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THE PROPOSED NEW SENIOR CITIZENS' BUILDING SITE has been marked with a beautiful sign painted by Debra Gilstrap. The sign was constructed by the county road department and placed on the lot north of town on Hwy. 163. At the present time the project is in need of contributions to be able to begin construction. If you would like to make a donation to this worthy project, please contact either the Ozona National Bank or Crockett County National Bank.  
Ozona Stockman DigiCam photo by Scotty Moore

## Alberto Galindo Honored On Publication Of Second Book

A second book relating to the history of his hometown, Zaragoza, Coahuila, Mexico, has been published by Ozona resident Alberto Galindo.

Galindo was honored at a presentation ceremony in Zaragoza Dec. 30. Among those participating in the ceremony were Lic. Cesar Morado, an historian from Monterrey; Julio Santos Coy, an historian from the State of Coahuila; and Lic. Gerardo Segura Medina, director of the Fondo Editorial Coahuilense. There were 200 guests in attendance.

Galindo has been a resident of Ozona for 14 years, but his family has been in Zaragoza since 1830. Love of his hometown, a desire to preserve history and the spirit to write (there are several authors in his family) motivate Galindo to put words on paper.

"When I'm writing, I'm having fun," said Galindo. "The part that worries me, when the hard part comes is when you have to get down to work on the editing of the book."

Galindo's first book, San Fernando de Austria "Valle de las Animas" Aquí, Así, empieza la Historia, tells of the foundation and early history and people of Zaragoza and the area. The second publication, San Fernando Aquí La Historia Fue Así, tells more of the why the history is what it is.

The author puts a great deal of research into his writings, and both books are rich with photographs. Research takes him to the state archives in Mexico, which were computerized in time for the second book, and also to the University of Texas. Both his books were approximately two years in the research stage, and the second one was published under a new state program, Fondo Editorial Coahuilense. Coahuila is the only state in Mexico to have this program ac-

ording to Galindo. His book was chosen for publication out of 10 submitted.

Eight months after placing his manuscript for consideration, Galindo was notified that the material had been lost. Two months later, it was found, and another three months passed before he received word that his work had been chosen.

At the presentation in December, the guest historians praised the book for its new approach to telling history. "I like to put a little humor in, a little criticism, not just dry facts," said Galindo. Made up mainly of short stories, "you can finish one and go to sleep and not worry about it," the work also uses a newspaper format for some passages where there was too little

information for a longer story. "Old people get me started and then I start digging back," explained Galindo. "My grandfather died last year at 97. All these old people are going to be gone and we won't have this recorded," said Galindo.

"When I go to Zaragoza, people come to me like they are really waiting for (a book) and that motivates me." Galindo's visits are infrequent, and, "When I go, they know I've been thinking (about writing) or writing something."

He is currently working on a third book titled *The Devil is Mexican*. "Down there they use that word a lot, like here we say 'Go to Hell,'" Gal-

indo said. "It feels real exciting," Murr said.

Murr was in the heavy weight class of the Fine Wool Cross. Murr represents the Crockett 4-H Club.

Reserve Champion Finewool Cross title goes to Cody Simmonds of

Giddings. Simmonds lamb was in the Finewool Cross light weight division. With a grin from ear to ear Simmonds says, "It feels wonderful to win."

Simmonds represents the Lee County 4-H and she plans to attend Texas A&M.

Bob Kimm of Dysart, Iowa, judged the show.

David French, court appointed care center overseer, also attended the meeting. Among his suggestions for the facility were offices in the building for the administrator and for

## Court Votes To Use Prisoners In County Work Program

Commissioners voted Monday to use prisoners from the correctional facility in Fort Stockton in a Crockett County work program. The prisoners will be brought to Ozona a day at a time as needed and can complete many cleanup or labor jobs.

Sheriff Shane Fenton brought the program to the attention of the court. Crockett County will have to provide transportation and one meal for the workers. Six to 18 trustees can be sent at one time to do labor according to Fenton.

Commissioners voted, along with the measure to use the prisoners, to buy two vans from the school for transportation. The vehicle or vehicles will be left in Fort Stockton but will only be used for trips to and from Crockett County. A guard from Fort Stockton will also drive the van.

Fred Deaton was the only commissioner to vote against the proposal.

During his report, Fenton also told the court he has signed a contract with the Rio Concho Drug Task Force. The period of the contract is March 10 - June 31.

There will be no cost to the county this year, but membership in following years will be \$2,000 per year. Participation in the task force will bring a full-time drug interdiction officer to the county for highway work next year.

R. C. Fullerton, a land man for Union Pacific Resources, met with the court to propose leasing the deep rights to three parcels of county land in the Ingham trap and cemetery area. UPR already has under lease the property necessary to drill vertically. They would also like the option to drill horizontally, which they would have with the county property under lease, Fullerton said.

After much discussion, commissioners voted to advertise for bids to lease the property. This bid process is required by law.

Three applications for the position of pool managers were examined by the court. Previous pool managers Felice Guitierrez and Sandra Perez were hired.

Care center administrator Crystal Hargraves gave her report to the court, and outlined a proposal for the county to fund a medication aide course. The use of medication aides in the care center will result in overall improvement in the quality of care and will decrease overhead, Ms. Hargraves said.

Improper dispensation of some medicines was on a list of deficiencies found during a recent state inspection at the center. Ms. Hargraves also noted that the county has a valuable new resource for certified nurse aides, the high school's health tech course which will test 21 students this April.

David French, court appointed care center overseer, also attended the meeting. Among his suggestions for the facility were offices in the building for the administrator and for

the book keeping department or possibly constructing offices attached to the west side of the building. These are currently in the old doctors' office building.

French also commented that the facility needs its own laundry, that a room is needed for smokers and that the kitchen needs some work.

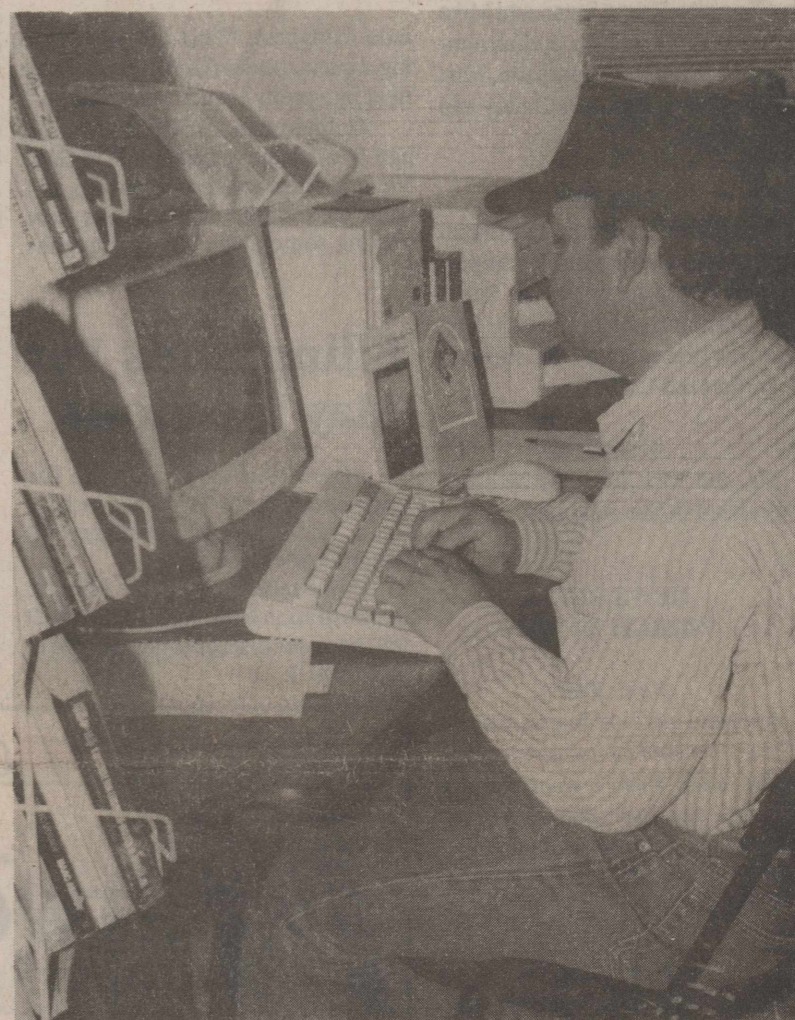
"The building needs a little modernization," said French. "I think you've got a good thing going and you

can make it a lot better."

Under the terms of the court order, French is to oversee the facility through June. Improvements at the center have greatly reduced the number of hours a month he is in Ozona.

The facility has been approved for increased bed capacity up to 56. French said a facility of this size should be self-supporting and predicted that

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OZONA RESIDENT ALBERTO GALINDO uses the computer at Crockett County Public Library. Galindo has written two books about the early history and people of Zaragoza, Mexico and is currently working on a third book titled "The Devil is Mexican".  
Photo by Neal Ulmer

## Three Lions Chosen To 8-AA Team

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

least made the second team.

The Ozona Lions' basketball team came back with plenty of zest to reach the playoffs. Ozona High head boy's basketball coach Ronnie Casey recently announced the District 8-2A Team. Casey, who just completed his second year as the head boy's basketball coach, led his team to a 9-5 district record and a 13-21 overall season record.

Chosen to the District 8-2A First Team was senior guard Jon Sanchez and junior forward Justin Browne. Sanchez was chosen as newcomer of the year last year and Browne was chosen to the second team.

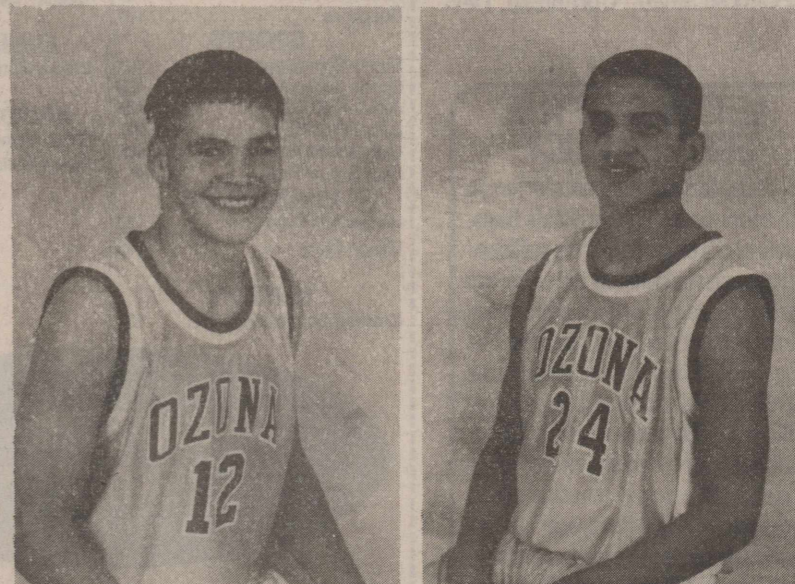
Coach Casey was pleased with those selections but felt like a few other Ozona players should had at

Ozona freshman, Bobby Cervantez, was chosen to the District 8-2A Second Team. Cervantez, a 6'1" post, was the only freshman chosen on either the second team or the first team.

Four other Ozona Lions were selected as honorable mentions. They are junior forward Brian Badillo, sophomores Anthony Ortiz, a guard and Steven Martinez a post, and Peter Rodriguez, a freshman guard.

Coahoma placed four players on the first team including the most valuable player which went to sophomore Blake Nichols. Forsan's Robert Billger was named defensive player of the year and Winter's Kenny Whittenburg was named newcomer of the year.

Named coach of the year was Coahoma's Kim Nichols.



ALL-DISTRICT 8-2A FIRST TEAM members in basketball are Ozona High's Justin Browne (l.) and Jon Sanchez (r.) Photos by Sandra Childress

### The Weather



Date	Hi	Lo	Rain
Mar. 3	47	37	-0-
Mar. 4	41	33	-0-
Mar. 5	59	30	-0-
Mar. 6	76	38	-0-
Mar. 7	40	25	-0-
Mar. 8	73	32	.25
Mar. 9	75	36	.02

(Readings are for a 24 hour period beginning at 8 a.m.)

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RACHEL MURR EXHIBITED THE GRAND CHAMPION fine wool cross lamb at the San Antonio Junior Market Lamb Show held Feb. 12. She is pictured after the livestock auction with the buyer of her champion animal.



# The Newsreel

MARCH 14, 1968

**News Reel**

With 22 of 28 team members scoring points, Coach Chick Womack's Lion track team scored their second straight victory last Saturday at the Sonora Relays, racking up a winning total of 140 points.

**News Reel**

Phillip Perner, Crockett County 4-H Club member, showed his first place 1966 Quarter Horse stallion to Grand Champion Stallion in the Youth Division of the San Angelo Fat Stock Show this past week.

**News Reel**

The Ozona National Bank will have open house Saturday, March 23, to formally open the new bank building and give the public an opportunity to view all the new banking facilities.

**News Reel**

New members chosen to the county advisory boards were: hospital board-Mrs. Lindsey Hick, Richard Flowers and J. G. Hufstetler; Crockett County Memorial Fair Park board-Erby Chandler, Byron Stuart and Mike Miller; civic center or auditorium-coliseum board-Roy Thompson, Mrs. James Dockery, Mrs. Bob Bailey and George Glynn.

**News Reel**

James Weant, Border Patrolman stationed in Ozona, recently was presented an award for sustained Superior Performance of his duties. The award was presented by his superior officer, Edward Collett.

**News Reel**

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kirby spent the weekend in San Antonio.

**NEWS REEL  
MARCH 16, 1939**

**News Reel**

A natural gas distribution system for Ozona became an imminent prospect this week when a franchise for installation and operation of such a system was granted by the commissioners court to the Rio Gas and Power Co. of San Antonio.

**News Reel**

Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey have as their guest this week Mr. Bailey's sister, Mrs. Nora Gee.

**News Reel**

Mrs. Doug Kirby gave a book review when the Junior Woman's Club met the last of the week at the home of Miss Wanda Watson.

**News Reel**

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson will leave this afternoon for Dallas where Mr. Wilson will attend a meeting of Pontiac dealers.

## Meals On Wheels Menu

- Monday, March 17  
Tuna and Noodle Casserole, Pickled Beets, Bread, Dessert
- Tuesday, March 18  
Swiss Steak With Rice, Honeyed Carrots, Green Beans, Bread, Dessert
- Wednesday, March 19  
Stacked Enchiladas, Green Salad, Buttered Corn, Dessert
- Thursday, March 20  
Pork Chops, Yams, Vegetable Blend, Bread, Dessert
- Friday, March 21  
Chili Con Carne, Pear And Cottage Cheese Salad, Cornbread, Dessert

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# SAN FERNANDO AQUI LA HISTORIA FUE ASI.



OZONA AUTHOR DR. ALBERTO GALINDO is pictured at a presentation held on Dec. 31, 1996 in Zaragoza, Mexico honoring the publication of his second book on the history of Zaragoza. Pictured are: Lic. Cesar Morado, Historian from Monterrey; Dr. Jose Alberto Galindo, author; Julio Santos Coy, Historian, State of Coahuila and Lic. Gerardo Sequin Medina, Director, Fondo Editorial Coahuilense.

## \*Galindo (Continued from pg. 1)

indo explained. "That got me thinking, I guess the devil is Mexican. They treat him pretty familiar down there." Galindo moved to Ozona 14 years ago to work for veterinarian Dr. Gary Vannoy. "I'm a veterinarian, too, so I went to see him while I was here visiting some aunts." A few months later, Vannoy called to see if Galindo would come to Ozona to work. His wife, Carmen Julia, and children Alberto and Karla live in Del Rio and attend school there. Alberto, age 13, has applied for a job at the newspaper there. "He likes design, and I let him do a lot of my stuff," said Alberto Sr. Karla is 10. Copies of Galindo's books have been presented to the Crockett County Public Library. They may be purchased for \$10 each from the author and are published in Spanish only.

## Filing Ends For May Elections

March 19 is the final day to file for a place on the ballot for May school board and Emerald Underground Water District elections. Filing takes place in the school's administration building at 797 Ave. D and the water district office located at 1102 Ave. I.

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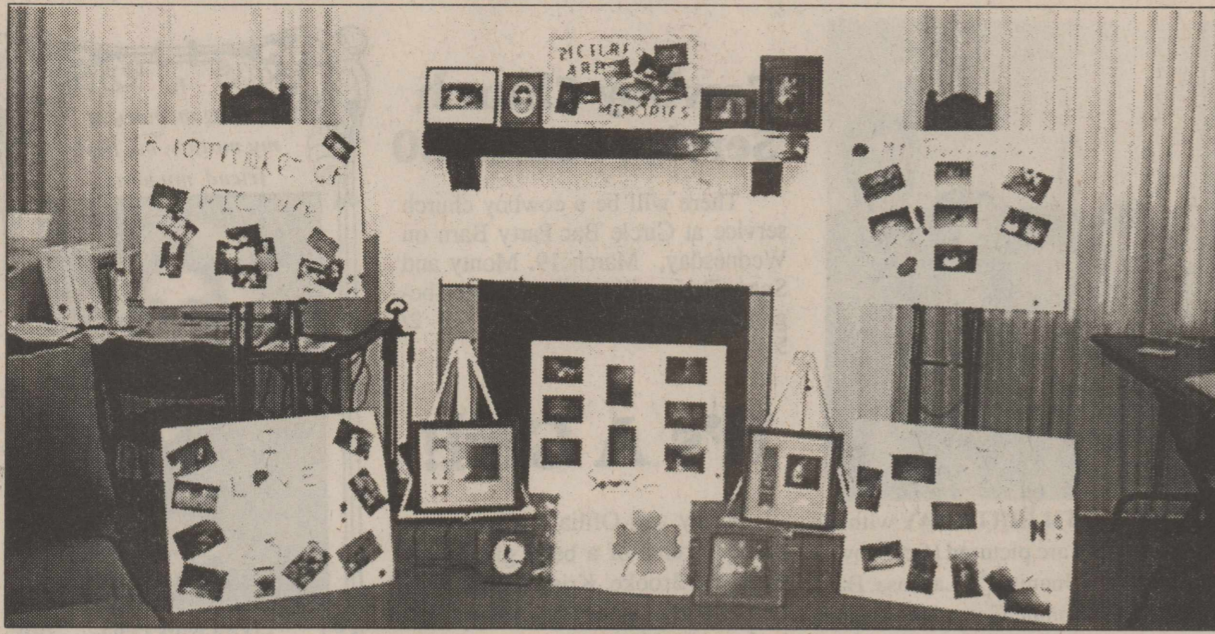
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4-H PHOTOS BY THE CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H CLUB MEMBERS are on exhibit from now to about Apr. 18 at the Crockett County Public Library. Five 4-H'ers, who were a part of the fall 4-H photography project, exhibit a small portion of their numerous photos. Photo by Neal Ulmer

## 4-H'ers Exhibit Photos In Library

By Neal Ulmer  
Stockman Reporter

Photos! Photos! Photos! There are some very good and very interesting photos now on exhibit at the Crockett County Public Library. The Crockett County 4-H Club photographers are exhibiting their pictures taken during the fall 4-H photography project.

Five 4-H'ers are exhibiting nine photos and six posters of photos. The exhibit will be on display in the library until about April 18.

Photos included are of animals, landscapes and candid portraits. The 4-H exhibitors are: Jeanna Henderson two portraits, one caverns, and one poster of photos; Hilary Huffman - two portraits, one animal and one poster of photos; Jared Bird - one each of portrait, landscape and animal and two posters of photos; Brian Anderson - one poster of photos; and Kayla Johnson - one poster of photos.

Also on display is the Crockett County 4-H scrapbook full of photographs and articles on various 4-H projects.

If you are headed to the library to check out books, use the computers, or to visit - check out the 4-H photos. You will be amazed at what these young photographers have done.



## Cobb-Couch Engagement Announced

Robbin Camille Cobb and Curtis M. (Capp) Couch will be married April 19, 1997, at the Cave Springs Baptist Church, Henderson, Tennessee, at 3:00 p.m. Wedding reception will follow at the Chester County Senior Citizens Building.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Cobb of Henderson, Tennessee. The prospective groom is the son of the late Joseph B. Couch, and Alice Couch Brewer of Ozona.

Miss Cobb is a 1989 graduate of Chester County High School, Hen-

derson, Tennessee; a 1995 graduate of Cumberland University, with a Bachelor's degree in nursing. Robbin is a Pediatric RN in Vail, Colorado.

Mr. Couch is a 1984 graduate of Ozona High School; a 1986 graduate of New Mexico Military Institute of Roswell, New Mexico, with a LT. Commission in the U.S. Reserves; and a graduate of Texas A&M University, College Station with a degree in Economics. He is currently employed as a Real Estate Investment advisor with Falcon Point Resorts, Vail, Colorado.

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## "SHEFFIELD CORNER"

by Billie Malone

We had more rain around Sheffield Sunday night. There wasn't "enough to measure" here in town, but ranches south of town received four inches, plus some hail. I understand no damage occurred from the hail.

The road work in town has slowed, but if one can judge by the amount of dust, there is more activity south of town on Texas Highway 349.

Included in the list of out-of-town visitors who formerly resided in Sheffield were: Jim and Louise Dodd of Midland and son Gary, Danny, Sherry and Sharla Vaughn of Granite Shoals, Laura Collins of Snyder, Bill McClure of Midland and son Park of Midland and daughter Christy of Odessa. It was good to renew old acquaintances. They were all here to attend the wedding of Mary Beth Fortune to Andy Vanderwiler of Crown Point, IN.

Charlena Vargas-Prada of Iraan, her son Joey and daughter-in-law Nan

and daughter Anne of Fairfax, VA, visited Anne and Joey's paternal grandmother in Lima, Peru, the last week in February for her 90th birthday. The full report of their trip, along with interesting facts about the capital of Peru are quoted elsewhere in The Stockman.

Students and teachers of the Iraan-Sheffield Independent School District are out on spring break this week. There is only one more grading period - nine weeks - left before graduation. Spring break brings good news and bad news. The good news is a more relaxed schedule and no trips to the school bus stop, but the bad news is, "The natives are restless". Need I say more?

Susan Willeford is enjoying a visit with her daughter Marianne Malone and her son, Bryant of Alpine. Riley Malone brought his family to Sheffield and returned home to Alpine after a visit with his mother-in-law.

## Helping Hands News

By Janet McDaniel

The Helping Hands board meeting March 6 was filled with fund raising ideas for our building fund. March 25 is the day set for a hot tamale sale. These are \$5 a dozen, and orders can be placed with any board member or by calling 392-5026 or 392-3039.

A take-out dinner is being planned for April. The meal will include brisket, potato salad, beans, bread and cobbler.

We are getting closer to meeting our part of the Abell Hanger matching grant, needing only \$3600 to reach the \$12,500. We are accepting donations and memorials for this in addition to our fund raising.

If you haven't driven out north to see our new sign painted by Debra Gilstrap, take time to do so. We are proud of it.

We are still in need of volunteers to deliver meals, especially on Thursday and Friday. We are growing, so we need to have smaller routes to enable the deliverers to make their run in a more timely manner.

Members present at the meeting were: Virginia Bishop, Esmie Barnera, Nancy Hale, Lee Oakes, Dan and Debbie Fleming, Len Hillman, Marie Gerlach and Janet McDaniel. Absent was Mack Richie. Welcomed back to the board was Helen Wall who replaces a hard working Darla Jones. We will miss her.

The next board meeting is 5 p.m. April 3 at the Helping Hands Building.

## Local 4-H'ers Exhibit Livestock In San Angelo

With the coming of March comes the close for the 1996-97 stock show season with the annual San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo. This year, 4-H'ers from Crockett County exhibited meat goats, lambs and steers.

In the lamb show, Rachel Murr placed her medium weight finewool fifth and her heavy weight finewool cross 6th. Amy Laughlin placed a light-middle weight finewool 19th, and Mason Wilkins placed a heavy weight finewool 13th.

Exhibiting meat goats were Stephen Humphrey, Laura and Marie Pierce, Mica Aaron and Zachary Beasley. Exhibiting steers was Ashlee Worley.

## Prayer to St. Jude

Thank you St. Jude for answering our prayers.  
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## Benefit Planned For Edward Borrego

A benefit for accident victim Edward (Wawis) Borrego will be held Friday, March 14, beginning at 11 a.m. Enchilada plates complete with enchiladas, rice, beans and tea will be sold for \$3.00. Delivery is available.

To place an order, call the Sandra Perez residence at 392-5016.

Borrego will have head surgery March 19 or 20 in Plano at Columbia Hospital.

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## Crockett County Public Library News

By Louise Ledoux

**OZONA GARDEN CLUB**  
A breath of Spring has come to CCPL with a lovely bouquet from Dean Allen. Mrs. Allen's display for the Ozona Garden Club is a mass design of pink and mauve silk flowers combined with fragrant eucalyptus branches in an antique hand-painted vase. Come enjoy the beauty of spring at the library. Thanks, Dean!

**OLDER WORKERS WEEK**  
We are celebrating Older Workers Week at the public library. Our green thumb worker, Mrs. Eloisa Ramos, is a vital part of our library staff. She is working under the Green Thumb Senior Community Service Employment Program

According to Diane Cowan, program director, "During this important week, March 9 through 15, let us recognize and highlight the work force contributions of our seniors while we strengthen our commitment to assuring that we invest in their talents and resourcefulness as productive partners in tomorrow's future." This program has been a federally funded service for 30 years now under the U.S. Department of Labor. It is the only workforce development program designed to maximize the productive contributions of a rapidly growing older population and to provide a positive return on the taxpayers investment. The program returns at least \$1.47 for every tax dollar by empowering individuals to become self-sufficient and productive workers in their communities. Hiring experience, dependability, reliability,

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Operating primarily in the rural areas of 132 Texas counties, Green Thumb serves Americans age 55+ with income at or below 125% of the poverty level. It serves the oldest and poorest in our society-39% of enrollees are minorities; 72% are female; 81% are age 60 and older; 41% do not have a high school education; and 9% have disabilities. Less than 15% of funding is spent on administrative costs-one of the lowest rates among federal programs. Green Thumb is based on the principles of personal responsibility, lifelong learning, and service to the community. For more information regarding senior employment and training opportunities, contact Green Thumb, Inc., P.O. Box 7898, Waco, Texas 76714 or call 817-776-4081.

The Public Library is proud to be a host agency for the Green Thumb Program and is proud to have a dependable, cheerful, experienced worker like Mrs. Eloisa Ramos on our staff. Please come by and give her a pat on the back for a job well done!

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## Area Residents Travel To Peru for Birthday Celebration

Charlena Vargas-Prada of Iraan, her son Joey and daughter-in-law Nan of Sheffield, and daughter Anne of Fairfax, VA, spent the last week in February in Lima, Peru, where they celebrated the 90th birthday of Anne and Joey's paternal grandmother.

The travelers met in Miami with Charlena leaving from Midland, Joey and Nan from San Antonio and Anne from Washington, DC. "Miraculously, we all made our connections and met in Miami and traveled to Lima together," said Charlena. Lots of things could have gone wrong but didn't - no lost luggage, missed flights or such. Two U. S. airlines, United and American, fly to Peru from Miami, plus several foreign lines. Anne is a flight attendant for United, so the travelers naturally chose her "friendly skies".

Upon arrival, they found the weather in Lima quite warm - it's summer there - but still nothing to compare to a day in West Texas in July.

"The main event was Grandmother's (she is called "Vita" by her grandchildren, short for "Abuelita") birthday party, which was the purpose of the trip, but we still managed to be tourists, also," said Charlena.

Lima, the capital of Peru, is a modern, cosmopolitan city of eight million people, and has a lot to offer tourists from all over the world. There wasn't time to go to Macchu Pichu, the lost city of the Incas in the Andes Mountains. "Anne has been there twice, but the rest of us will have to wait for another trip," said Charlena. "But we saw a lot in Lima itself in a very short time."

The Plaza de Armas, the catacombs in St. Francisco de Asis Church

and Monastery, the Cathedral, San Pedro's, the Museo de Senor Cipan and the Plaza of Miraflores were some of the sites visited.

"And of course, we had to do a little shopping at the Indian market - wished for more time and more money!"

The guests sampled lots of typical Peruvian food such as pisco sours, anticuchos, picarones, papas a la huancaina, choclo and more, but especially wonderful seafood and desserts.

Although they weren't allowed in the vicinity of the Japanese Ambassador's residence where 72 hostages are being held by the Tupac Amaru terrorist group, they saw lots of military and police action in the vicinity. "Ironically, we used to live only a few blocks away," said Charlena.

Lima was called the City of Kings as it was once the capital of all of Spain's possessions in South America. The original city was laid out on the banks of the Rimac River like a chessboard surrounding the Plaza de Armas. Many homes and cathedrals built by the Spanish still line narrow avenues designed not for cars but for the horse drawn carriages of another era.

The last 25 years have been especially difficult for the country because of the growing population and political instability. Terrorism and runaway inflation have taken a heavy toll. But a rebirth is taking place, with industry and tourism growing rapidly, explained Charlena. "So it's safe to say that Lima is "booming" under the government of Alberto Fujimori, a Peruvian of Japanese descent. Peru enjoys excellent diplomatic and trade relations with the U.S."

## Texas Garden Club District Spring Convention in Coleman

The Spring Convention of District VIII of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc. will be held in Coleman, on Friday and Saturday, March 21-22.

The Coleman Town and Country Garden Club, Ballinger Civic Garden Club and The Cross Plains Garden Club will host the event. Chairmen for the convention will be Joe Hemphill and Nan Markland.

Pre-convention activities will be a Dutch treat meal at Collum's Restaurant in Cross Plains at 6:30. Collum's is three blocks west of the blinker light on Highway 36. Call Paunece Oglesby at 817-725-6772 for reservations by March 17.

### Happy Birthday

March 12 - Andy Wilson, Mitchell Martinez, Santiago C. Ybarra Sr., Janie Chandler, Billy Tom Turland, Ty Porter, Anna Lara

March 13 - Pat Glaze, Leonard Munoz, Natalie Arredondo, Anthony Vasquez, Morris King

March 14 - Diego Pena Jr., Ann Duran, Kay Stewart

March 15 - Tracey Preddy, Gloria Rivera, Derek Nichols, Megan Mitchell, Melinda Galindo, Charlie Galindo, Stephanie Maskill

March 16 - Michael Vallejo, Rene De La Rosa, Liz Huereca, Benito Gutierrez, Jennifer Beasley, Araceli Tijerina, Nancy Huffman

March 17 - Ruth Hester, Joe Don Moran, Judy Tijerina, Patrick Rodriguez

March 18 - Ronnie Long, Dean Stroud, Linda Cervantez, Joe Hernandez, Linda Sessom, Leslie Mendoza

"That which is altogether just shalt thou follow, that thou mayest live, and inherit the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

Deuteronomy 16:20

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Oh glorious Apostle St. Jude, faithful servant and friend of Jesus. I salute you through the most Sacred Heart of Jesus, through this heart I praise and thank God for all the graces he has bestowed upon you. Humbly prostrate before you. I implore you through this heart to look upon me with compassion. Despite not my poor prayer, let not my trust be confounded to you God has granted privilege of aiding mankind in the desperate cases. Oh come to my aid that I may praise the mercies of God. All my life I will be grateful to you and will be your faithful client until I can thank you in Heaven. Amen.

Mary



#### Cafeteria Menu

March 17... Corn Dog, Macaroni & Cheese, Ranch Style Beans, Fruit Cocktail, Cake and Milk  
 March 18... Cowboy Stew, Cornbread, Peach Slices, Ice Cream and Milk  
 March 19... Chick Burger, Salad, French Fries, Cookies and Milk  
 March 20... Soft Tacos, Lettuce, Tomato and Cheese, Pinto Beans, Cake and Milk  
 March 21... Baked Turkey, Creamed Potatoes, Jello/Fruit, Rolls and Milk

#### Fast Food Menu

March 17... Pizza, Salad, Fruit Cocktail, Cake and Milk  
 March 18... Hamburger, Salad, Tator Tots, Peach Slices, Ice Cream and Milk  
 March 19... Soft Burrito, Salad, French Fries, Cookie and Milk  
 March 20... Barbeque Beef on Bun, Tator Tots, Pinto Beans, Cake and Milk  
 March 21... Cheeseburger, Salad, Tator Tots, Jello/Fruit and Milk

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 March 20... Pancakes or Cold Cereal  
 March 21... Ham & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal

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**RALPHA PEREZ CELEBRATED HER 65TH BIRTHDAY** with the help of her care center co-workers on Feb. 18. They are pictured (front row, l. to r.) Liza Garcia, Alice Borrego, Ralpa Perez, and Juanita De La Rosa. Back row: (l. to r.) Ginny Everett, Griselda Tambunga, Connie Gonzales, Amanda Fay, Connie Nelson and Gerald Creel.

## Woman's Forum Meets March 4

Lu Ingram and Margaret Tabb were hostesses for the Woman's Forum that met on March 4 at the Crockett Room.

Shirly Kirby brought the meeting to order and a Forum report was made by Beverly Evans followed by a donation presentation by the Handbells.

Jewel Bailey reminded members that the convention was to be held in Sterling City and would be honoring the memory of Miss Ethel Foster. Miss Foster was a past president of State Federation of Woman's Clubs. She was very active in district and local club work. The convention will be held Saturday, March 22.

Mrs. Bailey also announced that April 30 through May 2, the T.F.W.C. Convention will be held at the Hilton Hotel in Waco.

Helen White gave hand-outs for the Forum's Spring trip to Odessa on April 19-20.

Glenda Henderson gave forms to each member to be filled out with suggestions for next year's yearbooks.

Members attending were: Jewel Bailey, Marolyn Bean, Sandy Bebee, Louise Bunger, Pauline Brown, Barbara Carter, Nancy Childress, Crystelle Childress, Geniece Childress, Arlene Clayton, Marilyn Cox, Beverly Evans, Martha Gries, Charlotte Harrell, Glenda Henderson, Virginia Hubbard, Benny Gail Hunnicutt, Lu

Ingram, Georgia Kirby, Lucille Littleton, Joyce Maness, Ethel Miller, Dorothy Montgomery, Willa Perry, Bernice Phillips, Vada Pridemore, Kathrine Russell, Margaret Tabb, Blanche Walker, Helen White, Patsy White, Jimmie Jacoby, Bobbie Bird, Luetta Kost and Madolyn Stokes.

The meeting was adjourned and the club's auction began, which is the only fund raiser held for the year.

**YOUR NEWS** is important at The Stockman. Call 392-2551 or come by 1000 Ave. E.

## Cowboy Church Service March 20

There will be a cowboy church service at Circle Bar Party Barn on Wednesday, March 19. Monty and Susan Price will hold the service beginning at 6:30 p.m.

## It's A Girl!

Rusty and Ofilia Harris are the proud parents of a baby girl named Krislynn Brooke. Krislynn was born Feb. 28 and weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces and was 19 3/4 inches long.

Grandparents are Carl Harris and the late Bess Harris of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Fidel Rios also of Ozona.



### ACKNOWLEDGMENT for Dora Payne Davis

Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so, we saw it there. Perhaps you prayed a sincere prayer, or came to pay a call. Perhaps you sang a cheerful song, if so, we heard it all. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words, as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Perhaps you prepared a tasty dish. Perhaps you rendered a service unseen, near at hand or from afar. Whatever you did to console our hearts, by word or deed or touch; Whatever was the kindly part, we thank you, oh, so very much.

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## Christ's Unique Death

By Dennis J. Prutow

(Hebrews 7:26). Christ was in no way deserving of death.

Third, Christ stood in the place of "the unjust." No one else is able to say they are without sin. "There is no distinction; for all have sinned" (Romans 3:22-23). Christ stood in the place of sinners. He died, "the just for the unjust." No one else has ever done this.

Fourth, Christ suffered and died "in order that He might bring us to God." Christ takes by the hand those for whom He died and brings them into the very presence of God. No one else is able to do this.

Will Christ do the same for you? Yes, He will, if you believe in and trust His unique death.

Christ's death on a cross almost two thousand years ago was unique in all of history. The Bible describes it this way, "Christ also died for sins once for all, the just for the unjust, in order that He might bring us to God" (1 Peter 3:18).

First, Christ died "for sins." Christ paid the penalty due to others for their sins against God. No one else in all of history has ever done this.

Second, Christ was absolutely "just." He was totally without sin. He was "tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin" (Hebrews 4:15). He was "holy, innocent, undefiled"

<b>First Baptist Church</b> Rev. Bill Fuller Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.	<b>Ozona Church of Christ</b> Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.	<b>Ozona United Methodist Church</b> Rev. James Carter Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
<b>Mt. Zion Baptist Church</b> Rev. Novell Allen Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m.	<b>Faith Lutheran Church</b> Rev. Charles Huffman, Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m.	<b>Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church</b> Rev. Sergio Arrellano Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 7 p.m.
<b>Templo Bautista Jerusalem</b> Pastor Miguel Arjon Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.	<b>Church of God of Prophecy</b> Pastor Lupe Domoniquez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 4:30 p.m. Tues. & Thurs.: 6:00 p.m.	<b>Our Lady of Perpetual Help</b> Rev. Bill DuBuisson Rev. Ray Gallagher Mass: 11:15, Sun., 7 p.m., Sat., 8:30 a.m. M.W.T.F.
<b>Calvary Baptist Church</b> Rev. Daniel C. Fleming Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. & Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.	<b>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida</b> Pastor Alec Rivera Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. service: 7:00 p.m.	<b>Apostolic Church</b> Rev. Hector De La Cruz Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 5 p.m. Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.
<b>Harvest Time Christian Center</b> Rev. Lewis A. Franklin Sun. Christian Ed.: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Praise & Worship: 6:00 p.m. Wed.: Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.	<b>Iglesia de Cristo</b> Sr. Manuel Suchil Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 10:50 a.m., & 5 p.m. Wed.: Bible Study: 6:30 p.m. Sat.: Teen Bible Class: 7 p.m.	<b>Attend Church</b>

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# 7th Cubs Win The '97 Cub Relays

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

The Ozona Seventh Grade Cubs took the first place trophy in the 1997 Ozona Cub Relays held in Lion Stadium March 7. The Eighth Grade Cubs placed second in the four-team Cub Relays this year.

In the seventh grade division, Ozona won the meet with 164 points. Reagan County placed second with 153 points followed by McCamey in third with 120 points and Iraan fourth with 92 points. In the 16 events of the relays, Ozona placed within the top six of fourteen events.

Eliberto Onate won the 400 meters dash, to start the running events, with a time of one minute, 5.90 seconds and Gustavo Perez placed sixth with a time of 1:15.78. In the 100m dash, Abel

Rodriguez placed second with a time of 12.87 seconds. Also, Casey Petty placed sixth with a time of 14.18 seconds. Onate placed third in the 200m dash with a time of 28.33 seconds and R.J. Fierro placed fourth with a time of 30.03 seconds.

In the 300m hurdles, Rodriguez placed first with a time of 49.76 seconds. He was closely followed by teammates Luis Cruz in second with 53.32 seconds and Zeke Rivera in third with 53.34 seconds. Rivera placed second with a time of 21.45 seconds in the 110m intermediate hurdles and R.J. Fierro placed fourth with a time of 22.90 seconds.

Martin Sanchez placed second in the 1,600m run with a time of 6:00.17 minutes. He placed second in the 2,400m run with a time of 9:36.45

minutes. Carlos Salazar placed fifth with 10:12.70 and Martin Martinez placed sixth with 11:38.65 minutes.

Ozona won the 1600m relay with a time of 4:26.44 minutes and placed third in the 400m relay with a time of 56.80 seconds.

Zeke Rivera won the high jump with a jump of 4 feet, 10 inches and Abel Rodriguez placed fifth with a jump of 4'4". Rodriguez won the triple jump with a leap of 30'6". Luis Cruz placed third with 30'0", and Chris Kennedy placed sixth with 26'3". In the long jump, Eliberto Onate placed fourth with a jump of 13'11 1/4" and Gustavo Perez placed sixth with 12'11 1/2".

Rivera placed second in the discus with a throw of 75'3" and R.J. Fierro placed fifth with 61'5". Fierro placed fourth in the shot put with a throw of 28'7 1/2".

In the eighth grade division, Iraan won first place with a total of 211 points. Ozona placed second with 160, McCamey third with 99, and Reagan County fourth place with 68 points. Ozona placed within six places in all of the 16 events.

In the running events, Leon Garcia placed first in the 100m dash with a time of 11.96 seconds. Alex Onofre placed sixth in the event with a time of 12.80 seconds. Ray Ramos held the second position in the 200m dash with a time of 26.50 seconds. Also placing in the event were Leon Garcia in fifth with 27.28 seconds and sixth was Onofre with 27.32 seconds. Chase Adams took fourth place in the 400m dash with a time of 1:05.46 minutes followed by Trey Hale in fifth with 1:07.12 minutes.

Dustin Fought took first place in

the 300m hurdles with a time of 49.17 seconds followed by Rob Madris in second with a 50.38, and Juan Garcia placed fourth with 51.20 seconds. Fought placed third in the 110m intermediate hurdles with a time of 18.95 seconds, Madris placed fourth with 18.98, and Juan Garcia took fifth with 19.80 seconds.

In the 800m run, Josh Tambunga took fourth with 2:31.64 minutes and Gerardo Elizondo placed fifth with 2:38.28 minutes. Tambunga hung on to fourth place with a time of 5:34.10 minutes in the 1,600m run. In the 2,400m run, Elizondo took fifth place with a time of 9:33.00 minutes and Jeffrey Mendez placed sixth with a time of 9:37.85 minutes.

Ozona won first place in the 400m relay with a time of 50.33 seconds. The team was composed of Leon Garcia, Alex Onofre, Ray Ramos, and Chase Adams. Ozona took second place in the 1,600m relay with a time of 4:19.63 minutes.

Chase Adams took first place in the long jump with a leap of 17'3/4" followed by Leon Garcia in second with 16'6 1/2". Ozona took fourth through sixth in the high jump with Rob Madris fourth at 5 foot and Dustin Fought and Juan Garcia with jumps of five foot each. Ray Ramos placed fourth in the triple jump with a leap of 31'3" followed by Trey Hale with 31'1/2". In the shot put, Ty Allen placed second with a throw of 38'7", fifth in the discus with 89'3" and Juan Garcia threw 87'0" for sixth place. In the pole vault, Ramos tied for second with Smithson from Iraan as both vaulted 7'6" and Hale was sixth with 6'6".



FOUR OZONA EIGHTH GRADE BAND MEMBERS competed in the First Annual Bear Cub Music Festival held in Ballinger and received superior ratings. They are pictured: (l. to r.) Josh Tambunga, Joseph Knaack, Chris O'Bryan and Tim Batura.

## Eight Grade Band Members Participate in First Annual Bear Cub Music Festival

Four members of the Ozona Eighth Grade Band traveled to Ballinger to participate in the First Annual Bear Cub Music Festival. The music festival was open to band students in the seventh or eighth grade, and our students participated in the solo part of the festival. Ozona band members at the contest were Tim Batura, Flute solo; Joseph Knaack, Trombone solo; Chris O'Bryan, Trumpet solo and Josh Tambunga, Trumpet solo. All of the soloists performed extremely well and earned a Division I or Superior rating. Congratulations on a job well done. Accompanying the soloists to the festival were Norman Carroll, Middle School band director and Kelly Glaze, High School band director.

Happy Birthday  
to Stephanie  
on March 15



Love,  
Mom, Dad, Stephen, Mike & Sam

## Lady Lion Golf Takes 2nd In Sonora

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

Despite a cool and rainy weather, the Ozona Lady Lions Girls Team placed second in the Sonora High School Girls Tournament held at the Sonora Golf Course last Saturday. The Ladies shot a 413 beating out seven other teams.

"The girls played good for their first tournament," said Ozona High's golf coach Brent Pool. "The weather was misty and rainy and just not real good golf weather."

Winning the tournament was the host team, the Sonora Lady Broncos with a total of 403 strokes. Placing third was San Angelo Lakeview with a 423 and fourth was Brady with 475 strokes. Other teams playing in the tournament included Sonora B, Crane, Colorado City, Mason, and Junction.

Winning the first place medalist was Lakeview's M. Cowley with 96

strokes. She was followed by Ozona's Melissa Childress with a 97, and tying for third was Shelly Sullivan with a 98. Other Ozona players included Kristy Pridemore 105, and Loretta Stewart with 113 strokes.

Bobbie Bryson joined the team for seven holes, but got too cold and was not able to finish.

The Lady Lions will take this weekend off to prepare themselves for the Ozona Golf Tournament on Wednesday, Mar. 19 at the Ozona Country Club. They will tee off at 8:30 a.m. A total of six girls and boys teams will be participating. Those teams that will be playing are: Crane, Rankin, Iraan, Big Lake, Sonora, and Ozona.

## Lions Gain Experience In Angelo Golf Classic Held Last Saturday

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

What better way to gain experience against some good teams, as to play in the 28th Annual San Angelo Golf Classic. The Ozona Lions Golf Team did just that, last weekend. The Ozona golf team participated in the orange division held at San Angelo Country Club on Mar. 7 and at the Riverside Golf Club on Saturday, the eighth.

Winning the orange division was the San Angelo Central Orange Team with a two-day total of 608 (317+291) strokes. The second through ten team standings and scores are as follows: 2 Lubbock Coronado 323-297--620, 3 Midland Lee (tie) 329-302--631, 4 Andrews (tie) 315-316--631, 5

Abilene Cooper 334-300--634, 6 Abilene High 338-297--635, 7 San Angelo Central Blue 338-300-- 638, 8 Odessa Permian 345-299--644, 9 Odessa High 341-311--652, and 10 Lubbock Monterey 349-310--659.

There were a total of 16 teams and unfortunately Ozona came in last with a 408-334--742. Anyone can tell that Ozona was up against 4A and 5A schools. There were a couple of 3A schools, as well.

Jason Stuart led the Lions with a 181 (95+86) and was followed by Charlie Branch 104-79--183, Matthew Galindo 101-83-- 184, and Mason Wilkins with a 112-103--215.

The Lions will hopefully play in an easier tournament on Saturday in Sonora.

## Lady Lions Place 3rd In Sanderson

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

Good springtime weather greeted tracksters in the Rio Grande Relays held in Sanderson March 1. Both the Lady Lions and Lions placed third from a field of about 12 schools. The Lady Lions placed third out of 12 teams with a team score of 100 points. The Lions placed third also, scoring 81 points and competing with 9 other schools.

Junior Lori Sanchez led the Ladies in the running events with two first places in the long distance races. Also, Lady Lion Kayla Turland placed first in the 100 meter dash with a time of 13.52 seconds. The Lady Lions' 800 meter relay team placed first.

In the girls division, Wink placed first with a score of 137 points and Fort Davis was second with 104 points. Places fourth through twelve are as follows: 4 Sanderson 90, 5 Grandfalls 40, 6 Fort Hancock 34, 7 Comstock 32, 8 Marathon 26, 9 Van Horn 18, 10 Fort Stockton JV 12, 11 Buena Vista 2, and 12 Sierra Blanca 1.

Lady Lion Lori Sanchez won first in the 1600 meter race with a time of 5 minutes and 48 seconds and Terren Marshall placed second with a time of 6:15 minutes. Sanchez placed first in the 3200m run with a time of 12:38 minutes and Alex Longoria placed second with 16:36 minutes.

In the 100m dash, Kayla Turland placed first with a time of 13.52 seconds and Lori Jackson placed fourth with 14.52 seconds. In the 400m dash, Haley Holden placed third with 66.7 seconds.

Ozona placed first in the 800m relay with a time of 1:57.9 minutes. The team consisted of Stacey Mendez, Tiffany Maldonado, Terren Marshall, and Haley Holden. Ozona's 1600m relay team placed second with a time of 4:35 minutes. Team members were Kayla Turland, Stacey Mendez, Terren Marshall, and Lori Sanchez. Taking third place in the 400m relay was Ozona's team with a time of 57.56 seconds. Their team was composed of Michele Marshall, Tiffany Maldonado, Kayla Turland, and Stacey Mendez.

Angelica Longoria placed second in the shot put with a throw of 30 feet, 9 1/2 inches and Ashley Ramos placed fourth with a throw of 28 1/2".

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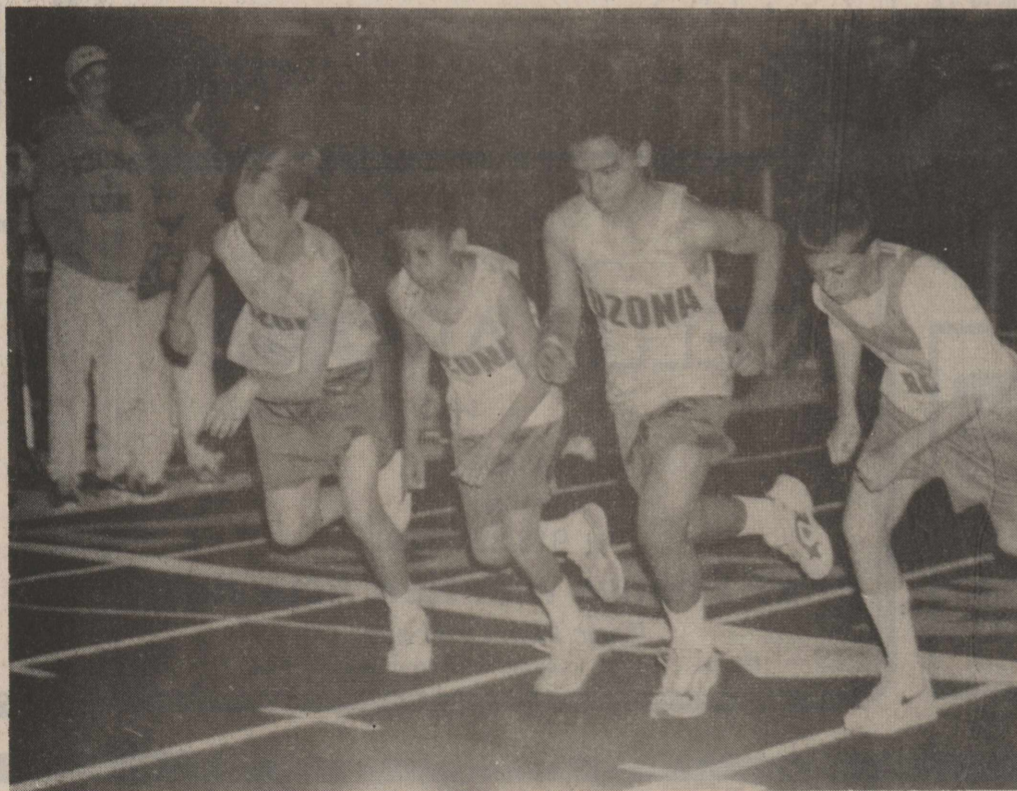
# 1997 Spring Sports



**OZONA CUB TRACKSTER TY ALLEN** gets off his throw in the eighth grade shot put competition at the Cub Relays held March 7 in Lion Stadium. Ty placed second with a throw of 38'7". *Photo by Scotty Moore*



**OZONA LION CHARLES VILLARREAL** lead the pack in the 800m run in last Saturday's Plateau Relays held in Eldorado's Eagle Stadium. Villarreal placed second in the event with time of 2:07.43 minutes. *Photo by Neal Ulmer*



**THREE OZONA CUBS** and an out of town competitor make a great start in the 1,600m run at the 1997 Cub Relays held in Lion Stadium March 7. Cub trackers pictured are: (l. to r.) Jason Davis, Jeffrey Mendez and Josh Tambunga. *Photo by Neal Ulmer*



**OZONA LADY LION TERREN MARSHALL** reaches the finish line for second place in the 800m run with a time of 2:37.81 minutes. The Ladies and Lions both participated in the Plateau Relays held in Eldorado March 8. *Photo by Neal Ulmer*

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# Sanchez Sets Record In 1,600 Meter Run

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

Rainy and windy weather appears to be the norm for track meets. The Plateau Relays held in Eldorado's Stadium March 8 was no different than a lot of track meets in weather and broken records.

Ozona Lady Lion Lori Sanchez won first place and set a new record in the 1,600 meter run with a time of 5:33.58 minutes. She placed second in the 3200m run with a time of 12:13.27 minutes. Terren Marshall placed second in the 800m run with a time of 2:37.81 minutes. Marshall also placed fourth in the 1600m run and also running in the event were Gina Castro and freshman Vanessa Hartman. Tiffany Maldonado placed fourth in the 400 dash. The Lady Lions placed fourth in the 1,600m relay with a time of 4:25 minutes. The team was composed of Tiffany Maldonado, Terren Marshall, Leslie Avila, and Lori Sanchez.

Junior Stormi Sessom placed fifth in the shot put and sixth in the triple jump.

Coach Alan Phillips, the Lady Lions girls' track coach, said, "It was a good track meet and good competition. We had some girls that did really well. The people we had performed really well."

Winning the girls division of the Plateau Relays was Iraan with 140 points. They were followed by: 2 Rocksprings 85, 3 Water Valley 61, 4 Eldorado 56, 5 Brady 38, and 6 Wall with 37 points.

The Ozona Lions' track team was not quite up to peak in numbers or performance. The Lions placed ninth in a field of teams in the meet.

In the boy's division, Reagan County took the top honors with a score of 106 points. The rest of the teams and placings are as follows: 2 Iraan 90.5, 3 Winters 80.5, 4 Brady 73.5, 5 Wall 60, 6 Eldorado 52, 7 Rocksprings 24, 8 Sonora 21, 9 Ozona 18.5 and 10 Christoval 15.

In the running events, Charles Villarreal placed second in the 800 meters run with a time of 2 minutes, 7.43 seconds. He ran 5:21 minutes in the 1,600m run and Codie Porras took fourth with a 5:03 minutes. Porras ran a 11:38 minutes in the 3,200m race.

Rick Hamon ran a 11:55 seconds in the 100m dash and sophomore T.J. Tobar finished in 12.26 seconds. In the 200m dash, Donnie Bullard had a 25.25 seconds time. Zeke Castillo ran the 400m dash in 11.55 seconds. Freshmen Tim Maldonado ran the 200m dash in 25.36 seconds and Matt Castaneda ran the 400m dash in 57.66 seconds.

In the junior varsity division, freshmen Wayne Flores placed fourth in the 800m dash with a time of 2:19 minutes and I.J. Villarreal placed third in the 3,200m run. Ken Sessom ran the 100m dash in 12.26 seconds and Gabe Tijerina in 12.30 seconds. Sessom also ran the 200m dash in a time of 24.18 seconds.

Hurdler Chad Myers ran the 110m high hurdles in 19.7 seconds and the 300m intermediate hurdles in 49.0

seconds.

In the varsity 400m relay, the Ozona team placed sixth with a time of 46.5 seconds. The JV team placed fifth with a time of 48.9 seconds. The varsity team ran the 1,600m relay in 3:43.30 minutes. This team was composed of Matt Castaneda, George Hernandez, Codie Porras, and Charles Villarreal. The junior varsity's time in the 1600m relay was 4:07.30 minutes.

In the field events, sophomore Steve Martinez threw the shot put for sixth place and threw the discus 107 feet. In the long jump, Darin Jackson had a jump of 18'7 1/2". Freshman Ken Sessom had a jump of 37'1" in the triple jump.

The Lady Lions, Lions, and JV Lions will be participating in the 45th Ozona Relays on Saturday, March 15. The field events will start at 9 a.m., the running prelims at 11:30 a.m., and the finals will begin at 4:30 p.m., all in Lion Stadium. The new stadium seats are not ready, so bring your lawn chairs.

# Lions Place Third In Rio Grande Relays

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

The Ozona Lions Track Team did very well in the Rio Grande Relays held in Sanderson last Saturday by placing third. They scored 81 points in a field of 10 schools.

"We were very pleased with the effort given. Without our top distance runner, Charles Villarreal and our top sprinter Darin Jackson, and also dropping the baton in the sprint relay, we still nearly won the meet," said Ozona High School boys track coach, Dane Vickers. "The kids really pulled together and worked hard. Being young in some ways helped early. Also, having Charles and Darin leading us, provides the direction we need to be leading towards in practice."

In the distance events, George Hernandez placed first in the 800 meter run with a time of 2:13.26 minutes and Wayne Flores had a time of 2:21.47 minutes. In the 1600m run, Codie Porras placed third with a time of 5:16.20 minutes, George Hernandez sixth with 5:28.11 and I.J. Villarreal ran with a time of 5:34.20 minutes. In the 3200m run, Villarreal placed fourth with 11:41 minutes Codie Porras had 11:58 minutes and Wayne Flores had 12:22 minutes.

In the 110m high hurdles, Justin Browne placed third in the finals with a time of 18.30 seconds and had a time of 17.89 seconds in the prelims. Chad Myers ran 20 seconds flat in the prelims. Browne placed third in the finals in the 300m intermediate hurdles with a time of 45.41 seconds and had a time of 43.31 in the prelims. Ross Crawford placed fourth in finals with 46.31 and 45.75 in prelims. Chad Myers ran a 50.46 seconds in the prelims.

In the 400m dash, Ty Mitchell placed sixth with a time of 57.66 seconds and had a 56.31 in the prelims. Also running in the prelims were Jason Hight with 59.91 and Shannon Fleming with 65.00 seconds.

Running in the 100m dash was Donnie Bullard with a 12.28 seconds, Ronnie Tippie 12.32, and T. J. Tobar with 12.78 seconds. In the 200m dash, Matt Castaneda had a 25.45 seconds, Gabe Tijerina 26.18, and Zeke Castillo 27.28 seconds.

# Job Trends Info Brought To Students, Adults

Career awareness seminars conducted Feb. 25 by Dr. Bill Witter of Witter World Wide, Inc., gave students, teachers and the community as a whole an opportunity to learn about the current job trends in the Concho Valley region.

When Dr. Witter met with juniors and seniors at Ozona High School Wednesday afternoon, topics such as educational levels, technology trends and actual work force charts from his analysis were used to show students the opportunities available with informed choices. Occupational trends were explained in detail using current events and other major societal happenings.

Wednesday evening, Cathy Cordova, representing the Concho Valley School-to-Work Partnership, introduced Dr. Witter to the high school staff and members of the community. She gave a brief overview of the multitude of programs that the partnership offers to schools in this region. Some of these services include business tours, articulation agreements

between post-secondary schools and area high schools, timely information from the Texas State Occupational Information Coordinating Committee and the educational tools such as CD-ROM programs for career and school searches.

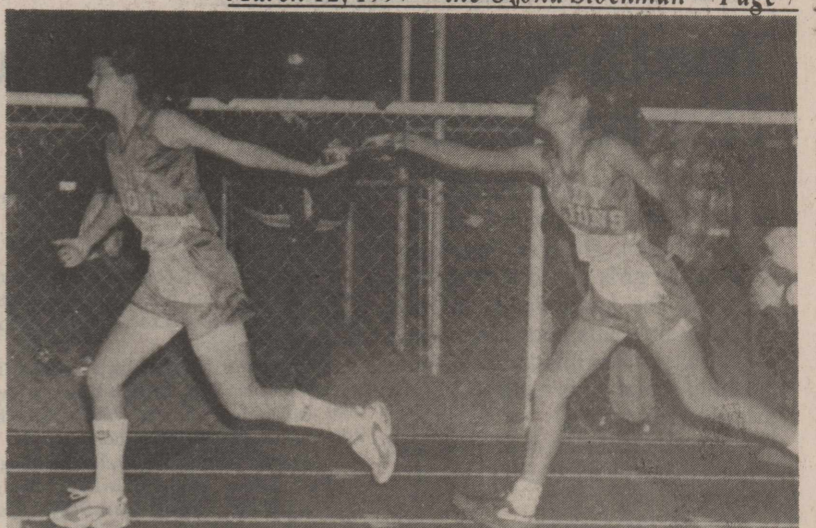
Although Dr. Witter gave some of the same information in the evening as he did to the students, he brought the adult audience a different perspective. Included in his seminar was a short course in how individuals may make their own analysis of the future by taking into consideration all of the events that have taken place, or that are occurring now.

Dr. Witter also demonstrated two new CD-ROM programs that are being donated by the School-to-Work Partnership. One program was aimed at intermediate students, and the other at secondary and adult learners. This software helps younger students become career aware and gives the older students specific information concerning job and school opportunities. Both programs will be in use in Ozona next year on the appropriate campuses.

Plans are in progress at this time to bring Dr. Witter and his seminars to other communities surrounding San Angelo. "Hopefully, Ozona will be able to have Dr. Witter back in the near future," said high school counselor David McWilliams. "We had outstanding responses from the high school staff, community members present and our students. With all seminars, some of the best questions are coming in now, after the students and staff have had time to think about some of the information. Dr. Witter left his hard copy information for us to use and give to others that are interested."

McWilliams expressed appreciation to J. R. Bhakta for donating a room at the Comfort Inn, Bobby Jack Maness of The Cafe Next Door for meals Wednesday evening and to Ozona Women's League for providing refreshments for the evening presentation. "Without the support of these businesses and organizations, Dr. Witter's visit could not have materialized," McWilliams said.

"Thanks also to Chesta and Rod Schneider, Will Thompson, Ms. Tanya Sorrells and the high school staff for their tireless organization and support for bringing in speakers of Dr. Witter's caliber."



OZONA TRACKSTER TIFFANY MALDONADO (right) hands off the baton to teammate Terren Marshall in the 1,600m relay at the Plateau Relays held in Eldorado last Saturday. Photo by Neal Ulmer

# Ozona Relays Ready To Run Saturday

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

A total of 16 high school teams will participate in the 45th Annual Ozona Relays to be held in Lion Stadium on Saturday, Mar. 15. Teams entered in this year's meet include Sonora, Wall, Sanderson, Junction, McCamey, Water Valley, Crane, Comstock, Alpine, Pecos, Rocksprings, Fort Stockton, Kermit, Marathon, Miles, and Ozona.

Be prepared for a long day, as the field events get started at 9 a.m., the running prelims at 11:30 a.m. and the finals starting at 4:30 p.m. The presentation of the awards will follow the conclusion of the finals.

# Screws Graduates From Basic

Army Pvt. John D. Screws has graduated from basic military training at Fort Sill, Lawton, Oklahoma.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Screws is the son of David E. Screws of Ozona, and Vicki L. Brothers of Robert Lee.

He is a 1995 graduate of Ozona High School.

The Ozona track coaches are in need of your help in making the track meet a successful one. If you are willing to help with the meet, please contact Coach Pete Maldonado at the school at 392-5501, ext. #218, home 392-3802 or (915) 226-3571 or Coach Alan Phillips, the head girls' track coach at 392-5501 or at home 392-2085. Please inform them if you will be able to help and be at the girls' track fieldhouse at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday.

# Wilkins Honored At Southwestern

One hundred eight-five student honors were presented at the Southwestern University Honors Convocation Saturday, Feb. 22, held in Lois Perkins Chapel. Honors were awarded by various academic departments, scholarship programs, and academic and honor societies.

Tara Wilkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wilkins of Ozona, was among 250 students who were named to the 1996 Fall Distinction List for academic excellence. To be selected to the distinction list, students must have a least 3.6 grade point average on a 4.0 point scale and be in good standing with the University.

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# Youth Basketball League Teams Selected

Teams were selected last week for the 1997 Ozona Youth Basketball League season. There are four teams each in the girls and boys Pee Wee division. The junior boys' division will have six teams, and there are also four girls' teams in this division. There are eight senior boys' teams and four teams of senior girls.

Practice will start next week, and game schedules should be available then.

### Roster information follows.

#### Pee Wee Boys' Division

Blazers: Barrett Richie, Matthew Bullard, Roman Tambunga, Joshua Mey, Rylee Ramos, Levi English, Kames Dickinson, Aaron Pearl. Coaches Mack Richie and Renee Pearl

Raiders: Jose Mario Salinas, Zane Caddell, Joshua Avila, Justin Maldonado, Cadin Sessom, Colby Mayfield, Joseph Martinez, John Tom Tijerina, Joshua Roman. Coaches Elizabeth Clark and Dale Mayfield

Mighty Ducks: Caleb Mitchel, Levi Vargas, J. L. Garanzuay, Chance LeCroy, Felipe Elizondo, Matt Turland, Abel Villarreal, Parrish Aiguier, Justin Rodriguez. Coach B. T. Turland

Little Giants: Joshua D. Smith, Rocky Munoz, Mark Tambunga, Thomas Gray, Stephen Gillit, Alfredo Tobar, Cody Gotcher, Nicholas Lewis, Ruben Reyes. Coach Cindy Smith

#### Pee Wee Girls' Division

Lady Lions: Frankie Skinner, Rebecca Enriquez, Lanell Garcia, Puja Bhakta, Vanessa DeLaGarza, Julia Henderson, Vicky Yuregas, Lauren Pool. Coaches Jeannine Henderson and Heatherly Childress

Jayhawks: Britni Buchanan, Leandra Benson, Megan McDaniel, Cristan Cervantez, Tausha Molinare, Elizabeth Farley, Brooke Galindo, Libby Martinez. Coaches Rory and Susan Buchanan

Bulls: Brooke Tambunga, Kasey Gray, Kyanth Kothman, Dana Moran, Danielle Cook, Tashina Lewis, Ariana Robledo. Coach Ron Cook

Magics: Farran Wilson, Ashley Anderson, Melissa Morris, Peyton Fenton, Celia Rivera, Morgan Glosson, Anna Hernandez. Coaches Melissa Glosson and Mel Lozano

#### Junior Boys' Division

Wampus Cats: Vince Burns, J. R. Villarreal, James Harris, Vincent Castro, Emiliano Valdes, Michael Maldonado, Jared Espino, Brian Anderson. Coach Will Seahorn

Heat: Filemon Garza, Lionel Martinez, Zane Coates, J. D. Borrego, Justin Gotcher, Jose Rios, Joseph Tambunga. No coach yet.

Celtics: Pate Caddell, Nathaniel Lopez, Israel Martinez, Nicolas Perez, Raven Perez, Paarth Raajh, David Ray Casarez, Oscar Portales. No coach yet.

Motor City Pistons: Robert DeHoyos, David Esparza, Michael Garza, Jeffrey Gillit, Ruben Talamantez, Roland Galindo, Eric Tambunga. Coach Eljijo Martinez

Magics: Toby Pagan, Jared Byrd, Michael Jenkins, Mack Poindexter, Samuel Pena, Justin Galan, Eric Fierro, Albert Barrera. Coach David Pagan

Wolverines: Javier Elizondo, Stephen Lara, Derek Fierro, Jesse Garza, Clint Hale, Dean Wadsworth, Casey Nicks. Coaches Ed

and Laurie Hale, Mike and Kathleen Edinburg, Millie Wadsworth

#### Junior Girls' Division

Bulls: Jessica Moore, Jasmine Tambunga, Kerri Ann Mendez, Casey Ybarra, Andrea Salinas, Kayla Johnson. Coaches Raedene Flores and Jamell Tambunga

Kangaroos: Kelli DeHoyos, Ashley Thompson, Heather Price, Kristina Vasquez, Kayla Pratt, Jamie Moore, Heather Ybarra. Coaches Roland DeHoyos and Will Thompson

Queens: Taylor Oglesby, Kristin Bunker, Chelsea Tobar, Gage Crawford, Lindsey Crawford, Bobbie Darling. Coach Sally Oglesby

Lady Lions: Lori Lozano, Mandy Fierro, Candace Gandar, Hilary Huffman, Jenna Henderson, Tara Ellis. Coaches Jeannine Henderson, Heatherly Childress

Raiders: Makinsey Morris, Britney Ramos, Britney Chandler, Malorie Moran, Alexandra Bean, Victoria Miller, Kaysi Hargrove. Coaches Douglas Bean and Rod Miller

Lady Horns: Lindsey Castro, Danielle Bryan, Amber Batura, Penny Stewart, Kessie Smith, Kayla Parks, Tyler Cunningham. Coach Gene Castro

#### Senior Boys' Division

Raptors: Derek Faught, Jarrett Vickers, G. L. Bunger, Erik Bachman, Victor Hernandez, Adrian DeLaGarza, Thomas Morrow. Coaches Dane Vickers and Dickie Faught

Air Jordan's: Roy Estrada, Clay Hale, Gabriel Martinez, Stephen Humphrey, Domingo Perez, Mark Gandar, Aaron Garza. Coach Eljijo Martinez

Magics: Quay Oglesby, Wilson Stokes, Andrew Shaffer, Chris Arjon, Saul Sandante, Tyson Vordick, Jeremy Mey. Coach Sally Oglesby

Pistons: Tee Jay Nowell, Jake Parks, Layne English, Logan English, Bradley Mayfield, Chase Clark, Ricky Perez, Joe Perez. Coaches Dale Mayfield and Elizabeth Clark

Tarheels: Chris Smith, Aaron Espino, Jerry Harris, Rico Tretto, Kenny Tobar, Lalo Garza Jr., Matt Maness. Coach Gene Castro

Longhorns: Kristopher Gray, Ryan Pearl, Rogelio Sanchez, Brandon Mamolejo, Robert Ogle, Jose Esparza, John Luna. Coaches Tamie and Tommy Garza

No Name Yet: Romeo Perez III, Joel Ortiz, Ryan McNeely, Jonathan Munoz, Jacob Tambunga, Koby Fenton, Mike Savala. No coach yet.

No Name Yet: Marc Osborne, Jake Stewart, Luis Mata, Johnny Tambunga, Steven Lozano, Chris Larson, Stephen Maskill. Coaches Eddie Stewart and Randy Herring

#### Senior Girls' Division

Spurs: Brandi Buchanan, Alex Torib, Kasi Yeager, Michelle Gandar, Myda Fay, Michelle Necessary, Katie Parker, Jessica Galan, Amanda Ramirez. Coaches Susan and Rory Buchanan

Utah Jazz: Mica Aaron, Cora Seymour, Brandi Williams, Angela Salinas, Amanda Poindexter, Chrissy Carson, Rebekah Cowen, Colbey Crawford. Coaches Randy Herring and Randy Crawford

Rockets: Ruth Helen Cervantez, Victoria Velasquez, Kelly Howard, Breanne Gesch, Paige Tambunga, Dianna Perez, Ashley DeHoyos, Melanie Bullard. Coaches Pando Cervantez and Raedene Flores

The Magics: Laura Pierce, Corin Garcia, Jamie Fierro, Janet Rodriguez, Erika Fierro, Lana Sanchez, Danielle Adams, Jaclyn Rodriguez. Coach Johnny Rodriguez

# Puente de Salud Course Begins Tue., March 18

A free bilingual weight management course called "Puente de Salud" is being offered to women in Crockett County starting Tuesday, March 18. The course is being offered through the Texas Agricultural Extension Service's Better Living for Texans program.

The first session will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday at the Extension Office Conference Room located next to the convention center at 1301 Ave. AA. Participants will receive information about the course and decide on a meeting schedule at the first meeting.

The program was put together by Dr. Bethann Witcher, Extension Nutrition Specialist for TAEX, and was tested for effectiveness with Hispanic clients in San Antonio before being offered statewide.

Crockett County is one of the first counties in the state to offer the program. County Extension Agent Tendra Ulmer and Better Living Program Assistant Myra Tambunga attended training for the program last week in Corpus Christi.

"The course is fun as well as educational," said Ulmer. The agent noted participants will learn simple lifetime tips to control weight and will enjoy fun exercise with the group along with a low-fat recipe demonstration at each class session. Participants will learn that lowering fat doesn't mean losing flavor - the recipes are ones the whole family will enjoy.

"The recipes are foods we already eat, but are lower in fat without losing taste," said Tambunga. She said recipes for items such as baked tortilla chips, "retrieved beans", Mexican zucchini and oven french fries are included. Modified recipes for such favorites as Enchiladas Verde and oatmeal cookies are also tasty and can be included in a healthy diet.

No matter how over-weight a person is, it's never too late to make changes according to the Extension educators. "Even small changes in diet and exercise can add up, and can make a big difference in feeling good," said Ulmer. She noted the recent study which listed the 10 most "overweight" cities in the U.S. put San Antonio at third place. "If San Antonio is high on the list," said Ulmer, "you can bet we would be as well."

The purpose of the Puente de Salud program is to help Hispanic women learn ways to help their families eat healthier for less, include exercise in busy schedules, and have fun while learning together. All materials are easy to read and offered in both Spanish and English.

"Since Hispanics are at higher risk for a number of chronic diseases such as cardiovascular (heart) disease, diabetes and certain types of cancers," said Ulmer, "it is most important for you to learn how to reduce your risk through diet and exercise - it really does make a difference."

For more information, contact the Crockett County Extension Office at 392-2721. Educational programs and information provided by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages, regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, national origin or disability.

# Grand Jury Meets March 6

A meeting of the Crockett County Grand Jury March 6 resulted in 11 indictments. Those are:

Feliciano Perez Garcia Jr. felony driving while intoxicated. Third degree felony.

Ricardo Luna Chavez possession of a controlled substance (cocaine). Third degree felony.

Judy Rodriguez Sanchez possession of a controlled substance (cocaine). Third degree felony.

Klass Sietze Finstra unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. State jail felony.

James Arlo Peterson failure to appear. Third degree felony.

Ralph J. Navarro Jr. possession of marijuana. State jail felony.

Colonel Joe Golden attempted murder five counts. First degree felony.

Christina Faye Eberline attempted murder. First degree felony.

Maricela Lopez Valdivia possession of controlled substance with intent to deliver. First degree felony.

Chester Terrence Carrouth possession of controlled substance (cocaine). State jail felony.

# Crockett County Sheriff's Report

### 3-4-97 to 3-10-97 ARRESTS:

James Frank Deckard, age 30, of Port Isabel was arrested on a charge of driving while license suspended. Subject was released after posting bond on 3-5-97.

Jim Ramirez Ethridge, age 26, of Ozona was arrested on a motion to revoke warrant out of Tom Green County for theft of livestock. Subject was picked up by Tom Green County.

David Camuel Hendricks Jr., age 37, of Ozona was arrested on a charge of public intoxication. He was released after paying a fine.

Offense Reports:

Theft of a handgun was reported while vehicle was parked at a local mechanic shop.

Crockett County Schools reported criminal mischief at the high school library. Window had been broken with a beer bottle.

Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported from a local residence. Complainant's boyfriend took vehicle without her consent.

ACTIVITY LOG:

3-4-97

Deputy arrested subject driving while license suspended 2 miles west on Loop 466.

Report of someone screaming at Maness Texaco #2. It was a female subject who was upset because she could not make the gas pump work.

Local subject arrested on warrants out of Tom Green County.

Met with complainant at Ave. I reference loud music. All was quiet when deputy arrived.

Report of stranded motorist at Schneeman Draw. Deputy unable to locate anyone.

3-5-97

Disturbance call at local apartments. Complainant reported that a male subject was trying to break in the apartment. Subject had already left when deputies arrived.

Met with complainant at local apartments reference of family violence. When deputy arrived complainant advised subject was sleeping and everything was okay.

Complainant reported that while her vehicle was at a local repair shop, a firearm was taken out of the vehicle. Deputy took offense report of theft/burglary of a vehicle.

3-6-97

Disturbance call at a local nightclub, a report of a fight. Subject had broken a window and left. Subject was located and arrested.

Received report of a fight at a local club. Deputies went to the location and spoke with the bartender. Bartender advised that a subject had broken one of the windows there with his fist. Deputies spoke with the club owner, and he did not want to file charges. Subject was later arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

A welfare at a local gas station was given gas to continue eastbound.

A deputy met with complainant about missing band equipment. Deputy will talk to the other party to see about the items that were missing.

Report of reckless driver on Couch Street. Deputy never saw a vehicle matching the description in the area. Caller advised that the vehicle had left a local residence on Ave. L.

Deputy met complainant at Beall Street about her husband's ex-wife being parked by her residence. Deputy talked to subject and advised her to stay away.

3-7-97

Report of a possible accident on I-10 about 15 miles west was called in by Pecos Co. Sheriff's Department. Dispatcher advised that a trucker on the highway had called them and advised that a gray or blue pickup had hit a guardrail. Deputy went to the location and was unable to locate any damaged guardrail or any vehicle in the area.

An employee for the Crockett County Schools came into the office and advised that someone had thrown a bottle at a window at a door at the school library. A deputy went to the location and filed an offense report.

A report was received of loud music at a local trailer park. A deputy went to the location, and there was no music on upon his arrival.

A report of an alarm at a local school was called in by the security company. Deputy went to the location. One of the teachers had set the alarm off and did not know how to shut it off. Everything was okay.

A report of a gas drive off was called in by the truck stop, with unknown direction of travel. Deputy stopped a vehicle on the interstate matching the description but they had their receipt.

Deputies met with a complainant at a local restaurant in reference to a subject going by the back door of the business trying to cause trouble with the cook and also with his family. Met subject and advised her to stay away from there. Subject returned and deputies were called back. Subject was gone upon arrival, but they met with her at her parents' residence. She was advised if she returned she would be going to jail.

Manuel Tambunga Villarreal Jr. possession of marijuana. State jail felony.

An indictment means that at least nine of 12 grand jurors believe there is sufficient reason for a trial.

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A welfare at a local convenience store requested assistance in getting a room. Deputies gave the subjects a room at a local motel. Subjects had a 10-month-old baby with them.

A report of a suspicious vehicle in front of the courthouse. Deputy went and subjects were just getting some rest before they went on their way. Checks were run on both the vehicle and subjects. All were okay.

3-8-97

A report of loud music was called in by a resident on Heracio Street. Deputy went to location and advised subjects to shut the party down.

Deputy assisted a DPS unit with a vehicle with non-matching vehicle identification number.

Deputy served a female subject on a precept to serve citation on Third Street.

Deputy served a male subject on a precept to serve citation on Mulberry Street.

Deputy served a female subject on precept to serve citation at the sheriff's office.

Deputy met with two subjects, husband and wife, at the jail in reference to them having a confrontation and husband wanting to take their little boy with him. Deputy advised both subject to contact their attorney and not to commit family violence.

Deputy met with a subject on Ave. G who advised that some kids were throwing rocks at the trailer. Deputy was unable to locate the vehicle.

Deputy met with two subjects in reference to fighting over kids. The kids left with the mother.

Deputy assisted DPS on a motor vehicle accident. A vehicle had driven off a bridge on I-10.

3-9-97

A report of loud music on Man-O-War Street. Deputy advised subjects to keep the music down.

Deputy made a bar check at a local bar.

Deputy met with two subjects at the jail. Subject wanted to report that his daughter had been hit by a vehicle at a local dance parking lot and just wanted to make sure that the parents of the second party pay for the hospital bill. Deputy advised that he would talk to the subject and his parents.

Deputy met with a subject at a local apartment complex in reference to her 17-year-old

daughter not being home. Deputy located subject at a residence on Couch Street and advised her to go home.

Deputy met subject on Antonio Street in reference to subject being concerned about his niece.

A report of an unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was called in. Subject advised that her boyfriend had taken her car without her consent. Subject advised that she would file charges.

Irion County was advised and deputy filed an offense report.

Deputy met with subject's parents in reference to the girl being hit by a car at a local dance parking lot. Subject's parents advised that they would pay for the hospital bill.

Deputy went to a local convenience store in reference to a subject pumping gas and only having an out of town check to pay for it. Cashier advised that she could not cash the check. Deputy cashed the check for him.

Deputy met with subject at his residence on Willow Street in reference to kids jumping on a fence and breaking boards on his property down the street from his residence. Kids were gone upon arrival of the deputy.

A report of a reckless driver in the area of Hickory Street. Vehicle was a green passenger car. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle upon his arrival.

A report of a theft of gas from a local convenience store with vehicle heading east on I-10. Deputy met with a DPS unit. Unable to locate vehicle.

3-10-97

Deputy assisted the EMS on Santa Rosa Street. A lady had fallen and needed to be taken to the clinic's emergency room.

A complaint of two mailboxes being destroyed Saturday night on Pandale Road. Deputy filed a report.

A report of a stranded converted school bus on I-10 selling items on the side of the road. Deputy warned them about selling items on the side of the road. Subjects had help on their way from town.

A report of suspicious persons in a local convenience store asking for money. Deputy stopped and identified subjects at a local restaurant.

A report of a disturbance on Ave. J. Subjects were having a confrontation on the welfare of their child. Child left with the mother.

## \*Court (Continued from pg. 1)

the county should have very little to do there 12 months from now.

Court members approved a resolution requesting that the 75th Legislature file and enact a bill which would provide financial grants for airport facility maintenance and development. This will provide a way to maintain small airports such as Ozona's.

Improvements are scheduled for the Ozona airport, and future maintenance could be paid in part through grants if the resolution is adopted by the state.

Commissioners voted to advertise for fuel bids, paving rock, to sell surplus equipment not purchased at the Lions' Club auction and acceptance of minimum bid, and to advertise to sell rock, as is, where is and to be removed, which was cut from the hill where the annex is to be located.

The court met in executive session with their attorney to discuss possible litigation. No action was taken upon return to open session.

Additional reports were heard from auditor John Stokes, Janet McDaniel for Helping Hands, Garland Young for the civic and youth center and Eddie Moore for the parks and roads departments. A written report was received from the fire department stating that for the first time in 25 years, there had been a month with no calls.

Librarian Louise Ledoux was present to give her report, but time constraints prevented commissioners from hearing her.

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## Ozona Offers First Interactive Video Class

Midland College will offer U.S. History Since 1877 (1302). This is the second part of the freshman history requirement for most colleges and universities. The class will be offered through the new Interactive Video Lab at Ozona High School. The class will be on Saturday from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. with a lunch break. The class will start March 22 and run through May 5 with a break on Easter weekend.

This class is a survey of U.S. history from Reconstruction to the present. Topics include the development of the West, the growth of big business and its accompanying problems, American imperialism, the causes and results of World Wars I and II, and the post war world.

This three hour class will be \$108.00 for tuition. Lab fee for use of the IVL (Interactive Video Lab) will be \$68.00. This will be a total of \$168.00 for the class. The lab fee partially takes care of the lab attendant and other "electronic" costs. The cost for books will be extra, just as in any other college course. Ozona High School seniors that would like to take the class will be given a scholarship by the high school for one-half that amount for \$84.00.

The Interactive Video Lab has great potential for bringing a variety of courses and activities to Ozona. Please feel free to offer ideas and suggestions for courses. It is possible that some of the courses offered by Ft. Stockton's Out-of-District campus can be teleconferenced to Ozona. Midland College is working with U.T.P.B. to offer some of the classes from that campus, as well. There is a strong possibility that course will be offered this summer.

For more information on this class and other opportunities, please contact David McWilliams at Ozona High School (392-5502). In addition, if anyone would like any specific courses offered by Midland College, please let me know because we can possibly work that into the summer and fall schedule.

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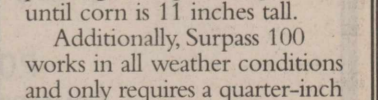
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### RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION

District 7C Rule 37/38 Case No. 0214525  
Date of Issuance: February 21, 1997

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applicant, LOUIS DREYFUS NATURAL GAS CORP, 14000 QUAIL SPRINGS PARKWAY STE 600, OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73134, has made application for a spacing and density exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rules 37 and 38 (16 Tex. Admin. Code Sections 3.37 and 3.38). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line and distance between wells requirement and to the density of the subject field(s) to amend Well No. 7402, McMullen Ranch "B" Lease, 160 Acres, Sec. 5, Blk. N, TC RR CO Survey, A-2890, Sawyer (Canyon), Whitehead (Strawn) and Wildcat Field(s), Crockett County, being 14 miles in a southeast direction from Ozona, Texas. The location of this well is as follows:

321' from the north line and 2081' from the east line of lease.

1670' from the north line and 560' from the west line of survey.

Field rules for the wildcat field are 467/1200, 40 acres.

Field rules for the Sawyer (Canyon) field are 500/1000, 320/40 acres.

Field rules for the Whitehead (Strawn) field are 933/1320, 320/160 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 9400 feet.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Rules 37 (h) (2) (A) and 38, this application may be granted without hearing if no protest to the application is received. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator of lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Terye D. Bryant, Land Technician, at (405) 749-5287. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission at (512) 463-6748.

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K-A Disposal Systems Inc., P.O. Box 2036, Ozona, TX 76943 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Refoil (Ozona 3200 Sand), Miller, Roy Lease, Well Number 6. The proposed injection well is located 12 miles SW of Ozona in the Refoil Field, in Crockett County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3180 to 3213 feet.

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

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792). 1c5

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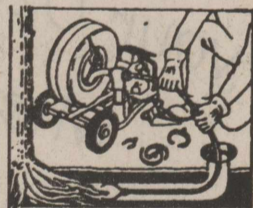
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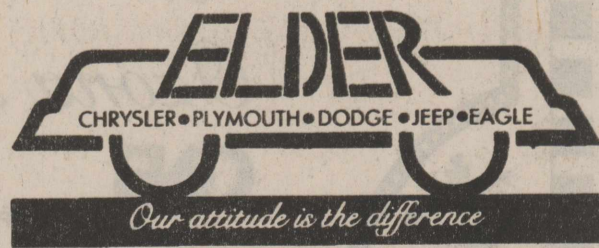
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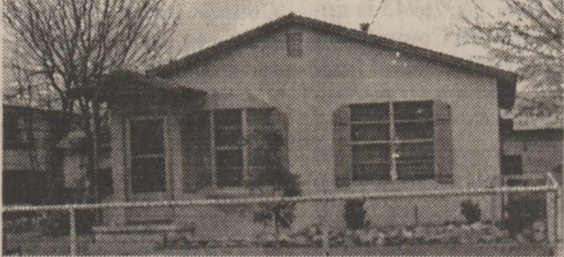
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