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Stragglers Sought Census Here Complet
, Vic Montgomery Clu Summer Planned
Ce en earidence 1950


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New offiers were chosen and
plans made for the summer rop ernoon, with the exception of
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away at the etime the eenusus tak.
ers called and in the oil and pipe- ing programs at a meeting of the
Ozona Roping Club Wednesday

## Board Renews Contracts Of All Ozona Teachers

New Salary Schedule
ernoompleted here Tuesday at. Mine campsand over the country
The deadline for The deadline for completing tre
count of children of scholastic count of children of scholastic
age in county is April 1 and
the time remaining between cow the time $r$ cmaining between row
and that date will be spent by the faculty members in rounding up
as many of the stragglers' as possible. school system's receipts
The sentionment of
from the state apportion rom the state apportionment of
unds dipends on the scholastic enumeration, each pupil so enum-
erated the past year meaning $\$ 62$
in state funds for operation of the in state funds for operation of the
schools. This fat was pointed out
by school officiais in calling for all parente of children between
the ages of six and eighteen, inclu-
sive, to lend a hand to the faculty enumerated.
Parents who are not sure their
children have be $n$ counted are children have betn counted are
urged to call Supt. Lem Bray at the
high school building and give him the information. As nearly a com-
plete count as possible is desired
and the cooperation of parents to Women's Golf Assn. Host to Del Rio, Fo

 luncheon at
Tuesday noon.
Officens.
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can state are in retary-treasurer.
nud Cox, se retary-treasurer.
The elub set
roping ee May, a week before the annual
Sheriff's Posse Horse Show. A matched roping and some jackpot
evints will be held Sunday, June

1. following the Horse Show onn 1. following the Horse Show on
May 30 and 31 . The club plans to
buy roping calves between April
20 and May 1 and put them on feed
here to be ready for the summer programs. Saturday night ropings
throughout the summer are on
the club's program. the clat's progralm.
Plans were also discussed for
the annual All-colored Rodeo se
for June 18 and 19. Several new features are to be added to thi
years program including bron
riding, wild mare races in additio ridmg, wilaal calf roping, goat rop
to the usual
ing, hair pulling and other tests
A greased pig race for the colore
youngsters is also among adde features planned.
Purses will be added to all
vents this year and the two-day
show will end with a big dance on the fair grounds platform for th
colored folk, with a colored o Committees have been named to secure bucking horses for the
colored rodeo and range mares will be secured for the mare races.
The arena is to be reconditioned
and One Member Of light on our mood Trustee Board Up For Re-Election
March 25 Deadline for Filing for April 5
Trustee Election

## With the annual trustee election little over two weeks away, only

 one candidate has so far filed for place on the ballot, County Judgeand Superintendent Houston Smith and Superintendent hou
announced this week. Brock Jones, president of th
school board, whoee term expire
this year, is the first to file for this year, is the first to file for a
piace
of the board whoto Other member terms expire of the board whose terms expir
this year are $\mathbf{T}$. A. Kinaid. Jr Vernon Ratliff and Beecher Mont-
gomery
The deadline for filing applica The deadline for filing applica-
tion for a place on the ballot io
Ofreh 25, Judge Smith advised.
No filing foe is required and any co firing fefis required and any
ctizen may file and have his nam
plan the ballot. trusteco will be celhosen
Saturday, April 5 . Saturday, April S.
Holdover members of the board,
who will serve one more year on
their present terms are Arthur their pre
Kyle, Hen
Bumpor.

## Rotary Club Wall Yiunt for Children

 Ozona children have a date withthe Easter rabbit Easter Sunday
afternoon, April 13. afternoon, April 13.
Plans have been lat Opoma Rotary Club to wiage a elock Easter Sunday. Site for the hunt has not bee
dofinitely deeided but the usua
hunt arwa on the Tandyntill is be ing considered and ph bly will
be chooen, club officiaks said.
Detailt, of prizes to be awarde finders of cerrain prese marded
egse and other facts about the egre and other facts about the
club's committee at an a lated by thate.

For Teachers
New contracts for the 1952-53
sehool year were offered all present members of the Ozona Public Schools faculty in action taken by
the board of trustees Tuesday night.
A new salary schedule adopted
by the board to be effective with the new school year, will result in
slight salary raises for a majority The new schedule leaves the
base pay at the same figure, $\$ 2$,-
800 for teachers with 800 for teachers with Bure. A. de
gres and $\$ 8,000$ for those with
Master's
Master's degrees, but raises from
$\$ 50$ to $\$ 60$ a year the additional a-
mount per year added for each
year of experience a teacher hay
had, up to 12 years with B A.
perience in each category will be
able to earn an additional $\$ 720$

## tional for those with master's de- grees. The school board gave a life to proposed Little League baseball program in Ozona this summer when it agreed to contribute $\$ 250$ in cash toward succeess of the pro- gram and in addition will provide housing in one of the vacant teacher housing units for the paid

teacher housing units for the paid
director of the program.
The Litle League is being spon-
sored here by the Ozona Lions
Club and Charles Ratliff of that







 Team to Play House

## There's no surer way to find out

whether or not there are enouxh
baseball players to form an indebaseball players to form an inde
pendent team than to start batting and throwing the ball around in
practice.
$\qquad$ baseball playen-manager-promote
Byron Stuart and he has set ne Byron Stuart and he has set nex
Sunday afternoon as the time fo
the first baseball workout the first baseball workout of
Spring and has invited all poten.
ial players to be at the Powel tial players to be at the Powel
Field park at 2 oclock Sunday af ternoon to have a part.
Stuart has promised to Stuart has promised to rake up
few bats and balls for the first a few bats and balls for the firs
limber-up session. Later, if enough inmber-up session. Later, if enoug
material shows up to give promise
of an organization to play inde of an organization to play inde
pendent ball this summer, mean will be sought to put the team
business for the campaigns. The first game has already bee
bill matehed for the still formative
Rebels, and Stuart faces the ne-
cessity of getting a team of some essity of getting a team of some
sort together by April 11. That is
he date when the House of Davia the date when the House of David
baseball team will be here for a go baseball team will be here for a go
with the Rebess, and unless enough
local talent shows up to form local saient shows up to form
team, Stuart says he may have
to "borrow" some players fron surrounding towns for the game.
Anyway. therell be a basebal Aname on that date, with the play-
grs on orie side wearing long whis.
shown up in the past week in re sponse to Stuart's invitation
last week and he is optimistic ove last week and he is optimistic over
prospecto for assembling an ag.
gregation that can hold its own

Two Arrested for 1 One Dead, Five Theft of Drill Line Two Iraan men were arrested
late Wednesday and brought to the Crockett county jail to await hearing on a charge of theft over
850 filed in justice court here connection with the alleged theft of an oil field drill line, valued at
approximately $\$ 400$. Charged here in connection with and Joe Whitefield, both said to have been employed with
construction contractor. construction contractor.
The drill line, property of the
McGowan Drilling Co., was stole from a MeGowan rig being oper ated under lease by John Child-
ress and J. B. Miller, Ozona inde pendent operators. Childress and
Miller had bought a new drill line for the rig and laid aside the Mc-
Gowan line, used for one well. The operators found the line
Tuesday near the location where
it had been loaded aboard a two-
wheel trailer the trailer tires an dremovod one
valve core and summoned officers.
When they returned, the trailer and drill line were, gone.
D puty Billy Mills and Hearst
Laws went to investigate the theft Wednesday and after a tour of the
oil field area traced the missing
line to Iraan where it was discovoline to Iraan where it was discov-
line
ered in possssion of one of the
men, the officers reported. A
winch truck had teen used to load trailer and line.
A hearing for the two men was
scheduled this morning.
Crockett Water Control Dist. Wins Loving Cup





$\qquad$ Jefferson County Water Control
and Improvement Distriet at Groves for having the highest per-
centage of its population connected to the public water system.
Marshall for having the best water plant for control. The Mar-
shall plant daily performs bactershall plant daily performs bacter-
iological and chemical analysis of its water.
Frederi
Fredericksburg, for having the
highest percentage of its popula tion connected to the sanitary sys-
tem. No outdoor toilets exist in Fredericksburg.
Del Rio for h
ratio of sewer connections comBurnet was designated as ma ing the most advantageous use of sewage effluent for irrigation.
San Angelo was selected for making the best use of its sewage sludge.
San Antonio was designated as
maintaining the best seware plant maintaining the best sewake plant
taboratory. Modern facilities are taboratory. Modern facilities
available at this plant, Dr. Co said, and co
in charge.
Crockett County Water Control
District at Ozona won a loving cup District at Ozona won a loving cup
for kepeping the most attractive water plant, and Baird won a cup
for making the most improvement its water system.
to its water system.
Loving cups were also presented
to Bandera for having the most attractive sewage plant; Maso for making the best quality sew-
age effluent; and to Longview for making the greatest improvem nt to its sewage plant.
SWEBT SALE SATURDAY
BY OZONA LITERARY CLUB
The Ozona Literary Club will
The Ozona Literary Club will
stage a "swett sale" at the Wii-
liams Grocery next Saturdey
liams Grocery next Saturday, Mar.
22. The sale wil start at 10 a.m.
and continue until all sweets are
and continue until all sweets are
sold. Included will be home made
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Injured In Two Highway Crashes
Sanderson Man Dies In Comstock Accident; 3 Hurt North of Ozona One man is dead, two seriously ured as the result of two auto week-end.
Raymundo Escamilla, whose home was in Sanderson but who ral years, was fatally finjured
arly Satur early Saturday morning in an ac--
cident 11 miles north of Comstock Highwy 163. Escamilla died in
Del Rio hospital Sunday morning.
Gua
driver driver of the 1949 Ford in which
Escamilla was a passenger, Fermin Garaz, also a a passenger
were only slightly hurt in the ac Three Ozonans, Eusevio Ram-
rez, rez, Sostenes Porras and Lorenzo
Ramirez were hospitalized here following the crash of a 1952
Studebaker car on the Ozona-
Barnhart highway Sunday afteroon. Eusevió Ramirez, owner and
driver of the car, lost control of
the vehicle and it turned over
everal times everal times after striking a
bridge. The car was practically
demolished.

Gussie Ruth Sparks,
Be Married Here May 2 Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sparks
naeunce the emgazement and apper, Gussie Ruth, to Charles L. The widding will take place
May 2 at the Grany Miller Hall
in Ozona. Billy G. Brown, miniser of the Ozona Church of Christ.
will officiate.
Misa Spate Miss Sparks is a graduate of o-
2ona High School. She is a member
of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority recenty organized here. Mr
Schneider is a graduate of Ozona
High School, attended San Angelo
College and North Texas State College, Denton, where he received
his dergee. Both are now employ-
ed as clerks in the Ozona post of Mrs. Ted White is under treat went in the Ozona Hospital this
wek. Mrs. White, who teaches in
the North Elementary School, be-
Pete Jacoby To Be New Crockett County Agent
Former Kimble Co. Vocational School Director Here Apr. 1
Pete W. Jacoby, coordinator of
he Kimble County Vocational chool since it opened in 1946, agricultural agent for Crockett Mr. Jacoby will succeed Paul
Newton, who left last week for Newton, who Yeft last week for
STenard to assume his duties as Mr. Jacoby occupied several of
ficial offices in Junction which he has in Junction, all of Which he has resigned to become
Crockett. county agent. He was seoretary-manager of the Junc-
tion Chamber of Commerce and a nember of the Junction Independ-
ent school board of which he was ent school
secretary.
The new
The new agent, a native of Men-
rd county, is a graduate of $A$ \& M College, class of 1940 , and is a veteran of four years service in
the Army during World War in. He was with the Houston Stock-
ards for two years before going Ins. Jacoby and their two sons,
illy, s, and David, 4, will remain Biny, s, and Dati, he, close of the
in Junction until thest school year.
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## By Wayne Kuykendall

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Counts, TexaAPPLICATION OF GUARDIAN TO MAKE OIL \& GAS LEASE

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do fishing at Pos: and Corpus Christ her pointas.

'Handbook of Texas' Contains Article on Crockett Co. History
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| chase late in 1952. | crockett county

Crockett county, on the Ed-
wards Plateau of Southwest Tex warts Plateau of Southwest Tex-
ais. , , bounded on the west ty the
Pecos River. The area of 2.794 square miles has rourg stony yand
and shallow stony soils. intude
varies from 1,500 to 2.500 feet. aries from 1,500 to 2,500 feet;
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a nifitorm averanae rainall of
 has prevented the development of
agriculture. Some agriculture. Some cedar, mesquite
and live oak are found, most of the
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amption. Oil was discovered in April, 1928. More than 99 per
cent of the land is used for cent of the land is used for graz-
ing. The major livestock industry ing. The major livestock industry
is the raising of sheep, mostly of
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voted to promoting safer driving
among teenagers, will be shown at the high school auditorium
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on Monday morning at $11: 30$ o'clock
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Highway Patrol, Sheriff $\mathbf{V}$. Earnest, who arranged the
ing, announced this week.
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were introduced in the county in protection of that area in Septem1877 and began to predominate o- ber, 1866.
ver cattle in about 1915. Cattle The original county, including are second in importance. Raising present Crockett, all of Sutton and of goats increased rapidly, from
943 head in 1910 to 36,349 in 1930, Val Verder counties, Kinney and parts of but the number has been decreas- counties, was created from Rexar ing since 1930. The county also countes, was created from Bexar
produces horses, mute produces horses, mules and hogs. was attached to Kinney county unThe Crockett area was Apache til 1885, when Val Verde county
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of Texas history. In 1683 Juan Do- a subsidiary. Sutton and Schleichminguez de Mendora and Fray 4 r counties were created out of
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Tejas Tejas country. The first settle. county, the site of the E Crockett
ments were supply depots and out- ell well. nents were supply depots and out- ell well, present Ozona, in the
posts from wagon trains going county. In 1948 Ozona was the The primary outposts were How only town in the county and the
nearest railroad point was Barnard Springs and Fort Lancaster. hart, thirty-two miles distant. The government established stage
Population began to increase carrying the mail through the a- ty and jumped from 194 to 1,591 in rea after the bginning of the Cal- 1900. In 1944 the population was
ifornia gold rush. Following the $\mathbf{2 8 0 9}$ and by 1950 reached 3,963 . ifornia gold rush. Following the
Civil War, Anglo-Americans mov- The entire county composes one ed into the frontier region and and common schoout district.
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