



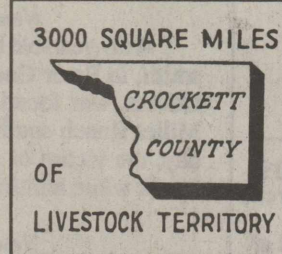
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Fire marshals destroy old explosives

Ozona geared up for blast

By Susan Sheppard

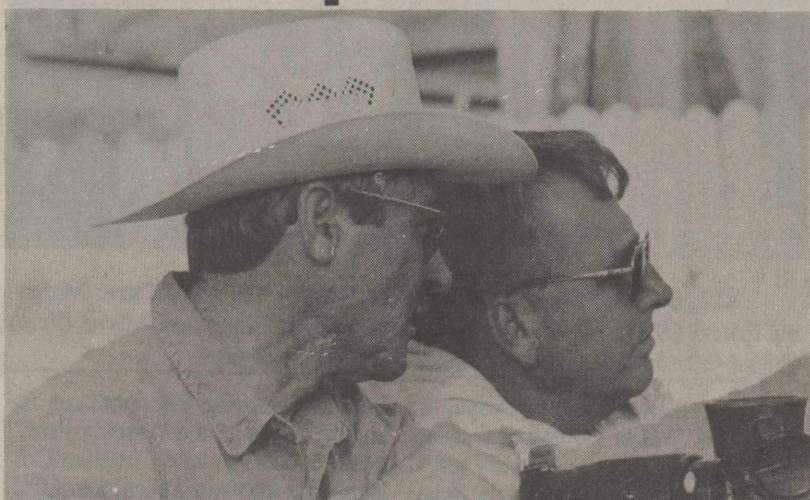
Crockett County Sheriff's Department responded to a call last Friday morning from Alice Lopez concerning dynamite stored in a structure on property used by her business. San Angelo Fire Marshal Ken Land was immediately called in to supervise the removal of the explosives. Upon investigation by Land and Crockett County Fire Marshal Steve Kenley, it was determined that there were 25 to 30 sticks of dynamite in an old walk-in freezer located in the 800 block of 12th Street. The lot is owned by Mrs. Maudie Couch.

The dynamite was in a very unstable, dangerous condition. Dynamite is essentially a cylinder filled with compressed sawdust with nitro-glycerine in the center. When stored properly, it must be rotated a quarter turn at least every three months. If this is not done, gravity will cause the nitro to seep through the casing. This viscous fluid will eventually dry out and crystals will form. If these crystals are touched or bent, enough heat will be produced to cause an explosion. In this case, the nitro had seeped through the box the dynamite was being stored in, onto the shelf it was on, and down the wall with excessive crystallization. The dynamite was too unstable to be physically removed from the building. Mr. Land determined that soaking the structure with diesel and burning it would be the best alternative disposal.

Land and Kenley proceeded to remove several sacks of nitro carbo nitrate (a blasting agent) and some primer cord and fuse from the building.

Intermediate school principal Manley Holmes was informed of the situation across the draw from the school. Mr. Holmes decided that 4:00 p.m. after school was out would be the best time to proceed with the actual burning of the building.

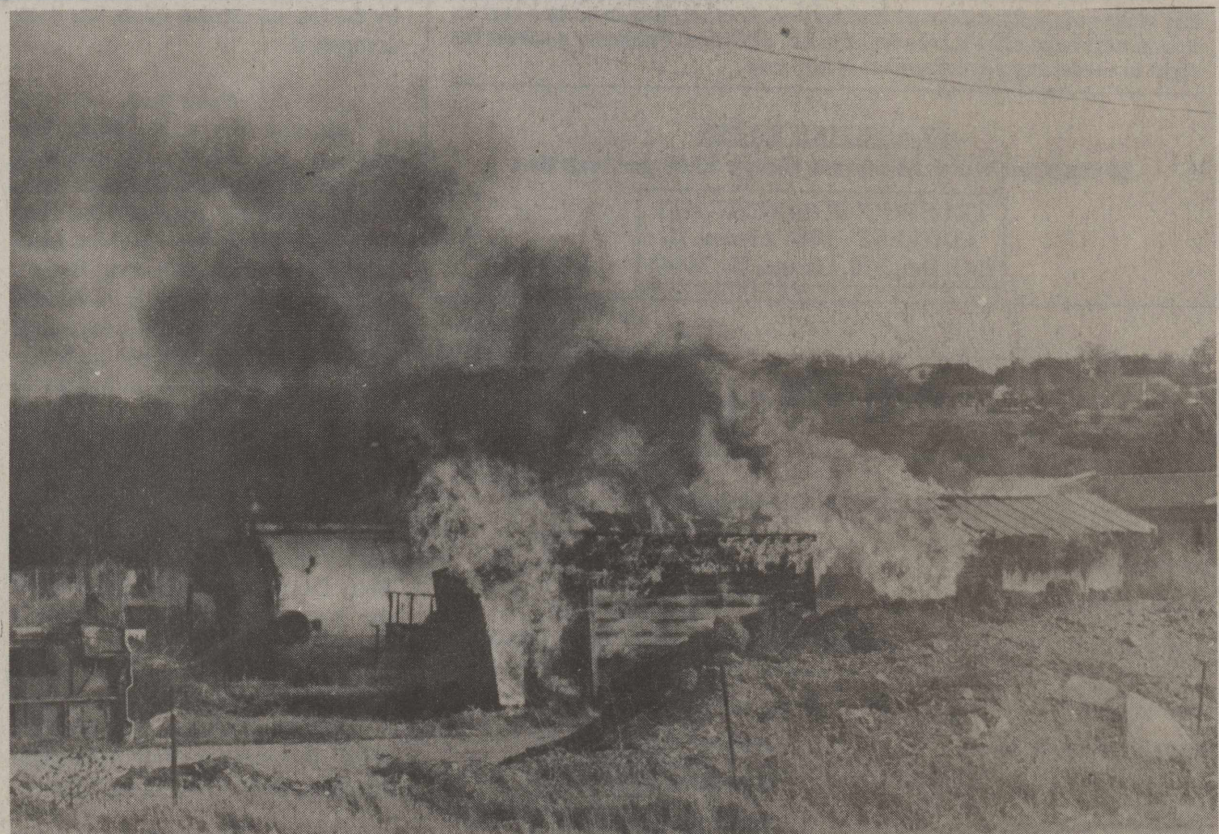
Land, Kenley, sheriff's deputies, DPS officers and fire department personnel began other precautionary measures trying to anticipate worse case scenarios. Metal debris in the immediate area was removed. A dirt dike was built around the structure upon the suggestion of new DPS officer Keith Olive. Every caution was taken to prevent injury or property loss in the



San Angelo Fire Marshal Ken Land and Crockett County Fire Marshal Steve Kenley observe the burning storehouse as old explosives are destroyed in the 800 block of 12th Street in Ozona Friday. Stockman photo

area. Mr. Holmes personally made sure the school building was completely vacated. The homes and businesses in the surrounding area the size of a city block were evacuated. West Texas Utilities turned off the electricity. All streets were blocked and fire department, DPS and sheriff's department personnel were present in strategic positions throughout the area. The fire

department wet the grass surrounding the structure to ward off grass fires. When personnel had given the all clear sign, Mr. Land soaked the building with 15 gallons of diesel and set off the blaze shortly after 4 p.m. After the building had burned for 30 minutes Mr. Land determined that the explosives had been safely destroyed.



Alice Lopez reported approximately 30 sticks of unstable dynamite belonging to and used by her construction business in Ozona. The explosives were destroyed by fire Friday afternoon supervised by fire marshals Ken Land and Steve Kenley. Stockman photo

DeerFest promises to be better than ever

The 1992 DeerFest promises to be bigger and better than ever according to Crockett County DeerFest Association president Tom Anderson. There will be 70 rifles and shotguns given away at the Dec. 4 event at Ozona's civic center.

Admission to the DeerFest is by \$5.00 donation. A meal will be served. The menu includes deer, elk, dove, alligator, feral hog, brisket for those who don't like game meats, river potatoes, beans, onions, peppers, bread, tea, Classic Coca-Cola and 7-Up. Preparations are being made to feed 1,000, Anderson said.

Admission tickets will be available at the door or they may be purchased at Ozona National Bank,

FESCO, Ozona Chamber of Commerce, Ozona Wool and Mohair, Crockett Automotive and J.W. Motor Parts.

One of the many prizes to be given away is a pheasant hunt for two at Santa Anna. Each hunter will be allowed four pheasants, Anderson said.

The DeerFest begins at 6:30 p.m. Dec. 4 at the civic center.



Pepe's giving Thanksgiving dinners to needy

Do you know someone who will go hungry on Thanksgiving Day because they are down and out or elderly and alone?

Lisa and Alfredo Tobar, owners of Pepe's Restaurant, would like to give back to the community that has supported their business so generously. They will prepare take-out or dine-in Thanksgiving dinners for anyone who is genuinely needy for free or what they can afford to pay.

Museum open Saturdays

Crockett County Museum will now be open on Saturdays, Mrs. Geniece Childress said Tuesday. Women's Forum members have volunteered to open the museum during that time. Hours will be from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

The museum is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.



Approximately 30 sticks of old dynamite stored in a walk-in cooler were very unstable and in a dangerous condition. Stockman photo

Four Ozona Lions chosen for all-district team

Ozona High School had four players named to the 1992 football all-district first team, four to the second team and six honorable mentions, Coach Don Payne announced Monday.

Making the first team offense were sophomore Chris Sanchez, a receiver, and senior Mike Kenison, lineman. Kenison was also awarded honorable

mention as a linebacker. He has been selected for all-district honors for three years. He was first team offensive lineman as a sophomore and second team defensive linebacker last year.

Another sophomore, Julio Martinez, was selected as first team defensive lineman. Junior Justin Castro received first team honors as a defensive back. Castro was also chosen all-

district second team quarterback.

Senior Joe Mendoza was honored as second team offensive lineman. He was also given honorable mention as linebacker.

Chosen all-district second team defensive players for Ozona were sophomore Eddie DeLuna, lineman, and junior Robert Bryson, back.

Honorable mention designation

went to Jason Yeager, senior fullback, Alex Borrego, senior receiver, Owen Powell, senior tight end, and Travis Davidson, sophomore defensive end. Yeager was named to the 1991 all-district second team as a defensive lineman.

The Lions finished their season Nov. 14 in Odessa when they met Van Horn in bi-district competition.

Sutton represents mohair council in Hong Kong

Jeffrey Sutton, vice-president of the Mohair Council of America in San Angelo, met with Glen Fisher, Brian May and Cristi Ingrassia of the New York office at the Interstoll Asia Nov. 2, in Hong Kong. The Interstoll Asia is an international fabric show in which the Mohair Council of America took part.

Sutton, Fisher and May also went to Shanghai, Beijing, and Tienjin, China, to meet with other mohair agents.

The mills in China are now involved in producing knitting yarn, weaving blankets and men's suit material, Sutton said. They are also in the early stages of producing hand knotted rugs from 100% mohair. To make a 9'x12' rug will consume one sack of greasy adult mohair. These rugs should be in production commercially by next year.

The market in China is in the early stages because of the large mar-

ket potential, cheap labor, and the tremendous improvement in the Chinese economy. The Mohair Council plans to do promotion in China starting early next year when they will conduct meetings with technical assistance in addition to mass media advertising with mohair and the mohair market.

From China they went to Taipei, Taiwan, where they met with agents who purchased the bulk (80%) of the world's adult mohair clip this year. Their interest was in joint venture mills in China. At this time most of the yarn will be consumed in China, barter traded with Russia, traded to India, with the bulk finding its way back into the United States.

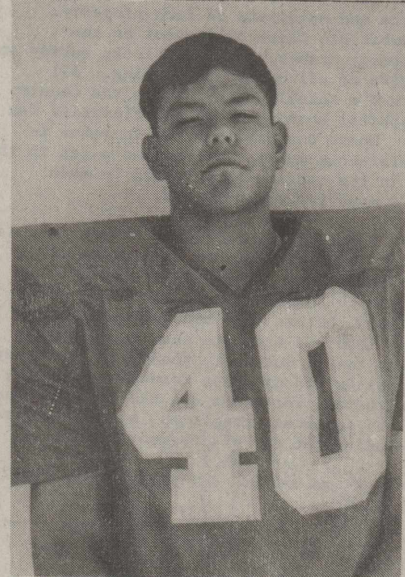
"Unlike Europe, China has currency, and the people are very willing to work at a low salary," Sutton said. This seems to be a very good market with a potentially high consumption rate."



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Chris Sanchez



Julio Martinez



Mike Kenison

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COUNTY OF CROCKETT
112TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, CROCKETT COUNTY COURTHOUSE, OZONA, TEXAS.

CAUSE NO. 5065
COUNTY OF CROCKETT ET AL
V.
LAWRENCE E. N R JOYCE

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: .031250 OR in 40.00 acres out of Abstract 563, Section 70, Block 1, H M Half Est Lease #13030, Crockett County, Texas being that property more particularly described in assessed on the tax rolls of this jurisdiction; and .031250 RI & .145264 OR in 40.00 acres out of Abstract 563, Section 70, Block 1 of the 16GN Survey, H M Half Est Lease #13030, Crockett County, Texas being that property more particularly described in assessed on the tax rolls of this jurisdiction.

DEFENDANT CITED BY PUBLICATION: Lawrence E. N R Joyce
DEFENDANTS PERSONALLY SERVED: None
BASE TAX AMOUNTS, exclusive of penalties and interest and costs:
COUNTY OF CROCKETT ET AL, Plaintiff: \$719.90
YEARS DUE: 1982 thru 1986, 1988 thru 1991

CAUSE NO. 5170
COUNTY OF CROCKETT ET AL
V.
FRANK MORAN ET AL

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: Lot 16, Block B, Conklin Addition, Crockett County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 249, Page 51 of the Deed Records, Crockett County, Texas.

DEFENDANTS CITED BY PUBLICATION: Marjie Moran
DEFENDANTS PERSONALLY SERVED: Frank Moran
BASE TAX AMOUNTS, exclusive of penalties and interest and costs:
COUNTY OF CROCKETT ET AL, Plaintiff: \$920.15
YEARS DUE: 1970, 1971, 1978 thru 1989

CAUSE NO. 5243
COUNTY OF CROCKETT ET AL
V.
BERNADINA GONZALES ET AL

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: Lot 74, Block 12 of the Town of Lima, a suburb to the Town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 211, Page 355 of the Deed Records, Crockett County, Texas; Lot 76, Block 12 of the Town of Lima, a suburb to the Town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 211, Page 355 of the Deed Records, Crockett County, Texas; Lot 175, Block 12 of the Town of Lima, a suburb to the Town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 100, Page 142 of the Deed Records, Crockett County, Texas; and All that certain lot, tracts, or parcels of land situated in the Town of Lima, the Mexican suburb to the Town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas and being all of Lot 177 in Block 12 in said Town of Lima being that property more particularly described in Vol. 218, Page 326 of the Deed Records, Crockett County, Texas.

DEFENDANT CITED BY PUBLICATION: Bernadina Gonzales AKA Narda Gonzales Ramirez and Rosa H. Gonzales
DEFENDANTS PERSONALLY SERVED: Arturo H. Gonzales
BASE TAX AMOUNTS, exclusive of penalties and interest and costs:
COUNTY OF CROCKETT ET AL, Plaintiff: \$1,526.18
YEARS DUE: 1984 thru 1989, 1991

CAUSE NO. 5244
COUNTY OF CROCKETT ET AL
V.
W. P. HOLT ESTATE ET AL

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: Lot 6, Block 6, Couch Subdivision of the Town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 214, Page 345 of the Deed Records, Crockett County, Texas.

DEFENDANTS CITED BY PUBLICATION: The unknown heirs of the Estate of W. P. Holt
DEFENDANTS PERSONALLY SERVED: Mrs. W. P. Holt AKA Dorothy Faye Holt
BASE TAX AMOUNTS, exclusive of penalties and interest and costs:
COUNTY OF CROCKETT ET AL, Plaintiff: \$206.92
YEARS DUE: 1987, 1990, 1991

This is a combined Citation by Publication only for the delinquent tax suits listed above, there being no consolidation of these suits, and each and every suit remains separate and is to be treated as such for all purposes.

The County of Crockett, et al, Plaintiff, collects taxes for Crockett County, Crockett County Consolidated Common School District and County Education District No. 18, and the above amounts reflect all base tax amounts, exclusive of penalties and interest due those taxing units for which it collects taxes. There are no impleaded defendant taxing units in the above referenced causes.

Listed in the caption above are separate suits, now pending, in which Petitions have been filed to collect delinquent property taxes and to foreclose applicable liens. The listing for each suit sets out: (1) the suit number; (2) the Plaintiff Tax Unit; (3) the Defendants cited by publication

THE NEWSREEL

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

NEWS REEL
NOV. 21, 1963

News Reel

The Ozona Lions closed their 1963 football season on a cheerful date last Friday night when they capitalized on two Sanderson miscues to break open a tight ball game to down the Eagles 30 to 14.

News Reel

A 56-year-old hunter from Goldsmith, in Ector County northwest of Odessa, was found dead on the Rob Miller Ranch south of Ozona Saturday, the victim of an apparent heart attack while hunting.

News Reel

An attractive planting of senisa shrubs along the north side of the block long Owens building, occupied by Sam's Barber Shop and Ranch Feed & Supply Co., on Highway 290 through downtown Ozona, sponsored by the Ozona Garden Club, has been completed.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ed Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Dozier and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harrell were among the Ozonans in the stands at Austin last Saturday for the TCU-Texas University game in Memorial Stadium.

News Reel

Mrs. Patsy King announced this week her purchase of Betty's Beauty Bar in the Hotel Ozona from Mrs. Betty Dorby. Mrs. King has worked the past two years with Margie's Beauty Shop in the Village.

News Reel

Mrs. Rob Miller is in Merced, Calif., this week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Wiet, Jr., and family.

News Reel

Mrs. G. L. Worthington, former



ALL DRESSED UP FOR THIS FAMILY PORTRAIT are: Margaret Friend (Alford), Harry J. Friend, Bill (Spot) Friend and Allyne (Pete) Friend (McMullan). Photo courtesy of Billie Rose Bailey

teacher in Ozona schools and a daughter of Mrs. Walter Dunlap of Ozona, has been listed in the recently published Who's Who of American Women for 1964-65.

NEWS REEL
NOV. 22, 1934

News Reel

Miss Blanche Robison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Robison of

Ozona, is among the nominees for beauty queen of the "Prickly Pear," year book of Abilene Christian College. Miss Robison is a senior in ACC.

News Reel

Jimmie Blacklock, for a number of years connected with the St. Angelus Hotel in San Angelo, took over management of the Hotel Ozona yesterday, succeeding Peck Miller.

News Reel

Mitz Bishop, 43, rancher, well known to many Ozonans, fell dead from his horse while on a deer hunt on the Sid Millsbaugh ranch near Kent Sunday.

News Reel

Barbara White, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evert White, suffered a broken arm Monday when she fell from one of the swings on the school grounds.

News Reel

Mrs. Bodie Owens entertained at her Barnhart home with a birthday party Monday afternoon honoring her daughter, June.

News Reel

Boyd Clayton is having some remodeling work done on the house at the Clayton ranch east of town before moving into it. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton have rooms at the W. E. Friend, Jr., home while the work is under way.

Morris service in El Reno, Oklahoma

Friends of Max Morris will regret to learn of his death Monday, Nov. 23, in El Reno, OK. No details were available at presstime.

Community Calendar

- November 28
Levis and Lace Thanksgiving Feast and Dance, Civic Center
- December 3-5
Cubs Basketball Tournament
- December 4
DeerFest 6:30 p.m., Civic Center
- December 5
Christmas Lighting on the Square 6:30 to 8 p.m.
- December 6
Tex-Mex Barrel Racing, 1:30 p.m.
- Fairgrounds Arena
- December 10-12
Ozona Lions Basketball Tournament
- December 13
Tex-Mex Barrel Racing, 1:30 p.m.
- Fairgrounds Arena

Lions Club resumes regular schedule Dec. 3

Ozona Lions Club will meet at noon Dec. 3 at the Hitchin' Post. There will be no meeting this week due to the Thanksgiving holidays.

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Snips, Quips, and Lifts

by Lottie Lee Baker

Look on the world as a huge fruit cake. It wouldn't be complete without a few nuts in it.

touch with another world, it is no longer in touch with this world.

Many people have ulcers these days - caused by mountain climbing over molehills.

Heaven on earth would be something like this: 1977 wages, 1932 prices, 1928 dividends and 1910 taxes.

It doesn't make sense to worry about the future. Why open an umbrella before it starts to rain?

Our trouble today is that we have our heads filled with knowledge, but our hearts are empty.

To worry about what we can't help is useless, to worry about what we can help is stupid.

The fellow that does things that count doesn't usually stop to count them.

A yawn may not be polite but it lets everybody know how you feel.

Fishing is a laboring way to taking it easy.

In youth we run into difficulties, in old age difficulties run into us.

A lot of trouble arises from workers who don't think, and from thinkers who don't work.

Being young comes only once in life. The trick is to make it last as long as you can.

A man is seldom as smart as his mother thinks, or as dumb as his mother-in-law says he is.

Happiness is not something you have in your hands; it's something you carry in your heart.

The milk of human kindness never curdles.

When the church ceases to be in

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
Kind actions begin with kind thoughts.

Sunflower Singers entertain care center residents

Ozona Woman's Forum met Nov. 17 at Crockett County Care Center. The Forum Sunflower Singers, Willa Perry, Judy Reager, Glenda Henderson, Maridel Dudley, Katharine Russell, Barbara Malone, Lu Ingram, Mary Daniels and Barbara Wallace, entertained care center residents and club members with a number of delightful tunes. Benny Gail Hunnicutt read a poem by Lolla Geil titled "The

Smallest Blessings". Forum members then moved to the home of Glenda Henderson where they were served refreshments from a lovely fall decorated table.

Following refreshments a regular business meeting was conducted by Katharine Russell, president.

Glenda Henderson and Mary Angles Ward were hostesses for the meeting. There were 27 present.

Musical evening enjoyed by AARP members

The Ozona chapter of AARP met at Granny Miller Hall Nov. 16 for a Mexican dinner.

The Sunflower Singers entertained with vocal medleys and the choir from Our Lady of Perpetual Help also presented a musical program.

Following dinner and the two musical programs, a short business meeting was held. Officers and directors for 1993 were elected. They are: Len Hillman, president; Troy Williams, vice-president; Audrey Glynn, secretary; Mozelle Houston, treasurer. Directors are: Virginia Bishop, R. L. Brown, Janet Hill, Rudy Huereca and Dick Kirby.

A 55 Alive Mature Driving refresher course for drivers over 50 years old is planned for January.

No AARP meeting will be held in December. The next scheduled meeting is January 18.

Country Club Bridge News

Betty Perry was hostess for Country Club Bridge on Thursday, Nov. 19. High score was captured by Ruth White with Louise Bunger scoring second high. Bingo went to Jean North and consolation to Jane Black.

Others attending were: Emma Adams, Eileen Childress, Dorothy Friend, Dorothy Montgomery, Betty Perry, Celia West, Jonesy Williams, Liz Williams, Winnie Williams, Shirley Kirby, Dorothy Millsbaugh and Luetta Kost.

It's a boy!

Michael and Delma Childress are the proud parents of Michael Anthony born on Nov. 16 at 5:09 p.m. at the Angelo Community Hospital. He weighed six pounds and eight ounces.

Grandparents are Ray and Lydia Fierro and Howard and Ninfa Childress of Coleman. The great-grandmothers are Frances Mendoza and Anita Fierro of Ozona. The great-grandfather is Mike Childress of Coleman.



RYAN PEARL, LAURA PIERCE AND CLAY HALE model fall finery from Small Fashions during the annual Crockett County Hospital and Care Center Auxiliary style show held Nov. 21 at Circle Bar Restaurant.

Pandale Study Club has annual holiday observance

Members of the Pandale Study Club, their families, friends and neighbors, met at the Pandale Community Center Thursday, Nov. 12, for the annual Study Club Thanksgiving dinner and program.

Guests from Oklahoma, Rosanky, Midland, San Angelo, Del Rio, Ozona, Pumpville and Pandale enjoyed the sumptuous feast of traditional Thanksgiving fare prepared by the club members. Fall flowers and foliage and wedding ring quilt cloths on the tables added to the look of Thanksgiving.

As in years past, Carl Rolfs, minister of First United Methodist Church in San Angelo, and honorary citizen of Pandale, was the gladly welcomed speaker for the afternoon. Carl led the singing of Happy Birthday to Pandale Study Club member Opal Everett who celebrated her 80th birthday on Nov. 13. Katherine Russell of Ozona played the piano for the group singing of hymns, also led by Carl.

Reading from Psalm 95, he stressed the importance of our "living

thanks" as well as "giving thanks" in our daily lives. With warmth, humor and helpful insight, he emphasized the need to guard against "self-centeredness which destroys our perspective," and keep Jesus as the center of our lives.

In advising his listeners to "live life expectantly," Carl pointed out that "life is a blend of looking back, looking around and looking forward".

Present for dinner and the program were 42 adults and four children. Sue Arledge, Reporter

Band boosters to meet Dec. 2

The Ozona Band Boosters will hold their next meeting on Wednesday, December 2, at 5:30 p.m. in the band hall. Items on the agenda include the election of a president elect, spring band trip and future fund-raising activities. This is a very important meeting and all parents and boosters of the band are urged to attend.

Phil Ingham has been a patient in Angelo Community Hospital for a month and expects to remain there some time longer. She has twice undergone knee surgery and should be moved to the rehabilitation wing this week. Many friends who did not realize she was in the hospital will want to write her. The address is Angelo Community Hospital, 3501 Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, TX 76904.

Among those here to attend the wedding of Connie and Raul Arre-

dondo were Mickey Arredondo, Rosalba and Mario Avila and Robert of Reston, VA, Mario and Natalie Arredondo of Fort Walton Beach, FL. Mario and Natalie were to leave Ozona for Okinawa where he is stationed with the U. S. Air Force.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Ben Williams will be her sons and their families, Stanley and Judy Williams, Claire and Ben of Lancaster, PA, and Jim and Kathlyn Williams, Karlyn and Neil of Lancaster, TX.

The ferocious dog putting turkeys to flight in a Stockman photo Nov. 18 was Ditto, a white cockapoo that belongs to Ashley and Adrienne DeHoyos. Ditto didn't know what to make of the big birds said Mrs. DeHoyos.

Belated greetings for a happy birthday go to Esmeralda Borrego and Randal Borrego. Esmeralda's birthday was Nov. 22 and Randal's was Nov. 24.

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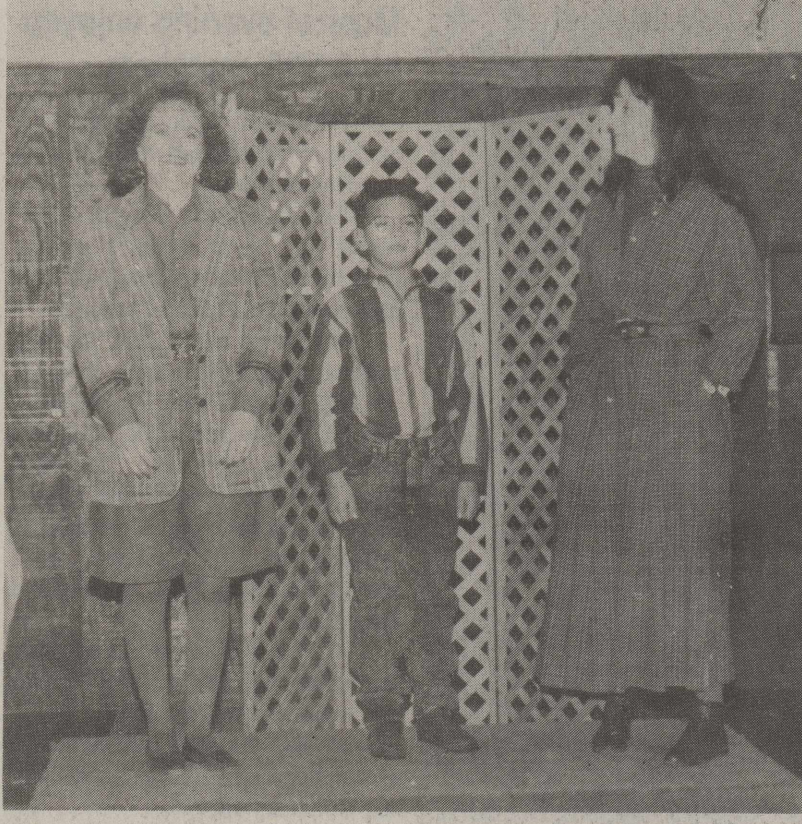
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DENNISE PITTILLO and little friends model western wear from Dazzling Designs, a company formed by Dennise and Bobbie Hasty. Dennise became a professional clothing designer last December.



TRACEY PREDDY, JOSH TAMBUNGA AND MARY ANN DEATON were casual but smart in their fall clothing from The Teacher Store and Small Fashions. This year's style show honored Crockett County teachers.



BLACK AND GOLD EVENING WEAR from Niteline modeled by Cathy Carson added dramatic dazzle to the style show's finale. The annual event is the major fundraiser for the hospital and care center auxiliary.

Annual hospital and care center auxiliary benefit fashion show held

Ivy League to southwestern styles delighted guests at the annual hospital and care center auxiliary benefit held Saturday at the Circle Bar Restaurant. Models moved among the diners' tables to be seen and admired in the latest fashions for fall and the holiday season.

Dennise Pittillo, granddaughter of Mrs. Ele Hagelstein, and Bobbie Hasty were here with a collection from their Dazzling Designs which exhibited at the Dallas market this fall.

Dennise, whose parents are Eldora and Chris Hagelstein, modeled in her first style show in Ozona before she could walk and wore the first

garment she made to kindergarten. She became a professional designer with a line of western wear last December and encouraged her friend Bobbie to start a children's line of western wear. The two are now designing, manufacturing and marketing on a wholesale and retail level.

Other fashion lines in the show included: Cambridge, A. Campbell, Gotcha Covered, J. G. Hook, Lee, Ivy, Maggy London, Canvas Backs, Izod, Evan Piconé, Kasper, Ballinger Gold, Peter Popovitch, Ronnie Heller, Platinum, Jones New York Sport, Hariston-Roberson, Schwab, Uh-Oh, Le Top, Buster Brown, Carriage

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The show ended with an extravaganza of evening wear perfect for the holidays and beyond.

This year the auxiliary honored teachers of Crockett County, and the first models to appear were teachers and their students.

Modeling for The Teacher Store were: Tina Bean, Tammy Bunger, Cathy Carson, Camille Cauthorn, Beth Childress, Julie Childress, Arlene Clayton, Dennette Coates, Shelley Conner, Marilyn Cox, Molly Criner, Mary Ann Deaton, Jennifer Davidson, Katherine Durham, Jennifer Evans, Terri Faight, Caroline Garlitz, April Graham, Elizabeth Gries, Katrece Hale, Jeannine Henderson, Lisa Her-ring, Honey Hicks, Karen Huffman, Benny Gail Hunnicutt, Tammy Jones,

Amy Love, Dorothy Montgomery, Amy Newton, Jennifer Payne, Dennise Pittillo, Tracey Preddy, Shana Smith, Ronda Stuart, Shelby Stuart, Janelle Sparks, Vicki Stokes, Stefny Sutton, Clay Swenke and Belinda Wilkins.

Designs from Small Fashions were modeled by: Alexandra Bean, Kimberly Bean, Kristen Bunger, Jessica Bragg, Amanda Carson, Kelsy Childress, Robin Conner, Kelli Criner, Sara Criner, Julie Fryar, Lanell Garcia, Leon Garcia, Aaryn Gries, Jena Henderson, Julie Henderson, Jessica Herring, Clayton Hicks, Haley Holden, Hillery Huffman, Stelle Ingham, Sara Mayfield, Taylor Newton, Katie Parker, Kelly Payne, Aaron Pearl, Ryan Pearl, Laura Pierce, Marie Pierce, Park Preddy, Christy Pridemore, Codi Richardson, Kimberly Rose, Skylar Rose, Becca Shaw, Regan Shaw, Justin Smith, Madiline Smith, Summer Stuart, Josh Tambunga, Paige Tambunga, Lauren Wilkins, Colin Williams, Taylor Williams, Tyler Williams and Farron Wilson.

Door prizes were provided by: South Texas Lumber Company, Happy Hollow, Ozona Floral, Small Fashions, The Auxiliary, Brown Furniture,

Ozona National Bank, Crockett County National Bank, The Teacher Store, Petals and Pearls, and Avon representative Barbara Meador.

Crockett County Public Library

By Louise Ledoux News

Crockett County Public Library will be closed Thursday and Friday, Nov. 26-27, for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Come by and feast your eyes on the latest fiction and non-fiction best sellers for the season.

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- "Never Kiss An Alligator!" by Bare
- "Nature Explorer" by Evans
- "Fishing For Angels" by Evans
- "The Headless Horseman Rides Again" by Prelutsky
- "Building An Igloo" by Steltzer
- "Amigo Means Friend" by Everett
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- "Mr. Sugar Came To Town" by

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"Pig Pig Goes To Camp" by McPhail

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"Bird's Nests" by Curran
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"Aa-chool!" by Orr
"Counting Sheep" by McGee
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Ye also, as lively stones, are built up a spiritual house, an holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices, acceptable to God by Jesus Christ.

Pray without ceasing.
Psa. 141:2, Ex. 30:1, 6-8, Heb. 7:25, Re. 8:4, 1 Pe. 2:5, 1 Thes. 5:17.

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Board hires new director of nurses

Directors voted to hire Sheila Griffith as director of nurses for Crockett County Care Center after meeting in executive session Nov. 19. Mrs. Griffith has served as interim director since Oct. 19.

In preparation for the mandatory Medicare cost report, the board voted to hire Parish, Moody and Fikes to

prepare the report at a cost of \$4,000. The report, which is required 90 days after the close of the fiscal year, had been budgeted at \$25,000.

Bids for a nurse call and phone system were opened, but no action taken. Three companies, Executone of Midland, TPS of Midland and KG Corporation of San Angelo all sent

bids. During the care center portion of the meeting, a renovation committee update was given. A hospital bed, bedside table, dresser and visitor chair have been ordered for the first model room. Three overbed tables have also been ordered. Two new wheelchairs have arrived. Cost of these was \$149.00 each.

Future workers need skills training

AUSTIN - "For decades, the myth of Texas - cultivated by epic movies like *Giant* and the television series *Dallas* - was synonymous with gushing oil wells, huge cattle ranches and big spenders. Our future, however, rests with a much more valuable resource - unlimited human potential," State Comptroller John Sharp says.

The future of the Texas labor force is explored in the latest issue of *Fiscal Notes*, a monthly publication of the Comptroller's Research Division. *Fiscal Notes* again explores the issue that are evolving from *Forces of Change*, a year-long study by Comptroller researchers of all aspects of the Texas economy to the year 2025.

"Rapid change in the economy and the nature of the workplace means workers will have to learn new skills and keep up with new technologies. The question is whether we are willing to do those things competitively," Sharp said.

"Will we choose to educate and train a large Texas workforce for good-wage, high-skill jobs? If not, we risk sinking to the level of a second-class society, and the boom years of the 1960s and 1970s will be only a far too distant memory.

"For the 1990s and beyond, a student who aims for high school graduation and postsecondary training will find lots of opportunity for jobs like registered nurse or secondary school teacher. Among the occupations with the fastest rate of growth by 2000 will be health services," Sharp said.

But if that student drops out of school, he or she may end up in other areas high in demand but low in pay - fast growing but low-skilled jobs as janitors and maids, general office clerks, truck drivers and child care workers, the article concludes.

"No longer can a worker depend on sheer physical strength or the benefits of mass production to provide the economic security the worker seeks," Sharp said.

"The successful workers of the future must be able to master a variety of intellectual exercises stressing higher-order thinking skills, mathematical computations, the ability to communicate clearly and to adapt to new technologies.

"Despite Texas education reforms, many of today's students leave high school ill-prepared for the workplace. Colleges don't always provide the flexibility and affordability that adults returning to school need. It has fallen to many employers to prepare their workers for the future," Sharp said. "Nationally, corporations, government, unions and workers spend \$1 billion each year on remedial education for workers.

"By 2000, an estimated two million Texans will be working in professional and technical occupations," Sharp said. "However, the next fastest growing segment will be traditionally low-paying services. With the prospect of an economy increasingly dependent on low-skilled, low-pay jobs, more attention is being paid to making investments in the work force, both at public and private levels."

The *Fiscal Notes* report concludes that the 10 Texas occupations with the largest potential for growth will add 366,600 new jobs by 2000, though many will not be high wage employment. Among service occupa-

tions, janitors, cleaners and maids will top the list; among professionals, registered nurses will add the most jobs.

The 10 top growth occupations and their projected job growth are:

- Janitors, cleaners and maids, 45,650
- Secretaries, 44,250 jobs
- General office clerks, 38,750

- Registered nurses, 38,250 jobs
- Retail salespersons, 38,100 jobs
- General managers and top executives, 34,850 jobs
- Truck drivers, 34,250 jobs
- Child care workers, 33,900 jobs
- Teachers-secondary school, 29,350 jobs
- Waiters and waitresses, 29,350 jobs.

GTE to award math and science teachers

Secondary school math and science teachers in Texas are eligible for a \$12,000 grant from the GTE Foundation — \$7,000 for a school enrichment project and \$2,500 each to pursue personal development.

The program, called GIFT (Growth Initiatives for Teachers), makes grants available to selected GIFT teams made up of one math teacher and one science teacher from the same school. Both must have a minimum of three years teaching and experience in their current school district.

Grant applications are available now from GTE. The application deadline is Jan. 15, 1993. Teachers interested in more details may contact GTE's Community Affairs Manager, Mail Code TXD1911A, 500 Carpenter Freeway, Suite 700, Irving, Texas, 75062.

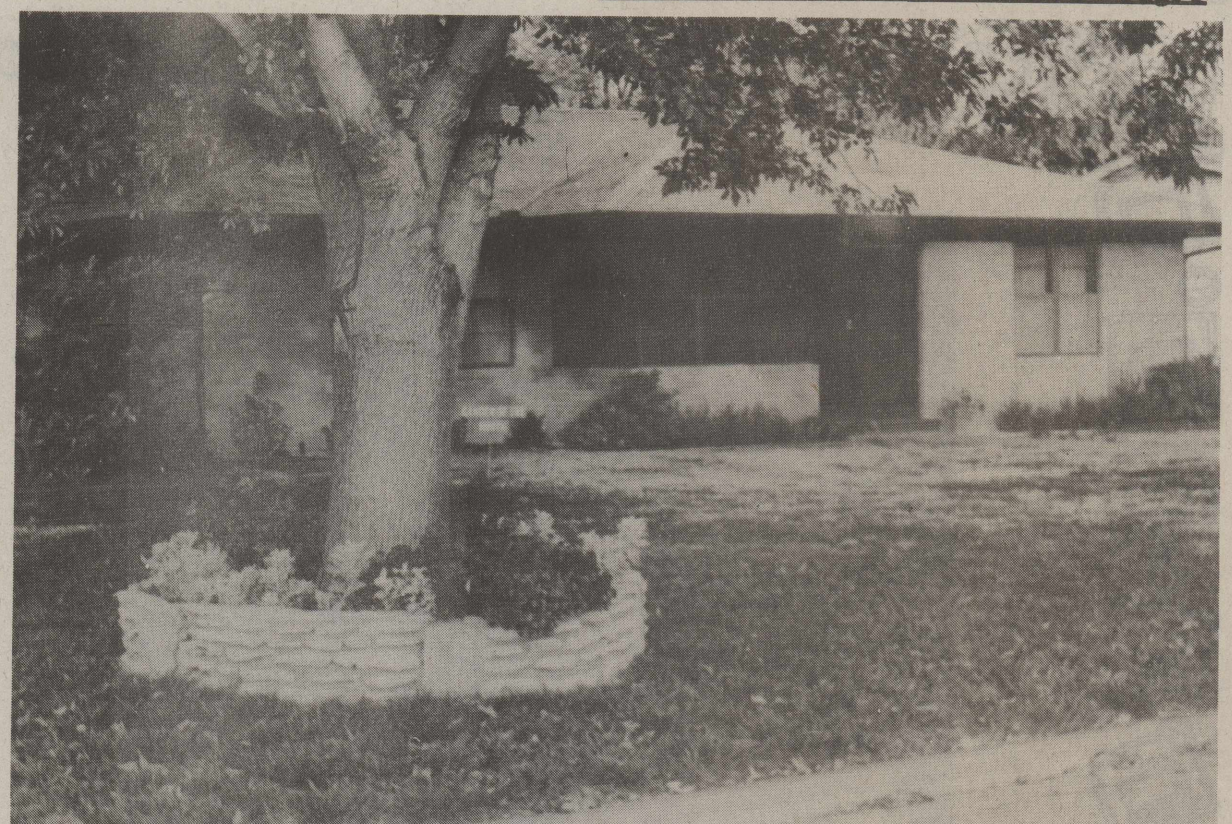
More than \$5 million in grants have been awarded since the program

began in 1983. Teachers in 32 states and the District of Columbia are eligible to apply for the grants.

Michael B. Eastman, president of GTE Telephone Operations - Central Area, said GIFT's objectives are to support and sustain excellence and innovation in the teaching of secondary mathematics and science, and to provide recognition and new opportunities for outstanding, experienced teachers.

In addition to grants, teachers selected as GIFT Fellows attend a seminar the last week of June at GTE Laboratories near Boston. The group also visits Washington, D.C.

The seminar allows teachers exposure to the cutting edge of technology during visits with scientists and also meetings with other outstanding teachers, education policy makers and government leaders. The grants are funded by GTE Foundation on behalf of GTE area operating compa-



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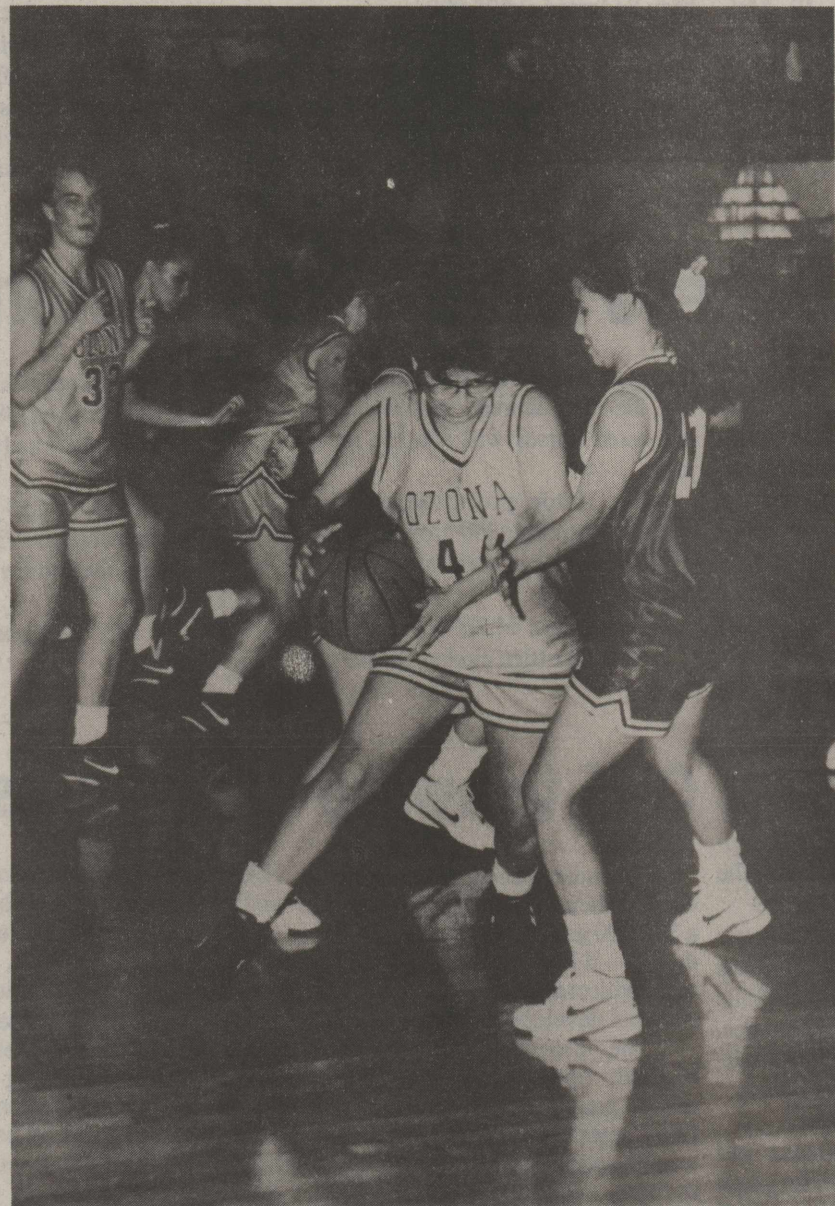
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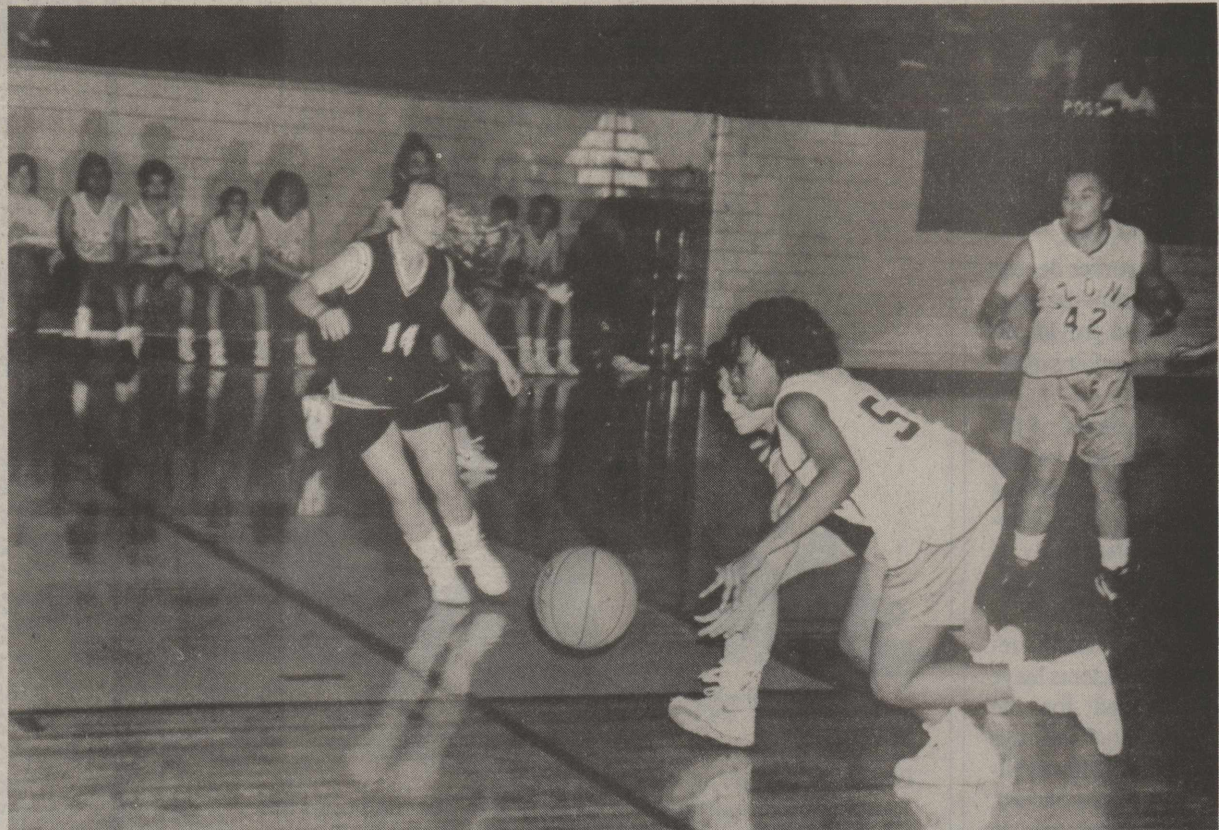
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THESE LITTLE INDIANS at Ozona Community Center are all dressed up and very excited about having a Thanksgiving Feast.

Lady Lions open season with win

by Don Stark

The Ozona Lady Lions opened the 1992-93 girls' basketball season with a thrilling 27-25 victory over the Rankin Red Devils in a game played in Davidson Gym on Tuesday, Nov. 17.

The Devils opened up a slim 9-6 lead at the end of the first quarter. Ozona, although shooting only 22 percent from the field in the first half, stayed close with good defensive play and trailed only 17-15 at the half.

The Ladies could manage only one field goal in the third quarter, but still only trailed 21-19 going into the final period. In the opening minutes of the fourth quarter, Belia Vasquez's field goal tied the game 21-21. Rankin took the lead again with 5:45 left on the clock. The Ladies came back to tie the score 23-23 on Hollie Williams' layup shot. Myra Sanchez's baseline shot with 3:24 left put the Ladies ahead for the first time since the first quarter. Myra Wilson's field goal with 1:32 left in the game sealed the vic-

tory for Ozona.

Myra Wilson's nine points led the Ozona scoring.

The Lady Lion JV defeated the Rankin JV 37-18. Diana Ramirez scored eight points for Ozona.

LADY LION SCORING

Player	TP
M. Wilson	9
H. Williams	6
B. Vasquez	5
G. Pena-Alfaro	3
M. Sanchez	2
M. Solis	2

Ozona High School second six weeks honor roll

The following students made the honor roll for the second six weeks of the 1992-93 school year at Ozona High. Grades in Band, P.E., athletics, photography and office aide do not count toward the six weeks' average. A student must have a 90 or better academic average to be on the honor roll and must not have any grade below an 80.

SENIORS

Aaron Carroll, Kristal Cervantez, Julie Childress, Jennifer Davidson, Elena Dominguez, Jennifer Jones, Michael Kenison, Chahdra McKinney, Michelle Mendoza, Sylvia Pena-Alfaro, Davina Rodgers, Justin Southern, Melanie Tomlinson, William Tramel, Whitney Vannoy, Hollie

Williams, Myra Wilson, Tess Worthington

JUNIORS

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FRESHMEN

Yesenia Alvarez, Nancy Arrott, Paul Browne, Maria Cervantez, Raymundo Fierro, Jessica Fuller, Norris Haire, Lance Jamerson, David Martinez, Emily Stuart, Vanessa Tobar, Casey Upham, Tara Wilkins

Lady Lions lose to Fort Stockton Prowlers

By Don Stark

The Ozona Lady Lions suffered their first defeat of the basketball season on Saturday, Nov. 21, as they fell to the Fort Stockton Prowlers 43-35.

A cold third quarter in which Ozona could muster only three points cost the Ladies their second victory. Myra Wilson with 12 points and Myra Sanchez with 10 points led the Ozona scoring.

The JV Lady Lions won their second game of the season as they defeated the Fort Stockton JV 43-27. Linda Mendoza's 14 points led the Ozona offense.

Fort Stockton Panthers rip Lions

by Don Stark

The Fort Stockton Panthers defeated the Ozona Lions 74-44 to open the high school boys' basketball season in Davidson Gym on Friday, Nov. 20.

Coach John Curry's Lions, most of whom were still playing football a week ago, played a strong first half and only trailed 29-27 at intermission. However, the 4A Panthers threw a stifling full court trapping defense against Ozona in the second half which shut the Lion offense down and forced Ozona into numerous turnovers. Joe Hernandez led the Lion offense with 11 points.

Coach Keith Shoush's JV Lions

defeated Fort Stockton 51-44 behind the 23 point performance of Jessie Garza.

The Lions play Sonora on Dec. 1, in Sonora.

LION SCORING

Player	TP
J. Hernandez	11
K. Miller	8
J. Mendoza	8
M. Fay	4
D. Caldera	3
A. Borrego	2
C. Sanchez	2
T. Valencia	2
D. Meador	2
J. Martinez	2

Cubettes smash Eldorado 32-9

by Don Stark

Behind the one-two punch of Bobbie Bryson and Amber Tarr, the Ozona 7th Grade Cubettes opened their basketball season on a winning note last Thursday, Nov. 19, as they destroyed the Eldorado 7th Grade 34-

9 in a girls' basketball game played in Eldorado.

Bryson's 19 points and Tarr's 13 points, plus a defense that held their opponent to single digits in scoring, put a smile on Coach Rodney Johnson's face. "Besides opening with a victory, everyone got to play which is a morale builder," Johnson stated.

The 8th Grade Cubettes lost to Eldorado by a score of 30-22. Shelly Sullivan with 7 points and Julie Perez with 5 points led the Ozona offense.

Seventh grade Cubs lose to Eldorado

by Don Stark

The 7th Grade Cubs lost their opening game of the basketball season to Eldorado by a score of 28-20. Bryan Badillo's 13 points led the Cub offense.

Eighth grade Cubs drop game to Eldorado

By Don Stark

The Ozona 8th Grade Cubs lost to Eldorado by a score of 37-25 Nov. 19.

Richard Gonzales scored eight points to lead the Cub scoring. The game was played in Ozona.

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Bachman visits primary school second graders

Rick Bachman gave an informative talk on Indians to the second graders in Ozona Primary School last Friday. The students are just beginning a unit on Indians.

Mr. Bachman's presentation began with a slide show including cave paintings and life-size models showing how Indians lived their day to day lives. He also had a large variety of artifacts that the children passed around. There was a sledge hammer head, small animal knives, obsidian arrowheads, a grinding stone, and bone sharpening stones that Mr. Bachman had found in various caves. There were also three large framed and mounted displays of arrowheads. Part of his talk included history of Indians in Crockett County.



SECOND GRADERS AT OZONA PRIMARY SCHOOL were delighted with Rick Bachman's presentation on Indians last Friday.

Carroll performs with Texas small school band concert in Llano

The Association of Texas Small School Bands (ATSSB) held its District Band Tryouts, clinic and concert on Saturday, Nov. 22, in Llano. Representing Ozona High School Band was senior Aaron Carroll who auditioned on trombone for a chair in the two bands featured in the evening concert. Aaron was seated seventh of 18 trombones and performed with the symphonic band at the concert.

Clinician and conductor for the Symphonic Band was Lonnie Dooley, director of band at Hawkins High School. Director of the concert band was Fred Pankratz from Canadian High School.

Happy Birthday!

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- Nov. 26 - Amy DeHoyos, David Gutierrez, Beth Scoggins, Alma Wilson, David Wilson, Mike Williams
- Nov. 27 - Amber Marie Paradez, Vickie Black, Joyce Caldera, Adam Carroll, Don Dunlap, Jessica Moreno, Michelle Gandar
- Nov. 28 - Billy Flanagan, Daniel Y. Gonzalez
- Nov. 29 - Pam Acton, Lindsey Wilson
- Nov. 30 - Robert Flores, Helen Wall, Daniela Lombrana, Casey Upham

Cafeteria Menu

- Nov. 30... Pizza, Nachos, Buttered Corn, Salad and Milk
- Dec. 1... Enchiladas, Pinto Beans, Tossed Salad, Fruit and Milk
- Dec. 2... Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, Buttered Corn, Vegetable Salad, Breadsticks, Jello and Milk
- Dec. 3... Chicken Nuggets, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls and Milk
- Dec. 4... Corn Dog, Macaroni/Cheese, Pork N Beans, Fruit and Milk

Fast Food Menu

- Nov. 30... Cheese Burrito, Nachos, Buttered Corn, Salad and Milk
- Dec. 1... Soft Burrito, Pinto Beans, Tossed Salad, Fruit and Milk
- Dec. 2... Pizza, Buttered Corn, Vegetable Salad, Breadsticks, Jello and Milk
- Dec. 3... Hamburger, Salad, Tator Tots and Milk
- Dec. 4... Chick Burger, Salad, Tator Tots, Fruit and Milk

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PATRICK SOLANSKY shows off a C.R.O.P. walk T-shirt received for being the youngest walker to complete the 6.2 mile trek. With him is Becky Childress who reports \$2,000 collected for the hungry from the walk. Bryan Valdez was the first to finish, and Veva Vargas had the most sponsors and collected the most money.

TPWD requests mountain lion information

AUSTIN- With the onset of the fall and winter hunting season, many Texas hunters may come face to face with a mountain lion. If so, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department wants to know about it.

The department is asking that anyone who sees or kills a mountain lion or who sees mountain lion sign to contact any of the department's offices across the state as soon as possible.

Mountain lions are classified as unprotected nongame animals in Texas. An ongoing survey of mountain lion mortalities and sightings compiled by the department indicates that lion numbers are slowly increasing statewide.

"We have received several valid mountain lion reports," said Bill Russ, TPWD wildlife biologist in Sander-son. "Now that hunting season has begun, I believe sightings will increase. It is very important that anyone who sees or kills a lion call any of our offices at once."

Sightings and kills can be reported to any TPWD office in the state, to TPWD headquarters in Austin by calling 1-800-729-1112, extension 4789 or writing TPWD, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, TX 78744, or by writing Russ at Box 112, Sander-son, TX 79848, or calling him at 915 345-2954.

Most people live a lifetime without a glimpse of a mountain lion, but for those who do, whether it's in a hunting or hiking situation, the department has several recommended responses to minimize the possibility of attack.

When you walk or hike in lion habitats, go in groups and make enough

noise so as not to surprise lions. A sturdy walking stick can be used to ward off a lion. Keep children close and within your sight and control at all times.

Never approach a lion. Lions are unpredictable, but normally avoid a confrontation if given a way out.

If you encounter a mountain lion: Stay calm. Talk to the lion in a confident yet calm voice.

Pick all children up off the ground immediately. Children tend to frighten easily and their rapid movements may provoke an attack.

Do not run. Move slowly. Try to back away from the lion slowly. Sudden movement or fleeing behavior often triggers instinctive predatory attacks by lions.

Do not turn your back on the lion. Face the lion and remain upright.

Do all you can to enlarge your image. Do not crouch down or try to hide.

If a mountain lion behaves aggressively:

Arm yourself. Grab a large stick, throw rocks, speak louder and more firmly. Do not turn your back or stay crouched down. The object is to convince the lion that you are not prey but in fact are a danger to it.

Fight back, but remain standing up. Use anything from rocks and sticks to bare fists and fishing poles, etc.

Report says Amistad and Devil's River water among highest quality in the state

The Texas Water Commission has completed a preliminary water quality assessment of the Rio Grande along the Texas-Mexico border. While the study identifies several areas of exceptional water quality, it also describes an international waterway under intense pressure from burgeoning development.

The status of the Rio Grande is especially important because of the pending North American Free Trade agreement. The TWC study is a compilation of data obtained through routine monitoring and from previous studies of parts of the Rio Grande.

Among the report's findings: Raw sewage is being discharged directly into the river by some communities in Mexico.

Increasing salinity in the Lower Rio Grande Valley has at times damaged crops and limited the use of water for irrigation.

There is not enough data to assess the human health risks of eating fish caught in the river.

Despite some unsettling observations, the report also says Amistad Reservoir and Devil's River have some of the highest-quality water in the state. Moreover, the report says that regulated drinking water systems are safe on either side of the border. The report also says it will take a partnership between the United States and Mex-

ico to clean the river along its entire length.

The Rio Grande report is among a group of similar studies that assess water quality in the state's 14 major watersheds. The other reports were prepared by local river agencies. The TWC prepared the Rio Grande study because there is no river authority that manages that waterway.

All of the reports are the product of Senate Bill 818, the Texas Clean Rivers Act, that was adopted by the Texas Legislature in 1991. The act established a comprehensive program of water quality assessments throughout the state and mandated that each river be studied throughout its basin. The reports now completed represent the first in a series of similar reports that will be due every two years.

The data compiled in the initial report indicates that water quality along the Texas-Mexico border varies widely. The report says continued industrial and municipal growth along the border will require greater water conservation efforts, as well as construction of water treatment systems.

Copies of the report and more information about the 818 water quality assessment program may be obtained by calling the TWC Standards and Assessments Division at 512-463-8464.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

GTE Southwest Incorporated (GTSW) and Contel of Texas Inc. (Contel) have filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas to seek approval to provide two new private line services and to change rates for existing services. GTE's intraexchange DS1 Service will be offered pursuant to the rates proposed with this filing and will no longer be available through concurrence with GTE's interLATA access tariff rates which are lower. Contel's intraexchange DS1/DDS Service will be offered pursuant to the rates proposed with this filing and will no longer be available through Contel's current private line tariff rates. Existing customers with DS1/DDS Services will not be affected by these rate changes. DS1 1.544 Megabits per second (Mbps) Service and Digital Data Service (DDS) will normally be used for the transmission of data communications or large volumes of voice communications between two locations. These services are optional and will not affect the existing rates of customers who do not order these services. The estimated annual effect on GTE-SW's revenues in the first year is \$1,080,567. The estimated annual effect on Contel's revenues in the first year are \$42,383.

DS1 Service

DS1 Service is an intraLATA Private Line Service which provides a dedicated, high capacity channel which may be used for simultaneous two-way transmission of voice data or other digitally encoded customer information signals. DS1 Service provides a transmission speed of 1.544 Mbps and is designed to provide an average performance of at least 95 percent error-free seconds of transmission over a continuous 24-hour period.

DS1 Service is available in and between all exchanges of GTE-SW and Contel where digital facilities exist. DS1 Service is available on a point-to-point intraLATA basis between two Customer Designated Locations (CDL), between a Serving Wire Center (SWC) and a CDL, between a CDL and a point of connection with another service provider or between two SWCs.

IntraLATA DS1 Private Line Service is comprised of three rate elements: DS1 Local Loop, DS1 Transport and DS1 Transport Termination. Each element is described below.

DS1 Local Loop

This rate element is for the cable facilities from the CDL to the SWC. The customer has two payment options for the purchase of DS1 Local Loops. There is a month-to-month plan or term contract Optional Payment Plan (OPP).

The month-to-month payment basis allows the customer to establish and disconnect DS1 Services, without penalty, other than to meet the minimum service interval of one month's service, as needed. Under the month-to-month service, the additional DS1 Local Loop rate applies only when the additional DS1 Local Loop (s) is (are) ordered at the same time and between the same two CDLs as the first DS1 Local Loop.

The OPP plan allows the customer to select a term of service (1 YR, 3 YR and 5 YR) with lower monthly rates associated with longer term contracts. If the customer selects an OPP, additional DS1 Local Loops may be ordered and installed at the Additional DS1 Local Loop rate between any SWC and CDL covered by the OPP at any time during the term of that OPP.

DS1 Transport

This rate element is for the mileage sensitive charges for transporting a DS1 signal between Serving Wire Centers. Transport occurs only when the two CDLs being connected are served by two different SWCs.

DS1 Transport Termination

This rate element is for the equipment to terminate DS1 Transport at the SWCs. This charge applies only when DS1 Transport is required for the service configuration of the customer. One transport termination charge applies at each end of the DS1 Transport.

Proposed Rates and Charges for DS1 Service are as follows:

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rates
DS1 Local Loop		
Month-to-Month		
First System	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 298.00
12-month term		
First System	-0-	\$ 283.00
36-month term		
First System	-0-	\$ 255.00
60-month term		
First System	-0-	\$ 226.00
Additional System	\$ 130.00	\$ 130.00
DS1 Transport		
Per airline mile	-0-	\$ 16.00
DS1 Transport Termination		
Per Termination	-0-	\$ 40.00

Digital Data Service

Digital Data Service (DDS) is an intraLATA Private Line service which supports synchronous, full-duplex transmission between the CDL and the SWC or the point of connection with another telephone company at transmission speeds of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2 and 56 kilobits per second (Kbps). DDS provides a transmission path for digital data signals within the same LATA.

DDS Service is available in and between all exchanges of GTE-SW and Contel where digital facilities exist. DDS Service is available on a point-to-point intraLATA basis between two CDLs or between a CDL and a point of connection with another service provider.

IntraLATA DDS Private Line Service is comprised of three rate elements: DDS Local Loop, DDS Transport and DDS Transport Termination. Each element is described below.

DDS Local Loop

This rate element is for the cable facilities from the CDL to the SWC. The customer may establish and disconnect DDS Local Loops without penalty other than the minimum service interval of one month's service, as his/her needs demand.

DDS Transport

This rate element is for the mileage sensitive charges for transporting a DDS signal between SWCs. Transport occurs only when the two CDLs being connected are served by two different SWCs.

DDS Transport Termination

This rate element is for the equipment to terminate DDS Transport at the SWCs. This charge applies only when DDS Transport is required for the service configuration of the customer. One transport termination charge applies at each end of the service.

Proposed rates and charges for DDS are as follows:

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rates
DDS Local Loop		
2.4, 4.8, 9.6, & 19.2 Kbps	\$ 85.00	\$ 85.00
56 Kbps	\$ 85.00	\$ 95.00
DDS Transport		
Per airline mile		
2.4, 4.8, 9.6 & 19.2 Kbps	-0-	\$ 1.60
56 Kbps	-0-	\$ 3.20
DDS Transport Termination		
2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2 & 56 Kbps	-0-	\$ 20.00
Per Termination	-0-	\$ 20.00

This filing has been assigned Consolidated Docket Nos. 11408/11435. The deadline to intervene in this docket is January 1, 1993.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Information Division of the Public Utility Commission at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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Lone Star Events

By Sara Cambron Faulk,
Texas Department of Commerce
Information Specialist

December

The following events are but a few of the many excellent activities offered by communities across the state. These dates are subject to change without notice. For information on these and other events call 512/462-9191. For a free 264-page travel guide, out-of-state callers call 1-800-8888-TEX, in-state call 1-800-452-9292.

Dec. 1-31—Antique Toys and Antique Christmas Decorations, Arlington. To fill you with Christmas spirit, the Fielder Museum is housing a holiday display of antique toys, decorations from years gone by, and a Santa Claus collection dating back to 1900. On December 7, the Museum will feature its 11th annual Christmas tree lighting. Featured for the celebration will be a Christmas storyteller and Christmas caroling with music provided by a local high school band. After the tree lighting, guests are invited into the museum for refreshments and visits with Santa Claus. Contact the Fielder Museum, 1616 W. Abrams St., Arlington, 76013. 817/460-4001.

Dec. 3-5 & 10-12—Candlelight Tour, Jefferson. A step back in time for glimpses of Christmas past is offered in historic, turn-of-the-century Jefferson. Diverse styles of architecture, ranging from a quaint single-story clapboard house with gingerbread trim to a stately Greek Revival plantation house, showcase a glittering wealth of handmade decorations, natural greenery and the light of thousands of candles. Visitors enjoy the spirit of Christmas with entertainment by carolers, area choirs and English handbell ringers. The festivities will include a holiday bazaar, shops bright with lights and other yuletide events. Contact the Jefferson Chamber of Commerce, 116 W. Austin, Jefferson, 75657. 903/665-2672. Or for tickets, 903/665-8683.

Dec. 3-6—Traditional Hollydays in Plano, Plano. The entire city of Plano decks out for the holidays and invites you to join in the festivities during this weekend of events. Visitors can enjoy the Lantern Light Tours of the Heritage Farmstead circa 1891. The hosts, in their restored Victorian home decorated in traditional holiday trimmings, offer hot apple cider and baked goods. St. Nicholas and his elves will be in attendance, as well as handbell choirs, crafts people and barnyard animals. Downtown Plano will host a wonderful evening that will include the Christmas Tree Lighting. Visitors can stroll up and down the historic area shopping for gifts and decorations. Be sure not to miss the Holiday Tour of Homes through four of Plano's loveliest residences decorated in holiday finery. Contact Dana England, City of Plano, Parks and Recreation Department, Plano, 75086. 214/578-7250.

Dec. 4-5—Candlelight Posada, McAllen. The inspirational Mexican custom of "la posada," a pilgrimage re-enacting Mary and Joseph's search for an inn as the Christ child's birth drew near, is one of many shared border customs between Mexico and Texas. Here, it winds through the streets and plazas of downtown McAllen and ends with a festive celebration. Contact the McAllen Convention and Visitors Bureau, P.O. Box 790, McAllen, 78502-0790. 512/682-2871.

Dec. 4-6—16th Annual Christmas Open House, Panhandle Plains Historical Museum, Canyon. A Victorian scene of carolers and a horse-drawn sleigh will entice visitors to come inside and experience the wonders of Christmas. Carriage lanterns light the way to Pioneer Hall where the elaborately decorated Christmas tree, surrounded by toys from the late 1800s, will delight young and old alike. In "storyteller's corner" a kindly, grandmotherly figure in a rocking chair will recount Christmas stories in front of a fireplace complete with sparkling embers and a braided rug. Children's craft activi-

ties, games and a live Santa will be on hand to delight the children. School choirs, chamber music, barbershop quartets and bell choirs will be performing throughout the three-day event. Contact the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum, Box 967 W.T. Station, Canyon, 79016. 806/656-2244.

Dec. 4-6—Christmas in Goliad, Goliad. Christmas memories and traditions come alive amidst sounds of choruses, carolers, bands, bells, brass and strings. This historic South Texas town invites visitors to three days of festive holiday cheer on courthouse square. Evening concerts and a tree lighting kick-off the events, followed by Santa Claus arriving in a Longhorn-drawn sleigh. Mistletoe Marketplace will feature arts, crafts, antiques and special interest exhibits. Pancho Claus full of non-traditional stories entertains young and old alike for hours. Contact the Goliad Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 606, Goliad, 77963. 512/645-3563 or 1-800-848-8674.

Dec. 4-6—Christmas at Old Fort Concho, San Angelo. One of the largest Christmas heritage celebrations in the state, Old Fort Concho lights up with more than 5,000 lumi-

naries. The Old Fort is transformed into a fantasyland, as 22 restored buildings are decorated in period dress representing various themes. The themes include Victorian Christmas, Mexican Christmas, Santa Claus House, Czech House, Arc Light Saloon and more. The grounds and buildings will be teeming with soldiers, Indians, horses, tents, campfires, fiddlers, cowboy poets, renowned artists, folk crafts, ethnic foods and Old St. Nick. A storyteller, sack races, historical lectures, elegant dinners and evening dances are only a sampling of the activities available. Contact Old Fort Concho, 213 E. Avenue D, San Angelo, 76903. 915/657-4441.

Dec. 4-Jan. 1—Fantasy of Lights, Wichita Falls. This breathtaking display on the Midwestern State University campus draws more than 200,000 visitors annually. A wonderland of life-sized storybook characters with some 30 animated scenes and more than 18,000 colored lights illuminate and outline the campus to create a fantasy land of holiday cheer. Contact Fantasy of Lights Committee, Midwestern State University, 3400 Taft Blvd., Wichita Falls, 76308. 817/692-6611, Ext. 4352.

Dec. 5—Harbor Lights, Corpus Christi. This festival celebrates the city's maritime heritage with a display of lights in the downtown and harbor areas. The 12th annual Christmas celebration features Santa Claus' arrival by boat, parades, arts and crafts and foods. The city's mayor flips the switch to illuminate the lights of the bayfront boats, buildings and Harbor Bridge. The month's festivities will include the Art Museum of South

Texas' Christmas Tree Forest and the Chocolate Festival. Contact the Corpus Christi Area Convention and Visitors Bureau, P.O. Box 2664, Corpus Christi, 78403-2664. 512/882-5603.

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Public Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDERS FOR CAFETERIA PRODUCTS

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District will receive sealed bids for the following:

Cafeteria products including meat products, canned and frozen goods, paper & chemical products and staples for January 1, 1993-May 27, 1993.

All bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. Thursday, December 10, 1992. Any bid received after this date will be returned unopened. Bids received without a signature will not be accepted. Bidders are invited to attend the bid opening at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday December 10, 1992. Bids will be awarded at the next regular school board meeting.

Please mail or deliver your bids to:

Mr. James I. Payne
Crockett County Consolidated Common School District
P.O. Box 400
Ozona, Texas 76943

Please mark your bid envelope as follows:

Sealed Bid For Cafeteria Products/January 1, 1993-May 27, 1993.

The district has the right to accept or reject any bid and/or all bids to make awards as they may appear advantageous to the district and to waive all formalities in bidding.

Your proposal will be appreciated.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

Marathon Oil Company, P.O. Box 552, Midland, Texas 79702, is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Grayburg Formation, Olson Unit Well No. 1202 and proposed injector 1207. The proposed injection wells are located 32 miles NW from Ozona, Texas in the Olson Field in Crockett County.

Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 1900 to 2360 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967, (512) 463-6790.

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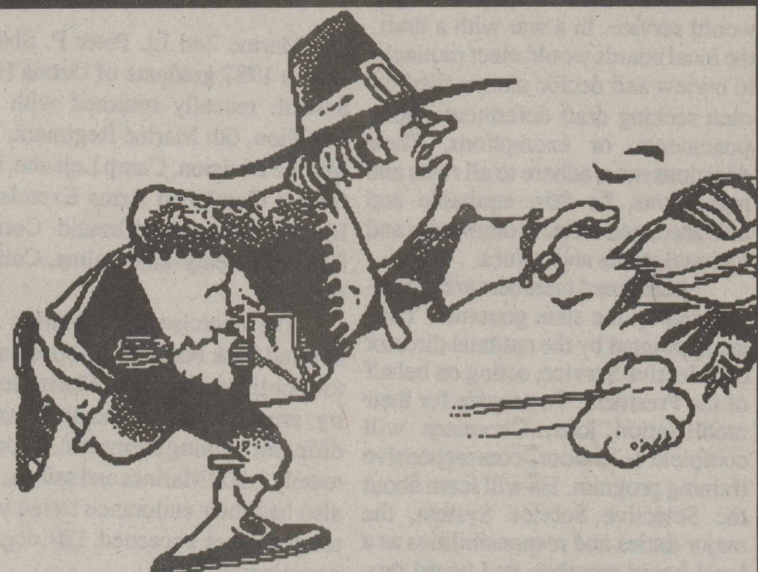
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4-H'ers compete in 4-County Prospect Show

The 4-County Prospect Show was held this past Saturday in Eldorado and was hosted by Sutton County.

The 11 Crockett County 4-H members who attended the show were: Ty Allen, Nancy Arrott, Leigh Chandler, Adrienne Dickerson, Trey Hale, Lisa Herring, Jed Roane, JoLynn and Whitney Vannoy, and Lauren and Mason Wilkins. Each of the 11 attending placed at least 1 animal.

In the Angora Goat Show, Whitney Vannoy won the Goat Showman-

ship Buckle and had the Champion Angora Kid. Class placings were:

Buck Kid Class: 1st-Whitney Vannoy, 2nd-JoLynn Vannoy and 4th-Lisa Herring

Doe Kid Class: 2nd-Lisa Herring and 3rd-Whitney Vannoy

In the Sheep Show, JoLynn Vannoy had the Champion Finewool and Whitney Vannoy had the Reserve Champion Finewool. Leigh Chandler had the Reserve Champion crossbred. Lauren Wilkins won the Junior Cham-

pion Showmanship Buckle. Class Placings were:

FINEWOOLS
Light Weights: 2nd-Lauren Wilkins

Middle Lights: 2nd-Whitney Vannoy, 4th-Adrienne Dickerson and 6th-JoLynn Vannoy

Middle Heavys: 1st-Whitney Vannoy and 2nd-JoLynn Vannoy

Heavy Weights: 1st-JoLynn Vannoy, 2nd-Whitney Vannoy, 3rd-Nancy Arrott and 5th-Nancy Arrott

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Light Weights: 1st-Lauren Wilkins, 2nd-Whitney Vannoy, 4th-Nancy Arrott and 6th-Mason Wilkins

Middle Lights: 1st-Whitney Vannoy and 7th-Trey Hale

Middle Heavys: 1st-Adrienne Dickerson, 2nd-JoLynn Vannoy, 3rd-Leigh Chandler, 7th-Nancy Arrott, 8th-Ty Allen and 10th-Jed Roane

Heavy Weights: 2nd-Leigh Chandler, 4th-Lauren Wilkins and 10th-Jed Roane

October fire calls recorded

Crockett County Fire Department personnel answered 22 calls during October according to Bob Falkner, chief. Of these, 19 were grass fires.

Jerry Kressler returns from combat service support exercises

Marine Chief Warrant Officer Jerry L. Kressler, whose wife, Elsa, is the daughter of Maclovio and Nana Fierro of Ozona, a recently returned with Combat Service Support detachment-27, 2nd Force Service Support group, Camp Lejeune, NC, from a Combined Arms Exercise at Marine Corps Air/Ground Combat Center, Twenty-nine Palms, CA.

The exercise gave Marine Air/Ground Task Force-6 the opportunity to coordinate the use of Marine infantry, armor, artillery, and air power in different training scenarios. Approximately 2,500 Marines and sailors, who also had their endurance tested when temperatures exceeded 120 degrees, participated.

Jerry joined the Marines in June 1980.

Mutual aid on six of these alarms was received from firemen in Barnhart, Big Lake, Eldorado, Sheffield and Sonora. Ozona gave mutual aid twice to grass fires outside the county during that time.

There was also one structure fire, one vehicle fire and one rescue call during the month.

The department used 17,100 gallons of water, 465 man hours and 49.08 truck hours.

A year to date report through October shows 117 incidents, 81,906 gallons of water used, 10 gallons of foam, 1,530.53 man hours and 293.39 truck hours.

Old Fort Concho Christmas celebration set for December 4-6

Fort Concho National Historic Landmark will be celebrating the 11th Year of Christmas at Old Fort Concho on Dec. 4, 5 and 6. This year marks a special occasion, the 125th Anniversary of the Founding of the Fort. In honor of this occasion many special activities have been planned.

Two places open on ASCS committee

Ballots for electing members to the Crockett County ASCS Committee will be mailed Nov. 27. The voted ballot must be returned to the ASCS Office or postmarked no later than Dec. 7. Candidates for Crockett County ASCS Committee are Larry Williams, Sally Oglesby, Terry Dickerson and Dean McMullan. Ballots will be canvassed Dec. 14.

Two places are available in this election due to an unexpired term being refilled. For ballots to count, please follow the instructions listed on the ballot.

The following is important for your ballot to be counted:

1. Vote for two candidates.
2. The address label must be removed from the ballot and placed in the area provided on the back of the envelope.

3. Address label must be signed by the voter.

4. If ballot is mailed, apply postage and mail before Dec. 7, 1992.

Eligibility for participation in all programs administered by ASCS is established under law without regard to race, color, religion, age, sex, marital status, personal sponsorship, disability, national origin or political affiliation.

Leo Cervantez appointed to selective service board

The Selective Service System announced the recent appointment of a Texas resident as a local board member. He is Leopoldo L. Cervantez of Crockett County.

Although there has not been a military draft since 1973, the nation maintains a standby Selective Service System in case Congress enacts and the President orders a return to a draft in an emergency. The ongoing board member appointment process places dedicated, civic-minded, men and women into these important volunteer positions. The goal is to have standby local boards which are representative of the communities they would service. In a war with a draft, the local boards would meet routinely to review and decide claims filed by men seeking draft deferments, postponements, or exemptions. Their decisions must adhere to all rules and regulations, be fair, equitable and unbiased, and reflect community and national needs and values.

Local board members are recommended by the state governor. They are appointed by the national director of Selective Service, acting on behalf of the President. To prepare for their mobilization jobs, Cervantez will complete a 12-hour, comprehensive training program. He will learn about the Selective Service System, the major duties and responsibilities as a local board member, and board procedures.

Nationally, there are more than 11,000 volunteers appointed to serve

in over 2,000 local boards. To maintain proficiency, each board member undergoes annual refresher training after completing initial training.

Although there is no authority to draft men into military service at present, men who are between the ages of 18 and 26 have a legal obligation to register with Selective Service. Young men are required by federal law to register within a month of their 18th birthday.

2nd Lt. Shacklette returns from exercise

Marine 2nd Lt. Peter P. Shacklette, a 1987 graduate of Ozona High School, recently returned with 3rd Battalion, 6th Marine Regiment, 2nd Marine Division, Camp Lejeune, NC, from a Combined Arms Exercise at Marine Corps Air/Ground Combat Center, Twenty-nine Palms, California.

The exercise gave Marine Air/Ground Task Force-6 the opportunity to coordinate the use of Marine infantry, armor, artillery, and air power in different training scenarios. Approximately 2,500 Marines and sailors, who also had their endurance tested when temperatures exceeded 120 degrees, participated.

A 1991 graduate of Angelo State University with a Bachelor of Arts degree, Shacklette joined the Marine Corps in August, 1991.

Crockett County Sheriff's Report

WEEK ENDING 11-24-92 ARRESTS:

11-20...21-year-old Pete A. Ramirez of Ozona was arrested on a warrant charging him with assault. He pleaded guilty in JP Court and was released after paying his fine.

11-21...28-year-old Tan Nhat Chau of California was arrested on traffic charges. He was released after paying his fine.

11-21...42-year-old Juan Chavez Hernandez of Midland was arrested on traffic warrants out of Midland. He was released after paying his fine.

11-22...42-year-old Richard R. Morin of Florida was arrested in a stolen car from the state of Florida. He waived extradition and agreed to be returned to Florida to answer the charges. He is being held in county jail pending action from the state of Florida.

INCIDENTS:

11-18...Garrett Elledge reported that he is receiving harassing phone calls at his residence. Sheriff's deputies and GTE investigators are investigating the offense.

11-18...Sheriff's deputies are investigating the report of a theft by check at Fierro Shell Station. On 10-22-92, a suspect cashed a check from an account that had been closed for some time. Officers are preparing to file criminal theft charges in connection with this case.

11-22...Sheriff's deputies are investigating the reported theft of a log book from the Crockett County Airport. A Midland man had flown in to Ozona and is believed to have taken the airport log book when he left. Theft charges have been filed against him and Midland authorities have been notified.

11-22...Sheriff's deputies are

investigating a burglary and assault which occurred at Lilly Construction Co. Mrs. Mina Harris was assaulted when she went to Lilly Construction to clean the offices. A Hispanic male was hiding in the office area and demanded that Mrs. Harris show him where the money was kept. Mrs. Harris was hit several times by the suspect who appeared to be intoxicated. The suspect fled when he was surprised by the victim's daughter arriving at the business. No money or property was taken. Mrs. Harris was treated and released at Crockett County Hospital.

11-23...Shot's #4 reported that a young man had left without paying for gas. Sheriff's deputies traveled west on I-10 in an attempt to locate the suspect. It was found that the suspect vehicle had been stolen out of Kerrville. Officers followed the suspect into Fort Stockton where he was arrested after wrecking the car. The 16-year-old male was an escapee from the Texas Youth Council. He stole a car in Uvalde, abandoned it in Kerrville where he stole a 1985 Buick. The suspect was turned over to juvenile authorities in Fort Stockton.

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Director of Nurses-Sheila Griffith

Griffith new D.O.N. at care center

Sheila Griffith was hired Thursday as director of nurses at Crockett County Care Center. Mrs. Griffith has been at the center as interim director since Oct. 19.

Mrs. Griffith earned a bachelor of science in nursing degree at Hardin Simmons University in Abilene. She worked in the trauma center at Hen-

drick Hospital in Abilene and was a nurse at the Stamford Hospital before moving to Ozona.

A trip to the emergency room for stitches when she was 12 led to her nursing career, Mrs. Griffith said.

She and her husband, Dan, moved to Ozona from Haskell in September. He is a deputy with the Crockett County Sheriff's Department.

Fort Davis plans frontier christmas

An Old Fashioned Frontier Christmas is planned for Fort Davis Dec. 4-6. Santa will arrive early in the evening of Dec. 4 to herald the traditional lighting of the Christmas tree on the town square. He'll arrive by wagon, of course, under bona fide western escort, including soldiers from old Fort Davis.

Hayride tours to view the many outdoor home decorations are a part of the evening. Hot cocoa and goodies will be served afterward at the town's old style and famous, Drug Store.

Breakfast with Santa at Indian Lodge is the first thing on the agenda Saturday morning.

Mainstreet Fort Davis will be one big bazaar Saturday complete with strolling carolers and assorted musicians.

Bus tours of seasonally decorated selected area homes and one ranch house are scheduled for the afternoon. Each tour ends with tea in the sitting room of historic Limpia Hotel.

A community-wide nativity pageant will be held in the outdoor interpretive center at the state park that evening. A dinner and dance at Prude Ranch finishes off Saturday's activities.

Local restaurants wind down the weekend at noon Sunday by offering specialty Christmas oriented menus.

If you plan to visit Fort Davis for this western style Christmas celebration weekend, the town's chamber of commerce recommends you make reservations now. Accommodations fill up in a hurry. Call 915-426-3462 for more information.

Chamber Chatter

by Nancy Moore

The weekend of Dec. 4 and 5 you want to be in Ozona. Friday night is the annual Deerfest supper. A night filled with good food, many, many guns and hundreds of dollars in other door prizes await the guest.

Saturday Santa will come to town to officially turn on the Christmas lights. He will come back later in December to visit with all the children. After the lights come on, the caroling is such a special time.

Stores will stay open late Saturday to help with your shopping needs. The merchants are planning a fun night filled with lots of door prizes. To make a great night even better, participating restaurants will offer specials.

Two nights of good fun and good

food! This is definitely a weekend you don't want to miss.

Ozona is blessed with many hunters visiting this time of the year. The chamber extends a very warm welcome to all. Please feel free to stop in the chamber office if we can help during your visit.

You can still purchase the 1993 limited edition Christmas ornament at the chamber. Last year the courthouse was featured. This year it is our David Crockett statue. These make such nice gifts and keepsakes.

What a fantastic time to use the Shop Ozona coupons. Take advantage of all the bargains in the coupon book. Make you day a "Shop Ozona It Makes Good Cents Day".

Texas begins search for best beef recipe of 1993

Who will win \$3,000 and honors as creator of Texas' best beef recipe in 1993?

Texas amateur cooks who have a hankering to capture the prize money and title have until Dec. 28, 1992, to enter the 1993 Texas Beef Recipe Contest. This year's event has been changed in several ways to make it more competitive and more exciting than ever before.

"The make-up of the best beef recipe in Texas has evolved over the years," says Lucy Moore, president of Texas Cattle Women, the competition's sponsoring organization. "Where once it was traditional dishes, today we see very modern presentations. To keep pace, this year's competition will take on a new appearance that we believe will better determine the real winner of Texas' best beef recipe."

After examining all the recipes received by the Dec. 28 entry deadline, a short list of possible winners will be identified. These selections will be tested in the kitchen by a group of professional home economists. That process will narrow the field to five top finalists each of whom will win \$1,000.

On March 30, 1993, the top five recipes will then be prepared exactly as written by the executive chef at the Four Seasons Hotel in Austin.

The Texas champion will receive an additional \$2,000 plus the opportunity to compete for a finalist spot to win \$20,000 in the National Beef Cook-Off Sept. 11-13 at Cheyenne,

Wy. Nationwide, there will be 15 finalists chosen from among the state winners.

Persons interested in entering the Texas Beef Recipe Contest must be 18 years of age or older, have a non-professional food status and not have owned beef or dairy cattle for one year preceding Oct. 1, 1993.

For a list of complete rules and an entry form, write Texas Beef Recipe Contests, 8310 Capital of Texas Hwy. N., Ste. 440, Austin, TX 78731. Or call 1-800-284-BEEF.

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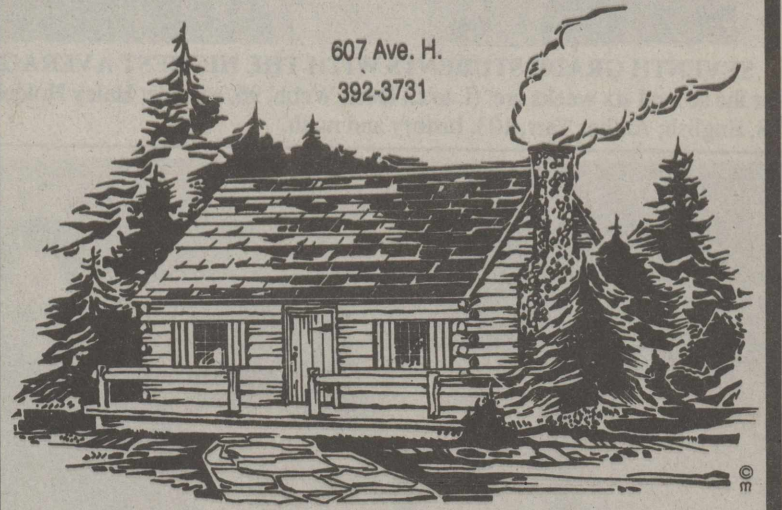
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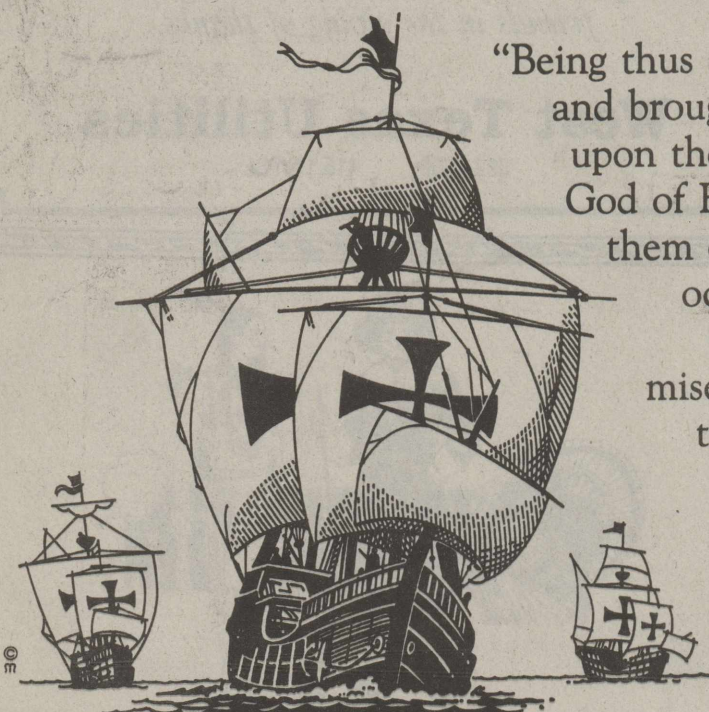
Wednesday, Dec. 2... Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Peach Cobbler and Rolls

Thursday, Dec. 3... Braised Pork Chops, Buttered Corn, Broccoli Cuts, Rolls and Pears with Cheese

Friday, Dec. 4... Beef Vegetable Soup, Cole Slaw, Corn Bread and Cake Squares

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—William Bradford (1590-1657), Governor of Plymouth Colony at the time of the first Thanksgiving

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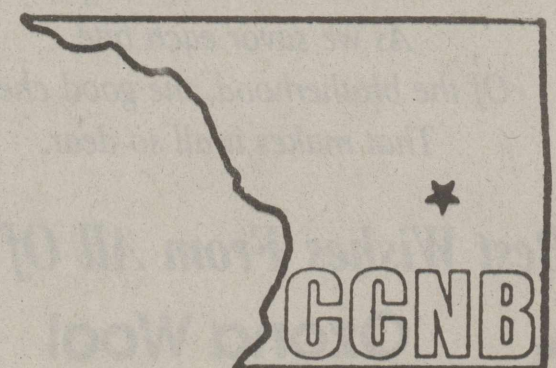
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*Many years have come and gone
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*We take so much for granted;
Shelter, food and clothing, too,
Forgetting all are not so fortunate,
On much less they must do.*

*So as we form that family circle
We must thank the good Lord above
For the privilege of living in this land
And for caring for those we love.*

Sandra Hancock Stark

Texas exports to 159 countries

Texas exported \$47 billion in goods to 159 countries in 1991. Some products were made in Texas and others shipped through Texas' ports. Exports to Mexico exceeded all others, at \$15.49 billion.



SOURCES: Texas Department of Commerce and John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts.

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Oats 'N' Wheat Harvest Bread

Katharine Durham
Breads and Cereals
Senior Division

3 1/2 to 4 1/2 cups all-purpose or unbleached flour
1 1/2 cups whole wheat flour
1/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
2 t. salt
2 pkg. active dry yeast
1 cup water
1 cup milk
3/4 cup margarine or butter
2 eggs, beaten
1 cup rolled oats

Topping:

1 egg, beaten
1 Trolled oats (for sheaf of wheat)
1 t. sesame seeds (for bunch of grapes)

Grease 2 large cookie sheets. Lightly spoon flour into measuring cup; level off. In large bowl, combine 1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour, whole wheat flour, brown sugar, salt and yeast; blend well. In medium saucepan, heat water, milk and margarine until very warm (120 - 130 degrees). Add warm liquid and 2 eggs to flour mixture; blend at low speed until moistened. Beat 3 minutes at medium speed. By hand, stir in 1 cup rolled oats and 1 1/2 to 2 cups all-purpose flour until dough pulls away from sides of bowl.

On floured surface, knead in 1/2 to 1 cup all-purpose flour until dough is smooth and elastic, about 5 minutes.

Place in greased bowl; cover loosely with plastic wrap and cloth towel. Let rise in warm place (80-85 degrees) until light and doubled in size, about 50 minutes. Punch dough down several times to remove all air bubbles. Divide dough in half. Place 1/2 of dough in greased bowl; cover. Shape 1/2 of dough as directed for Sheaf of Wheat. Shape remaining 1/2 as directed for grapes.

Then shape Sheaf of Wheat, divide remaining dough into 8 equal pieces. Roll 7 pieces into seven 12-inch ropes; place next to each other on greased cookie sheet. Roll 1 piece into 9-inch rope; place crosswise on top of 7 ropes 1/3 from top. Using scissors, snip tops of 7 ropes to resemble wheat; separate slightly. Brush dough with beaten egg; sprinkle snipped tops with 1 tablespoon rolled oats. Cover; let rise in warm place until doubled in size, about 30 minutes.

To shape bunch of grapes, shape remaining dough into 1 - 1 1/2 inch diameter balls by rolling in palms of hands. Flatten three to five balls and cut into grape leaf-like shape, using knife to mark leaf veins. Arrange "grapes" attractively, top with leaves. Brush dough with beaten egg, sprinkle with sesame seed or rolled oats. Cover; let rise in warm place until doubled in size, about 30 minutes.

Heat oven to 375 degrees. Uncover dough. Bake at 375 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes or until golden brown. Immediately remove from cookie sheet. 8 breadsticks. Serves 8.

Spinach Souffle Crepes

Jennifer Davidson
Fruits and Vegetables
Senior Division

CREPES:

1 1/2 cups milk
1 cup all-purpose flour
vegetable oil
3 eggs
1/8 tsp. salt
Put milk, eggs, salt and flour in a blender, cover and blend at top speed for 30 seconds. Batter should be consistency of heavy cream. Cover and refrigerate for an hour or two to allow batter to thicken. Before preparing each crepe, brush the crepe pan with oil to cover bottom. Heat pan until hot but not smoking. Pour in about 2-3 tablespoons batter, tilting pan to coat evenly. Cook over medium heat about 1 minute, until the top of crepe is dry and the bottom is lightly browned. Turn crepe with spatula and cook on other side about 20 seconds.

CHEESE SAUCE:

3 Tbsp. butter or margarine
3 Tbsp. flour
1 cup milk
1/4 tsp. salt
dash cayenne
1 cup American cheese, grated
Heat butter in small saucepan until melted. Stir in flour. Gradually add milk, stirring. Heat to boiling, stirring until mixture thickens. Add remaining ingredients, stirring until cheese melts.

SPINACH SOUFFLE FILLING:

3 Tbsp. butter or margarine
1/4 cup minced onion
1 - 10 oz. pkg. chopped spinach, thawed
3 Tbsp. flour
1/2 cup grated Swiss cheese
1 cup milk, scalded
1/2 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. nutmeg
4 eggs, separated
Melt butter in medium saucepan. Add onion and cook 5 minutes, stirring until tender. Add spinach and cook, stirring, about 3 minutes to evaporate most of the moisture. Stir in flour smoothly. Add hot milk and cook, stirring, until mixture boils. Season with salt and nutmeg.

Add egg yolks one at a time, stirring until well-blended. Add grated cheese. Beat egg whites until stiff peaks form. Fold into egg yolk mixture with a light hand. Pour into a well-buttered 1 1/2 quart souffle dish. Set pan in another pan containing 1 inch hot water. Bake at 350 degrees about 35 minutes, or until knife inserted in center comes out clean.

To assemble: Place about 1/3 cup of baked spinach souffle in center of each crepe. Spread lightly. Roll up and place in shallow baking dish, seam side down. Top with cheese sauce. Place dish under broiler about 4 inches from heating element, for 2-3 minutes, to brown sauce lightly. Garnish with parsley. Make crepes ahead of time, separating with waxed paper. Make sauce while souffle is cooking.

Apricot Horns

Julie Childress
Snacks and Desserts
Senior Division

1/2 lb. butter or margarine
1/2 lb. creamed cottage cheese
2 cups sifted flour

Blend above ingredients together with hands to form dough. Add more flour if cottage cheese is watery. Shape into 1 inch balls and refrigerate overnight or at least 2 hours. (Dough may be kept in refrigerator up to 1 month.)

FILLING:

1/2 lb. dried apricots
1 cup sugar
Cook apricots in small amount of water until tender (15-20 minutes). Drain and puree. Add sugar while still hot. Cool.

COATING:

3/4 cup ground almonds (can use pecans)
1/2 cup confectioners sugar
3/4 cup sugar
2 egg whites slightly beaten
Mix nuts and sugar. Roll each doughball into a 3 inch round. (Make only 10 horns at a time so dough will stay cold.) Place a teaspoon of filling in center, roll up in shape of a horn or crescent. Dip into egg white and then roll in nut and sugar mixture.

Place on a greased baking sheet and bake at 375 degrees for 12 minutes or until lightly browned. Sprinkle with confectioners sugar. Makes 4-5 dozen, depending how you roll your doughballs. This recipe serves 20-25 people. A serving size is 2 horns.

Vegetable & Cheese Enchiladas

Whitney Vannoy
Main Dish
Senior Division

into 3/4 inch dice
1 Tbsp. chopped fresh cilantro
3/4 tsp. salt
6 (6 1/4 inch) corn tortillas
cooked white rice (optional)

SAUCE:

1 can (16 oz) crushed tomatoes
1 tsp. chili powder
1/2 tsp. ground cumin
1/4 tsp. freshly ground pepper
2 Tbsp. chopped fresh cilantro
1/2 tsp. salt
In bowl, combine ingredients; mix well. Set aside.

CHEESE FILLING:

1 cup whole-milk ricotta cheese
2 cups (8 oz.) shredded Monterey Jack cheese (with or without jalapenos)
In food processor, puree ricotta. Transfer to bowl. Reserve 1/2 cup Monterey Jack; add remainder to ricotta. Mix well; set aside. Preheat oven to 425 degrees.

VEGETABLE FILLING:

1 Tbsp. vegetable oil
1 large carrot, peeled, thinly sliced crosswise
1 small zucchini, halved lengthwise, thinly sliced crosswise
1 large clove garlic, crushed
1 4 oz. can chopped green chilies, drained, patted dry
1/4 tsp. freshly ground pepper
1 med. yellow onion, chopped
1 yellow or green pepper, cut

In large, nonstick skillet, heat oil over medium heat. Add onion; saute 3 minutes or just until tender. Stir in carrot; saute 3 minutes longer. Stir in yellow or green pepper, zucchini and garlic, cook six minutes or just until vegetables are tender. Stir in cilantro, chilies, salt and pepper; mix gently until blended. Remove skillet from heat and set aside.

Assemble enchiladas: Spoon 1/4 cup tomato sauce over bottom of 12x8 inch, 2 1/2 quart baking dish. Dip one tortilla in remaining sauce to soften slightly. Spoon scant 1/3 cup cheese filling and then 1/2 cup vegetable filling over tortilla; roll up, jelly-roll fashion. Place seam side down over sauce in dish. Repeat with remaining tortillas, sauce and fillings. Pour remaining sauce over all; sprinkle with reserved Monterey Jack cheese.

Cover with foil; bake 15 minutes. Remove foil; bake 3-5 minutes or until enchiladas are hot and cheese melts. Serve with rice, if desired. Makes six servings. Serving size is one enchilada.

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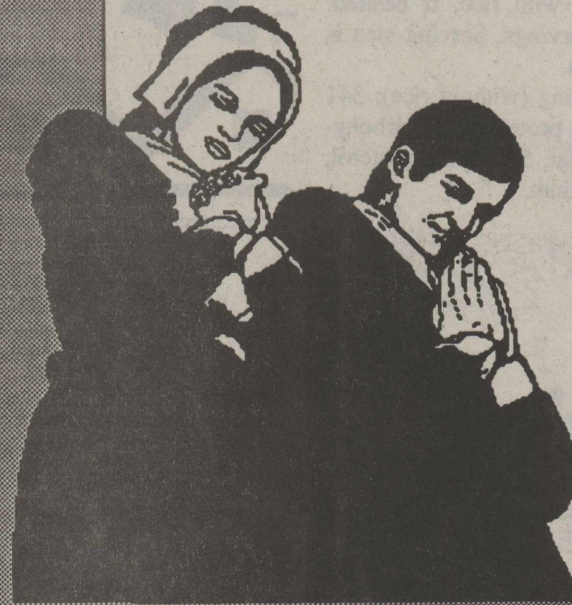
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Come, ye thankful people, come,
 Raise the song of Harvest-home;
 All is safely gathered in,
 Ere the winter storms begin.

-Henry Alford (1810-1871)

We join our voices with yours in appreciation of the bounty we enjoy, and add our heartfelt thanks to all of

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