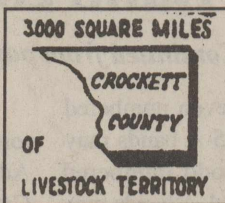


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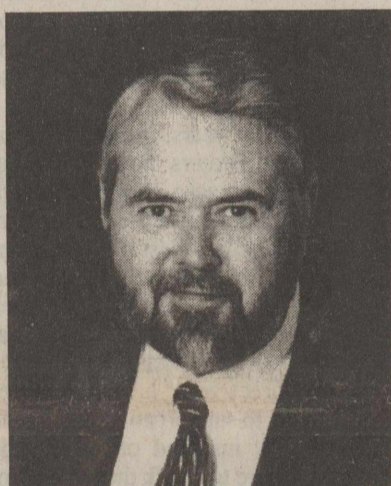
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## Seminar brings valuable information for all businesses Oct. 29, Ozona Civic Center

No matter how large or small your business, no matter what type of business you have, a seminar in Ozona on Oct. 29 is going to bring information you can use, believes Rob Whitesides, chairman of Ozona Chamber of Commerce.

Main street is changing everywhere as shopping patterns change, says Whitesides, and merchants need to be open at hours which will accommodate prospective customers.

This is just one of many suggestions Don Taylor presents in seminars and in his *Up Against the Wal-Marts* book, which was co-authored with Jeanne Smalling Arthur. Also the author of *Solid Gold Success Strategies For Your Business*, Taylor writes the nationally syndicated business column, *Minding Your Own Business*, which is published in nearly 100 newspapers and trade publications. He is president and chief executive officer of Data Star Communications, a Texas-based information and



training company. He also serves as the executive director of West Texas A&M University's Small Business Development Center.

His seminar Oct. 29 at Ozona Civic Center will include such topics as: 10 survival strategies that never fail, the marketing pyramid and how to use it, using variable pricing to punch up the bottom line, how to out

promote, not outspend your competitors, using value-added strategies to reposition for success, 12 financial "must knows" you'll need to build profit and power principles for attracting, satisfying and keeping customers.

Change, improvement and success are the overriding themes of *Up Against the Wal-Marts*.

The Ozona seminar is free to the public. It is underwritten by West Texas Utilities and co-sponsored by: Ozona National Bank, Ozona Chamber of Commerce, Crockett National Bank and the Angelo State University Small Business Development Center.

The evening will begin with registration, light food and drinks from 5:15 to 6:00 p.m. followed immediately by the seminar which concludes at 9:00. Those planning to attend are asked to call Ozona Chamber of Commerce at 392-3737 for reservations by Tuesday, Oct. 27.

## Lion Band earns Division I in marching contest

The Ozona Lion Band traveled to Brady to perform at the Region VII U.I.L. Marching Contest Saturday, Oct. 17. A total of 10 Class A bands performed, and Ozona received a Division I or Superior Rating. This marks the 16th consecutive year the Lion Band has received the top rat-

ing at this contest and the 17th Division I in the past 18 years. The band is under the musical direction of Mr. Kelly Glaze and is assisted by Mr. Norman Carroll. Angela Branch is the drum major for the 1998 Lion Band, and Natalie Y barra is the flag coordinator.

Several years ago the U.I.L. began certifying Superior Rated bands at the region contest on to the area and state level of competition on la-

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## Tax rate adopted, \$2.082375/\$100

County commissioners adopted 1998 tax rates to fund the 1999 budget Tuesday, Oct. 13, after resuming a meeting which had been recessed the previous day.

Grand total for the county, school and Emerald Underground Water District is \$2.082375 per \$100.00 valuation. This compares to a total of \$2.0235 to fund the combined 1998 budgets. The county total of 67 cents per \$100.00 is down three cents from last year's 70 cents. The school's local maintenance tax rate is \$1.30, the same as last year, but 0.089 has been added for the interest and sinking fund due to the passage of the school

improvement bond election. Emerald's rate is also down to 0.023375 from the previous year's 0.0235 per \$100.00 valuation.

Breakout on the 1998 county tax rates include: general fund 0.49077; interest and sinking fund 0.04323; road and bridge special fund 0.011 and farm to market 0.125.

Other action taken during this portion of the meeting was to approve an order issuing bonds for the school district.

Agenda items regarding status of all lease agreements with Crockett County and enforcement of policy regarding abandoned vehicles on county property were tabled.

## Kimber Bean to compete in queen contest



Kimber Bean

Kimber Bean, daughter of Helen and David Bean, competed in Region II Texas High School Rodeo Queen Contest last weekend in Pecos. She is first runner-up and will compete in the state queen contest in Abilene in June at the state high school rodeo finals.

Kimber is a freshman this year at Ozona High School. She is a member of the American Junior Rodeo Association and the Texas High School Rodeo Association. Projects as a Crockett County 4-H Club member include lamb, horse and hog. She enjoys all these activities as well as basketball, snow and water skiing.

## Early voting underway

Early voting by personal appearance in the November General Election began Oct. 19. The polling place is in the hall of the new courthouse annex. Early voting in person will be during regular business hours at the annex Oct. 19-23 and Oct. 26-30.

Local candidates and the offices they seek are: Brock Jones, District Judge, 112th Judicial District; Jefferey Sutton, County Judge; Debbi Puckett-Moore, District and County Clerk; Burl J. Myers and Catarino (Cater) Villarreal Jr., County Treasurer; James M. (Jim) Hearne and

Victor De La Garza, Justice of the Peace, Pct. No. 1; Pleas Childress, Pct. 2 Commissioner; and Rudy R. Martinez, Pct. 4 Commissioner. Sandra Perez is a write-in candidate for Pct. 4 Commissioner.

The following are state races.

U. S. Rep., Dist. 23 - Henry Bonilla, Charlie Urbina Jones, William A. (Bill) Stallknecht

Governor - George W. Bush, Garry Mauro, Lester R. "Les" Turlington Jr.

Lt. Governor - Rick Perry, John Sharp, Anthony Garcia

Attorney General - John Cornyn, Jim Mattox, Mike Angwin

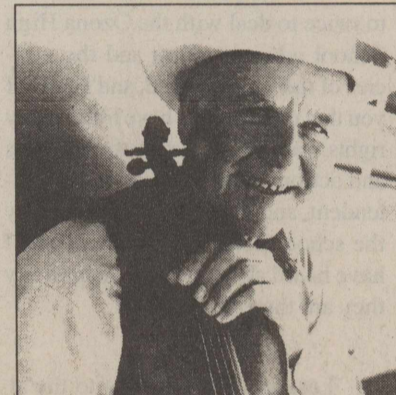
Comptroller of Public Accounts - Carole Keeton Rylander, Paul Hobby, Alex Monchak

Commissioner of the General Land Office - David Dewhurst, Richard Raymond, Manuel "Monte" Montez

Commissioner of Agriculture - Susan Combs, L. P. (Pete) Patterson, Jimmy T. LaBaume

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## Fiddler Johnny Gimble coming to Ozona Oct. 27



Johnny Gimble continues to be one of the most popular musicians recording and performing in the tradition. The extraordinary Gimble has been honored with many awards and is considered by his peers to be "The best swing fiddler alive."

Other town's Community Residencies will feature such traditional music masters as fiddlers Alvin Crow and Valerie Ryals Bates, blues artists Carol Fran and Clarence Hollimon, and conjunto accordionist Santiago Jimenez, Jr. Each musician will spend seven days in a community, in a variety of small settings, performing, jamming with local musicians, and teaching classes, all to demonstrate the connections between his or her music and the local musical heritage.

Texas Folklife Resources is a statewide nonprofit cultural organization that serves both Texas folk artists and their audiences by helping to present and promote a diverse and living artistic heritage for all Texans. Statewide Community Residencies are made possible in part with funding from the National Endowment for the Arts Folk Arts Program and the Texas Commission on the Arts.

For more information on the event, contact Shelly Childress, Executive Director of the Ozona Chamber of Commerce at 915-392-3737.



**STEPHEN ZUBERBUELER**—has graciously taken over the tremendous job as sports photographer in addition to his fulltime job as soil conservationist, for the Ozona Stockman. The staff of the Stockman tips their hat to him. Thanks Stephen.

## Health Fair Wednesday

The Crockett County Health Fair will be held in the fellowship hall of Ozona United Methodist Church Wednesday, Oct. 21, from 1:00 until 6:00 p.m.

Numerous health care agencies and services will be represented this year.

## Roddie new care center administrator

Jim Bob Roddie began his duties as administrator of Crockett County Care Center Oct. 5. He comes to Ozona from Eldorado where he had been hospital and care center administrator for two and one-half years.

A native of Brady, Roddie attended Texas Tech University at Lubbock where he majored in finance and earned a bachelor's degree and a master's in business administration. His first job in nursing home administration was in Eden.

"I'm very impressed with the facility and employees and department heads," Roddie said of Crockett County Care Center. "I'm impressed with the care they show toward residents and seeing the end results. The residents are very well taken care of."

The new administrator says he

intends to maintain the high quality already established at the care center and see what can be done to further improve the facility.

"I have the general feeling from the community that they support the facility and take pride in the care that takes place here," Roddie said.

Jim Bob Roddie and his wife, Sterling, are pleased to be in Ozona and look forward to making the community their home. They are the parents of a 2-month-old daughter, Jaye Lee. Mrs. Roddie, who is a certified special education teacher, plans to be a fulltime mother for a couple of years.

Mrs. Roddie also grew up in Brady, moving there in the first grade. She, too, received her degree from Texas Tech University.



**JIM BOB RODDIE** is the new administrator of the Crockett County Care Center. He is pictured with his wife Sterling and baby Jaye Lee.

DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME**  
Ends October 25th

### The Weather

No Rain

Date	Hi	Lo	Rain
Oct. 12	85	53	-0-
Oct. 13	83	53	-0-
Oct. 14	80	61	-0-
Oct. 15	78	65	-0-
Oct. 16	74	67	.07
Oct. 17	83	55	-0-
Oct. 18	72	54	-0-

(Readings are for a 24 hour period beginning at 8 a.m.)  
Reported by Ozona Butane Co for the National Weather Service

#### 4-Day Forecast

Day	Hi	Lo	Conditions
Wed.	65	46	mostly cloudy
Thur.	57	44	showers/sun
Fri.	65	35	sunny
Sat.	65	36	partly cloudy

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terminating years. On even numbered years, only 3-A and 5-A bands may advance, whereas, odd numbered years the A, 2-A and 4-A bands may advance. As a result of this rule, the Lion Band is not eligible to advance to the area or state marching contest.

The Lion Band and their directors would like to thank the School Administration, Board of Education, Crockett County Sheriff's Department, Band Boosters and the community for their continued support of the Ozona Band Program.

**\*Early voting**  
(Continued from page 1)

Railroad Commissioner - Tony Garza, Joe B. Henderson, Jim Spurlock  
Justice, Supreme Court, Pl. 1 - Craig T. Enoch, Mike Westergren  
Justice Supreme Court, Pl. 2 - Harriet O'Neill, Rose Spector  
Justice, Supreme Court, Pl. 3 - Greg Abbott, David Van Os  
Justice, Supreme Court, Pl. 4, Unexpired Term - Deborah Hankinson, Jerry Scarbrough  
Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Pl. 1 - Mike Kesler, Charles F. (Charlie) Baird  
Judge, Court of Criminal Ap-

peals, Pl. 2 - Cheryl Johnson, Winston Cochran  
Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Pl. 3 - Lawrence 'Larry' Meyers, Larry S. Perry  
Members, State Board of Education, Dist. 1 - Donna Ballard, Rene Nunez  
State Senator, Dist. 19 - Frank Madla  
State Representative, Dist. 73 - Randy C. Leifeste, Robert R. (Bob) Turner  
Justice, 8th Court of Appeals District - Jerry Woodard, Susan Larsen.

**Letters to the Editor**

Dear Editor,  
Over the past month, I have had to twice to deal with the Ozona High School administration and the policies of the school board, and I can tell you that our students have little, if any rights. I am very upset by the attitudes and actions of the principal, superintendent, and the policies approved by the school board, especially when I have heard all of them in the past say they are there for the kids.

Last month, I brought to the attention of our high school principal that a specific high school teacher was out of fine and had acted unprofessionally towards a student. Eyewitness statements were presented to him and both he and the superintendent have yet to take any kind of action towards the teacher and none will be taken.

I say this because two weeks later, I find out that the athletic policy allows students to be suspended from sports based on hearsay information that a student has been issued a citation, even though such student may prove he or she is innocent of a citation issued by a deputy or by a D.P.S. trooper. In other words, based on hearsay, a student is guilty and will be disciplined and suspended even if

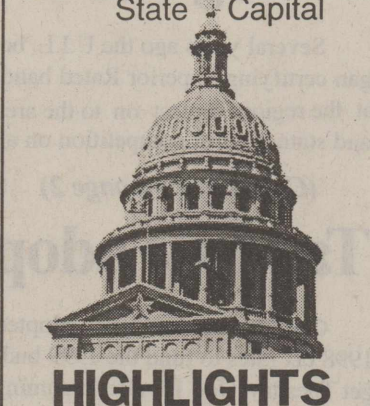
he or she is innocent of that citation. The policy is then enforced by our principal who has a conflict because he is also the athletic director. I thought an athletic director should be looking out for the students involved in extra-curricular athletics. Instead our principal and superintendent were quick to suspend several students on hearsay even though they may prove their innocence, yet did nothing to a teacher who acted out of line even when eyewitness information was given to them.

All I know is that when I hear the adults who run our system say they are doing it for the sake of the students, I will remind them of their two-faced actions and wonder which of our students they are talking about.

Melinda Galindo Leal

Dear Linda and Scotty,  
Please continue my subscription to The Ozona Stockman. It is very enjoyable to get the local news and to read about the activities in Ozona.  
Keep up the good work!  
Best Wishes,  
Sandra Whitaker Warren

State Capital



**HIGHLIGHTS**  
By Ed Sterling  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Industrial emissions released into the skies of Texas, including so-called "grandfathered" emissions, have decreased, according to a new study by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission.

TNRCC's 1997 inventory of air emissions from more than 1,600 sources shows 2.5 million tons of pollutants were released. Nine-hundred thousand of those tons were grandfathered. In 1986, about 3 million tons of emissions were released, with 1.6 million of those tons grandfathered.

Grandfathered emissions are those from factories and power plants that were in operation or under construction before 1971, the year Texas launched its air quality permitting program. Those facilities are not required to have an air quality permit.

"The reductions in emissions are even more significant when you consider the growth of the Texas economy during this period (from 1986 to 1997)," TNRCC Commissioner Ralph Marquez said.

Inventory results will be provided to the Texas Legislature along with a plan by the TNRCC

**\*Clipping** (Continued from page 3)

The *Vital Record Compendium* by John Stemmons, *Compendium of Historical Sources: the How & Where of American Genealogy* by Bremer, *Ancestors* by Jim Willard, *The First Census of Texas 1829-1836* by Marion D. Mullins and *1830 Citizens of Texas* by Clifford White.

Books on local history and genealogy are:

A *History of Crockett County* by the Crockett County Historical Society, *Ozona* by the Crockett County Historical Society, "This Rugged Land Called Crockett County" 30 minute VHS by Crockett County Historical Society, *The History of Education in Crockett County* by Jessie R. White, *The Social and Industrial Development of Crockett County* by Claude Denham, *Cowhand* by Fats Alford, *Yesteryear in Ozona and Crockett County* by Victor I. Pierce, *First Baptist Church Ozona, Texas 1892-1992*, *A History of the Ozona United Methodist Church 1892-1992*, *Dogleg Madness* by Mike Bryan, *Archeological Exploration at Fort Lancaster, 1996* by Hayes & Jelks, *Archeological Explorations in Northwest Crockett County, Texas, 1966-1967* by Lorrain, *Inventory of County Records - Crockett County 1976* by Hayes, *New Country* by Allan Bosworth and *Ozona Country* by Allan Bosworth.

Other sources include Ozona Stockman newspaper collection, microfilm of the U. S. Federal Census for Texas 1900, 1910 and 1920, *Genealogical Helper* magazine, *Texas Heritage* magazine and *Frontier Times* magazine.

Included in the vertical file materials are a collection of booklets, newspaper and magazine clippings, statistics and addresses, U. S. Federal census forms, *Using Records in the National Archives for Genealogical Research*, *Getting Started National Archives records, Military Service Records, National Archives Publications list*, San Angelo Texas Family History Center (A Branch Genealogical Library of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints) 2815 Christoval Road, San Angelo, TX 76901, Abilene Public Library Genealogy Dept. Bibliography 1990, Texas State Library Genealogy Department list, *A Guide to Research Genealogical Library of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Stamp Out Chaos! Eliminate Confusion!* 1981 lecture notes from Dean of American Genealogy Vincent L. Jones, *How to Research American Indian Blood Lines* 1987 by Cecelia S. Carpenter, *Documenting A Mexican American Community: The Houston Example* by Thomas H. Kreneck.

**Space heater safety guidelines**

Colder winter weather means Texans again will be relying on propane gas-fueled space heaters to provide warmth to specific areas of the home.

In recent years, propane gas-fueled space heaters have grown in popularity because they offer high energy efficiency and fuel savings. And anticipating frost on the pumpkin, the Texas Railroad Commission says it's always a good idea to review safety guidelines for such heaters at the outset of cold weather.

A direct-vent heater requires outside air to support combustion and is typically installed on an outside wall. Be sure to check the location of the outside vent to ensure that it is free of debris.

A space heater requires clear space above and around the unit to be free from any combustible materials, such as curtains or plastic. Keep the unit running in top shape by scheduling a periodic check-up with a local propane delivery company.

A trained technician will inspect the unit and clean the control compartments, burner and circulating air passageways.

Homeowners should also become familiar with the odor of propane gas. An odorant that smells like rotten eggs has been added to propane gas for easy identification.

If you do smell gas, whether the heater is operating or not, follow these steps:

1. Do not touch any electric switches, light matches or use of the phone;
2. Exit the structure immediately;
3. If there is an outside tank, turn off the gas valve;
4. Telephone your propane supplier or fire department from a neighbor's phone.

The Railroad Commission also suggests that homeowners who fuel furnaces and appliances with propane contact their local dealer about having their propane delivery account put on "automatic," so there is always an adequate supply of the gas no matter how cold the weather or how treacherous the road conditions.

to move more sources of grandfathered emissions into its air quality permitting program, Clean Air Responsibility Enterprise, or "CARE."

TU Electric, a power company that releases grandfathered emissions from its facilities in Free-stone, McLennan, Ward and Titus counties, announced earlier this month it would voluntarily reduce emissions by about one-third.

**State Fines Hole-In-One Firm**  
A Reno, Nev., corporation agreed Oct. 9 to pay a \$25,000 fine for selling coverage for hole-in-one golf contests without a Texas insurance license.

In a consent order signed by Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer, Hole-In-One International Inc. voluntarily ceased operating in Texas.

The order said that since 1992, the company or its representatives solicited and accepted at least 949 applications from sponsoring groups for insurance that would pay the prize money to winners of such competitions.

In this type of arrangement, a group — often a charity — holds a contest offering big prizes to people who pay to attempt feats of skill, such as hole-in-one golf or a basket made at a great distance on a basketball court, the Department of Insurance said.

**Long-Distance Learning Spreads**  
More and more Texas colleges and universities are offering college- and graduate-level studies through the Internet and other electronic means.

At last count, 31 Texas colleges and universities offer 149 degree programs through distance learning.

The long-distance learning trend is detailed in the October issue of *Fiscal Notes*, a publication

of the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts.

"Some students never show up on campus," said Comptroller John Sharp. "Some never see their fellow students or instructors. And some never visit a library, but they're still getting an education, thanks to the online accessibility of library materials."

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## Judy Reagor—Cook-of-the-Week

"I have never considered myself to be a real good cook, but I've spent lots of time in the kitchen in 34 years of marriage and in raising three daughters. Actually, my daughters, Julie, Vickie and Tamie, are much better cooks than I am. The only thing I have had to do with their cooking success is to encourage them in the kitchen and in their 4-H food and nutrition groups. They were fortunate to have wonderful 4-H leaders. Now I enjoy the three grandchildren being in the kitchen with me.

"When I was growing up, I was usually found at the piano playing and singing instead of in the kitchen. A month before I married, my Daddy decided I should learn to cook biscuits for Billy. He brought in a 25-pound sack of flour and told me to practice. Daddy was my guinea pig.

"I became pretty good at making light, fluffy biscuits. So, the first morning that I cooked breakfast as Billy's bride, I pre-heated the oven as I rolled out my biscuits. But, when I put the biscuits in the oven, I found the oven not to be on. I saw the words 'light here'. So, I did.

"Needless to say, I could have had a disaster. Other than singed eyebrows and a few tears, I was unharmed. Billy was a little shook up when he came running from the bedroom to see what the loud noise was.

"The only other disaster I have had in the kitchen since that first breakfast is when I left a pan of hot grease on the stove which resulted in a small kitchen fire. Now, after all of this, if there are any readers that would still be interested in some of my recipes, I'll be glad to share."

"I won third place in the Crockett County Pecan Show with my Fresh Apple Cake. Billy always likes this cake on his birthday. The grandchildren never think it looks like a birthday cake, however, as it's not iced.

### Fresh Apple Cake

- 1 c. cooking oil
- 2 c. sugar
- 2 eggs, well beaten
- 3 c. flour
- 1 tsp. soda
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp. cloves
- 1/2 tsp. nutmeg

- 2 tsp. vanilla
  - 1 c. chopped pecans
  - 3 c. fresh apples, chopped
- Combine the oil and sugar. Add the eggs. Sift dry ingredients together and add to egg mixture. Add remaining ingredients and mix well. Bake in a greased and floured bundt pan at 300 degrees for 55 minutes.

### Easy Cheese Ball

- 2 jars. bacon spread
  - 2 3-ounce packages cream cheese, softened
  - 1 T. parsley
  - 1 T. dried onion flakes
  - 1/2 c. pecans, chopped
  - paprika
- Mix first five ingredients together. Mold and sprinkle with paprika and roll in pecans.

### Low Fat Peach Cobbler

- Filling:
- 4 c. frozen or fresh peaches
  - 3/4 c. sugar
  - 1 tsp. lemon juice
  - 1 tsp. Molly McButter
- Crust:
- 1 1/2 c. Pioneer Low Fat Biscuit
- Mix
- 1 1/4 c. evaporated skim milk
  - 2 T. sugar
- Combine filling ingredients and set aside.

Combine biscuit mix and evaporated milk and stir until well blended. Mixture will be thin. Add sugar and mix.

Pour half of batter into 9x13 dish sprayed with non-stick cooking spray. Spoon fruit evenly over batter. Pour rest of batter over top. Sprinkle a little sugar and cinnamon on top.

Cook in 350 degree oven for 30 minutes. Less than 1 gram of fat per serving. 266 calories per serving.

### Creamy Pralines

- 1 c. brown sugar
  - 1 c. evaporated milk
  - 1/8 tsp. salt
  - 2 tsp. vanilla
  - 1 c. granulated sugar
  - 1/8 tsp. soda
  - 1/2 stick butter
  - 2 c. pecan halves
- Mix all ingredients except vanilla. Cook over low heat until it reaches the soft ball stage on candy thermometer (or forms soft ball in

## Newspaper clipping sparks interest in genealogy

The discovery of an old newspaper clipping tucked away by their mother has created an interest in family history for three sisters living in Ozona.

Titled *96 Year Old Pioneer Citizen Dies*, the obituary tells of the life and death of the great-great-grandfather of Sharon Taylor, Rhonda Parker and Dianne Luckie. John Seborn Robertson died at the age of 96 at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Clarence Mitchell, near Robert Lee.

Born on the line of Georgia and Alabama in 1836, Robertson had moved with his parents to Mississippi. In 1861 he volunteered and joined the Confederate Army, fighting throughout the war under General Price. After his capture at the Siege of Vicksburg, Robertson was imprisoned at Fort Douglas, now Chicago. He later enlisted with the Federal government as a teamster and was sent to the western frontier of North and South Dakota with the army. During the years 1866-67, he was involved in several Indian fights.

After a return to Mississippi, he migrated to Texas where he married Mrs. Elizabeth Ketchum and fathered 10 children.

The rich and interesting history contained in the words of this obituary proved to be a delight to the sisters, whose mother, Christine Cochran, also lives in Ozona. Robertson is an ancestor of Mrs. Cochran on her mother's side of the family.

Another clipping in Mrs. Cochran's possession gives the obituary of Mrs. M. E. Markham, an ancestor on her father's side. Mrs. Markham had lived in Coke County near Robert Lee for 32 years before her death at age 79. According to the obituary, she was the daughter of Captain Sutton, one of the first Texas Rangers.

Their good fortune in discovering these clippings is an excellent start for a genealogy search by Sharon, Rhonda and Dianne.

Internet web sites suggested by Louise Ledoux, county librarian, for anyone interested in tracing family history include:

Electronic Data Dissemination of U. S. Census Bureau Publications <http://www.clark.net/pub/lshank/web/cendoc.html>.

Discussion List for Those Interested in Tracing Their Roots in Texas and Oklahoma <http://copper.nes.indiana.edu/~stephen/genealogy.htm>.

Best Genealogy Links on the WWW <http://home.earthlink.net/~middleton/topten.html>.

Cyndi's List of Genealogy Sites on the Internet <http://www.oz.net/~cyndihw/sites.htm>.

The Electric Cemetery Home Page: Genealogy, Civil War <http://www.ionet.net/~cousin/>

An Index of Surnames - Native American & Canadian Genealogy <http://cpcug.org/user/jlacombe/mark.html>.

The Genealogy Home Page <http://www.genhomepage.com/>

Genealogy Listserves, Newsgroups, & Special Home Pages <http://www.eskimo.com/~chance/>

Treasure Maps, the How-To Genealogy Site <http://www.firstct.com/fv/tmapmenu.html>.

Online Genealogical Database Index <http://www.gentree.com/gentree.html>.

Mrs. Ledoux says the best search engine she has found is [www.dogpile.com](http://www.dogpile.com)

The public library in Ozona also has books on genealogy, a vertical file of other information and additional sources. Books on genealogy include: *Searching For Your Ancestors: the How and Why of Genealogy* by Doane & Bell, *The Handy Book for Genealogists* by George B. Everton Sr., *To Our Children's Children: Preserving Family Histories for Generations to Come* by Bob Greene, *Writing Your Life Story* by Kay Nelson.

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## Ozona Chamber of Commerce COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Oct. 21 - Social Security Rep., Courthouse Annex, 1-2:30 p.m.
  - Oct. 21 - Crockett County Health Fair, Methodist Fellowship Hall, 1-6 p.m.
  - Oct. 27-Nov. 2 - Artist & Resident Program Featuring Johnny Gimble
  - Oct. 29 - Up Against The Wal-Marts Seminar, Civic Center, 6-9 p.m.
  - Oct. 30 - 5th Qtr. Convention Center
  - Oct. 31 - Pioneer Heritage Days, Rodeo Park
  - Oct. 31 - Helping Hands Halloween Carnival, Town Square
  - Oct. 31 - Haunted Hotel Sponsored By Youth Fellowship, Old Ozona Hotel Bottom Floor, 7-10 p.m.
  - Oct. 31 - Street Dance With Johnny Gimble With Local And Area Artists/Musicians, Courthouse Square, 7 to 10:30 p.m.
  - Nov. 7 - Arts & Crafts Fair, Convention Center. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
  - Nov. 20-22 - Texas Sheep Dog Assn. Finals
  - Nov. 18 - Social Security Rep., Courthouse Annex, 1-2:30 p.m.
  - Dec. 4 - Christmas Lighting Ceremony
  - Dec. 5 - DeerFest
  - Dec. 16 - Social Security Rep., Courthouse Annex, 1-2:30 p.m.
  - Dec. 20 - Christmas Tour of Homes
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## Care Center Chatter

Residents are always waiting for bingo on Monday and Saturday mornings. Our top winner was Hazel McDaniels and second was Bonnie Warth.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hubbard entertained his mother, Lillian Hubbard, with a birthday party, and the residents really enjoyed cake and punch.

On Saturday, Oct. 17, the center had a big celebration for the residents' birthday party. And again, they enjoyed their cake and punch.

The fund-raiser here at the care center went very well, and we want to thank all the people who helped us in every way, and people who cooked our briskets for the burritos. Also, the burrito sale went very well, thanks again.

We also would like to thank all the care center staff for their donations for the Nelson family.

We are very glad to have Frank and Juanita Lively with us from Iraan and also Mr. Ramon Hernandez. Welcome to the care center. We are always glad to get new residents.

We would like to invite family of care center residents to our family night here at the care center. Bring a covered dish, come and have some fun.

We are very happy to have Mr. Jim Roddie as our administrator and welcome him and his family to Ozona.

Our Country Store is open, and our residents really enjoy their shopping for Christmas. We always try to have a good selection so residents can pick what they want. We are always in need of things for our Country Store. Any donated items will be appreciated.

The care center always needs volunteers. If you have some free time, come over. We are here waiting for you. Volunteers are always appreciated.

If there is somebody out there who would like to help with beauty shop on Thursday morning, please come over at 9 a.m. It is only for two hours. You will like it, I promise.

Residents from the care center will make a special trip in the care-avan to go have a little fun in San Angelo Oct. 30. We will leave at 8 a.m. to the Fall Fest. Anybody who would like to volunteer and go on the trip, come down that date and hour.

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highly esteemed among  
men is an abomination  
in the sight of God."  
**Luke 16:15**  
This message made possible  
by persons who value a soul.

## Garden Club members study native plants Oct. 12

Members of Ozona Garden Club traveled to San Angelo Oct. 12 and visited the Bobby Peiser home, where the grounds are landscaped with all native plants.

The trip also included stops in Mertzon and Sherwood to view native plants. They toured Native Ornamentals of Texas in Mertzon.

Club members making the trip were: Charlotte Harrell, Virginia Hubbard, Jerri Lynn Pierce, JoNell Stokes, Lou Deaton, Jan Van Shoubrouek, Carmen Sutton and Marolyn Bean.

Garden Club members held their Second Time Around sale Saturday, Oct. 10.

## Xi Sigma Omega members meet at Smith home Oct. 6

Members of Xi Sigma Omega met on Oct. 6 at the home of Janet Smith. Makinex Morris presented her winning D.A.R.E. essay to the group, and Janet gave a program on "Drug and Alcohol Use Among Ozona High School Students".

During the business meeting, service chairman Martha Weant re-

ported that 23 units of blood were collected at the blood drive last week.

Plans for the Halloween Carnival were also discussed. Members attending were: Diane Anderson, Susan Buchanan, Janet Smith, Martha Weant, Shannon Hunnicutt, Belinda Koerth and Laura Skehan.

## Flu shots available through clinic

TTUHSC - Ozona Clinic will give flu shots at the health fair at Ozona United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall on Wednesday, Oct. 21, from 1 to 6 p.m. If anyone is unable to attend the health fair you may call the clinic or come by any other day to receive the flu vaccine.

Cost of the vaccine is \$5.00. "If you have Medicare, just bring your card, and we will file for you," says Karen Huffman, R.M. and office manager.

Please call 392-2996 or come by the clinic at 701 9th Street for more information or your flu shot.

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Christ: nevertheless I live;  
yet not I, but Christ liveth  
in me: and the life which I  
now live in the flesh I live  
by the faith of the Son of  
God, who loved me, and  
gave himself for me.  
(Galatians 2:20)

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## Obituaries

### Service held for Charlyne Mills Griffith



She traveled extensively throughout the United States, Mexico and Europe; including study at the Universities of London, Paris and Berlin. She retired from her teaching career in December, 1993.

Since her retirement from teaching, Mrs. Griffith had devoted many hours to family and law enforcement research. She was currently working on memoirs of her father's biographical history, focusing on his years of service to the Texas Rangers and his tenure as Coleman County Sheriff.

She was a member of First Baptist Church of Coleman. Mrs. Griffith also held membership in numerous clubs and organizations including the Retired Teachers Organization, the Former Texas Rangers Association and the Coleman County Historical society.

Mrs. Griffith is survived by her two daughters, Jodie Griffith of Ozona and Kay Lynn Evans and her husband, Steve Evans, of Talpa; her four granddaughters, Staci Jo Sessom and Stormi Lee Sessom of San Angelo; Lindsey Lee Evans and Lauren Lynn Evans of Talpa. She is also survived by one sister, Jackie Ginsberg of Santa Anna; one aunt, Ms. Lida Moore of Nashville, TN; two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Marjorie Wilson and her husband, G. W. Wilson, of Coleman; and Ms. Juanita Mills of Ozona; three nieces, Deborah Mills Bourne of Ozona, Joyce Anderson of Coleman and Virginia Bethke of Georgetown.

Charlyne Mills Griffith, 69, of Coleman died Thursday, Oct. 15, 1998, at Scott and White Hospital in Temple. Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at First Baptist Church in Coleman with Rev. Gary Boyd officiating assisted by Rev. Roger Hammonds. Burial followed at Coleman City Cemetery under direction of Stevens Funeral Home.

Mrs. Griffith was born Nov. 22, 1928, in Santa Anna to the late Coleman County Sheriff Frank Mills and Ola (Smedley) Mills. She graduated from Coleman High School in 1946. On April 17, 1948, she married Jodie Merle Griffith. They resided in Coleman and Clovis, NM, until his untimely death in August 1960.

Mrs. Griffith and her two daughters moved to San Marcos in 1962, where she attended Southwest Texas University. Upon her graduation in 1967 with a bachelor of science degree in education as a social science major and English minor, Mrs. Griffith began her teaching career at San Marcos High School.

Her love and devotion to all members of her family, friends and ex-students will long be remembered. Her second love was that of travel.

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Funeral services were: Allyn Gill, Max Horne, Lee Perkins, Bob Edington, Dan Edington, Sandy Neal, Walter Gipson and Fred Guerra. Honorary pallbearers were Thelbert Elkins, Bill Finlay, Marcel Coleman, Lynn Westbrook, David Huff, Donald Huff, Baker Rudolph, Buddy Klebod, John R. Hunnicutt and all members of Coleman High School Class of 1946.

Mrs. Griffith was preceded in death by her husband, Jodie Merle Griffith, and her brother, Sheriff Billy Mills of Ozona.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

### Card of Thanks

The Garza family extends their sincere appreciation and thanks to all the families that gave of themselves in our time of need. The food, flowers and loving time shared with our family consoled our grief and forever be part of our memories. Thank you and bless you.  
A special thanks to Dr. Sims, his staff, EMT's Steve, Maria and Dana for all their efforts.

Francisco E. Garza Family

## Jesus Is Knocking

By Dennis J. Prutow

Jesus Christ empowers His body, the church, to follow the dictates of His heart. For this reason, churches must not be lukewarm in their dedication to Christ. (Revelation 3:15-16). Christ must therefore dwell in the midst of His people by the power of His Holy Spirit.

The promises in this regard are very great and often repeated. "I will also walk among you and be your God, and you shall be My people" (Leviticus 26:12 and 2 Corinthians 6:16). "And lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age" (Matthew 28:20).

Imagine Christ standing outside a church knocking to gain entrance.

Would this be an oxymoron? Perhaps this is the picture given in Revelation 3:20? It is a statement to a church. "Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and will dine with him, and he with Me."

Christ may be at the door of the church for blessing or judgment. The apostle James gives us the latter picture. "Do not complain, brethren, against one another, so that you yourselves may not be judged; behold, the Judge is standing right at the door" (James 5:9).

God grant us churches with doors open to Christ, indwelt by Christ, rich in His blessing, and full of His power.

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### Ozona Church of Christ

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Mr. Johnnie Perkins  
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Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.

### Ozona United Methodist Church

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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.

### Mt. Zion Baptist Church

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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.

### Faith Lutheran Church

802 1st St.  
Rev. Charles Huffman  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 9 a.m.

### Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church

526 Santa Rosa St. - Rev. Sergio Arrellano  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Tues. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.  
Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.

### Templo Bautista Jerusalem

138 Blas St.  
Rev. Esequiel Cervantez  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.

### Church of God of Prophecy

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### Calvary Baptist Church

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Worship: 11 a.m.  
Wed. & Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.

### Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida

601 Ave. I  
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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Wed. Service: 7 p.m.

### Apostolic Church

307 Santa Rosa St.  
Rev. Hector De La Cruz  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 5 p.m.  
Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.

### Harvest Time Christian Center

604 11th St.  
Rev. Mike Davis  
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Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

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# News Reel

News items taken from the files of *The Ozona Stockman* published 29 and 58 years ago

## NEWS REEL OCT. 23, 1969

### News Reel

After dropping their district opener to Crane 28-0, the Ozona Lions will have an open date this Friday to prepare for the invasion of the Big Lake Owls next week.

### News Reel

Army Specialist Four Jose A. Zapata, 21, son of Mrs. Amelia C. Zapata of Ozona, received the air medal in Vietnam, Sept. 24.

### News Reel

Funeral services for Leo Mayfield, brother of Ivy Mayfield and Mrs. Oliver West of Ozona, were held yesterday in Brownwood from the Davis-Morris Funeral Home with burial in Greenleaf Cemetery there.

### News Reel

Superintendent L. B. T. Sikes received official confirmation late last week that the Ozona School District has again been classified double A.

### News Reel

Mrs. Ashby McMullan left last weekend for San Antonio for a medical check up and a visit with her sons, Dr. and Mrs. Jimmy McMullan and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie McMullan, and their families.

### News Reel

Fern Mikeska, former Ozona school teacher, was an Ozona visitor over the weekend.

### News Reel

Jack Wilkins returned Monday night from a hunting trip to Colorado.

## Color change in esophagus is a cancer warning

If your physician sees red, you may be at risk for the most rapidly increasing cancer among white men between the ages of 40 and 60.

"Adenocarcinoma, one form of cancer of the esophagus, is usually preceded by a color change in the lining of the esophagus," said Dr. John McKechnie, a gastroenterologist at Baylor College of Medicine and The Methodist Hospital in Houston. "The lining's normal pink hue turns velvet red."

The color change in the long tube that connects the mouth and the stomach is caused by chronic acid reflux. Repeated acid exposure can replace the lining of the esophagus with stomach lining, a condition known as Barrett's esophagus.

If Barrett's esophagus has occurred, the condition of the lining cannot be reversed, but the patient has several options to prevent worsening the condition. Medication can suppress acid production. Avoid foods and drinks like coffee, chocolate, fatty and spicy foods, alcohol, and orange and tomato juice. Also, do not eat heavy meals more than three hours before bedtime.

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The hunt was cut short due to waist-high snow.

### News Reel

Mrs. Guy Skiles entertained the Pandale Hobby Club in an all-day meeting in her home at Langtry last week.

### News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Montgomery entertained the 42-Club at the civic center Thursday night. High score prize went to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boyd with the 84 prize to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnigan.

## NEWS REEL OCT. 24, 1940

### News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Welton Bunker left last week for Lubbock to be with their daughter, Doris, who suffered a fractured skull in a fall in her room.

### News Reel

Sheriff W. S. Willis, who is in the veteran's hospital at Legion, has suffered a setback in his recovery from amputation of his left leg.

### News Reel

Basil Dunlap, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dunlap, suffered a slight brain concussion when he fell on the gymnasium floor at the high school earlier this week.

### News Reel

Rosalie Friend, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Friend, suffered a sprained ankle last week while at play at her home here.

### News Reel

Miss Ora Louise Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., has been named queen of the music department at Southern Methodist University in Dallas for the homecoming celebration.

### News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Baggett have as their guests this week their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Pace and Mrs. Hiram Brown, both of Austin.

## WTU sponsors conservation program

Representatives from nine low-income agencies completed training sponsored by West Texas Utilities Company for a new energy conservation program called HomeSavers. The HomeSavers program is designed to assist WTU's low-income residential customers with energy-conserving equipment and services to reduce their energy usage.

The various agencies, under the direction of the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA), will determine participant eligibility and implement the program in their respective areas.

Customers who qualify for HomeSavers receive energy education and free water-saving products such as low-flow shower heads and faucet aerators. Customers have the opportunity to lease compact fluorescent light bulbs at 25 cents per month for four years and install them to replace incandescent bulbs that are used at least three hours or more each day.

Program participants can also lease high-efficiency refrigerators for \$8 a month for four years to replace older, inefficient refrigerators that meet a minimum kilowatt-hour use level. Agency coordinators will conduct home audits to determine each customer's projected energy savings and recommend appropriate equipment.

Support for the concept of the HomeSaver program was reinforced with customers' projected energy savings and recommend appropriate equipment.

"In looking at ways to plan and provide for future energy needs, our customers indicated that they place a high value on doing everything possible through demand-side management and energy efficiency programs to help reduce overall electric usage," said Gary Throckmorton, WTU HomeSavers Program Coordinator.

The Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) approved WTU's request to contract with the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs to provide low-income, demand-side management programs, such as the HomeSavers program. WTU's budget for the HomeSavers program is \$325,000 annually for three years. Recovery of the PUCT approved portion of program expenses

will be through a small fee called a "purchased power and conservation factor" that will be implemented as a line-item on customers' bills beginning in October 1998.

Because energy conservation programs help delay the need for the construction of new power plants and rate increases to pay for those power plants, the costs for these conservation programs are spread out among all customers. The monthly cost for an average residential customer who uses 1,000 kilowatt-hours of electricity a month is approximately five cents.

WTU's sister companies, Central Power and Light (CPL) and Southwestern Electric Power Company (SWEPCO) also provide the HomeSavers program to their customers.

For more information about the HomeSavers program, customers in this area may contact: Tom Green County Community Action Council-San Angelo-915-653-1680.

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## Education as vital as treatment for people with epilepsy

For many people with epilepsy, the myths are about as hard to live with as the medical disorder itself. Even harder is the discrimination, especially in employment, that often limits and isolates people with epilepsy.

Betty Flores, director of Texas Department of Health's Epilepsy Program, believes that education is as basic to the treatment of the condition, which is characterized by recurring seizures, as is medication. "Epilepsy needs to be better understood," she said, "because, for many people with the disorder, the biggest problem isn't epilepsy itself but the attitude of others toward those with the condition." Lack of self-confidence and self-esteem often go along with the disorder as well.

"People with epilepsy have the same range of intelligence and abilities as the rest of the population," Flores said. "Epilepsy is not related to mental illness. A person having a seizure does not need to be restrained. And people having convulsive seizures cannot swallow their tongues. These are all myths that people with epilepsy hear every day."

Epilepsy is a general term for a variety of seizure disorders - disturbances in the electrical activity of the brain. About one person in 10 will have some type of seizure at some point in life, and one person in about 100 has some form of epilepsy.

No cause is known in about two of every three cases. Of the others, the most frequent causes are head trauma; brain tumor and stroke; poisoning such as lead poisoning; maternal injury;

infections such as meningitis and viral encephalitis; and occasionally other diseases such as lupus, mumps, measles or diphtheria.

Medical treatment is generally long-term anticonvulsant drug therapy using one or any combination of the more than 20 antiepileptic drugs currently available. Surgery is used only when medication fails. Occasionally, some people respond well to special high-fat, high-calorie diets.

Flores hopes that, because November is Epilepsy Awareness Month, people will begin to understand and accept people with the disorder. TDH is working in partnership with the Texas Affiliate of the Epilepsy Foundation of America and other regional epilepsy groups to help people know more about the disorder and how it does and does not affect people.

TDH's Epilepsy Program offers services to people with epilepsy who are not eligible under Medicaid or Medicare or who are uninsured or underinsured. These services, used by about 6,000 Texans in 160 counties, include diagnosis and treatment, a case management system, personal and vocational support services plus public awareness and education.

Some of the warning signs associated with epilepsy include:

- Short attention blackouts that look like daydreaming.
- Sudden falls for no reason.
- Dazed behavior.
- Brief inability to talk or communicate.
- Episodes of rapid blinking.
- Odd changes in the way things look, sound, smell or feel.
- Clusters of sudden bending or bowing movements by babies while sitting.
- Clusters of grabbing movements with both arms in babies lying on their backs.
- Recurring muscle jerks of arms, legs or body.
- Repeated movements that look unnatural or out of place.

• Convulsions with or without a fever.

### Myths and Facts About Epilepsy

**Myth:** A person having a convulsive seizure can swallow his or her tongue.

**Fact:** It is physiologically impossible for the tongue to be swallowed. During a seizure, there is a chance that the tongue might block air passages. To prevent this occurrence, turn the person's head to the side. Never put anything in the person's mouth.

**Myth:** You can tell when a person is having a seizure because the person falls to the ground and starts shaking.

**Fact:** Many types of seizures occur, some of which involve only a single body part twitching, a momentary lapse of consciousness often mistaken for daydreaming or wandering.

**Myth:** Convulsive seizures are dangerous, and the person having one should be restrained.

**Fact:** Someone having a seizure is not a danger to bystanders. Restraint is not necessary, will not stop the seizure and could cause injury. People should be moved away from sharp objects and hard floor surfaces during the seizure.

**Myth:** If you see someone having a seizure, call an ambulance.

**Fact:** No medical attention is needed for most seizures. Usually, the person just needs to rest. Stay with a person during a seizure until it subsides and the person is lucid. Do, however, call an ambulance if the seizure lasts more than 5 minutes or is followed immediately by another seizure, if this is the person's first seizure, the person is injured or if the person is pregnant.

**Myth:** Epilepsy is related to

mental illness.

**Fact:** Epilepsy is a disorder of nerve cells, causing involuntary muscle movements, odd sensations such as smells or altered vision or breaks in consciousness. It is not a disturbance of personality or intelligence.

**Myth:** People with epilepsy cannot hold good jobs.

**Fact:** Most people with epilepsy are seizure-free or experience an occasional seizure. They have the same range of intelligence and ability as the general population and work at all levels of business, government, art and the professions.

**Myth:** Epilepsy is nothing to worry about.

**Fact:** Some children and adults do have severe forms of epilepsy which may be life-threatening, demand intense care and drastically inhibit their activities. People who experience seizures should see a physician.

## New legislation gets tough on graffiti

You've seen their work - on stop signs, on billboards, under bridges, on building walls. To graffiti artists any surface is a canvas. Despite the fact that graffiti is seen practically everywhere, it is against the law, unsightly and unsafe. Legislators have gotten tougher on people who practice the craft, and according to the Texas Department of Transportation, whose signs are often graffiti targets, it couldn't come at a better time.

A new law passed during the last legislative session increases criminal penalties for graffiti offenders. Under the law, offenses range from a Class B misdemeanor to a first-degree felony, depending on the cost to repair the property that is vandalized. For example, vandalizing property that costs from \$1,500 to \$20,000 to repair and remove graffiti is a state jail felony carrying a sentence of up to two years in jail. In addition to imprisonment, state jail felons can also be fined up to \$10,000.

If you vandalized several signs, the law allows combining the costs of all vandalized signs, meaning you could still face a stiffer penalty. The penalties under the new law don't just stop at fines or incarceration. Persons convicted under the law also face driver's license suspension.

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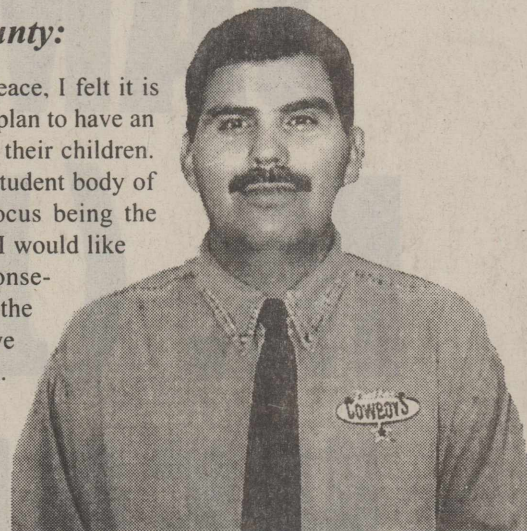
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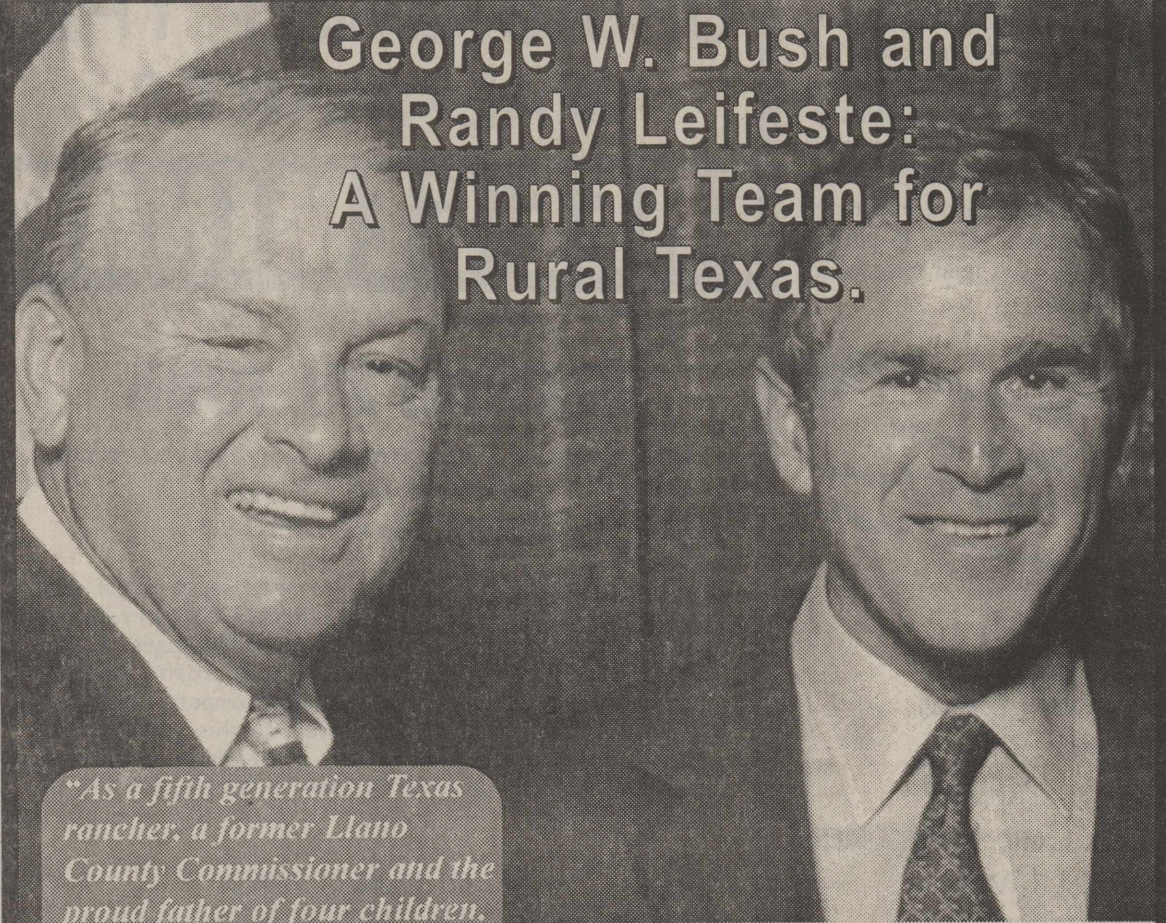
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## Maldonado completes aero medical tech training



Abbey Maldonado

Sept. 30. While attending the school, she became certified in CPR by the Heart Association, as a basic Emergency Medical Technician by the Department of Transportation, and as a hearing conservationist by the USAF. For showing excellent moral character, responsibility, leadership and maintaining a high grade point average, AB Maldonado was chosen as a "green rope" student leader for her flight.

After a brief visit with her family in Ozona, AB Maldonado will be stationed at Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, MS, with the 81st Medical Squadron, as an AERO Medical Technician.

She is the daughter of Robert G. Maldonado and Diana C. Mitchell, both from San Angelo, and the granddaughter of Chuy and Blanca Castro and Roman and Armandina Maldonado, all from Ozona.



LARRY RIEMENSCHNEIDER, guest speaker last Monday at the Crockett Room during Texas Archeology Awareness Week, is pictured with Geniece Childress. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

## Program celebrates archeology awareness

Crockett County Historical Society and Museum and the Crockett County Historical Commission observed Texas Archeology Awareness Week Monday with a guest speaker, Larry Riemenschneider.

Grierson's Spring History and Archeology Findings was the topic he brought to listeners at the public meeting in the Crockett Room.

Riemenschneider is from the Regional Steward Office of the State Archeologist (Texas Historical Commission), past president of the Concho Valley Archeology Society and has directed archeological surveys and published papers on stage stations and military outposts of the 1850 to 1900 period. He teaches agricultural science at Veribest High

School and also farms in the San Angelo area.

Throughout October communities across the state have joined the Texas Historical Commission to celebrate Texas Archeology Awareness Month. This observance recognizes the spirit and depth of the state's heritage, from former campsites of prehistoric hunters to ancient shipwrecks and Civil War sites.

Community events throughout Texas are listed by city or town on the THC web site at [www.the.state.tx.us](http://www.the.state.tx.us).

For more information, contact Brett Cruse or Pat Mercado-Allinger, Archeology Division, Texas Historical Commission, 512-463-6090.

## Porras reports to 29 Palms

Pvt. Codie J. Porras, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ybarra, graduated from the School of Infantry, Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, California, on Oct. 8.

There at the School of Infantry, Pvt. Porras went 34 training days in

the field. He also passed all requirements on weapons used in the Fleet Marine Force. These weapons include the M16A2 service rifle, M203 grenade launcher, M240G machine gun, AT-4 SMAWW, M249 squad automatic weapon (SAW) and different types of mortars.

Pvt. Porras also had to pass requirements on land navigation, day and night patrolling and ambush attacks. The last three training days were Effects. This is where Marines go three days in the field with one hour sleep in a Compound City and ending with a 15 mile hump/hike back to SOI, Camp San Onofre.

After graduating, Pvt. Porras was ordered to report to the Fleet Marine Force at 29 Palms CA, his duty station.

## Gully receives degree

Michael Gully received a degree from Sam Houston State University in August. Gully, a fourth-grade teacher at Ozona Intermediate School, earned a master of library science degree.

Sam Houston State University, with approximately 12,000 students and 500 faculty members, is located in Huntsville.

## When Halloween treats turn tricky

The potential of Halloween poisonings is always present. "That's why parents should emphasize to their children not to eat any treats before reaching home," said Gregory D. Hobbs, medical director of the Central Texas Poison Center and chairman of the Scott & White Department of Emergency Medicine.

Once home, parents should carefully inspect all treats. "Throw away any candy that has a torn or open wrapper or that looks as if it has been tampered with. It's better to be safe than sorry," Dr. Hobbs said. "If your child gets sick after eating Halloween candy, try to find out exactly what he or she ate and where it came from."

Neighbors should forego giving out homemade treats. "Unfortunately, these are not considered safe anymore. Parents should discourage their children from taking them," added Dr. Hobbs, who is also associate professor with the Texas A&M University Health Science Center College of Medicine.

If you suspect your child may have ingested a substance, call the Poison Center immediately. Do not do anything until you have talked to a Poison Center staff member. "A quick response and treatment can often mean the difference between life and death - especially with children," Dr. Hobbs emphasized.

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sicians and 18 regional clinics, Scott & White Memorial Hospital and Clinic is committed to delivering personalized, comprehensive, high-quality health care enhanced by medical education and research.

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"If you suspect your child may have ingested a substance, call the Poison Center immediately. Do not do anything until you have talked to a Poison Center staff member," Dr. Hobbs added.

Call the Texas Poison Center Network from anywhere in Texas: 1 (800) POISON 1, OR 1 (800) 764-7661. The phones are staffed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Callers will be connected with the nearest available Poison Center.

## Some fat is good for you

Believe it or not, some fat in your diet is good for you.

"Certain dietary fats are essential to maintaining life," said Lynne W. Scott, a registered dietitian and director of The DeBakey Heart Center's Diet Modification Clinic at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Fat has several important functions in the body, according to Scott. It is the most dense source of calories, providing more than twice the calories of carbohydrates or protein. Fat spares protein so that protein can be used to build and repair tissue instead of being used for energy. Fat also helps with absorption of vitamins like A, D, E and K.

Fats come in three types - saturated, monounsaturated and polyunsaturated. Saturated fats are found in meat with fat and whole-milk dairy products and vegetable fats such as coconut and palm oils.

Common oils such as canola, safflower, corn and olive oil contain all three types of fat. These oils all have the same amount of fat and calories. Canola oil has the lowest amount of saturated fat.

Besides its health benefits, fat helps satisfy your appetite, Scott says.

"People like the taste of fat. It adds to the palatability of food," she said. "Fat slows down the rate at which food leaves the stomach and produces a feeling of fullness after a meal."

Although ingredients such as egg yolk, sour cream and cream cheese may be satisfying, they are also high in saturated fat. The key is moderation.

The American Heart Association recommends a diet with no more than 30 percent of calories from fat. For example, an adult requiring 2,500 calories a day should get no more than 80 grams of fat a day.

Knowing what kind of fat to choose is important in making wise fat choices.

Scott, who has authored a book, "The New Living Heart Diet", offers the following tips on choosing low-fat, yet nutritious foods:

\*Read the food label and check for calorie and fat content. A low-fat food has three grams of fat or less per serving.

\*Choose lean types of meat like chicken breast without skin, fish, and the leanest cuts of beef and pork.

\*Prepare foods with little or no added fat. Cook vegetables with fresh herbs, spices, garlic and onion. "Paint" your cooking pan using a paper towel with a small amount of canola oil or olive oil, or use a non-fat cooking spray.

\*Don't mistake fat-free foods for calorie-free foods. Some brands of fat-free cookies, for example, are higher in calories than their regular counterparts.

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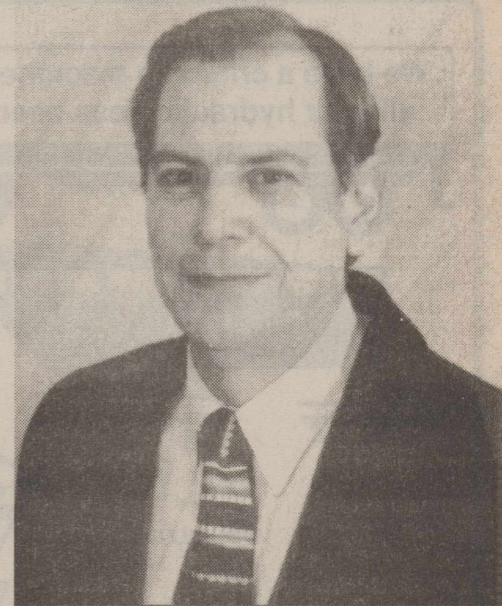
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## Ozona industrial arts teacher in second year of new teaching program



**OZONA HIGH SCHOOL SHOP TEACHER JIM WHITE DISPLAYS** some of the beginning shop students' projects, including a tool box, yard sign, screwdriver and a puzzle. These projects require knowledge and skills working with plastics, sheetmetal, steel, wood and concrete. *DigiCam photo by Scotty Moore*

By Scotty Moore  
Ozona High School shop, industrial arts, teacher Jim White is in his second year with a new program of instruction on home construction, which he wrote, designed and implemented.

**"They won't be a house builder when they finish this course, but they will have a thorough understanding of the parts of a house."**

"This is a course I am excited about. It is a course I thought about for several years before it materialized and this is my second year to teach it. I feel that the students have responded to it well," White said.

The new course, titled *Introduction to Construction*, was implemented to provide knowledge so that the students can do some of their own home maintenance, have the ability to talk intelligently about construction whenever they find themselves in a construction situation, and to also give them better reading comprehension when reading 'how to books'.

"I find that almost every student lacks a basic knowledge of construction. In past years, construction knowledge was a lot more 'common knowledge'. This is no longer the case, and I think that there is a hunger for that knowledge," White said. "Most of my students are ignorant of their house including tools, materials, and processes. Some do not know how the water is made hot, or where the water goes after it leaves the sink," White continued.

White said that before he began this home construction program he taught the old fashioned way, so to speak. Give the kids a project, show them how to use a few tools, answer their questions when they ask and hope that their interest will remain high during the year. "This is the way they taught us to teach in college, and it just didn't work for me. The kids really weren't learning to any degree anything and their interest fell sharply. It's a different story now. Students' interest is high, and they are doing better on their examinations," White commented.

The course is made up of several units consisting of: concrete, framing, plumbing, electrical, painting, insulation, sheetrock and joint compound. It is a low cost, hands on experience. It also includes lecture/discussion, guest speakers, videos, displays, field trips, and demonstrations. Each unit is taught separately with an examination at the end before going on to the

next unit. "I have described this course to many adults and almost all of them want to take it themselves. I have thought about offering a four hour short course on Saturdays to accommodate them.

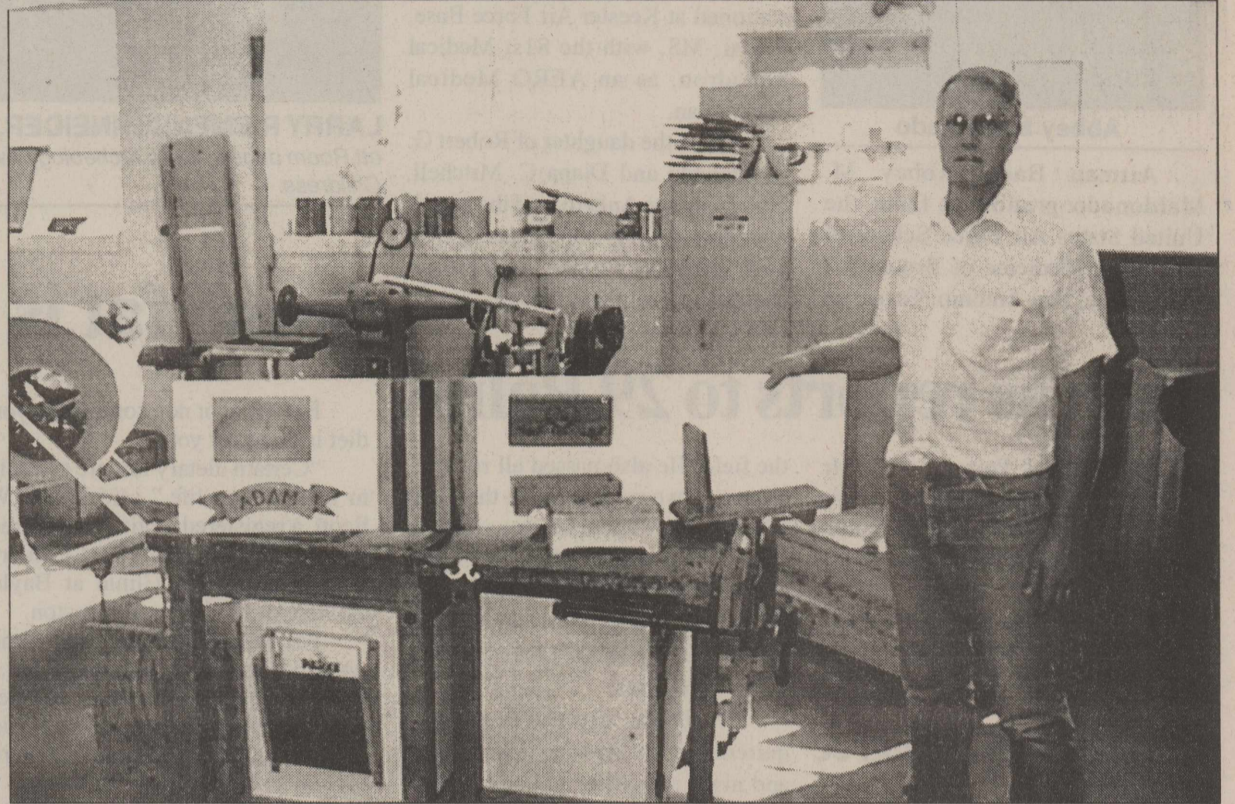
Mr. White's course uses many displays as teaching tools such as a 7' X 10' exposed wall section that displays the hot and cold water supply pipes plus a gas and electrical water heater that has a section cut out so that the inside can be seen. There are many

more such displays that make the topics easy for the students to understand. Students learn how to use tools such as a pipe cutter, tube cutter, tap and die, pipe wrench, propane torch. They learn the proper way to mix cement that is poured for the base slab.

They learn how to build the walls and then go back to those same walls and add electrical cables and receptacles. They learn different wire gauges and learn to calculate the amount of wattage and amps for a

particular circuit. And, after the electrical unit, they learn how to add dry wall using the proper tools, plus much, much more.

White ended the interview with a final comment, "They won't be a house builder when they finish the course, but they will have a thorough understanding of the parts of a house. And, the last and most important thing of all is that they will have to read and comprehend what they read in order to complete each unit."



**OZONA HIGH SCHOOL SHOP TEACHER JIM WHITE** sets up one of the teaching displays used by the beginning students in construction of their beginning year projects. They later proceed to the new home construction program that he initiated last year. *DigiCam photo by Scotty Moore*

## Dan's Dotings

By Dan Pulattie  
PreK-8 Counselor

Can you believe we are well into the new school year? Memories are all that remain of the summer of '98. I wish I could say that it is starting to cool down, but as of this writing that isn't true yet. I haven't been here very long, but I have been here long enough to learn what a "washout" is, slow down in Mertzon, and a deer guard is a good idea.

As a first year counselor, I have really been impressed with the teachers and staff in this system. The biggest difference I have seen here is the attitude the teachers have. They have a terrific attitude of caring for your kids and really wanting to help them. Ozona parents are very fortunate. Recently, I watched a team of teachers deal with an incident. They approached the issue of wanting to help

the student rather than an attitude of 'gotcha'. The Team Teaching concept is very helpful for the middle school kids of the community, giving your kids an advantage not had by many students from larger areas in that all the curriculum is tied together and the kids can see that everything they learn is related.

Several things have happened in our lower grades in an effort to have a program that stops problems before they start. Dale Metz came from the Concho Valley Drug Abuse Council to talk to the kids about inhalants and tobacco to the K-5 and will come back to talk to the eighth graders. Currently classes are being conducted in K-2, and soon to be in grades 3-5, to show the kids what bullying is and why this repeated behavior shouldn't be accepted. This is a program done in 8 sessions. Soon to come are sessions on anger management, conflict resolu-

tion, and self-esteem. Deputy Dan Griffith has come to fifth and seventh grades with the D.A.R.E. program.

Lots of things are being done in school that are interesting and/or fun. The seventh graders have gone through an orienteering course where they find their way to specific points using compasses. The kids liked it and (oops!) they had fun while learning something. The first graders are going to go watch a play in San Angelo at the end of the month. The middle school has a real nice pep rally every week on Thursday.

I will be submitting more articles to keep you readers posted on what is going on inside the hallowed walls. Stay tuned.

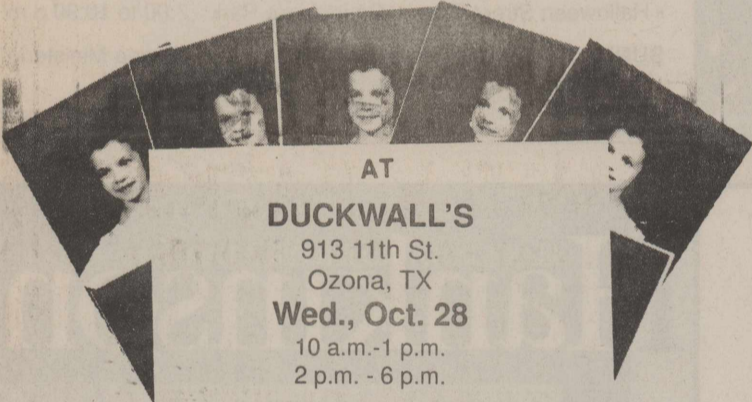
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## Internet working curriculum coming to Ozona High School

By Ted Cotton  
Asst. Superintendent

In their regular monthly meeting that was held on Tuesday, Oct. 13, members of the Ozona School Board approved Internetworking Technologies I and Internetworking Technologies II as an "Innovative Course and Program" and voted to send an application to the Texas Education Agency requesting official approval for this designation. T.E.A. approval will allow the district to offer the courses with full financial funding by the state agency.

The internetworking program was initially approved by the board on May 19 with a start-up date of January, 1999. In presenting the May proposal to implement this program in Ozona High School, Supt. Larry Taylor had said, "During the 20th century auto shop and similar high school classes taught vocational skills for that era's economy. Today the national and state economies are run on information which revolves around computer and networking technologies. Yet business and industry face a shortage of information workers with the technical expertise to develop, construct, and maintain advanced technology network systems."

"According to an Information Technology Association of America study, there are now approximately 190,000 unfulfilled technology jobs in mid-to-large sized United States companies. This is growing every day while Texas schools are struggling to supply the needed skills. More than 80 percent of our nation's schools lack the basic technology for direct Internet connection.

"The Region XV Education Service Center in San Angelo and Cisco Systems Incorporated, a nationwide leader in Internet networking systems, are preparing to implement a Network Academies Program to develop a partnership between public high schools, colleges and universities, regional businesses, and governmental agencies located in the San Angelo area.

"The innovative training and certification program will help Ozona students accomplish four objectives: development of opportunities for them to receive concurrent high school graduation and college credit

## Helping Hands Halloween Carnival growing, seventeen groups interred

Plans for the annual Helping Hands sponsored Halloween Carnival are progressing at a rapid pace, says Janet McDaniel. Seventeen groups have signed up for food and game booths.

"We still have room for more," said Mrs. McDaniel. All efforts are made not to duplicate a food or game booth. This gives each group a better opportunity to earn more for their cause.

with selected colleges, universities, and technical schools; help them receive high level certification in networking technology; position them for immediate openings in a talent-hungry job market by providing opportunities for job recruitment and placement for Academy graduates; and, prepare them for engineering and science-focused college or technical school studies."

Internetworking Technologies I will first be offered in the second semester of the 1998-99 school year and will be taught by Pete Maldonado, who will also continue to teach vocational auto mechanics. Internetworking II will be offered beginning with the first semester of the 1999-2000 school year.

The trustees also approved a Concho Valley School-To-Work/Tech Prep Partnership-School Board Agreement Application for introducing elementary and middle school students to different careers, career pathways and occupations. In presenting the program to the board, Dan Pulattie (prekindergarten through eighth grade counselor) said, "To introduce students to different careers, we will start in elementary school by integrating career information curriculum into regular instruction. We want students to be aware of the major groups of occupations available to them as workers, develop an awareness of the need to plan for their future occupations, become aware of the types of occupational information, and develop basic decision making."

"After classroom instructing and information, we will have a jobshadowing activity in the eighth grade, with the option of expanding it later. Plans aren't firmed up yet, but possible occupations could be EMT, doctor, dentist, welder, teacher, leatherworker, department store manager, fireman, newspaper editor, construction worker, refrigerator repairman and numerous others in the area. The idea is not to have lecture, but rather hands on. An example would be to go to the operating room or go through some of the firefighter training."

The Concho Valley School-To-Work/Tech Prep Partnership will provide technical assistance, professional development and materials to assist in the implementation of a Career

Development Curriculum for students in these grade levels.

The board approved 1998-99 school year campus improvement plans for Ozona Primary School, Ozona Intermediate School, Ozona Middle School and Ozona High School, and it also approved members of the 1998-99 District Textbook Selection Committee. The meeting was recessed for approximately 45 minutes so that the school board could visit the high school industrial arts classrooms to hear a presentation by industrial arts teacher Jim White on his woodshop and drafting curriculum that is taught to students in these programs at Ozona High School.

During the open forum of the meeting, Penn Baggett appeared before the board to express his concerns regarding random drug and alcohol testing of grades seven through 12 University Interscholastic League (UIL) participants and the reassignment of the athletic director/head football coach.

Cindy Komechak also appeared during open forum to present another

petition requesting the resignation of Sup. Larry Taylor. Board President Wade Richardson told Mrs. Komechak that the board would hear her complaint during its November regular meeting; however, if any portion of the complaint involved personnel, either by name or title, that portion would be held in closed (executive) session.

The meeting was adjourned following an affirmative vote to set the date and time for the board's November regular meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 18, at 7:00 p.m.

In an earlier meeting also on Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 5:30 p.m., the board approved a resolution awarding the sale of \$2,965,000.00 Crockett County Consolidated Common School District Number 1 Tax School Building Bonds, Series 1998 to Prudential Securities at an effective interest rate of 3.6674%. These bonds will finance the renovation of Ozona Middle School, Ozona Middle School Gymnasium and Davidson Gymnasium that was approved by local voters on Aug. 22, 1998.

## 1997 law strict on MIP offenses

Texas Senate Bill 35, which became law in September of 1997, requires strict punishment for minors charged with alcohol related offenses.

The law stipulates:  
First time offenders face the following: A fine of from \$250.00 up to \$2000.00, eight to 12 hours of community service, a 30 day license suspension and an alcohol awareness class.

Second time offenders receive the same fine possibilities, 20-40 hours of community service, a 60 day license suspension and possibly an alcohol awareness class.

Third time offenders receive the same fine possibilities, a 180 day license suspension, possibly an alcohol awareness class and up to 180 days in jail.

The same rules apply to minors who are publicly intoxicated.

The law requires parents or guardians to accompany their children, if 17 years old or younger, when the youth answers a summons.

Senate Bill 55, which deals with use of tobacco products by minors, also has the potential of driver's license suspension.

Highlights of this bill are:  
Prohibits minors from buying, using or possessing tobacco products except in the presence of a parent or guardian

Allows officers to write citations to minors caught smoking or possessing tobacco products  
Requires violators to attend an eight hour tobacco awareness case or pay a fine of up to \$250.00

Allows judges to suspend driver's license of repeat offenders who fail to attend the required tobacco awareness class or pay the fine.

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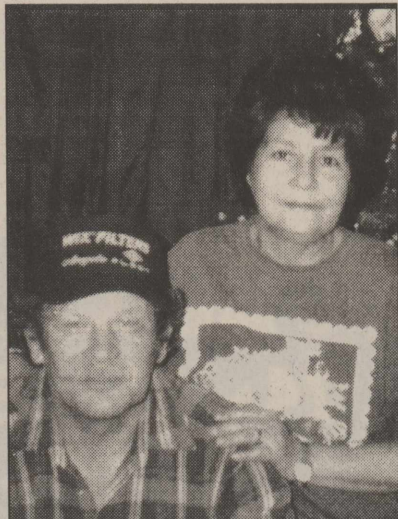


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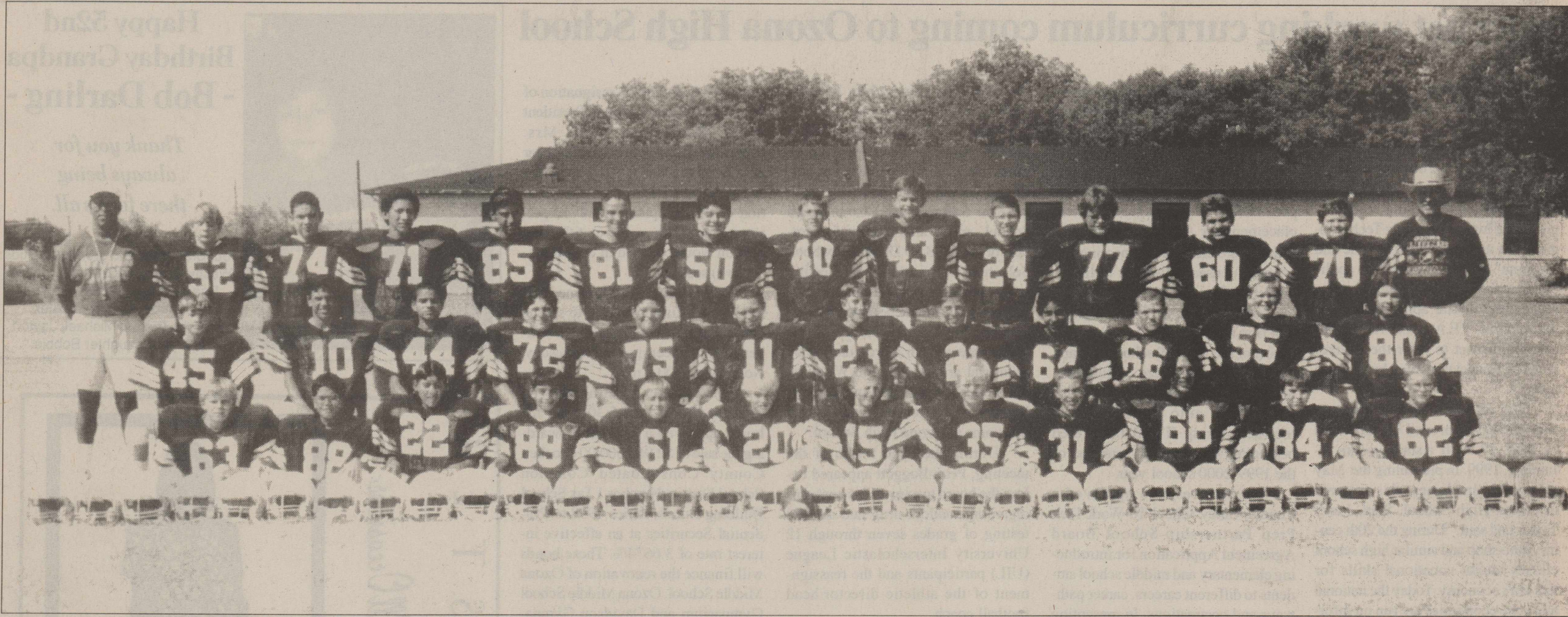
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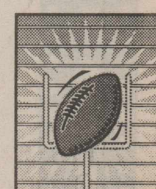
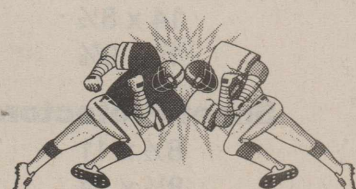
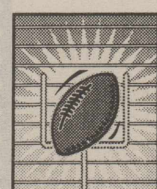
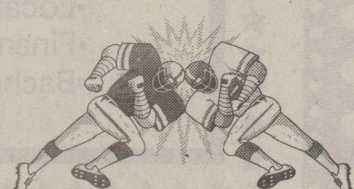
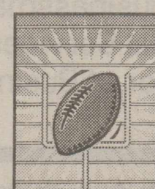
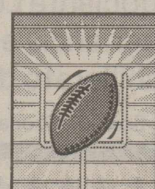
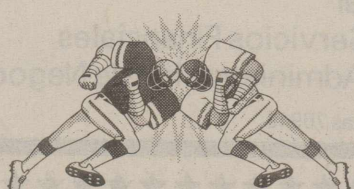
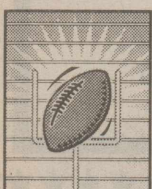
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**ANTHONY ORTIZ (#20) AND TY PORTER** (tackling from underneath) take down a Bronco during last Friday's clash with Sonora in Lion Stadium. Photo by Steven Zuberbueller

## Broncos stifle the Lions 35-0

By David Screws  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

It had been a number of years since the Sonora Broncos and Ozona Lions had met in a district contest when they kicked off against each other last Friday in Lions Stadium. In that initial game the Broncos took control of the outcome from the beginning. The Broncos used a crushing ground attack to score twice in the first period and once more in each of the remaining quarters to leave town with a 35-0 win, remaining tied for first with the Forsan Buffaloes in District 2-2A.

The Lions ground game was almost nonexistent, ending the night with negative 2 yards in that category. Brad Sullivan had the most yardage with one carry for eight yards. With a large corps of strong receivers on the roster the Lions turned to the pass with some success. Ross Crawford connected 8 times for a total of 117 yards in the air, including a big 48 yarder to Dustin Faught in the first half. Faught had one additional reception for a total of 54 yards. Clay Richardson threw once and found his target for an 8-yard gain.

Mark Childress caught one toss for a 28-yard pickup, and Anthony Ortiz netted two catches for 24 yards. Four more Lions had one reception per man as the Lions attempted to thread the Bronco defense with a varied field of receivers. Bobby Cervantez picked up 13 yards on the end of a pass, Kenny Vargas and Cade Clark had 8-yard catches, and Chad Myers gained 7 yards through the air.

While thwarting the Lions efforts to move the ball the Broncos amassed 269 yards on 55 carries. With that kind of ball control the Broncos seldom needed to go to the pass. Tom Jacoby, who scored three of Sonora's five touchdowns, picked up 121 of those yards on 22 carries.

The Lion's defense was led by Ty Mitchell who brought down the Broncos with 15 tackles. Juan Garcia was in on 14 stops. Ross Crawford and Mark Childress had 7 tackles each while Clay Richardson and Kenny Vargas chalked up 6 apiece.

Twice the Lions were able to mount scoring threats, but the Bronco defense refused to allow them into the end zone. The Lions season record now stands at 0-7 but, with the new

three-team playoff format, there is ample reason to concentrate on winning the remaining games.

STATISTICS		
	OZONA	SONORA
first Downs	7	25
Rushing Yds.	-2	269
Passing Yds.	125	46
Total Yds.	123	315
Comp/Att/Int	9/23/1	2/7/0
Punts/Avg.	6/36	2/37
Fumbles/Lost	1/0	3/2
Penalties/Yds.	6/40	6/55

Score by quarters:				
OZONA	0	0	0	0-0
SONORA	14	7	7	7-35

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All lunches served with your choice of white or chocolate milk

**REGULAR**

Oct. 26 - Pizza, Nachos, Veg. Sticks, Applesauce  
 Oct. 27 - Cowboy Stew, Peach Slices, Ice Cream, Cornbread  
 Oct. 28 - Barbeque Beef On Bun, Pork 'N' Beans, French Fries, Cookie  
 Sept. 29 - Goulish Tacos, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Ghost Cheese, Witches Beans, Spooky Cake  
 Sept. 30 - Chicken Nuggets, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Peach Slices, Rolls

**FAST FOOD**

Oct. 26 - Corn Dog, Nachos, Veg. Sticks, Applesauce  
 Oct. 27 - Soft Tacos, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Peach Slices, Ice Cream  
 Oct. 28 - Steakburger, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, French Fries, Cookie  
 Sept. 29 - Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Ranch Style Beans, Cake  
 Sept. 30 - Cheeseburger, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, FF, Peach Slices, Rolls

**BREAKFAST**

All breakfasts are served with milk, juice, muffin, toast and jelly. You may have your choice of one of the following items each day. You may buy extra items for 25¢ each.

Oct. 26 - Beef & Bean Burrito or Cold Cereal  
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 Oct. 28 - Sausage & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal  
 Oct. 29 - French Toast or Cold Cereal  
 Oct. 30 - Chorizo & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal

## Eighth Cubs lose tough battle to colts

By David Screws  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

For three full quarters in Lions Stadium last Thursday the Ozona eighth grade Cubs were within one touchdown of taking a lead over the same Sonora Colt squad that had pounded them badly when they were in the seventh grade.

Early in the game it appeared that the Colts were going to repeat the same effort from last year. After the opening kickoff was returned 62 yards it took the Colts only four plays to strike. With the extra points they had an 8-0 lead over the Cubs.

At that point, however, both teams began to play very strong defense. For the Cubs, Victor Hernandez, Quay Oglesby, G. L. Bunker and Derek Faught racked up numerous tackles which kept the Colts out of the end zone until the final quarter. Koby Fenton produced one fumble recovery to contribute to the Cubs

defensive efforts. The Cubs opened the second half with a successful inside kick to give them good field position. Hernandez and Chase Clark both came up with the ball on a pair of successful inside kicks in the second half. After the initial inside kick recovery the Cubs moved the ball to the Colt four yard line where Quay Oglesby angled around the left end for the score. The extra point attempt failed but the Cubs now trailed by only 2 points.

In the fourth period the Colts were able to make good on two drives that put the game on ice, making the final score 22-6 for Sonora.

The loss evens the eighth Cubs season record at 3-3, but the game was a remarkable improvement over the drubbing of 1997. Chase Clark and Quay Oglesby gobbled most of the yardage on the ground in the game while Michael Savala and Jarrett Vickers combined for 5 pass completions and 63 yards in the air.

## Garza leads Seventh Cubs to victory

By David Screws  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Last Thursday in Lions Stadium the Middle School 7th Cubs took on perennial nemesis Sonora in what amounted to a huge defensive battle. For most of the game neither team was able to tally up a score.

Early in the game quarterback Arron Garza set up a potential score for the Cubs when he broke for a fifty yard gain, but the Colts defense stiffened and held. The Cubs were presenting their own version of tight defense throughout the game. Brad Mayfield and Jerry Harris repeatedly crashed through the line, putting bone-jarring tackles on Colt running backs. Chris Gray came up with a key interception of a Colt pass, stopping a scoring threat and keeping the Cubs in posi-

tion to take a win.

As the clock ticked away in the final period it appeared that both ball clubs would have to settle for a scoreless tie. Then the Cubs went to the fleet-footed Garza. On their own end of the field Garza faked left then raced around the right end for a long gain which ended near the Colt 30. After no gain on the next play Garza ran the bootleg again and the Colts weren't fast enough to stop him short of the goal. With 3:20 left in the contest the Cubs were on top. On the extra point attempt Garza ran the same play once more to make the final score 8-0 in favor of the Cubs. Garza finished the game with almost 200 rushing yards.

With the victory the 7th Grade Cubs upped their season record to 3-2.

## Sonora crushes Junior Varsity Lions

By David Screws  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The first five times the Sonora Broncos junior varsity team possessed the football they scored against a Lion's team that had lost many players to fill gaps on the varsity. They opened with a 58-yard drive that took only four plays to reach the end zone. Less than two minutes into the game the Broncos were ahead 7-0. By the half they led 33-0 and were well on the way to a convincing 47-6 victory. The Lions season record drops to 3 wins, 4 losses.

On offense the Lions had little success moving the football in the first half. The best runs were an 8-yarder from Jimmy Lopez that gained a first down and a 17 yard run by Jarred Shaffer, but the Lions did not cross mid-field. On the Broncos last possession of the half they drove to the Lion 37 before Kyle Richardson made a tackle that denied them a first down,

turning the ball over to the Lions on downs.

Sonora took a 40-0 lead early in the third period, driving 81 yards in 13 plays and consuming most of the clock in that period. A short kick after the score gave the Lions good field position at their own 41 yard line. On first down Richardson passed to Shaffer for 16 yards. After a three yard gain Richardson found Shaffer again for 15 more yards to the Bronco 28 yard line. Luis Cruz took the pitch and rambled to the three before Abel Rodriguez pushed over for the Lions only score of the night.

The Broncos nearly broke for yet another touchdown late in the third, but Ronnie Tippie made a diving lunge at the runner and barely caught his ankle. Sonora reached the eight yard line, but were driven back to the 20 before turning over the ball on downs. Minutes later they had the ball back and drove for the final score of the night.

## Cheerleading camp Oct. 24

Ozona High School cheerleading camp will be held Saturday, Oct. 24, from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at the high school gym. The camp will break for lunch at noon until 1:00 p.m.

"Please pick up your daughter promptly at noon and return her by 1 p.m.," says Gracie Delgado.

The camp will end with an all-star competition from 1:00 until 2:00 p.m.

OHS cheerleaders thank you for your support.



**ROSS CRAWFORD (#10)** rolls to the right preparing to make a pitch as Cade Clark and Mac Lindsey make a block against the Sonora Broncos in Lion Stadium last Friday. Photo by Steven Zuberbueller

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**The Miracle Of The Roses**

By Thelma Sharp

Sorrow sought me out to haunt me.  
It pierced my soul like an arrow.  
It beset me like an evil cloud;  
Anguished tears touched my pillow;  
And sleep fled from me.  
Too much, too much, my spirit cried!

Then in the blackness of midnight,  
I remembered the lovely roses,  
Brought to comfort me and ease my grief and pain.  
Red roses, wilting, bending low,  
Leaves, brown and broken, petals falling,  
Falling on my window sill;  
Thirsting for the waterbrooks of life.

Then in the stillness of the long night,  
I heard music, Heavenly singing,  
Softly, then vibrating louder, louder!  
Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah to the Lamb!  
Whether it be angels or in God's great network of  
stars answered prayer,  
I did not know but, suddenly my spirit lifted.

I rose quickly in the softness of the dark,  
And gave water of life to the dying roses;  
And crept silently back to bed.  
While I slept in the early morning dawn,  
The sun came shining through my window;  
I awake and behold, a miracle! The roses!  
In gleaming brilliance they took on new life.  
They seemed to exude the praises of God!  
The brown, broken leaves of doubt, fear and depression  
were forgotten.  
Hallelujah, my heart sang!

The sweetness and the fragrance of the roses renewed  
my spirit.

Never again shall I withhold the refreshing water,  
Of life and love, from the thirsty.  
For Jesus, the "Rose of Sharon,"  
He restoreth my soul!

Author Thelma Sharp wrote this as an account of an actual  
experience. She is the mother of Rozzie TenEyck of Ozona.

**Here's how you deal  
with unwanted phone  
marketing calls, faxes**

By The Federal Communications Commission

Tired of receiving unwanted and unsolicited telephone marketing calls -- which always seem to come at dinner time -- or unsolicited advertising on your fax machine?

The Federal Communications Commission has published a brochure telling consumers about their rights under the Telephone Consumer Protection Act (TCPA) and the FCC's rules.

The free brochure also tells consumers about actions they can take to reduce the number of unsolicited telephone marketing calls and unsolicited advertisements sent to their fax machines.

Under the FCC's "Do-Not-Call" rules, a person or entity (a business for example) placing live telephone solicitation calls to your home must maintain a record of your request not to receive future telephone solicitations from them. Your request must be honored for 10 years.

Tax-exempt non-profit organizations are not required to keep Do-Not-Call lists. The FCC's Do-Not-Call rules also do not apply to calls placed to business telephone numbers. Your state, however, may have laws that require a business "Do-Not-Call" list.

The brochure also takes the mystery out of how and why consumers with unlisted, non-listed or non-published numbers still get unsolicited phone calls. Also explained are the hours solicitation calls can be made to your home, caller identification requirements, restrictions on computerized calls, and the types of permitted calls.

The FCC's rules also prohibit sending unsolicited advertising to fax machines. The brochure explains consumers' rights and what is required of the person or entity sending fax messages.

If you believe you have received unsolicited calls or unsolicited fax

advertisements in violation of the TCPA and the FCC's rules, the brochure provides details about actions you can take, such as filing suit in state court or writing a letter to the FCC.

The brochure also directs consumers to resources other than the FCC. Complaints about false or deceptive telephone solicitation sales practices, for example, should be directed to the Federal Trade Commission.

Complaints about fraudulent calls should be directed to the FBI. The U.S. Postal Service should be contacted about information or products received by mail in connection with fraudulent telephone solicitation practices.

The FCC brochure also tells consumers how they can get their names added to lists of consumers who do not wish to receive telephone marketing calls. These lists are prepared and distributed by the Telephone Preference Service of the Direct Marketing Association, which can be reached by mail at:

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Direct Marketing Association  
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LUIS ANGELES nailed this five foot rattlesnake with 13 rattles on the head with a rock and killed it with the one throw on the Bob Childress Verde Ranch 28 miles south of Ozona this past September. Submitted Photo

**Couples, turn off TV for  
better communication**

What's the best way for two people in a relationship to communicate?

"With the TV off," said Bob Beck, a clinical social worker and couples therapist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Television can be a distraction when two people are having a discussion. And it provides an easy escape when the conversation involves a problem that makes the participants uncomfortable. If a couple sincerely wants to improve communication, they should be willing to give each other undivided attention.

"It might be easier to look away at the TV rather than face your partner, but you can better understand the other person's thoughts and feelings by maintaining eye contact, observing body language and facial expressions, and concentrating completely on what is said," Beck said.

"Turning the TV off when your partner sits down to talk lets that person know that what he or she has to say is important and interesting to you," Beck said. "And that's a message that can get communication off to a great start."



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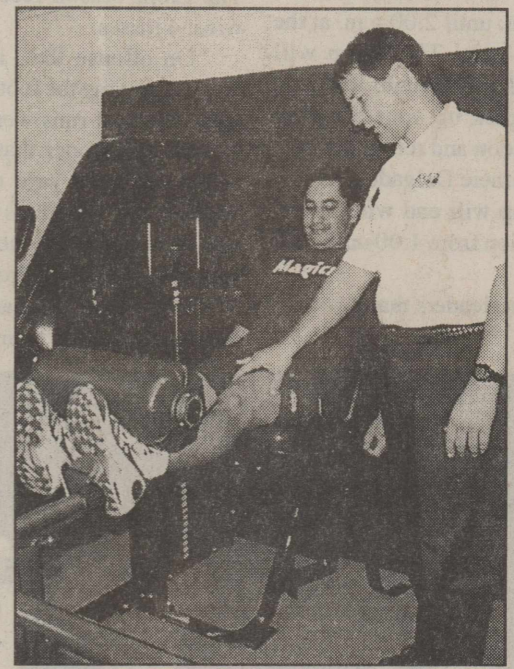
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## Officers present program to Preceptor Mu Chi

Deputy Dan Griffith, Deputy Tyler Roy and Narcotics Task Force Special Agent Nick Richter came to enlighten the women of Preceptor Mu Chi at their Oct. 12 meeting.

Deputy Dan spoke on Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) programs here and elsewhere.

D.A.R.E. was started in 1983 to help teach about drugs, its problems and to help the young fight the peer pressure and problems that come from those who do drugs.

Dan Griffith came here and started Ozona's awareness program in 1995. You have to be a deputy for two years before you can go to a school to teach about D.A.R.E. The D.A.R.E. training is two weeks after which time you can teach fifth grade students who are mainly targeted because they are most impressionable. Then the officer must teach fifth graders two years before teaching the program to seventh grade students.

D.A.R.E. has been run for the past five years by donation. Dan says he's had the support of private people, businesses and oil companies to keep D.A.R.E. afloat. Next year the commissioners have decided to give financial support to D.A.R.E.

Deputy Dan, as he is respectfully called, will leave Ozona this month for greener pastures. He has earned the respect of our community and most importantly, our children.

Some of the main things Deputy Griffith told us were kids use markers and white out as some of the many easy accessible drugs of choice of the very young. Again our kids were warned of taking opened drinks from other kids or leaving an open drink and coming back to it.

Beer and cigarettes are "gateway drugs". Children learn the effects. Soon the "high" is not enough, and they graduate to marijuana, then on and on they learn to get a different high.

Tyler Roy helped us understand his "drug dog". This dog is the same dog that Memo Ortiz had as deputy here. The dog remained here in limbo until Tyler Roy took him to Corpus for one month of training. An ex-police officer started this program of training these dogs for searching out drugs.

Tyler Roy has been here since January 1998. Dog and trainer have to go back to training to be recertified each year.

A dog can start training as early as eight weeks old. They are trained daily and must forever keep up the training each day of their lives. They are taught to associate the smell of the drug with play. Every time they find a drug the lead man plays with him and gives him a favorite toy. The dog Tyler Roy has is taught to search

out methamphetamines, heroin and cocaine.

The cost of a well-trained dog is around \$5,000.00. They are sometimes taught to be aggressive. Our dog is not particularly aggressive. However, being a constant companion to Tyler Roy and his family, also just from being a dog who looks to Deputy Roy for food, water, safety and companionship, we are all sure he would protect if Deputy Roy were in danger.

Agent Richter was quiet through most of the meeting, but was ready to explain the drugs themselves. How you can buy antihistamines and make street drugs. How it is far too easy to mix a couple of easy to obtain chemicals and over the counter drugs and you have a dangerous narcotic. Richter has been here since January 1998.

We were informed by the men on where money and drugs are hidden, from in their pocket to elaborate adjustments done to automobiles to hide

such evidence.

One such driver had drug money "hidden?" in a Wal-Mart sack in the niche with the spare tire. I say drug money because the dog found it because it had the smell of drug chemicals.

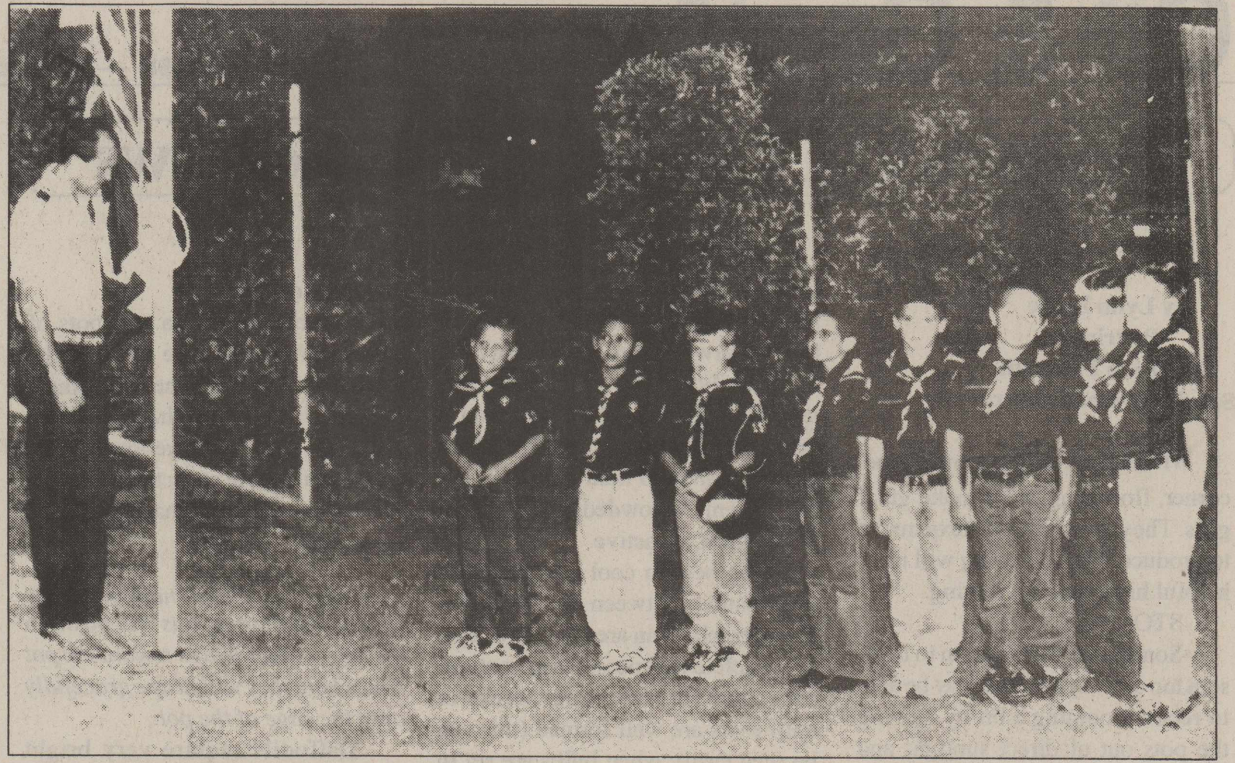
Billie Morris told them if she won the lottery that's what she would do. Drive around the country, including Ozona, with the money in a Wal-Mart sack in the trunk of her car. So Billie, we are watching for documentation of that and you're safe.

This was Barbie Myers program. She served pineapple upside down cake and coffee.

The ladies had a short business meeting and adjourned.

Present were: Nancy Davee, Bobbie Fatout, Zoe Green, Nancy Hale, Sonja Hoover, Carolyn Moore, Billie Morris, Barbie Myers, Sylvia Ramirez, Donna Sanders, Jeannie Wellman and Lynda Wende.

Nancy Davee reporting



DEN TWO SCOUT LEADER BOBBY KNOX (l.) assists his pack with the raising of the flag at the Ozona-Sonora game held in Lion Stadium last Friday. Scout members are: (l. to r.) Seth Riddle, Jimmy Munoz, Danny Anderson, Ethan English, Mason Ellis, Ben Flores, Preston Tebbets and Nathan Knox.

Photo by Steven Zuberbueller

## Scouts have busy October

By Stephen Zuberbueller  
Scout Leader

The Cub Scouts have been very active in October. During our weekly den meetings, the Wolves have learned many new things as they work towards their Bobcat badge. During Fire Prevention Week the Scouts met at the fire station. Scouts were given a good look at the working parts of a fire truck. Then they all loaded up and went for an exciting ride, lights, sirens and the whole works. Many thanks are given to Dee Keilers, Gil Komechak, Brad Thompson and Larry Glosson.

There was also a kickoff meeting to start selling popcorn. Each Scout is taking orders, and many different kinds of popcorn are available.

This is the major fund raiser for the year, and all of the Scouts are working hard.

Den Two led by Bobby Knox had the honor of raising the flag before the home football game against Sonora on Oct. 16. Members of Den Two are Danny Anderson, Mason Ellis, Ethan English, Ben Flores, Nathan Knox, Jimmy Munoz, Seth

Riddle and Preston Tebbets. On Tuesday, Oct. 27, the Scouts will have their first pack meeting. All of the dens will be participating in skits, songs and most importantly, each Scout will be recognized for their accomplishments. This is a very important meeting for these young boys, and each should be congratulated.

## Did You Know...

BY MARY HILLMAN

1. Which courthouse, built in 1887, has stood in three towns, and how many times has it been moved?

2. Who was Sutton County named for?

3. Schleicher County is named for Gustav Schleicher, a German colonist, who made his mark in history as a military commander, legislator and a lawyer. How did the county seat get its name?

4. Tom Green County has had four courthouses. Where was the first one built in 1876?

5. Where did San Angelo get its name?

6. Which Texas county is the only one to be named after a Civil War battle?

7. Which Crockett County resident had a county named in his honor during his lifetime? Here's a clue - the ranch is still owned by one of his descendants.

8. Who designed Crockett County's courthouse, and where was he from?

9. What is the architectural style of Crockett County's courthouse?

10. Liberty County has had the most courthouses. Was the record

Number a, b, 7, c, 8?

1. Brewster County courthouse stands in Alpine. It was built in Osborne. The town name was changed to Murphyville, then changed again to Alpine. The building was never moved!

2. John S. Sutton, who was a Texas Ranger, served in the Mexican War, and was a cavalry colonel who died during the Civil War in the Battle of Val Verde.

3. Eldorado was just a name given to the community by land promoters. Also was spelled El Dorado.

4. Ben Ficklin (named after a pony express rider who settled there) which was washed away in the flood of 1882, was the first county seat.

5. Bart DeWitt named the town Santa Angela, honoring his sister-in-law.

6. Val Verde.

7. Claude Hudspeth. Hudspeth County lies just east of El Paso County.

8. Oscar Ruffini, who lived in San Angelo.

9. c. American Gothic

10. b, 7

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	Incumbent's Actual Votes*	Randy Leifeste	Your Vote
Require those on welfare to work forty hours a week ('95 RV#149)	Oppose	Favor	_____
Require voter approval before a state income tax could be imposed ('91 RV#125)	Oppose	Favor	_____
Require voter approval before property taxes could be raised ('93 RV#480)	Oppose	Favor	_____
Deny civilians and the military living abroad the right to vote in local elections ('97 RV#267)	Favor	Oppose	_____
Pilot school choice programs to introduce competition into the public school system ('95 RV#329, '97 RV#323)	Oppose	Favor	_____
Allow professionals such as doctors, engineers, or business leaders to teach ('95 RV#319)	Oppose	Favor	_____
Weaken the powers of the elected State Board of Education ('97 RV#223)	Favor	Oppose	_____
Allow smaller boats to be used for gambling cruises to out of state waters ('97 RV#67)	Favor	Oppose	_____

After a thorough analysis of the candidates, Free Enterprise PAC strongly endorses **Conservative Randy Leifeste** for State Representative

\*Rep. Turner was elected in 1991. These are his actual votes as recorded in the House Journal for the indicated year.

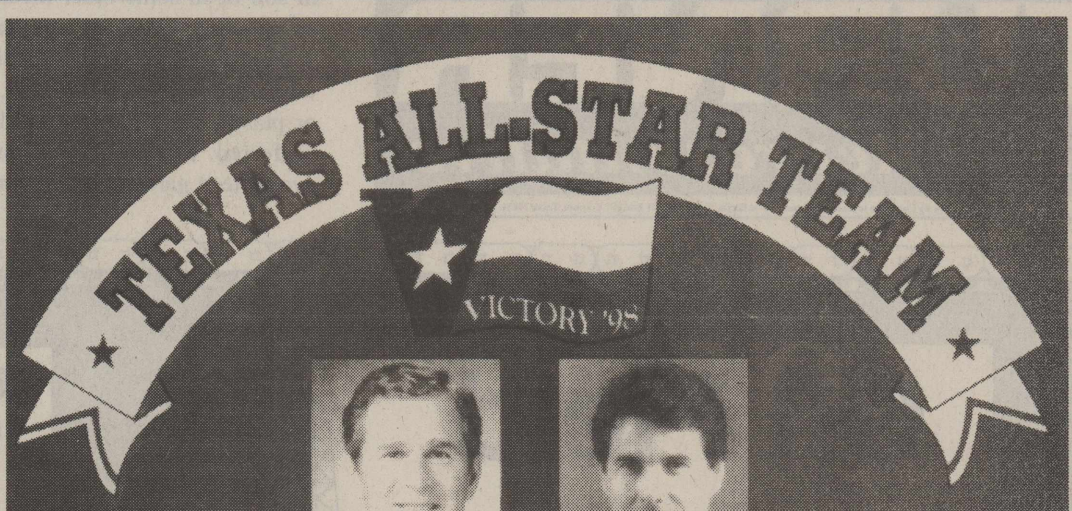
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## Texas A&M Extension Service News

By Lynn Rawe  
District 6  
Extension Program  
Specialist-Horticulture

With the holidays just around the corner, flowering bulbs make great gifts. They are easy and inexpensive to produce. The following will offer helpful hints on bulb forcing.

### Bulb forcing

giving until late March, if planted successively, batch after batch in late fall. Paperwhites are most often (and most easily) potted in shallow containers of gravel. Place bulbs on a layer of gravel and carefully fill in enough gravel to hold bulbs but not cover them. A crowded grouping will be the most attractive.

It is best to cool containers, at temperatures between 45-50 degrees F, preferably in an area with low light or complete darkness. Keep containers cooled for about three weeks or until roots are well formed (this can be seen easily when bulbs are set in gravel). Then move into a sunny spot for forcing.

#### THE EASIEST BULBS FOR FORCING

1. Paperwhite narcissus; popular bulb; grows in soil or gravel
2. Amaryllis; popular Christmas plant (plant bulb in early November, no cooling necessary)
3. Large-flowering crocus; requires 12-14 week rooting period; bulbs can be potted in gravel and water for different effect.
4. Hyacinth; fragrant spring-time favorite; requires about 12 weeks for rooting; can be forced in special "hyacinth" vases using only water
5. Colchicum; excellent for forcing, can even grow on a window sill without soil or water; begins blooming in about two weeks
6. Muscari; requires 16 week rooting time; pot plenty, they're small
7. Iris; especially iris reticulata are easy to force, but need careful attention to drainage; require about 15 weeks for rooting; don't hold iris bulbs too long before potting; tall-stemmed iris are less suited to forcing

#### OTHER DUTCH BULBS FOR FORCING

Forced tulips do not do quite as well as garden planted tulips because they require a fairly long rooting period at even (non-fluctuating) temperatures to be successful. Allow at

least 15 weeks.

Experiment with a few pots of different varieties. One to try is the distinctive 'Princess Irene'. This single early tulip is orange with purple flame markings. The bright yellow 'Monte Carlo' is a double early tulip, a cultivar that has twice as many petals as most tulips.

*Tulip Tip: Plant bulbs with flat side facing the rim, this will position the larger outer leaves toward the pot rim, where they will drape gracefully over the edge of the pot.*

Daffodils require very bright light, such as that found in a greenhouse, to flower well. Too little sun results in leggy growth and no blossoms. Only the miniature varieties (hybrid) daffodils are recommended for home forcing. Daffodils usually require a 12-14 week rooting period.

Once removed from the rooting area, daffodils must be placed in a location that receives lots of sun, say an enclosed porch or sun room or under a skylight.

Lily-of-the-Valley are often pre-cooled when you buy them, so they will bloom three to four weeks after planting. Ask your supplier.

Freeseas don't require a cooling period; however, they usually require a lot of sunshine and about three months of growth time before they bloom. These fragrant flowers do best in a very bright room with daytime temperatures of about 70 degrees F and nighttime temperatures of about 50 degrees F. Expose them to sunlight and warmer temperatures when you want them to resume growing.

Tulips, hyacinths, daffodils, crocus, dutch iris and other hardy bulbs can be easily forced. Select bulbs that are heavy and blemish-free; large bulbs are easier to force and produce larger blooms than small bulbs. For best results, select bulbs that were produced for forcing purposes. Number one bulbs are usually the best quality and are recommended for forcing.

Containers for forcing should be fairly shallow but will differ according to whether you are growing bulbs in soil or in some other media. For paper-white narcissus, a container 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 inches deep is ample. For tulips, hyacinths and daffodils, a clay or plastic pot 4 to 6 inches deep is preferred. Standard bulb pans are available at garden supply stores.

## Texas monthly oil and gas statistics

### SEPTEMBER PERMITS TO DRILL

The Texas Railroad Commission issued a total of 638 original drilling permits in September compared to 1,148 in September 1997. Total drilling permits for 1998 year to date is 7,542, down from 10,528 recorded during the same period in 1997. The September total included 451 permits to drill new oil and gas wells, 27 to re-enter existing well bores, and 160 for re-completions.

Permits issued in September included 154 oil, 177 gas, 278 oil and gas, 16 injection and 13 other permits.

### SEPTEMBER OIL AND GAS COMPLETIONS

In September, operators reported 305 oil, 461 gas, 20 injection and three other completions, compared to 353 oil, 413 gas and 16 injection completions during the same month of last year.

Total well completions for 1998 year to date is 8,184, up from 6,924 recorded during the same period in 1997.

Operators reported 595 holes plugged and 152 dry holes in September compared to 692 plugged and 121 dry holes during the same period last year.

### JULY CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION

Texas preliminary July 1998 crude oil production averaged 1,205,517 barrels daily, down from the 1,327,837 barrels daily average of July 1997.

The preliminary Texas crude oil production figure for July 1998 is 37,371,037 barrels, a decrease from 41,162,948 barrels reported during

July 1997.

Crockett County produced 229,386 barrels of crude oil during the month of July, 1998.

### JULY NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION

Texas oil and gas wells produced 467,427,791 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas based upon preliminary production figures for July 1998, up

from the July 1997 preliminary gas production total of 460,231,657 Mcf.

Texas production in July came from 158,746 oil and 52,666 gas wells.

Crockett County produced 11,949,084 Mcf of natural gas during the month of July 1998, and is the sixth largest producer of natural gas among the counties in the State of Texas.

## Permian Basin Weekly Rig & Drilling Summary (Districts 7C, 8, 8A & New Mexico)

### Weekly Rig Count

Oct. 16, 1998

Compiled by Hughes Christensen and Tracer Supply Inc.-San Angelo, Texas

DIST. #7C	DIST. #8	DIST. #8 A	
Coke	0	Bailey	0
Concho	0	Borden	0
Crockett	1	Cochran	0
Irion	1	Cottle	0
Kimble	0	Crosby	0
McCullough	0	Dawson	1
Menard	0	Dickens	0
Reagan	1	Floyd	0
Runels	0	Gaines	2
Schleicher	0	Garza	1
Sutton	1	Hale	0
Terrell	2	Hockley	1
Tom Green	0	Kent	0
Upton	4	King	1
		Lamb	0
		Lubbock	0
		Lynn	0
		Motley	0
		Scurry	2
		Terry	0
		Yoakum	0

Total rotary rig count (P.B.-Texas) this date: 75

## Weekly Drilling and Completion Report

Compiled by Charles Lewis Communications, Lindale, Texas

Oct. 20, 1998  
Altura Energy of Houston has filed for permit to drill a total of six 6,500-ft. development wells in Crockett County's Simpson-Mann Field. All locations are about 40 miles southwest of Ozona. They are designated as the Nos. 4-8, 4-9 and 3-9 Hallie Black and the Nos. 3, 4 and 6 M. K. Daniel "A". The Black wells are in a 509-acre lease in the TCRR Survey A-3531. The Daniel wells are in 467-acre lease, I&GNRR survey A-525.

In locations about 40 miles southwest of Ozona, Altura Energy has brought four new gas wells. The wells are in the M. K. Daniel "112" lease in the Simpson-Mann Field. They will be known as the Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Daniel. They produced 469,000, 931,000 and 652,000 CF gas per day, respectively on 1.25-in. chokes. The open flow ratings came in at 1,400,000, 1,592,000 and 592,000 CFD, respectively. Production ranges from 5,178 to 6,006 feet in the Canyon Sand. Bottom holes were at 6,203, 6,206 and 6,205 feet into the wellbores.

First production data has been filed for the No. 3312 Moody in Crockett County's Ozona Field a little less than 25 miles southwest of Ozona. Union Pacific is the operator. The well went to total depth of 7,400 feet and was perforated for Canyon Sand pay, 6,752 to 6,906 feet into the wellbore. It potentialled at 646,000 CF gas daily on a 1.5-in. choke and was rated at 747,000 CFD on absolute open flow.

Union Pacific Resources has posted first production figures for the No. 3 and No. 5 Marshall Montgomery in the Ozona Field about 14 and 14.5 miles southwest of Ozona, respectively.

The No. 3 well went to total depth of 6,900 feet and was perforated for production 6,386 to 6,682 feet into the hole. The No. 5 bottomed at 6,800 feet and will produce at 6,412 to 6,712 feet.

The No. 3 flowed 456,000 CF gas daily on a 1-in. choke, while the No. 5 flowed 169,000 CFD, same opening. The open flow evaluations were 588,000 and 231,000 CFD.

Rated at 7,817,000 CF per day on open flow, the No. 2 Henderson "25" was completed 12.1 miles southwest of Ozona by Union Pacific Resources. When gauged on a 2.125-in. choke, the well flowed at the rate of 4,371,000 CF gas per day.

The well is in the West Hunt-Baggett Field, Crockett County. It bottomed at 13,380 feet and will produce from Strawn Formations 9,417 to 13,125 feet into the wellbore.

The No. 5 Moody Minerals "21B" has been brought on line in the Ozona Field 28.5 miles southwest of Ozona. Union Pacific Resources is the operator.

The well probed to a 7,300-ft. bottom, was plugged back to 7,030 and will produce from Canyon Sand perforations 6,286 to 6,846 feet into the hole. Gauged on a 48/64 choke, the well made 298,000 CF gas per day. It was evaluated at 370,000 CFD on open flow.

The same operator has completed the No. 7 Laura Hoover Estate "42D" in the Ozona Field approximately 27 miles southwest of Ozona. It flowed 255,000 CF gas daily on a 1-in. choke and was rated at 268,000 CFD on absolute open flow.

The Fort Worth company drilled to a 7,300-ft. bottom. Production will be from perforations 6,628 to 7,188 feet into the hole.

Modest pay prospects were indicated when the No. 2043 Hutchings "A" was completed in the Ozona Field 26.4 miles southwest of Ozona. Union Pacific is the operator. The well was drilled to total depth of 7,594 feet and was plugged back to 7,380. Production is at 6,214 to 7,178 feet in the Canyon Sand. It potentialled at 65,000 CF gas per day and was assigned a 71,000-CFD rating on open flow.

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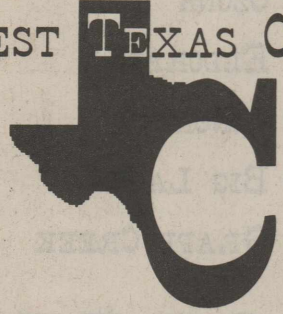
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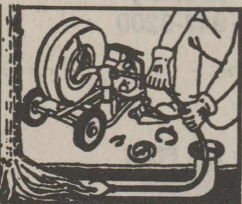
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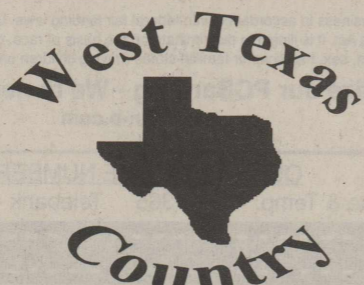
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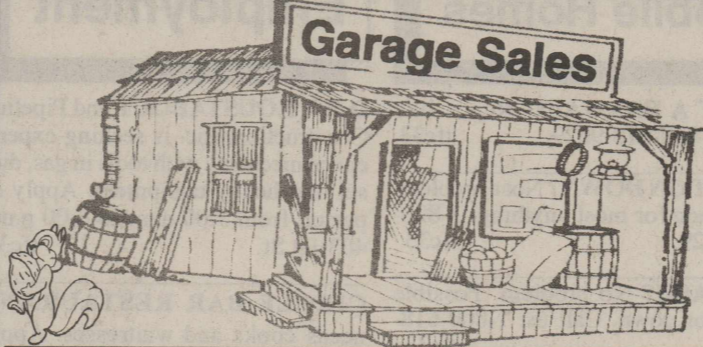
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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO DISPOSE OF OIL AND GAS WASTE BY INJECTION INTO A POROUS FORMATION NOT PRODUCTIVE OF OIL OR GAS PERMIT**

Altura Energy LTD., Attn: D. M. Upson, P.O. Box 4294, Houston, TX 77079-2696 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of oil and gas waste into a formation which is not productive of oil and gas. The applicant proposes to dispose of fluid into the Wolfcamp formation, on the M. K. Daniels 111 "A" Lease, Well Number 1SD. The proposed disposal well is located 40 miles southwest of Ozona, Texas in the Simpson-Mann (Canyon) Field, in Crockett County. Fluid will be disposed of into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2600 to 2650 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, Capital Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967. (Telephone 512/463-6792). 1c37

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This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Paul R. Chevalier, Area Engineer, Sonora, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested for the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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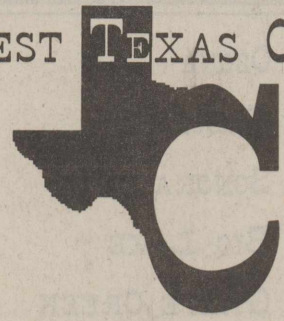


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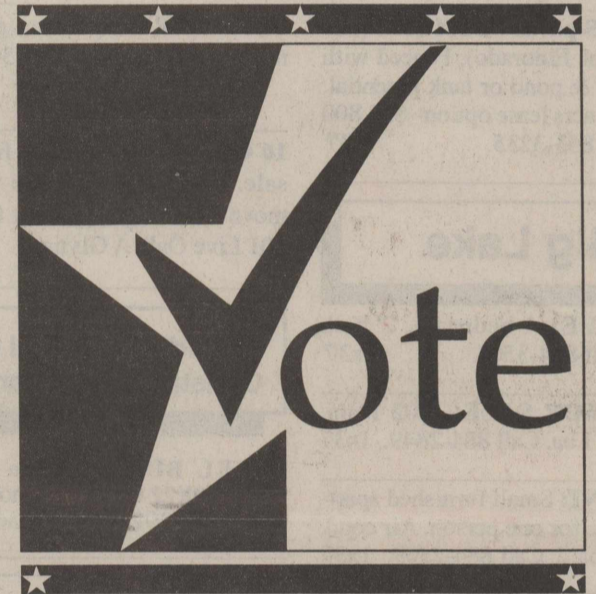
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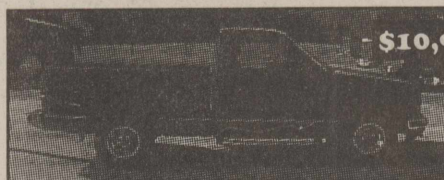
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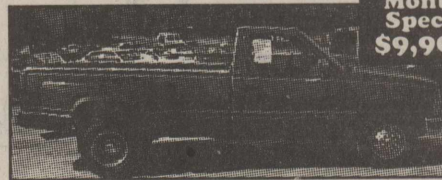
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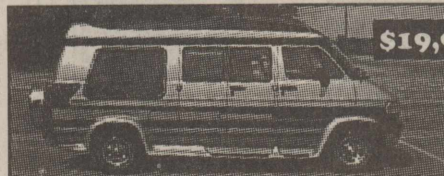
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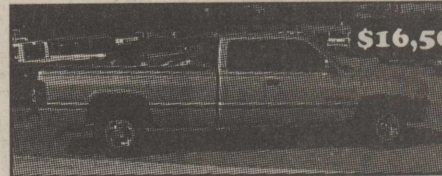
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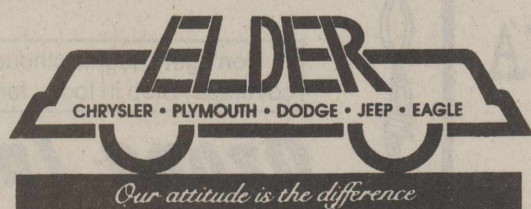
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