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Out In The West, Where The Air Is Pure, The Climate Agreeable, And The People Friendly The Best Place On Earth To Call Home

## Kitty's Korner

By  
Kitty Montgomery

You expect a lot of politickin' before an election, but I've been floored at the number of telephone calls from Crockett County voters, who have expressed a desire to vote in a Republican Primary and are inquiring how to go about it. And, every caller has expressed a desire to vote for Governor Reagan, having no Republican Primary here, of course, precludes any vote from this county for either Republican presidential candidate. This is a shame. People should be able to vote their choice, but since Crockett County is a one-party county, there is no way to vote Republican.

The only remedy to this is the formation of a Republican County organization, by bright, energetic, people, who will work and give much of their time, be able to run for office on the local and district levels, work with the state and national segments, and above all recruit members. Crockett County is basically conservative, and the day will come when conservative-thinking voters will be forced out of the Democratic Party. Perhaps not tomorrow, next week, nor next year, but soon.

Speaking of politickin', it should let up a little in the newspapers and television after next Saturday's elections. I declare, we get some weird political commercials on television, and some even stranger opinions. I think the "most" in each category was the "question" about Jimmy Carter's religious belief and the Senator Frank Church commercial for President.

One early morning there was a flash on the news and the commentator, in a serious voice, said, "some question has arisen about Governor Carter's religious background." Expecting nothing less than he had been discovered a high priest for a devil cult, I listened raptly. As it turned out he was a Baptist and his sister is an evangelist. I was amazed, you'd think that would be a political plus.

After Senator Church's commercial, condemning American policy from the Department of State to the C. I. A., a sonorous voice pronounces "Frank Church, the man who makes you want to vote." To that I would have agreed, but for someone else.

Yes, political years  
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OZONA HIGH SCHOOL TOP GRADUATES - Valedictorian for the 1975-76 graduating class is Monica Delgado with a four-year average of 95.0. She is the only magna



cum laude graduate in the class. Salutatorian is Alex Guerra, who had a four-year average of 93.29.

## Crockett Co. 4-H And FFA Win Own Judging Contests

The Annual Crockett County Range and Grass Judging Contest was held Saturday April 24 on the Steve Kenley Ranch, south of Ozona.

In the Range Judging Contest, Crockett County 4-H junior team won the rotating trophy furnished by Ozona National Bank by out-scoring all of the Junior and Senior teams. The team members were Kelly Sinclair - Second High Individual, Kim Sinclair - Third High Individual, Melinda Hokit - Seventh High Individual, and Will Hoover - Alternate.

## OHS Honor Grads Told For 1975-76

Honor graduates for the 1975-76 Ozona High School Class were announced this week. The four-year grade average is compiled to determine the top students. Monica Delgado, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herculano Delgado, is valedictorian with a four year average of 95. Miss Delgado is the only student to graduate magna cum laude this year.

Salutatorian is Alex Guerra, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Guerra. His average is 93.29. Other cum laude graduates, with a four year average of 90 or above, include Donna Renee Yeager, 93.10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald

Second was Sutton County Number One; Paula Friess - High Individual, Rick Powers - Fourth High Individual, Third was Sutton County Number Two; Julie Stewart - Fifth High Individual and Lee Burch - Sixth High Individual. Fourth Place Team was Kimble County and Fifth Crockett County Number Two. Team members were Ann Hoover, Mel Spiller, Jennifer Marley, and Cliff Chaney.

In the Senior Division of the Range Contest Ozona FFA won first. Members were Danny Weant - High Individual, Wayne

Yeager; Tony Owen Hoover, 92.14, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hoover; Ricky Dan Perry, 91.40, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Perry; Kirby Lynn Kirken, 91.0, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Kirken; Beverly Lynn Maness, 91.00, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Maness; Belinda Fay Bebee, 90.07, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale H. Bebee, and Richard Lane Harrison, 90.06, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harrison.

Baccalaureate services for the record 60 candidates for graduation will be held May 16, with graduation exercises scheduled for May 18, at 8 p.m., at the high school auditorium.

Sutton - Second High Individual and Joe Moran - Fourth High Individual. Midland County 4-H placed second - Lee Schweitzer - Third High Individual, Ranch Green - Fifth High Individual and Andy Sherrod - Sixth High Individual.

Paula Friess was the High Individual in the Range Contest and also in the Grass Contest and received trophies furnished by the Crockett County Water Improvement District.

In the Grass Contest Senior Division, Ozona FFA won first; members were Danny Weant - High Individual, Wayne Sutton - Third High Individual and Joe Moran - Fifth High Individual. Midland County 4-H was second; members Lee Schweitzer - Second High Individual, Ranch Green - Fourth High Individual, and Andy Sherrod - Sixth High Individual.

In the Junior Division of the Grass Contest Sutton County Number One placed first; members Paula Friess - High Individual, Tammy Van Hoozer - Second High Individual, Rich Powers - Third High Individual. Second place was won by Crockett County Number One; Kim Sinclair - Fifth High Individual, Melinda Hokit - Sixth High Individual, and Kelly Sinclair - Seventh High Individual. Will Hoover - Alternate. Third place team - Sutton County Number Two; Fourth place team - Sutton County Team Number Three; Fifth place team - Crockett  
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## Automotive Co Burglarized Fourth Time

B & C Automotive was broken into for the fourth time early Saturday morning. This time the thief escaped with only a handful of pennies. Officers think he was frightened away by an alarm system which had been installed since the last break-in several weeks ago.

The burglar gained entrance by breaking and climbing through a back window. The break-in was discovered about 6:30 Saturday morning by Deputy Sheriff Jerry Capers. After owner Charles Preddy was notified and made an investigation, it was determined that the pennies were the only item missing. The thief failed to gain access to the office.

## Ginger Glynn To Receive Master's

Miss Ginger Glynn, daughter of Mrs. G. E. Glynn and the late Mr. Glynn, will receive her Master's of Social Work degree from Worden School of Social Service in San Antonio on May 8, 1976.



During the two years of study, Ms. Glynn attended classes as well completing field placements. Her first year of placement was spent in doing family casework at Wesley Community Center in San Antonio, her second year in supervising social workers at Madonna Community Center in San Antonio. For the past four months, she has worked full-time at Presbyterian Children's Agency in Dallas where she did social work with families and children in foster care and adoption.

Ms. Glynn attended the public school system in Ozona where she graduated in 1968. She is a 1972 graduate of Wayland Baptist College with a major in sociology and minor in physical education. After college graduation Ms. Glynn was employed as Social caseworker at Big Spring State Hospital for two years before beginning study to obtain her master's degree.

## Politics Predominate As Saturday Primary Looms

Politics have been the order of the day locally for the past week in anticipation of the Saturday Primary. The primary is for the Democratic Party. There will be no Republican Party primary in Crockett County, due partly to lack of organization and the fact that all local political races are on the Democratic Primary ballot. Several telephone calls to the Stockman office have prompted this information.

Absentee balloting closed Tuesday at 5 p.m. with 334 ballots cast and 25 still due in the mail. Of this number 214 voters in Precinct 1 signed their intent to be out of town on Saturday and cast absentee ballots. There were 11 ballots still in the mail. Precinct 2 had 41 absentee voters with 2 still out. Precinct 3 had 69 vote absentee and had 11 out. Precinct 4 had 10 voters cast absentee ballots with one out.

The large absentee turn-out in Precinct 1 is undoubtedly due to the hotly contested commissioners race in progress there. Incumbent Commissioner Jesse Marley and candidate Jerry Hayes are facing a strong challenge from Sostenes DeHoyos.

Only two other local races have developed. Sheriff Billy Mills is being challenged by Max Morris, retired federal law enforcement officer, incumbent commissioner of precinct 3 Jack Williams is opposed on the ballot by Jim Marks, local super market manager.

Local interest in the primary is high since the winners, barring a run-off in Precinct 1, will actually secure the office, having no opposition in the general elections in November.

The election will apparently be held according to the rearranging of precinct lines by the Commissioners Court in 1974, and as amended in October of 1975. The redistricting has not been approved nor disapproved by the U. S. Attorney General's office, although it has been under consideration since January of this year. The situation has caused a great deal of confusion among county officials and candidates.

Something new on the ballot this year is the presidential preference election. Voters will be voting for slates of delegates for the nomination of a Democratic Presidential candidate. This election is at the top of the ballot. The three delegates for Lloyd Bentsen top the list. Although Senator Bentsen's national candidacy for

President was spoiled early by poor showings elsewhere, he still wants to lead the Texas delegation as favorite son and make use of the status at the convention. Next on the list are three delegates for Jimmy Carter, former governor of Georgia, who is the front-runner so far in the presidential primaries nationwide. Next, comes the uncommitted slate of delegates. These delegates, mostly liberal, hope to go to the convention ready to cast the Texas strength for a candidate yet to emerge. The final

slate of delegates are committed to Governor George Wallace. Although Wallace has a very slim chance, if any, of winning the nomination, most conservative democrats will vote for this delegation, in hopes of placing a conservative candidate in nomination at convention.

In counties where Republican Primaries are held, former California Governor Ronald Reagan is strongly challenging President Gerald Ford, and although both camps are predicting victory, it is the general consensus that Reagan has the edge.

## Bicentennial Coins On Sale Here Now

Crockett County's beautiful Bicentennial coins have arrived and already approximately forty of the one hundred bought have been sold. Each coin carries a number and on one side a picture of the County's own Bicentennial Logo, designed by Vonnie Womack. On the opposite side is a fine picture of the Liberty Bell, hallowed symbol of the American Revolution.

The coins are for sale at \$25.00 each. They may be seen, and purchased at the Ozona National Bank by contacting Mrs. Medford and leaving a check, Mrs.

Jess Marley will enter the number of the coin on a Master List and will then deliver it to the purchaser.

All profits from the sales of the coin will be used for special Bicentennial projects in Crockett County which will enhance our community.

Such coins, printed in limited numbers, after which the molds are destroyed, soon become Collectors' items, so orders should be placed as quickly as possible. A limited number will be available to each person.

## OHS Honor Roll Is Announced

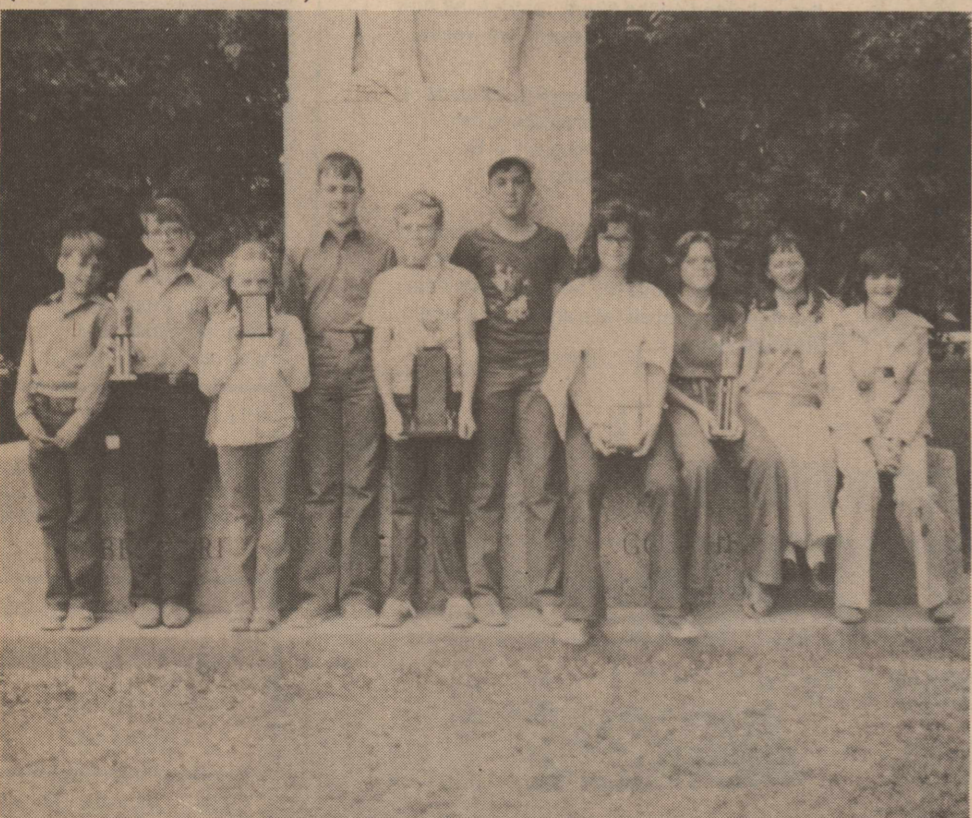
High School Principal Jim Payne announced the honor roll for the fifth six weeks early this week. To be on the honor list, a student must have a 90 or better academic average with no grade of C or lower. The senior class led the list with 21 students, followed by the junior class with 17 and the sophomore class with 14, and the freshman class with nine.

Seniors on the honor list include David Garza, Basilio Ramirez, Karen Moody, Monica Delgado, Alex Guerra, Renee Yeager, Tony Hoover, Ricky Perry, Kirby Kirken, Lynn Maness, Richard Harrison, Belinda Bebee, Jerry Weant, Frankie Garza, Nancy Reed, Ronald Shaw, Raul De La Rosa, Luann Perner, David Torres, Karla Fenton, and Lonnie Martinez.

honor roll were Vaden Aldridge, Clyde Bailey, Karen Bebee, Orlando DeHoyos, Carmen Delgado, Shannon Dockery, Mike Fay, John Galvan, Brian Gries, Eugene Hood, Karen Kirby, Bobby Knox, Hope Phillips, Ronnie Schneider, Kathy Sewell, Gary Warren, and Nancy Womack.

Sophomore students listed on the roll are Randy Allen, Kathleen Appel, Teresa Brown, Rico DeHoyos, Elsa Delgado, Bill Dudley, Regina Everett, Jesse Garza, Hector Gutierrez, Manuel Longoria, Robert Longoria, Jeannine Perry, Kathy Sanchez, and Rhonda Yeager.

Freshmen honor students are La Dawn Adcock, Sylvia Elisondo, Rebecca Everett, Jose Gutierrez, Janice Jones, Tracy Knox, Debra Leatherwood, Danny Sewell, and Karen Warren.



CROCKETT COUNTY JUNIOR 4-H TEAM outscored all other teams in the Annual County Range Judging Contest at the Steve Kenley Ranch Saturday and won the rotating trophy. Team members, l. to r., are Cap Covington, Clifford Chaney, Ann Hoover, Mike Dalby, Will Hoover, Will M. Black, Kim Sinclair, Jennifer Marley, Michelle Dalby and Melinda Hokit.

## OHS Golfers Win District 6-AA Title

Coach Charlie Spieker's Ozona Lion golfers captured the District 6-AA golf championship on the local course last weekend. They will be participating in the regional tournament at Andrews today and Friday, along with runner-up McCamey.

The Lions scored a 309 to win their own district tournament. McCamey was second with a 320, Sonora, third with 323, Crane fourth with 336 and Big Lake fifth with 336. The teams finished district play in this order.

Scoring individually for the Lions Saturday were Ronald Koerth, 71; Kirby Kirken, 77; Eugene Hood, 80; Mike Hays, 81; Tony Conner, 87; Wilson Hill, 93, and Cliff McMullan, 130.



TO COMPETE IN REGIONAL TRACK MEET - Four Ozona Lion tracksters will be in Odessa Friday and Saturday to compete in the Regional Meet. They qualified by scoring first or second in their event at District. The boys are Ronald Shaw, Rodney Ruthardt, Lonnie Martinez, and Clifford Crawford.

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**U.N. HYPOCRISY AND SOUTH AFRICA**

South Africa's ambassador to the United States, Roelof F. Botha, earlier this month began a Washington press briefing sponsored by the American Security Council with these words: "Friends, critics and enemies."

That salutation says a lot about the country's isolation in the world community. To those who might otherwise accuse South Africa of being paranoid, however, this article is addressed.

First some facts: As Portugal's hold on its colony in Angola became increasingly tenuous during the last 10 years, several black liberationist groups within that African country emerged. Two of them, recently led by Holden Roberto and Jonas Savimbi, fought in the bush for years against Portugal and commanded the loyalty of about two-thirds of the six million citizens of Angola.

A third group, the MPLA, had the loyalty of a minority of Angolans but had something else going for it: the backing of Russia. When the Soviet Union poured its Cuban puppets, armed with Russian weapons, into southern Africa late last year - and when the U.S. Congress refused to back President Ford in meeting the blatant challenge - the war in Angola, for all intents and purposes, was over.

In the meantime, South Africa, in part at least to protect its investment in a hydro-electric and irrigation project near the border between South West Africa and Angola, poured its own troops into the country. Its action was encouraged by the pro-western forces fighting for control of the country - who remember, represented a majority of Angolans.

With the West, led notably by the United States, having given up the ghost and Angola falling to the Marxist forces, South Africa took the better part of valor and pulled all of its soldiers out of Angola by March 27. Still on Angolan soil, however, remained between 12,000 and 15,000 Cuban troops - some of whom have now been joined by their entire families.

On the evening of March 30 - three days after the last South African soldier had departed Angola - one of the most hypocritical acts of modern diplomacy was perpetrated by the United Nations Security Council. On a vote of 9-0 the would-be arbiter of world morals voted to brand South Africa alone as the aggressor in Angola. Furthermore, it ordered South Africa to pay compensation for all war damages!

For its part, the United States, along with four other Security Council members, meekly abstained. Hence, once again, the U.S. exhibits a mugwump approach to foreign affairs, that bogyman South Africa gets its dues, and the United Nations adds to its considerable record of incompetence. And, we should add, some 12,000 Communist troops from another continent continue to sit on Angolan soil.

**A NEW COVERUP?**

The left-leaning Washington, D.C., press made much of what has come to be called "the Watergate coverup." Now, it appears, there is a new "coverup" and this time by certain segments of the press itself.

The story revolves around one Daniel Schorr of CBS, who leaked a secret congressional report on the CIA to the radical-left Village Voice a new York tabloid.

Alice Widener, Editor and Publisher of the "U.S.A." newsletter, has found a large number of inconsistencies and contradictions in the news stories which followed the Schorr escapade. But, she reports (in the March 30 issue of U.S.A.) that repeated attempts on her part to run down the stories and clear up the contradictions have been met with a strange refusal to talk.

For example, Daniel Schorr states, in a letter to the New York Times (February 16) that "I suggested (to Clay Felker, editor of the Village Voice) it would be appropriate for him to make a voluntary contribution to the Reporters' Committee," in lieu of cash payment to Schorr for the secret report.

Jack C. Landau, a member of the Executive Committee of the Reporters' Committee told Editor & Publisher (Feb. 28) that "none of us on the committee are making anything... we simply accepted a check. What were we supposed to do, turn it down?"

However, several days later, on February 24, the Reporters' Committee issued a public statement which declared, "At no time before or after publication of the Pike Report in the Village Voice has any member of the Reporters' Committee had any contact with Clay Felker (Voice Publisher); nor has any money been offered by him or received..."

Puzzled by the contradiction, Alice Widener reports that "to try to find out which statement is true, I telephoned the Reporters' Committee. It referred me to Mr. Fred Graham of CBS (a member of the Executive Committee) and gave me his Washington office phone number. Unable to reach him, I left a message of inquiry with his office and requested a reply. When it did not come, I phoned again and was again unable to reach Mr. Graham, I dictated my brief question to his secretary and again requested a reply. None was forthcoming. After a third try with no result, I telephoned Robert Brown, president and publisher of Editor and Publisher and asked him about the discrepancy... Mr. Brown (replied, "We're satisfied our story is correct, and we stand by it."

Why the coverup on the part of the Reporters' Committee?



**THE NEWS REEL**

A re-run of "The Ozona Story" as gleaned from the files of "The Ozona Stockman"

Thursday, May 1, 1947 Ozona Girl Scouts became affiliated this week with the Girl Scouts of America, a national organization, with Mrs. H. W. Maris as leader.

29 years ago An offering to be taken at the morning worship hour next Sunday at the First Baptist Church will be sent to proper agencies for relief in blast devastated Texas City.

29 years ago Mrs. L. M. (Chappo) Morrison, Jr., a recent bride, was introduced to friends of the area Tuesday morning when Mrs. L. M. Morrison, Sr., entertained in her honor with a coffee in the garden at the Morrison home.

29 years ago Ozona High School Seniors of 1947 will leave Thursday for Kerrville, where they will make camp on the Guadalupe through Saturday night.

29 years ago Lowake will open the Concho Basin League schedule in Ozona next Sunday afternoon against Stuart's men of Ozona.

29 years ago Bobby Childress, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Childress, suffered a fractured leg Wednesday morning when he fell from a slide at his home here.

29 years ago Miss Jacqueline Theis will lead a community sing-song Tuesday evening on the lawn between the high school and grade school highlighting the local observance of National Music Week.

Mrs. Frank James, Mrs. George Montgomery, Mrs. Richard Miller and Mrs. Vera Baker were in Odessa Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Ben Lemmons, a former Ozonan.

Tim Ogilvy of Odessa spent last week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Evert White.

ADDING MACHINE TAPE - 2 1/2, 2 1/4, 3, 3 1/2 and 4 inch widths. The STOCKMAN office.

STOCKMAN WANT ADS GET RESULTS

SNIPS, QUIPS AND LIFTS by Lottie Lee Baker

We're not in a recession. This is just the worst boom in history.

The reason many husbands who do not speak out of turn is that they don't have one.

Middle age is when you are old enough to know what's good for you, but not so old that you do it.

Some folks play golf weakly.

Nothing makes a toy so educational as a sharp edge.

We always remember acts of kindness--especially if they were our own.

You have to admire the man who is still enthusiastic about scientific progress after he has been caught speeding by radar.

A person who throws dirt about his neighbor always loses ground.

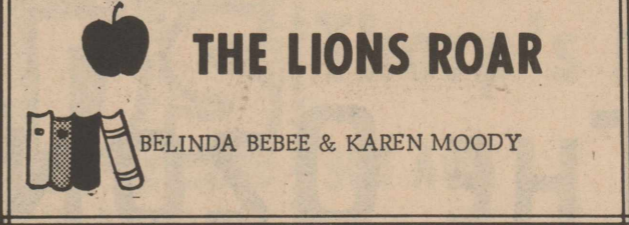
To err is human--but usually a much better excuse is demanded.

The most desirable quality about a nose is not its length, breadth, or curve, but that it is not to be found in other people's business.

Too few people know the difference between giving you a piece of their mind and some of their lip.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK-The value of all things, even your own life and time, depends upon the use we make of them.

Mugs galore at BROWN FURNITURE CO. New arrivals daily.



This Thursday and Friday, the following boys will be playing in the Regional Tennis Meet in Odessa: Ricky Perry and Tony Hoover in doubles; and Ronnie Schneider in singles. Good luck!

The boys' golf team won district in Ozona last Saturday. Ronald Koerth was second in the medalist competition. They will be competing in the Regional Golf Meet in Andrews this Friday and Saturday. Good luck!

The boys' track team placed third in the District Meet at McCamey last Saturday. The following boys will be going to the Regional Meet in Odessa: Rodney Rutherford, 120 High Hurdles; Ronald Shaw, 440 Yard Dash; Clifford Crawford, 220 Yard Dash and 880 Yard Run; Lonnie Martinez, Discus. Best of luck to everyone!

SHHHHHHHHHH By John L. Henderson Brian Gries, you had better watch what you are doing; climbing around on your light beam you might fall off.

Wayne Bissett, since when does your pickup start moving when you put your brakes on. Bobby Knox, we hear instead of looking for Easter bunnies that you look for Easter foxes. Is this really true?

For Sale this week only: Chicken Salad Sandwiches by the dozen. For information, call Ghita Heilbrink. Lucy Perner and Lynn Maness, what were you all doing so far from home

Sunday night? Joey Pierce, what was in that sack that made it so hard for you to swim Easter Sunday; was it a big fish?

New name for the week: "Wash King" to James Hokit.

Helen Bunger, how did you like those flying dips on the way to the river last week?

Karen Bebee, do you keep emergency snack-packs in your car for your friends?

Kathy Sewell, do you really like to type without using any typing paper?

**Crockett Co Hospital News**

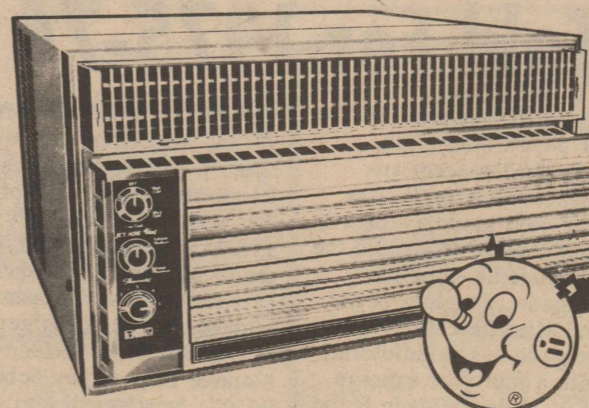
Patients receiving treatment in Crockett County Hospital week of April 20 to April 27:

Myra Fry Ophelia DeHoyos Olga Cervantez Ann Mayo Carlos Lopez Marie Perner Tomasa Ramos Wayne Sutton - Juno Francisco Garza \*denotes discharged

GRADUATION SPECIAL - 3-piece set of luggage, 30% off. BAKER JEWELERS.

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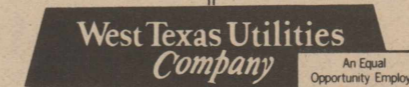
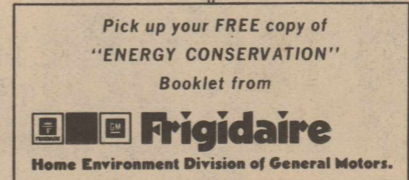
**REDDY'S**

**HELPFUL TIPS**

Your air-conditioner will operate inefficiently if filters are not cleaned regularly. Dirt and lint, collected on the filters, restricts air flow to the coils. Clean filters every two weeks.

Let nature help you save energy by shading your home with trees and shrubs to help cut down on summer cooling costs. Draw draperies against afternoon sun.

Remember to keep outside doors, windows, and fireplace dampers closed. If you have window units, close the heating vents near the floor, as cool air falls and can escape through vents.



Remember REDDY Supplies the energy--but only YOU can use it wisely!

**STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights**

AUSTIN - Major presidential candidates are making last minute appeals for support of Texas voters in the May 1 primary of both Democratic and Republican parties.

President Ford budgeted three days and a night to the Texas GOP primary battle with Ronald Reagan. Counting his two earlier days of campaigning, the president will have spent more time in Texas than any primary state this year.

Reagan also will make his third appearance in the state two days before the primary.

Democrat front-running Jimmy Carter will be back April 30. He made a fast trip to Houston April 20.

U. S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen is on the scene every day, combining his re-election and favorite son campaigns.

Alabama Gov. George Wallace, faltering as a national contender, was in Texas for a second wide-ranging swing last week to keep his potential delegates in line.

In addition to the presidential preference primary and the Senate fight, the May 1 Democratic ballot offers a hot contest for Railroad Commissioner and three statewide appellate court races. One of the latter is for the State Supreme Court and two for the Court of Criminal Appeals.

**\$50 Million "Wasted"**

Unwise and outdated investment policies have cost the state at least \$50 million over the last five years, Comptroller Bob Bullock claimed.

Bullock said a six-months study of state money management practices by his planning and research staff showed Texas has the worst problem with idle funds earning no interest of any state in the nation.

Most idle state money is kept in big city banks, with four banks alone keeping an average of \$175 million and earning \$10 million last year off the state deposits, the comptroller stated.

Texas, according to Bullock, has an average daily balance of more than \$300 million in checking accounts earning no interest. He argued about 75 per cent of that money could be in time accounts drawing interest.

**Allowable Set**

Texas Railroad Commission for the 50th consecutive month set the state's oil allowable for May at 100 per cent.

While the allowable permits 3,931,778 barrels daily, estimated production actually is only 3,207,000.

Once again, the commission restricted the East Texas field and the Kelly Snyder field in Scurry County to an 86 per cent allowable.

Nominations by crude oil buyers declined by 16,368 barrels a day from the previous month.

The four-week average of

crude oil imports, meanwhile, increased 458,000 barrels from the January 2 average and 1.3 million barrels from January 3, 1975.

**Courts Speak**

The State Supreme Court will hear arguments May 19 in a case to determine whether the best interest of a 10-year-old would be served by terminating his mother's parental rights. The mother saw the child only three times in several years.

Reversing itself, the high court decided it will not review litigation over an insurance company's refusal to pay a San Antonio family for repairing a buckled foundation.

Supreme Court justices affirmed a \$60,000 damage award to a man injured in a truck wreck near Dimmit.

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals ordered a new trial for a San Antonio man convicted of delivering marijuana. The court held that display to a jury of a police photograph of the defendant violated his rights to a fair trial.

**AG Opinions**

Municipally-owned public utilities must obtain certificates under the Public Utility Regulatory Act for new retail service only when the area to be served is being served by another utility, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

--There is no provision for an appeal by residents of a city from charges established by its municipally-owned utility.

--Public utilities subject to state jurisdiction are subject to assessment.

--The state comptroller can refund taxes collected under a law later held to be unconstitutional.

**Short Snorts**

Texas' unemployment rate dropped three-tenths of one per cent in March -- to 5.1 per cent, one of the lowest rates in the nation.

Agricultural prospects brightened with rains, but more moisture is still needed in East and West Texas, Agriculture Commissioner John White said.

A big majority (almost two-thirds) of House of Representatives members who answered a questionnaire said they favor a special legislative session on utility rates.

Republican voters May 1 will ballot in a non-binding referendum on wiretapping, non-parolable prison sentences, forced busing, use of oral confessions in trials and denial of bail for repeat offenders awaiting trial.

The South Texas cotton planting deadline has been extended to May 1 due to weather problems.

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Friendly Service**

**Produce Features**

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FRESH TEXAS **ONIONS** 2 For 25¢

TEXAS GREEN **CABBAGE** LB. 9¢

CHIQUITA **BANANAS** LB. 19¢

RED **ONIONS** lb. 19¢

TEXAS **ORANGES** 5# BAG 69¢

**TexaSweat Grapefruit**  
Ruby Red 5-Lb. Bag **69¢**

**Cracker Barrel** 16-oz. Box  
**Saltine Crackers** **45¢**

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**SLICED BACON**  
12 OZ. **\$1.29**

**Featured Special!**

**Shank Half or Whole Smoked HAM**  
Water Added Lb. **89¢**



PEYTON'S **FRANKS** 12 OZ. **68¢**

Peyton's Boneless  
**DINNER HAMS**  
Lb. **\$2.19**

**FISHER BOY FISH STICKS**  
Lb. **68¢**

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**"CAMPBELL'S" CREAM of CHICKEN OR CREAM of MUSHROOM SOUP**  
4 CANS **\$1.00**

**Tips For Gardeners**

From the Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

Now that it is time to plant annuals I will name six basic kinds that are easiest grown and reliable in color. You may have other favorites that do well here.

Last fall almost proved that number one is the marigold. For several reasons the French dwarf are preferred over the taller, large flowered American varieties. They're earlier blooming, have a wider color range and they stay neat and compact. The rusty-reds are gorgeous. Carmen, Fiesta and Bolero are among the best of these.

A new group recently created from a cross between the French and American are called Tri-ploid Hybrids. They combine the best qualities of each parent and are called the nugget and seven star series. Buy the plants or plant seed inside for protected handling until ready to plant outside.

Zinnias might be considered as first, by some, but since mildew is such a serious problem with them most everywhere, that should be considered. Their color range is unquestionably the most spectacular of annuals.

Petunias of course are a great favorite for bedding plants and baskets. Though the grandifloras like Glacier and White Cascade are beautiful with large flowers, the multifloras create a greater density of color and have better weather tolerance. "Sugar Plum" has the best rain resistance and the Joy series has an exceptional color range.

Geranium seeds are sometimes slow to germinate so you may profit by buying plants or by rooting from old plants. A new variety that is worth growing from seed is "Sprinter" which blooms reliably within 14 weeks of sowing seed. It is scarlet-red, has a plain leaf, is a neater, bushier plant and more generous with its flower display.

Inpatins (Sultana) is another favorite plant for budding, borders, pots and hanging baskets. They do best in partial shade, and a moisture retaining soil containing humus.

If you want to grow wax begonia displays such as you see in many homes and public gardens, try the new hybrid varieties, and mixtures "Organdy" and "Coctail". You can buy bedding plants from a garden center, but ask for the hybrids and don't accept substitutes. They will do well in full sun or part shade provided the



**MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED** - Mr. and Mrs. Ramiro Luna of Midland, formerly of Ozona, announce the marriage of their daughter, Norma Jean, to Torivio Duran, son of Mrs. Encarnacion Duran also of Midland. The bride is a graduate of Midland High School, is employed by and attending Midland College. Her husband, also a graduate of Midland High School is enrolled in Midland college and is employed by Gibson's. He is a member of East Side Lions Club and Mu Alpha Club. The couple was married April 24 in Midland.

**CAFETERIA MENU**

- MONDAY**  
Burritos  
Buttered Corn  
Cabbage Salad  
Combread
- TUESDAY**  
Chicken Spaghetti  
Buttered Peas  
Vegetable Salad  
Fruit Cup  
Hot Rolls
- WEDNESDAY**  
Pinto Beans  
Tacos with Cheese  
Lettuce & Tomato Salad  
Cookies  
Cornbread
- THURSDAY**  
Hamburger on Bun  
Pork & Beans  
Lettuce, Tomatoes, & Pickles  
Fruit Cup
- FRIDAY**  
Steak & Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Fruit Cup  
Hot Rolls

soil contains plenty of peat. Four other favorite annuals are Portulaca in its vivid color range, the new Sunglo hybrids. They need full sun. Coleus is gaining rapid popularity as a colorful foliage plant for beds. Snapdragons do well here until hot summer starts. Cut back in mid-summer and have a second bloom in late summer and fall. Finally, the beautiful plumed celasias are recommended - "Red Fox" or "Golden Triumph". Too, the crested type (cockscorn) "Fireglow" is consistently good.

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

Dear Editor:  
Re: Letter to the Editor by Jeanette G. Bailey published on April 22, 1976.

Well! Crockett County, what do you think of democracy in action? What do you think of someone who voices an opinion? What do you think of one who risks the alienation of long time friends in order to disagree? Isn't this what our so-called democratic government is all about?

The right of an individual to question an elected official's decision has always been one of our cherished freedoms. We mustn't lose it in complacency or timidity.

My letter did not mean I was against any of our present commissioners or the job they have done. I differed with them on one issue. They have had the foresight to make many sound decisions and the energy to carry through with the big job of maintaining the county business. They have not only had to contend with local problems but have had Washington bureaucrats undermining our very governmental structure.

None of you know how I will vote. My vote is confidential. My vote is also precious to me as yours should be to you. If we stand by and let any organized or unorganized faction vote our rights away while we fail to go to the polls, we deserve what we get: a complete domination by unqualified, unrealistic, and yes even untaxable individuals.

My husband and I have served as election officials in Precinct 2 for several years. The number of people who come to vote compared to the number on the role is a disgrace. If you don't vote you are giving away your right to express an opinion or even to say as I did, "Look, I voted for you as my representative, and I would like to express my opinion on your latest decision and hope you'll consider my views when the issue comes up again!"

Oh! It's easy to say what you think to a neighbor or a friend. It's easy to gripe about what's going on at the courthouse or in Washington. It's easy to voice your worries and your anxieties when the election is over, but

**OZONA CHAPTER 287**  
Order of the Eastern Star  
Meeting Night  
4th Tuesday in mo.  
Masonic Hall

then it's too late. Get to the polls Saturday. We need your vote. Don't let this be a give-away election. Let's fight for the free-enterprise system that made this county and this nation great.  
Jeanette G. Bailey

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

Today, more than half the food we buy is packaged, canned, frozen or otherwise processed-products designed to be quick and easy to prepare without waste. Many often cost even less than their fresh food counterparts--frozen orange juice, some canned vegetables and soups, non-fat dry milk, angel food cake mix and instant potatoes, for instance. And when the cook is also a wage earner and her time means money, even the more expensive are often worthwhile.

So choose time-savers that contain special ingredients you might not buy separately. Be alert, too, to special prices on packaged mixes, canned and frozen foods; buy those you're sure you'll use, in the largest size and quantity that suit your purse and storage space.

**LABEL WATCHING**

When you shop, read and heed food labels as well as price tags. They usually list ingredients in order of amount and often state number of servings and serving size. It's simple arithmetic to divide price by number of servings to learn cost per serving.

On dietetic products, look for the calorie count. On packaged products, respect the money-back guarantee as your best assurance of quality. And watch for upcoming nutritional labeling.

**HAM AND CHEESE OMELET**  
8 eggs  
1 cup milk  
1/2 teaspoon seasoned salt  
1 package (3 ounces) thin-sliced ham

1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese (about 4 oz.)  
3 tablespoons finely chopped onion

Heat oven to 325 degrees. Grease baking dish, 11-3/4 x 7-1/2 x 1-3/4 or 8x8x2 inches. Beat eggs, milk and seasoned salt. Tear ham in small pieces into egg mixture. Stir in cheese and onion. Pour into baking dish. Bake uncovered 40 to 45 minutes or until omelet is set and top is golden brown. 4 to 6 servings.

Note: 1 package (3 ounces) thin-sliced corned beef or dried beef can be substituted for ham.  
**MOCK SOUR CREAM**  
1/3 cup skim milk  
2 tablespoons lemon juice  
1 cup creamed cottage cheese (small curd)  
1/2 cup salad oil  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon snipped chives or instant minced onion

Measure all ingredients into blender; cover; Blend 5 seconds; scrape sides of container. Blend 5 seconds or until smooth. Cover and refrigerate. Serve as a dip or on baked potatoes. 1-1/2 cups.

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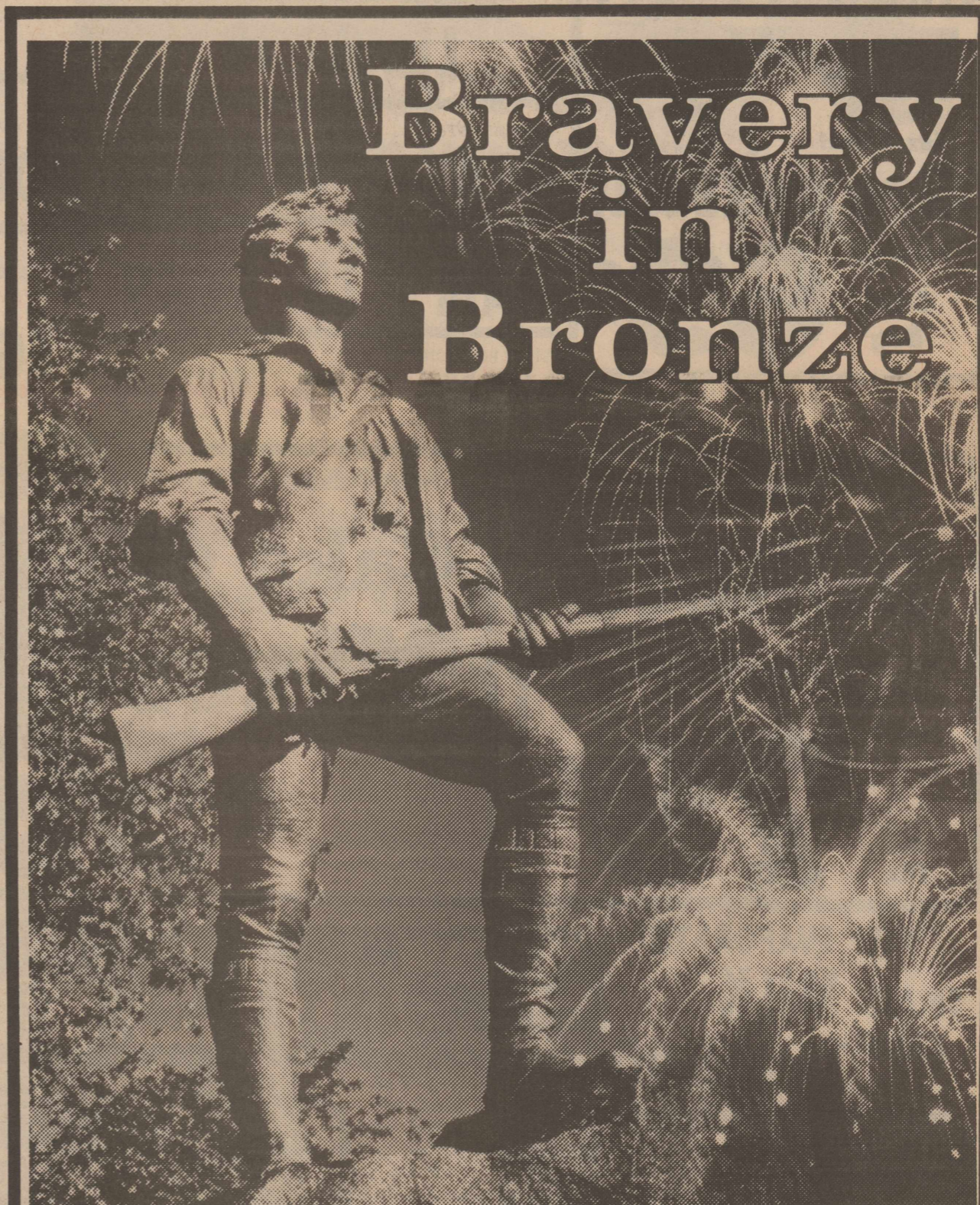
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Candidates whose names appear below have authorized the Ozona Stockman to announce their candidacy for office, subject to the Democratic Primary May 1, 1976:

For State Representative, Dist. 70:  
SUSAN GURLEY McBEE

For Crockett County Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:

BILLY MILLS

MAX MORRIS

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:

JACK WILLIAMS

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 10 LB. BAG  
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BLADE CUT  
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**LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION**  
Winners in golf play at the country club last week were Mrs. Jack Baggett, low putts; Mrs. Byron Stuart, low net; Mrs. Dixon Mahon, low gross. Winning golf balls in the day's play were Mrs. Baggett, Mrs. Mahon and Mrs. S. L. White for low ball play for the day.

Other golfers were Mrs. Dick Webster, Mrs. Demp Jones, Mrs. Bob Bailey, Mrs. M. E. Nicholas and Mrs. Byron Williams. The Association will have a Ladies Partnership Tournament, Saturday, May 8, at the country club.

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## VA To Provide Special Markers For Medal Winners

The Veterans Administration today announced that special memorial gravestones and markers will be provided to families of deceased Medal of Honor winners as part of the country's Bicentennial program.

VA Administrator Richard L. Roudebush said the Medal of Honor markers "are intended to bear silent witness to a nation's eternal remembrance of the selfless deeds of these brave Americans."

The special markers will carry an enlarged representation of Medal of Honor in gold leaf on marble or granite headstones and in bronze on the cast metal markers. The words "Medal of Honor" will also be highlighted by one of these

methods, Roudebush said. The VA Administrator said present headstones and grave markers will be replaced with the memorial devices only with the written approval of the next of kin or the person listed on the cemetery's records.

"Since the VA does not have burial records for many of the Medal of Honor winners who are buried in non-government cemeteries, I am appealing to the families or friends of these men to advise us of their wishes as soon as possible," Roudebush said.

"It will also be of great assistance to us if local historians, or city, county or state officials who know

of the location of a Medal of Honor winner's grave will contact any known relatives of the serviceman to alert them concerning this program," Roudebush said.

"I think it would be fitting if we could have all these stones in place on Memorial Day this year, but to do that we will need the cooperation of everyone who can assist us with information," he said.

Roudebush emphasized that there will be no cost to the families for the memorial headstones or grave markers.

Relatives of deceased Medal of Honor winners who wish to have the present grave markers replaced with the memorial stone should contact the nearest Veterans Administration office, or they may write to the Director, National Cemetery Service, Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C. 20420.

The Medal of Honor was first awarded in 1863. Since that time 3,400 have been awarded.

Officials at Arlington National Cemetery estimate there are fewer than 200 Medal of Honor recipients buried there, and many of their graves are marked with private headstones.

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## Report On Bicentennial Events

Groups, organizations and individuals who plan something special for the celebration of the Bicentennial need to notify the Crockett County Bicentennial Steering Committee as soon as possible in order to have the event listed on the state and national calendars.

Mrs. R. A. Harrell is chairman of the local committee, and she will be glad to have local events listed. So far only the events which will take place July 3, have been listed with her.

## Pork Is Good Buy This Week

More pork "features" will appear in Texas grocery stores--since the supply is larger with more attractive prices, Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt predicts.

Good values are most likely on Boston butt roasts and quarter-loins cut into chops, she added.

Mrs. Clyatt is a consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Beef is still a bargain. This may be a good time to put extra cuts into the freezer. For best buys watch the ads and purchase cuts when they're featured at 'special' prices," she advised.

"Fryer chickens also have attractive prices--with the whole bird offering the best value on a cost-per-pound basis."

At vegetable counters, head and leaf lettuce show good quality and reasonable prices, as do the larger quantities of fresh asparagus, the specialist said.

"Economically priced items in most stores include cooking greens, cabbage, carrots, potatoes, turnips and dry yellow onions. Melon supplies are increasing, but prices are still relatively high."

At fruit counters, Mrs. Clyatt reported "reasonable" prices on Navel oranges. She said quality grapefruit is still available and described apples from "Controlled Atmosphere Storage" as being "good quality."

At frozen food chests, consumers may find special prices on assorted frozen dinner, orange juice, strawberries, ice cream and a variety of vegetables.

"In the grocery department, good values include raisins, peanut butter, canned tuna fish and non-fat dry milk."

**CONSUMER WATCHWORDS:** Canned foods are economical in terms of money, time and energy--so it's wise to

take advantage of special sales when they include a food item the shopper often chooses anyway. Be sure to compare prices among brands, can

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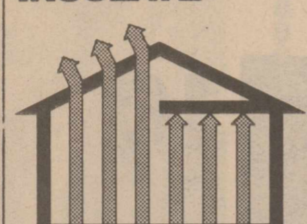
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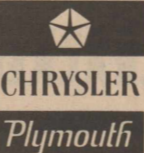
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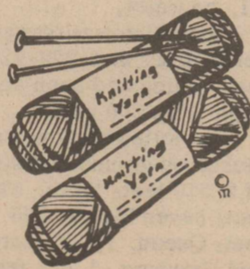
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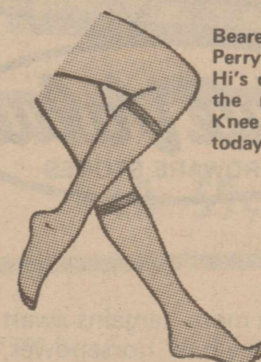
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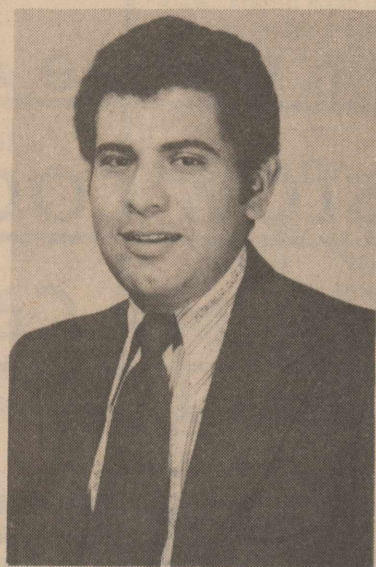
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The problem between the Commissioner's Court and the Attorney General's office in Washington is entirely a legal one. The compromise plan was signed by all the Commissioners and sent to Washington since January. The legality of the recent changes in precinct lines is now in question. Any interested Citizen can contact Mr. Bob Chavez in Washington by dialing 202-739-2160.

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**Couch Family Is Subject Of Historical Meeting**

The stories of Stephen Edmond Couch, distinguished Crockett County citizen and pioneer, the C. L. Broome family and the Helbing family, told by Joe B. Couch and Mrs. C. H. Benckenstein, Jr. (Clara Lee Helbing) of Beaumont, provided an interesting program for the regular meeting of the Crockett County Historical Society on Monday evening, April 26.

**Junior High Track Team 2nd In Dist.**

Ozona Junior High Cubs scored 126 Saturday, April 24, at the District Meet in McCamey and placed second behind Sonora Junior High.

High point man for the cubs was Freddy Garza with 40 points. Cubs winning blue ribbons for first place finishes were Shane Fenton in Pole Vault with a vault of 10 ft., Freddy Garza in the 70 yd. Intermediate Hurdles with a time of 9.8 and in the Long Jump with a jump of 17'9".

Cub scores were as follows:  
440 Relay - second, 51.0, (Ramon Maldonado, Freddy Garza, Steve Badillo, Danny Spivey).

660 yd. Run - Johnny Rodriguez, second, 1:37.

70 yd. Int. Hur. - Freddy Garza, first, 9.8; Shane Fenton, fifth, 10.4.

100 yd. Dash - Ramon Maldonado, fifth, 11.6.

330 yd. Dash - Danny Spivey, third, 42.0; Ray Ramos, fourth, 42.5.

220 Low Hur. - Freddy Garza, second, 28.3; Shane Fenton, sixth, 30.4.

220 yd. Dash - Danny Spivey, third, 26.6.

1320 yd. Run - Steve Badillo, second, 3:47.4; Curtus Crites, sixth, 4:14.2.

1320 Relay - third, 2:55.7, (Ramon Maldonado, Ray Ramos, Joe Rebelez, Lionel Martinez).

Shot - Joe Rebelez, second, 42'.

Discus - Joe Rebelez, fifth, 112'8".

High Jump - Freddy Garza, second, 5'7".

Long Jump - Freddy Garza, first, 17'9"; Steve Badillo, fourth, 16'11".

Pole Vault - Shane Fenton, first, 10'.

Team Totals: Sonora, 169; Ozona, 126; Crane, 96; Big Lake, 73; McCamey, 28.

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and guests were present and included Mrs. Benckenstein, her daughter, Margaret (Mrs. William G. Pettus) and grandson, William G. Pettus, Jr., all of Beaumont; Micky Couch James, Harold W. Broome and Jack Broome of San Angelo; and Michael Curtis Covington, grandson of Joe Couch; Mrs. Joe Couch and children.

S. E. Couch kept detailed diaries and from them many interesting details of pioneer life were gathered. He was a native of Canada and was born in East Hatley, Province of Quebec on August 29, 1856. He came to Texas in a covered wagon at 21 years of age. He married Beulah Barbee in Hamilton County and to them were born four children: Gilbert Mahlon (Bert), Ruby May (Helbing), S. E. Couch, Jr. and Paul--all now deceased. In 1903 he was married in Ozona to Clara Lee Holmes Meadows and they made their home here until his death in 1929.

**County Gains Oil Producer**

C. F. Lawrence & Associates, Inc., Midland, No. 1 Holt, Grayburg oil discovery in the Holt Ranch (San Andres gas and Ellenburger oil) field of Crockett County, 15 miles north of Ozona, was finalized for a daily pumping potential of 61 barrels of 36 gravity oil, no water.

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**Rifle Club**

**Shoot Sun.**

There will be a shoot Sunday, May 2, at 2 p. m. at the rifle range. Events include shotgun, pistol and rifle. All members and the public are invited to attend and participate.

There will be a meeting of the Ozona Rifle Club Tuesday, May 11, at the high school at 7:30.

Mr. Couch began his ranching career as a sheep herder. At his death he owned 44,000 acres of land, 10,000 sheep and 1500 cattle. He and James Mitchell brought the first sheep to Crockett County on January 3, 1888, according to his diary.

On October 31, 1892, in District Court in Ozona, Mr. Couch became a citizen of the United States from Great Britain. He was a public-spirited, progressive citizen all of his life. He assisted in organizing the Ozona National Bank and served as president; helped to organize both the Ozona Telephone Company and the Ozona Improvement Company, and was a leading stockholder and president of the Hotel Ozona Corporation, and a stockholder in the Ozona Fair Association. He was a Director in the Wool Growers Storage Company, San Angelo, organizer of the Western Reserve Life Insurance Company, and a stockholder of the Central National Bank, also of San Angelo. He was a leader in organizing the Federal Land Bank of Sonora and served as its first president.

Mr. Couch was the father of Masonry in Ozona and held high posts in the Grand Lodge of Texas. Indeed his was a guiding influence for solid progress in Crockett County.

Bert Couch married Josephine Broome on January 1, 1904, daughter of another pioneer Ozona family. She was active in many organizations, was a writer and historian as well as ranch wife and mother. To them were born: Mahlon Couch (Robertson), Lois Couch (Pyatt), Micky Couch (James) and Joseph B. Couch. An adopted daughter, Jacqueline, died in San Antonio in 1968.

Clara Lee Helbing (Benckenstein) told of the Helbing family's years lived in Bamhart, Texas and of happy visits to the Couch Ranch. She remembered how happy Mr. Couch was when the tanks would freeze over and he could again use his ice skates brought with him from Canada.

Complete stories of these families are included in the new Crockett County History now being published by the Historical Society as its Bicentennial Project.

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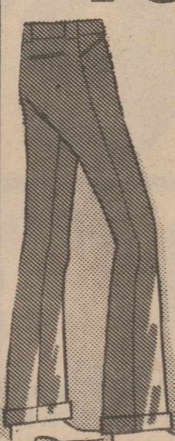


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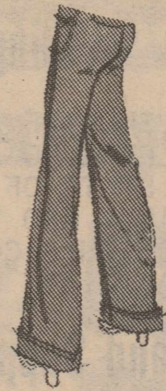
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"Home vegetable gardens are highly susceptible to high winds, heavy rains and hail that often accompany spring thunderstorms," reports out Sam Cotner, horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"If such weather causes heavy damage to vegetable crops, the gardener must decide whether to leave the damaged plants or to start over and replant."

Plants that often suffer the most from violent weather are squash, cucumbers and beans, notes the Texas A&M University System specialist.

Where garden space is available, Cotner suggests leaving the less damaged plants and replanting the remainder of the crop.

"Most vegetable seed will germinate rapidly once the soil has warmed, so replanting is often the best alternative. Of course, if transplants can be obtained, you can gain several weeks of valuable growing time."

In many areas of the

state, it is too late to re-plant cool season vegetables such as lettuce, carrots, cabbage and cauliflower. Cotner suggests replanting such crops to warm season vegetables if weather damage occurs.

"Whether damaged plants are left to recuperate or the crops are replanted, the overall delay in production will mean closer attention to care and maintenance of the crops in the months ahead," points out the horticulturist. "Insects will become more active as the growing season progresses, so plants must be checked more closely and control measures taken as the situation warrants. Also, watering will become more critical as hot weather approaches."

Adversity such as that resulting from weather damage tests the "true grit" of home gardeners, believes Cotner. Hopefully, though, it will bring all gardeners, closer to nature and to living things and will instill in them the will to try again.

### SS Visit For May Scheduled

Garland Gregg, social security representative for the San Angelo Social Security office, has scheduled his May visit to Ozona. He will be at the County Courthouse on Wednesday, May 19 from 10:30 a. m. to 12:00 noon.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time. Persons who are unable to meet with him are encouraged to call the office in San Angelo. Residents of Ozona may call toll free by dialing "Operator" and asking for "Enterprise 2058."

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PHONE NEWS TO THE STOCKMAN

### SSI Payments Up Living Standards

Supplemental Security Income payments have substantially enhanced the economic situation of those

eligible for assistance, stated Frank Upp, Social Security district manager in San Angelo.

Although such assistance was administered through the individual states until January 1974 the program for the needy aged, blind and disabled was federalized at that time. The

average payment in December 1973 was \$91.60, compared to the October 1975 average of \$116.25, he added.

Individual states paid benefits to a national total of 3,135,736 in December 1973 said Upp. By October 1975 SSI recipients number 4,292,584.

The SSI program, administered by the Social Security Administration, provides payments to aged, blind and disabled people with low income and limited resources.

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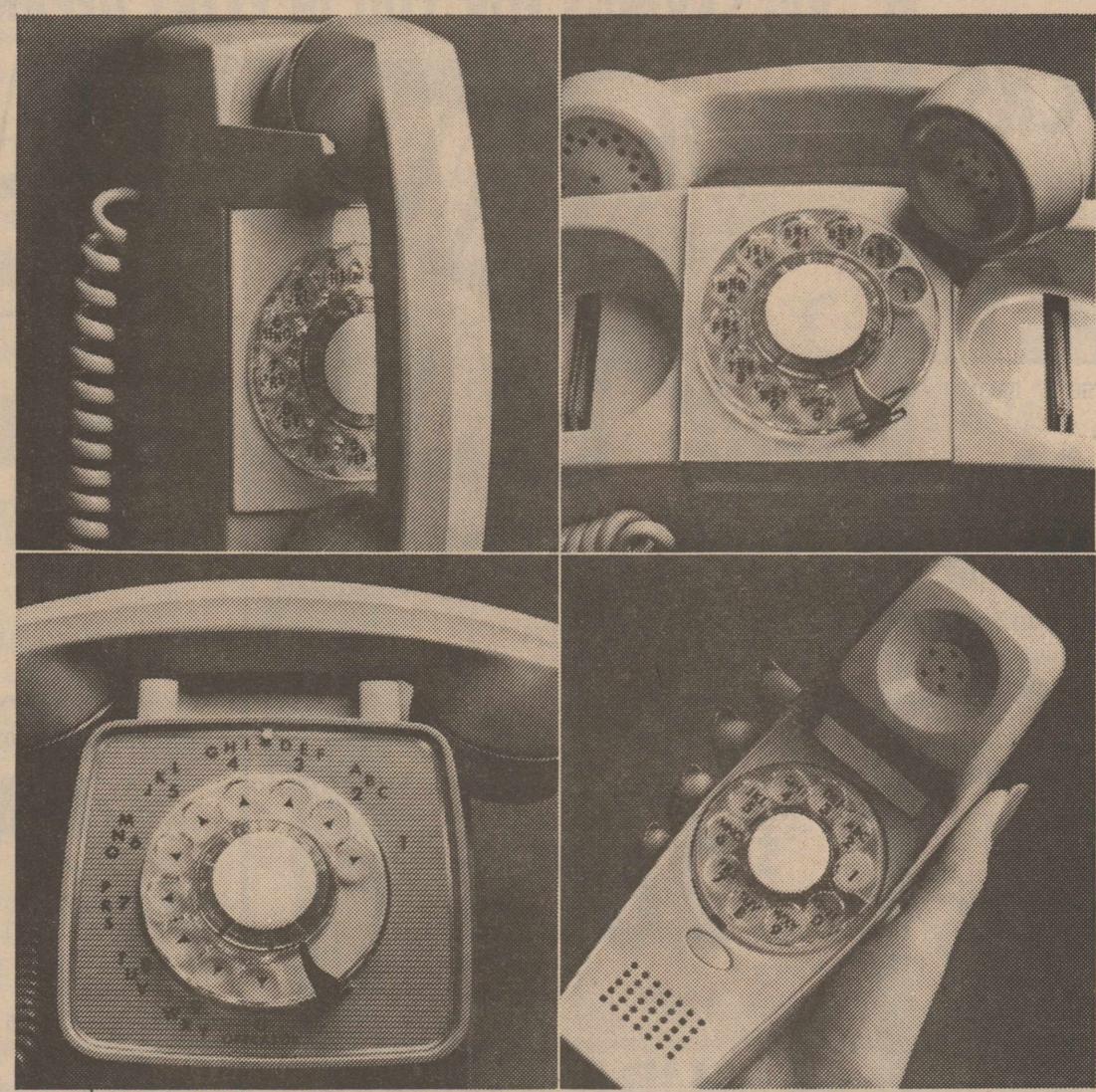
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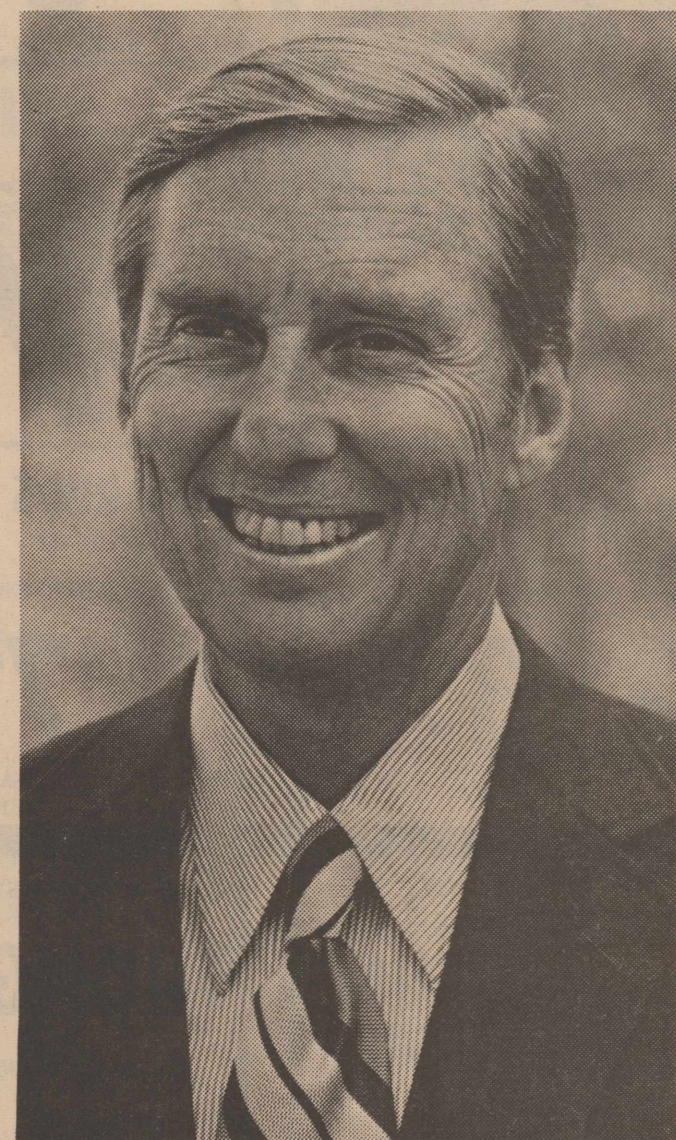
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Others playing were Mrs. Joe Bean, Mrs. Joe Couch, Mrs. Cuatro Davidson, Mrs. George Bunker, Mrs. Jerry Hayes, Mrs. John R. Hunnicutt, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery, Mrs. Tom Montgomery, Mrs. Kirby Moore, Mrs. Douglas Moore, Mrs. J. B. Parker, Mrs. Betty Perry, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Jake Short, Mrs. Byron Williams, Mrs. Gene Williams, and Mrs. Jack Williams.

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Sheffield - Sheffield's 8th Old Timers' Reunion and 75th anniversary will be celebrated Saturday, June 12, 1976 in conjunction with the bicentennial. The event was started in 1960 and has been held every two years since that time with the exception of 1974. The event will actually begin on Friday evening, June 11 with country music at the West Side community hall.

Sheffield is a small town in eastern Pecos county which began in 1899 at the Canon Springs just east of the present townsite. Later the early settlers moved just west of Canon Springs and settled on the north side of the creek which runs north of the present townsite. By 1906 the settlers crossed this creek and began settling south of the creek.

Therefore, Sheffield can be considered to be 75 years old this year in round figures. It was named for a Civil War veteran, Will Sheffield, who was the first man to open a store there and was named the first postmaster. Sheffield died there in 1911 and is buried in Sheffield Cemetery. Mrs. Will Sheffield died in Sanderson in 1946 and is also buried in Sheffield Cemetery. In years past the town was jokingly referred to as "Warfield" but is actually a peaceful place with some 200 friendly citizens.

This year's celebration will feature a tobacco spitting contest, a parade, bearded men, women wearing bonnets, music, and games. Anyone owning an antique car, buggy, or hack is urged to contact parade marshal Mark

Hardgrave and enter these in the parade. All former Sheffield residents and associates are urged to attend these colorful events and dress in early day attire. A noon meal will be served at the West Side Community Hall by a catering service. For further information interested persons may contact Mrs. Dick Collett at 915-836-2515.

## Wildcat Slated In County Field

Bill J. Graham, Midland, will drill the No. 1-A Hoover, a 2,100-foot wildcat in Crockett County, 17 miles southeast of Sheffield, 1 1/2 miles north and slightly east of the depleted Pandale, North (2100) field and 1/2-mile east of his No. 1 Hoover, active wildcat.

Location is 990 feet from the south and 660 feet from the west lines of 15-NN-GC&SF, Ground elevation is 2,456 feet.

The No. 1 Hoover, in 16-NN-GC&SF, at last report was drilling below 345 feet in a sidetracked hole, on a 2,400-foot contract.

The discovery, Perkins-Prothro Co. of Wichita Falls, No. 1 W.P. Hoover, was finished Sept. 18, 1957 to pump 5.5 barrels of 25 gravity oil, plus 25 per cent water, through perforations at 2,068-82 feet.

Dr. Bill Grimmer of Iowa and Mrs. Duane Rosenberger of Ft. Sumner, N. M. are here visiting their sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bailey. Dr. Grimmer will drive his father, Bill Grimmer, back to Winfield, Iowa, later this week.

## Boys Ranch Match Roping Set

Buck Owens of Barnhart, has announced that a special Match Roping will be held Saturday, May 22, 1976, in the West Texas Boys Ranch arena between Jim Bob and Mack Altizer, of Del Rio, and Tuffy and Roy Cooper, of Monument, New Mexico. The first match, in 1974, was won by Jim Bob and Mack with 140.7 seconds on eight calves compared with Tuffy and Roy's time of 154.2 seconds. Last year's match-up was won by the Coopers' with a 96.6 seconds time over the Altizers' time of 115.3 seconds on eight calves. There will also be an \$55.00, two calf open jackpot roping, and a \$35.00, two go open barrel race. Trophy buckles will be awarded to the top money winner in both events, calf roper buckle by M. L. Leddy and Sons, and the barrel race buckle by Brooky Broome in memory of Hardy Taylor. Last Year's calf roping champion was Bobby Zesch of Mason, with a 18.8 total time on two calves, and the barrel race winner was Vicki Johnson of Snyder, with a 35.3 in two go's. There will be a beef Bar-B-Que in the M. S. Doss dining hall from 11:30 a.m. thru 2:00 p.m. at \$2.50 per plate. Amos Owens and Kenny McMullen of Iran, will be providing the calves. Dorothy Duncan will keep books, Jerry Don Baird and John Kearney will announce, Johnny Bonner and Bill Upton will be official timekeepers, Pam Upton will be in charge of the barrel racing, Louis Powers and Dan Taylor

will watch barriers, Toots Mansfield, Walton Poage and Jim Prather will flag, and Jackson Sparks, Joe Nanny, and Max Horne will be operating the back gate. "This will be an excellent opportunity for you to see great calf roping and barrel racing, enjoy

a good Bar-B-Que, and help West Texas Boys Ranch all at the same time" concluded Owens. West Texas Boys Ranch is located just off US 67, 17 miles west of San Angelo, at Tankersley. Roping admission is by donation. Events get

underway with the first barrel race go at 10:00 a.m.

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### AN OPEN LETTER TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 21ST DISTRICT.

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In this work, I have sought to keep before me, above all, my responsibility not just to vote for the most comfortable, or the most politically popular policy today, but for the policies that will strengthen the long-range goals of the American people, and make this a better land for the next generation. I am an American, a Texan, and a Democrat, in that order--proud to be all three, but convinced that America should be put above state or party in our considerations.

I deeply appreciate the privilege of representing you in Washington, and hope to be worthy of your support on May 1st so that I can continue to represent you there.

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in the U. S., certainly melt the melting pot. Here in Ozona we seem to have come full circle, back to segregation, that is. The U. S. Attorney General's office requested that all precinct lists be broken down according to Mexican-American, Anglo, and Black. And all the while we took pride in the fact that this community was completely integrated years ago. We thought we were all Ozonans and Americans.

**Judging--**

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George Sultemeier from Fort Stockton and Bob Steiger from San Angelo, both Area Range Specialists with the Extension Service, were the officials for the contests.

After the contest the contestants enjoyed a barbecue supper. The goats were furnished by Bud Hoover and Ruben Whitehead. The rest of the meal was paid for by the Ozona FFA and the Crockett County 4-H Club.

The awards for the contest were furnished by the Ozona National Bank, Crockett County Soil Conservation Service District Supervisors, and the Crockett County Water Improvement District. County Number Two with Ann Hoover - Fourth High Individual, Cliff Chaney, Jennifer Marley, and Mel Spiller as members.

Coaches are Mrs. Cynnie Corbell and Billy Hoover.

**Band Boosters**

**Make Money**

Ozona Band Boosters raised \$642.16 at the Krazy-Fun-Nite held last week. A further \$239.45 was brought in by the Variety Show held last month.

Boosters and members of the bands thank the many merchants, and individuals who donated prizes, cash, cakes, etc., also the people who supported both events.

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CAC WORKER HERE TUESDAYS AT COURTHOUSE

Nellie Galindo, Manpower Coordinator with the Tom Green CAC is in Ozona at the courthouse each Tuesday at 1 p. m. to assist employers and those wanting jobs.

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**4 Lion Tracksters To Regional Meet**

The Ozona Lion Track Team qualified four men for the regional meet while taking third place at the District 6-AA track meet in McCamey Saturday. Regional will be in Odessa Friday, April 30 and Saturday, May 1.

Clifford Crawford qualified in the 880 yard run, winning second with a time of 2:03, a school record. He also qualified in the 220 yard dash with a second place and a time of 23.9. Rodney Ruthardt came in second in the 120-yard rldes with a time of 15.5 to qualify for regional. Ronald Shaw won the 440 yard dash with a time of 52.1 to qualify. Lonnie Martinez came in first in the discus with a throw of 129'10" and qualified for the regional meet.

Sonora won the District Meet with 161 points. Crane came in second with 113 and Ozona was third with 112 points. Big Lake and McCamey scored 76 points and 21 points respectively.

**Sorority News**

The Alpha Alpha Mu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Monday evening at Granny Miller Hall for their annual Founder's Day Banquet. Hostesses were Mrs. Bob Wallace, Mrs. Walter Spiller and Mrs. Gary Vannoy.

After the meal, catered by the Girl Scouts, president Mrs. Terry McPherson asked Mrs. Wallace to read the president's message from international headquarters. Mrs. Charles Spieker gave a review of the highlights of the year.

The Pledge of the Year award went to Mrs. Donnie Laughlin; Program of the Year to Mrs. Joe Boy Chapman and Mrs. Ed Hale; Girl of the Year to Mrs. McPherson.

Perfect attendance awards went to Mrs. Johnny Meyer, Mrs. Jim Williams, Mrs. Chuck Morris, Mrs. Terry McPherson, and Mrs. Frank Hill.

Spaghetti Supper Ticket Sales award went to Mrs. Charles Spieker. The new officers installed were: President, Mrs. Johnny Meyer; Vice-President, Mrs. Gary Vannoy; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Jack Bentley; Treasurer, Mrs. Frank Hill; and Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Ruben Pena-Alfaro.

Other members present were Mmes; Jimmy Lott, Chuck Morris, Lane Scott, Tommy Wilson, David Sewell, Randy Hall, Curtis Keith and Dennis Clark.

tively. Other scores for the Lions were as follows: 440 relay - fourth, 46.3. 880 yd. Run - Ben Badillo, third, 2:10.6; Gene Galindo, sixth, 2:12.5. 120 High Hur. - Mike Fay, fourth, 16.2. 330 I. H. - Rodney Ruthardt, third, 42.2; Gary Warren, fourth, 42.2. Mile Run - Victor DeLaGarza, fifth, 5:09.0. Mile Relay - third, 3:34.4. Discus - Clyde Bailey, fourth, 122'. Long Jump - Vaden Aldridge, fourth, 19'8"; Ben Badillo, fifth, 19'7". Shot Put - Clyde Bailey, fourth, 45'4". Pole Vault - Vaden Aldridge, third, 11'6"; Blake Moody, fourth, 11'.

**Ozona Pair In National Honor Society**

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Randy Errico, both students at Angelo State University have been invited to membership in Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary society in education. The invitation to membership is extended to individuals who show unusual potential for contribution to the teaching profession and who demonstrate character and scholarship.

Mrs. Errico is the former Diana Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Morris of Ozona.

**Miss Williams In Honor Society At UT**

Suzanne Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Ozona, was initiated into the Alpha Lambda Delta, national scholastic honor society for freshmen at the University of Texas at Austin in ceremonies Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were in Austin for the initiation. Suzanne is a 1975 graduate of Ozona High School and a freshman student at the University where she has maintained a 3.5 grade point average, a requirement for membership in the society.

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