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## Lions Ahead In District B'ball Play

The Ozona Lions are presently leading the district for the second half of basketball season. All teams are 1-1 with the exception of the Lions with a 2-0, for the second half.

The varsity defeated McCamey 48-46 last week. Vaden Aldridge was high point man with 11 points. Greg Thompson had 10.

The junior varsity lost to McCamey 44-50. Clair McDaniel led the Lions' effort with 14 points.

Friday night the junior varsity beat the Sanderson varsity 41-36. Victor De La Garza was high point man with 15 points. The freshman Lions beat the Sanderson junior varsity 62-22. Five boys contributed 13 points each. Marty Russell, Clair McDaniel, and Rojelio Longoria.

The Lions played Sonora Tuesday night and will be in Big Lake Friday night for the final game of the season.



COUNTY HISTORY BOOK MAKERS - - Volunteers meet daily at the Crockett County Museum to compile the many stories and pictures which will make up the History of Crockett County. Response to the book has been tremendous, but in spite of the wealth of material, the book is right on schedule for the printer.

Tuesday afternoon these Ozonans were hard at it when the photographer stopped by. Seated is Mrs. Clay Adams, standing l. to r. are Mrs. Ted White, Mrs. Fred Hagelestein, Mrs. Charles Black, and Mrs. Pleas Childress, History Book Chairman.

## County Commissioners Court Has Routine Monthly Meeting

The Commissioners Court met in regular session Monday, Feb. 9, with all members present with the exception of Jesus (Chuy) Castro who was recuperating from an auto accident.

After regular monthly bills were paid there arose a discussion concerning the high water bills for the Cemetery. Some discussion was held about re-activating the water well there. As March is the regular time for the Cemetery Association annual meeting, action was deferred until that time.

Dudley McCary reported that a new roof was put on the Clinic building.

J. D. Burk Construction Company has not repaired the roof on the new Care Center and the County Judge was directed to initiate action to get that done, either by Burk's Roofing contractor or by the bonding company if Burk refuses to repair the roof.

The Court agreed to allow Vada Pridemore, Assistant Auditor, to purchase two years prior service retirement credit for the years she worked part time.

Sheriff Mills appeared and requested the Court's permission to purchase a camera to aid in investigating, particularly in taking fingerprints. The request was granted.

Auditor Dick Kirby was directed to reinvest maturing C. D. S. He also was authorized to transfer \$25,000.00 in Federal Revenue Funds to the Hospital Operating account.

A. J. Springs, Director of

Upland Game, Jim Perkins, wildlife biologist and Raymond Davee, local Game Warden, all with the Parks and Wildlife Department appeared before the Court and discussed proposed changes in the Hunting and Fishing laws for the upcoming season. One change requires that the beard must remain on a turkey until its final destination. It was proposed to have a 9-day spring gobbler hunt in April.

1977. The Court expressed its opposition to this spring hunt. The biologist reported that over 7,700 deer were taken in the past hunting season, consisting of 6,100 bucks and 1,600 does.

The Court unanimously approved the purchase of a new track front end loader and a new crawler tractor. A used loader and two used crawler tractors will be traded in. The Court further agreed to issue two warrants to pay for the equipment and directed the County Judge to advertise for bids.

Judge Williams reported to the Court that Vernon Jones, who had been named to the Hospital Board, declined to serve and John Parks was named to this vacancy.

Steve Kenley, representing the Fire Department, appeared before the Court requesting that a 25 x 60 metal building be constructed to keep auxiliary fire trucks. It is proposed to tear out the present 12 x 30 cinder block building behind the fire station and construct the new building there.

The Court agreed to install a CB radio in the County Agent's new Carryall.

Before adjourning the court discussed the recent controversy over the natural gas tax in the county. Judge Williams reported to the court that he had talked at length with Winston Prichard, a partner in the firm of Prichard and Abbott, at the recent meeting of county judges and commissioners at A & M. Prichard advised the judge at that time he would look into the matter. A telephone call to the judge later this week from Prichard assured the judge that Prichard and Abbott were making a thorough investigation of all charges and that a full report would soon be given to the Court.

## Regina Everett To Be Honored At SA Show

Regina Everett prominent in Area 4-H activities will be a special guest of the San Antonio Livestock Exposition this weekend.

Along with 19 other 4-H'ers and 20 members of Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of America she will be a guest at the 21st annual honor banquet Friday (Feb. 13) sponsored by the San Antonio Kiwanis Club and the exposition's Rural Youth Committee. They will also be hosted by stock show officials at the rodeo performance Saturday morning.

Regina Everett of Ozona, representing Texas Agricultural Extension Service District 6, has been in 4-H for seven years. Her major projects are foods and nutrition, clothing, lamb, range management, home environment, horse and junior leadership. Regina was a state food show winner in 1975. She received the I Dare You Award in 1974. According to her Extension Agent, she is an outstanding junior leader. She is the Vice-Chairman of the District 4-H Council. Regina plans to be a teacher after getting her college degree.

## Ozona Students On Dean's List At ASU

Five Ozona students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo are listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at the University.

Listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll is Tommy Lee Hoover, an undeclared major; Alice Louise Perner, an English major; Elaine Graves Williams, a biology major and Darolynn Wilson, an English major.

Listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll is Sylvia Flores, an undeclared major.

## 8 4-Hers Take Top Honors In Crockett County Food Show

Eight local youths took top honors in the Crockett County 4-H Food Show Saturday, February 7. They were Carmen Delgado, Mabel Delgado, Rebecca Everett, R. J. Everett, III, Wendy Hood, Debbie Tolle, Melinda Hokit and Rea Lynn Dews. A total of 42 4-H members participated in the competition.

First place winners in the Senior division are Carmen Delgado, main dish; Mabel

Delgado, side dish; Rebecca Everett, bread and desserts; and R. J. Everett III, snacks and beverages.

Junior division first place winners are Wendy Hood, main dish; Debbie Tolle, bread and desserts; and Rea Lynn Dews, snacks and beverages.

First alternate winners in the Senior division are Gigi McKinney, main dish; Elsa Delgado, bread and desserts; and Monica Delgado, snacks and beverages.

First alternate winners in the Junior Division are Kaye Thompson, main dish; Tammy Adams, side dish; Janna Chaney, bread and desserts; and Terri Bentley, snacks and beverages.

Judging this year's event were Lydia Galinda, Susie Maddux from Sonora, Dorliska Rolston, Lisa Letsinger from Rocksprings, Kay Patton, Lola Squires from Eldorado, Pat Mason from Big Lake, and Rita Nell Davis from Rankin.

Ribbons and rosettes were furnished by Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative. Watson's Department Store furnished the food show judging supplies. The Ozona Home Demonstration Club presented sets of measuring spoons and spatulas to each Junior and Senior winner. Sponsors of this year's trophies are: Baker's Jewelers, Ozona Television System,

Foodway, Trade-Rite Grocery, Jack's Supermarket, Meinecke Insurance, Brown Furniture Co. and Village Drug.

Chairman of this year's food show was Mrs. Ray Valadez. Complete ribbon results of the 1976 Food Show are Senior Division: main dish - Carmen Delgado - blue; Gigi McKinney - blue; side dish - Mabel Delgado - red; bread and dessert - Rebecca Everett - blue. Elsa Delgado - red; snacks and beverages - R. J. Everett III - blue, Monica Delgado - red.

Junior Division: main dish blue ribbons - T. J. Carlisle, Aldo Delgado, Rita De La Rosa, Lisa Hohertz, Wendy Hood, Valerie Mahannah, Kaye Thompson, and Cynthia Trujillo. Red ribbon - Nancy Bench.

Side Dish - blue ribbons - Tammy Adams, Debbie Tolle, and Kristal Williams.

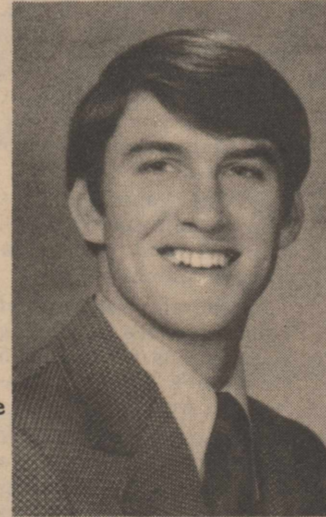
Bread and desserts - blue ribbons - Gayla Bell, Sue Ellen Black, Onetta Carlisle, Santa Castro, Janna Chaney, Fabian Delgado, Patty Goss, Lydia Hayes, Melinda Hokit, Tammie Lobstein, Darla Lovell, Katrina Phillips, and Elizabeth Vasquez.

Snacks and beverages - blue ribbons - Terri Bentley, Katrina Burger, Glenda Capps, Felice Delgado, Rea Lynn Dews, Sarah Faulkner, Red ribbons - Tammy Dow, Deneil Payne, Maricella Payne, and Jill Sanchez.

## Dr. Sessom To Take Over Dental Practice

Dr. S. M. Sessom will take over the practice of Dr. W. B. Robertson next Monday. Dr. Robertson is retiring from his dental practice.

Dr. Sessom and his wife, Jodie, moved to Ozona last week from Houston, where Dr. Sessom has been a senior clinical instructor at the University of Texas Dental Branch and an associate in a general practice there. Mrs. Sessom is a niece of Sheriff Billy Mills. The couple is at home at 303 Ave. L.



DR. STEVE SESSOM

Both Dr. and Mrs. Sessom attended high school and college in San Marcos. She is a graduate of The University of Houston. Dr. Sessom attended Southwest Texas State University for two years and was accepted at the University of Texas Dental Branch in Houston. Due to his performance in high school and college, he was selected as one of eight students for an experimental self-directed teaching program. This method is now used throughout the dental branch. Dr. Sessom graduated from dental school in June, 1975.

Dr. Sessom will be in his office Monday and will practice by appointment.

## South Texas Lumber Co. Burglarized

South Texas Lumber Company was broken into late Saturday night or early Sunday morning and the thief or thieves absconded with between \$1,500 and \$1,700 in cash. Owner-manager W. H. Whitaker discovered the break-in when he went by the lumber company Sunday morning and reported it to the authorities.

The safe containing the money was completely destroyed. The burglars used almost every tool in the lumber yard to crack the safe. Deputy Sheriff Jim Goss said the job was quite similar to the break in of B & C Automotive several weeks ago. As in the case of the Automotive, officers had no clues to go on, and no arrest had been made at press time.

The burglar or burglars gained entrance through a door in the back of the building by breaking out a glass window and opening the catch on the inside. As far as employees could determine Monday, nothing was taken but the money.

## New Variety Store To Open Here In March

Perry's Variety Store Chain, which now operates 118 stores in Texas, Arkansas, and Louisiana, has announced plans to open a new store in Ozona.

B. B. Jackson of Lufkin, Operations Manager of Perry's, says the new store will be ready to open in the latter part of March.

The new store will contain more than 6500 square feet of shopping space and will be located in the old bowling alley building.

Perry's Home Office is in Lufkin where it had its beginning more than 60 years ago. Lufkin also houses Perry's Warehouse which serves all 118 stores.

According to Jackson, the new store will offer a great variety of merchandise including an arts and crafts department, fabrics, sewing notions, home and beauty aids, toys, stationery, housewares and small appliances.

Perry's buyers attend major National Trade Shows in search of new items in the domestic market as well as imports from all over the world.

To speed the delivery of merchandise from the warehouse to the stores, Perry's maintains and operates a large fleet of trucks.

Jackson says that Perry's contributes the success of the company to selling dependable first quality merchandise at the right price, plus courteous service.

## Bicentennial Fun Meet Is Planned

Ozonans will have an opportunity to make suggestions for "Having Fun With the Bicentennial," at a meeting Thursday, Feb. 12, today at 5 p.m. at the Museum. Everyone is invited.

The meeting is being sponsored by the Fun Chairmen Lefty Walker and Cecilia Allen. They plan something similar to the Diamond Jubilee the county celebrated in 1966. They urge every club and organization to have a representative at the meeting. All suggestions will be considered, style shows, pageants, plays, choirs and dances.

There is an urgent need for volunteers to work together on these projects.

## Wreck Injures Chuy Castro

A rear-end collision at the intersection of Hwy. 290 and State 163 early Friday morning sent Jesse (Chuy) Castro to the Crockett County Hospital for treatment and damaged the two vehicles involved.

Castro, manager of Thorp's Laun-Dry, was stopped at the red light in the laundry truck, when a pickup driven by Humberto Cervantez, had brake failure or skidded on the pavement and hit the truck in the rear end. The pickup was a Lilly Welding vehicle.

Castro suffered head and facial abrasions, a broken nose and other cuts and bruises. He was released from the hospital Sunday.

## Crockett Field Gains Producer

The Euleeone (Wolfcamp) field of Crockett County gained its sixth producer and a 2-5/8-mile south and slightly west extension in a west extension area, six miles west of the two-well middle portion and 16 miles west of the two-well east portion of the field, 33 miles southwest of Ozona, for a calculated, absolute open flow of 650,000 cubic feet of gas per day.

Production was through perforations at 4,392-5,564 feet, which had been fractured with 60,000 gallons and 95,000 pounds of sand. Drilled to 8,002 feet, with 4 1/2-inch casing set at 5,861 feet, it is plugged back to 5,768 feet. Scheduled as a wildcat, it was amended to the above field.

Location is 2,022 feet from the south and 1,573 feet from the west lines of 70-Q2-GC&SF Abst. 5274.

## Ozonan's Cafe Is Setting For Film

Thursday night, tonight, at 9:00 o'clock viewers of the Barnaby Jones show will have the opportunity to see one of the restaurants owned by Bryan Montgomery. The segment was filmed at Beecher's Cafe in Malibu.

Montgomery does not have a part in the show, but the CBS series is filmed entirely in Malibu and in the restaurant.



CRACKING THIS SAFE at South Texas Lumber Co. late Saturday night or early Sunday morning, netted the thieves around \$1,700. Almost all the tools in the Lumber company were used to destroy the safe. A similar job several weeks ago occurred at B & C Automotive. So far no leads have been uncovered, and the safe-cracker is making a pretty good living. However, the third time might prove his undoing.



JUDGES IN 20-HOUR J. P. SEMINAR -- Two justices of the peace from Region 2 were among the more than 59 judges who participated in a 20-hour basic Texas Justice of the Peace Training center seminar conducted last month in San Antonio. Region 2 judges participating included Crockett County Justice of the Peace A. O. Fields and Edwards County JP Warren Hutt.

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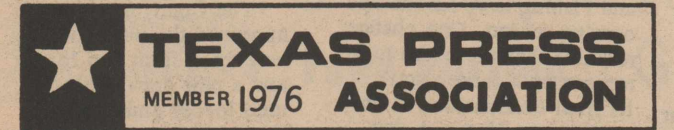
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**THE CIA: PICKING UP THE PIECES**

Now that the Senate and House intelligence committees have flailed at the CIA for these many months, compromising its activities and discrediting the agency in the eyes of many people, the time has come to try to pick up the pieces. Is it too late to restore the effectiveness of the CIA?

"I like to think that we can get back on track," says the former Deputy Director of the agency, Ray S. Cline. "The first thing we've got to do... is to propose the specific remedies for whatever is now felt, after these exhausting reviews, to have been mistakes or errors on the part of the CIA and other agencies."

"If the Congress or the President will simply issue clear instructions, I have every reason to believe... [that the CIA will] do their job well."

Cline, now a professor at Georgetown University, has served 30 years in intelligence work. His comments came in an interview with Philip C. Clarke for the Mutual Radio Network.

"It is necessary to restore the morale of the intelligence services by having the public, the Congress and the press again show some regard for the contribution that our intelligence service makes to our security and our national welfare," Cline adds. "But it will be necessary to reorganize the intelligence operations and institutions so as to make clear the place they occupy in our system of government."

Internally, the former No. 2 man at the CIA believes a reorganization is needed so that analytical functions are administered separate from covert activities. Cline also believes that the CIA Director should be given full Cabinet level status.

Of more immediate significance to the agency's future, however, is what Congress decides.

Possibilities range from several oversight committees in both the House and Senate to a single, joint committee.

In arguing for a single joint committee in a Senate hearing recently, CIA chief William E. Colby said under the current setup — reporting to eight separate congressional committees — "every one of the new projects that were submitted in this process has leaked into the public domain."

Congress bears a heavy responsibility for the increasingly difficult posture of the CIA and its people throughout the world. Well-meaning senators and representatives can now help put the agency back together by providing oversight commensurate with the CIA's vital mission, along the lines drawn by Mr. Colby.

**DEMOCRACY: THE VANISHING ISLANDS**

"You have the impression that democracies can last. But you know nothing about it. Democracies are lost islands in the immense river of history. The water is always rising. The simplest laws of history play against democratic societies."

The speaker was Alexander Solzhenitsyn, in a recent interview published in a French news magazine, *Le Point*.

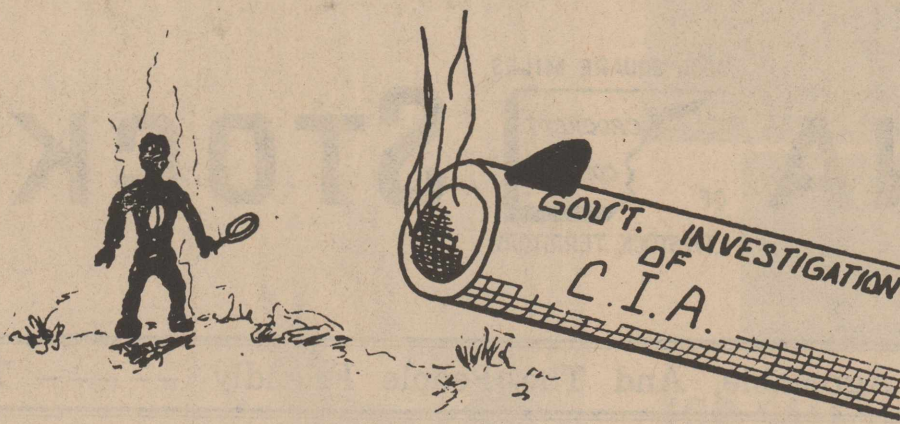
The Western world is in such a defensive position, Solzhenitsyn added, that "the existence of the civilization it created is going to be at stake in the next years. I think it is not aware of this." Speaking of the Soviet threat to democracy, the famed Russian exile said, "interior will" is more important than policy.

"If the leaders of the East felt there was the slightest flame in you, the slightest drive to make freedom survive on your side and spread, if they understood you were ready to sacrifice your life, then at that very second they would give up. Every time that you really showed resolve — Berlin, Korea, Cuba — each time the Soviet leaders retreated."

To doubtful citizens of the West, Solzhenitsyn's words ring with a special sense of urgency. They should make a special impression on Americans who this year celebrate the 200th birthday of the world's leading democracy. Among other things, they are a timely reminder of how uniquely great is the constitutional democracy we 215 million Americans are blessed to live under.

A leading independent research organization, Freedom House, reports in the current issue of its publication, "Freedom at Issue," that only 19.8 percent of the world's population now lives in free societies, 35.3 percent in partly free, and 44.9 percent in not free. In 1975 alone, says Freedom House, 743 million persons "suffered a significant reduction of freedom," including the more than 600 million Indians whose liberties were curtailed, and the 20 million South Vietnamese now under the Communist yoke.

Those of us fortunate to be part of that shrinking 19.8 percent have a solemn obligation not to take our liberty for granted, and to continually resist the spread of totalitarian rule, whether of the right or left, wherever it threatens freedom in the world.



**WHEN A NEW TYPE OF HUNTING BECOMES POPULAR SOME FOOLS WILL ALWAYS OVER-KILL**



**AUSTIN** — Six Democratic and two Republican candidates for president will be campaigning for Texas votes in the May 1 state preference primary.

Texas' 130-member delegation will be the sixth largest in the nation to the Democratic National Convention July 12 in New York City. The 100-member Republican delegation will be the fifth largest at the Republican Convention August 16 in Kansas City.

Ninety-eight Democratic delegates and 96 Republican delegates will be elected in the one-time-only primary authorized for this presidential year by the 1975 legislature.

Democrats Lloyd Bentsen, George Wallace and Jimmy Carter qualified for the ballot in all 31 Texas senatorial districts.

President Gerald Ford and former California Gov. Ronald Reagan submitted qualifying petitions to get on the Republican ballot in the 24 congressional districts.

Democrats Fred Harris will run in 15 Texas districts, Sargent Shriver in six and Ellen McCormack (anti-abortion campaign leader) in five.

**Oil Firms Sued**  
Atty. Gen. John Hill filed damage suits totalling \$1.4 million against Gulf Oil and Phillips Petroleum, alleging violations of state laws against contributing corporate funds to political campaigns.

Hill asked at least \$1,050,000 from Gulf and \$375,000 from Phillips, as the state's "triple damages" recovery of the amount of the corporate donations. He also asked injunctions against future violations.

Gulf contributions began in 1960, the Phillips contributions in 1964.

**Appointments**

Gov. Dolph Briscoe named James M. Rose to succeed Harry P. Burleigh as executive director of Texas Water Development Board. At the same time, he announced combining of the Division of Planning Coordination (headed by Rose) and the Governor's Budget Office. Charles D. Travis, now budget director, will head the combined office. Appointments are effective February 16.

Briscoe appointed J. Michael Smith of Gilmer as Criminal District attorney replacing Welby K. Parish of Gilmer who resigned.

He named George Wayne Miller of Floydada 110th district judge, succeeding the late L.D. Ratliff of Spur and picked John R. "Randy" Hollums of Floydada to succeed Miller as 110th district attorney.

**Courts Speak**  
The Court of Criminal Appeals upheld life sentences for two men convicted of killing two Dallas policemen in 1971.

An insurance company cannot rely on an exclusion of commercial vehicles to deny payment of death benefits to survivors of a Navy employee killed in a truck-auto crash, the State Supreme Court held.

A divided Court of Criminal Appeals reversed a Houston woman's robbery conviction because the indictment failed to say who owned stolen property.

The Supreme Court rejected an insurance company's appeal to recover \$5,000 it paid owners of a burned house (from parents of an 11-year-old who set the fire).

The high court also affirmed a lower court ruling that a former state securities commissioner must help pay back \$50,000 to victims of a Mexican real estate promotion scheme.

Court of Criminal Appeals overturned a Dallas heroin conviction of a man arrested with needle marks on his arm. Police also found 25 packets of the drug in his bedroom closet.

**AG Opinions**

Atty. Gen. Hill said accident reports may be considered by the Department of Public Safety in determining whether there is a reasonable probability of a judgment against a driver.

In other recent opinions Hill concluded:

Board of Health Resources members can collect pay only for meetings designed to be attended by all members.

Waller County may build and maintain a medical clinic without submitting the matter to a vote. Money budgeted for major building repairs can be used.

**Short Snorts**

Texas's \$1.3 billion in agricultural exports for 1975 ranked among the top five states.

The new auto registration season opened February 1 and continues through March.

Regional chambers of commerce are accepting nominations for the 1975 Governor's Industrial Expansion Awards.

Welfare Commissioner Raymond W. Vowell is a new member of the national advisory committee on child abuse and neglect for the Education Commission of the States.

The State Board of Insurance has hired readability expert Dr. Rudolph Flesch to help write insurance policies people can understand.

The Welfare Department invited open bidding April 1 on administering its purchased health care program.

Judge O.P. Carrillo, convicted in an impeachment trial by the Senate last month, is suing to retain his job.

A series of hearings by a House special committee on alternatives to public school financing methods began in Houston February 10.



"When there's nothing more to be said, some still keep saying it."  
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Last Tuesday, the boys and girls basketball teams played McCamey here. The girls lost, while the boys finally won. The girls final game was Tuesday, against Sonora but scores were not available. The boys basketball team played Sonora, there Tuesday also, and their final game will be against Big Lake here, Friday. Everyone should make an effort to come and back them up for their possible District Championship.

Congratulations to all of the Band Students on their good ratings in Brownwood last Thursday. Job well done!

Ghita gave an assembly on South Africa Wednesday. It was interesting and entertaining.

Be sure and buy your tickets from the members of the Student Council for the Dr. Kit Show-February 19.

Students don't have to go to school next Wednesday, because teachers have an in-service day.

Good luck to all of the students going to the Speech Tournament, this Friday and Saturday in Sonora.

**ASU Publication Identifies W.T. Plant Life**

A new publication entitled, "A Guide to the Identification of Plants Poisonous to Livestock of Central West Texas," has been published by Angelo State University. Authored by Dr. Chester M. Rowell, Jr., a professor of biology at ASU and head of the university's Biology Department, copies of the pamphlet may be obtained free of charge by contacting the ASU Biology Department. The bulletin is designed to be of aid to farmers and ranchers in the identification of plants known to cause stock poisoning in the Central West Texas region. The region, as used here, roughly encompasses the area in a radius of 150 miles around San Angelo.

Designed primarily as a tool to be used in readily identifying toxic plants, Rowell's publication makes no attempt to provide detailed information concerning the poisonous principles contained in the plants, symptomatology, or treatment of poisoned animals since these data are available in other publications.

The plant species described in Rowell's publication are either known to have produced livestock poisoning in Texas or elsewhere or have been strongly incriminated by circumstantial evidence.

In his foreword, Rowell advises ranchers and farmers to contact a veterinarian should they detect symptoms of plant poisoning in their stock.

John Henderson, do you get a buzz out of kicking poles? What were you doing dragging a chain around Saturday afternoon, Blake Moody?

Terry Gardner, do you have a sound machine?

New Name for the Week: Quaker Oats Burns.

Lucy Perner, did you really rip off Ronald K.'s "greenbacks"?

The plant descriptions and illustrations are arranged alphabetically by their botanical family and species names. A complete index to common and botanical names and a glossary of descriptive terms is included in the bulletin.

The detailed descriptions of the plants are illustrated with full-color photos to further aid those making use of the publication. In addition to the bulletin, a reference collection of plant specimens is at the ASU Management, Instruction, and Research Center for the use of interested persons.

Dr. Rowell has been on the faculty at ASU since the fall of 1969. He has a B.A. degree from the University of Texas at Austin, an M.S. from Texas A&M University, and a Ph.D. from Oklahoma State University.

He has numerous publications to his credit including one dealing with poisonous plants of the Texas Panhandle and South Plains that was published at Texas Tech.



**Budget Battle**

WASHINGTON—Statistics, according to Websters, are the "systematic compilation of instances for the inference of general truths."

But statistics in the mouths of politicians can become dangerous weapons. Keep that in mind as you choose your side in the annual Battle of the Budget.

President Ford has submitted to Congress a proposed budget which he thinks is just right. Some think the budget is too low. Others think it is too high. Each will muster armies of statistics to prove his case. Facts and figures will fly like rockets and bombs.

The average citizen can be numbed by the endless flow of numbers if he isn't careful. Different numbers that give different impressions can be applied to the same situation with equal accuracy. It is vital to know what the numbers mean.

For instance, the budget the President has recommended calls for spending 394.1 billion dollars in fiscal year 1977. That's a truly mind-boggling sum. Those who, like myself, want to persuade you that the government is spending too much will point out to you that if you were to spend a million dollars a day, it would take you more than 1,000 years to spend \$394 billion. Or we'd tell you that the federal government is planning to spend \$1,833 for every man, woman and child in the country. Or we'd tell you that the federal budget has more than doubled in the last 10 years, and increased tenfold in the last 30 years.

On the other hand, those who want to persuade you that the government should be spending more than it is will point out to you that the budget as a percentage of the gross national product, the total value of goods and services produced in the country each year, has increased only slightly in the last 10 years, from 20.5 percent to 21.5 percent.

The thing to keep in mind is that no set of statistics can "prove" that one side is right and another is wrong. The central questions in the budget battle can be given only subjective answers.

There are three central questions that must be answered in the Budget Battle. They are:

1. How much of your money should the federal government spend?
2. What should the federal government spend your money on?
3. How should the federal government acquire from you the money that it will spend?

I will address each of these questions in subsequent columns. But the important thing for you to keep in mind throughout the budget debate is that it is YOUR money we are talking about. The federal government has no resources of its own. All that it has is what it takes from you, in one form or another. Recognition of that fact could have a profound effect upon which side you will join in the Battle of the Budget.

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**Tips For Gardeners**

From the Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

Beauty in the gardens of our city can be enjoyed by everyone if you plan now. Fulfill your dreams with spring and summer beauty and help celebrate this bi-centennial year.

New flower and garden seeds are available now in stores, nurseries and from catalogues. If you intend to plant seed, they should be purchased or ordered now before your favorites are gone and no more are to be found.

Design your own borders and beds using new dazzling red, white and blue flowers in many varieties of annuals and perennials. Burpee's are introducing new and exclusive flowers and vegetables for 1976. The four flashy flowers are Burpee's Best Whites - Goddess Zenith Hybrid Zinnia (red), Red Nugget Hybrid Marigold and New Nugget Mixed Marigold and Burpee's Big Girl Hybrid VF Tomato. Petunias are a favorite in West Texas for they are superb for bedding, pots, and window boxes or hanging baskets. The cascade variety in different colors are especially adaptable for baskets or boxes and can be bought in many colors. The Liberty Special - a flag or other patriotic garden design can be planted with Royal Red, white and deep blue petunias.

The bicentennial theme can also be emphasized in red, white and blue verbenas. Dwarf, compact plants with spreading habits bear large trusses of flowers, creating a carpet of solid color from early summer until frost. To use with many other red and white flowers there are several blue varieties of ageratum, also white and pink. The blue Blazer is a lush, radiant deep blue flower covering compact domes 5 inches high and a foot across. Blue Angel is a lighter shade of blue. Two other border plants are Royal carpet and new carpet of snow sweet alyssum and candytuft. For tall or background plants, you may want to use snapdragons, larkspur, zinnias, daisies and chrysanthemums.

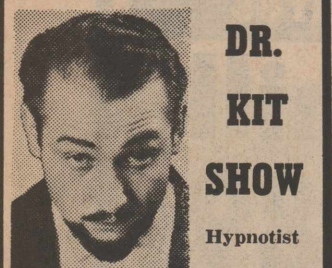
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- TUESDAY
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  - Fruit Cobbler
  - Cornbread
- THURSDAY
  - Barbecue Beef on Bun
  - Potato Salad
  - Cabbage Slaw
  - Peanut Butter Cookies
- FRIDAY
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  - Green Beans
  - Fruit Cup
  - Hot Rolls

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**from the TAP kitchen**

Texas Department of Agriculture John C. White, Commissioner

**BASIC OMELET**

- 5 eggs
- 2 Tbsp. water
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 1/8 tsp. pepper
- 2 Tbsp. butter

Beat all ingredients except butter until blended. Heat 10-inch omelet pan or skillet with sloping sides over low heat one minute. Add butter. Tilt pan to coat bottom and sides with melted butter. When foam subsides, add egg mixture. Cook egg mixture over medium heat, shaking pan gently in a back-and-forth motion. Tip pan occasionally lifting edges of set egg mixture with rubber spatula to allow uncooked portion to flow to bottom. Cook until egg mixture is set and top is moist but not runny. Bottom should be slightly browned. Slide omelet out of pan onto plate and fill with desired fillings. Yield: 2 servings.

**TEXAS BROCCOLI OMELET**

- 3/4 cup sliced mushrooms
- 3 Tbsp. butter
- 1 Tbsp. flour
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 2/3 cup half-and-half cream
- 1/2 cup grated Swiss cheese
- 1 cup chopped Texas broccoli, cooked and drained
- Paprika

Melt two tablespoons butter in skillet and cook mushrooms over medium heat until tender. In medium saucepan, melt one tablespoon butter over low heat. Add flour and salt; cook until mixture is smooth and bubbly, stirring constantly. Stir in half-and-half. Heat to boiling; boil and stir one minute. Remove from heat and add mushrooms and 1/2 cup cheese. Preheat oven to 550 degrees. Prepare Basic Omelet. Spoon broccoli down center of omelet; fold opposite sides of omelet over filling to form roll. Top with mushroom-cheese sauce and sprinkle with remaining 1/2 cup of cheese. Broil until cheese bubbles, about one minute. Serve immediately. Yield: 2 servings.

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**Debra Says**  
by Debra Price  
H. D. Agent

Meeting today's college costs stretches the family budget almost impossible tight. And parents are caught in the double bind of feeling obligated to "give" their children an education--and the knowledge that they cannot afford all the costs without help from the student or grants-in-aid.

A rule of thumb to follow is any family earning \$20,000 or less can qualify for most educational grants or loans. Parents or students who need help should ask early in the high school career for sources of scholarships, grants or low-interest repayable loans. The third year of high school isn't too late to start. It may or may not be necessary to compromise educational and career goals by selecting a school according to price.

Guidance counselors, college advisers or department chairmen often can give clues for financial assistance. If the student is ambitious and scholastically strong, work-study programs offer money plus experience. And most new college graduates find employers like employees who have had work-study experiences.

Often overlooked are the grants or scholarships provided by large companies to children of their employees. Parents might check with personnel services, their supervisors or watch for information in the company bulletins. Parents often pressure their children into reaching a college major choice too early for fear of losing "all that money." But most high school students have only a vague notion of what they want as their life's work. Many college students need to adjust for a couple of years, and they can still select a major without too much trouble by their third year.

**CREATIVE CRAFT IDEA**  
The craft idea of corn cobs is good for youth groups and as an inexpensive gift idea. First saw dried corn cobs into 1/8 to 1/4 inch slices. Prepare dye solutions by stirring 2 tablespoons liquid dye or 1/2 teaspoon powder dye into 1 quart of hot tap water. Add corn cob slices, turn and stir with a spoon 5 - 10 minutes. Rinse in cool water; drain on paper towels; air dry.

**RULES FOR USE OF CROCKETT COUNTY AUDITORIUM-COLISEUM EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 5, 1976**

**RENTAL:** All meetings are to be booked in advance on a first come basis. **BOOKINGS ARE TO BE MADE FROM 2:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m. TUESDAY THROUGH SATURDAY.** **BOOKINGS FOR MONDAYS MUST BE MADE BY 6:00 p. m. SATURDAY.** To enter the building during other hours, arrangements must be made in advance with Director.

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Boy Scouts, 4-H Clubs, P. T. A., Fire Department, Hospital Board, Little League, Historical Society, School sponsored events, Garden Club Flower Show, Youth Center activities, Cancer Society, And Western Jamboree (once a month only)

**USE:** A minimum of two parents must be present at any private Teen-age function. Hours for private teenage functions will be 8:00 to 12:00 p. m. unless other arrangements are made with Director. Teenagers must make arrangements for sponsoring parents or adults to be present before party begins.

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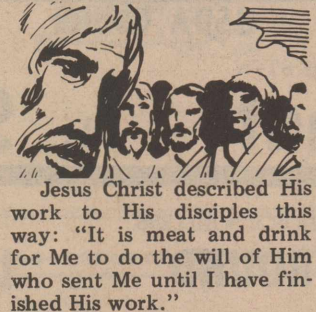
responsible for items left in building. No dishes or pans may be loaned in which to take food from the building. Director will place number of chairs and tables you request in your room and leave you to arrange them at your discretion, entering again only at your request. After room use, chairs and tables will be left in room. All dishes and kitchen equipment must be washed and returned to proper place. If kitchen help is secured by the individual, kitchen cleanup will be supervised by individual. Decorations must be removed immediately after party if there is a pressing need for the room; otherwise, they may be removed during the next daytime period that building is open. Individuals wishing to decorate may make arrangements with Director concerning time convenient to both individual and Director. Director will report any damages to Administrative Board and it will deal with the individuals. **THESE RULES APPLY TO ALL--NO EXCEPTIONS--DO NOT ASK FOR SPECIAL FAVORS.**

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But, life being what it is, there comes an end to this sort of thing. Just now they are in love. If they stay in love, if they marry, responsibilities will follow.

If their love subsides, there will be the pain of separation . . . and perhaps a little heartbreak. Whatever happens there will be good times and bad.

Somewhere along the line they will need more than themselves. All of us do! If they have found the Church they will be lucky. Incidentally — have you found the Church?



- Sunday  
Matthew  
11:20-30
- Monday  
Romans  
5:1-11
- Tuesday  
Romans  
8:1-17
- Wednesday  
Psalms  
8:1-9
- Thursday  
Isaiah  
41:8-14
- Friday  
John  
10:1-11
- Saturday  
I Corinthians  
1:18-31

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## Roy H. Thompson Again Easter Seal Rep. Here

R. H. Thompson of Ozona will lead the 1976 Easter Seal Appeal in Crockett County. It was announced by Irving A. Baker of Dallas, President of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas.

Residents in the county will receive the traditional Easter Seal Appeal letters beginning March 1. The Easter Seal Appeal is conducted each Spring to provide disabled persons and their families treatment and services. It will continue through Easter Sunday, April 18.

Mr. Thompson is one of 234 men and women through-

out Texas who serve in this capacity to help meet the cost of the statewide Easter Seal program, which assisted 10,768 handicapped Texans in 1975.

The Texas Easter Seal Society and its statewide network of treatment centers and local volunteers spent \$1,820,547 financed by the traditional Spring Easter Seal Appeal and Fall Membership Drive. Over 90 percent of all funds raised remain in Texas to support the growing needs of the disabled in the State.

Special emphasis is being given in the 1976 Easter Seal Appeal to the disabled citizen who may need assistance and not know where to obtain it. Contact Mr. Roy H. Thompson at Ozona National Bank, Ozona, to receive the simple, self-mailing request for service form. A determination of the extent and type of assistance needed, the most efficient means of obtaining that assistance and arrangements for qualified treatment or other services will be made by the Texas Easter Seal Society.



One of the favorite criticisms of Christianity has always been hypocrisy. It is not uncommon for someone to renounce Christianity by saying: "There are too many hypocritical Christians." So, as a minister, I am happy to announce that hypocrisy no longer exists. In the last few generations, hypocrisy has died!

However, rather than rejoice at its death I am inclined to weep. Yes, I believe that hypocrisy is wrong! Jesus was constantly denouncing it. In fact, one of the most scathing denunciations that Jesus ever uttered was directed at hypocrites: "Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites, because you shut off the Kingdom of heaven from men; for you do not enter in yourselves, nor do you allow those who are entering to go in. Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites, because you devour widows' houses, even while for a pretense you make long prayers; therefore, you shall receive greater condemnation." (Matthew 23:13-14) Later in the same text Jesus compared them to white-washed tombs and said: "--you too outwardly appear righteous to men, but inwardly you are full of hypocrisy and lawlessness." (Matthew 23:28)

Yes, the last few generations have revolted against hypocrisy. This is well and good, but in making the 180 degree turn we have sped past righteousness into the ditch of open sin. Women openly confess their abortions and urge their friends to have one. Homosexuals boastfully parade their sins on television talk shows. Young people blatantly live in adultery. Profanity has stalked out of the locker room to invade every area of a blushing society. Pornography is easily available to children. And we excuse it by saying: "Well, at least they aren't hypocritical."

Hypocrisy is the homage that sin pays to virtue. When hypocrisy does not exist, sin has ceased to hide itself and a very advanced stage of wickedness has been reached. Listen to the words of the prophet Isaiah: "-- They display their sin like Sodom; they do not even conceal it. Woe to them." (Isaiah 3:9)

Try as I may, I cannot find any consolation in the death of hypocrisy in our society. It is not hard to wish for the good old days--the days when you could find a hypocrite.

### MASONS PLAN DINNER

All Masons and their wives are invited to attend a covered dish luncheon Saturday, Feb. 21, at 6:30 p. m. in the High School Cafeteria. Members of the Order of Eastern Star and their husbands will be guests. The event is sponsored by the Ozona Masonic Lodge.

Compliment your kitchen with fine cookware by Le Cresuet. Complete line in stock at most times at BROWN FURNITURE CO.

### Sorority News

The Alpha Alpha Mu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Lott.

President Mrs. Terry McPherson called the meeting to order and secretary, Mrs. Johnny Meyer, called the role and read the minutes of the last meeting.

Service chairman, Mrs. Eddie Hale, reported on buying a bench for the park and the replanting of the flower garden at the Crockett County Museum.

Valentine social chairman, Mrs. Frank Hill, reported on the Valentine party and the club voted to change the date to Sunday evening at the Sutton County Steakhouse.

Mrs. Lott, chairman for the Bi-Centennial committee, presented the chapter with ideas for summer projects. The group voted to sponsor a Country Fair in the City Park on July 3. They also voted to have an Arts and Crafts booth as their contribution to the fair.

Mrs. Dennis Clark reported on plans for the annual San Antonio trip.

Mrs. Ray Boykin and Mrs. Jack Bentley gave the program on "A Woman Speaks and Chooses" in which they demonstrated various crafts techniques to the club.

Other members present were Mmes. Chuck Morris, Ruben Pena-Alfaro, Gary Pfeister, Lane Scott, Charles Spieker, Walter Spiller, Bob Wallace, Tommy Wilson, Jim Williams, John Booth, David Sewell, Tom Finley, Randy Hall, and Curtis Keith.

### Care Center Honors Five Birthday Party

Five residents of the Crockett County Care Center were honored with a birthday party last Thursday at 4 p. m. in the lobby of the center by the Hospital Auxiliary. Four birthdays were in late January and one in February. The honorees were Mrs. Faye Drake, Roy Henderson, Mrs. Lee Dudley, Albert Bailey and Mrs. Maggie Taylor.

There are now 22 residents at the center and the auxiliary has an active program under way. There are thirteen active members, six associate members and one lifetime member in the auxiliary at this time.

The next meeting of the auxiliary will be Feb. 16, at 7 p. m. at the center. All members and interested persons are invited to attend.

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**FORUM NAMES AMERICANISM CONTEST WINNERS AT MEET LAST WEEK**

The Ozona Womans Forum held its annual program on Americanism last week. Winners of the Americanism essay contest and their parents were guests.

The Forum annually sponsors the essay contest for junior high students. All students are invited to participate and all entries are carefully graded by a panel of judges. Cash awards are presented to first, second and third place winners and they are invited to read their entries aloud at the Forum meeting.

This years winners were Richard Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wallace, first; Gregg Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Perry, second; and Jimmy Trevino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andres Trevino, third.

Mrs. Ralph Jones was in charge of that part of the meeting.

Another highlight of the meeting was a talk by Miss Ghita Heilbrink, exchange student from South Africa, who spoke on her homeland and held a question and answer session later.

Hostesses Mrs. Beecher Montgomery and Mrs. L. B. Cox served refreshments before the meeting began.

Others attending were Mrs.

Charles Black, Mrs. Ben Bohmfalk, Mrs. George Bunker, Mrs. J. D. Brown, Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. Vernon Jones, Mrs. Jesse J. Marley, Mrs. P. C. Perner, Mrs. Buddy Russell, and Mrs. Bonnie Warth. --0--

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SEAL PROPOSALS ADDRESSED TO: TROY D. WILLIAMS, County Judge, Box 130, Ozona, Texas 76943 for the purchase of the following described road construction and maintenance equipment for Crockett County, Texas: PURCHASE ITEM I: (One) New Current Type Track Front End Loader with following equipment and specifications delivered to Ozona, Texas:

1. Diesel Engine with not less than 425 Cubic Inch and shall deliver not less than 130 Flywheel Horsepower at not less than 2100 RPM, 24 Volt Electric Starter and dry type Air Cleaner.
2. General purpose Bucket with not less than 2 Cubic Yard SAE rated capacity. It shall be manufacturers' stand-



WINNERS IN 4-H FOOD SHOW held at the Civic Center Saturday. Front row, left to right, Melinda Hokit, Rea Lynn Dewes, Debbie Tolle and Wendy Hood. Back row, left to right, Carmen Delgado, R. J. Everett, III, Rebecca Everett and Mabel Delgado.

ard bucket with automatic kickout, positions and 8 bucket teeth.

3. Transmission shall be Power Shift Type with Recommended manufacturers procedure to include not stop non decelerated directional reversal with not less than 3 reverse and 3 forward gears.
4. Gauge shall be not less than 66 inches. Track to be sealed and undercarriage to be lifetime lubricated.
5. 15 inch triple grouser track pads shall be standard.
6. Loader Linkage to be sealed type.
7. Hydraulic Track adjustment to be standard.
8. Machine Weight equipped as specified shall not be less than 30,200 pounds.
9. Static tipping load not less than 20,000 pounds as equipped and break out force not less than 23,000 pounds.
10. Machine will have 3 year warranty under normal 1 year warranty.

TRADE IN ON ITEM I:

1. (One) Used Cat Loader 977-H #20A 3609, Ripper will be removed from loader at County Expense.
- ITEM II: 1 (One) New Current Model Track Type Crawler Tractor with following equipment and specifications delivered to Ozona, Texas:

1. Diesel Engine not less than 466 Cubic Inch and shall deliver not less than 105 Flywheel Horsepower at not less than 1750 RPM, 24 volt direct electric starting, dry type air cleaner.
2. Transmission shall be of the power shift type with recommended manufacturers procedure to include nonstop, non decelerated direct reversal.
3. Track Gauge to be not less than 74 inches. Tracks to be sealed and all undercarriage to be lifetime lubricated.
4. Hydraulic Control System.
5. Tractor to be equipped as following

1. Angle Dozer with hydraulic tilt.
2. 3 Valve hydraulic system
3. 18 inch Track Shoes
4. Track Guiding Guards (Ends Only)
5. Crankcase Guards
6. Reversible Fan
7. Muffler
8. Fuel Priming Pump
9. Tractor shall have 3 year warranty under normal 1 year warranty

TRADE IN ON ITEM II:

- 2 (Two) D-7 Cat Dozers

#17A13092 and #3T4196

Each item will be separate and bid will show price of new machine less trade in allowance less cash or other discounts and net to County.

Bids will be received by the Commissioners Court at the County Court House, District Court Room, Ozona, Texas, until 2 o'clock p. m., on the 8th day of March, 1976. Bids will then publicly opened and read aloud, after which the bids will be considered by the Commissioners Court and award of Contract made as soon thereafter as practicable. Any bid received after the closing time will be returned unopened.

Each item may be bid separately and bids on optional equipment will be considered.

In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating prices in the Proposal, the County reserves the right to adopt the prices written in words, or to reject the Proposal. The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all formalities.

No bid may be withdrawn, after the scheduled closing for receipt of bids, for at least thirty (30) days.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that it is the intention of the Commissioners Court of Crockett County, Texas, to pay all or a part of the contract price in interest bearing Time Warrants, and it is the intention of the Commissioners Court to pass an Order on the 9th day of February, 1976, authorizing the issuance of interest bearing Time Warrants against the Farm to Market Road Fund of said County in an amount not to exceed \$90,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 5 1/2% per annum, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, with a maximum maturity not to exceed five (5) years from their date, for the purpose of evidencing the indebtedness of Crockett County to be incurred in purchasing the above described road construction and maintenance equipment for said County.

The County will make arrangements for the Contractor to dispose of the Warrants herein mentioned at not less than par, and the Contractor must agree to deliver the Warrants at such price to the party with whom the County makes such arrangements.

THIS NOTICE is given

**Hospital News**

Patients receiving treatment in Crockett County Hospital week of Feb. 3 to Feb. 9:

- Elia Trevino\*  
Pam Coates  
Lorene Robertson-Abilene  
Cleofas Rebelez  
Patricia Cantu-Iraan\*  
Jesus F. Castro\*  
Willie E. Short-Big Lake  
Kathleen Head  
Edna Harvick  
Jessie T. Deaton\*  
Lona E. Ellis\*  
Della King-Iraan\*

Milton Wagner\*  
Kathy Jones\*  
Tiffany Vargas\*  
Darlisha Galindo\*  
Baby Girl Galindo\*  
\*denotes discharges

Births:  
Elia Trevino - baby boy  
Patricia Cantu - baby boy  
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Mr. and Mrs. T. Embry Jones of Cincinnati have been houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harrell this week. They returned from a trip to Hawaii with the Harrells late last week.  
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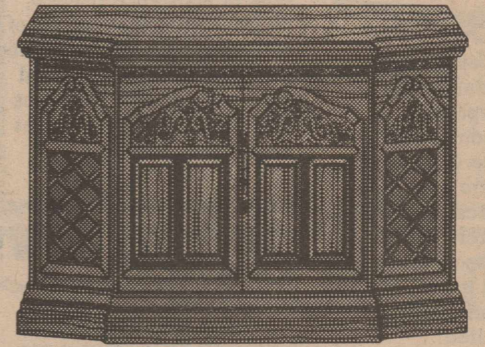
LEGAL NOTICE  
A 1973 Toyota pickup, ID#RN 22 003 9450, 1974 license number 805145, will be sold at sheriff's auction unless the bill in the amount of \$1,051.79 owed to Les Automotive, is paid within 30 days of the date of this notice.  
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/s/ Troy Williams  
County Judge, Crockett County, Texas  
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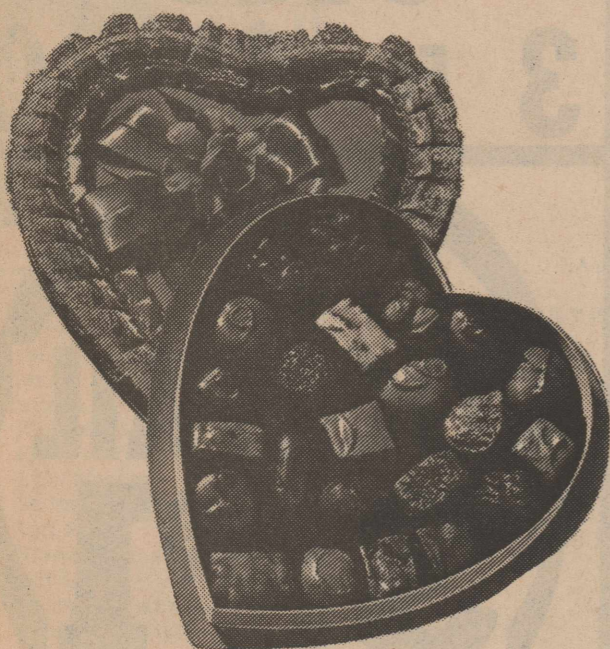
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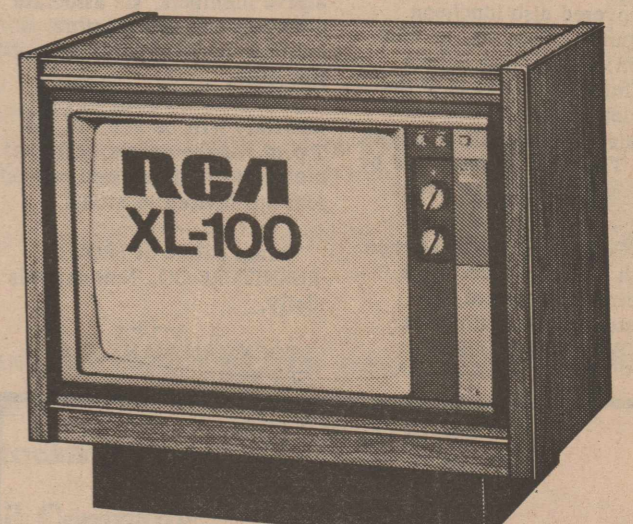
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The WAKEFIELD Model GU702 25" diagonal

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### Political Announcements

The above prices include one write-up of a reasonable length announcing the candidate for office along with a picture if desired, also carrying the candidate's name in the political announcement column until election.

Candidates whose names appear below have authorized the Ozona Stockman to announce their candidacy for office, subject to the Democratic Primary May 1, 1976:

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 County Offices . . . \$30

For State Representative, Dist. 70:  
**SUSAN GURLEY McBEE**

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:  
**JACK WILLIAMS**

**JIM MARKS**

For Crockett County Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:  
**BILLY MILLS**

**MAX MORRIS**

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1:  
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 I am offering  
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for apprehension and conviction of guilty parties to every theft of livestock in Crockett County — except that no officer of Crockett County may claim the reward.  
**Billy Mills**  
 Sheriff, Crockett Co.

### "West Texas Outdoors"

Every West Texas fisherman is well familiar with the malady known as "fishing fever." While it's not a real illness, fishermen know that a case of this fever can cause real discomfort.

There is only one known cure for fishing fever. That is to go fishing.

Unfortunately, there usually is a period of time before the fisherman can get away to take the cure, especially in dry West Texas where we have to travel farther to do our fishing. And there is no guarantee that the cure will last more than a couple of days after the fisherman returns home. Often the malady comes right back.

While there is nothing to take the place of the fishing-trip-cure, some fishermen have come up with a way of easing the discomfort until they can get back on the water. For most who use this method, there are several advantages. Not only does it ease the discomfort, but it makes the next trip more enjoyable and it can even save a little money.

The method is to develop a fishing-related hobby to occupy spare time at home during those periods when it is impossible to get out and go fishing. In other words, join the do-it-yourself group of fishermen who make their own fishing lures.

Making certain types of lures at home is not difficult. It is a lot of fun. The fishermen who make their own lures say they get a lot more enjoyment out of catching a fish on a lure they made, than on a store-bought model. And finally, the fisherman who purchases the parts and puts together his own lures gets them a little cheaper than the one who buys all factory-made models.

Two of the easiest lures to make at home are two of the most effective on Texas' most popular freshwater game fish, the largemouth bass. Those lures are the plastic worm and the weighted spinner, known by most bass fishermen as the "spinner-bait."

It doesn't take much to get started making either of those lures. The plastic worms are made by heating a liquid plastic, adding the desired color to the molten liquid and pouring it into a mold. All that is needed is the plastic, a couple of small, aluminum pouring pans, some molds and a few bottles of the concentrated liquid color.

An advantage to making plastic worms is that the

fisherman can come up with his own color combinations, that can't be purchased on the market. And many fishermen are soon making their own molds so they can design their own special shaped worms.

It's a hobby, like most, that grows and expands with time.

Some who make spinners, purchase the unpainted lead heads already molded on hooks and shafts. Others like to start from scratch and get a mold to make their own heads.

Once the heads are molded and painted, the next step is to add beads, swivels and spinner blades. A plastic skirt is usually added to cover the hook. But some real custom spinners can be produced by dressing the hooks with bucktail or feathers.

Again, the homemade spinnerbaits give the fisherman a lot of latitude to come up with designs and color combinations that can't be bought from the sporting goods shelves. Half the fun is trying to come up with your own special lure that will catch fish.

If your local sporting goods store doesn't handle supplies and equipment for the do-it-yourself lure maker, there are a number of mail-order firms that specialize in these supplies. Addresses for ordering their catalogs can usually be found in the classified sections of the outdoor magazines.

Get some supplies and give lure-making a try. It's a good way to get added enjoyment from fishing.

But before you take off to try out that first batch of homemade lures, be sure you are familiar with the fishing regulations in the "Guide to Texas Hunting and Sport Fishing Regulations, 1975-76" that is printed by the Parks and Wildlife Department.

And be sure that your fishing license is current. Remember, fishing licenses now expire one year from date of purchase in Texas.

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### Ozona Garden Club Meets At Civic Center

The Ozona Garden Club met Monday afternoon at the Civic Center. Hostesses were Mrs. Armond Hoover, Jr., Mrs. Johnny Hokit and Mrs. Stephen Perner. Mrs. Perner was unable to attend.

Mrs. O. D. West presided over the business meeting and announced that the District VIII Spring meeting would be held in Stanford March 10.

The club, with Mrs. Ralph Jones as chairman, planted a Spanish Oak in Live Oak Park on Hwy. 290.

Valentine refreshments were served from a beautifully arranged table.

The program, "Creations for a Dry Climate," on the culture and propagation of succulants, was given by Mrs. Charles Williams.

Others present included Mrs. Fleet Coates, Mrs. Maggie Crawford, Mrs. J. W. Howell, Mrs. Starley Lenamon, Mrs. Richard Mayfield, Mrs. J. C. Schroeder, Mrs. J. B. Miller, Mrs. Ben Bohmfalk, Mrs. Larry Elliot and Mrs. Bailey Post.

### COUNTRY CLUB BRIDGE

Mrs. Hillery Phillips was hostess for luncheon and bridge at the country club Thursday.

Winning high was Mrs. Tommy Wilson, second high went to Mrs. Clay Adams and low to Mrs. Kirby Moore.

Mrs. J. B. Parker won the bingo. Others playing were Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. Cuatro Davidson, Mrs. James Dockery, Mrs. John L. Henderson, Mrs. John R. Hunnicutt, Mrs. Sidney Millsbaugh, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Jr., Mrs. Frank Tillman, Mrs. Evert White, Mrs. Jim Williams, Mrs. Gene Williams, Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. Dale Bebee and Mrs. O. D. West.

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**PHONE NEWS TO THE STOCKMAN**

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

How would you handle this one --

A federal official visits your newspaper. After nosing around in your business, he renders a decision. He says you're operating a monopoly, because you have integrated your various operations -- news-gathering, advertising, printing, and circulation -- into one company. He's going to break you up, so there will be a separate news-gathering company, a separate advertising company, a separate printing company, and a separate circulation company.

This, he explains, will create competition among the various segments, and we all know that competition leads to efficiency. And better prices for the customer. Simple, isn't it? You bet it's simple -- simple-minded. It makes absolutely no sense at all.

Yet, right now, the U. S. Congress is holding hearings and fashioning legislation that will dissect another segment of the free enterprise system just about as drastically.

Certain Congressmen propose to split up the various subsidiaries that make up an integrated, efficient oil company, such as Amoco, into separate companies. If these Congressmen have their way, there will be a separate exploration and production company (analogous to news gathering?); refining company (printing?); pipeline company (circulation?); . . . well, you get the idea.

What in the world is a monopoly anyway?

At last count here's the way the monopolistic oil industry stacks up -- Marketing includes about 15,000 wholesale oil jobbers, 18,000 companies dealing in fuel oil and liquefied petroleum gas, and over 200,000 retailers of motor gasoline.

The largest seller of branded gasoline has an eight percent share of the national market, and the four largest about 30 percent.

Refining is made up of 130 U. S. companies that own more than 250 refineries. The four largest produce less than one-third of the total output and the largest share is just over 10 percent.

Pipelining involves about 100 separate pipeline companies engaged in interstate shipment of crude oil and natural gas. The top four interstate pipe-

line companies control less than a quarter of the national market and the largest share is about seven percent.

Exploration and Production includes about 10,000 firms engaged in looking for, drilling, and producing oil and gas.

Alarming to me is a general lack of alarm among newspapers -- and business in general -- by such a threat to our business system. If an industry with as low a degree of concentration as petroleum can be broken up, no one in the private sector of the economy can be considered safe -- including newspapers.

Carl I. Huss  
 Director, Southwestern Area  
 Amoco Public & Government Affairs

### Ozonans' Grandson Is Wed Friday

Miss Rhoda Harrell and Edward Dicken Reynolds, III, were married in a Feb. 7 ceremony in the home of the bride's parents in Dallas. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Morris Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Ed D. Reynolds, Jr.

The bride is a graduate of SMU and the Hockabay School. She is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, the Slipper and Cotillion Clubs and was an idlewild debutante in 1974-75.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Southwestern University. He is a member of Phi Delta Theta, the Terpsichorean Club, Idlewild Club, and the Galy Club.

After a wedding trip to the Bahamas the couple will be at home in Dallas.

The bridegroom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr. of Ozona and the son of the former Ora Louise Cox of Ozona.

Attending the wedding from Ozona were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cox III and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Childress. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Evans of Austin also attended.

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### League Sets Bicentennial Style Show

The Ozona Womens League has scheduled a Bicentennial Style Show for Tuesday, February 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the United Methodist Church fellowship hall.

Fashions from yesterday and today will be featured in the show. Today's fashions will be donated by Mae Lu's Fashions. Models will furnish the fashions for yesterday.

The public is invited to attend the show at no charge. Refreshments will be served following the show.

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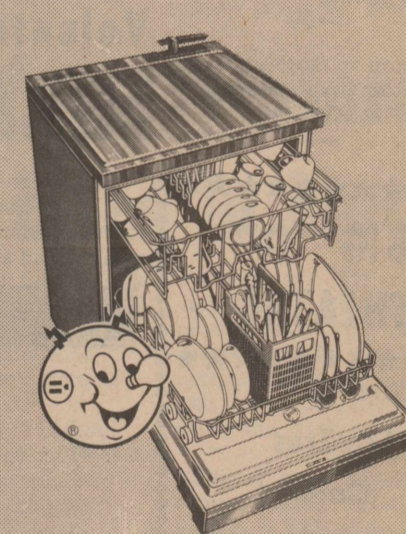
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### Called Meeting Tonite For Q'horse Assn.

Bill Watson, secretary of the Ozona Quarterhorse Association, has called a meeting for 7:30 tonight (Thursday) at the Chamber of Commerce building.

All members and interested parties are urged to be present to plan this year's quarterhorse show, which will be the 26th annual show for Ozona and one of the oldest AQHA shows in the nation.

Watson said lack of interest had threatened the show for the past few years, but feels that since this is the Bicentennial year, the show should go on this year. Application for the show approval must be in by February 24. This was the reason given for holding the meeting on such short notice.

Watson said anyone who could help out in any way with the show or had any interest in it, could be put to work on show plans. He hopes for a big attendance at the meeting.



MRS. TROY WILLIAMS was among luncheon guests at the 18th Annual County Judges and Commissioners Conference last week in College Station. She and Judge Williams attended the three-day conference which is part of the County Officials Program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University System--in cooperation with the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas.

### C.C. History Book Is On Schedule

Mrs. Pleas Childress reports that work on the Crockett County History Book is coming along on schedule. Volunteers meet daily at the museum in preparing the book for the printer.

Mrs. Childress has planned some pages for Ozona and Crockett County homes. She would like to have pictures of old ranch homes, old town homes and homes of today. Anyone having such pictures may drop them off at the museum. All pictures will be returned.

### Roping Club To Meet

The Ozona Roping Club will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 17, at 7:30 at the Chamber of Commerce building. This will be the first meeting of the year for the roping club, and one of the most important.

Officers for the year will be elected and plans made for the annual summer ropings. All interested persons are urged to attend.

### Fund Raising Event Planned By Boosters

Future fund-raising events were discussed at the meeting of the Ozona Band Boosters Monday night.

The group voted to have another variety show and set March 23 as the date. Tryouts will be held in the high school auditorium approximately two weeks before the show. The date for tryouts will be announced later.

Civic clubs and other organizations, both adult and youngsters, are invited to be represented in this event. Humorous skits, quartets, monologues or any type of entertainment will be welcome. Anyone or group wishing to participate should contact Mrs. Jack Adams, chairman for the show.

The boosters also decided to have a county fair in the city park April 20, and the whole community may participate.

Following the business meeting, the High School Stage Band entertained the group with selections from their performance which will be held this weekend at the Brownwood Stage Festival.

### Heart Fund Volunteers Needed Here

Mrs. Gene Perry, P. O. Box 1283, chairman of the Crockett Heart Fund campaign, today issued an appeal to

### Girl Scout Cookie Recipes

**FROZEN STRAWBERRY TARTS**  
1 qt. vanilla ice cream  
One 10-oz. pkg. frozen strawberries, thawed & drained  
12 Lemon Cremes, crushed  
Line 12 muffin cups with paper baking cups. Soften ice cream; fold in strawberries. Sprinkle a layer of crumbs in bottom of each paper cup. Fill each cup with ice cream mixture and top with remaining crumbs; freeze until firm. Makes 12 servings.

**NUTTY CHEESE BALL**  
One 8-oz. pkg. cream cheese, softened  
One 8-oz. pkg. liver sausage  
2 tablespoons sweet pickle

Crockett County residents for volunteers to aid in the local drive which begins February. Mrs. Perry said volunteers are needed to call on friends and neighbors with information on reducing the risk of heart disease and how to recognize the early warning signs of heart attack and stroke. Volunteers also will collect contributions for increased research, education and community programs to help fight the nation's leading cause of death.

"More than 28 million Americans have some form of heart and blood vessel diseases. This averages out to one in every eight Americans. Deaths from these diseases amount to over a million a year -- more than from all other causes of death combined," said the chairman. Mrs. Perry asked Crockett County residents to help bring these important messages to the public by volunteering some of their time to help save lives.

Volunteers may register in person at Heart Fund Headquarters, Box 1283, or by calling 392-2019.

relish, drained  
2 tablespoons chopped onion  
1/2 cup chopped walnuts  
Sesame Crisps  
Combine cheese, liver sausage, pickle relish and onion; cover and chill thoroughly. Shape cheese mixture into a large ball, roll in chopped walnuts. Place on serving plate; cover and chill several hours or until firm. Arrange Sesame Crisps around ball and serve as a spread. Makes about 12 servings.

**FRUIT FLUFF SQUARES**  
12 Oxford Creme Cookies, crushed  
2 tablespoons butter or margarine  
1 envelope (1 Tbsp.) unflavored gelatine  
1/4 cup cold water  
One 7.2-oz. pkg. fluffy white frosting mix  
One 8-oz. carton orange-flavored yogurt  
One 8-3/4-oz. can fruit cocktail, drained

Blend together crumbs and butter; reserve 2 tablespoons mixture for topping. Press remaining mixture evenly onto bottom of 9-in square pan. Mix together gelatine and water in small saucepan over low heat; stir constantly until gelatine dissolves, about 3 minutes. Prepare frosting according to package directions; gradually fold in gelatine, yogurt and fruit. Spread over crumb mixture; sprinkle with reserved topping. Chill until firm. Cut into squares and serve. Makes 9 servings. "If desired, one's favorite fruit-flavored yogurt may be used."

No race can prosper till it learns that there is as much dignity in tilling a field as in writing a poem.

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FOR SALE - Fat goats for barbecuing. Call 392-2174. --0-- 40-tfc

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FOR SALE - Frigidaire Electric Range. Call 392-2551, or 392-3208 after 5. --0-- 46-tnc

FOR SALE - 3 bedroom home. Crockett Heights. Call 392-3502. --0-- 46-tfc

FOR SALE - 1967 Buick Electra, \$400. Ph. 392-3502. --0-- 47-tfc

FOR SALE - 1974 Toyota Celica, 5-speed, AM/FM radio, air, 18,800 miles, \$3,400. Call 392-2503 after 4 p.m. --0-- 48-2tp

FOR SALE - 1974 1-ton Ford. Dual wheels. Low mileage. Factory air. Ideal for goose-neck or welder. George Turner, Ozona, Tx. 392-2068. --0-- 49-2tp

FOR SALE - 1972 Chevrolet 3/4 ton Pickup w/Camper. Needs \$150 repair. \$1400. Call 392-3282, 209 Ave. F. --0-- 48-1tp

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