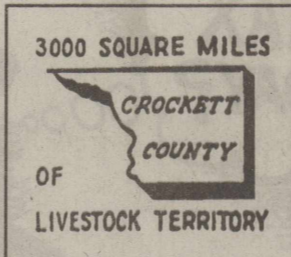


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OHS Graduation Friday Night



MICKEY WHITE AND RYAN MORRIS take a moment to reflect on their second place win in tennis doubles play at the state meet in Austin.
Photo by Sandra Childress

Ozona High School commencement exercises for the Class of 1994 will be Friday night, May 27, at eight o'clock in Lion Stadium. Members of the class will be presented to the audience by new superintendent Larry J. Taylor. They will receive their diplomas from former school board member Gary Buck Mitchell.

The program for the evening includes the invocation by Stefny Sutton, welcome by salutorian Joel Fuller, "Looking Back" by Ryan Morris, "Within Ourselves" by Chris Comett, the valedictory address by Jennifer Evans and benediction by Adrienne Dickerson. Awards will be presented by Principal John Curry.

Ushers for the event are: Leigh Chandler, Travis Davidson, Doug Meador and JoLynn Vannoy.

Candidates for graduation are: Robert W. Bryson Jr., Jesse Daniel Caldera, Leanna Castro Cervantez, Sanjuana G. Cervantez, Christopher D. Cornett, Jana Kaye Cotton, Carla Jean DeHoyos, Sarah Lynn Dellis, Adrienne Mikal Dickerson, Jennifer Brett Evans, John Michael Fay Jr., Joey Flores, Joel Adam Fuller, Joe Thomas Galan, Selma Galindo, Michelle Gonzales, Bart Grimes, Walter Thomas Harger Jr., Heather Hannah Hill, Keith Neil Miller, Frankie Martin Moran Jr., Ryan Shane Morris, Rodney Munoz, Gabriel John Perez, Diana Robledo Ramirez, Emily Ramirez, John Daniel Ramirez Jr., Petra Rios, Lawrence Anthony Sanchez, Shelby D'Anne Stuart, Stefny Crystelle Sutton, Gary Duane Thompson, Mary Lou Tollett, Paul Anthony Vargas, Tiffany K. Vargas and Victor Juan Villa.



Photo by Sandra Childress

Ozona High School Class of 1994

Rev. Bill Fuller gave the sermon

at baccalaureate service Sunday night. Rodney Hamon provided the invocation and Rev. Dan Fleming the benediction. Mrs. Katharine Russell and

Rodney Payton performed special music, and Mrs. Russell also played the traditional processional and recessional.

Williams Files As Independent

Troy Williams filed May 11 for a place on the General Election ballot as an independent candidate for county judge. The petition Williams presented carried the names of 59 registered voters who had not voted in either the primary or run-off election.

The former county judge filed in December a declaration of intent to run as an independent. Candidates wishing to run as independents cannot actually file until after the May primary run-off date, but must file a letter of intent within a time period specified by the Texas Election Code.

Williams' daughter, the late Kathryn Mayfield, was county judge at that time and had filed for a place on the Democratic Primary ballot. Judge Mayfield died little more than a month before the March 8 primary, but her name remained on the ballot. The Election Code specifies that candidates cannot be removed from the ballot after a certain date.

Candidate Jeffrey Sutton received the majority of votes in the primary and will be on the November ballot as the Democratic Party candidate for Crockett County Judge.

Fierro To Compete In Special Olympics



Luyita Fierro
By Neal Ulmer, Stockman sportswriter

as he won the 50m dash plus a silver medal for the softball throw.

Wearing a new shirt provided by the parents of the Special Olympic athletes, Fierro went out and captured first place in the 50m dash and placed fourth in the softball throw. This qualified him for both events in the state meet.

In his fifth year as a volunteer coach, James Cox said a person has to have some training in working with the Special Olympic athletes. Cox uses his common sense to guide him in his coaching but added, "A coach has to coach on what they (the athletes) can do and work on those (abilities)."

At the state meet, the athletes range in age from 12 years old to over

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Eighth Grade Graduation May 26

Members of the Ozona Junior High School Eighth Grade Class of 1994 will graduate Thursday, May 26. The 1:30 p.m. ceremony will be held in the high school auditorium.

Candidates for graduation are: Jessica Avila, Leslie Avila, Brian Badillo, Jason Baker, Jose Barboza, Anna Batrez, Wesley Bean, Byron Beasley, Russell Bishop, Justin Browne, Bobbie Bryson, Donald Bullard, Esequiel Castillo, Stephanie Castro, Louis Cervantez, Martin Cordova, Connie Cowen, Evangelia Coy, Robert Daniels, Mary Helen De La Garza, Ann De La Rosa, Gary Dominguez, John Esparza, Anna Fierro, Shannon Fleming, Alberto Flores, Molly Flores, Stephanie Franco, Emily Galindo, Mario Garcia, Veronica Garcia, Gabriel Garza, Misty Gomez, Margie Gonzales, Hilario Guadar-

rama, Juli Hall, Richard Hamon, Robert Hamon, William Harris, George Hernandez, Susan Hester, Haley Holden, Angelica Longoria, Ramon Longoria, Carol Lozano, Nereyda Lugo, Terren Marshall, David Martinez, Natalie Martinez, Amber McWilliams, Autumn McWilliams, Robert Nelson, John Ortiz, Melissa Oviedo, Brandon Parlow, Kristy Pridemore, Maria Quiroz, Efran Ramirez, Felicia Ramirez, Frankie Ramos, Jamie Ramos, Salvador Ramos, Stacy Ramos, Olivia Rico, Sammy Rodriguez, Michael San Miguel, Carla Sandate, Traci Screws, Kristen Shurley, Katherine St. Clair, Loretta Stewart, Felix Suarez, John Tumbunga, Amber Tarr, Araceli Tijerina, Maria Trujillo, Dennis Vargas, Reba Vargas, Maribel Vasquez, Dena Webb, Christina White, Lauren Wilkins and Camelia Williams.

Sims Wins Shooting Competition

The Hunter Class Benchrest second competition of the season was held here Saturday with seven shooters. Five competed in the custom class and two in the factory class.

"We had a first-time benchrest shooter out; he borrowed a gun and won the event," said Tom Anderson.

Scores in the custom class were: Dr. Marcus Sims 247-4X, Tom Anderson 243-5X, Tim Cole 243-5X,

Fred Deaton 243-4X, Al Elliott 237-4X. Factory class results were Frank White 235-4X and Dan Pullen 229-5X. Cole and Elliott are from Sonora.

"Al Elliott brought out some equipment that is the leading edge of the accuracy game," said Anderson.

"When properly broke in, we should have some high scores recorded." The next match will be June 25. "Come join us," said Anderson.

Carroll To Compete At State

U.I.L. state solo and ensemble contest will be held Saturday, May 28. Sophomore Adam Carroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carroll, will represent Ozona High School at this event.

Adam qualified for the state contest by receiving a Division I or superior rating on a Class I trumpet solo at

the Region VII solo and ensemble contest held at Angelo State University in February. Participants at the regional level of competition are required to play one piece from a specific list of acceptable solos. This list is divided into three levels or classes with Class I being the most difficult.

Adam performed "Sonata VIII" by Corelli to earn his trip to state. Unlike the regional competition, Adam will have to perform this solo from memory on May 28. Judging at the state contest is the same as region in that participants are rated from I (superior) to V (poor).

Adam's solo performance will be judged by Dave Ritter, formerly the assistant director at U.T. Austin and now assistant at Baylor University. Mrs. Sara Hignight will play the piano accompaniment.

Until recently, all state solo and ensemble events were held at the University of Texas in Austin. Due to the increases in the number of participants, a second site was added to help make the contest run more efficiently. The 4A and 5A high schools still participate in Austin with the 1A through 3A schools at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.



Adam Carroll

Spiller Honored With Retirement Dinner

The Ozona Primary School faculty honored Walter Spiller with a retirement dinner Friday, May 20, at the OPS cafeteria. Mr. Spiller has been principal at OPS for 12 years. He has been employed by Crockett County Schools for 28 years and in the education profession for 31 years.

The covered dish dinner was prepared by the faculty with George Ybarra cooking barbecue brisket. After the meal, the faculty presented a program titled "That's My Story!!". Several faculty members and guests told amusing stories about the past. A rap, "Hey, Mr. Spiller", and a song titled "This Ole School" were performed by several members of the faculty. Mr. Spiller was presented several gifts including a plaque for appreciation of years of service at OPS from his faculty.

The highlight of the evening was when L.B.T. Sikes presented the plaque from Crockett County School District for years of service. Mr. Sikes was the superintendent who hired Mr. Spiller 28 years ago.

Out-of-town guests included: Garland Davis, former superintendent of Ozona Schools, and wife Rosie from Robert Lee; L.B.T. Sikes and wife Jerrie from San Angelo; and Kathy Grendahl from Mason.

Guests from Ozona included Elizabeth Clark, Susie Childress, Kathryn Russell, Mr. and Mrs. George Ybarra, Sarah Adams, Mae Lay, Sue Spoons and the OPS faculty and their spouses.



WALTER SPILLER IS WELCOMED to retirement by former superintendent L.B.T. Sikes who presented a plaque to Mr. Spiller on behalf of the school district.

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Scotty, Linda and staff,
We were so proud of the Awards Program article and picture insert in last week's paper. We just wanted to let you know what an outstanding job that you did in taking the pictures for our program. The special insert will be treasured by parents and children for many years.

We also want to thank you for always coming to our campus when we call you - especially on short notice. Your write-ups and pictures are important to children and parents and the staff at the Ozona Primary School campus want to extend a special thank-

you for your time and cooperation in making the events that happen at our school important enough to put in the newspaper.

Sincerely,
Ozona Primary School teachers and principal, Walter Spiller

Keep my Stockman coming for another year. Since I can't get back that way at least I can see what is going on in my wonderful old home town.
Thanks,
Joan Holt Williams

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NEWS REEL
MAY 27, 1965

News Reel

David Childress, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Childress, was named the winner of the annual Woman's Forum Citizenship award at the 1965 graduation ceremony at the high school auditorium last Friday night.

News Reel

Two Ozona students, Robert Doyle Cox and Ronnie Houston, were among the 1965 graduating class from San Angelo College, the last class to be graduated from SAC as a junior college.

News Reel

A fire which threatened the big feed mills of the Ranch Feed & Supply Co. in west Ozona Wednesday afternoon produced a lot of smoke and blaze but resulted in no damage to the feed mill buildings.

News Reel

Miss Yvonne Martinez, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martinez and fourth highest ranking student in the 1965 graduating class of Ozona High School, was the recipient of the 1965 scholarship award presented by the Ozona GI Forum and the Ladies Auxiliary.

News Reel

Three Ozona students, Thomas Alvin Fields, Barbara Barbee and Thomas Owen Porter, were among 1,300 other students who received degrees from Texas Tech University commencement exercises May 29.

News Reel

Miss Sandra Bess Whitaker, 22, was chosen as one of the twelve finalists for the coveted Miss Wool of Texas title, it was announced last

weekend.

News Reel

Funeral services will be held at 5 o'clock this afternoon from the Ozona Methodist Church for Mrs. Pon (Maggie Friend) Seahorn, 84, one of the fast vanishing tribe of Crockett County pioneers, a resident of the county since two years before its organization.

News Reel

Among the newly commissioned Lieutenants after graduating from A&M University is Arthur C. Kyle, Air Force, Distinguished AFOTC graduate, regular Air Force Designee.

News Reel

Joe Bussey and Ed Shepperson each received the Scottish Rite degrees and were initiated into the Shrine.

News Reel

Pete Cisneros, former Ozonan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reyes Cisneros of Ozona, is the toast of Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School, in the Texas Valley, after the varsity band, under his baton, and completed one of the most successful years in the school's history.

News Reel

Miss Susan Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Boyd, and Terry Hickman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hickman, were honored at a going-away party given by Mitzi Friend and Grace Ann Tabb last Saturday night at the new civic center.

News Reel

George Cranfill, Sr., 88, father of Ed Cranfill, service manager for the West Texas Utilities Co. here, died early last Thursday morning in a Big Spring rest home.

NEWS REEL
MAY 28, 1935

News Reel

W. B. Holland, Ballinger rancher, will be in Ozona Friday and Saturday to acquaint ranchmen of this section with the merits of "Get's Em" a new screwworm killer and fly repellent he has developed.

News Reel

Encouraging reports coming daily from members of the family who are at his bedside allayed somewhat the anxiety of friends here over the condition of Crockett County Judge Chas. E. Davidson, who suffered a stroke late Tuesday near Lawrence, Kansas, while enroute to Winfield, Iowa, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grimmer, son-in-law and daughter.

News Reel

A new high peak in prices for West Texas wools was set yesterday in a frenzied flurry of buying over the area. A good quantity of 12-months wool was reported sold during the day at the new high of 33 1/2 cents a pound. Eight months wool set a new high of 32 cents.

News Reel

Miss Ethel Childress is in Dallas where she is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Jester.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bailey will leave this week for Dallas to attend graduation exercises at SMU where their daughter, Berniece Bailey, is receiving her degree.

Political Announcements

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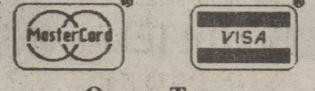
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Jess Malone Appointed To Texas Rangers



Jess Malone

The Texas Department of Public Safety announces the appointment of Jess Carl Malone, III, to the position of Sergeant, Texas Rangers. Sergeant Malone is a fifteen year veteran of the Department of Public Safety and has been stationed in Beeville, Iraan and Houston.

Sergeant Malone will receive his appointment on June 7, 1994, in Austin and will assume his responsibilities on June 1, 1994, in Centerville. Sergeant Malone will be responsible for conducting investigations in Leon, Houston and Robertson counties as well as other areas of the state when called upon to do so by the Director of the Department of Public Safety or Governor Richards.

Jess is the son of Sonny and Barbara Malone of Ozona and the father of Danielle Malone of Iraan.

League Has Final Meeting Of Club Year

Members of Ozona Woman's League met May 10, 1994, in the home of Elizabeth Clark. Carmen Sutton assisted as hostess. Newly elected president Vicki Stokes presided over the meeting.

Department chairmen and committee members for 1994-95 were announced. Second vice-president Susan McMullan presented the proposed projects and budget for the 1994-95 year. After reviewing the 1993-94

year and approving the new budget and next year's projects, the following members adjourned for the summer: Kay Baker, Tina Bean, Vickie Black, Becky Childress, Elizabeth Clark, Elizabeth Gries, Terri Faight, Katrece Hale, Laurie Hale, Karen Huffman, Jeanine Henderson, Gwin Jamerson, Peggy Logan, Jana Wilson, Carmen Sutton, Susan McMullan, Sally Oglesby, Shana Smith, Vicki Stokes and Tracey Preddy.

Wilson Named To McMurry Student Organization

Myra Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wilson of Ozona, has been named as part of a group of 25 students to the 1994-95 Indian Insight, a McMurry University student organization designed to promote the university through student involve-

ment. Indian Insight primarily works in two areas. The first is by assisting the Office of Admissions in recruiting new students. The second is by promoting a positive public image of the university.

Bissett Honored At Howards College Awards Program

Lockie Sue Bissett of San Angelo was among the honorees at a Howard College awards program May 4. Ms. Bissett received the award for academic excellence in biology and psychology and was named outstanding student in psychology. She is a mem-

ber of the Phi Theta Kappa International Scholastic Honor Society. Ms. Bissett expects to complete the curriculum for an associate degree in applied science in nursing and in alcohol and drug abuse counseling in 1995.

Happy Birthday

May 25 - Scotty Moore, Lauren Wilkins, Modena Smallwood, Aaron Espino

May 26 - Melissa Vallejo, Alex Borrego Jr., Mary Hays, JoLynn Vannoy

May 27 - Susan Sheppard, Cecil Necessary, Jesus "Skeeter" Ramirez

May 28 - Rodney Beasley, Roxanne Castro, Manuel Borrego, Marcus Delgado, Chad Upham, Puja Bhakta

May 29 - Mozelle Houston, Courtney Childress

May 30 - Don Long, Luce Gonzales Sr., Kathleen Edinburgh

May 31 - Peyton Fenton

Happy 58th wedding anniversary to Mr. and Mrs. Juan Molina on May 25.

Best wishes for a happy anniversary go to Sharon and Bobby Forehand and Abel and Anna Lara on May 27.

Maria Ramos
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Michael Ybarra

Leesa Haire
bride-elect of
Jerry Marshall

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Wedding Bells Ring For Thompson, White

On May 17, 1994, Jobeth Thompson and Ted Mark White III were married at the Ozona United Methodist Church by Reverend Tim Brewer.

Jobeth is the daughter of Roy Thompson and Judy Thompson of Happy. Ted is the son of T. Mark and Patsy White of San Angelo and Ozona.

New Grandson For Mavis And Don Dunlap

Mavis and Don Dunlap announce the birth of grandson, Caleb Quinn Ferrell. He was born at 8:15 a.m., May 18, at Hopkins County Hospital in Sulphur Springs, Texas, weighing 10 1/4 pounds. He was welcomed by parents, Melaina and Chad, and brother, Jordan.

Other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Troy Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ferrell of Sulphur Springs.

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It's A Boy!

A son, Sean Alec, was born to Carmen Gutierrez May 12, 1994, in Community Hospital in San Angelo. The baby arrived at 12:14 a.m. weighing seven pounds, 10 ounces. He was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Beniot and Inez Gutierrez of Ozona. The baby's great-grandmother is Carmen Gutierrez of Ozona. Inez Ybarra, also of Ozona, is the great-grandfather.

*Special Olympics (Continued from page 1)

35 years old. The athletes will be divided into heats according to their performance in the preliminaries and according to their age.

Coach Cox and Fierro have been working very hard to get to the state meet. In the softball throw, Cox has been teaching Fierro to take three steps and throw the ball. Cox's final advice in the 50m dash will be to, "get away from the blocks fast, run fast, and don't let anyone pass you." Hopefully, this will improve his chances to "get the gold" one more time.

Fans will want to wish Luyita Fierro good luck in going for the gold in Austin this week.

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Never gamble in heavy traffic. The cars may be stacked against you.

Playing with dice is a SHAKY business.

Gambling is like diving into an empty swimming pool. The chances that you will hit bottom are about the same.

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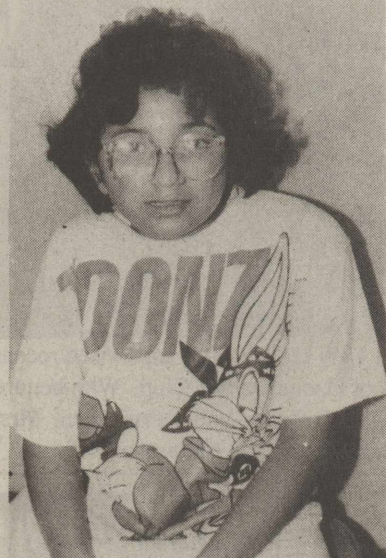
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Hoping For A Miracle

By Cynthia Harrell Hodges

The dark brown eyes of almost 13-year-old Maggie Sanchez dance with anticipation as the date for surgery that could possibly change her life nears.



Maggie Sanchez

Life for Maggie has been a struggle, almost from birth. Both she and twin sister Margo appeared healthy during the first year of their lives according to mother Sylvia Sanchez. While Margo continued to develop normally, when Maggie was one-year-old doctors confirmed that she had an illness, myasthenia gravis, that was sapping her strength. The disease causes extreme weakness of the muscles because of an interruption of nerve impulses traveling to the muscle. In other words, myasthenia gravis causes dead ends, instead of complete road ways, and all this is somehow due to the incorrect functioning of the thymus gland.

As if the medical plate was not full enough for the Paul Sanchez family, Maggie was diagnosed with narcolepsy, an abnormal sleepiness form of epilepsy accompanied by brief unconsciousness (petit mal seizure) three to four years ago. By this time, scoliosis, a lateral curvature of the spine, was well established. This curvature has caused complications in breathing due to a compression of the lungs. The scoliosis is what doctors in San Antonio hope to treat in mid-June. The operation will be performed by a Swiss doctor at Santa Rosa Children's Hospital there. Dr. Michael L. Michaelis of Community Hospital in San Angelo referred the case to Dr. Robert M. Campbell Jr. in San Antonio, and Dr. Campbell will assist in the surgery.

The homebound pre-teen, who has been unable to attend classes since February, longs to return to school, participate in P.E. and lead a more normal life. Hopefully, the operation, which will require a minimum 14 day recuperation period, will lead Maggie to a more active lifestyle.

The operation ensures that Maggie will be in a body cast for 14 days, followed by a body brace. Because of Maggie's medical complications, the operation will last a maximum of four hours and may have to be followed by additional surgery. At the end of the process, the goal is to have Maggie 80 percent straighter than she presently is. A special wheelchair will be needed to assist in mobility.

Mrs. Sanchez hopes that correction of the scoliosis can lead to a more normal family existence. She has learned that the medical conditions respond differently during the changing seasons. Hot weather seems to aggravate the situation, while cooler temperatures mean more comfort for Maggie.

Though Medicaid covers the cost of the operation and doctor, the family is trying to raise money for the transportation to and from San Antonio, the cost of meals, hotel or motel lodging and other incidental expenses that tend to crop up any time a person is away from home.

The Ronald McDonald house in San Antonio is located too far from the hospital where the surgery will be performed. Since Maggie must remain in constant contact with the doctors during her extensive rehabilitation, staying there is not an option for the family.

Sanchez, who works for Triple G Supply and Roustabout Service, has arranged for time away from work to be with his daughter. He and younger daughter Marlana, 11, will probably make many trips to and from San Antonio.

The family had a hamburger fund raiser at the home of Maggie's grandfather, Joe Borrego Sr, and a benefit dance was held at Jesse's Place. There may be benefit food sales at Jesse's this weekend, also.

Mrs. Sanchez is a daily fixture at the primary school with her delicious

candied apples, popcorn balls and cupcakes. Selling for 25 to 50 cents, many wonderful after school treats have been devoured by children and parents.

During the struggles with Maggie, the family has been helped by several Ozonans. Don Stark, the teacher who conducts the homebound program, has assisted Maggie since she had to quit school in late February. "We love him to death," says Maggie. "Lisa Stubblefield, a therapist at West Texas Rehabilitation Center in San Angelo, has been ready to meet our needs on a minute's notice," said Mrs. Sanchez.

Though temporarily derailed because of a car accident last week, the family would like to express their thanks for all that everyone has done. T & C has donated apples, friends donated hamburger buns and meat and many hours of labor preparing the food.

"Please tell everyone I really thank them for helping me," said Maggie.

Vacation Bible School May 30 - June 1 at First Baptist

Children ages four through sixth grade are invited to attend Vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church May 30-June 3. Classes will be held from 9 a.m. until noon.

For more information, call 392-5555.



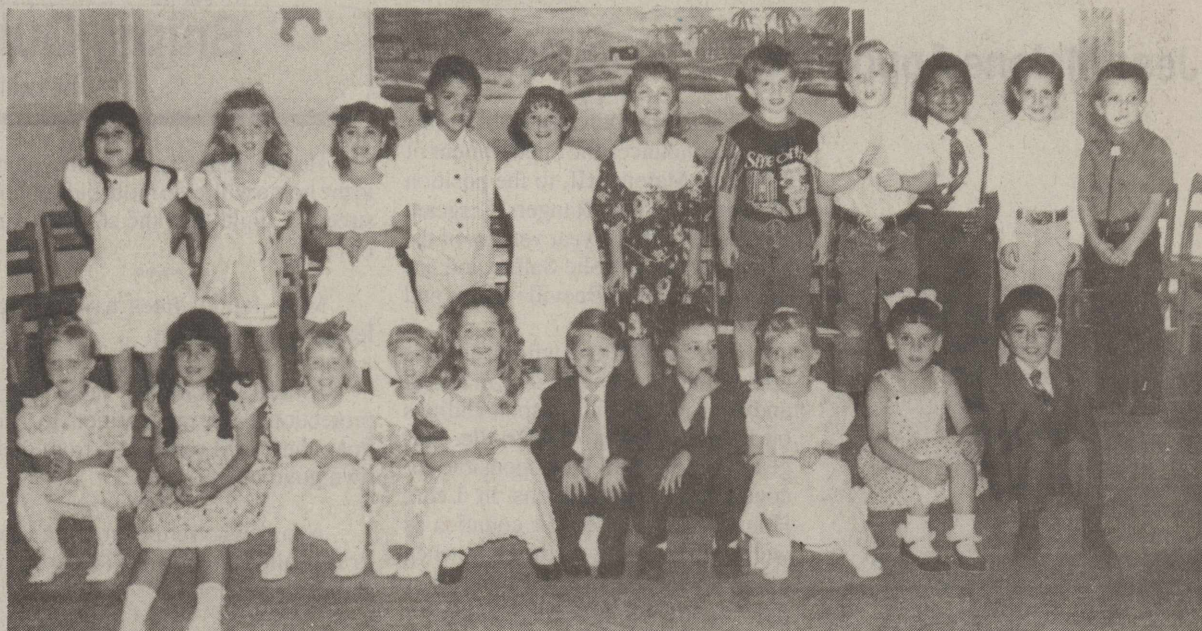
Crockett County Public Library News

By Louise Ledoux

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Photo by Neal Ulmer

TAAS, TEAMS Tests To Be Given July 12-14

Former students who have completed all high school graduation requirements but who have not yet passed one or more of the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) exit tests or the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) tests are eligible to take these exams this summer. The TAAS writing exam will be given on July 12. The TAAS and TEAMS reading tests will be given on July 13, while the TAAS and TEAMS mathematics exams will be administered on July 14.

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in taking these exams need to register in advance, and completed registration forms must be received in Iowa City, Iowa before June 10. Registration forms and information may be picked up at the high school office.

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Thursday, June 2

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Friday, June 3

Baked Ham, Candied Yams, Italian Green Beans, Rolls, Banana Pudding

The human race is in dire peril. Not only from international, social, economic, and ecological disasters. But from on more fundamental. We are out of touch with God, and most of us want to keep it that way.

He is a threat to our independence, a check on our pleasures and, worst of all, a judge of our actions. And so we distance ourselves from Him. Of course we do. It is only natural. And when God sees the alienation we have chosen instead of closeness to Him, He cannot remain indifferent. We are in the wrong, and He cannot pretend otherwise. And so the gap widens. And we who are so alive physically and mentally are spiritual corpses.

From: *Who is this Jesus?*
By: Michael Green

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Card of Thanks

We want to thank everybody that donated food or helped us in any way cooking and selling hamburgers and Cokes Thursday, May 19, at Dad's house, and Sunday, May 22, at Jesse's Place. Also, thanks to everybody that bought the hamburgers and Cokes. Special thanks to Grandpa for his house on Thursday.
Paul, Sylvia and Family

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank all my aunts, uncles, wela and grandpa for everything, especially Mr. Stark and Lisa Stubblefield for helping me all year long. Special thanks to my buddies el Harvey and David T. for everything.
Love everybody very much and thank you.
Maggie Sanchez

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank the people of Ozona, especially the many church and prayer groups who kept Alex in their prayers and thoughts, before, during and after his open heart surgery. Since Alex's birth the Lord has continuously shown us his wondrous works through this young boy's ordeals. Our immediate family and community family has definitely become closer and stronger in faith through all this. Alex's total correction open heart surgery was successful and without complications, and if his heart continues to grow as it has, this may have been his last surgery needed. Alex has been resting and recovering at home in Kerrville. We would like to express our sincerest thanks for your support and prayers.
Thank You
Frank and Manie Galvan and the rest of Alex's family

Is It Just An Illusion?

By Wayne Woody,
Harvest Time Christian Center

"Thou wilt keep him in PERFECT PEACE, whose mind is stayed on thee; because he trusteth in thee" (Isa. 26:3)

In a world filled with stress, fear and anxiety, some may wonder how people can experience a 'perfect peace'. Yes, Jesus did say that in the last days "The courage of many people will falter because of the fearful fate they see coming upon the earth..." (Lk. 21:26)LB.

We, no doubt, will not be able to alter most of the fearful disasters, wars, plagues and deep hatred that fills so many hearts in our land. So, we must find this peace in the midst of the storms of life. The prophet is speaking of a personal peace.

The letter part of this verse gives us the key to the peace of God... "whose mind is stayed on thee". When our Lord becomes the center of our thoughts, and our purpose for being, we begin to see all those impossible and unpleasant conditions of life in a very different light. Why? The remainder of this verse tells us "...because he trusteth in thee".

To experience and maintain this "perfect peace" which God offers his people, there must be continuing relationship with God. As we grow daily in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord, we begin to feel more like Paul when he said, "Nothing could separate him from the love of God".

No, the peace of God is no illusion, it is one of the cherished benefits of those who pursue the Lord with all their hearts.

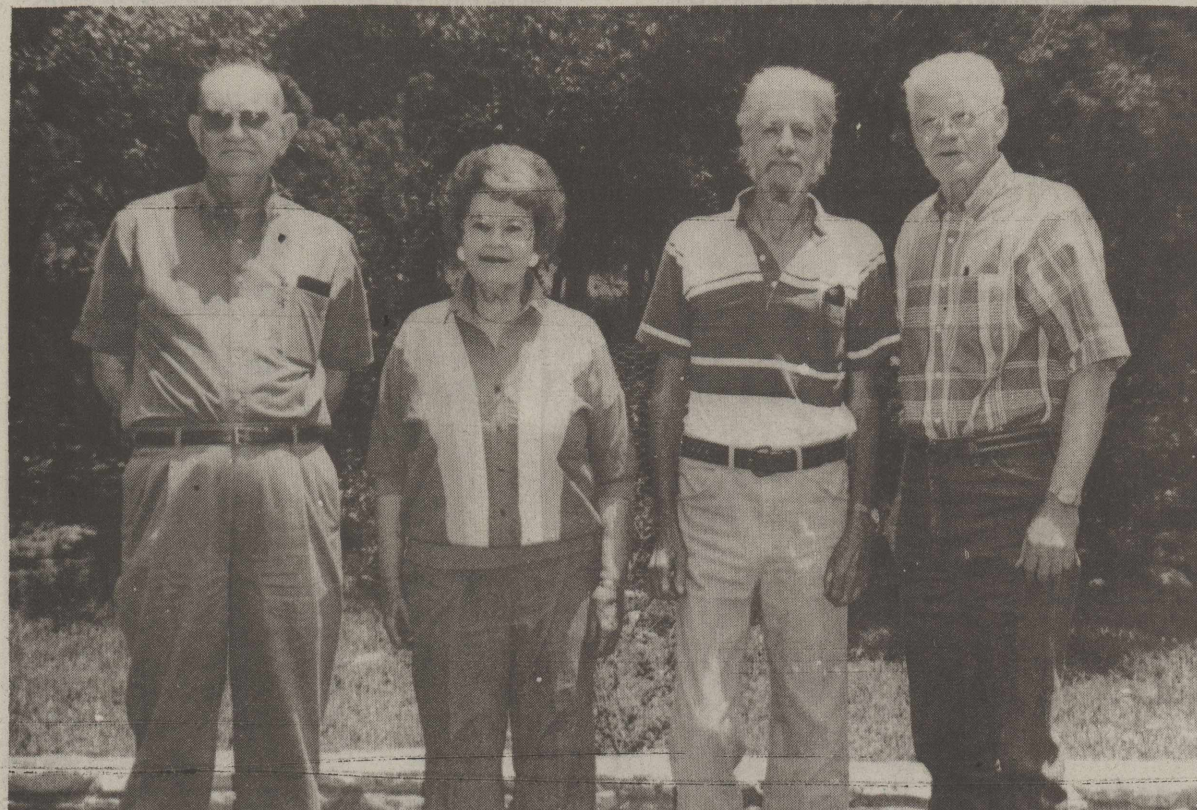
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CLASS OF 1954 REUNION attendees are: (sitting, l. to r.) Charles Gary Garlitz, Jeannene Tompson Booher, Alena Faye Powers Hokit, and Shirley Kost Kirby. Top row: (l. to r.) Larry Lewis, Jane Adams Garlitz, Graham Childress, Dorthea Greer Bolan, Jo Ann Allen Williamson, Earl Berry and Jamie Knox. Photo by Neal Ulmer



ATTENDING THE '54 REUNION: (l. to r.) L.B.T. Sikes, Georgia Kirby, Vernon Harlen and Lem Bray. Not pictured is Jewel Bailey. Photo by Neal Ulmer

OHS Class Of 1954 Reunion

May 21 was a red letter day for members of the OHS Class of 1954 when 11 of the group gathered for a reunion at the home of Shirley and Dick Kirby. Five of the 15 class members still live in Ozona. Others came from Midland, San Antonio, San Angelo, Lovington, NM, and New York City to join the festivities.

The day-long reunion included reminiscing over annuals and pictures and catching up on happenings of the years since 1954.

"I even had our first grade readers," said Shirley.

Highlight of the day for all was the tour of schools. "Those who were still in town the next day were still talking about the schools," Shirley said.

The reunion began with a campfire breakfast prepared by Graham Childress at the Kirby home. Graham and Dick cooked the noon meal outside over the campfire and barbecue grill.

Class members attending the reunion were: Jane (Adams) and Charles Gary Garlitz of Midland, Larry Lewis of San Antonio, Jeannene Tompson Booher of New York City, Earl Berry of San Angelo, Dorthea Greer Bolan of Lovington, NM, Alena Faye Powers Hokit, Jo Ann Allen Williamson, Jamie Knox, Graham Childress and Shirley Kost Kirby.

Also joining the group for the day were two members of the Class of 1952, Norris Poague of California and Bobby Womack of Colorado.

Several parents of 1954 graduates stopped by and had a great time visiting. They were: Rachel Childress, Hilda Powers, Vi Allen, Emma Adams and Oscar Kost.

No class reunion is complete without teachers. Attending and en-

joying remembering when were the group's first grade teacher Georgia Kirby, fourth grade teacher Jewel Bailey, both of Ozona, and Vernon Harlan of Del Rio who taught high school English and Spanish. Two former superintendents were also present. L. B. T. Sikes and his wife Jerry came from San Angelo, and Lem Bray who was here from 1950-53 and his wife Roberta attended from Weatherford.

Judging Teams Qualify For State

The Crockett County Senior 4-H wool and mohair judging team took first place in Eldorado Saturday. JoLynn Vannoy was fourth high individual in wool, Amy Laughlin and Casey Upham were third and fifth high respectively in mohair. The team beat the teams that beat them in San Angelo and Kerrville in previous weeks. Team members were: Amy Laughlin, Casey Upham, Tara Wilkins and Anthony Sanchez. JoLynn Vannoy and Adrienne Dickerson judged as individuals.

At the San Angelo contest earlier this month, the Senior team placed second behind Kimble County, with Casey Upham sixth high individual, Amy Laughlin seventh high individual and Lauren Wilkins ninth high individual. Tara Wilkins was the other team member.

At the Kerrville contest the last Saturday in April, Crockett County placed second behind the Kerr County team, with Amy Laughlin third high individual in wool. Other team members were Casey Upham, Tara Wilkins, Anthony Sanchez and Ryan Bean, who judged as an individual.

The Crockett County Senior 4-H range and grass judging team placed second at the Eldorado contest Satur-

day. Slate Williams was fifth high individual in range and Lynne Haire was fifth high individual overall. The other team member was John Clayton Childress.

Both the wool and range judging teams will go to State 4-H Roundup in

College Station, where they will be competing for state honors June 7-9.

The wool and mohair team is coached by Donnie Laughlin. Vaden Aldridge coaches range and grass judging.

Basketball Camp Set For Late June

Summer basketball camp for girls will be held June 20-24 and June 27-July 1 for boys. The camp is open to all incoming second graders through ninth graders. Camp will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with a noon until 1 p.m. break for lunch. Students may bring a sack lunch or go with parents. Ozona coaches and former OHS players will instruct the camps.

The fee will be \$25.00 with financial assistance available for any 6th, 7th or 8th grader who meets eligibility requirements.

Girls will register on June 20 at 8:30 a.m. The boys will register June 27 at 8:30 a.m. Registration will take place in Davidson Gym.

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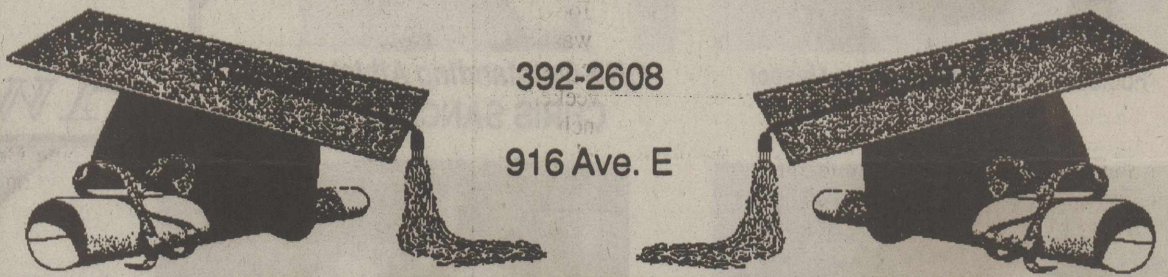
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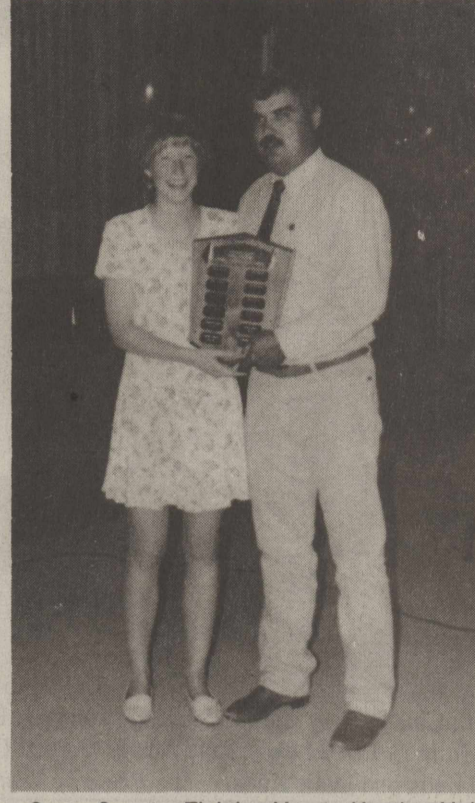
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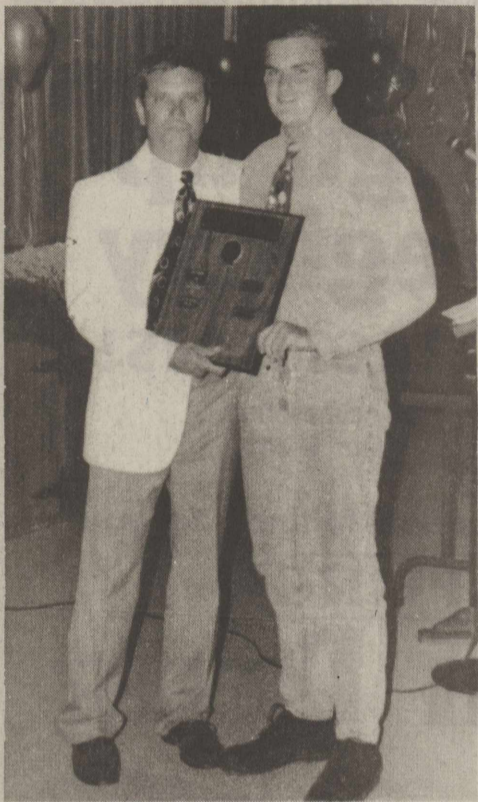
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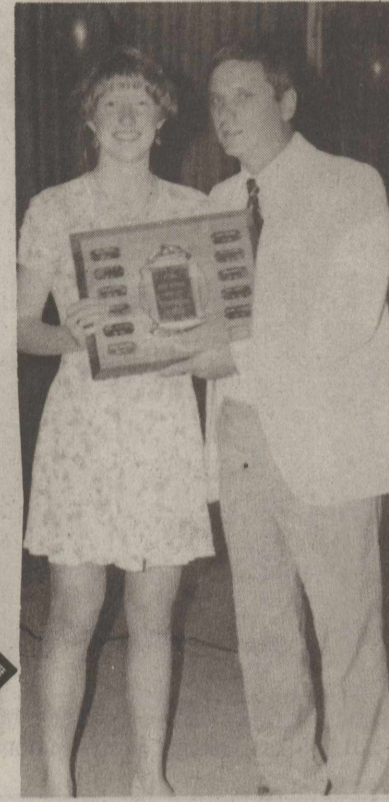
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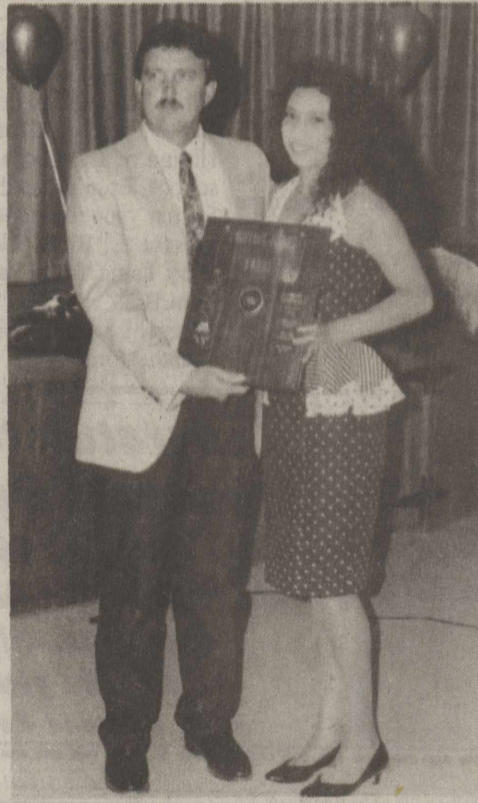


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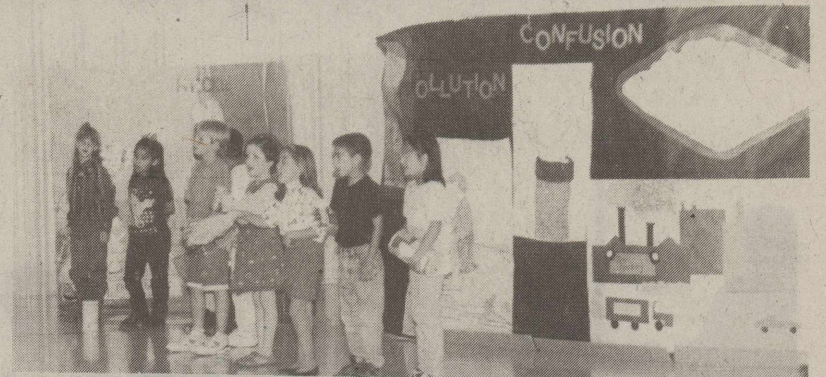
THE OZONA JUNIOR HIGH BAND EARNED A SUPERIOR RATING at the Reagan County Invitational Band Festival on Tues., May 17. The talented musicians are directed by Skip Carroll.

The Ozona Junior High Band traveled to Big Lake on Tuesday, May 17, to perform at the Reagan County Invitational Band Festival. There the band performed well and earned a Division I or superior rating from the judge.

The band performed three of the pieces they played at the spring concert. They were: "Greenbrier March" by Edmondson, "Aztec Sunrise" by Edmondson and "Imperium" by Sweeney.

Driving to Big Lake to hear the band compete were a number of parents. The students and directors were very appreciative of their support.

Judging the contest was Jesse Lotspeich from Crane. He was impressed with the level of performance of the band. Among his comments on the critique sheet were: "This is a challenging program for you to play - and you played it extremely well. Your approach to tone, balance, blend, technique is very good! It has taken a lot of hard work on your part and great teaching by your directors. Don't take it for granted, you are a very talented and capable group. Be sure to thank your director. Your performance represented yourself, school and community in the highest of standards. What a great group!"



THE SECOND GRADE STUDENTS at Ozona Primary School presented a musical Revue entitled "Every Day is Earth Day." on Thurs., May 19. The children learned ways to help save our earth. Our children will suffer if we don't clean up our planet. Pictured are: (l. to r.) Brandi Buchanan, Jasmine Rico, Bobby Owen, Vince Castro (hidden), Cora Seymore, Ashley Covey, Jimmy Ray Ybarra and Valerie Trevino.

Travis Davidson Places Ninth At State Powerlifting Meet

By Neal Ulmer, Stockman sports-writer

OHS junior Travis Davidson lifted his way to a ninth-place state finish in Austin on Saturday, April 2 at the Texas High School Powerlifting Association State Championship. Davidson lifted a total weight of 1,105 pounds, including 405 pounds from the squat position, 250 pounds from the bench press position, and 450 pounds from the deadlift position. His total weight lifted was 50 pounds less than his regional qualifying weight.

Judging at the state level couldn't have been any better, as three of the judges were from the National Powerlifting Association. The first place winner in the meet was Andre Alexander from Wolfe City with a total lift of 1,390 pounds.

Ozona powerlifting coach Rod Schneider said, "Travis had an off day but gathered valuable experience by being there. If he had lifted his best lifts, he would have placed in the top five. This shows our weightlifters can compete at a state level. I also think it contributes to our off-season program, considering Travis went as far as he did."

1993 OHS graduate Mike Kenison went to the state meet last year and participated in the same weight division, also receiving a ninth place at state.

Davidson received a first place medal for his efforts in the Region I Meet at Kermit last March, lifting a total weight of 1,155 pounds to earn a berth in the state meet. With this total weight, Davidson moved from a fourth-place ranking to a first-place ranking in his weight division within Region I.

Davidson placed first in the 181-pound division at the Sul Ross University Powerlifting Meet held in Alpine this past February. Lifting 420 pounds from a deadlift position helped him to a first-place finish and a fourth-place regional ranking. That lift was only five pounds less than the regional record.



WHILE STUDYING A UNIT ON THE RAINFOREST, Mrs. Efene's 4th graders made edible rainforest bugs. "Body Parts" were peanut butter, raisins, chinese noodles, dates and peanuts. Pictured is Casey Solansky with her creation.

Airport Planning Meeting May 25

The Texas Department of Transportation's Aviation Division is conducting a series of regional planning meetings throughout the state to review and update information for each airport in the Texas airport system.

The meeting to discuss Ozona's airport and other area airports will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 25, in the Ozona National Bank's Crockett Room.

Kenison On Honors List

Mike Kenison, a first year engineering student at Texas Tech University, achieved a 4.0 grade point average for the spring semester.

Students earning a 4.0 are named to the President's List.

Dance Recital May 28

Students of Ronda's School of Dance will be presented in their annual recital Saturday, May 28, at 6 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Are Your Child's Tonsils Keeping Him Up?

Is your child losing weight, having nightmares, sleepwalking, wetting the bed or falling asleep in school? It could be because his tonsils are keeping him from getting a good night's sleep.

"As a child enters sleep, the muscles in the back of the throat relax, and the throat collapses around the enlarged tonsils, cutting off the airway," says Dr. Joseph Leach, assistant professor of otorhinolaryngology at The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas. "The

oxygen levels drop, and the child awakens. So he never enters the deep stage of sleep. This is a condition known as sleep apnea."

Sleep deprivation causes weight loss and failure to grow in children because growth hormone is not released as it is during deep sleep. Removing the tonsils and adenoids usually brings about an improvement, Leach says.

Health tips from The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center

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COACH ROD SCHNEIDER watches and motions Chris Sanchez in to home plate for an Ozona score. The Lions lost 4-2 to the Coahoma Bulldogs in a game earlier this month. Photo by Neal Ulmer

Thank You

by Amy Efenev

Thanks to Ozona for ten months of "bliss". We're moving in June, so I thought I'd write this . . .

A "thank you" to staff and parents at school. To my students who tried to remember our rule:

This rule is "be happy in all that you do. And never forget that I care about you."

Our next home is Georgetown, for here we can't stay. This poem gives me a last chance to say,

I appreciate you, for believing in me, and for seeing that all of the children are key."

This poem is especially dedicated to: Wade and Jane Richardson, Helen Bean, Susie Childress, Kathy Hall, Elizabeth Clark, Sandy Stark and the fourth grade team and students.

Check For Casebearers On Your Pecans Now

Pecans in Crockett County yards and orchard trees are attacked each year by pecan nut casebearer. This pest is a small worm which eats into the nut causing it to stop growing and fall from the tree. This pest has three generations each year with the first generation usually being the most damaging.

First generation pecan nut casebearer population begin to damage pecans in late May to early June each year. A prediction model based on temperature has been developed at Texas A&M to predict when damage will begin to occur at any given location. Billy H. Reagor, Crockett County Extension Agent, reports that for this year, pecan nut casebearer is predicted to begin causing damage to pecans on the week of May 23. Homeowners with pecan trees and commercial pecan growers should intensify their checking activities for this pest and, depending on the pest pressure, they should begin insecticide applications about this time. Two applications seven days apart are generally required for pecan nut casebearer control. Homeowners can use Martin's brand Malathion 50% concentrate, Liquid Sevin or one of the Bt products (Dipel, Javelin or others). Commercial pecan growers have a wider choice of insecticides from which to choose. They can check with the county Extension agent for a list of product rates and safety factors.

Second generation pecan nut casebearer will begin causing damage 42 days after the first generation. Then third generation will damage pecans again in 42 days.

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Odessa Mini-Summit Plans Finalized

ODESSA—Agriculture's role in 21st century America will be the topic of discussion here May 26 in the last of five Agricultural Mini-Summits held across Texas this month.

Consumers, crop and livestock producers, environmentalists, agribusiness leaders, educators and government officials will participate in the conference from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in Odessa's Holiday Inn Center located at 6201 East Business 20.

All of these groups are stakeholders in the future of the nation's natural resources and its food and fiber production," said Dr. John R. Abernathy, chairman of the Texas Agricultural and Natural Resource Summit Leadership Council, coordinator of the five conferences. The four other Mini-Summits were (will be) held in Lubbock, May 16; Temple, May 18; Dallas, May 24; and Weslaco, May 25.

All the sessions were designed to continue the discussion from the Texas Agricultural Summit last fall on the Texas A&M University campus in College Station. The original session identified five major issues:

- *Protecting the environment and natural resources;
- *Competitiveness of Texas agriculture;
- *Public policy for agriculture and rural areas;
- *Education and information needs of consumers; and
- *Agricultural leadership for the 21st century.

The Odessa conference opens with registration from 8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m. Registration is \$20 and includes lunch.

At 9:00 a.m. Charles Neeb, District Extension Director at Fort Stockton, will welcome the assembly and open the Mini-Summit with the video "The Challenge of Change".

Next, Dr. Jim Butler, Assistant Vice-Chancellor of External Affairs, Texas Agricultural Extension Serv-

ice-College Station, will present an overview of the Texas Agricultural Summit and the Long Range Extension Planning process.

State Representative Bob Turner representing District 73 will comment on the importance of the Mini-Summit to West Texas Agriculture.

After Turner's comments, Ken Cook, District Extension Director at San Angelo, will introduce the day's topic issues.

The four topics are similar to the original five except that the educational and leadership subjects have been consolidated. Issue coordinators are: Ed Hamlyn, Planning Director for Rio Grande Council of Governments-El Paso; Don Parks, Vice-President/Trust Officer, Texas Commerce Bank National Association-Midland; Pierce Miller, President, American Sheep Industry Association, Inc. -San Angelo; and Bob Bickley, Executive Director, Trans-Pecos Cotton Association-Pecos.

Following a 10:25 a.m.-10:40 a.m. break, Mini-Summit participants will divide into work group sessions until noon.

After lunch, at 1:00 p.m., the four work groups will continue under the direction of Mary R. Jamison, District Extension Director at Fort Stockton. Each group will report its findings and lead open discussion during a general

session at 2:45 p.m. The general session's coordinator is Carolyn Gilbert, District Extension Director at San Angelo.

The conference will conclude at 4:00 p.m. with a Mini-Summit wrap-up and an overview of future summit activities given by Butler.

For further information contact Billy Reagor, Crockett County Extension Agent at 392-2721.

Extension Connection

By Tedra Ulmer, County Extension Agent
Texas Agricultural Extension Service

Is meat safe to eat? according to CBS-TV's recent "48 Hours" special, we might be better off eating nuclear waste. However, as in many recent "investigative" news articles, tv and news shows, and magazine stories, the truth may be a little different than what the producers would have you believe.

First, you should know that following the airing of that particular "48 Hours" show, the US Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Information Service checked 65 beef samples for E. coli bacteria. The products came from the same federally inspected plant mentioned in the tv show. Guess what? All the samples were negative—not contaminated with E. coli bacteria.

E. coli is the bacteria blamed for a number of deaths in the past couple of years, and it is found most frequently in meat products—such as beef and poultry. However, proper cooking and handling procedures eliminate the threat of this bacterium, just as other potentially deadly bacteria can also be eliminated. To understand the dangers and how to protect ourselves and our families, it's important to learn some very basic microbiology.

All animal food products contain bacteria from two general sources. Naturally occurring bacteria are those organisms present on the bird or animal and in the growing environment, such as pine shavings, litter on the floor or dust in a poultry house. Introduced bacteria are those which usually come from sources other than the bird or animal and its environment. Most often, introduced bacteria come from people, equipment, water and other materials used in processing the animal after it leaves the farm.

If proper cleaning and sanitation practices are followed, introduced bacteria should be minimal and not harmful to humans. However, after processing, meat and poultry can still contain some bacteria that could be classified as pathogenic or disease-causing. That's where proper handling at the store and in your home comes in!

The harmful bacteria are few in number when compared to the spoil-

age types. Common "food poisoning" bacteria (Staphylococcus, Salmonella, Clostridium, and Campylobacter, as well as E. coli) grow well at or near the body temperature of animals, poultry and humans (around 100 degree F).

Salmonella produces illness by actually growing in the body and is considered an "infection"; Staphylococcus and Clostridium produce toxins in the food prior to being eaten. Even heating may not destroy these toxins, and unfortunately they don't produce spoilage bacteria-type unpleasant odors and flavors to warn us they are present.

What can you do to minimize your chances of illness from these unpleasant little critters? First, keep the work area for handling raw and cooked meat as clean as possible. Wash your hands frequently—with soap or another disinfectant—frequently during food preparation. In addition, make every effort to avoid cross-contamination or re-contamination of a cooked food or produce with bacteria from raw meat.

If a cutting board, platter, knife, or any other utensil or container has been used for raw meat, STOP before using again. Clean these items in hot, soapy water prior to using them to handle or store cooked meat. Bacteria present on raw meat are essentially destroyed by thorough cooking—however, disease-causing bacteria from an unclean utensil or container will grow very well on any cooked meat they come in contact with.

Cooked and raw meat and poultry should be refrigerated at 40 degrees F or lower. For serving, cooked meat and poultry should be held at 140 degrees F or greater. The time these protein foods are held at temperatures between these two ranges should be kept to an absolute minimum.

Is meat safe to eat? When you take the proper measures in buying, cooking, serving and storing it, it certainly should be! Next week, we'll look at more tips to keep your food safe—and keep your family healthy!

In the meantime, for more information on food safety, contact the Crockett County Extension Office at 392-2721.

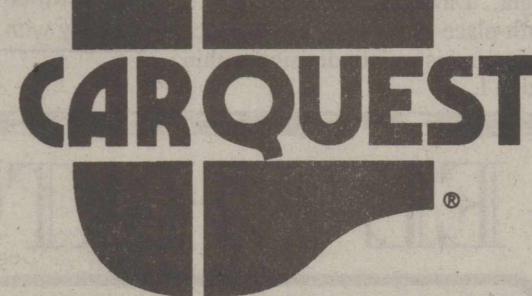
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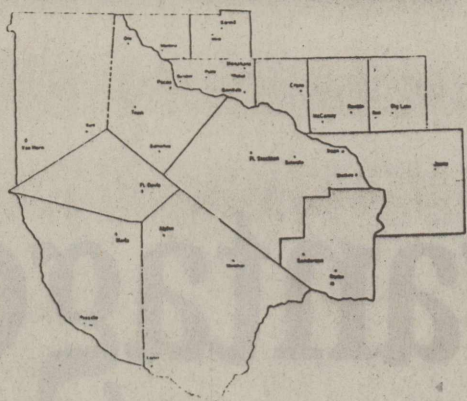
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Junction Stockyards Report

Junction Stockyards sold 6328 head of goats and sheep Monday, May 16. Lambs sold \$2-\$3 higher. Slaughter ewes and bucks were steady. Stocker Angoras were steady to \$2 higher. Slaughter Angoras were \$6-\$10 higher. Spanish kids were \$4-\$8 higher. Spanish nannies and billies were \$4-\$5 higher. Muttons were mostly \$4-\$10 higher.

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GTE and Contel propose to implement the new tariffs on a revenue neutral basis. The Local Transport category of GTE and Contel's Switched Access Service is primarily for interexchange carriers.

Persons who wish to intervene should file a motion for intervention with the PUC by June 17, 1994 with reference to Docket No. 12866 (GTE) and/or 12865 (Contel). Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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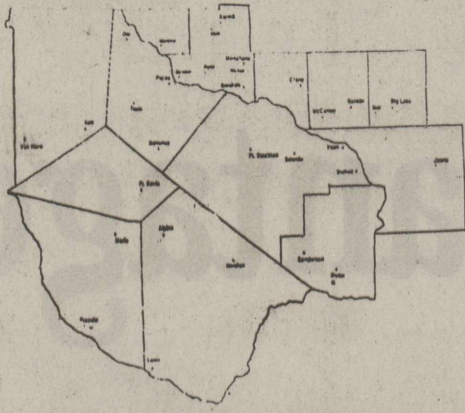
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Commission Offers Incentive Package

AUSTIN — May 13—A new tax incentive implemented by the Texas Railroad Commission is spurring Texas oil and gas producers to set a blistering pace for returning inactive wells to production according to Chairman James E. (Jim) Nugent.

"We were faced with a choice in Texas," said Nugent. "We could stand idle while production and jobs disappeared as these wells disappeared; or, enact some common sense tax incentives to reactivate them. We chose to act."

The incentive provides a 10-year severance tax exemption for inactive wells that are returned to production. A total of 1,690 inactive oil and gas wells have been returned to producing status. Only 368 were reactivated in all of 1992 prior to the incentive.

"Texas has seen a five-fold increase in the number of old wells being returned to production," Nugent said. "The well head value of the oil and gas they will produce is almost \$200 million. That is enough to sustain almost 4,000 oil patch jobs according to economic models from the Comptroller's Office. More importantly, the total impact to the Texas economy is almost \$600 million."

According to Nugent, the implications for local and state tax revenue are also positive.

"While the state forgoes a modest \$2.2 million in severance taxes, it will collect over \$11 million in sales tax on the refined products," said Nugent. "In addition, local ad valorem tax receipts will jump from \$2.1 million to over \$10 million."

To qualify, a well must have been inactive for more than three years. A two-year certification period that began on September 1, 1993, and ends August 31, 1995, prevents operators from deliberately shutting-in wells to qualify for the incentive.

The incentive for inactive wells is

just one part of "The Texas Incentive Package," according to Nugent. Other incentives encourage enhanced drilling techniques in old fields and exploring for new fields. Nugent noted the Railroad Commission is working on what he calls phase two of "The Texas Incentive Package."

"Our goal was to help put rigs

and, more importantly, people back to work in Texas," Nugent said. "I am delighted with these results, but we are not finished. Within the next few weeks, we intend to announce a comprehensive package of incentives designed to preserve and enhance Texas' leadership in energy production, technology, manufacturing and economic opportunity."

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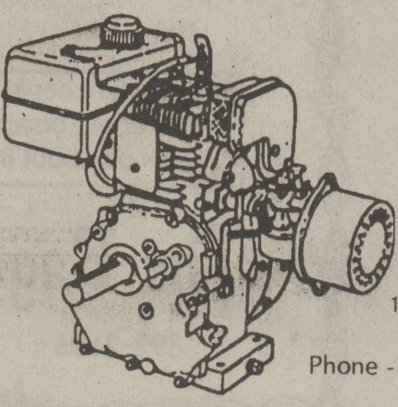
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JENNIFER BRETT EVANS

1994 valedictorian Jennifer Evans is four-year honor roll student who was selected to become a member of National Honor Society as a sophomore. She was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students and was chosen Miss OHS and Homecoming Queen.

President of her class this year, Jennifer was class treasurer for three years.

Jennifer qualified for state in tennis doubles this year and was a regional qualifier in 1992. She has been a member of the tennis team for four years and was awarded the Fighting Heart award as a senior.

She was in band three years. The band qualified for state marching contest while she was a member. This year she was a cheerleader.

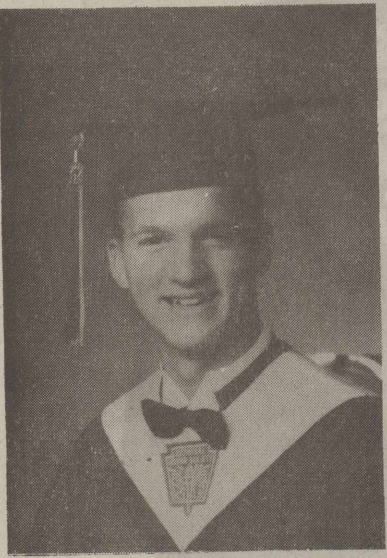
Her senior year provided Jennifer's best high school memories. "My entire senior year was great. Especially cheering in playoffs, qualifying for state in tennis, getting Homecoming Queen and Miss OHS and also being valedictorian."

Playing tennis and traveling are the favorite activities of this senior.

She is a member of the Methodist Youth Fellowship and 4-H and is a National Young Leader alumni.

Future plans include attending Southwestern University in Georgetown to major in chemistry or biomedical science to become a dermatologist.

The cum laude graduate is the daughter of Beverly Evans of Ozona and J. B. Evans of San Antonio.



JOEL FULLER

Salutatorian Joel Fuller has been a member of National Honor Society three years. He was Student Council representative for his sophomore and junior classes and now serves as that organization's president.

He was elected class favorite as a freshman and senior and this year was chosen Mr. OHS.

Joel competed in UIL spelling his first two years of high school.

Football, basketball, track and band occupied many hours of Joel's high school years. The Lion football team qualified for bi-district his junior year and area this year. The band won sweepstakes his freshman and sophomore years, qualified for regional his first and last years of high school and state when he was a junior.

Joel was in the band and played basketball his freshman, sophomore and senior years and was in track as a sophomore and junior.

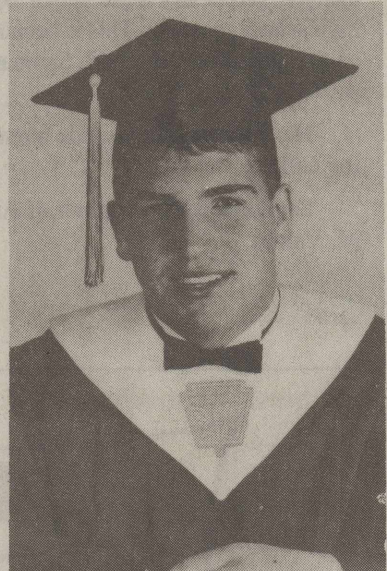
Sports also provided his best high school memory when the Lions beat Van Horn in Odessa to advance to the

area round of the playoffs.

Joel plans to attend South Plains College and later Texas Tech University. At this time he has not decided on a major.

Favorite activities of Joel's are snow and water skiing and fishing.

He is a member of the First Baptist Church youth group where his father is pastor. Joel is the son of Bill and Jeannie Fuller.



RYAN SHANE MORRIS

Cum laude graduate Ryan Morris is the son of Chuck and Karen Morris.

Ryan is a four year honor roll student and was on the National Honor Roll as a junior and senior. He was inducted into the National Honor Society at OHS his sophomore year and served at the organization's vice president as a junior and senior. Ryan was also named an Academic All American this year.

He was president of his sophomore and junior classes, class favorite as a sophomore and runner-up his junior and senior years. Ryan was Mr. OHS runner-up and a homecoming escort this year.

UIL literary participation includes readywriting to medalist status last year, debate and one-act play as a sophomore. He was a member of the one-act play all start cast. This play advanced to become state alternate.

Four years of football included being on the bi-district qualifying team last year and area qualifier this year. Ryan was a team captain and all-district first team lineman this year.

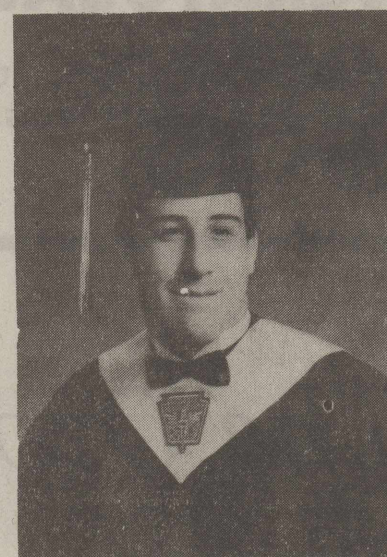
A trip to state in tennis this year capped Ryan's high school sports career with a silver medal for second place in doubles competition. During his four years of tennis, he was a regional qualifier as a freshman and a member of the district co-champion team, a state qualifier his sophomore year and a bronze medal winner at state last year.

Ryan received the Fighting Heart award in tennis as a sophomore, junior and senior.

The Lion band won sweepstakes and qualified for state his freshman and sophomore years.

Playing tennis and singing are the favorite hobbies of this senior. He is a four-year member of Lions for Christ and a member of the Church of Christ youth group.

Ryan plans to attend Abilene Christian University and major in sports medicine.



CHRISTOPHER DALE CORNETT

Class honors for cum laude graduate Chris Cornett include: National Honor Society, A Honor Roll, National Honor Roll and Who's Who

Among American High School Students.

Chris was class representative as a sophomore, class treasurer his freshman year and a member of the Just Say No Club his freshman, sophomore and senior years.

UIL literary participation included winning area best actor in one-act play this year. The OHS play, with Chris as an all-star cast member, qualified for regional this year. He was also a member of the cast his freshman and sophomore years.

Receiving best actor at area and competing at regional provided Chris his best high school memories.

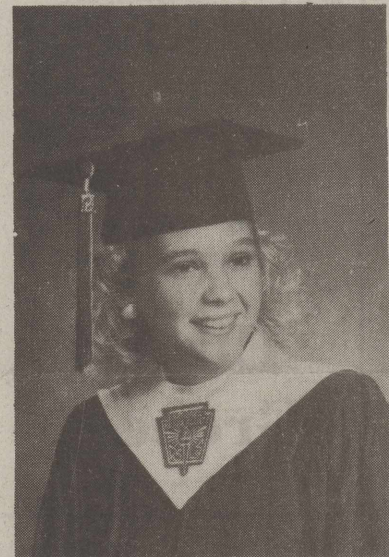
Chris competed in keyboarding and accounting this year, persuasive speaking as a freshman and informative speaking his sophomore and junior years.

He was a member of the band the first two years of high school and a four year member of the tennis team.

Chris has been a 4-H Club member throughout high school and this year served on the Teen Council at the youth center. He is a member of First Baptist Church.

Like most teens, Chris likes hanging out with friends. He also enjoys playing tennis and swimming.

This fall he will attend Texas A&M as a marketing major. Chris is the son of Dale and Vickie Cornett.



STEFNY CRYSTELLE SUTTON

Stefny Sutton graduates cum laude with four years as an A Honor Roll student at OHS. She was inducted into the National Honor Society as a sophomore and has been selected for inclusion in Who's Who Among American High School Students annually beginning as a sophomore.

Classmates elected her secretary of their group for three years, she was a member of the annual staff one year and in UIL ready writing one year. Stefny was a Homecoming Queen nominee.

Four years of varsity tennis concluded with a trip to state to compete in doubles this spring. In fact, participating in regional and state tennis meets provided Stefny her best high school memories. She was a recipient of the 1994 Fighting Heart award in tennis at the sports banquet May 17.

Stefny is a four-year member of the Lion Band, competing with the group at state twice in four years. She has been a flag corps member three years and was captain of that organization as a junior and senior.

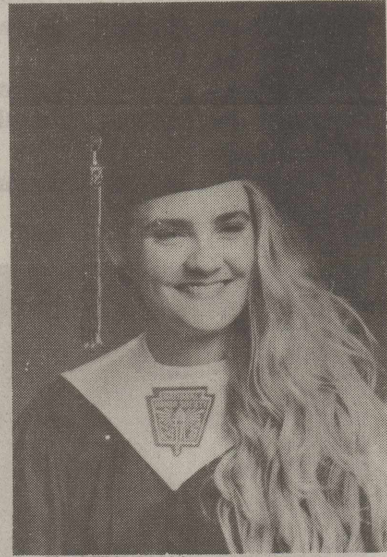
In addition to tennis, snow skiing and traveling are Stefny's favorite activities.

Non-school activities claiming

Stefny's time include: being in 4-H, on the State Fashion Teen Board, a district 4-H public relations officer, National Young Leader's Conference alumni, attending Methodist Youth Fellowship meetings and activities.

She was selected Outstanding Student by Ozona Chamber of Commerce for 1994.

Stefny, who is the daughter of Jeffrey and Carmen Sutton, plans to attend Texas A&M University and major in biomedical science.



ADRIENNE MIKAL DICKERSON

Cum laude graduate Adrienne Dickerson is a four-year A-B Honor Roll student. She was inducted into the National Honor Society as a junior and considers that her best high school memory.

Adrienne was a member of the OHS one act play cast her freshman, sophomore and senior years, competed in UIL keyboarding as a sophomore, junior and senior, computer science this year, accounting as a junior and science her freshman year.

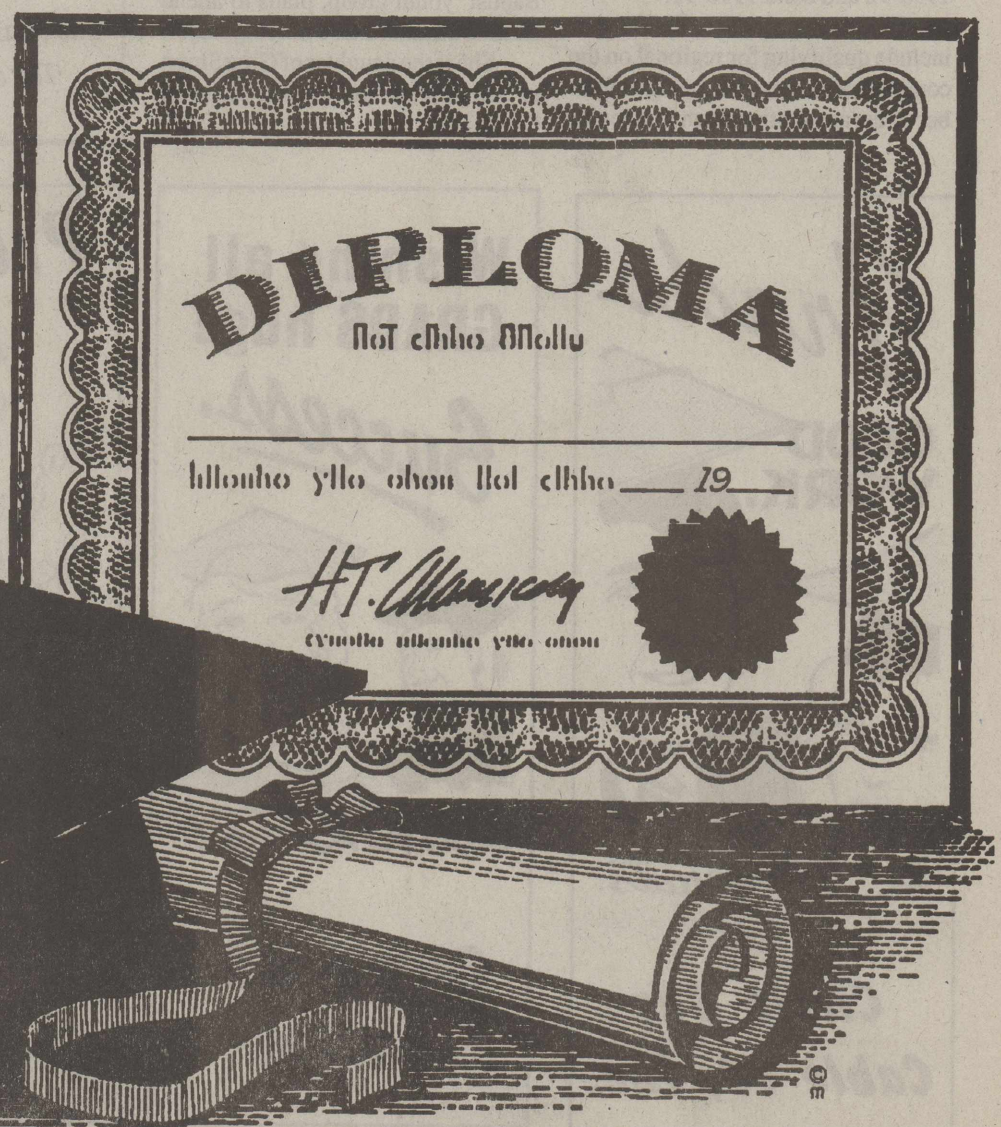
As a member of the OHS chapter of Future Farmers of America she received the Greenhand award and was club president her freshman year. She served as treasurer of the senior class.

Adrienne was a member of the tennis team her freshman and sophomore years and managed the basketball team as a sophomore.

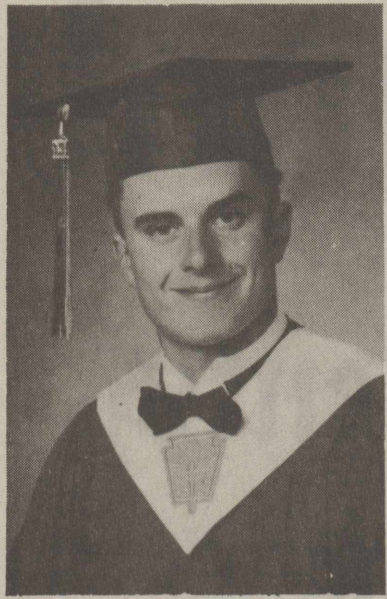
She is active in 4-H and the Baptist Church youth organization. Additionally, Adrienne enjoys swimming, horseback riding, listening to music and being with friends.

Future plans are to attend Texas A&M University and major in biochemistry. Adrienne is the daughter of Terry and Peggy Dickerson.

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ROBERT WILLIAM BRYSON JR.

Robert Bryson has been an honor roll student throughout high school and on the National Honor Roll since his sophomore year. This cum laude student was inducted into the National Honor Society as a sophomore and has been honored as Who's Who Among American High School Students as a junior and senior.

Football, track and powerlifting team competitions were important parts of Robert's high school career. His best high school memory is of being a regional qualifier on Ozona's first "official" powerlifting team.

Three years of track included the district championship last year and runner-up status this year.

Robert's four years of football included qualifying for bi-district last year and for area this year. He was chosen as second team all-district defensive back last year and received all-district honorable mention as a senior.

Robert is a member of the youth center's Teen Council and qualified for state in 4-H rifle competition.

This summer Robert will attend Sul Ross University where he plans to major in wildlife management and minor in biology.

Parents of this OHS senior are Leta and Robert Bryson.



HEATHER HANNAH HILL

Heather Hill is a four-year A Honor Roll student who was inducted into the National Honor Society as a sophomore. Last year she was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

She was freshman representative to the Student Council and senior class vice-president. Heather was in FFA 1990-92 and band 1990-91.

UIL literary contests for Heather include qualifying for regional on the computer team this year, being a member of the accounting team as a senior

and reading prose her freshman year.

Heather is a four-year regional qualifying member of the varsity golf team. As a junior she qualified for state and was district gold medalist. She was district silver medalist her sophomore and senior years.

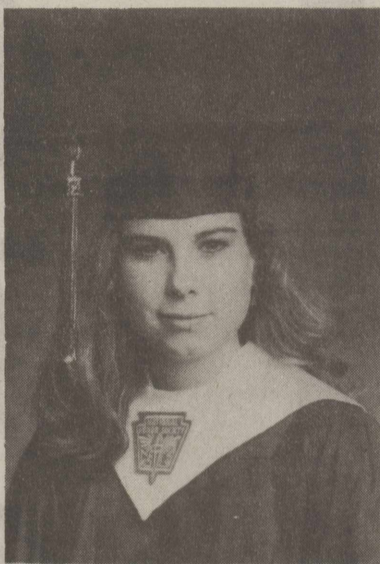
An additional honor was bestowed on Heather at the 1994 sports banquet when she was presented the Fighting Heart award for golf.

Representing OHS at the state golf championship tournament last year is her best high school memory.

Heather is a member of First Baptist Church and 4-H. She competed on the West Texas Junior Golf Tour last summer and was chosen Lion's Club Rodeo Queen in 1992.

This senior enjoys golf, hunting, deep sea fishing, riding horses, dancing and snow skiing.

The cum laude graduate plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in agribusiness with a minor in dance. She is the daughter of John and Chris Beckham.



SHELBY D'ANNE STUART

Shelby Stuart is a four-year honor roll student, graduating cum laude. She was inducted into the National Honor Society her junior year and served as society president this year. She was also class representative to the Student Council this year and a member of the Homecoming Court.

Shelby was a member of the one act play cast and the Lion Band her freshman through junior years. The play qualified for regional the first two of those years, and the band won sweepstakes and went to state during the same two years.

Four years on the yearbook staff ended with an editorship this year. She was assistant editor as a junior. She competed in UIL journalism as a sophomore.

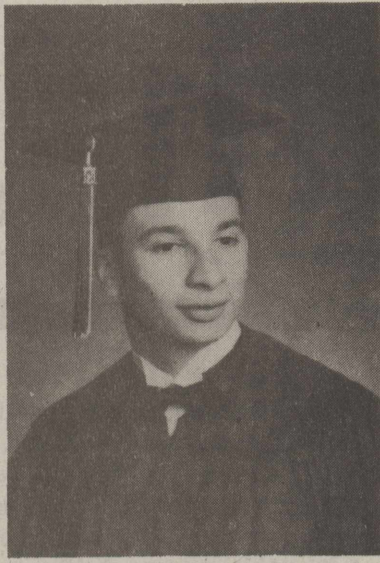
The Fighting Heart Award for golf was given to Shelby her sophomore and junior years. She is a four-year member of the team, earning the title of district gold medalist as a sophomore and district silver medalist last year. The team qualified for regional each year of Shelby's membership and qualified for state last year.

It is no surprise that playing golf is listed as Shelby's favorite activity.

She was also a member of the basketball team her freshman and sophomore years.

Shelby, who is a member of the Baptist youth group, plans to attend Hardin-Simmons as a nursing major.

She is the daughter of Greg Stuart of San Angelo and Chesta Stuart of Ozona.



JESSE DANIEL CALDERA

Jesse Caldera is a four-year member of the OHS basketball team. He ran track his first three years of high school and was a member of the football team as a freshman.

Playing basketball and riding around with friends are favorite activities for this senior.

He plans to join the Marines and later study law. Traveling around the world is also in Jesse's plans.

He is the son of Jesse Caldera and Tina Caldera.



LEANNA CASTRO CERVANTEZ

Leanna Cervantez is a four-year member of the Lion Band. She competed in solo and ensemble her freshman year.

This senior is secretary of her class, on the annual staff and a Stu-

dent Council member. She participated in the Spanish Festival as a sophomore.

Best high school memory for Leanna is "Having my daughter, Glinda Ann Gutierrez".

She likes riding around, listening to music, meeting new people, traveling, going to dances and or clubs. She is a member of the youth group at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church.

Leanna is the daughter of Lionel and Lilia Cervantez.

Following high school she plans to attend Temple Junior College in Temple to study either secondary education or nursing.



SANJUANA G. CERVANTEZ

Sanjuana G. Cervantez recalls analytic geometry class as her best high school memory. This is because of the classmates she had, Sanjuana says.

Her future plans include attending college.

Sanjuana is the daughter of Ana M. Valdez.

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JANA KAYE COTTON

Jana Kaye Cotton is a four-year member of the OHS golf team. During her years as a member, the team qualified for regional each year and state once. She was chosen an all-district team member.

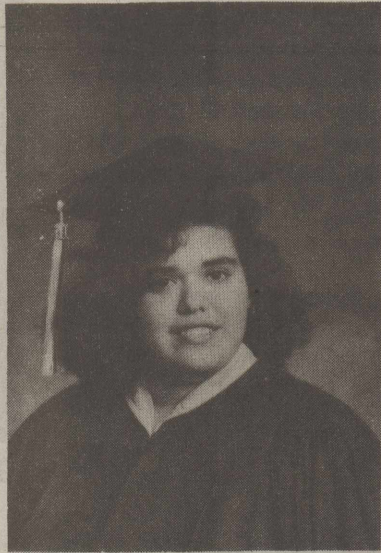
In addition to golf, Jana Kaye was a member of the flag corps three years and on the annual staff two years.

Best high school memories are of going to state with the band and the golf team.

Jana Kaye enjoys playing golf, being with friends and family and working with Lions Club members on community projects. She was chosen Lions' Club Sweetheart 1993-94.

Future plans include attending Angelo State University to major in elementary education and become a kindergarten teacher.

Jana Kaye is the daughter of Ted and Virginia Cotton.



CARLA JEAN DE HOYOS

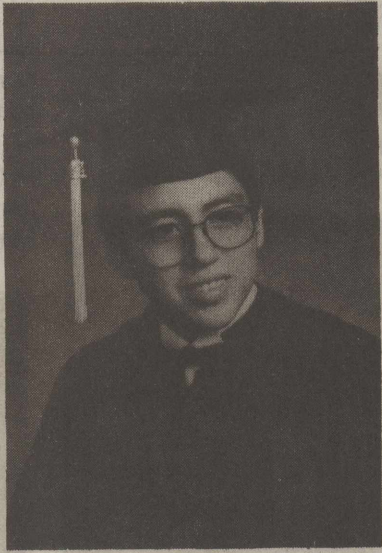
Carla Jean De Hoyos has been in band throughout high school, and the band's trip to state her freshman year is her best high school memory.

She is a member of the youth group at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church and the 4-H Club.

Among her favorite activities are going to the river, being with family and friends, reading and babysitting.

Carla Jean plans to attend Angelo State University in San Angelo. She also plans to get a job.

Her parents are Juan and Maria De Hoyos.

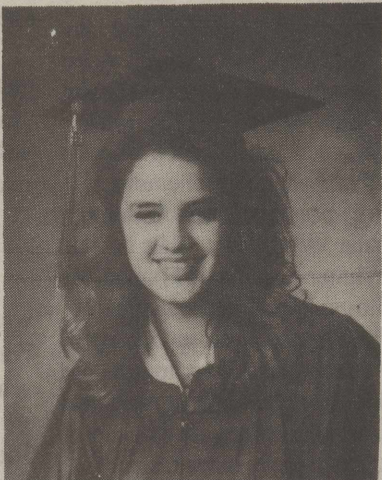
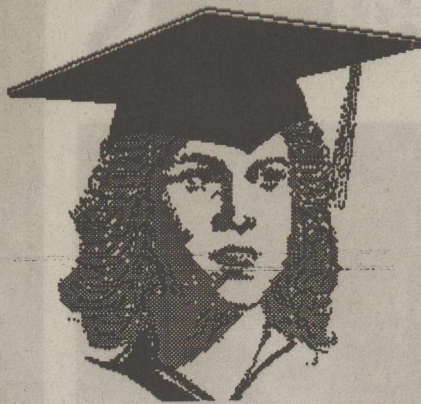


DAVID DE LA ROSA

David De La Rosa's best high school memory is of qualifying for state in cross country when he was a freshman. David also qualified for state as a sophomore.

He was a member of V.I.C.A. as a freshman and plans to become a mechanic.

David, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe De La Rosa, enjoys fishing, hunting, swimming and running.



SARAH LYNN DELDIS

Sarah Dellis reached state in cosmetology competition last year.

She was a member of the school drama club her sophomore year, played basketball as a freshman and tennis as a junior.

The favorite hobby of this senior is reading.

Sarah's future plans are to become a Marine.

She is the daughter of Billy Bob and Carol Dellis.



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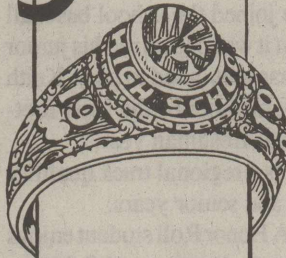
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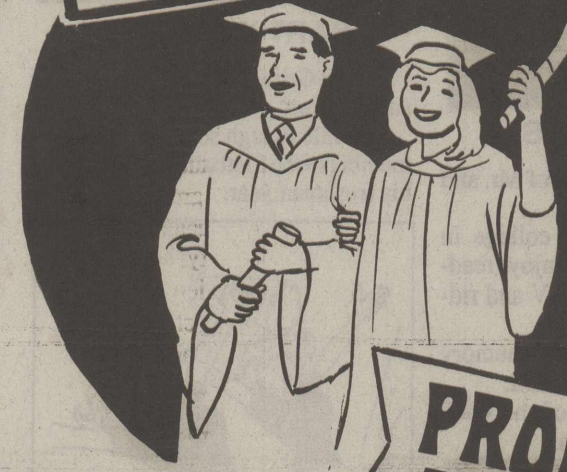


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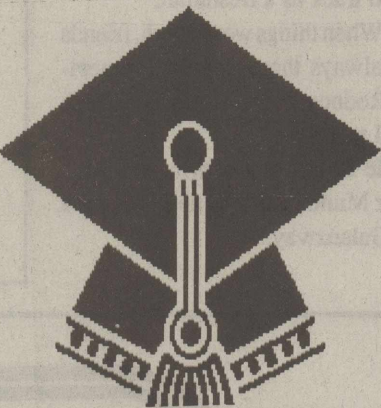
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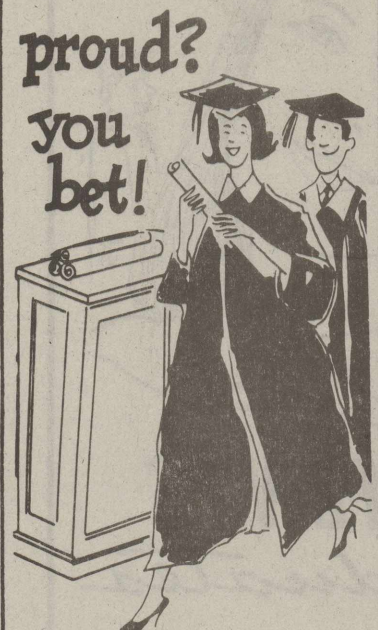


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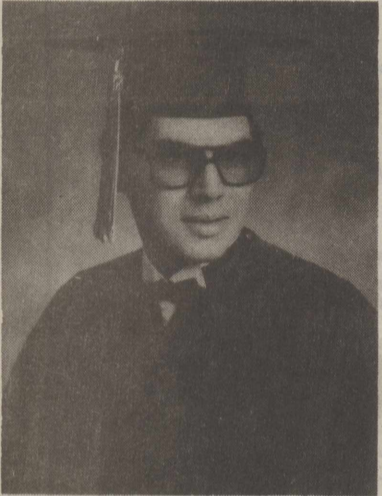
Michael Fay's high school sports participation includes baseball as a sophomore, football as a junior and basketball this year.

He was president of his junior class and competed in UIL literary as a freshman.

The best high school memory for Michael is "When I found out I passed the TAAS test". He enjoys riding around with friends, playing basketball or baseball on weekends and watching movies.

"I hope to go on to college at either Fort Worth or San Antonio and attend mortuary and funeral directory services."

Michael is the son of Alice M. Espino and John Michael Fay Sr.



JOEY FLORES

Joey Flores is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jose C. Flores.

He plans to attend college in Houston, but for now, he enjoys reading mysteries, watching TV and riding around.

Joey's best high school memory is going to state with the band.

He was a member of the OHS tennis team for two years.

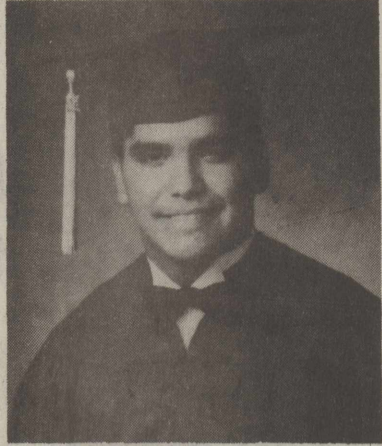


SHELLY TIJERINA FLORES

Shelly Flores enjoys dancing and riding around with friends. Her best high school memories are of the times "when all of us got together and just had a good time".

She plans to go into nursing after

completing her high school studies. Shelly, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Galindo, was a member of the basketball team her first two years of high school.



JOE THOMAS GALAN

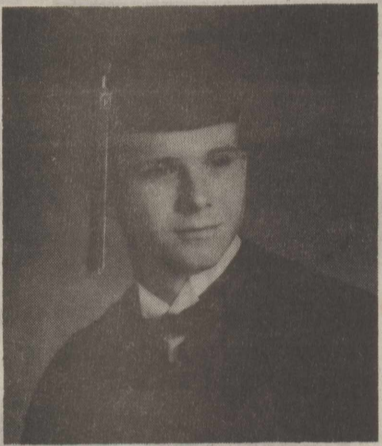
Joe Thomas Galan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Galan.

He was elected by his classmates as vice-president of the freshman class and president of the junior class.

A three-year member of the Lion Band, Joe Thomas was part of the state qualifying group his freshman and sophomore years.

His favorite activity is going to Mexico with friends.

Future plans include attending college near Dallas to major in business management.



BART W. GRIMES

Bart Grimes is the son of Jimmy and Jan Lott.

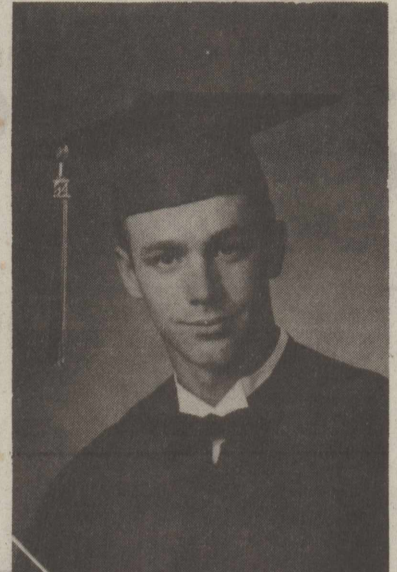
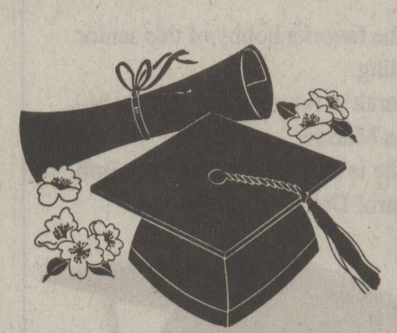
While in high school Bart was a member of the football and track teams his freshman year.



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He enjoys hunting and fishing in his spare time. After graduation Bart plans to attend South Plains College or possibly enlist in the U. S. Army.



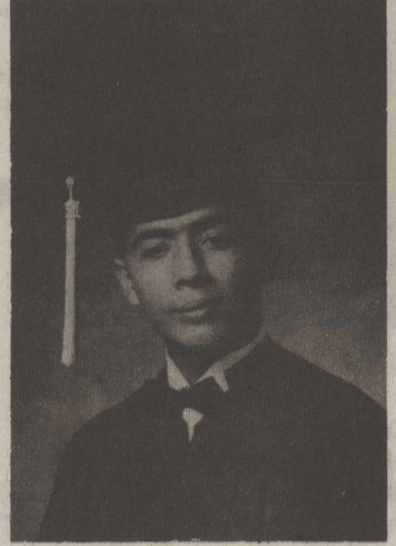
KEITH NEIL MILLER

Keith Miller is a four-year member of the OHS basketball and track teams. He joined the school baseball team when it was organized his junior year and has continued to play. Keith was also a member of the Lion football team his freshman year.

He was a regional track qualifier his junior and senior years.

This A Honor Roll student enjoys playing sports, hunting and fishing.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Miller.



FRANCISCO MARTIN MORAN

Frankie Moran is a four-year member of the OHS basketball team and Lion Band. He ran track as a sophomore.

During his years in band, the group qualified for regional three times, his freshman, sophomore and senior years, and earned two sweepstakes for state qualification when he was a freshman and sophomore.

"My best high school memory was when we made it to state in band my freshman year," said Frankie. He was chosen Band Beau this year.

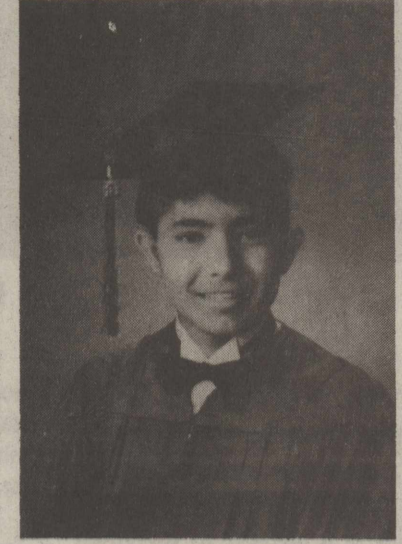
Frankie competed in UIL spelling as a freshman and sophomore. He was class favorite his sophomore year and class representative to the Student Council as a freshman and senior.

He loves to play basketball and

coaches a Senior League team. He also likes to play volleyball.

Frankie's love of sports is pointing him toward Angelo State University to major in kinesiology. He will minor in social studies.

He is a member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Moran.



RODNEY MUNOZ

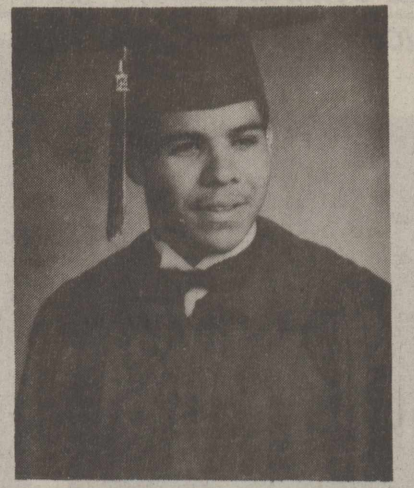
Rodney Muñoz has already enlisted in the U. S. Marines and plans to attend college while in the service.

He was a member of the state qualifying Lion Band his sophomore year, helped the band to its sweepstakes win last year and to regional qualification this year.

Rodney competed in cross country and track as a freshman.

"When things were rough, friends were always there to help," remembers Rodney. This is his best high school memory.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Muñoz and Mr. and Mrs. Jose Luis Galanzway.



GABRIEL JOHN PEREZ

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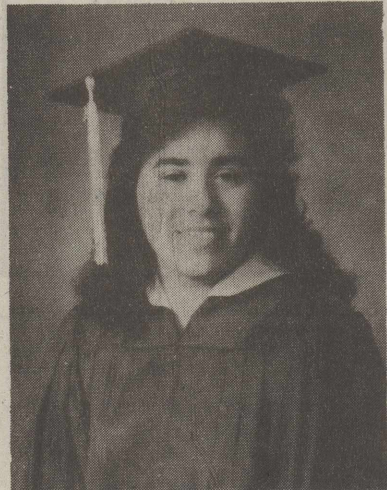
Gabriel Perez is the son of Edward F. Perez and Alicia Perez.

Football provided Gabriel his best high school memory from a game against Eldorado. "I was coming down on the kickoff; I hit that guy so hard it stung a little," recalls Gabriel.

He is a four-year member of the Lion football team, ran cross country and track as a freshman and sophomore.

Collecting basketball cards and weightlifting are his favorite activities.

Following graduation, he plans to attend college to study law enforcement.



DIANA RAMIREZ

Diana Ramirez was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students last year. She is a member of the annual staff and was class secretary as a freshman.

Diana has played basketball throughout high school.

Her best high school memory is of being Miss OHS runner-up.

Riding around, being with friends and traveling out of town are her favorite activities.

She plans to attend Angelo State University or Howard College to major in education.

Diana is the daughter of Braulio Ramirez and Mrs. Rosie Ramirez.



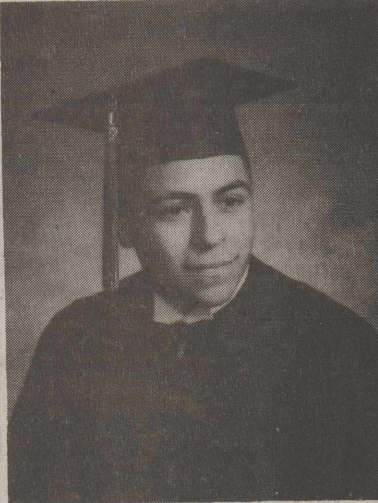
EMILY RAMIREZ

Emily Ramirez was chosen junior class favorite and also participated in UIL spelling as a junior.

She is a VICA cosmetology student.

Future plans include attending Austin Community College.

Emily is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus L. Ramirez.



JOHN DANIEL RAMIREZ

John Ramirez is the son of Mrs. Elsa Tijerina and Dan Ramirez.

Running cross country and track each year of high school helped direct John toward a physical education major in college. He was the recipient of the Fighting Heart award for cross country and track at the annual sports banquet May 17.

His best high school memory is of moving from fourth to second in

the 1600 meter run in the last 330 meters and securing a district title in 1993.

John is a member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church. He enjoys running, riding around and spending time with friends.



PETRA E. RIOS

Petra Rios ends her high school career on a happy note. She was recognized at the annual spring band concert May 12 as Band Sweetheart and winner of the John Phillip Sousa award. This is the 27th year the Sousa award has been given to the outstanding OHS senior band member.

Petra has been in band and on the basketball team four years. She ran track three years and was a member of the cross country team as a sophomore.

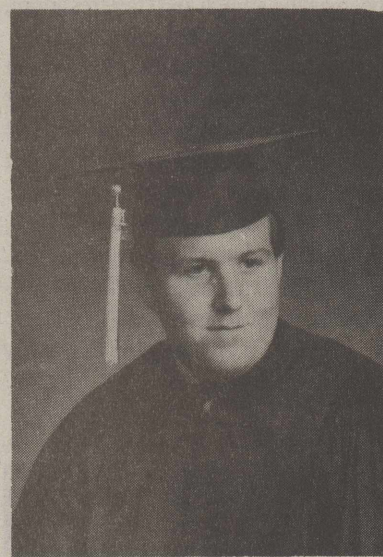
"My favorite activity is playing basketball," says Petra. "It's my game!" Her best high school memory was the game against Wall.

Petra is a member of the annual staff this year and competed at the Spanish Festival as a sophomore.

She is a member of the youth group at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church.

Petra plans to join the U. S. Air Force. She will leave Sept. 30 to begin basic training.

Her parents are Guillermo Rios and Maria Rios.



GARY DUANE THOMPSON

Gary Thompson is a National Honor Society member at OHS.

He is a four-year member of the golf team and was UIL computer science alternate this year.

Gary is a 4-H Club member. He enjoys target shooting, watching movies, golfing, camping and working on trucks.

Future plans start with college at Angelo State.

He is the son of Harold and Jeanie Thompson.

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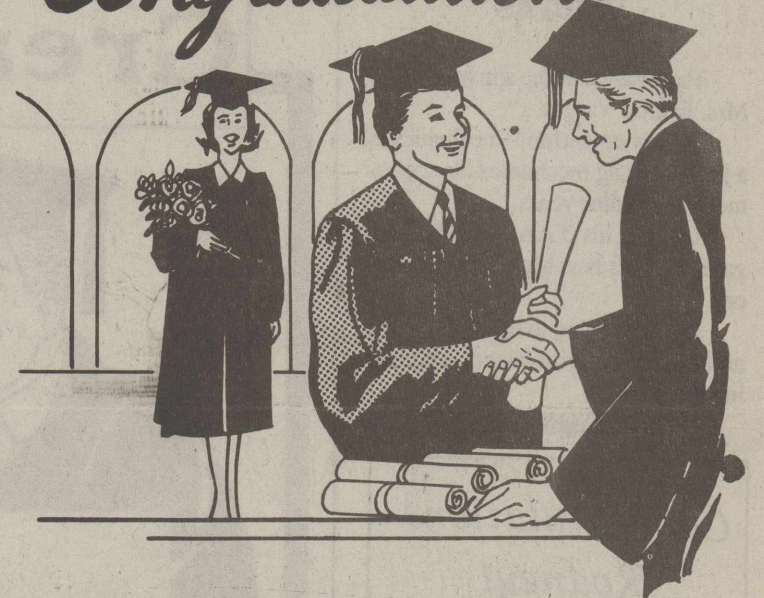
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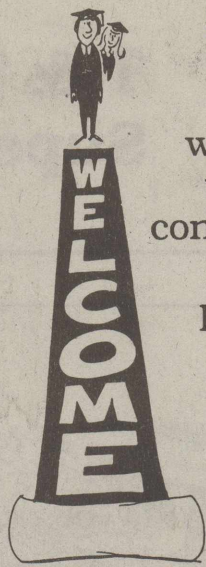
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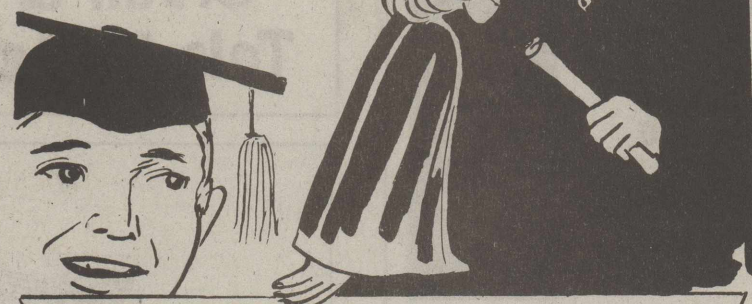
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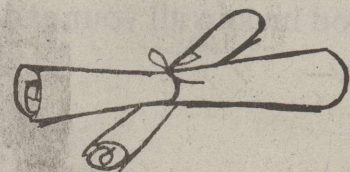
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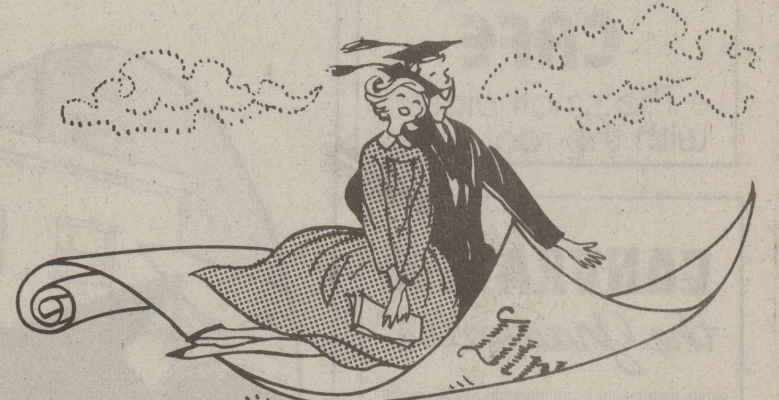
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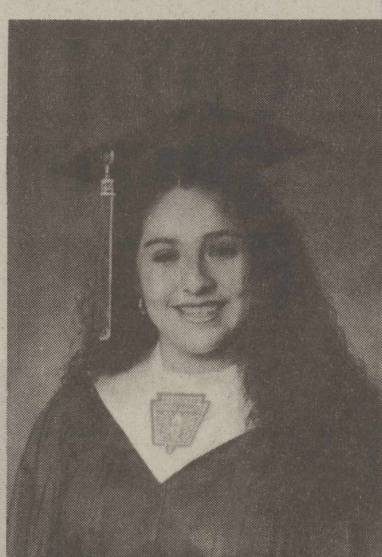
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MARY LOU TOLLETT

After graduation Mary Lou Tollett plans to attend a junior college. She enjoys volleyball and watching television.

Mary Lou is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Edward Tollett Jr.



TIFFANY KATHERINE VARGAS

Tiffany Vargas was inducted into the National Honor Society as a junior and was selected as Who's Who Among American High School Students her junior and senior years.

This year she is Student Council vice president. She was class representative to that organization last year.

Tiffany was class favorite as a sophomore and senior and class president her freshman year.

Basketball and band have claimed Tiffany's attention each year of high school. The Lion Band went to state marching contest her first two years as a high school member.

She was a captain of the basketball team this year and a member of the Homecoming Court. Her junior and senior years included leading

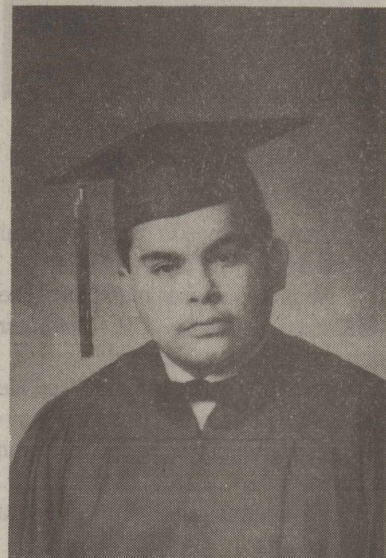
cheers for the Lions. Tiffany has also been on the annual staff her freshman, sophomore and senior years.

"Our senior year!!!" is her best high school memory along with her last basketball game in Wall and the cake fights the cheerleaders had after winning games.

Tiffany enjoys being with friends, riding around and listening to music.

She will attend South Plains College to major in sports medicine.

Tiffany is the daughter of Harvey and Kay Vargas.



VICTOR JUAN VILLA

Victor Villa is the son of Ludy and Pedro Villa.

He was a member of the Lion football team his freshman through junior years and ran track the first two years of high school.

Hunting with friends, playing basketball and softball are the favorite hobbies of this senior. Riding around

and having fun with friends provided his best high school memory.

Victor plans to attend Midland College or enlist in the U. S. Marine Corps after high school.



JENNEFER TAMBUNGA YBARRA

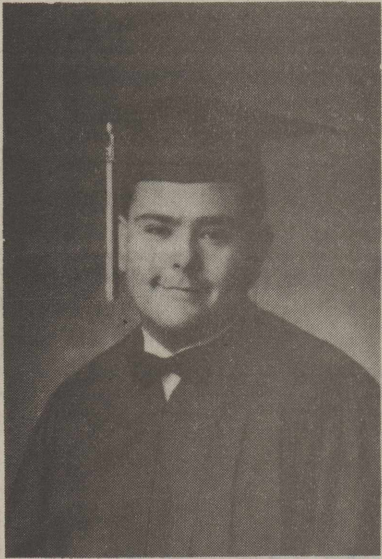
Jennefer Ybarra's best high school memory is when the band went to state in marching.

In addition to being a band member, she played basketball her first three years of high school.

Jennefer enjoys being with friends and taking care of children, but most of all she likes to go dancing.

She is a member of the choir at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church and a member of the youth organization there.

Jennefer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Santiago Ybarra.



PAUL ANTHONY VARGAS

Paul Vargas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Estalfo Vargas.

He has studied auto mechanics as a junior and ag mechanics his sophomore and senior years.

Getting his TAAS results back gave Paul his best high school memory.

He likes going to the river, riding around, annoying his friends and making them laugh.

Following high school, Paul plans

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