

Letter to the Editor

Dr. Keith Boles regrets leaving, thankful for kindness & loyalty

Dear Friends and Patients,
 We want to take this opportunity to express our thankfulness for the kindness and loyalty you have shown us for the past two years.
 We have thoroughly enjoyed living and practicing in Winters, and we have strong ties to this town. We regret leaving and hope that you will understand how we reached this decision.
 After two years of practicing medicine in Winters, our practice is only half full. With the cost of malpractice insurance rising exponentially this year, we questioned whether we could continue to meet expenses.
 We have been unable to offer incentives or stability to our staff, which has made it difficult to hire and keep employees. We are especially grateful to our officer manager Renae Coit and part-time nurse Brenda Workman, and former nurses Patti Jo Esquivel and Carla Harris, who have been invaluable in this time of financial uncertainty.
 We have also been unable to purchase immunizations for privately insured children and new equipment to improve the clinic. With so few patients and very little funding for continuing medical education, it is difficult to maintain the medical skills learned during residency.
 All these factors have contributed to the conclusion that it is necessary to close the office. We pray that you will understand how difficult and painful it has been to make this decision.
 Once again, we want to thank you for your concern and expressions of kindness. The people of Winters will always hold a warm place in our hearts.
 Sincerely,
Dr. and Mrs. Keith Boles

In Appreciation

Card of Thanks

Dr. Lee retiring after 27 years of service

After twenty-seven years of serving the community of Winters, I have decided to retire from my medical practice in the interest of my health and desire to slow down during my retirement years.
 As of October 1, 2001, I will close my private practice office and will no longer provide medical services to the hospital and nursing home. I want to thank all for the wonderful support that has been given to me over the decades.
 This difficult decision has brought back many memories of people that I have worked with in the past and the present who've helped shaped my practice since 1974. It was 27 years ago when I decided to move to Winters while I was working at the VA hospital in Big Springs.
 Several Winters hospital board hospital board members including Nelan Bahlman and Lynn Billups came to me asking me to be a physician in Winters. Soon, I opened my practice on West Dale street. My three children, John (1 yr old), Jim (4 yrs old), and Mike (7 yrs old) started school at Winters Elementary and eventually graduated from Winters High.

Katie Minzenmeyer, Diane Davis, and Mrs. Hancock (for Jim); and Ouida Nichols, David Evans, Mike Grantham, and Tommy Lancaster (for Mike). With their help and guidance, they are doing well.
 Professional staff that stand out: past hospital administrators Jim Shook, Clay Miller, Rita Williams, Bob Prewitt, Scott Anderson, Larry Suit, and currently, Dick Stout; a great surgical team including Mitzie Deike, Nelda Poe, Shirley Hall, Billie Brown, Jeanene Laird, Barbara Austin, and Velma Sudduth; the entire past and present nursing staff, laboratory and x-ray department, the EMT/paramedic group, and the kitchen and maintenance staff; and finally Chamber of Commerce and community members including Emma Marks, Ted Meyer, and Bobby Airhart. I obviously can't include everyone, but rest assured all are appreciated.
 I must not forget my fellow physicians with whom I've had the pleasure of working with: C.T. Rives, W.J. Lee, Richard Thorpe, Jerry Biddix, and Keith Boles. I thank you for all the knowledge and expertise shared.
 And I absolutely cherish having Louise Davis at the West Dale clinic, Pat McGuffin, Patsy Roberson, and especially Charlotte Barker for their years of dedicated service to me. An absolutely top notch, caring staff that I will never forget.

I sincerely thank everyone who has supported me and my family through the years. I would like to extend my gratitude for the many teachers of my children, such as Joyce Krause, Marthial Russell, and Ann Shackelford (for John);

My clinic staff and I will be happy to help you transfer medical records to new physicians in the weeks to come. It's been an incredible past 27 years, and I wish the best of luck to all of Winters in the future.
Y.K. Lee, M.D.

Card of Thanks

A special "thank you" for the memorial donations made to the Winters Senior Citizen Activity Center in memory of James A. Chisum.
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The Winters High School cheerleaders and mascot would like to thank the many, many Blizzard fans who supported their Hamburger Supper on Friday night before the Goldthwaite game.
 Over 630 meals were served, one of our biggest turnouts ever. The proceeds will go towards the purchase of our equipment, uniforms, and camp.
 In addition, we'd like to thank our parents and family for helping to prepare and serve the meal. A great big thank you goes to Ms. Beth Wortham, our sponsor, for all of her hard work in planning and helping with the supper. Thanks again.
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Tuesday-Sept. 18
Muffin
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Wednesday-Sept. 19
Sausage & Biscuit
Juice
Thursday-Sept. 20
Cinnamon Roll
Banana
Friday-Sept. 21
Toaster Strudel
Cereal
Juice

Lunch
Monday-Sept. 17
Chicken Strips & Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Broccoli w/Cheese
Hot Roll
Ice Cream
Tuesday-Sept. 18
Bar-B-Q on Bun
Chips
Fruit Salad
Pickles & Onions
Blonde Brownie
Wednesday-Sept. 19
Sliced Turkey & Dressing
Whole Potatoes
Green Beans
Hot Roll
Banana Pudding
Thursday-Sept. 20
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Friday-Sept. 21
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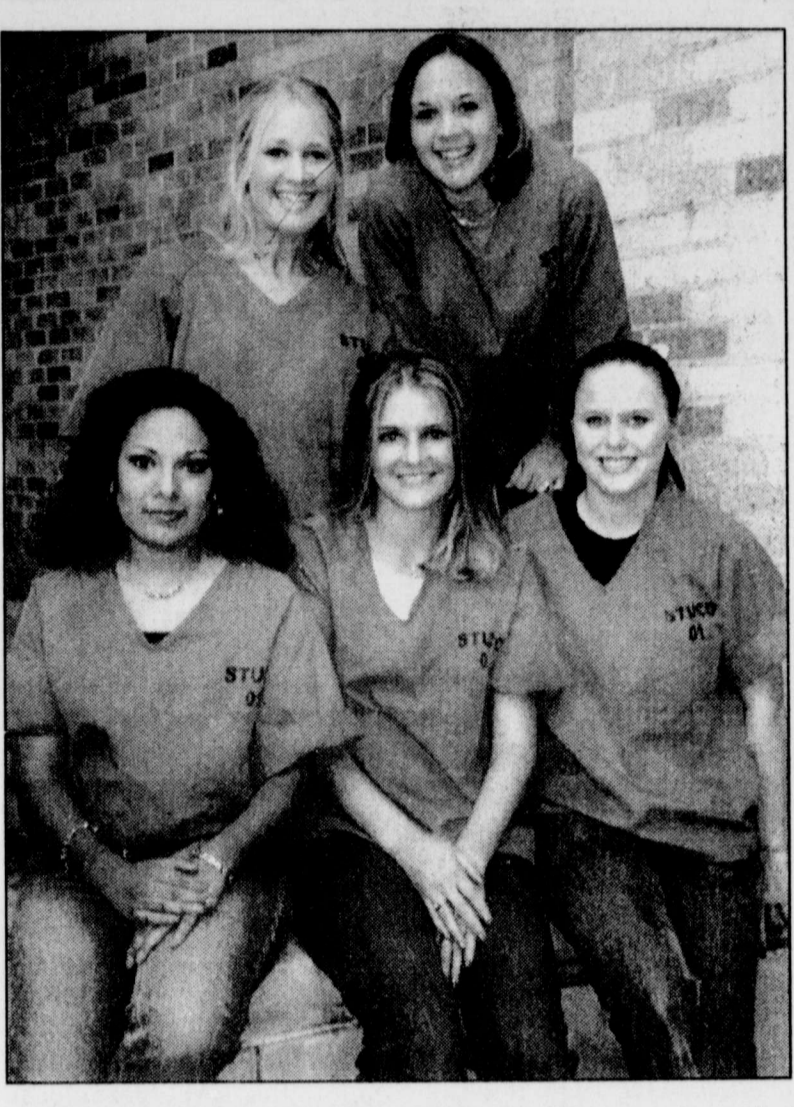
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Band Boosters will meet at 7:00 p.m. at the band hall on the third Monday of every other month, beginning September 17, 2001. Parents of band members and all band supporters are encouraged to attend the meetings. Upcoming events and fund-raisers will be discussed.

Winters Public Library
120 N. Main
Monday-Thursday 1-6 pm
Saturday 10 am-Noon

Blizzard Band Member of the Week

Veronica Flores
WHS Junior Trumpet player in Winters bands from 5-11th grades



TOP INMATES AT THE WHS J.A.I.L. are (top, l-r) historian Jena Bahlman, vice-president Staci Bishop, (bottom) parliamentarian Isha Lara, student body president Mandy Pritchard, and secretary-treasurer Kelly Walker. These WHS Student Council officers created the J.A.I.L. theme, which stands for Jumping Ahead In Leadership, at camp this summer. The group is advised by Rhea Parramore.

Ladies medal two at ACU Classic, finish sixth in meet

The Winters cross-country teams ran in the Abilene Christian University Classic at Sherrod Park in Abilene on Saturday. The Ladies again had two medalists with Marie Llanas placing seventh and Briana Parramore tenth. The Blizzards had four runners compete as did the junior girls at 11:45 a.m. Results of last week's meet are as follows:

Lady Blizzards
7th, Marie Llanas, 14:20
10th, Briana Parramore, 16:41
48th, Lacey Meyer, 16:41
50th, Kari Walker, 16:48
52nd, Katy Wilkerson, 16:53
53rd, Kendra Esquivel, 16:55
58th, Ashley Santoya, 17:28
59th, Macy Hopson, 17:29
60th, Tina Perrie, 17:31
73rd, Marci Paschal, 18:32
81st, Kat Hatler, 19:12

Blizzards
47th, Jose Hernandez, 21:29
62nd, Tim Fenwick, 22:03
86th, Adam Solorzano, 23:07
90th, Max Harrison, 23:16

Junior High
Bryce Wilkerson, 7:13
Justin Fenwick, 7:45
Jonathan Meyer, 8:11
Kindy Walker, 8:33

Winters will compete at Seabee Park in Abilene on Saturday in a meet hosted by McMurry. The park is off of West Lake Road on FM 600. Varsity boys will run at 9:30 a.m. followed by varsity girls at 10:50 a.m. JV girls run at 11:10 a.m., eighth grade boys at 11:30 a.m., and eighth grade

Ex-cheerleaders and twirlers to perform at Homecoming game

The Winters Exes Association is seeking all Winters High School ex-cheerleaders and ex-twirlers to perform their routines to the Blizzard Fight Song at halftime of the 2001 Homecoming. Homecoming is scheduled for Friday, October 12, when Winters will play host to Hawley. The cheerleader exes are asked to wear Blizzard blue shirts and jeans (or their old uniform) and bring their pom-poms for the performance. Cheerleaders should contact Christy (Collins) Lindley at 754-4959 or <christycollins.lindley@hotmail.com> for more information. Twirlers should plan to wear white shirts and jeans (or their old uniforms) and bring their batons for the halftime performance. Twirlers can contact Jean (Mostad) Boles at 754-4958 or <wintersenterpriz@aol.com> for more information. Both the ex-cheerleaders and twirlers will meet under the home bleachers to practice the fight song routine with five minutes remaining in the first half of the game. So start searching now for those "old" pom-poms, batons and uniforms. Begin brushing up on the routine you can never forget (though you may need your memory jogged). And stretch—stretch—stretch.

JV takes loss at Goldthwaite

The Winters JV Blizzards turned the ball over four times and lost 44-0 to the Goldthwaite Eagles last Thursday evening. The JV Blizzards will play in Mason tonight beginning at 6:30 p.m. Stats for the Blizzards were as follows:

Rushing
Blizzards-19 for 50 yds.
Max Harrison 12 for 26 yds.
Basilio Rocha 4 for 12 yds.
Lance Roberts 3 for 12 yds.
Passing
Blizzards-Lance Roberts, 4/9 for 37 yds.
Receivers
Brandon Davis 1 for 13 yds.
Tim Medina 2 for 19 yds.
Basilio Rocha 1 for 5 yds.

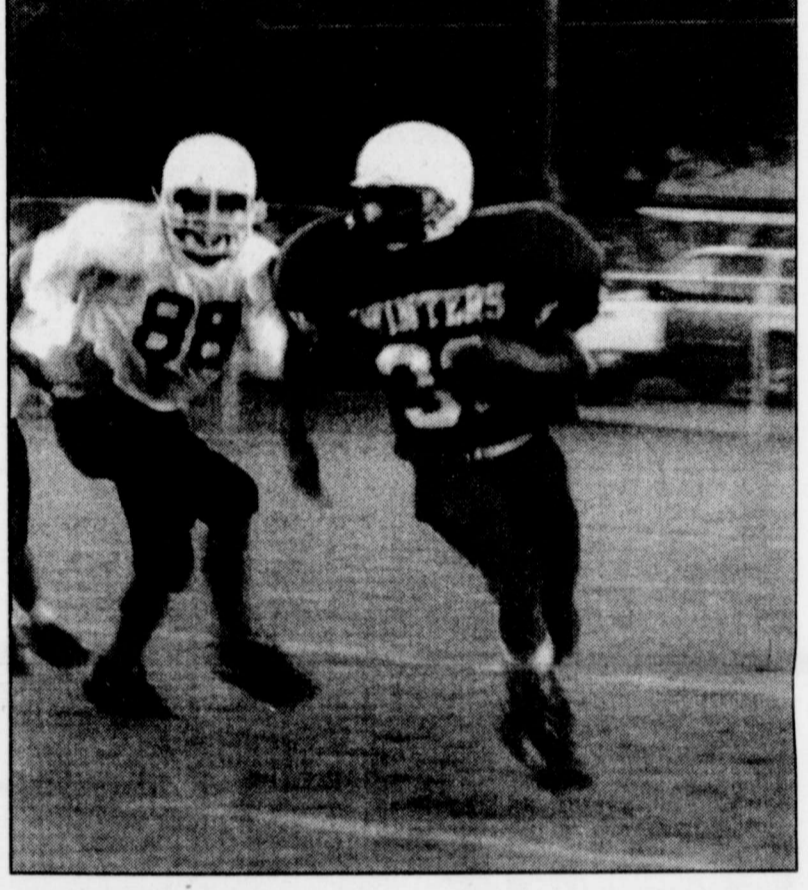
Directions to Mason Field

Football fans traveling to Mason in support of the Winters teams may find the following information useful. From Brady stay on Highway 87 to Mason. In Mason, you will curve around the courthouse, go 2 1/2 miles, then turn left off of Highway 87 to the city park. The football stadium sits to the right side of the city park. As a final reminder, of course, if all else fails: Look for the high stadium lights.

Student body J.A.I.L.ed by WHS Student Council

J.A.I.L.—Jumping Ahead In Leadership

The Winters High School Student Council is taking all the prisoners it can get—and the organization means business. Creating a J.A.I.L. theme at student council camp in San Angelo last June, Student Council officers want WHS students to be *Jumping Ahead In Leadership* before the school year is over. Student council officers are president Mandy Pritchard, vice-president Staci Bishop, secretary-treasurer Kelly Walker, parliamentarian Isha Lara, and historian Jena Bahlman. Rhea Parramore is sponsor. Elected class representatives are Cody Pritchard, Jeremy Mendoza, Amber Leverett and April Leverett from the freshman class, and Eric Lopez, Francisco Santos, Raquel Rios, and Briana Parramore from the sophomore class. Reps for the junior class are Guy Slimp, Heather Martin, and Lydia Rocha and senior class representative is Juanita Armendariz. Officers greeted and assisted parents during "Meet the Teachers Night" as one of their first projects of the year. In addition, they have ordered calendars, electrical safety CDs, and safety book covers for both elementary and secondary teachers as an energy project. Tuesday morning's meeting encouraged officers and representatives to "Bring A Friend" to boost participation. Approximately 30 students attended. In conjunction with the cheerleaders, WHS student council sponsors prizes for the most spirited students who dress according to the theme of the week on Fridays. Last week's winner was Laci Walker. The group meets Tuesdays at 6 p.m. in the high school auditorium. All students are encouraged to attend.



DAVID SCATES #32 heads up field during 8th grade Breezes action against Goldthwaite Thursday night. Winters defeated the Eagles 12-10 in their first game of the season.

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Mr. and Mrs. B.D. Jobe to celebrate golden wedding anniversary with reception



Mr. & Mrs. B. D. Jobe
September 1951

Mr. and Mrs. B.D. Jobe celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, and will be honored with a reception hosted by their family on Saturday, September 15, 2001, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

In February of 1951, a young lady, Gloria Ruth Henderson, met a young man, Byron Davis Jobe, at the bowling alley in Winters. They were married later that year on September 5, 1951.

The bowling alley may be long gone and forgotten, but their marriage blossomed into 50 wonderful years of children, grandchildren, laughter, and love. Ruth and B.D. are now content to spend most of their time watching their donkeys and enjoying the company of their family and friends.

Hosting the celebration will be their children and grandchildren including Archie Jobe and wife Doyleene and their children, Lori Winkler and her husband Davy and Austin Jobe and his wife Amber; Byron Douglas Jobe and his wife Jeri and their children, Allyson, Stacy, and Donnie; and Carey Jobe and his wife Becky and their children, Cade and Kearci.

B.D. and Ruth would be honored to have friends from the community join in their celebration. No gifts please. Your presence will be gift enough.



Mr. & Mrs. B. D. Jobe
September 2001

The practice of Keith A. Boles, M.D. will close permanently on Wednesday, September 19, 2001.

Until then, we will be open the following days:
Friday, September 14,
Tuesday, September 18,
and Wednesday, September 19.

If you would like a copy of your **medical records**, call the office or sign your name on the list at the clinic. Please understand that we need time to make the copies.

If you need to **renew a prescription**, please contact the clinic by September 19.

We are sorry for the inconvenience. We have truly enjoyed practicing in Winters and we leave with great sadness. Thank you for being our patients and friends.

Sincerely,
Keith A. Boles, M.D. & Staff



Reverend & Mrs. Merriel H. Abbott

Abbotts celebrate 50th wedding anniversary

The Reverend and Mrs. Merriel H. Abbott of Lubbock celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, September 1, 2001, with a reception at St. Luke's United Methodist Church. Their children served as hosts for the event.

Reverend Abbot and the former Daren Mayhew were married on September 5, 1951, in Drasco.

The couple has four children: Kenneth Abbott of Crane; Dr. Mark Abbott of Madrid, Spain; Paula Hawkins of Lubbock; and Melinda Reed of Thornton, Colorado. They have eight grandchildren.



Linsey Brown graduates Baylor magna cum laude

Baylor University awarded 554 academic degrees to students at the 2001 summer graduation, according to figures from the university registrar.

Among those awarded was Linsey Nicole Brown of Winters. She graduated magna cum laude with a bachelor of science degree in education.

Linsey is the daughter of Charlie and Laura Brown.

2002 Project Graduation has spirit items for sale

Project Graduation 2002 has Blizzard socks and spirit ribbons on sale for the 2001 football season. Blizzard socks are \$6.50 a pair.

Ribbons are 1/2 inch wide and 24 inches long with Winters and Blizzards printed on either side. A variety of uses have been suggested including using as hair ribbons, bows under player buttons, and displaying them on car antennas as well.

Anyone interested in purchasing the spirit items should contact Melinda Hoppe at 754-4123, Deb Pritchard at 754-5243, or Sandy Mesey at 743-6393.

Army Sergeant O'Dell medaled on two different occasions

Sergeant Byron C. (Clay) O'Dell, son of Tommy O'Dell of Wingate and the late Garland O'Dell, has received recognition from the United States Army for meritorious service. He was awarded the Army Achievement Medal for possibly saving the life of a fellow soldier and the Army Commendation Medal for 1st Place Tank Crew for Texas.

While on a weekend drill in the field, a young man's spleen ruptured and O'Dell's quick actions in taking the soldier to the nearest hospital spared him from excessive pain and suffering, and, due to the extent of the illness, possibly saved his life. "Sergeant O'Dell's high professional standards and outstanding performance reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army," says James M. Thatcher, Commanding Lt.

Colonel.

Sergeant O'Dell also received the Army Commendation Medal for working tirelessly to ensure the success of his crew in obtaining the highest score in the Battalion on Tank Table VIII during Annual Training 2001 Gunnery. John T. Furlow, Commanding Colonel, states "he (O'Dell) maintained a continuous positive attitude under adverse conditions and boosted the moral of those around him. His tireless efforts, professionalism, and dedication to duty are a credit to himself, his unit, the Texas Army National Guard, and the United States Army."

Sergeant O'Dell and his family reside in San Angelo where he is employed at Hershfield Steel. O'Dell is stationed in the Army National Guard in Brownwood and Brady.

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Outdoors

Runnels County cotton tour scheduled for Tuesday

Dryland cotton variety tests and a defoliation demonstration will be two highlights of Texas Cooperative Extension's Runnels County Cotton Tour here September 18. Tour participants should meet at the Runnels County Courthouse by 9:00 a.m. The group will then travel to area farms to view the demonstration work.

Those attending the entire day's activities will be eligible for two Texas Department of Agricultural Continuing Edu-

cation Units (CEU's) toward their commercial or private applicator's license.

A complimentary noon meal is scheduled in Rowena's SPJST Hall following the morning tour. The day's activities will wrap-up with an educational program taught by several San Angeloans. They include: Dr. Chris Sansone, Extension entomologist, Jason Johnson, Extension economist and Randall Schwartz, Boll Weevil Eradication zone man-

ager. The day will conclude with presentations by chemical and seed company representatives.

So an accurate count can be made, persons planning to attend the program should RSVP by September 14 to the Runnels County Cooperative Extension office at (915)365-2219 or call Rick Minzenmayer, Runnels/Tom Green Extension entomologist at (915)365-5212.

Sheep and goat internal parasite clinic set for Thursday, September 20, in Ballinger

The Runnels County Livestock and Wildlife Protection Committee will sponsor a sheep and goat parasite clinic on Thursday, September 20, at the Ballinger Community Center beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Dr. Frank Craddock, Extension Sheep and Goat Specialist of San Angelo will discuss internal parasites of sheep and goats as well as methods for

controlling these pest.

Dr. Craddock will also conduct an in-depth clinic on collecting and analyzing fecal samples for worm burdens in sheep and goats. Participants should bring fresh fecal samples collected that morning in ziplock bags.

The best method for collecting samples is to take a zip-

lock bag and turn it inside out, place your hand in the bag and collect one sample, pull your hand back through the back turning it right side out and zip it shut. Please store in a cool place. Two to three samples should be sufficient.

Please RSVP to the Extension office at (915)365-2219 by Tuesday, September 18.

Lipan-Kickapoo Water Conservation District adopts reduced tax rate

The Lipan-Kickapoo Water Conservation District met in regular session Tuesday, September 4, 2001, in Vancourt. The main item of business was the adoption of a budget for the 2001-2002 fiscal year. Both

Runnels County directors were present along with directors from Concho and Tom Green counties.

The main result of the meeting was the adoption of a reduced tax rate for the District.

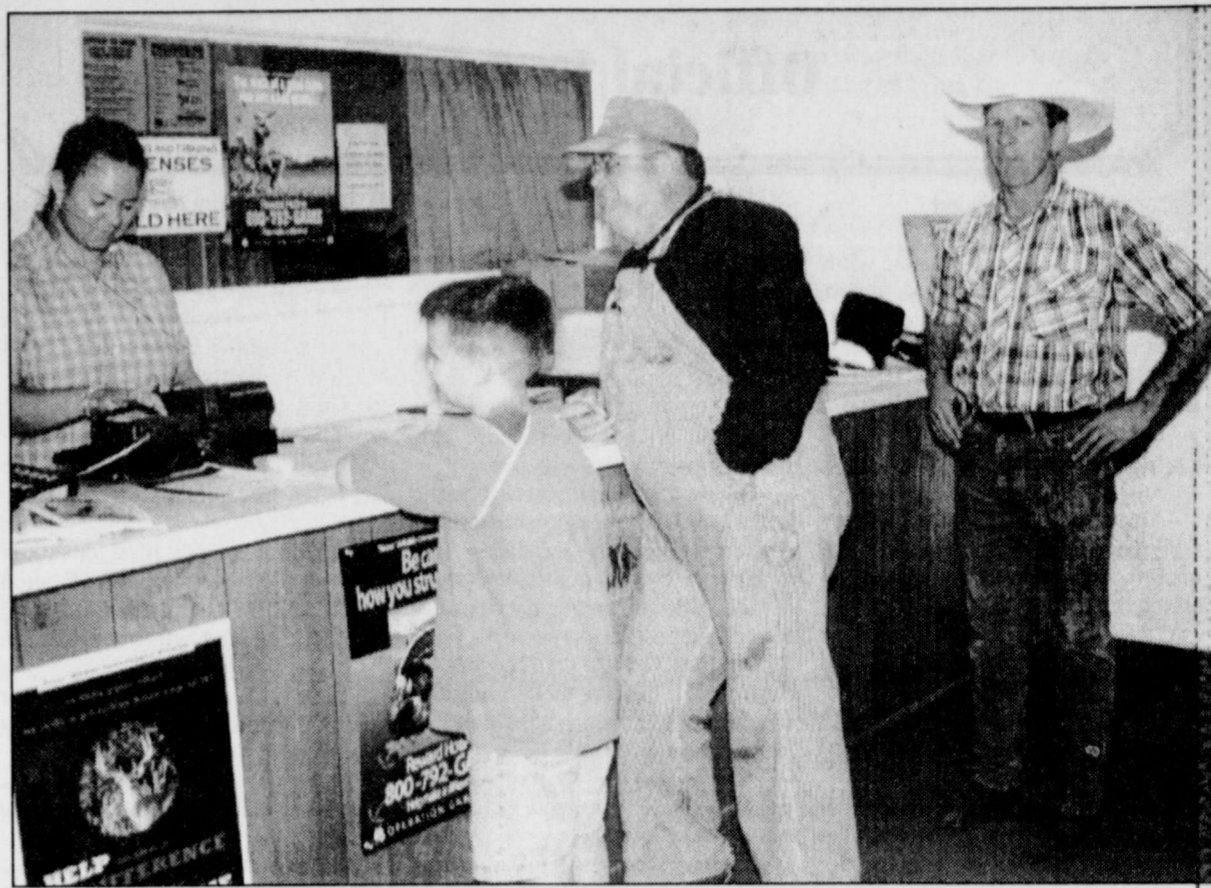
The old rate was .043 per \$100 evaluation. The new tax rate is .035 per \$100 evaluation.

While most other taxing units are considering raising taxes it was refreshing the LKWCD was able to reduce taxes for property owners. It was also discussed the district may be able to lower the tax rate even further in the future.

Manager Allen Lange reviewed the underground water situation within the District. There are approximately 78 wells used to monitor water levels.

The water levels in these test wells are at their lowest levels since records were initiated during 1991. Three of these wells dropped over 40 feet during the month of July. Overall the test wells dropped an average of 5 to 7 feet during the month of August.

The Runnels County part of the LKWCD has only four test wells at present. These wells are located in the Rowena and Olfen area. Water levels within these four wells have remained fairly constant. More test wells will be added as time permits until approximately 30 are located throughout Runnels County. Test wells are presently being monitored monthly.



HIS FIRST HUNTING LICENSE is a pretty big deal to Cannon Bryan, age 8, as he waits with dad, Doug Bryan, for his license to be issued by Jennifer Prewit, employee of Alderman-Cave. Also in line is Roger Kruse (right). Opening day for dove season was September 1, and hunters report good to above average hunting in the area.

Predator Contest underway through Jan. 6

The Runnels County Livestock and Wildlife Protection Committee and the Sheep and Goat Commodity Board are sponsoring a predator contest that began September 1.

The contest will award points for predators taken in Runnels County and prizes will be given to the hunter who turns in the highest point total. Points will be awarded for coyotes (100 points ea.), bobcats (20 points ea.), red or gray fox

(10 points ea.), feral hogs (10 points ea.), and raccoons (5 points ea.).

Hunters will take their catches to Star Stop Texaco or Ballinger Feed and Seed where an employee will observe and ear mark each animal and record points. Points will be rewarded to the person registering the animal.

Prizes for the contest consist of: 1st place—\$400; 2nd place—\$300; 3rd place—

\$200; and 4th place—\$100. The contest will run from September 1, 2001 to January 6, 2002. Individuals must be 18 years of age to participate.

This group will again sponsor a gun raffle with proceeds to benefit the Runnels County trapper fund. Tickets will be \$5.00 each and are available at the Extension office, 365-2219, or from a member of the Livestock and Wildlife Protection Committee.

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In the grid below, twenty words can be found that fit the category for today. Circle each word that you find and list it in the space provided at the right of the grid. Words can be found in all directions—forward, backwards, horizontally, vertically and diagonally. An example is given to get you started. Can you find today's 20 words?

Today's Category: **YOUNG ANIMALS**

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Law & Order

Official Records

County Court Dispositions

Jesus F. Moreno, driving while intoxicated, case dismissed, defendant has not been re-arrested
 Marcus R. Stadlerman, theft, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Bobby Lee Gillespie, driving while license suspended, case dismissed, defendant has not been re-arrested
 Anita Allison George, driving while license suspended, case dismissed, defendant has not been re-arrested
 Charlie Ruben George, theft, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Santos Nava, driving while intoxicated, case dismissed, defendant has not been re-arrested
 Adrian Martin Rodriguez, possession of marijuana, case dismissed, defendant convicted in another case
 Juan Cervantes Delgado, driving while intoxicated, pleaded nolo contendere, sentenced to six months in county jail probated to two years, fined \$750, plus \$235.25 court costs and 50 hours community service
 Eusebio Reyna, driving while license suspended, case dismissed, defendant convicted in another case
 Recardo Jesse Gonzalez, driving while intoxicated, pleaded not guilty, found not guilty by jury
 John D. Smithers III, theft by check, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Paula Rankin, theft by check, case

dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 John G. Cox, theft by check, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Doyle Adkins, theft by check, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Ruben Niavez, theft, case dismissed, insufficient evidence
 Bobby Dee Kolb, driving while license suspended, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Darrell Green, public lewdness, pleaded nolo contendere, placed on deferred adjudication for two years, fined \$1,000 plus \$210.25 court costs
 Robert L. Guerra, theft of services by check, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Andrew J. Titus, theft of services by check, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Patricia Staats, theft of merchandise by check, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Mrs. Wayne Langston, theft of groceries by check, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
 Andrew J. Titus, theft of groceries, gas and/or cash by check, case dismissed, defendant has not been arrested
Criminal Cases Filed
September 6
 Mario Antonio Garcia, filed for driving while license suspended
September 7
 Joe Paxton Adams, filed for criminal trespass

Dennis Griffin, filed for assault on a member of household
Justice of the Peace Precinct 1 Criminal Cases Filed
September 1
 Billy J. Huey, filed for failure to produce hunter safety certification
 Matthew B. Langley, filed for failure to produce hunter safety certification
 Alexis A. Logan, filed for failure to produce hunter safety certification
 Kenneth L. Logan, filed for failure to produce hunter safety certification
September 2
 Jerry DeWayne Martin, filed for exceeding daily bag limit, mourning dove, 12
 Darryl Wayne Jeanes, filed for exceeding daily bag limit, mourning dove, 12
 George B. Haney, filed for exceeding daily bag limit, mourning dove, 5
 Charles S. Sullivan, filed for exceeding daily bag limit, mourning, 2
 Charles D. Sullivan, filed for exceeding daily bag limit, mourning dove, 3
 Edward L. Stewart, filed for no hunting license
 Daxton Darrell Shaw, filed for driving under the influence, minor, consumption, detectable amount
 Melissa Ann Serrano, filed for minor in consumption of alcohol, detectable amount
 Ricky Eugene Lacy, Jr., filed for minor in consumption of alcohol, detectable amount
September 3
 Franklin Thomas Shaffer, filed for exceeding daily bag limit, mourning dove, 16
 Lloyd Knox McMullen, Jr., filed for exceeding daily bag limit, mourning dove, 16
 Haley Lynn Lacy, failure to produce hunter safety certification
Small Claims Cases Filed
September 7
 Citizens State Bank vs. Laura Bell, deficiency default on loan

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF INTENT TO DEMOLISH
412 East Pierce, Winters, Runnels County, Texas
 Notice is hereby given that on **September 25, 2001**, the City of Winters will demolish the structure located at above named location. It has been identified as a dangerous premises in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 3 Article 3.400 Section 4.401 (a-d) (Substandard Building) of the City Code of Ordinances. If any interested parties have questions and/or comments, contact City Hall before September 25, 2001, at 310 S. Main, Winters, Texas 79567, or call 915-754-4424, Monday thru Friday, 8:00 a.m. til 5:00 p.m. **12-36(2tc)**

PUBLIC NOTICE
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF RUNNELS
 NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of Section 144.044, Agriculture Code, Vernon's Texas Codes Annotated, all livestock brands registered in Runnels County have expired as of August 30, 2001. Producers have from now through February 28, 2002, to re-register their brands at the County Clerk's Office at a fee of \$11.00 per brand. Office hours are 8:30 a.m.-12:00 Noon and 1:00 p.m. - 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Brands not reregistered on or before February 28, 2002, will become null and void, and can then be claimed and registered by anyone.
 DATED this 31st day of August, 2001.
 Elesia Ocker
 Runnels County Clerk
12-36(4tc)

PUBLIC NOTICE
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF RUNNELS
 WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Runnels County is charged by Section 42.001 of the Texas Election Code to divide the county into convenient election precincts; and
 WHEREAS, it is necessary to change boundaries of the existing county election precincts and create certain new election precincts in Runnels County to comply with Section 42.005 and Section 42.032 of the Texas Election Code (Section 42.005 states that a county election precinct may not contain territory from more than one commissioner precinct and justice precinct, and since the recent redistricting by Runnels County, all precincts affected by the change must be redrawn); and
 WHEREAS, it is necessary we limit confusion and provide fair access to all voting locations.
THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED by the Commissioners Court of Runnels County that the previous order of election precinct division be amended to read: Runnels County, Texas, shall be divided into 10 county precincts in accordance with existing commissioner, state senate, and U.S. congressional district lines.
 These changes will be implemented on January 1, 2002.
 Additional information, including a copy of the map of the new election precincts, may be acquired at the County Clerk's office at (915) 365-2720.
12-35(3tc)

TIPS accepting donations for chances on tool box & groceries
 The Winters Elementary TIPS program will be taking donations for chances on an aluminum pickup bed toolbox and \$100 worth of groceries at all home JV and varsity football games.
 The toolbox has been donated by Contico and the groceries are a donation from Lawrence Bros. IGA.
 Donations of \$1/chance, \$5/6 chances, and \$10/12 chances are being accepted on the toolbox. Chances are 50¢/chance, \$2/5 chances, and \$5/12 chances are being taken for the groceries.
 Winners for both prizes will be drawn at the end of the third quarter of the Homecoming game vs. Hawley on Friday, October 12.

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, September 3, 2001, through Saturday, September 8, 2001. Winters Police Officers:
 • received a report of an assault at the Community Center. A 19-year-old Winters female reported being struck about the head and body after an argument escalated into a physical altercation with a Winters male. Injuries were observed to the female. The male was arrested for assault causing bodily injury and taken to Runnels County Jail.
 • received report of a domestic disturbance in the 400 block of Main Street. Injuries were observed to a female subject of Snyder who reported that a male subject had struck her about the face. No explanation was given for the attack. The male, Antonio Silva, Jr. of Snyder was arrested for felony assault family violence and taken to Runnels County Jail.
 • located a warrant subject in the 300 block of Tinkle Street. Orlan Torres of Winters was arrested for probation warrant and taken to Runnels County Jail.
 • observed and stopped a 1980 Datsun car for a traffic violation on North Main Street. The driver attempted to conceal his identity as he was wanted for a parole violation out of Uvalde County. The driver, Alfonso Delgado of Abilene, was arrested for the parole violation and for failure to identify and taken to Runnels County Jail.
 • stopped a 1974 Chevy car on North Main Street for a traffic violation. After contacting the driver, officers detected an odor of alcohol on the driver who was offered subsequently failed several field sobriety tasks. The driver, Anselmo DeLaCruz of Brownwood, was arrested for driving while intoxicated and taken to Runnels County Jail.
 • received a report of vandalism in the 200 block of Roberts Street. A Winters male alleged person(s) unknown had shot out a window of his pickup with a BB gun. This is under investigation as criminal mischief.
 • stopped a 1996 Toyota car for a traffic violation on North Main Street. An odor of alcohol was detected on the driver who was offered a field sobriety task. The driver, Chris Lujano, was not deemed to be intoxicated, but due to his age was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol detectable amount and taken to Runnels County Jail.
 • while returning from the Runnels County Jail after booking a D.U.I. arrest, officers observed a 1980 Chevy car commit numerous traffic violations. An odor of alcohol was detected on the driver who also exhibited signs of intoxication. The driver was offered and subsequently failed several field sobriety tasks. Harvey Sparks, Jr. of Winters was arrested for driving while intoxicated and taken to Runnels County Jail. Two passengers in the vehicle identified as John Anderson and Patricia Wright, both of Winters, were arrested for public intoxication and taken to Runnels County Jail.
 • received report of a disturbance in the 500 block of South Melwood Street. A 48-year-old Winters male reported that a male subject known to him entered his home and began shouting profanities at him. The male subject was contacted and admitted to the allegations. A warrant was obtained and Joe Adams of Winters was arrested for the warrant and taken to Runnels County Jail.
 • received report of domestic disturbance in the 400 block of Lamar Street. A 22-year-old Winters female alleged being struck about the face and body by a 30-year-old male known to her. Injuries were observed to the female. The male was contacted and deemed to have committed family violence. The male, Rodger Cambell, Jr. of Winters, was arrested for assault causing bodily injury and taken to the Runnels County Jail.
 • stopped a 1996 Pontiac car on state highway 153 for a traffic violation. During a consent search under two ounces of marijuana was located in a compartment of the vehicle. A further search by the department's narcotics K-9 revealed a large amount of cash with narcotics residue. The driver, Waylon Parrott of Lubbock, was arrested for possession of marijuana and the narcotics and cash were seized. Forfeiture of the cash is pending a district court notification.

Ballinger's Annual Garage Sale
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NOTICE OF SALE
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF RUNNELS
 BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED September 4, 2001, and issued pursuant to judgment decrees of the District Court of Runnels County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on September 4, 2001, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in October, 2001, the same being the 2nd day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Ballinger, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Runnels and the State of Texas, to-wit:

CAUSE NO.	STYLING OF CASE AND PROPERTY DESCRIPTION
3605	Winters Independent School District et al vs. Juan Ochoa, Maria Ochoa, Winters State Bank, Lienholder (In Rem Only), Juan Ochoa, Jr., Individually and as an Heir to the Estates of Juan Ochoa and Maria Ochoa (In Rem Only), Linda Rodriguez, Individually and as an Heir to the Estates of Juan Ochoa and Maria Ochoa (In Rem Only) and Raul Ochoa, Individually and as an Heir to the Estates of Juan Ochoa and Maria Ochoa (In Rem Only) and Alejandro Ochoa, Individually and as an Heir to the Estates of Juan Ochoa and Maria Ochoa (In Rem Only) Abstract 232 of the Thomas Green Survey AKA Lot 29, Block 490, 210 feet by 105 feet South and East 60 feet by 105 feet of East Side of Tract, Runnels County, Texas (Vol. 585, Page 212 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas)
3695	Winters Independent School District et al vs. Kenneth Plumley, Bonnie Plumley, Christal D. Luna and Fred Luna West 20 feet of North 60 feet of Lot 13, and North 60 feet of Lot 14, Block 5, South Side Addition to the City of Winters, Runnels County, Texas (Vol. 66, Page 131 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas)
3795	Winters Independent School District et al vs. C.L. Black, the Unknown Heirs to the Estate of Charles L. Black aka C.L. Black, deceased, Harold Black (In Rem Only), J.W. Black (In Rem Only), Stella Mae Cook (In Rem Only), Hazel Black (In Rem Only), Joe Black and Vita Black 60 feet by 208 feet, also known as Block 4, Original Townsite of Wingate, Runnels County, Texas (Vol. 487, Page 752 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas)
3860	County of Runnels et al vs. Raul Ortega and Juanita Alberta Martinez Lot 9, Block 1, Vancil Addition to the City of Winters, Runnels County, Texas (Vol. 439, Page 219 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas)
3979	County of Runnels et al vs. John Evrard, The Unknown Heirs to the Estate of John Evrard, deceased, William Evrard, Individually and as an Heir to the Estate of John Evrard (In Rem Only), Steve Evrard, Individually and as an Heir to the Estate of John Evrard (In Rem Only) Part of Lot 3, Block 8, Dale West Addition to the City of Winters, Runnels County, Texas (Vol. 552, Page 377 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas)
4077	Winters Independent School District et al vs. Candace Carver aka Kandace Chancey aka Kandace Sheppard Part of Lot 1, Block 5, and part of Lot 1, Block 6, Dale and Bright Addition to the City of Winters, Runnels County, Texas (Vol. 300, Page 494 of the Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas)

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest 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 September 4, 2001, at Ballinger, Texas.
 By *[Signature]*
 SHERIFF, Runnels County, Texas
 DEPUTY

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NOTICE OF REQUIREMENT TO COMPLY WITH THE SUBDIVISION SERVICE EXTENSION POLICY OF NORTH RUNNELS WATER SUPPLY CORP.

Pursuant to Chapter 13.2502 of the Texas Water Code, North Runnels Water Supply Corporation hereby gives notice that any person who subdivides land by dividing any lot, tract, or parcel of land, within the service area of North Runnels Water Supply Corporation, Certificate of Convenience and Necessity No. 11128, in Runnels and South Taylor Counties, into two or more lots or sites for the purpose of sale or development, whether immediate or future, including re-subdivision of land for which a plat has been filed and recorded or requests more than two water connections on a single contiguous tract of land must comply with service extension policy (the "Subdivision Policy") contained in North Runnels Water Supply Corporation's tariff.

North Runnels Water Supply Corporation is not required to extend retail water service to a service applicant in a subdivision where the developer of the subdivision has failed to comply with the Subdivision Policy.

Applicable elements of the Subdivision Policy include:

- Evaluation by North Runnels Water Supply Corporation of the impact a proposed subdivision service extension will make on North Runnels Water Supply Corporation's water supply and payment of the costs for this evaluation;
- Payment of reasonable costs or fees by the developer for providing water supply capacity;
- Payment of fees for reserving water supply capacity;
- Forfeiture of reserved water supply capacity for failure to pay applicable fees;
- Payment of costs of any improvements to North Runnels Water Supply Corporation's system that are necessary to provide the water;
- Construction according to design approved by North Runnels Water Supply Corporation and dedication by the developer of water within the subdivision following inspection.

North Runnels Water Supply Corporation's tariff and a map showing North Runnels Water Supply Corporation's service area may be reviewed at North Runnels Water Supply Corporation's office, at 1020 N. Main, Winters, Tx; the tariff and service area map also are filed of record at the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission in Austin, Texas and may be reviewed by contacting the TNRCC, c/o Utility Rates and Services Section, Water Utilities Division, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711.

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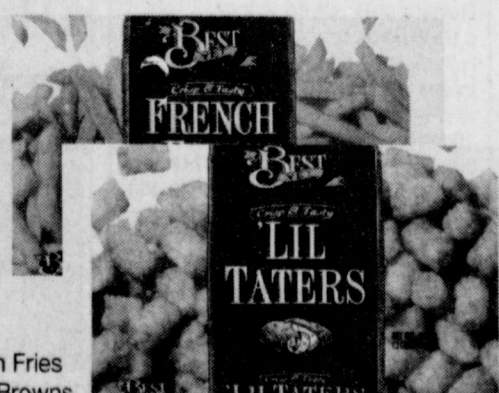


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