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## Annual Ozona tournament to start Thurs.

The 55th Annual Ozona High School Varsity Tournament will be held in Davidson Memorial Gymnasium on December 12, 13, and 14.

All-tournament tickets can be bought from any high school basketball player. Student tickets are \$3.00 and adult tickets are \$6.00. These tickets will permit entrance into the tournament each day.

Only four boys teams are entered this year, this includes the host Lions. There will be six teams entered in the girls' division, including the Lady Lions.

Action will get underway Thursday at 6:30 with Stanton and Reagan County paired. The Lions will play Junction at 8 p.m.

Girls games begin Friday at 1 p.m. with Crane and Stanton playing the opening game. The Lady Lions will take on Reagan County at 2:30 Friday. Other teams entered include Junction and Coahoma in the girls division.

## David Bean named to ASC committee

The Crockett County ASC Committee Election was held on Dec. 2, 1985. The nominees were: David Bean, Jack Brewer and Steve Kenley. Ballots were counted at the ASCS office on Dec. 4. The results were as follows: David Bean was elected to the Committee, Jack Brewer as 1st Alternate and Steve Kenley as 2nd Alternate.

The committee for the 1986 year will consist of David Bean serving as chairman, Dan Davidson serving as vice-chairman and Bill Black serving as regular member. The committee meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 1:30 p.m.

## Water District calls election for directors

Dee Keilers, manager of Crockett County Water District, announced this week an election has been called for January 18, 1986, to elect two directors to the district's board of directors.

Outgoing directors are J.W. Johnigan and Dennis Clark, who filled the unexpired term of Duane Childress.

Anyone wishing to file for a place on the ballot may go by the water district office.

## Lions named to all-district football squad

Harvey Fierro was named to the first team 7-AAA All District offense as a wide receiver in balloting last week.

Roger Flores, a tight end for the Lions, was named to the second team, along with running back Chuy Hernandez. Hernandez was picked on offense and defense. Fierro was also named to the second team on defense.

Receiving honorable mention were offensive lineman Abel Lara and Donald Gutierrez for the Lions, as well as defensive ends, Butch Gonzales and Brian Morrow, and linebacker Art Gonzales.

## Felipe Castro wins weekly f'ball contest

Felipe Castro won the football contest for the week with no misses on his entry. H.O. Hoover had only one miss, and there were a number of entries with only 2 misses.

The final contest will be in this week's edition. Entries will be found on the sports page sponsored by local merchants.



The annual Crockett County Pecan Show

did not field as many entries as in the past years, but the food display held some enticing entries. The contest was held at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday, with the display set up following in Ozona National Bank. Looking over some of the goodies are Ethel McCrohan, Lupe Sanchez, and Bernice Phillips.

## Hospital board votes to decertify Medicare

After months of meetings and planning, the Crockett County Hospital Board recommended at the regular meeting of the Crockett County Commissioners Court Monday, that the hospital de-certify from Medicare, thereby cutting its budget by almost one-half.

Fred Deaton, a member of the hospital board, made the presentation to the full court. This followed an emergency meeting Friday in the county judge's chambers and after the board met in executive session Thursday night.

Several options have been considered the past few months. One of these, a proposal by Shamrock-Shannon, to turn the hospital into an emergency clinic with a doctor on duty around the clock, was discussed several times. A management proposal from St. John's Hospital was dropped when the San Angelo facility's officials indicated a lack of interest in the project. Dr. R.M. Owensby, chief of staff in the local hospital, put together the proposal to drop Medicare as an effort to keep the facility running without the extensive demands made by Medicare regulations.

In giving the report, Deaton estimated the hospital could be kept open with a budget of \$300,000 annually, which is less than one-half the present budget. He also told the court the board had contracted with Bill Boswell, former administrator of the Brady hospital, to head up the local facility for a period of 120 days. Boswell will replace Don Hopkins, who resigned recently. The contract calls for a pay period of 2 weeks at \$1400, starting Dec. 9; a weekly trip to Brady at 22 cents per mile, plus motel room and meals at the hospital.

Deaton also explained the board wished to complete the decertification by the last day of this month.

After some discussion, the court heard from Dr. Don Carlisle, who explained that decertification of Medicare meant a complete shut down of Medicare payments, even out-patient services. Some members of the court had reservations about the proposal, noting discrimination against the elderly or those in the community presently on Medicare. Also, some members of the court expressed the opinion that if the hospital is not being used by the community at present, they had doubts about it being used under the new system. In the long run they voted to approve the recommendation of the hospital board.

A grievance hearing on behalf of Manuel Villarreal was held at 11:30. Villarreal appeared with his attorney, Gerald Ratliff of San Angelo, to discuss his termination from the parks department for allegedly using marijuana on the job. Ratliff said Villarreal

denied the charge and claimed discrimination. After an exchange between Ratliff and County Attorney Tom Cameron, the court voted to stand behind the termination.

In other business, the court voted to take the low bid of Johnny Ramirez for an air conditioner-heater for the care center, provided it could be installed within 15 to 20 days. They also authorized bids for an air conditioner for the courthouse, to be installed after the first of the year.

In giving the monthly reports Onesimo Ortiz was authorized to replace trees at the cemetery with liveoak trees. He was given permission to purchase three at this time.

Eddy Moore gave the road department report and the court held some discussion on a broken dozer frame which will cost \$7,500 to replace. It was suggested that only experienced operators be allowed to operate this equipment.

Moore was given permission to terminate two men who have been on workman's compensation for some time. A lengthy discussion followed on

county policy pertaining to sick leave, with no definite action taken.

The court voted to cancel the county's liability insurance and place the \$50,000 premium would cost in a separate fund as a self-insured type of liability. The only time it has been used was for injuries received at the swimming pools. Since the court voted to remove diving boards from both county pools, this kind of claim should not occur again.

Mark White and Bobby Zesch of San Angelo, presented several hospitalization plans for the court's consideration. All were less expensive than Blue Cross, which the county now has, with the same coverage. The court must advertise for bids, which will be opened Dec. 23, at 1 p.m. The court will take the lowest bid which offers the same coverage.

Before adjourning the court voted to give Helping Hands the sum of \$3,500 to stock the kitchen with food when the kitchen is ready. February 1, is the projected date to begin Meals on Wheels again.

## FFA show fields thirty-one entries

The Ozona FFA held its project show Saturday, December 7, at the Crockett County Show Barns. There were 31 entries in the show.

The students participating are enrolled in Vocational Agriculture classes at the high school.

For the first time there was a broiler show with the Grand Champion going to Landon Duncan, second place went to Rene DeLaRosa, and third place was taken by Will Seahorn. Preston Paris, County Extension Agent from Sonora judged the broilers.

There were nine entries in the agricultural mechanics division in the show. The projects were judged on workmanship, design, and practical value. The entrants and their projects were Alex Smith, pickup bumper; George Wall, fish fryer; Brock Jones, headache rack for a pickup; Eddie Lewing, Bar-B-Q pit; Andy Dews, Bar-B-Q pit; James Sanchez, oxy-acetylene cart; Blas Vargas, self-feeder; Carlos Galindo, lamb stand; and Andy Trevino, Bar-B-Q pit. The champion was Brock Jones' headache rack, with Eddie Lewing's pit second and Andy Dews took third with his Bar-B-Q pit. Lane Scott of Ozona High School judged the projects.

There were 44 lambs from 19 entrants entered in the feeder lamb division. There were four trophies

awarded in the division. The best average daily gain went to Keith Fowler. Keith also won the trophies for Best Feed Efficiency and First Year Feeder. Keith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fowler.

The Best Pair of Lambs went to Andy Dews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dews.

All the lambs were judged on the quality grading system used by the USDA. Bill Wetherby of Midwest Feed Yards judged the lambs.

Students and their gradings are as follows: James Sanchez with 2 choice lambs and 1 good, Mike Sanchez with 2 choice lambs, Bryan Harms with 2 good lambs, Scott Denman with 2 choice lambs, Jesse Fierro with 2 choice lambs, Jones Fay with a choice and good lamb, Keith Fowler with 2 choice lambs, Ed Calvert with 2 choice lambs, Ronnie Pratt with a good and a choice lamb, George Wall with 3 choice feeders and 2 choice lambs, Doug Snyder with a choice and a good lamb, Will Seahorn with a choice and choice feeder, Rene DeLaRosa with a choice feeder and choice lamb, Shane Cooper with a good and choice lamb, Blas Vargas with a choice feeder lamb, Andy Dews with a prime, and 2 choice lambs, Andy Trevino with a choice

## Sutton cited by Royalty Owners

Jeffrey Sutton of Ozona was presented a "Citation for Outstanding Service" at the recently concluded annual convention of the National Association of Royalty Owners, Inc.

The local rancher was specifically honored at the Dallas meeting for his role as chairman of the NARO-Texas organization, a state-wide coalition of royalty owners formed last year.

Tom Allen of Houston, national chairman of NARO, praised Sutton for his activity in Austin during the recent legislative session, which resulted in passage of a Texas uniform royalty check stub bill, and for establishing NARO-Texas coordinators in ten districts of the state.

"During Sutton's tenure, we also have evidenced absorption of the five-year old West Texas Land and Mineral Owners Assn., which is based in Syder," Allen said. "This will bring in an additional 400 members, when the merger is concluded, and enable us to increase legislative activities in Austin."

The National Assn. of Royalty Owners was formed in 1980, initially to combat the impact of the Windfall Profits Tax, which taxed the nation's 2.5 million royalty owners at the highest rate in recorded history.

The organization numbers over 5000 members in 50 states and an additional 39,000 associates with affiliated county, regional and state mineral owner associations.

NARO, through its Washington activities, was credited with gaining first the \$1000 tax credit against production, and later, through a 1981 tax revision bill, the existing three barrel a day exemption from the WPT for oil royalty owners. This has amounted to over an \$11 billion savings from the tax, according to Allen, a certified financial planner with his own financial services firm, Allen & Hampton, Inc., in Houston.

The NARO organization is headquartered in Ada, Oklahoma, and maintains representation in Austin and Washington, D.C., where retired U.S. Senator Carl T. Curtis heads a staff of two attorneys in monitoring issues impacting royalty owners.

Since its founding, NARO has branched into legislative issues in 11 states, and through education and publications keeps its members informed on lease trends, tax implications and regulatory occurrences.

Sutton said current national goals of [Cont'd on Page 9]

## Day Care Center is in need of funds

The Ozona Day Care Center has run out of funds and the parents and board of directors held an emergency meeting last week to come up with some way of keeping the center open.

So many families have moved out of Ozona, there has been a drastic reduction in the number of children attending the center on a weekly basis and state regulations will not allow the staff to be cut due to the child-staff ratio rule. Expenses have increased at the center, while income has decreased.

The board met Wednesday night and called a meeting of the parents for Thursday evening. It was determined that a sum of \$4,000 would be

necessary to keep the center open until January 1, when a rate increase will go into effect.

The group decided to do everything possible to raise the money and are hoping for a low interest or no interest loan. Donations are solicited and food orders are being taken for Christmas delivery. Members of the board and parents will do the cooking. Special orders for cakes, casseroles, pies, and most everything will be taken until December 15, and deliveries will be made by December 21, in time for Christmas. To order, call Helen Bean at 392-3804 or Becky Childress at 392-2492.

## Locals top District 4-H Food Show Sat.

Local 4-Hers took numerous honors during the December 7, District 4-H Food Show, in Ozona. Trebie West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley West was first place in the Senior Fruits and Vegetables category. As a first place winner at District, she will advance to State 4-H Food Show competition in June, 1986 at Texas A&M University. Mary Lou Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Trazell Hayes was fifth in Senior Snacks and Desserts. Randi Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson, was sixth in Senior Breads and Cereals. Julie Carson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carson, participated in the Senior Main Dish category.

Stefny Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Sutton, was first in the Junior Snacks and Desserts category. Whitney Vannoy, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gary Vannoy was named first in the Junior Main Dish category. Carri Chandler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erby Chandler, participated in the Junior Fruits and Vegetables division. Jennifer Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woody Phillips, participated in Junior Breads and Cereals.

There were 120 entries in the District 4-H Food Show. Approximately 300 guests, parents and 4-Hers attended the awards program and tasting tea.



District 4-H Food Show winners

Trebie West, center, won a first place in the senior division at the district 4-H Food Show held here Saturday, and she will advance to the State Show in June. Stefny Sutton, left, won a first place in the junior category and Whitney Vannoy, right, won first in junior main dish.

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### THE DAY-CARE UNDERGROUND

By Edwin Feulner

Although it was once considered an unfortunate necessity, day-care has become an American institution, used by people from all economic, cultural and educational backgrounds. The "why" is simple. Research shows that in 1984, both parents in 52 percent of U.S. families were holding down jobs. And someone has to take care of the kids when both Mom and Dad work.

Unfortunately, the simple matter of providing child care is itself beginning to become too much of a burden — thanks to government regulation. The result is that while the need is on the rise, many people and institutions who would like to provide inexpensive child care aren't able to do so. Others are doing so illegally — as part of the day-care "underground."

According to a recent study by the Cato Institute, many of the laws designed to protect the health and safety of children and guarantee that they are cared-for responsibly have, instead, limited the availability of child care or made it too expensive for the people who need it most: the poor and middle class. After all, the wealthy still have their nannies.

The study found that although there are at least 14-million preschoolers whose parents work full time, there are only about 10-million day-care spaces available nationwide. Even without a Ph.D. in accounting one can figure out that millions of kids are being left alone for part of the day.

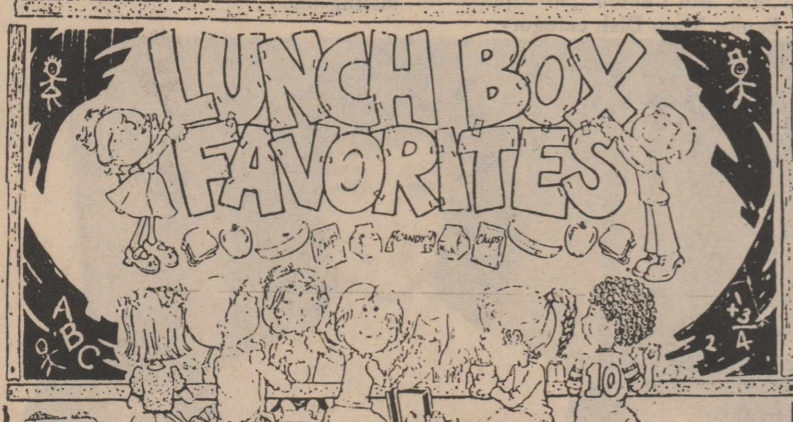
Certainly, it is important for children to be cared for by competent people in a safe environment. We are all aware of the horror stories about those operators of day-care centers who have been accused of sexually abusing children in their care, or who have been linked to the kiddie-porn racket. Invariably, the cretins involved in these cases have been operating licensed facilities which meet all state regulations. This is not to imply by any means that there is a link between regulation and deviant behavior. It does imply that all the regulation in the world won't put a 100-percent stop to such things. But the excessive regulations will keep many women who would like to care for small children in their homes from doing so legally.

Currently, all fifty states and the District of Columbia have day-care regulations. The most damaging restrictions are the often silly local zoning regulations which prohibit individuals from caring for neighborhood children in their homes or arbitrarily restrict the number of children they can care for.

For example, most city zoning commissions classify "day care" as a small business — and prohibit people from operating day-care programs in residential areas. Of course, this is absurd. And it leads to predictably absurd results, such as the woman in Washington, D.C., who was told by the Board of Zoning Adjustment that she couldn't operate a day-care facility in a residentially zoned, middle-class neighborhood with a large number of working-class mothers, but was given the go-ahead to operate a center in a commercially zoned building located between two topless bars.

Many health, fire and safety statutes are similarly misapplied by local bureaucrats. For instance, one San Benito County, California, woman had to withdraw her application for a license when she was told by the paper-pushers that if she wanted to increase enrollment in her six-child day-care home, she would have to install separate toilet facilities for boys and girls and make them accessible to wheelchairs. A Maryland woman decided she could not afford to care for more children in her home after she was told she would have to replace her four smoke detectors with a five-detector, interconnecting system, which would cost her an estimated \$2,000. And the list goes on and on.

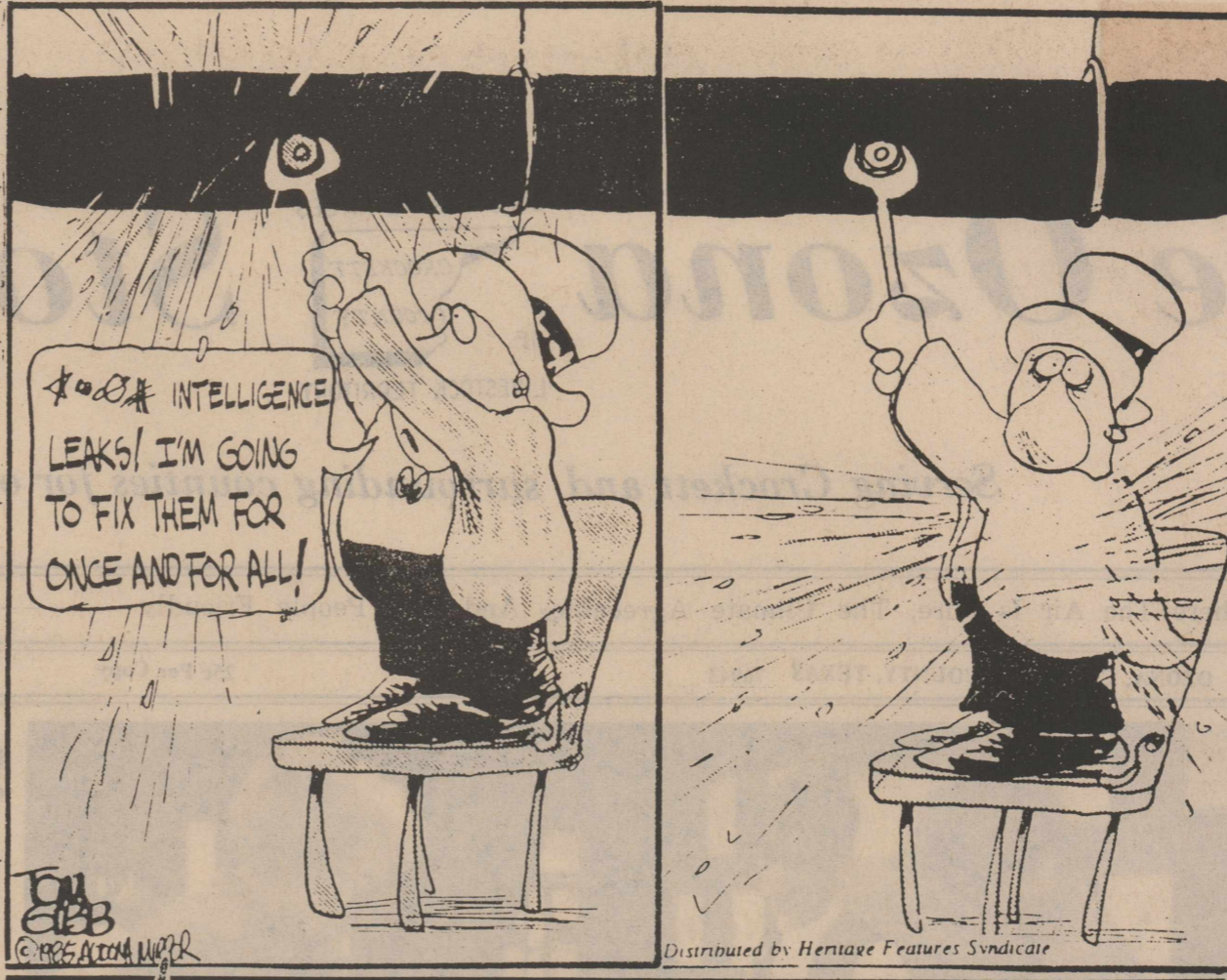
Regardless of how one feels about the number of working women and single-parent households in the U.S. today, one must recognize that a real need exists for quality, affordable day care. But instead of encouraging willing people in local communities to meet the growing need, the regulation-writers and enforcers are making it increasingly difficult for them. As is so often the case, the people who are being hurt the most are the ones the bureaucrats supposedly are trying to help.



### OZONA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

<b>Monday</b> Burritos Buttered Corn Vegetable Salad Pineapple Tidbits	<b>Dec. 16-20</b>	<b>Thursday</b> Spanish Steak Mashed Potatoes Lettuce Salad Pear Half Cornbread
<b>Tuesday</b> Hamburger on Bun Tater Tots Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles Applesauce	<b>Wednesday</b> Polish Sausage Pinto Beans Cabbage Salad Peach Cobbler Cornbread	<b>Friday</b> Turkey, Dressing & Giblet Gravy Cranberry Sauce Fruit Salad Spiced Cake Hot Rolls

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## STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—At the Capitol all is quiet except for the heavy equipment digging up 12 live oaks to replace them with some three dozen sycamores.

But outside Capitol halls, political candidates stepped up their activities, some to replace certain state officials, and others to avoid replacement.

In these quiet weeks prior to Christmas, fundraising is the key to anyone seeking state office, and quite a few were held last week.

The most dramatic was a San Antonio bash for GOP gubernatorial candidate Tom Loeffler which at \$700,000-plus more than doubled the previous single night record set by Phil Gramm.

Loeffler represents a vast West Texas congressional district which includes San An-

tonio as his metropolitan base. Well financed now and with television commercials running statewide, Loeffler has convinced onlookers that he can build momentum.

### Eyes on Hance

Both political parties have now turned their eyes on Kent Hance to see what he can muster in the governor's race, since it's certainly anticipated that former Gov. Bill Clements will be well financed.

Hance's people say their present fundraising efforts may give them as much as \$1 million to start off the new year. Hance, meanwhile, announced last week that Fort Worth State Rep. Bob Leonard, Mac Churchill and Jane Berberich will be his campaign co-chairmen in that city.

### More No-Pass, No-Play

Governor Mark White's forces are finally fighting back on the controversial no-pass, no-play issue by claiming a recent poll indicates some 70 percent of Texans favor the reform.

Some politicians are wondering whether the teachers are really that angry with White over the HB72 changes in education. The speculation concerns whether teachers will endorse anyone against White, or if they will put their main efforts in other races.

### No Bids

The Texas Department of Corrections received no bids at its auction last week to sell some 3,600 acres of prime real estate in Fort Bend and Harris counties.

The Legislature wants TDC to sell the land to help raise \$125 million for new prison construction.

## Public Notices

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Bids should be given or mailed to Dick Kirby, County Auditor, Box 266, Ozona, Texas 76943.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted.

Dick Kirby  
County Auditor  
42-2tc

## Baptists set Christmas cantata Sun.

A Christmas Cantata will be presented Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at First Baptist Church. The public is invited and the nursery will be open for the children.

A reception will follow in the fellowship hall, hosted by the deacons and their wives.

Judge and Mrs. A.O. Fields are in Austin this week, where the judge is attending a conference.

## The Newsreel

A rerun of "The Ozona Story" as gleaned from the files of the "The Ozona Stockman"

Thursday, Dec. 13, 1956

A program of Christmas music will be presented at The Methodist Church by the Choir, Dec. 16. The choir will be led by James Rollins. Mrs. Bud Cox will be organist and the Rev. Leroy Russell will be narrator.

29 yrs. ago

Three Ozona ranchmen were named to the board of directors of Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Assn. They were V. I. Pierce, James Baggett and W.E. Friend Jr. T.A. Kincaid, Jr. is new president of TS&GRA.

29 yrs. ago

First word of the government's abandonment of its efforts to secure an adequate water supply from wells at the site and plans to install a pipeline and use water from the Ozona city supply for the Air Defense Command radar station five miles east of Ozona was received this morning by W. D. Cooper, water department manager, from a representative of the Army Corps of Engineers, construction supervisors.

29 yrs. ago

The official district 8-A all-star team was announced this week. Among those were four of the 1956 Lions, gaining seven of the 28 positions. Jake Young, Jess Marley and Bobby Sutton were named to both squads while Roy Glen Sutton was named to the defensive team as a linebacker.

29 yrs. ago

Two Ozona band members were chosen to the all-state band. They were Becky Davidson and Jimmy Carroll. They were two of the nine students who will represent Region II in the All State Band at Dallas in Feb.

29 yrs. ago

Members of the Commissioners Court meeting Monday heard a request from a group of 4-H Club and FFA backers that the county consider the construction of a 4-H and FFA agriculture building and show quarters and agreed to take up the project next July when it will be possible to include it in the new county budget.

29 yrs. ago

Burglars smashed the glass from a door at Foxworth Galbraith Lumber Co. here to gain entry and made off with four rifles and ammunition.

29 yrs. ago

Ozona Woman's Club met with Mrs. Charles Williams Sr. and Mrs. Stephen Perner hostesses in the Williams home.

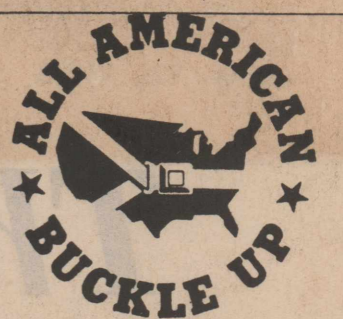
29 yrs. ago

Seniors at OHS wrote themes on Americanism for the Woman's Club and winners were Kent Babb, first; Durwood Wylie, 2nd, and Lou Nelle Beall, third. Honorable mentions were Don Lott, Suzann Dale and Rosalito Galindo.

## Ozona Church of Christ

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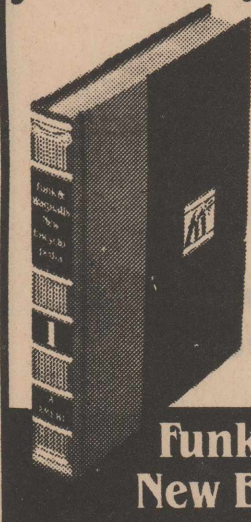
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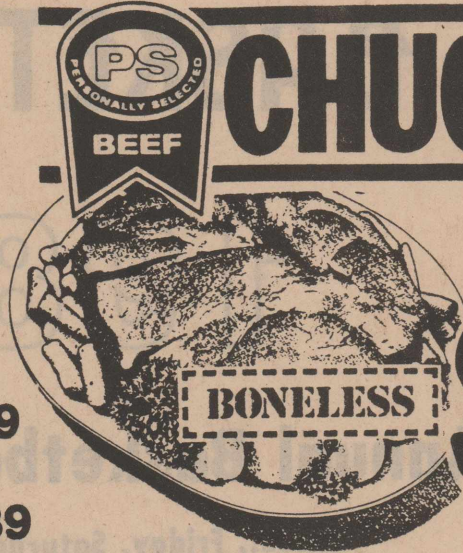
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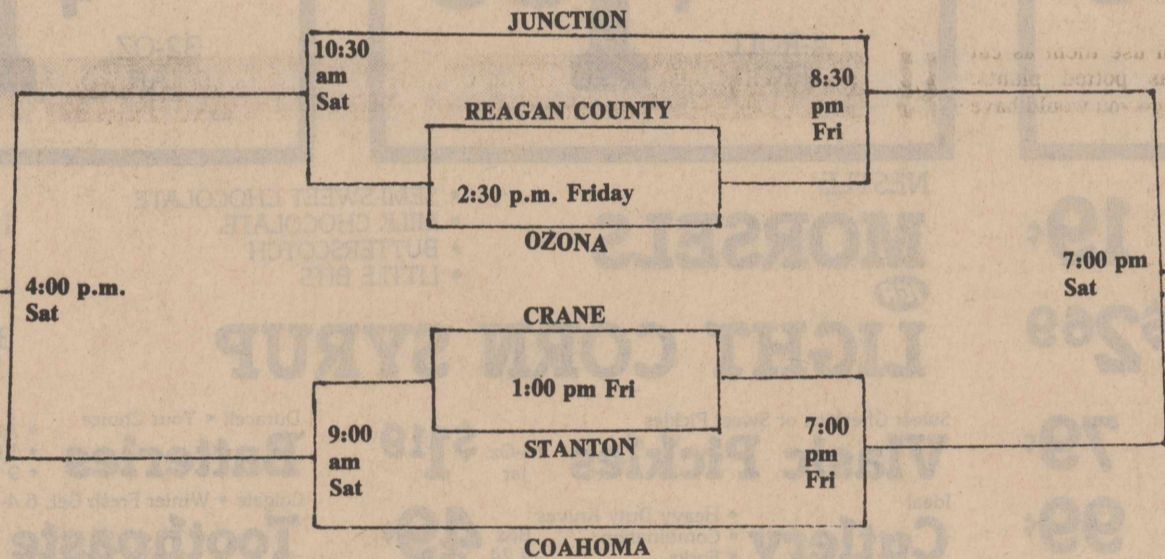
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**Sesquicentennial program presented**

A Sesquicentennial program was presented for Ozona Woman's Forum members at their meeting last week, coordinated by Mrs. Lowell Littleton. The program was on "Pioneer Texas Women". Biographies of nine notable women were presented.

**Pioneer Texas Women is Forum program topic**

The Ozona Woman's Forum met December 3, in regular session at the Civic Center, with Mrs. Ralph Jones and Mrs. Hugh Childress as hostesses.

As guests arrived they were served from an attractively appointed holiday table and enjoyed a time of food and fellowship.

Mrs. Huey Ingram, president, called the meeting to order and Mrs. J. McCartney gave the invocation.

Mrs. Lowell Littleton was the coordinator for an outstanding program on "Pioneer Texas Women".

The nine notable women whose biographies were presented in the program were:

Mrs. James Cunningham-Mrs. Jess Marley, Mrs. Rebecca J. Fisher-Mrs. Bonnie Warth; Mrs. Frances Yoast, Jr.-Mrs. Marshall Montgomery, Mrs. Rueven Harnsby-Mrs. Bill

**Sorority has holiday ideas program**

The Alpha Alpha Mu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Monday, December 9, at 6:30 p.m. at the Crockett County National Bank hospitality room. Hostesses for the event were Connie Jennings and Rita Sigwing.

Those present were served dinner prepared by Ms. Sigwing followed by a business meeting and the passing of the candle.

Ms. Jennings presented a program on holiday decorating ideas. Special guest Peri Fenton led members in bow making for decorating and for package accents.

Members then enjoyed hot cranberry cider while sharing secret sister gifts.

Those in attendance were Tina Bean, Tammy Bunger, Nesa Chandler, Becky Dillard, Debbie Glasscock, Kim Hager, Laurie Hale, Jeannine Henderson, Karen Huffman, Connie Jennings, Ellen Lipsey, Susan McMullan, Barbie Myers, Renee Pearl, Dena Porter, Leslie Reeves, Billie Renfro, Rita Sigwing, Roylan Sullivan, Lisa Wagoner, Marcy Williams, and Leslie Wilson.

Also present were Debbi Bachman, Lisa Branch, Sharon Forehand, Barbara Glosson, Patti May, Becky Sizemore, Kay Stewart, Carla Worthington and Peri Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bohannon were in Brownwood, Saturday, to attend funeral services for Mrs. Lela Gill, mother of their son-in-law.

On program were, left to right, Tina Bean, Norma Carson, Jewel Bailey, Pauline Montgomery, Katherine Russell, Lucille Littleton, Velma Marley, Jane Black, Lu Ingram, Bonnie Warth, Geniece Childress and Jeannine Henderson.

**Tips For Gardeners**

From the Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

With the holiday season fast approaching, you will be thinking and planning for Christmas decorations. Few holiday preparations bring a gardener more satisfaction than fashioning wreaths, sprays and roping from your own greenery. Too, a variety may be purchased at garden centers if you have none available. The type you make depends somewhat on the amount of material handy, but you do not need as much as you might think. Most trees and shrubs benefit from a little pruning, and by doing it now fills two needs with one cut.

Cut and harden the evergreen branches in buckets of water and place in a cool room until needed. They may be mixed or the same species of evergreens, but to me a variety is more interesting to work with. If you have gathered and saved pine cones, nuts, pomegranates, grasses, seed pods, and treated leaves, you have the material to make a beautiful and attractive wreath that can be displayed at Christmas or left hanging, if indoors.

More ways to use poinsettias that are always spectacular since being a holiday tradition. Longer lasting blossoms mean you can use them as cut flowers as well as potted plants. Twenty-five years ago you would have been hard pressed to find a poinsettia that would last from Thanksgiving until Christmas. Today quite the opposite is true as they often greet the New Year with vivid, healthy blossoms. Look for a poinsettia that has healthy, dark green foliage all the way down the stem. The tiny buds in the center of the plant should be green and tightly closed. To help maintain a rich color and healthy, green foliage, place the plants in a bright spot, but not in direct sunlight. You must water the plants often enough to keep the soil slightly moist; if they dry out even once, the leaves may turn yellow and fall off. But beware of overwatering, as this too will cause the leaves to drop. A plant that is well cared for may remain in top condition for a month or more. The dramatic size and brilliant color of poinsettia blossoms are hard to beat; just a few arranged in a simple container make an elegant display. They are very handsome when used with greenery, such as holly, yew or others that have dark-green foliage. White poinsettias cut and combined with sprays of pine give you a beautiful arrangement.

Visiting recently in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Sutton and Mrs. James Childress were Dean Elizabeth Haley, who is head of the Home Economics Department at Texas Tech University, Miss Billie Wolfe and Miss Quepha Rawls.

Carson, Mrs. T. P. Washington- Mrs. Huey Ingram, Mrs. Robert Kleberg- Mrs. Charlie Black, Elizabeth Ney- Mrs. T. J. Bailey, Mrs. Robert Driskell-Mrs. P. L. Childress, Mrs. Arthur Hoover-Mrs. Lowell Littleton.

Two lovely young guests, Mrs. Douglas Bean and Mrs. John L. Henderson, graced the stage as Southern Belles throughout the presentation, and Mrs. Buddy Russell provided the music to balance out the entertainment.

The program was concluded with the singing of "The Eyes of Texas" by the entire group.

Those present other than the above mentioned were: Mrs. J. D. Brown, Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. James Childress, Mrs. Mike Clayton, Mrs. Roger Dudley, Mrs. Lee Graves, Mrs. Taylor Jones, Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. Allie Lock, Mrs. J. B. Miller, Mrs. Gene Perry, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Mrs. C. O. Spencer, Mrs. W. T. Stokes, Mrs. C. O. Walker, Mrs. Rufus Ward, Mrs. Fred Hagelstein and Mrs. L. D. Kirby.

Also present were two guests, Ms. Billie Carver of Winslow, Arizona, sister of Mrs. Charlie Black, and Mrs. Rod Chalmers from our community.

Submitted by Elizabeth Dudley, Secretary

**Mrs. Childress is hostess for bridge club**

Mrs. John Childress was hostess for bridge Thursday at the Country Club. High score went to Mrs. Sherman Taylor and second high to Mrs. J.J. Marley. Mrs. Evert White won the bingo.

Others playing were Mrs. Clay Adams, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. Joe Couch, Mrs. Joe Friend, Mrs. Tommy Harris, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Bill Mason, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery, Mrs. Buddy Phillips, Mrs. Jake Short, Mrs. Byron Williams, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. W.E. Friend, and Mrs. Lowell Littleton and Mrs. James Dockery.

**DUPLICATE BRIDGE**

In Duplicate Bridge Club play Saturday afternoon at the Country Club, two couples tied for the top spot. Mrs. Robert Cox and Mrs. Sherman Taylor tied with Mrs. Bill Baggett and Mrs. J.J. Marley.

In play Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Evert White won high and Mrs. Baggett and Mrs. Taylor were second.



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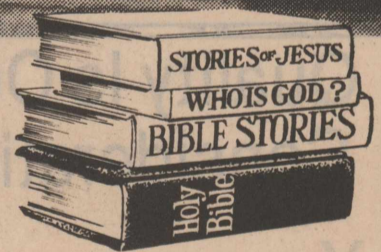
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### Stanley hostesses honored

Ann Shaw hosted a bingo party and luncheon Wednesday, for her Stanley Products hostesses at the Inn of the West.

Nineteen women from Big Lake, Ozona and Eldorado who had hosted at least four parties during the year were the honorees. Prizes were ceramic churches made by Mrs. Shaw in her ceramic shop, which she began as a hobby and turned it into a full time operation.

Those present included Edna Fielder, Yolanda Flores, Mary Louise Hayes, Antonia Sanchez, Bertha Rebeck, Diana Ramirez, Enequina Ramirez, Letty Campos, Sylvia Ramon, Sylvia Castillo, Lucille Light, Yolanda Adams, Linda Mungia, Mela San Miguel, Rosa Longoria, Maria Gonzales, Maggie Levario and Lara Martin.

Mrs. Maudie Couch and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sutton were in Austin over the weekend attending the graduation exercises of Mrs. Bobby (Gloria Jeanne) Sutton. Mrs. Sutton graduated from the College of Pharmacy at the University of Texas.

## Crockett County Library Notes

By Louise Ledoux

Crockett County Librarian Louise Ledoux has released a list of new books that have been added to the library.

**Space Weapons** by Frank Barnaby  
**Who's Who in American Politics One Day At A Time-Christy Lane** by Lee Stroller  
**The Talisman** by Stephen King  
**Field Guide to Texas Snakes** by Alan Tennant  
**Cheesemaking Made Easy** by Ricki Carroll  
**Home Sausage Making** by Charles Reavis  
**Chiropractors** by John Langone  
**Texas Instruments Understanding Series, including Computer Science, Data Processing, Communications and Automotive Electronics, etc.**  
**Voices of the Heart** by Barbara Taylor Bradford  
**Children's Story Bible** by Catherine Marshall  
**Contact** by Carl Sagan  
**The Methuselah Enzyme** by Fred Mustard Stewart  
**Fodor's Travel Guides 1986-Europe, South America, Caribbean**

A BIG THANK YOU goes out to Shirley and Dick Kirby for the lovely Christmas Tree for the Library. Leo Cervantez and his family have generously supplied decorations and lights. Come Check It Out!

Louise Ledoux  
 Crockett Co. Librarian

### GIRL TO APPLEWHITES

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Applewhite of Kerrville, are the parents of a daughter born December 9, at 11:53 a.m. in Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital in Kerrville. The little girl weighed five pounds and fourteen ounces and has been named Amberly Elizabeth. She is welcomed by two sisters, Shannon, 6, and Randy, 3.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Applewhite, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dunn of Kerrville.

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## Sheriff's report for week

December 4- Ricky Flores Rodriguez 20, charged with public intoxication and released December 9 after serving time in jail. Omero Ramon Flores 25, charged with public intoxication. Paid fine and released Dec. 5.

December 6-Jose Armando Tavarez 20, Normando Tavarez 20, Ramon L. Gonzales 21, Guadalupe L. Parga 20 and Jose V. Jaquez 30, each charged with hunting at night and hunting from public road. Jose A. Tavarez and Normando Tavarez were released to border patrol and the other 3 paid fines and were released Dec. 6.

December 7-Manuel Villarreal III 20, charged with possession of marijuana class "B" misdemeanor. He was released on surety bond Dec. 8. Gary Robert Titus 26, charged with possession of marijuana class "B" misdemeanor. He was released on surety bond Dec. 8. Billie Jo Perry 26, charged with possession of marijuana class "B" misdemeanor and 2 traffic warrants. He paid fine on traffic and released on surety bond on Dec. 8. Charles K. Weathington 35, charged with DWI bond forfeiture warrant out of Dallas county. He was released on cash bond Dec. 8. Alexander S. Borrego 36, charged with disorderly conduct. He was released after paying fine on Dec. 8. Alberto S. Borrego 38, charged with disorderly conduct. He was released on Dec. 8. Jesus S. Borrego 40, charged with public intoxication and resisting arrest. He was released on surety bond Dec. 8 after paying fine. Rafael Guerra 56, charged with DWI and speeding. He is still in jail awaiting county court.

December 8-Jesus Ponce 26, charged with DWI, bond forfeiture warrant out of Dallas county. He is still in jail. David Wayne York 23, charged with 4 traffic warrants out of Robertson county. He is still in jail.

Over the Thanksgiving holidays the Armond Hoover's had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goswick, Chris and Michell of Houston, along with their son, Brad, Maggie and grandchildren, Becca and Justin. A successful week of hunting was enjoyed by all. This was the Goswick's first hunting trip and his first deer to kill was a beautiful 10 point buck.

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Freddy and I and especially Arron Jayce would like to thank all of our friends and the people of Ozona who showed us so much concern for the baby this past month. We would especially like to thank our families for their wonderful support and love given to us at our time of need. With all the prayers, the doctors, and the good Lord, little Arron will be coming home very, very soon now. Thank you!

Lisa and Freddy Garza

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank our friends, relatives, and the people in our community for all the phone calls, your concern, visits, and mostly your prayers for my stay in the hospital. May God bless each and every one of you.

Thank you,  
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# Lady Lions fall to Owls in consolation tilt

By Amy Beth Scoggins

The Ozona Varsity Lady Lions were defeated by the Reagan County Owls on December 3 and fell a few points short of winning the Consolation trophy in the Reagan County Tournament on December 6 and 7.

The Lady Lions played Coleman in their opener Friday evening with Coleman having a top score of 63 to 41.

Saturday morning the Lady Lions outscored the Big Lake JV Lady Owls by a score of 44 to 38 advancing the Lady Lions to play for the Consolation trophy.

Ozona played McCamey in their final game of the tournament with McCamey edging past the Lady Lions.

The Lady Lions led at the end of the first quarter with a score of 7 to 5. The game remained close in the second quarter with the first half of play coming to an end with McCamey ahead 13 to 11.

McCamey lengthened their lead in the third quarter leading 30 to 23 and played on to win the game by a final score of 38 to 32.

"We need to be more consistent. The key to becoming more consistent is in improving our shooting and eliminating turnovers. I am still searching for a combination that gels on the court," said Coach Rhonda Yarborough.

Vickie Reagor provided nine points while Julie Reagor scored eight. Stacy Lay scored six points and Zeld Munoz contributed three points. Providing

## Hubbards are hosts for 42

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hubbard were hosts for the Thursday night 42 Club at their home last week.

A variety of Christmas cookies, candies and cakes were served to guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Conner won high in 42. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Owens were low. Bingo was won by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coates, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller made the most 84's.

Others playing were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnigan, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kost, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Keilers, Mr. and Mrs. Lefty Walker, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Kirby, Mrs. C. B. Hubbard, Perry Hubbard, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Perry.

two points each were Janet Diaz, Sharon McCrohan, and Lydia Pena.

Vickie Reagor, a Junior and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Reagor, was named to the all-tournament team. The Ozona Lady Lions received the Sportsmanship trophy at the Reagan County Tournament.

Despite the effort put forth by the Lady Lions on December 3 against Big Lake, the Lady Lions were unable to hold the Owls and lost the game 77 to 33.

Lay scored ten points and Munoz contributed seven points. Pena provided six points and Vanessa Miller and Julie Reagor scored four points each. Janet Diaz contributed two points.

The Lady Lions will open the Ozona Tournament against Big Lake at 2:30 p.m. on December 14 in Davidson Memorial Gymnasium.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brown included their daughters, Mrs. Tom Hambleton of Washington, Penn., and Teresa Brown of Midland, Tx.; Merle Hambleton of Omaha, Nebraska; Ken Krison of Midland, Bill Krison of Lubbock, Anita Brown and Larry and Freddie of Snyder.

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IMMUNIZATION CLINIC-The Texas Department of Health held a Immunization Clinic Thursday, Dec. 5, at the Ozona Civic Center. Above, Corrie Dee Hobson, 5-year-old daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hobson, seems upset about her visit. Grandmother Hope Ortiz consoles Corrie Dee while R.N. Dolores Ramirez, left, looks over her records.

## Eighth grade girls down Del Rio in easy win

The Eighth Grade Girls basketball team defeated Del Rio by a score of 27-19 Dec. 9. Scoring for Ozona were Polly Villarreal with 11 points, Kelly Williams 9, Tammy Arrott and Judy Fierro 2, and Missy Bishop 1. Leading in rebounds were Kelly Williams with 19, Tammy Arrott 11, and Judy Fierro 9. Polly Villarreal had 6 steals followed by Judy Fierro with 5. Lanessa Porter and Polly Villarreal both had assists. Polly also had 4 forced turnovers. Others playing well were Mikki Ramirez, Anna Borrego, Estella Her-

andez, Stacy Berry, Terry Vargas, Sarah Pullen, Stacie McDaniels, and Rebecca Babb. The next game is December 16 at Sonora.

"These are some of the very best kids, both on and off the court, that I've ever had. I wouldn't trade them for any others anywhere," said Coach Renee Schultz.

In the seventh grade game Ozona beat Del Rio 20-16.

Leading scorers were Paula Galan with 6 points, Ofie Rios, 5 points; Christy Cotton, 4 points; Tina Tambunga, 3 points; Tamie Reagor, 2 points.

After the first quarter Del Rio was in the lead with the score Del Rio 14-Ozona 10.

The game went into overtime and Ozona's girls won when Tina Tambunga drove the lane and made a basket. Two free shot points scored in overtime were made by Paula Galan and Tina Tambunga.

"It was a tough game but the girls were determined to win. All the team members really put forth an effort," said Coach Sims.

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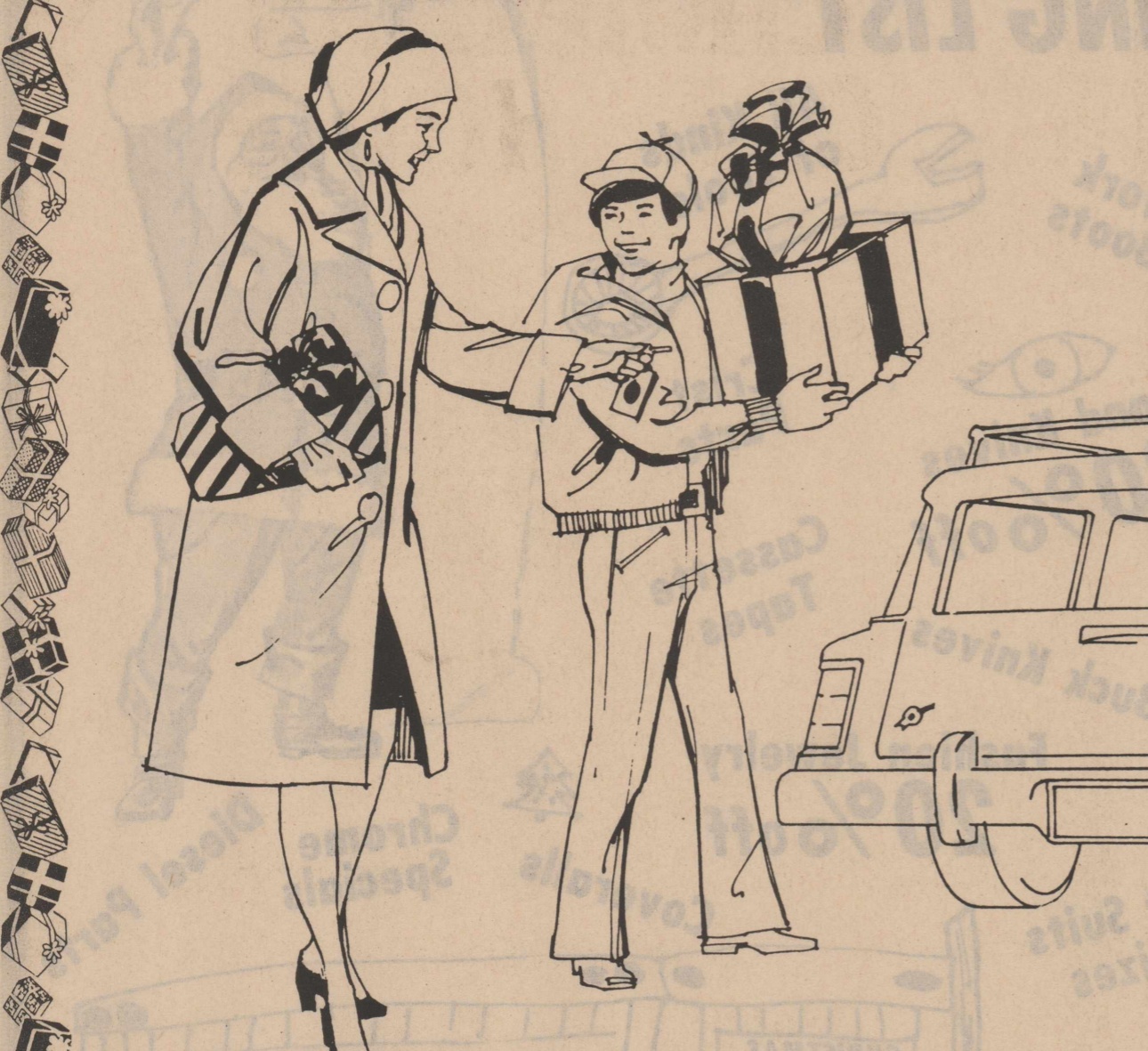
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Historic Colt .45

## Sheriff adds to gun collection

Sheriff Billy Mills added an historic item to his collection of firearms last week when he received a silver plated Colt "Officers ACP" Model .45 caliber pistol.

James L. Wilson, firearms appraiser, turned in the following appraisal statement along with the gun:

The grips are made from premium grade elephant ivory and the authentication papers for the ivory accompany the gun. They were made from ivory taken from an animal shot by Dr. James E. Holmes of Ft. Worth Texas. The elephant was shot in December, 1974 in Kenya. The original shipping papers from Mombasa indicated the tusks weighed 60 to 59 pounds.

The grips were made and scrimshawed by James Compton of Mansfield, Texas. The right grip shows a facsimile of the badge of the Sheriff of Crockett County. The left grip contains a map of the State of Texas, with a star indicating the location of Crockett Co. and "Billy Mills".

The pistol has been fully engraved in floral scroll pattern. The coverage of the engraving is about 95% Worked into the design are a number of three dimensional cattle brands, represent-

ing well known West Texas ranches. The initials "B.M." have been engraved in to front grip strap. The engravers name is cut into the right bottom of the magazine well. This style of engraving is unique in my experience. I have never seen, nor heard of, another example. The engraving was also done by Mr. Compton. It is quite beautiful.

The pistol is cased in a wooden box with the Colt logo on the lid. The box is lined with maroon velvet and contains an extra magazine for the pistol.

The pistol was a gift to Billy Mills, who has been the elected Sheriff of Crockett Co. for the past thirty-five years. The gun was a gift of to Sheriff Mills from Jim Wilson, a private investigator from Dallas. The embellishment was a gift from the Sheriff's sister, Jackie M. Ginsberg, of Dallas.

The pistol receives its value from several sources. First, the grips are completely custom and absolutely unique, both in material and workmanship.

Second, the engraving is not only very well done but it also has historical significance. It is definitely some of

Mr. Compton's best work. He is a premier engraver of native Texas origin.

The ownership of the pistol by Sheriff Mills further adds to the historical value of the gun. Sheriff Mills is the son of old time Texas Ranger, Frank Mills. He is a famous West Texas Lawman from a line of famous West Texas lawmen.

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## Jr. High honor roll for second six weeks announced

Ozona Junior High Principal Jack Probst released a list of students on the Second Six Weeks Jr. High Academic Honor Roll for 1985-86.

Students in sixth grade on the honor roll include Adam Alba, Amy Cervantez, Courtney Childress, Bryon Dunn, Molly Fierro, Ernest Galvan, Jackie Guadarrama, Claudia Hernandez, Erika Kenison, Jimmy McCary, Mario G. Mendoza, David Minks, Robin Myers, Valerie Perez, Kristi Porter, Mark Ramirez, Alex Sanchez, Ami Sewell, Todd Sudduth, Michael Vasquez, Tamel West, Randel Wilson, Haley Carson, Carrie Chandler, Cullen Curry, Elizabeth Esmerado, Alma Flores, Rita Garza, Trisha Hartnett, Marandy Keith, Martin Llanos, Janet McDaniel, Veronica Mendoza, Tracy Minnix, Maria Perez, Willie Perez, Susan Pullen, Rey Rivera, Katie Sellers, Gina Snyder, Irma Vargas, Veronica Vasquez and Terrie Willmon.

Those students making the seventh grade honor roll include C. J. Blackledge, Emily Cervantez, Christy Cotton, Kimberlee Coy, Valerie Flores, Misty Fowler, Lee Galan, Selena Galindo, Oscar Gutierrez, Jay Haire, Angel Hernandez, Janet King, Melissa Moore, Edna Olvera, Kelley Porter, Tanya Ramos, Gilbert Rico, Carlos Robledo, Dave Southwell, Victor Trujillo, Mary Turnley, David Vargas, Elvia Vasquez, Abel Villarreal, Fleet Worthington, Michael Ybarra, Brad Bollier, Jennifer Colin, Elisa Coy, Letty Dominguez, Vivian Flores, Sandra Fuentes, Paula Galan, Lisa Garza, Chris Haire, Carolyn Harris, Margaret Jones, Lonnie Martinez, Cody Morris, Domingo Perez, Shane Pridemore, Tamie Reagor, Ofilia Rios, Stephanie Saunders, Tina Tambunga, Ann Trull, Martin Urbino, Anthony Vasquez, Maria Villa, Melissa Watson, Joey Ybarra.

The eighth grade honor roll includes Tammy Arrott, Bruce Beasley, Anna Borrego, Scotty Burks, Elizabeth Cervantez, Brian Cooke, Tommy DeHoyos, Chris Denman, Judy Fierro, Arnold Garcia, Blanca Guadarrama, Randy Judd, Jacob Marroquin, Stacie McDaniel, David Navarrete, Lanessa Porter, Mikki Ramirez, Luis Rico, Terel Seahorn, Terri Vargas, Pauline Villarreal, Elizabeth Watson, Martha Williams, George Ybarra, Rebecca Babb, Missy Bishop, Ricky Burger, Janina Carrizalez, Martin Childress, David Cox, Minerva DeLaRosa, Tricia Ethridge, Sotero Fuentes, Amy Graham, Estella

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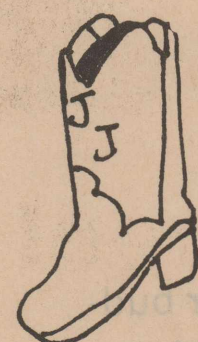
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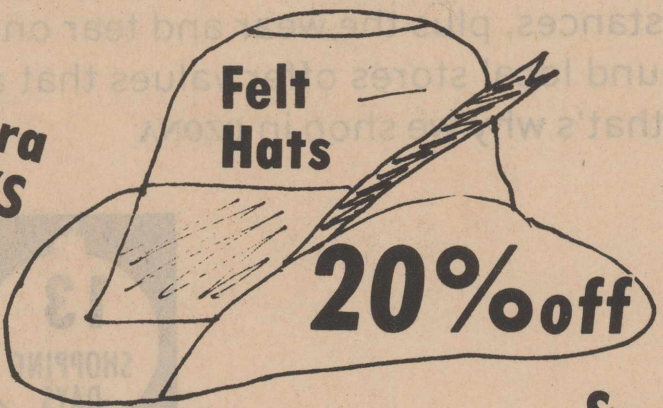
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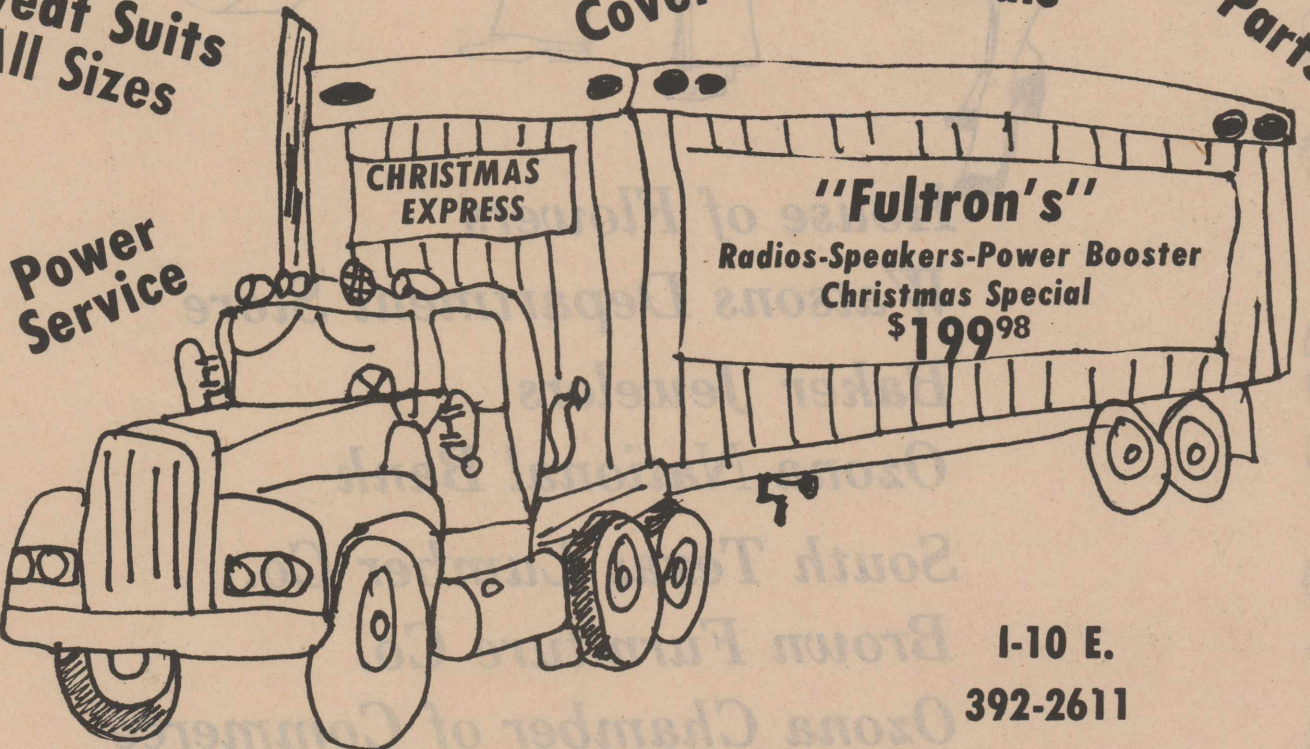


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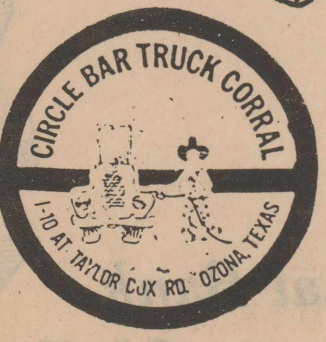
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# High school basketball teams have busy schedule this week

By Amy Beth Scoggins

The Ozona Varsity Lions were victorious over the Reagan County Owls on December 3 in Big Lake and the Lions also came home with the Consolation trophy from the Crane Tournament held on December 5, 6, and 7.

The Lions opened the Crane Tournament playing the Kermit Yellowjackets last Thursday night with the Yellowjackets edging the Lions 49 to 47.

"We didn't shoot well against Kermit," said Coach John Curry. "It was a disappointment to lose."

The Lions roared past the Coahoma Bulldogs on Friday night in their second game of the tournament winning 57 to 47.

Ozona advanced to outplay the Van Horn Eagles on Saturday morning by a score of 55 to 45.

"We played just well enough to win against Coahoma and Van Horn," said Curry.

The Lions met the Winters' Blizzards on Saturday afternoon to play for the Consolation trophy.

The Lions quickly took the lead and led by a score of 20 to 5 at the end of the first quarter. Winters began scoring in the second quarter, but the Lions continued to hit the hoop and the first half of play came to a close with the Lions ahead 32 to 17.

Ozona played consistently throughout the third quarter and ended this quarter leading 44 to 27. The Lions went on to win the Consolation trophy with the final score being 63 to 47.

Steve Sanchez led the scoring for this game contributing 21 points. Harvey Fierro provided 12 points.

Scoring ten points was Scott Denman while Brad Thompson scored eight points. Mike Morrow provided six points. Bret Thompson, Abel Lara, and Isaias Flores scored two points each.

Also playing for the Lions in the Crane Tournament were Sam Hightower, Roger Flores, and Mark Marshall.

"We played an outstanding game against Winters," Curry stated. "Overall we had a good tournament."

Senior, Steve Sanchez was chosen for the all-tournament team. According to Curry, Senior Fierro and Junior Lara also played well throughout the tournament.

"The team as a whole played a good tournament," added Curry.

Earlier in the week on December 3, the Lions overwhelmed the Reagan County Owls by a score of 55 to 41.

"We played good in spots, but sloppy in some spots," said Curry.

Fierro was high scorer with a total of 16 points. Sanchez followed, scoring 12 points.

Denman provided nine points and Morrow added seven points. Scoring four points were Bret and Brad Thompson. Hightower also scored two points.

The Lions were 50% accurate from the free throw line sinking seven of their 14 attempts.

The Lions will play Junction at 8:00 p.m. on Thursday night as their opening game in the Ozona Basketball Tournament at the Davidson Memorial Gymnasium.

The Ozona Varsity Lions captured the Consolation trophy in the Irion County Varsity Tournament on December 5, 6, and 7 and the JV Lions clawed the Reagan County JV Owls 65 to 38 on December 3.

The JV Lions opened the Irion County Tournament on Thursday afternoon against the Rankin Varsity Red Devils with the Red Devils winning 66 to 41.

"I think the boys were a little overwhelmed by playing a varsity team and therefore they didn't play a good first half," said Coach David Porter. "The boys warmed up by the second half and played better basketball."

The JV Lions won their second game of the tournament of Friday evening sneaking by Paint Rock's Varsity team with a score of 48 to 38.

"Our defense did a great job against Paint Rock, but our shooting was slightly cold," Porter said.

Ozona received the Consolation trophy after outscoring the Irion County JV Hornets by a score of 48 to 38.

The game was close during the first half of play. The Lions led at the close of the first quarter 7 to 6. The second quarter ended in a tie at 15 to 15.

The Lions lengthened their scoring during the third quarter and led 33 to 28 going into the fourth quarter. Ozona continued to score and played good defense and went on to bring home the Consolation trophy.

"The Irion County JV team was a tough team, but our boys showed a lot of poise," Porter stated. "I was very pleased with the outcome of the JV boys in a varsity tournament."

Jim Etheridge contributed 16 points and Danny Sanchez was next in scoring with eight points. Scoring six points each were Will Seahorn and Jeff Sanchez. Derold Vargas and Oscar Payne provided five points each. Bret Hood scored two points.

Also playing were Jaime Castellanos, Mark Sellers, and Dean Tambunga.

The Ozona JV Lions traveled to Big Lake on December 3 slaughtering the Reagan County JV Owls by a score of 65 to 38.

The JV Lions jumped ahead in the first quarter and led by a score of 14 to 3. The Lion defense held the Owls in the second quarter and ended the first half leading 34 to 14.

Ozona continued to score in the third quarter going into the fourth quarter leading 53 to 29. The Lions kept up well and went on to win the game.

The JV Lions were 58% accurate from the free throw line sinking seven of their 12 attempted free throws.

Etheridge led in scoring with 18 points. Payne contributed 12 points while Vargas and Seahorn provided eight points each.

Hood contributed seven points and Sanchez scored six points. Robbie Tambunga scored three points. Wolv Rutherford contributed two points and Mark Sellers scored one point.

The Ozona JV Lions will participate in a JV Tournament in Junction on December 14 and 15.

The JV Lady Lions opened the Irion County Varsity Tournament last weekend against Rankin's Varsity team on Thursday evening. Despite some good defensive moves, the Lady Lions were outplayed by Rankin Varsity and lost the game 45 to 30.

The Lady Lions faced the Paint Rock Varsity girls in their second game of the tournament with Paint Rock upsetting the JV Lady Lions 50 to 24.

"We did some things better, mainly on defense," Coach Debbie Porter said. "We looked good until half time of both games. I thought the girls played well considering that we were in a varsity tournament."

Reagan County slipped by the JV Lady Lions on December 3 in Big Lake by a score of 35 to 26.

The Lady Lions led at the end of the first quarter 10 to 6. Reagan County went ahead to end the first half of play leading 18 to 12. Ozona was unable to hold Reagan County in the third quarter and the Owls then led 27 to 17 and continued on to win the game.

Regina Cervantez contributed seven points while Cathy Moran scored six points. Scoring five points was Kris Corley. Vickie Flores, Lacy Miller, Judy Flores, and Stacy Winkley provided two points each.

The JV Lady Lions will play the Junction JV Tournament with their opening game starting at 5:30 p.m. against Menard.

# Results of Pecan Show

The annual Crockett County Pecan Show was held Tuesday. Judging took place at the Chamber of Commerce and pecans and first place food entries were displayed Tuesday afternoon at Ozona National Bank. The awards presentation was held at the bank at 5 p.m. and a drawing was held for first place food items. Baked items were sold to cover show expenses.

Jo Davidson with her Tejas entry won Grand Champion and was also champion in the shelling division. Bob Bailey's Burkett pecan was reserve champion and the champion in-shell entry. Tom Lane had the champion native pecan.

Entries and places were as follows:  
**Burkett:** Bob Bailey, first; Katherine Russell, second; June Henderson, third. Other entries were Jo Davidson, Herb Kunkel, and Mrs. George Bunger.

**Chactau:** Bud Cox, first; Jo Davidson, second.

**Desirable:** June Henderson, first  
**Kiowa:** Mike Vordick  
**Mahan:** Eugene Miller, first; Vickie Miller, second; Buster Deaton, third.

**Stuart:** Buster Deaton, first; Buster Deaton, second; Fred Freeman, third.

**Success:** Buster Deaton, first.

**Wichita:** Judy Reagor, first; Lou Deaton, second

**Variety Seedling:** June Henderson, first; Billy Carson, second; Tom Cameron, third.

**Halbert:** Tom Cameron, first.

**Kincaid:** June Henderson, first  
**No. 60:** Billy Carson, first

**San Saba:** Mrs. C. O. Spencer, first; Tom Stokes, second; Herb Kunkel, third.

**Schley:** Wanda Bunger, first; George Bunger, second

**Tejas:** Jo Davidson, first

**Western:** Judy Reagor, first; Herb Kunkel, second; Tom Stokes, third

**Other Shelling:** Mrs. George Bunger, first; Tom Stokes, second

**Native:** Tom Lane, first; R. A. Harrell, second; George Bunger, third

In the food division, junior pecan baked entries included:

**Cakes-Courtney Childress, first.**  
**Pies-Jennifer Jones, first. Candy Tom Martin, first. Cookies-Marandy Keith, first. Miscellaneous-Bonnie Martin, first.**

In the adult pecan baked entries the following were winners:

**Grand Champion-Janet Hill with her "Pumpkin Roll"**

Reserve Champion-June Cameron and her "Pecanpin Pie"

**Cakes-Janet Hill, first; Janet Hill, second; Kaleta Shepperson, third.**

**Pies-June Cameron, first; Lupe Sanchez, second; Evelyn Keith, third.**

**Candy-Kaleta Shepperson, first; Janet Hill, second.**

**Cookies-Janet Hill, first.**

**Miscellaneous-Janet Hill, first; Janet Hill, second; Nancy Hale, third Breads-Nancy Hale, first; Janet Hill, second.**

The following show officials did an excellent job in planning, organizing, and hosting the show: Beth Boyd-Overall chairman; Janet Hill-Food Chairman; and Buster Deaton, Processing. Individuals assisting with the processing included Billy Carson, Buster and Lou Deaton, Pleas and Sandra Chil-

dress, and Beth Boyd. Individuals assisting with food entries included Janet Hill, Beth Boyd, Marge St. Clair, and Patsy Hester. Pecan judges included Dr. Austin Stockton and Dr. Charles Allen of Fort Stockton. Food judges were Gail Rucker, LeAnn Prentice, and Pam Payton of Sonora.

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## FFA Show---

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lamb, Marty Moran with a choice and good lamb, and Wolv Rutherford with 3 choices and 1 good lamb.

Shane Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cooper won the Best Management and Record Keeping Trophy.

The FFA wishes to thank all the local businesses in our area who helped with donations and support of this program. Some of these are Ozona Wool and Mohair, Crockett Automotive, South Texas Lumber Company, Thornton's Supermarket, Crockett County National Bank, Ozona Butane Company Inc., Burl Myers, John Stokes, and Bill Mason, Westernman Drug, West Texas Utilities, Jeffrey Sutton, Fred Chandler, and Pon Seahorn, Circle Bar Truck Stop, Lilly Construction, Wool Growers Central Storage, Ozona National Bank, Gene and Betty Perry, Clayton's Village Drug, Sonora-Ozona Oil Company, and Bunker-Cameron Ranch, Bean Brothers.

## Sutton----

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The organization include defense of current percentage depletion allowances for royalty owners, now under attack by both the White House and the House Ways and Means Committee, decontrol of all natural gas, repeal of the restrictions imposed by the Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978, which replaces natural gas with coal in many industrial applications, and an effort to substitute capital gains treatment for percentage depletion, "if that effort fails."

"The capital gains substitution for percentage depletion would result in a 250 percent tax savings for most West Texans," Sutton said. He has also served for two years as a member of the NARO National Legislative Council, which meets annually in Washington, D.C., with key members of the House and Senate.

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**EXTENSION OFFICE NEWS**

By Rachel Hall



THE ANNUAL WINE AND CHEESE party to benefit the Cancer Society was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Mike Clayton Saturday evening. Mrs. Clayton's dress was designed and made by Donna Sanders of Happy Hands Yarn Cottage.

Last week, December 3-5, I had the opportunity to participate in a "Fit For Life Course" in Dallas. Only 25 of the 250 Extension Home Economists in Texas were selected to attend this training. The course included training by registered dietitians, fitness experts, and Texas A&M Nutrition and Health Specialists.

The "Fit For Life" concept is simple and means eating nutritious meals and snacks and engaging in moderate exercise. It's a research proven way to keep weight under control. Many people try to lose weight on crash diets without exercise which may work for a short while, but research shows that 95% of people losing weight this way gain it back in one year.

I plan to conduct the 12 week "Fit For Life" course in Ozona beginning in Mid-January. Participants of the course will be part of the 25 county pilot program and be contributing to an Extension Service research on nutrition and fitness. More details will be issued on a later date.

The district 4-H Food show was quite eventful with numerous placing entries. Congratulations are in order for all of the participants from Crockett County-Julie Carson, Carri Chandler, Mary Lou Hayes, Jennifer Jones, Stefny Sutton, Randi Thompson, Trebie West, and Whitney Vannoy! A special thank you for their assistance during the district food show goes to: Cathy Carson, Janie Chandler, Debbie Phillips, Carmen Sutton, Jan North, Jeanie Thompson, Sharman West, and Nancy Vannoy!

Recipes from local district participants were included in previous newspaper articles. A few of the district 4-H first place recipes from other counties are listed below.

**HONEY-WHEAT BREAD**  
Becky King-Upton County  
Breads & Cereals

- 1 1/2 cups water
- 1/2 cup honey
- 1 cup cream-style cottage cheese
- 1/4 cup butter or margarine
- 1 egg, beaten
- 2 pkgs. dry yeast
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 2 teaspoon salt
- 5 1/2 to 6 cups flour
- 1 cup wheat flour

Combine first 4 ingredients in a small saucepan; heat mixture until very warm (120° to 130°).

Combine egg, yeast, sugar, and salt in a large mixing bowl, mixing well. Add cottage cheese mixture, 3 cups flour, and whole wheat flour; beat at medium speed of an electric mixer 2 minutes. Gradually stir in enough remaining flour to make a soft dough. Turn dough out onto a well-floured surface, and knead about 5 minutes until smooth and elastic. Place in a well-greased bowl, turning to grease top. Cover and let rise in a warm place (85°) free from drafts, 1 hour.

Punch dough down; let rest 5 minutes. Divide dough in half; shape each half into 18 (2 inch) balls or loaf. Arrange rolls 3 inches apart on greased baking sheets; place loaf in a greased 9x5x3" loaf pan. Cover and let rise in a warm place free from drafts, 1 hour or until doubled in bulk. Bake at 350° for 20 minutes; bake loaf at 350° for 45 minutes or until loaf sounds hollow when tapped. Remove loaf from pan, and cool on wire rack. Yield: 3 dozen rolls or 2 loaves.

**SUNRISE CAKE-ROLL**

Nikki Ramsey  
Ector County-Nutritious Snack  
Senior Division

- 3/4 cup flour
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- 1 tsp. ground ginger
- 1/4 tsp. ground nutmeg
- 3 eggs
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup mashed cooked sweet potato
- 1 tsp. lemon juice
- 1/4 cup chopped pecans

**Filling:**

- 1-15 oz. carton part skim ricotta cheese (2 cups)
  - 1/4 cup powdered sugar
  - 1 tsp. vanilla
  - pecan halves
- Grease and lightly flour a 15x10x1 jelly roll pan; set aside. Stir together flour, baking powder, ginger, and nutmeg. In a smaller mixer bowl, beat eggs at high speed for about 5 minutes or until thick and lemon colored. Gradually add granulated sugar, beat till sugar dissolves. Stir in mashed sweet potatoes and lemon juice. Fold dry ingredients into sweet potato mixture. Spread evenly in pan. Sprinkle with finely chopped nuts. Bake in

350° oven for 12 to 15 minutes or until done. Immediately loosen edges of cake from pan and turn out onto a towel sprinkled lightly with 1 tablespoon of sifted powdered sugar. Starting with a narrow end of cake and nuts on outside of cake, roll warm cake and the towel together. Cool seam side down, on a wire rack.

**Filling:** Small bowl beat together ricotta cheese, powdered sugar, and vanilla till smooth. If mixture becomes too stiff, beat in 1 or 2 tablespoons additional skim milk. Set aside 1/3 of the filling. Roll up cake. Transfer to

servicing platter. Use a pastry bag, pipe the reserved filling atop cake to decorate. Garnish top of cake roll with nut halves. Place filled nuts alongside of cake roll. Pipe the remaining filling between additional pecan halves if desired. Serves 15.

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**Freshman team gets win**

By Amy Beth Scoggins

The Ozona Lion Freshman boys' team squeaked by the Big Lake Freshman Owls and the Ozona Freshman Lady Lions suffered a loss to Big Lake's Freshman girls on December 5 in Ozona.

The Ozona Freshman girls were unable to hold Reagan County and lost by a score of 53 to 23.

The girls were 32% accurate from the free throw line, making 11 of their 34 attempted free throws.

Maria Sanchez contributed eight points, while Dottie Gonzales and Adriane Wilson scored five points each. Shannon Curry provided three points and Chantele Pesson scored two points.

Bianca Cervantez and JoAnn Ho-

hertz also played in the game.

The freshman boys won a tough game against the Big Lake freshman boys 31 to 29. "The boys showed a lot of poise," Coach Gene Hood said. "They were very intent, hustled well, and were confident of a good ballgame."

Javier Martinez led in scoring with a total of 11 points. Landon Duncan provided six points while five points were scored by Robbie Tambunga. Wolv Rutherford contributed four points. Scoring two points each were Harvey Dominguez and Juan Mendez. Copie Davis also scored one point.

Also participating in the game were Oscar Galindo, Jose Gutierrez, Ed Calvert, and Luis Perez.

The freshman boys sank three of their six attempted free throws, making them 50% accurate from the free throw line.

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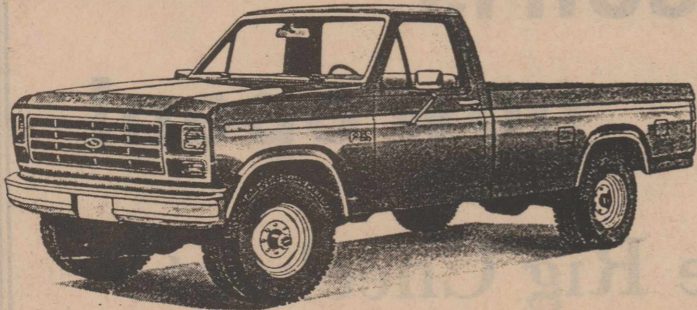
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### Crockett County Care Center News

By Ann McCartney  
Director of Activities & Social Care



Care Center residents

The Crockett County Care Center residents, Tomasa Ramos, left, and Hilda Dysart, right, were there to shopping center and two of the enjoy the beautiful weather.

### Weed and brush symposium scheduled in Ft. Stockton

Weeds and brush, both constant foes of ranchers, will be spotlighted Dec. 17 during the Trans-Pecos Weed and Brush Control Symposium in Fort Stockton.

The day-long symposium in the Large Community Building will run from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. according to Dr. Allan McGinty, range specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

McGinty, a key coordinator, said the symposium is designed to update producers on new herbicides and application techniques available for weed and brush control in Far West Texas.

Among topics for discussion will be integrated brush management systems (IBMS), a new concept for integrating weed and brush control systems with the total ranch management program.

Also to be presented will be new data obtained recently concerning perennial broomweed's economic impact on livestock production and present and future herbicides and management techniques for its control.

Other program topics will include control and management of sand

shinny, pricklypear, locoweed, creosotebush, tarbush, catclaw, acadia, whitehorn, and catclaw mimosa. Also covered will be information on what McGinty refers to as an "exciting new herbicide for mesquite control."

The symposium will conclude with a panel of representatives from four major chemical companies involved in the range herbicide market. During the discussion, company representatives will present information concerning their products and answer questions from the audience.

For more information about the program or registration costs, contact McGinty or Billy H. Reagor, Crockett County Extension Agent.

### Horse program sets meeting

By Tracy Harris

The Crockett County 4-H Horse program members will meet at 6:30 p.m. Friday, December 13 at the draw on First Street.

The group will go Christmas caroling followed by a Christmas party at the Kathryn Mayfield residence.

The first week of December is now behind us. We began the week by putting together our felt Christmas calendar we made two years ago. The calendar has twenty-five numbered triangles that form a Christmas tree. Each day a triangle is reversed, showing the decorated side and leaving the number of days left until Christmas. Alice Ross is our volunteer in charge of changing our numbers daily.

Our letters of invitations to our Christmas party on December 20 will be in the mail by the time this is read. Thanks goes to Dorothy Poll for assisting with this project and the felt calendar project.

Jo Davidson showed slides and a video of her recent trip to Tahiti this week. We all enjoy this type of program and do hope more and more of our readers will give us a program sharing their vacations, whether it be in Texas or somewhere far away.

Juana Hernandez, Tomasa Ramos, Moriana Perez, Pauline Clinton, and Hilda Dysart all came to our ceramic session on Wednesday. Doris Karr and Jeanne Wellman helped clean ceramic pieces this week.

Marilyn Chalmers, along with daughters, Crista and Martha, came on Wednesday and Marilyn played some beautiful piano pieces.

Our beauty shop was manned this week by Vivian Hughes, Clara Byrd, and JoAnn Williamson.

Five members of the Faith Lutheran Church brought our Bible study on Thursday afternoon. They gave us our first chance to sing Christmas carols.

Spanish Hour of Praise was brought by Maria Vitela, Paulita Leal, Norma Flores, Isabel Molina, Micaela Cantu, Evan David Fierro and Alicia Perez.

Friday afternoon Jo Davidson and yours truly took residents Pauline Clinton and Hilda Dysart in the van on a Christmas shopping trip. We are putting this van to use and we really appreciate all the times Jo volunteers to assist with our projects.

Jo Davidson, Elvira Caldwell, Doris Karr, and Evelyn Keith all worked at a booth selling some of our ceramic pieces on Saturday. Residents going in the van and assisting with the sale included Tomasa Ramos, Inez Biggs, and Hilda Dysart. We really appreciate all these helpers!

Tuesday and Friday bingo winners included Alice Ross, first place and winner of a gift certificate from Clayton Village Drug, Pauline Clinton, second place winner and also winner of the certificate from El Chato's for two dinners. Volunteers included Eledia Zapata, Sophia Tijerina, Dorothy Doll, Anna Bell Patrick, Gwen Nelson, Alice Ross and Minnie Karr.

A big WELCOME goes out to Mr.

and Mrs. Charlie Watson who have moved in just before Thanksgiving. Her name is Leo, they moved here from Iraan, and they are the parents of Bill Watson. WELCOME also goes out to Theo Burns, mother of Glen Burns, who moved in last Friday. She has lived in Eden, Brady and Rochelle before moving to Ozona.

Thanks this week goes to Donuts, Etc. for sending donuts, Byrl Allen and Cliff Williamson for sending shaving lotion, something we always need, and to Mrs. Tom Tutler for bringing us some magazines.

Ten members of Monica Delgado's catechism class brought our residents their Sunday afternoon church services. I hear they really had some good singing.

Don't forget to visit your friends and loved ones in our Care Center!

### Bridal shower honors Miss Dawn Burns

Miss Dawn Burns, bride-elect of Kade Kothman, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday, December 7, at the Emerald House. Hostesses were Mrs. Billy Tom Turland, Mrs. Bobby Knox, Mrs. Joey Pierce, Mrs. Duane Childress, Mrs. Bob Bissett, Mrs. Steve Wilkins, and Mrs. Jamie Knox.

Out of town guests included Mrs. Karlos Bill Kothman, Mrs. Lula Rankin, Mrs. Delores Fralich, all of Mason; Miss Pam Sanker of Midland, Judy McDonald of Sonora, Mrs. Dell Beveridge of San Antonio, Kay Bissett and Frances Sutton from Rock-springs, Rhoda Sue Bell and Mrs. Gib Bell of Dryden, Mrs. Shad Bryson of Brady and Mrs. Vincent Reno of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bohannon returned home Dec. 3, from a tour of the Bahamas. They joined the tour group Nov. 29, in Dallas, where they flew to Miami and embarked for the islands on the S.S. Dolphins, a cruise ship. Ports visited were Nassau, Dolphin Cove and Rose Island.

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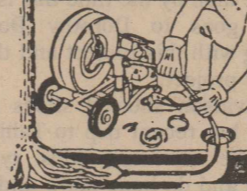
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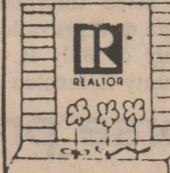
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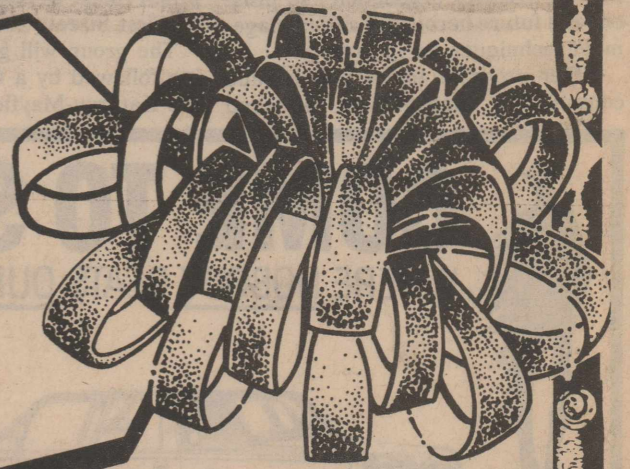
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