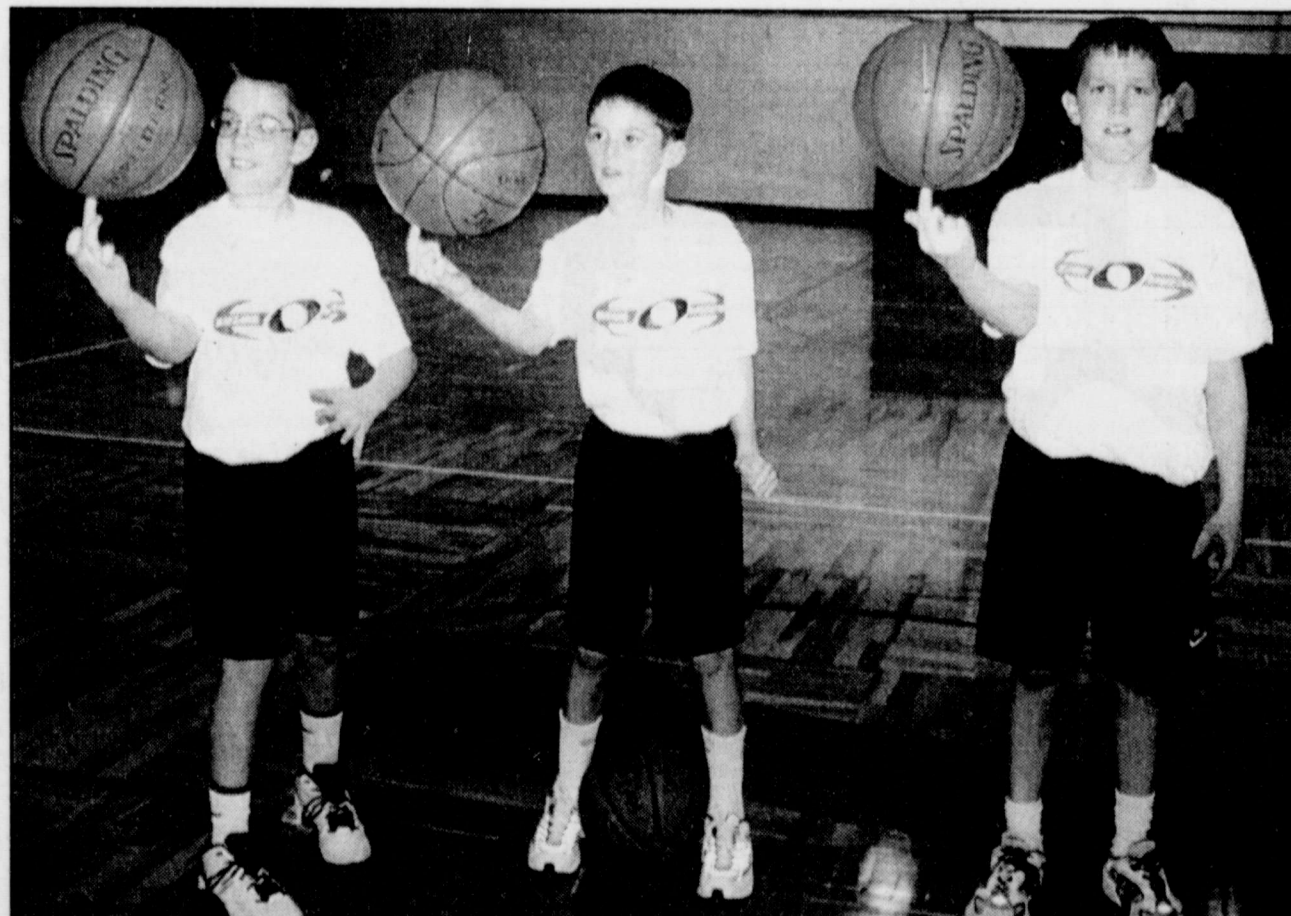
As of Jan 24, the Blizzards held a 4-3 district record. If Winters can go 6-1 or 5-2 in this second half of district play, the Blizzards still have a shot at third place. But patience, hard work and confidence must continue to improve for the Blizzards to be a threat.

Coach White said, "We're still a young team who gets frustrated and shell-shocked at times which makes our confidence drop. But our kids really work hard, and I continue to be very proud of them because no matter the outcome of the game, our kids play together as a team with respect."

There's nothing negative within the team and we hope our parents and fans will share our positive attitude. We always appreciate the support from our fans."



BRITTNEY TEKELL #3 gets the upper hand (or arm) on the Hamilton player during Lady Blizzards junior varsity action.



ALWAYS ON THE BALL are (l-r) Bryant Mikeska, Luke England and Aaron Colburn. These fifth and sixth graders perform a multitude of tasks as managers for the varsity Blizzards.

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**SIXTH GRADE SELF MANAGERS** for the fourth six weeks are (front, l-r) Stephanie Perez, Ashley Vasquez, Bryce Wilkerson, Andrea Garcia, Amanda Blackshear, (middle) Krystal Gibbens, Angelica Campos, Israel Guerrero, Tod Martin, Kindy Walker, (back) Angel Ramirez, Jason Rodriguez, L.J. Nitsch, Jennifer Esquivel, and Cesar Iracheta.



**SIXTH GRADE SELF MANAGERS** for the fourth six weeks are (front, l-r) Ana Diaz, Marcus Tubbs, Jessica Meyer, Raysha Garcia, Vickie Santoya, (middle) Kayla Horton, Latisha Hildreth, Lucia Chavez, Erica Lujano, Amanda Polk, (back) Priscilla Vara, Amber Totem, Aaron Colburn, Paige Geistmann, and Elizabeth Sartor.

## 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.

Briana Parramore has been chosen as January 2000 "Girl of the Month." She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Parramore.

Briana, 13, is in the eighth grade and enjoys algebra and English.

Her honors include making the "A" honor roll.

Her hobbies are reading, biking, basketball, and arts and crafts.

In her spare time, she enjoys hanging out with friends.

Her duties include homework. She plans to attend college and major in education or theater.

Briana most admires her family.



**Briana Parramore**  
January  
Girl of the Month

## Opal Hunt gets autographed ball from Nolan Ryan

Margie Ladner, daughter of the late Mayme Little, of Tuscola, and 6-year-old grandson H. Lee Bowen IV visited friend Opal Hunt in North Runnels Hospital in Winters approximately two weeks ago to make a very important delivery. Opal had taken ill, but is now at home.

Along with flowers and a stuffed toy cat, the pair delivered a special box brought by UPS. Since Opal had taken ill and was not at home at the time of the delivery, Mrs. Ladner had gladly accepted from UPS.

In the box was a 1999 baseball signed by Nolan Ryan, accompanied by a personal letter and a letter of authenticity. In his letter, Ryan said he heard Opal was an admirer and he wanted her to have this gift.

According to Mrs. Ladner, Opal opened the box with a big smile on her face and said "who ever would have thought he (Ryan) would have done this." She was so proud!

## Correction

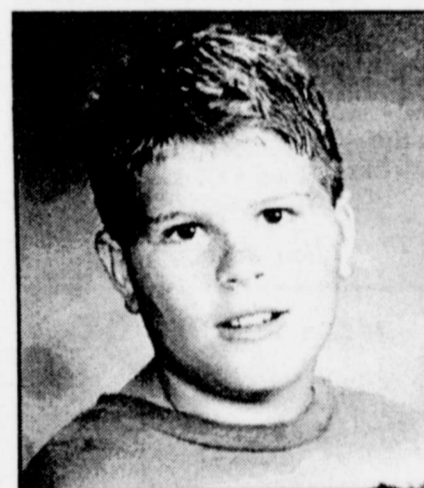
The name of a parent was omitted in information submitted for the Geography Bee article published January 20, 2000.

Winner David Scates is the son of Tommy Scates, and Maggie and Don Patton.

We apologize for the error.



**THESE SEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS** at WJHS recently qualified for the Duke University Talent Program. Students must earn 98% in reading or 90% in math on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills to qualify for the Talent Identification Program. Students who qualified are (front, l-r) Jeremy Mendoza, Kathryn Hatler, Rachel Davis, Kinsey Airhart, Katy Wilkerson, (back) Pete Griffin, Skye Salinas, Thomas Rice, and Marci Paschal.



**Aaron Cook**  
January  
Boy of the Month

Aaron Cook has been chosen as the "Boy of the Month" for January 2000. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook.

Aaron, 12, is in the seventh grade and enjoys social studies and science.

His honors include making the honor roll.

He enjoys art and wildlife. In his spare time, he plays sports and computer games.

His duties include taking care of the dogs.

His future plans are to attend Texas A&M and major in architecture.

Aaron most admires his parents.

## Patt Zappe Billmeir to present program at Feb. 1 meeting of Mid-West Texas Artist Guild

by Elouise Chesnut

The Mid-West Texas Artist Guild will meet Tuesday, February 1, at the Mirrored Image in Ballinger.

Program for the meeting will be presented by Pat Zappe Billmeir of Zappe Pottery.

Pat has been making pottery since 1976. Her training includes private and group classes in

Ballinger and Memphis, Tennessee, numerous workshops given by notable people in the clay world, and two years as a student at the Memphis College of Arts.

She has taught many group classes in Memphis, given numerous demonstrations, and for five summers was artist in residence at Montreat Crafts Center

in North Carolina. Ms. Zappe will discuss the different types of clays and glazes and give a demonstration of working on the potter's wheel. She will present a display of pottery which includes her own work and pieces from her collection from Turkey and Greece, both ancient and modern.

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- TXism: "cut ... some slack"
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Solutions for this puzzle appear in this issue.

**Troy L. Carter, M.D.**  
Surgical & Medical Diseases of the Eye

Dr. Troy Carter, a member of Texas Midwest Eye Center in Abilene, has joined with North Runnels Hospital and Dr. Mike Bacigalupi, to offer cataract surgery in Winters.

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## Texas Forts Trail Region hosting "Round Up"

The Texas Forts Trail Region is hosting a "Round Up" of all communities along the Texas Forts Trail on Thursday, Feb. 3, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Paramount Theatre at 352 Cypress Street in Abilene.

Chambers of Commerce, Events and Attractions, and County Historical Commissions, and anyone interested in the combination of history and tourism are invited to attend the day-long workshop.

The event will feature creative ways to market your event or attraction, examples of successful heritage tourism partnerships, networking opportunities, and much more.

Private landowners will be sharing ideas for creative uses of their property, museum experts will be there to share valuable information, and event planners will help each and every community market themselves using a limited budget.

There is no cost for the "Round Up" but reservations are required by calling Lisa Sanders, Regional Coordinator, at 915-677-7241.

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AN ABANDONED COMMERCIAL SALTWATER DISPOSAL facility located just west of Poe's Corner on SR 384, was the site of a \$403,017 clean-up effort by the Railroad Commission of Texas—the largest saltwater disposal clean-up in the state's history. The site consisted of 4 large pits and 11 tanks containing basic sediment and water, crude oil, and saline produced water. This picture was taken in early October as contractors began the remediation process.



THE RUNNELS COUNTY SWD, INC. was the site of a major clean-up effort by the RRC to remove 22,285 barrels of basic sediment, crude oil, and saltwater, which was hauled to Borden County Waste Disposal in Gale. The remediation also disposed of 680 cubic yards of crude oil contaminated soil. BS was vacuumed from these pits, liners removed, and soil tested for contamination. The six acres are now ready for grazing according to the Commission.

**CLEAN-UP, continued**

history," the project marks the beginning of a heightened Commission focus on cleaning up abandoned oil field sites throughout the state. An additional 22 sites have been targeted for future clean-up—nine of which are within a 60-mile radius of the first site, according to Williams.

"This project is a glimpse of things to come," said Williams. "I am committed to making a name for the Railroad Commission as the state's conservation watchdog when it comes to environmentally threatening oil-field sites.

"I believe in giving credit where it's due," said Williams. "And thanks to the oil and gas community's financial support of the Oil Field Clean-up Fund, West

Texans now have 6 more acres of ready-to-graze land. As this project demonstrates, proper conservation and protection of Texas' natural resources is a top priority for our state's oil and gas community."

In his statements on January 19, Chairman Williams expressed strong support for Commissioner Tony Garza's proposed Texas Resource Preservation Fund, a specially designated account within the existing Oil Field Clean-up Fund.

This past Tuesday, the RRC was expected to receive \$6 million from that fund—part of \$17.5 million the state is receiving from a legal settlement with Koch Industries' lawsuit.

**WTC for MHMR to hold educational public forums**

Four public forums are planned to occur over the next few weeks to help West Texas Centers for MHMR educate the community and gather input about changes in the Home & Community-based Services (HCS) program for people with mental retardation.

HCS are designed to provide an alternative to institutionalization for individuals with developmental disabilities through a variety of services and supports.

Among the services provided through HCS programs are Respite, Supported Home Living, and Residential Support.

• **Respite** provides a temporary, alternative living site for eligible individuals who are transitioning from state school to community placement, or individuals in the community who need a place to stay temporarily.

• **Supported Home Living** provides a variety of services and supports to mentally retarded in-

dividuals who live in their home of choice.

• **Residential Support** provides a home environment for individuals with disabilities who may need additional supervision and support.

Public forums scheduled for this area include:

**SNYDER**—Tuesday, February 1, 2000 at 6:30 p.m.

Snyder Junior High School library at 3300 El Paso St.

**SWEETWATER**—Thursday, February 17, 2000 at 6:30 p.m.

Sweetwater Middle School Auditorium at 305 Lamar St.

All public forum locations meet ADA accessibility standards. Everyone is encouraged to attend. For further information about the forums contact Lisa Brooks, Director of Community Relations of West Texas Centers for MHMR at (915)263-0007 ext. 258.

**Earned Income Tax Credit means bigger tax refunds for many workers**

Many Texans could end up with bigger tax refunds this year if they qualify for the Earned Income Tax Credit. But many taxpayers who are eligible for the credit do not get it simply because they don't file a federal income tax return.

According to the Internal Revenue Service, in 1996 as many as 1.2 million working Americans missed out on \$751 million in Earned Income Tax Credits by not filing a tax return.

Don't let this happen to you! Each Saturday, beginning January 29 through February 25, 2000, taxpayers qualifying for the Earned Income Tax Credit can get free assistance. Visit the local IRS at 341 Pine St., Abilene TX 79601, from 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

The Earned Income Tax Credit is a refundable credit for hard-working people. It is designed for working taxpayers whose ad-

justed gross income is under \$30,580 with two or more qualifying children resulting in a tax credit as much as \$3,816. The credit could be as much as \$2,312 for working taxpayers whose income is under \$26,928 having one qualifying child. Working taxpayers, between the ages of 18 and 25, with no children whose income is under \$10,200 could walk away with a credit as much as \$347.

"For those who qualify," the IRS says, "you must file a return to get the refundable credit." Qualifying taxpayers are encouraged to bring original Forms W-2 or 1099s issued by their employers and valid social security cards for each person who will be listed on the return.

Additional information can be obtained by calling the IRS, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, at 1-800-829-1040.

**Scheduled 3:30-6 p.m.—  
Immunization Clinic set  
for Thursday, Feb. 3**

The Winters office of the Texas Department of Health has scheduled their February Immunization Clinic. As a change from the usual schedule, the clinic will be open from late afternoon to early evening.

The clinic will be held Thursday, February 3, 2000, from 3:30-6 p.m. at the Professional Building, Suite 108, on Grant Street entry. For more information, call 754-4945 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. Monday-Friday.

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Jana Lee, a consultant with Creative Memories, will give a program and demonstration on scrapbooking, with special emphasis on heritage photographs.

The Beginning Genealogy Class, taught by Bob Parks, will meet from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Classes are free. Those who wish to purchase printed teaching aides may do so for a \$5 fee.

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MRS. GENEVA EMMERT (seated in center) is surrounded by family members who helped her celebrate her 100th birthday on January 18, 2000, at St. John's Lutheran Church.

## Crews News

By Hilda Kurtz

*A fellow who says his wife is an angel may mean she is constantly "harping."*

One Sunday morning visitor at Hopewell Baptist Church services was Ruth Bird of Ballinger.

Brother Ferris and Ramona Akins, and Mrs. Ruth Bird of Ballinger, were after services dinner guests with Nila and Therin Osborne.

Ladies attending Bible study on Monday morning at the church were Selma Wilkerson, Ramona Akins, Melvena Gerhart, Juanita Shields, Carolyn Webb, and Nila Osborne. Everyone enjoyed refreshments later.

Juanita Shields hosted the belated Christmas supper on Wednesday night at the church. Eighteen were present.

Selma Wilkerson spent Friday in Ballinger with Frances Campbell.

Brenda Chamblis of Blackwell and Doddie Drake spent Friday with Pat and Earl Cooper.

Cathy and Keith Gerhart of Clyde spent Sunday with Marvin and Melvena Gerhart.

Carolyn and Joe Webb spent Thursday in Baird—mostly shopping.

On Thursday Carolyn Webb visited in Aspermont with Edith Webb and Jim and Mary Everett. She came home on Wednesday.

Steve Grissom surprised Adeline and Katherine Grissom by taking them out to breakfast on Thursday morning.

Nila and Therin Osborne spent Saturday night over in Wingate with Karen, Wesley, and Stefanie McGallian.

Linda and Dale Duggan's daughter Katy Grigsby of Abilene



Hilda Kurtz

spent all day Sunday with them. On Monday, Bernie McCoy of Abilene and her mother Betty Wittmore visited.

Sharon Engler of Brownwood and Margie Jacob attended the funeral of Felix Bark in San Angelo on Tuesday. Later they went by to see Sybill Waller at the Rio Concho Manor and had lunch with Sybill on her 88th birthday.

Brenda Jacob from Midland and Shelia Cook from San Antonio spent the weekend with Margie Jacob. On Saturday night, they all attended the surprise birthday party at St. Mary's Hall in Ballinger honoring Mae Moore and Faye Kohutek (Jacoby twins) of Eden on their 70th birthday.

Cecil Halfmann of St. Lawrence was surprised on his 70th birthday Sunday with a supper and dance by his family and friends at the Rowena Hall. Sharon and Jerry Engler of Brownwood, Brenda Jacob of Midland, Beverly VanZandt, Carol and Mike Kozelsky, and Margie Jacob attended.

Hildagarde spent Friday with me. We did the usual things—trying to clean and straighten things up around this place. Believe you me we hauled off two pick-up loads. Mostly antiques—"kiddin'."

I close with the weather man saying we may see rain last of week????



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- Spill Bros.
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- Winters Tractor Service
- Dairy Queen
- Burger Hut
- West Dale Grocery
- Higginbotham's.

We appreciate Bob Cery and Bill Ray for collecting the gifts.

Thank you to Charles and Jane Allcorn for the Meals on Wheels donation in memory of T.J. Shields.

Sincerely,  
Janet Cason  
Activity Center Director

## Annual staff plans Baked Potato Supper for February 4

The *Glacier* annual staff will host a Baked Potato Supper on Friday, February 4, in conjunction with the Early vs. Winters basketball games.

The meal will be served from 5 to 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria and include a baked potato with your choice of chili, cheese, sour cream, butter, bacon bits, and chives, chocolate pudding with whipped cream topping and tea.

Tickets are \$4 each and take-outs will be available.

While the *Glacier* staff greatly appreciates all advertising they solicit from area businesses for the annual, operating costs still exceed their budget as they try to keep the cost of the yearbook to a minimum. Proceeds from the Baked Potato Supper will go directly toward yearbook publication expenses.

## Letters to the Editor Policy

Letters to the editor on issues of general interest are welcomed by *The Winters Enterprise*.

Please write your name and address on the letter and include a phone number for verification. Letters submitted without signatures will not be published.

Names will be omitted at the request of the writer provided the letter has a proper signature, phone number, and address. Anonymous letters will not be published.

All letters to the editor remain on file.

Letters to the editor do not necessarily reflect the opinion of *The Winters Enterprise*.

Letters should be addressed to: Editor, *The Winters Enterprise*, 104 North Main Street, Winters, Texas, 79567.

## Card of Thanks

Thanks to all for the flowers, food, cards, visits, and prayers.

A special thank you to St. John's Lutheran Church for the wonderful meal that was prepared for our family.

Each of you are such a sweet reflection of Jesus.

"God will not forget your work and the love you have shown Him as you have helped His people." Hebrews 6:10

The family of Albert Spill

## Card of Thanks

My family joins me in thanking everyone for their many acts of kindness during my recent extended stay in the hospital.

Thanks for the visits, phone calls, meals, flowers, gifts, and many, many cards. A special thanks for all your prayers that helped and encouraged us during this time.

There are so many people to thank, it would be impossible to name them all. I especially want to thank the young men who helped get me out of the bleachers and to the ambulance and Dr. Boles for helping at the ballgame and going to the emergency room. Also, to Andy Gerhart for her help.

Please continue to pray for us. We are home now but still have a long way to go.

May we be a comfort to you during your time of need as you have been to us.

Shirley & Red Hill  
Belinda & family  
Melinda & family

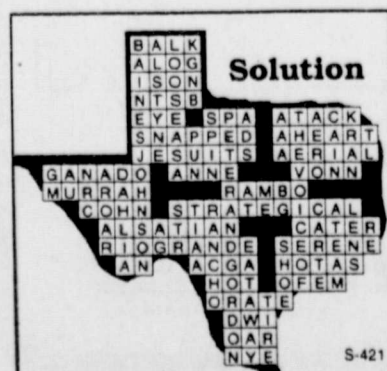
## Must be preapproved—Municipal Judge reminds residents of plan to "work off" court fines

Municipal Judge Virginia Parr would like to remind residents of her plan to "work off municipal court fines," by performing community service.

Several community projects such as the Chamber of Commerce Banquet, Christmas in April, and Mayfest, to name a few, will need manpower in setting up, cleaning up, and general work.

Judge Parr will allow service to these projects in lieu of paying the court fines. An agreement must be pre-approved with the judge prior to the "work off."

If you are interested, contact one of the following people for details: Judge Parr at 754-4126 or Saffron Gibbs at 754-4424.



## Police Beat

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, January 16, 2000, through Saturday, January 22, 2000. Winters Police Officers:

\*incorrectly reported in last week's report that Albert Wayne Hagle Jr. was arrested for driving while intoxicated. Mr. Hagle was arrested for driving while license suspended and was neither intoxicated nor drinking at the time of his arrest.

\* received a report of a missing 15-year-old female in the 600 block of W. Dale Street. The female was listed as a runaway. Missing for two days, the female was located by her mother and returned home. This has been forwarded to Juvenile authorities as "Runaway" and is a Class B misdemeanor.

\* received a report of a theft occurring at the Lone Star Estates. Sometime during the hours from 5:00 p.m. Wednesday to 9:00 a.m. Thursday, unknown person(s) removed approximately ten storm windows of various sizes from the apartment windows. This case is under investigation as Class A theft.

\* received a report of a reckless driver in the 100 block of State Street. A 17-year-old male of Winters alleged that a female subject known to him nearly struck him with her car as he attempted to cross the street. The male stated the female turned the corner at a high rate of speed, but received no injury as he was able to get out of the vehicle's path. The male only wished to report the incident and not press charges.

\* stopped a pickup on Highway 153 for displaying an expired inspection sticker of August 1998. Investigation revealed that three male passengers were undocumented aliens. Border Patrol ordered the three males detained for illegal entry into the United States and all three were transported to Runnels County Jail.

Runnels County Crimestoppers offers a cash reward for information which leads to the grand jury indictment or conviction of offenders and the caller does not have to give his or her name. To give a Crimestoppers tip, call your local law enforcement agency at:

Winters Police Department—754-4121

Ballinger Police Department—365-3591

Sheriff's Department—365-2121

## Official Records

### County Court Dispositions

Robert Ogle, assault, dismissed, complaining witness requested dismissal  
Ricci Ogle, theft of merchandise and/or cash by check, dismissed, notice ineffective  
Ronald Michael Novack, possession of marijuana, pleaded nolo contendere, fined \$289.75, plus \$210.25 court costs

### Criminal Cases Filed

January 12  
Kelli Hubach, filed for theft of merchandise by check

### January 13

Tony Cabrera, Jr., filed for assault

### January 14

Belinda Rodriguez, filed for theft of merchandise by check

### January 18

Catherine Plumley, filed for theft of merchandise by check

### District Court

Divorce Cases Filed  
January 14  
Michelle Lee Torres vs. Timothy Torres

### January 21

Fred Harold Poe vs. Sherry Lynn Poe

### Divorces Granted

### January 13

Enrique Patino and Manuela Patino  
Carl David Scarborough and Laura Lee Scarborough  
Bruce Reyes and Juanna Reyes

### Justice of the Peace

#### Precinct 1

#### Criminal Cases Filed

#### January 14

Jason L. Cook, filed for theft by check

Cheryl Key, filed for issuance of a bad check

Jeffrey L. Baker, filed for issuance of bad checks

Guadalupe Landeros, filed for issuance of a bad check

#### January 15

Breelan Peterson, filed for no hunting license

#### January 17

Jeffrey L. Baker, filed for issuance of bad checks

Thomas E. Darnell, filed for issuance of bad checks

Demetrio R. Luna, filed for issuance of bad checks

Todd Jacoby, filed for theft by check

Gene Luna, filed for issuance of bad checks

Dee Ann Luna, filed for issuance of a bad check

Tonia Gatch, filed for theft by check

#### January 16

Wade Edington, filed for driving under the influence, minor, detectable amount of alcohol

Jason Lloyd Beddo, filed for minor consumption of alcohol, detectable amount

Derrick Von King, filed for minor consumption of alcohol, detectable amount

Matthew Joseph Freeman, filed for minor consumption of alcohol, detectable amount


## WATERING, continued

Winters City Council on January 17, City Manager Dr. Aref Hassan told council members that the City has passed Stage I of the Emergency Water Rationing Plan, and this new restriction is Stage

II of four.

Hassan told council members that, according to Davis, the City of Winters still has approximately twenty (20) months of water available.

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11-3(2tp)

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11-3(1c)

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## Extension News & Views

By Rick Minzenmayer, Extension Agent-IPM

### Tips for tree and shrub survival

The Concho Valley is actually in its third year of abnormally dry conditions.

Conditions right now are severe for all plant life including established 20- to 30-year-old trees, shrubs, and turf grasses.

Homeowners are encouraged to deep water their trees at least once every seven to ten days. Grass needs moisture as well to survive but can be easily reestablished if necessary. Trees and shrubs are not easily replaced.

Trees and shrubs are experiencing severe moisture stress and many will die if moisture conditions do not change. Mulches can be used to help in conserving moisture and should be placed around small trees, newly established trees, and shrubs where possible.

A mulch can consist of inorganic or organic materials. Organic mulches include straw, pine needles, and bark. Inorganic mulches include gravel, stone, and even plastic.

Your choice of mulch depends on your personal preferences as to what looks the best and will be readily available. Of the materials listed, sawdust is probably the least desirable because of its ability to rob nitrogen from the garden planting. The key to using sawdust successfully as a mulch is to find well rotted and aged material.

Following is a list of mulching materials, along with their advantages or disadvantages (if any):

**Ground bark**

Inexpensive, attractive, long lasting. Available in chip size or finely ground.

**Peat moss**

Expensive and somewhat difficult to prepare. Initially attractive, but it can dry out, lose aesthetic appeal, and shed water.

**Grass clippings**

Available to most gardeners. Mats quickly, generating heat; disagreeable results if initial application is too thick. Spread thinly, allow to dry before applying to the garden. Do not use fresh clippings in your garden.

**Straw**

One of the best choices. Long lasting, can reduce moisture evaporation by as much as 70%. Will deplete soil nitrogen, which should be replaced by adding nitrogen fertilizer or blood meal.

**Sawdust**

Easy to handle, but can severely deplete nitrogen if not well rotted and aged. Supplemental nitrogen fertilizing may be necessary.

**Plastic film**

Black polyethylene film is an excellent mulch, but unattractive where aesthetics are a consideration. Keeps soil temperatures even, eliminates weeds entirely. Punch holes in it for water penetration.

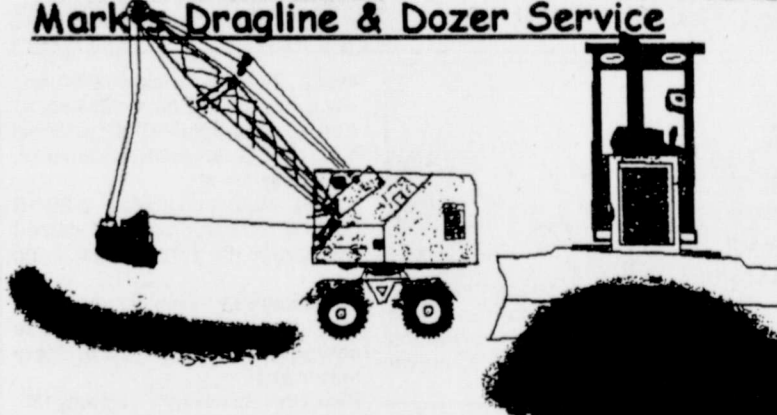
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Readily available, builds humus. Can be shredded or in sheets to desired thickness. Can be held in place by rocks, bricks, soil, etc., and covered for better appearance. The ink actually contains trace minerals beneficial to plant growth.

Using a mulch will certainly help in stabilizing soil temperatures as well as conserving moisture. Fertilization of trees will be very important in the spring as well.

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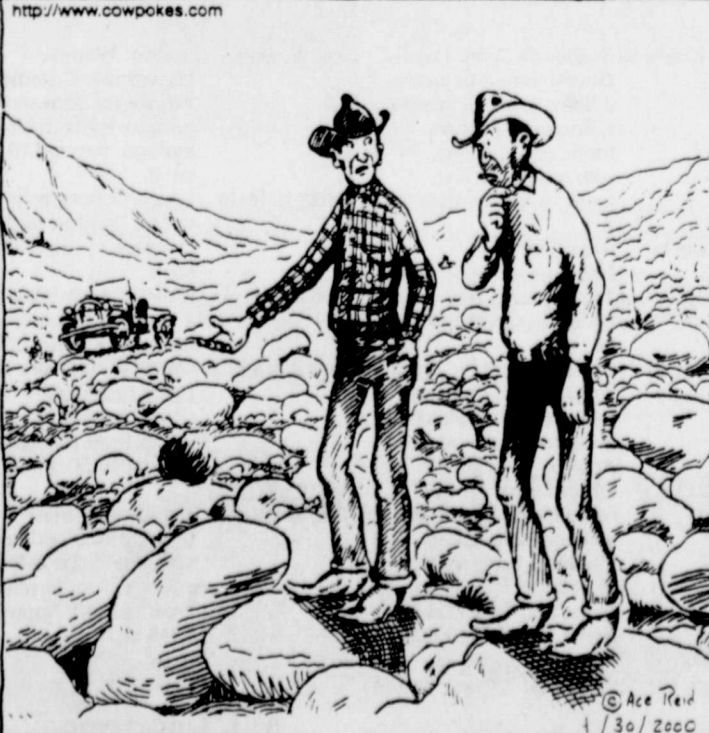
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## Stenholm looks to future as he announces for re-election

Congressman Charlie W. Stenholm announced recently that he would be a candidate for re-election to the U.S. House of Representatives.

In making his announcement, Stenholm cited several accomplishments of the past year in Congress, including passage of legislation to correct the unintended consequences to health care providers included in the Balanced Budget Amendment. "Passing the Balanced Budget Amendment was one of the most important legislative accomplishments of my career. However, we never intended for the BBA to impact health care providers as it did and I am glad to have had a hand in correcting this measure.

Stenholm serves as Ranking Member on the House Agriculture Committee. In this important position, he has a great deal of influence on all agriculture legislation and programs, including the issues of community development and infrastructure. "This makes it possible for me to do so much for my district and for American agriculture. But we still have a lot to do and I look forward to utilizing my seniority to accomplish those goals."

Stenholm also pointed toward accomplishments regarding the oil and gas industry. "I think we have made a lot of positive progress, but we still have a long way to go. However, I think that the relationships that we have built between steel and agriculture and the oil and gas industry will continue to be positive over the next few years."

However, Stenholm spent much of his time speaking about issues of importance to future generations. "My two reasons for



running are my grandsons Cole and Chase," said Stenholm. "There are tremendous issues of great importance that will impact their future. I don't want them to look back and say, 'If only my granddad had done what he knew in his heart he should have done, we wouldn't be in this mess today.'"

In particular, he noted Social Security legislation filed by he and Republican Jim Kolbe of Arizona. "Our bill is the only one with both Democrat and Republican support," noted Stenholm, who went on to add, "Social Security reform is on the most pressing issues that faces us today. If we want to preserve this program for our children and grandchildren, then we have to develop a consensus between our political parties."

"As a father and grandfather, I want to make the future brighter for every child in every family that I represent," said Stenholm. "The most important thing that I can do as your Congressman is to make this country a better place for our sons and daughters."

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## Poe's Corner

By Charlsie Poe

### "Booger Red"

*Editor's note: Continued from January 20, 2000.*

Booger was game and agreed to ride the gray if a purse was made up for him. Four men rode horseback through the crowd and with their Stetson hats gathered two gallons of coins from the excited onlookers, but no one bothered to count the money. Whatever the amount, the little red-headed bronc buster earned his money.

The killer horse started out in the style that had brought him victory a few hours earlier. After about 100 yards, he began fence-throwing. He kept this up until he had churned up several acres of ground.

But the gray's attention was all on the man fixed to his back and the quiring he was taking at every jump—Booger's way of keeping himself in rhythm with the horse's motion.

Finally, the tiring bronc made one last desperate lunge and a high kick, then set out for the corral in a dead run. He stopped at the gate of his own accord and two men held him while the rider got down.

Booger Red was so drained that he had to lean against the fence. The gray had pitched himself blind. No one asked for his money back that day!

Privett's parents were both dead by the time he was 15. When he had a chance to travel from his home in Erath County, with his uncle in a surrey, to West Texas in 1988, he gladly took the opportunity.

He worked for Billy Guest on his Sonora ranch, 100 miles south of San Angelo. In the next two years his fame with horses grew, and all the ranchmen of the area came with their outlaw horses for him to ride.

It was said that Booger Red knew what the horse was thinking before he thought it and can tell how hard he bucks by just looking at him. He warned the ranchers that when a real outlaw once has his spirit broken, he will never be any good afterwards.

When he had saved enough of



his wages (\$.50 a day and board), Booger moved to San Angelo, hitting town like a West Texas tornado. He went to a bootmaker and ordered some boots to fit his size 4 foot.

He also wore leggins but no spurs; the bronc was controlled between his knees with his strong muscles. How good it felt to have a Stetson hat with a brim and a higher crown to protect him from the strong winds.

The remainder of Privett's dress was plain except for a fancy vest, his trademark. Although dramatic in his performance, Booger was quiet in his attire and his voice was a gentle baritone until he baptized some pitching cayuse with his boiling vocabulary.

Privett acquired a wagon yard in San Angelo, on the block between Beaugard and Twohig. His office was the pool hall above the old Arch Light Saloon.

All ranchers knew where to get in touch with him if they needed to tame a horse. The pool hall patrons followed them for some entertainment. Here were Red's first customers.

Booger was proud of his reputation as a horseman, and he enjoyed playing pool with the boys. He smoked a corn cob pipe or chewed mostly on the stub of a cigar; seldom ever lit it. Keeping a promise to his mother, he remained a teetotaler.

A socializer, Red danced and played the guitar for country dances. He entertained the ladies with songs and witty quips. In spite of his looks and midget size, the women admired him and the men respected him.

He was playing the harmonica for a sing song at a preacher's house in Winters when he met his future bride.

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