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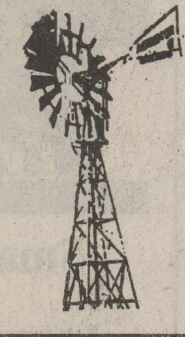
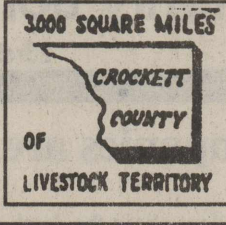
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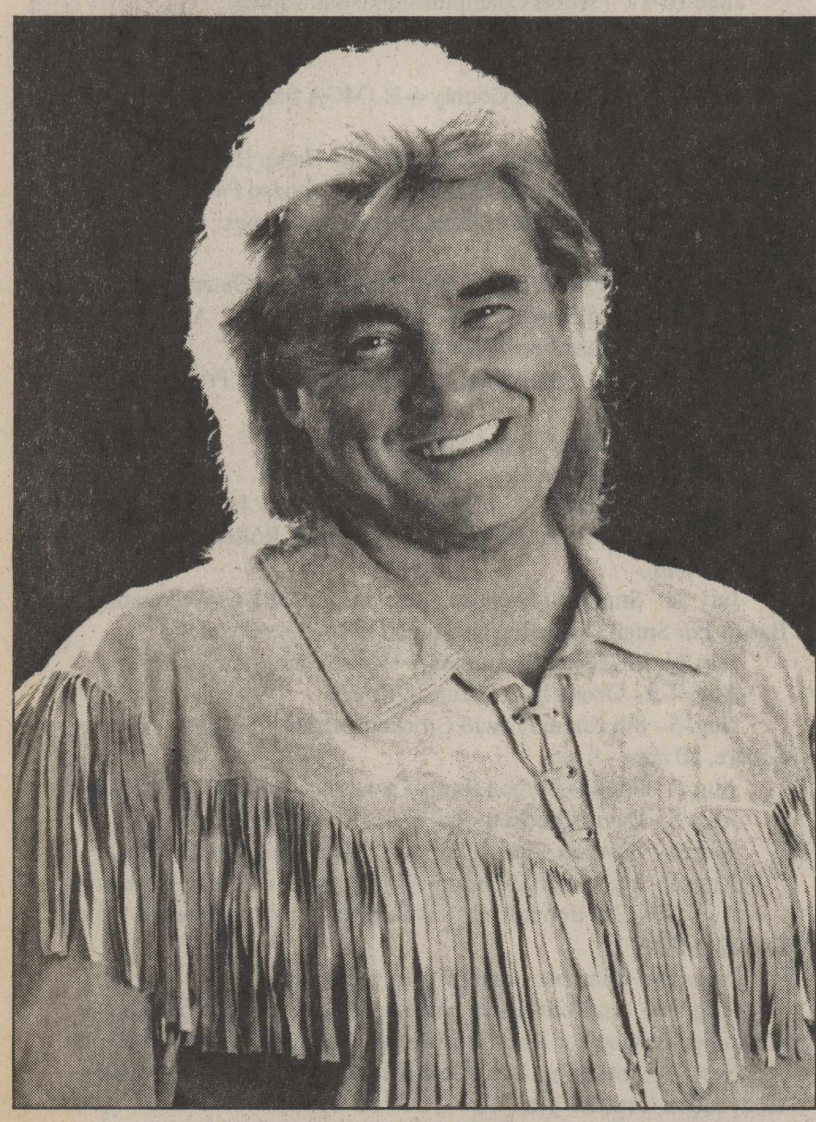
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EDDIE RAVEN

## Eddy Raven headlines June 17 Goat Ropers' Ball

This year's Goat Ropers' Ball, set for June 17 in Fair Park Convention Center, will feature the music of Eddy Raven. A native of Lafayette, LA, Raven's kind of music is rich in lyrical imagery and strong in artistic roots. He has been writing and playing a mixture of rock, country, Cajun and blues since he was a teenager. In fact, his first single release for the Georgia-based Cosmos label, "Once a Fool", was one of his own compositions.

He gained a huge amount of all-around knowledge working at Lafayette's La Louisiana label selling records and working in the facility's sound studios. It was there that Raven first worked with the great regional stars such as Professor Longhair, Dr. John, Dale and Grace ("I'm Leaving It All Up To You") and John Fred and the Playboy Band. The great Bobby Charles ("Walking To New Orleans" and "See You Later Alligator") lived only a few miles away. He cut one of Eddy's songs and became something of a songwriter mentor to the young writer/artist.

La Louisiana added Eddy to its roster and released his "That Cajun Country Sound". This release led Opry star Jimmy C. Newman to invite Raven to Nashville. Acuff-Rose Publishing signed the young man as a staff writer, and he went back to Louisiana determined to write a hit song. He met that goal writing "Country Green" and "Touch The Morning" for Don Gibson, and "Good Morning Country Rain" for Jeannie C. Riley. With the encouragement of Acuff-Rose's Don Gant, Eddy made the move to Nashville to pursue his music career full-time.

When Don Gant moved to ABC Records, he signed Raven as an artist. What followed was a string of charted songs which didn't bring him stardom, but made him an interesting prospect to fans and labels alike. Five years later he signed with Elektra Records and cut the breakthrough song, "I Should've Called". Just to prove that was no fluke, Raven followed it with "Who Do You Know in California", which established him as a stylist of note.

Eddy started his own publishing company and kept writing hit songs for others as well as for himself. In 1982 his "Thank God For Kids" became a monumental hit for the Oak Ridge Boys, giving him financial breathing room and the opportunity to stretch a little in his own work.

The following year, after signing with RCA, Eddy wrote and co-pro-

duced his first #1, "I Got Mexico". It was the first in a long line of hits. Eddy's attention to quality has paid off. He's consistently at the top of the charts with music that defies classification and is never run-of-the-mill. This is an artist who, without sacrificing any musical integrity, has had No. 1 songs such as "Bayou Boys", "I Got Mexico", "Shine, Shine, Shine", "I'm Gonna Get You", "Joe Knows How To Live", "Til You Cry" and "In a Letter to You".

Even his songs that did not hit No. 1 went on to become country classics. Take for example, the top-10 cuts, "Sooner or Later", "Island", "She's Playing Hard to Forget", "I Could Use Another You", "She's Gonna Win Your Heart", "Right Hand Man", "You Should Have Been Gone By Now", "I Should Have Called", "Who Do You Know in California" and "A Little Bit Crazy". In short, he has 30 ASCAP songwriting awards, seven #1's, 14 Top 10's and 22 albums to his credit.

Raven keeps a busy schedule writing, recording and touring year round. In addition to a new building on Music Row that houses his interest in a studio, publishing companies, and a booking agency, he has a new C.D., "Living In Black and White". On top of all this, he has Eddy Raven's Mexi-Cajun Gourmet Sauce. It took first place in Austin at the Fiery Foods Show.

When asked about the pace, he said, "It sure beats the other option." One goal that stands out for Raven, whose earliest ambition was to play centerfield for the Boston Red Sox, is "to someday be inducted into the Grand Ole Opry".

He has advice for others seeking a career in music. "If you're serious about this business, don't expect to make money at it - get into it because you love it. If you don't love it enough to get a day job to support your music habit, then you're going to have a problem."

Tickets for the Goat Roper's Ball are available at Ozona Chamber of Commerce. Adult admission is \$15.00 in advance and \$18.00 at the door. Children's tickets are \$10.00 for those 12 and under. Admission is free for children age six and under. Tables for eight may be reserved until 5:00 p.m. on June 9 for \$120.00.

The doors will open at 6:30 p.m. with the dance from 8:00 p.m. until midnight, June 17.

Opening the evening's entertainment will be music by Brian Hankins and The Heat.

### Rabies on the increase

Rabies must be added to the long list of problems created by the drought advise officials of the Texas Department of Health Public Health Region 9/10. Information released by Dr. Miguel A. Escobedo, regional director, and Dr. Evret C. Newman, regional veterinarian from the El Paso office warns of the increasing problem.

Due to the lack of water in many areas, animals tend to gather near those water sources that remain. The concentration of infected and suscep-

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### Notifications of 911 addresses go out soon

Letters notifying residents of their 911 address should begin going out by the first week of June according to R. B. Babbitt. He is the 911 addressing coordinator for Crockett County.

"For the last several months, we have been performing addressing for 911 purposes," said Babbitt. We are nearing completion of the addressing."

Ozona and Crockett County have never had an official method for assigning addresses. "We have attempted to assign addresses in a manner that would prevent as much inconvenience to the citizens as possible. In order to provide quick and efficient emergency services, it was necessary to establish a consistent pattern of addressing. Through necessity, it has been necessary to change some addresses. We would like to apologize for any problem these changes may have caused you," Babbitt said.

When you receive your letter with your 911 address, review it for accuracy. Directions will be included in the letter for correcting or requesting information about your 911 address.

Map books are being made for use by all emergency services.

The enhanced 911 system should be on line in Crockett County Sept. 1 or soon after. Sept. 1 is the date anticipated in the COG budget.

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### The Weather

Date	Hi	Lo	Rain
May 22	94	69	-0-
May 23	103	72	-0-
May 24	106	73	-0-
May 25	97	74	-0-
May 26	98	52	1.2
May 27	99	57	-0-
May 28	100	72	-0-

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

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#### EXTENDED FORECAST

Wednesday	Thursday
Hi 89	Hi 87
Lo 68	Lo 65
partly cloudy	partly cloudy
Friday	Saturday
Hi 89	Hi 91
Lo 66	Lo 65
partly cloudy	partly cloudy

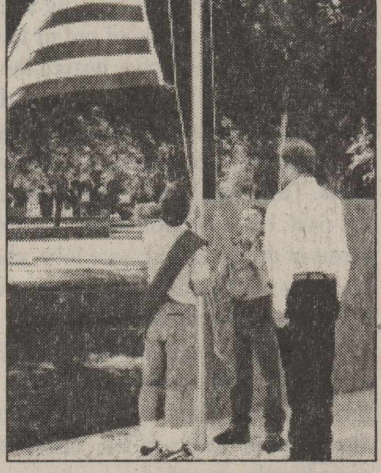
Forecast information provided by The Weather Channel

WEDNESDAY: PARTLY CLOUDY. HIGH IN THE MID 90S. SOUTHEAST WIND 10 TO 20 MPH AND GUSTY. WEDNESDAY NIGHT: PARTLY CLOUDY. LOW IN THE LOWER 70S.

EXTENDED FORECAST: THURSDAY: PARTLY CLOUDY. HIGH IN THE LOWER 90S. FRIDAY AND SATURDAY: PARTLY CLOUDY WITH A SLIGHT CHANCE OF AFTERNOON AND EVENING THUNDERSTORMS. LOWS IN THE LOWER 70S. HIGHS IN THE LOWER 90S.

For complete weather data log on to:  
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## Veterans honored on Memorial Day



A good-size crowd gathered for the Memorial Day ceremony and dedication of the new veterans' monument May 29. Located between the entrances to Lima and Cedar Hill Cemeteries, the monument will be completed with a marble finish and covered with plaques engraved with veterans' names.

It was before this work in

progress and the two flag poles that Vietnam veteran Bob Darling presented the American Flag and World War II veteran Nip Vitela presented the Texas Flag with assistance from Scouts of Troop 153.

Master of Ceremonies Frank Tambunga, who is a Marine Gunnery Sergeant in the Reserves, welcomed the group there to honor veterans of Crockett County and the nation. He also thanked Judge Jeffrey Sutton and commissioners (Tambunga himself is a commissioner) for making the memorial possible "so that veterans' dedication to their county and country will never be forgotten."

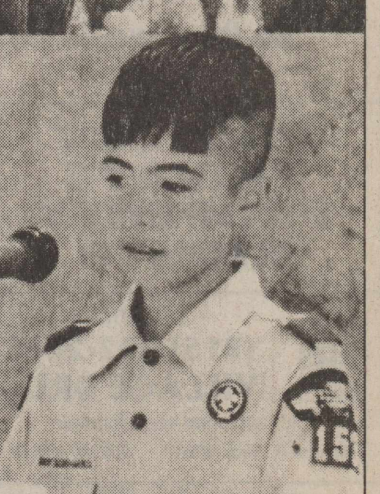
Mr. Vitela, guest speaker for the event, spoke of the "good men and women who have crossed the line in the sand," since the nation's Declaration of Independence, "those who lay down their lives so we can enjoy God-given freedom."

Memorial ceremonies let widows, children and parents "know their



Levi English

loved ones did not die in vain," Mr. Vitela said before calling the roll of Crockett County men he knew who died in World War II and Vietnam.



Roman Tambunga

Included in the memorial ceremony were Levi English who read the poem, *An Honor, Not A Chore*, Roman Tambunga who sang *God Bless the U.S.A.* with the Lee Greenwood CD and Oscar Flores and Rev. Bill Fuller who gave the opening and closing prayers, respectively.

Three rifle shots preceded the playing of Taps after which the flags were lowered to half-mast.

Photos by Scotty Moore



Frank Tambunga and WWII veteran Nip Vitela

## Severe weather uproots trees, damages structures

A severe thunderstorm hit Ozona around 5:30 p.m. Saturday, ripping half the roof from the home of Clara and Lazaro Olivarez. Mrs. Olivarez and her son, 3-year-old Lazarito, were the only ones at home at the time. They fled their mobile home on Man O War Street, to seek shelter at the nearby house of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claro Quiroz.

Neither she or the boy were injured, but a portion of the roof was blown approximately 400 yards.

Winds picked up a trampoline at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hernandez and carried it up into elec-

trical and cable television wires.

Electricity was out for almost five hours in part of town after two power lines were downed in front of the Pete Jacoby home on Hillcrest Dr. Telephone lines were knocked down at Crockett Apartments south of town.

Victor De La Garza left work at Pool Company at the north edge of town at 5:30. "It started to get real dark," he said. The winds in that area blew a storage building into a company truck and snapped a light pole. A dumpster between Pool and Ozona Veterinary Clinic was turned upside down.

Further in toward town, multiple golf cart sheds were damaged at Ozona Country Club and large oak trees were uprooted.

Fire Chief Bob Falkner contacted the weather bureau in San Angelo shortly after the storm hit and pea-size hail began to fall. "They said they saw no circular motion in the cloud," Falkner said. The damage was believed caused by straight-line winds.

"It was raining like the devil," said Beecher Montgomery in describing the storm. Rainfall amounts of one to two inches were reported about town.



ABEL YBARRA, LAZARITO OLIVAREZ AND RUBEN YBARRA stand by the crumpled roof of the Olivarez' mobile home which blew off in a storm May 27.

Photo by Scotty Moore

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Small companies are big business

You hear a lot these days about the death of the mom and pop store. But the truth is, small businesses in America are healthy and prospering. In Texas, there are about 318,000 small businesses. Nearly 90 percent of all U.S. businesses are considered small businesses, and more than half of the men and women who work for private companies work for small businesses.

Small business men and women are determined to live the American dream and Congress is passing legislation to make sure these entrepreneurs continue to thrive, free of unfair laws or regulations.

In March, the House passed the Small Business Tax Fairness Act, a small business relief package that would assist millions of hard-working Americans. The bill includes several programs and reforms.

First, the act creates 15 new renewal communities in urban and rural areas. These are communities that have had social and economic problems in the past, but have potential. The bill creates different programs and tax incentives designed to create jobs, encourage personal savings, and encourage home ownership.

A strong pension plan is vital for employers to retain an experienced workforce. This small business bill helps employers improve and better fund their pension plans by increasing contribution and benefit limits.

Lastly, small businesses are not allowed to take the same deduction for health insurance premiums as big businesses. Although, this outrageous disparity will be corrected by 2003, it's not soon enough for people who get ill today.

In addition to trying to pass laws that promote small businesses, many of us here in Congress are also trying to stop laws that would put unfair burdens on these employers. As many of you know, my colleagues and I are currently working to prevent the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) from handing down an enormous new ergonomics regulation.

Small business is indeed making big headlines. I am confident that this Congress will continue to fight for the interests of entrepreneurs and the American economy.

Ozona Chamber of Commerce COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- June - Friends of the Library Summer Children's Programs, Each Monday Morning
June 5-9 - Ozona Community Center Camp Wild Things
June 9 - Cub Scout Pack 153 Swim Party, North Pool 7-9 p.m.
June 10 - Big Bad Billy Goat Bustin', Fairgrounds Arena
June 12 - Chamber Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m.
June 12-16 - Ozona Community Center Camp Pow-Wow
June 16-17 - World Championship Goat Roping
June 17 - Goat Ropers Ball, With Eddie Raven, Featuring Brian Hankins and The Heat
June 17-18 - Crockett County 4-H JMGA Sanctioned Cactus Classic Goat Show
June 19-23 - Ozona Community Center Camp Buggie
June 20 - Cub Scout Pack 153 Cookout, Rodeo Park, 7-9 p.m.
June 21 - Social Security Rep, Courthouse Annex, 10-11:30 a.m. a.m.
June 26-30 - Ozona Community Center Camp Outer Space
June 26 - Small Business Seminar w/ASU-SBDC: Advertising for Rural Business, Chamber Office 6-8:30 p.m.
July - Friends of the Library Summer Children's Programs, Each Monday Morning
July 10 - Chamber Board Meeting, 5:30 - m.
July 10-14 - Ozona Lions Tennis Camp, 9 a.m. - Noon
July 17-21 - Ozona Community Center Camp Under the Sea
July 20 - Cub Scout Pack 153 Ice Cream & Roller Blades, Rodeo Park 7-9 p.m.
July 24 - Small Business Seminar w/ASU-SBDC: Accounting Basics For Small Business, Chamber Office 6-8:30 p.m.
July 24-28 - Ozona Community Center Camp Tra La-La
Aug. 4-5 - Ozona Lions Club Jr. Rodeo
Aug. 5 - 8th Annual David Crockett Birthday Festival, Town Square, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Aug. 5 - Friends of the Library Lawnmower Race (With Festival)
Aug. 5 - David Crockett Trail Ride, Noon (With Festival)
Aug. 5 - Cowboy Church Service, Fairgrounds Arena 10 a.m.
Aug. 6 - Jay Miller Memorial Roping Enter at 1 p.m., Rope at 2
Aug. 10 - Cub Scout Pack 153 Regatta (Sailboat Race), 7-9 p.m. Location TBA
Aug. 14 - Chamber Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m.
Aug. 28 - Small Business Seminar w/ASU-SBDC: Excellent Customer Service For Rural Businesses, Chamber Office 6-8:30 p.m.
Sept. 1 - Southwest Boer Goat Breeders Summer Classic Sale, Convention Center 7 p.m.
Sept. 11 - Chamber Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 19-21 - TX Rural Development Council & Concho Valley RC&D Area Inc. Economic Development Project/Resource Team
Sept. 21 - Town Meeting, Ozona Civic Center, 7 p.m.
Sept. 25 - Small Business Seminar w/ASU-SBDC: Marketing on the Internet, Chamber Office 6-8:30 p.m.
Sept. 30 - Ft. Lancaster Annual Living History Special Event 9-4
Oct. 9 - Chamber Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m.
Oct. 14 - Pioneer Heritage Day, Crockett County Museum
Oct. 23 - Small Business Seminar w/ASU-SBDC: The Business Roadmap to Success, Chamber Office 6-8:30 p.m.
Nov. 11 - Arts & Crafts Guild Crafts Fair, 10 a.m.
Nov. 11 - Ft. Lancaster Civil War Living History Day 9-4
Dec. 1 - Christmas Lighting Ceremony by Ozona Woman's League
Dec. 2 - 13th Annual DeerFest Wild Game Dinner, Fair Park Convention Center, 6:30 p.m.
Dec. 10 - Friends of the Library Christmas Tour of Homes
Dec. 11 - Chamber Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m.

Rabies... (continued from page 1)

Animals can result in more animals being exposed to rabies and developing the disease. These limited sources of water may be in remote areas on ranches or right in your backyard.

The concentration of animals near available water sources may result in small but serious outbreaks of rabies.

The average monthly cases of laboratory-confirmed animal rabies cases for this year in Public Health Region 9/10 is double the monthly average for 1999.

Crockett County had five laboratory-confirmed cases in 1999. Already this year, there have been four cases confirmed through TDH for the county. Seven people have been exposed.

From November 1999 through March 2000, Terrell County reported 12 positive foxes and two positive bobcats in or near Sanderson. This outbreak resulted in one little girl being exposed to the disease by the attack of a rabid fox and receiving the postexposure vaccinations.

Human exposures to rabies may occur even though no outbreak is recognized in the animal population. Pecos County has reported only two rabid animals this year, but one of

these animals, a stray dog, exposed 17 people to the disease.

Fortunately, no person in this region has developed this fatal disease in many years.

The drought is beyond human control; however, the risk of being exposed to rabies can be reduced.

Six steps are offered by TDH.

1. All dogs and cats must be vaccinated against rabies every year.

2. Livestock which are in frequent close contact with people can also be vaccinated. In addition to protecting pets and livestock, their vaccination creates a protective barrier between people and infected wild animals.

3. Never attempt to handle wild animals

4. Never handle domestic animals with which you are not familiar or that are acting strange. This applies even to those pet animals offered for adoption and which have an unknown health and vaccination history.

5. The populations of stray or unowned dogs and cats must be reduced. This can be as basic as requiring owners to confine their pets to their property.

6. Do not leave dog or cat food and water in areas accessible to wild animals such as skunks, foxes and raccoons.

911... (continued from page 1)

Babbitt began work as addressing coordinator on July 12, 1999, with a one year goal for completing the project. In some places, the job has taken up to three years.

Crockett was the last county in the state to approve 911 and the last county in the Concho Valley Council of Governments (COG) to approve enhanced 911. The enhanced system has data entered into a computer which automatically displays the caller's phone number and address when 911 is dialed. The enhancement

was approved April 12 of 1999 for Crockett County.

The COG addressing worksheet initially showed a gross total of \$100,000.00 for the county. The project involves a 75%/25% match. However, if the county does not spend 75% of the \$100,000.00, no matching money will be required.

Expenses have been paid by the county as incurred with the bills forwarded to COG for reimbursement, less the 25% match. Once the addressing project is complete, if the 25% match is not required, the money which was deducted will be reimbursed to Crockett County.

The project is well within the budget at this point, and Babbitt does not anticipate there being any cost to the county for the addressing once the project is completed.

The state will allow funding for 10 to 20 hours per week for an employee to maintain the 911 enhanced system after it is in operation.

Political Announcements

The following candidates have authorized The Ozona Stockman to announce their intentions to file as candidates for posts in the Nov. 7, 2000 general election.

Crockett Co. Constable Raymond P. Borrego Pol. adv. pd. for by Raymond P. Borrego, P.O. Box 1051, Ozona, TX 76943

Crockett Co. Sheriff Shane Fenton Pol. adv. pd. for by Shane Fenton, P.O. Box 271, Ozona, TX 76943

State Representative Robert (Bob) Turner Pol. adv. pd. for by Committee to elect Bob Turner, 1907 12th St., Brownwood, TX 76801

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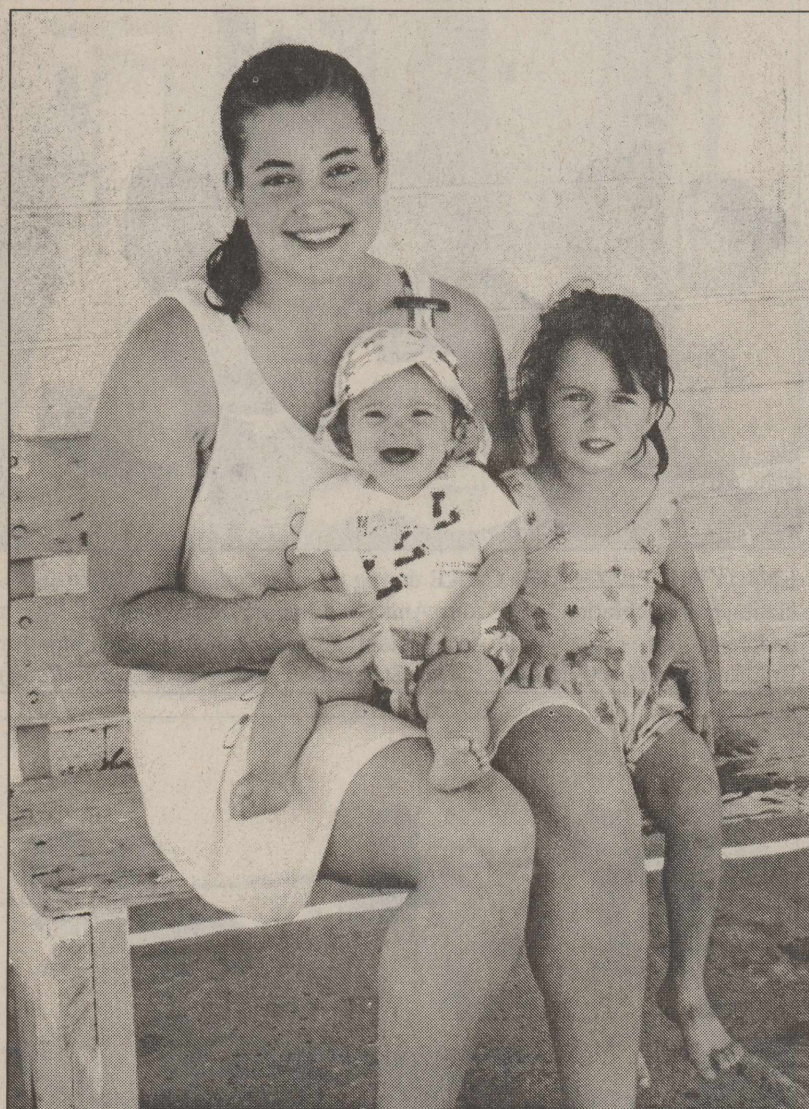
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AMENDA POINDEXTER holds Rachel Sievering as sister Beth prepares to enjoy the beginning of summer at the pool. Photo by Susan Calloway

### Girls continue off-season basketball

The '88 girls' basketball team won fourth place in their division weekend before last in Georgetown. Allison Skehan was part of the '88 team, and she played really well. This team played one game on Friday, two games on Saturday and two games on Sunday.

The '87 team also did really well, capturing fourth in their pool. This team played one basketball game Friday and two games Saturday. Malorie Moran, Kayla Pratt and Victoria

Miller played a very good game of basketball.

"This was quite an experience for these sixth graders who gave it their all and came out successful in gaining techniques and making new friends," said Coach Rita Rios.

The Lady Starz played May 27 at Lee Jr. High in San Angelo. They still have four more weeks of play time left. Everyone is welcome to go see the girls play.

### ASU Dean's list includes Ozonans

Five Ozona area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo are among those on the Dean's List for the spring semester at the University.

Those listed include Raymundo M. Fierro, a Spanish/secondary certification major; Darin Jackson, a mathematics major; Jackie Linn Johnson,

a history/sec cert with social studies major, all from Ozona; Justin Jackson, an animal science major; and Sandra M. Smith, an accounting major, all from Sheffield.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must be enrolled as a full-time student and have at least a 3.25 grade point average.

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**Travis Davidson**

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Erica Moran, bride-elect of Ben Maness  
Stefny Sutton, bride-elect of David Nance  
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## Crockett County Library News

by Louise Ledoux

### Summer Children's Programs

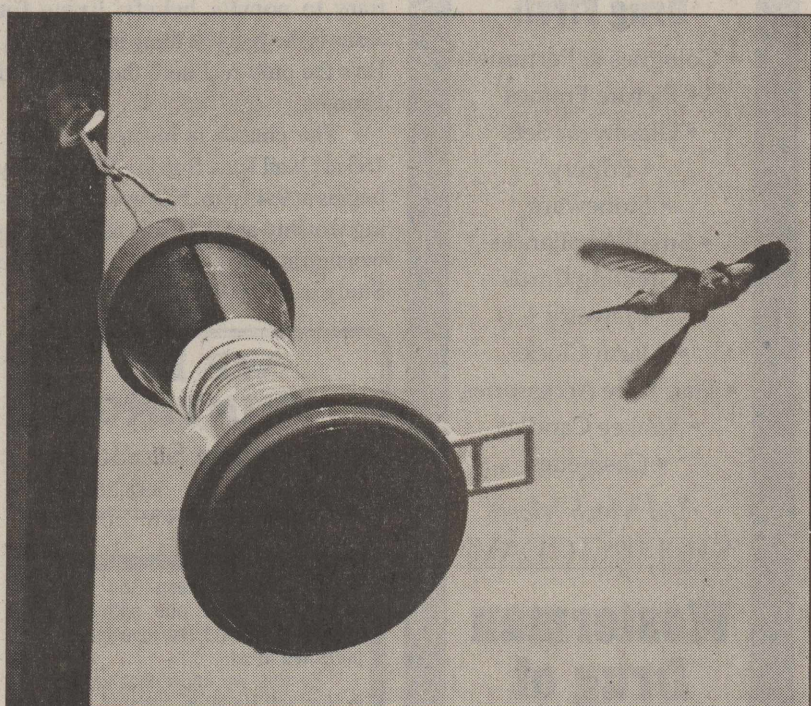
The Crockett County Public Library Summer Children's Programs will begin Monday, June 5, and will continue every Monday morning in June and July. There will be two age groups. The older kids 6 to 12-years-old will come from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., and the little 3- to 5-year-olds will come from 11:00 to noon. We need volunteers. If you would like to help with the summer programs, reading stories, doing activities, helping the children with their books or computers, please come by the library or call 392-3565.

Many activities are planned at the library to highlight this summer's programs. Discover interesting people in our community and check out cool ca-

reers, spend some time in cyberspace, investigate the past, explore the present, and invent the future. Each Monday morning in June and July we will present programs featuring outstanding speakers from organizations and businesses in our community such as Jennifer Marshall of the County Extension Office, Melvin Wende from the U. S. Post Office, Stephanie Parr from West Texas Rehab and Dennis Clark of the Emerald Underground Water District Office.

Come and join the fun at your public library this summer.

Louise P. Ledoux  
Crockett County Librarian



THIS HUMMINGBIRD hasn't been affected by the drought thanks to the availability of this feeder. Photo by Scotty Moore

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ANN BOWER of the District 2-A Lions Eyebank located in San Angelo presents a \$1,000.00 check to Mel DeHoyos, winner in the recent eyebank fundraiser. Photo by Linda Moore

### DeSpain reunion planned in Charlotte

The DeSpain/Arnold family will be having their ninth annual reunion on Aug. 29 in Charlotte at the new St. Rosa de Lima church hall. All family and friends are invited to attend and enjoy a great time of visiting, remembering and getting to know people.

The family of Elizabeth Arnold arrived in Texas in 1823. She was born in Texas in 1842. Her father was Benjamin Arnold, brother of Hendrick Arnold and son of Daniel Arnold and her mother was Matilda Fulton, daughter of Samuel Fulton and Elizabeth Connor who also came to Texas with Stephen F. Austin's second colony.

He came to Texas in 1850. He joined the CSA and was stationed in San Antonio where he served only one year and then moved to Pleasanton. There he met and married Elizabeth Arnold Jones in 1863.

The reunion is open to friends and relatives of the DeSpain and Arnold families.

For more information, contact Jeannie DeSpain Stevens, 29 Crestline Dr., Pleasanton, TX 78064 or call 830-569-6172.

The family of John DeSpain

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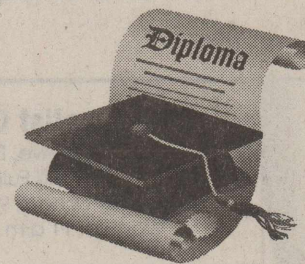
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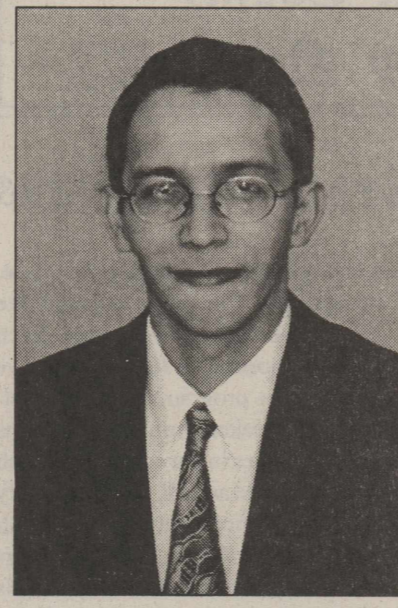
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Club meetings will be held at Ozona UM Church, 12 Eleventh Street on June 20 through June 23 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Come join Club Can-do!  
 For information call the church office: 392-3060

**New pastor at Iglesia de Cristo**



**PASTOR AMELIO HINOJOS**

Amelio Hinojos is the new pastor for Iglesia de Cristo, beginning his work here May 21. Mr. Hinojos comes

to Ozona from a pastorate in McAllen. He was born in Lubbock in 1958 and spent a number of years there. His family moved to Midland where he graduated from high school before attending Midland College for two years. He returned to Lubbock and attended Lubbock Christian University. He later went to Southern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth and Dallas Theological Seminary.

Mr. Hinojos has worked as a bookkeeper in addition to preaching. He and his wife, Anselma, decided to get into the work of the Lord. They have one child, Alexander. "We're just beginning," says Mr. Hinojos of their work in the church in Ozona. "We're very optimistic about it."

"My work here involves families, youth, promoting strong morals in our modern culture, reclaiming our lost values. I look forward to meeting a lot of people."

"I love God, I love His church, I love people," said Hinojos. "I don't think there's a better way to spend life than speaking for God to others. Contrary to popular beliefs, living for Jesus is the greatest thing in the world. He's the only real hero there is," said Hinojos.

The church is located on Hwy. 163 at Quail Run. Sunday Bible Study begins at 9:45 a.m. followed by morning worship at 10:45 a.m. and evening worship at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study is at 6:00 p.m.

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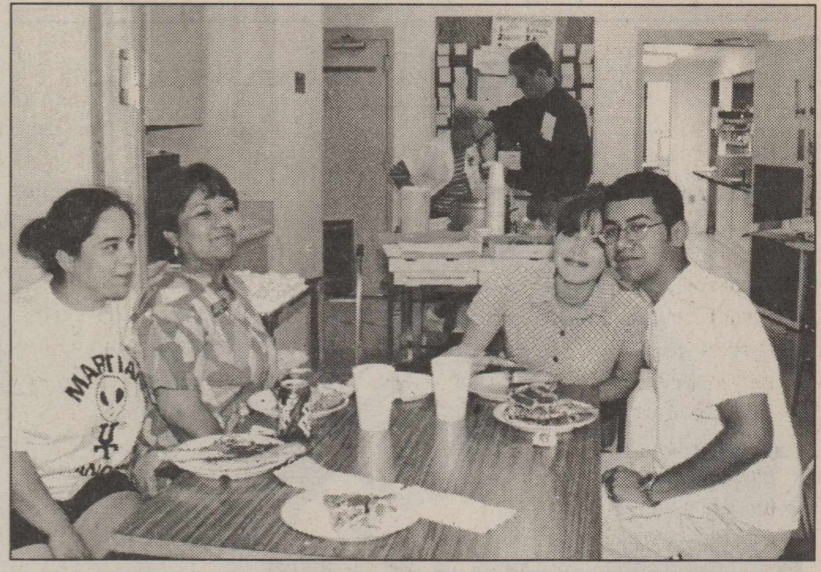
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 (15) Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God.  
 I John 4: 12, 13, 14, 15



**ENJOYING PIZZA AND CAKE** during the care center's employee appreciation day celebration are: (l. to r.) Annie and Juanita De La Rosa and Sandra and Juan Hernandez. In the background are care center administrator Jim Bob Roddie and activity director Jan St. Clair. Photo by Susan Calloway



**CARE CENTER EMPLOYEES** were honored with an appreciation day on May 24. Pictured are: (clockwise from bottom left) Cecilia Longoria, Martha Dempsey, Anadeila Fierro, Amy Cervantez, Belia Ramirez and Anna Yruegas. Photo by Susan Calloway

**Care Center Chatter**

Top bingo players for last week were Iva Stinson and Alleane Sutton. Zoe Green volunteered for Monday morning bingo and employee Connie Marshall assisted. Thank you, ladies.

Monday afternoon residents joined Nancy Mossman on the front porch for Methodist Bible study. Residents enjoyed popsicles during the activity.

Residents who will celebrate June birthdays are Mary Flournoy, Hazel McDaniel, Neva Palmer, June Diehl and Sara Rios. Residents' birthday and Father's Day party will be June 16 at 3:30 p.m. in the main lobby. If you would like to help on this special occasion, give me a call at 392-3096. Our care center fathers are Emmitt Cain, Pete Jacoby, Manuel Ibarra, Glenn Sutton, Calvin Johnson, Alvin Jenson, Jose Arredondo and Barney Villarreal.

Wednesday at lunchtime staff was honored with an appreciation luncheon for a job well done from the state inspection survey. It takes team work from all staff departments to make our facility function 24 hours a day, seven days a week. It takes special people to work in our facility. "Dedication" is the main qualification for caregivers.

Wednesday afternoon Len Hillman, Otis Nester and Jim Caldwell performed their popular music in the main lobby. This activity fills the lobby with residents and visitors.

Thank you, guys.

Thursday morning Belinda Koerth, Alena Faye Hokit, Jo Ann Williamson and Kay Baker volunteer for beauty shop. Thanks go to these ladies who are so faithful on Thursday mornings.

Thanks go to Commissioner Freddie and Pat Nicks for the donation of ice cream for our residents' social, also for Freddie's famous oatmeal cookies that residents request. Wouldn't it be great if everyone was as concerned about our care center as our volunteers who are here every week to support staff and our care center.

Whether you realize it or not, our care center is very important to our community, whether you have loved ones here or not. None of us every plan our future with caregivers in mind, but there is always that possibility that the care center would be your home someday.

We need to make our care center top "priority" in Crockett County.

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- R - Recognize
  - E - Empathize
  - S - Support
  - P - Prevent
  - E - Enhance
  - C - Care
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  - Jan St. Clair
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**Making Changes**

by Dennis Prutow

Sometimes we think there is no way to get there from here, from where we stand. The hurdles seem insurmountable. Old habits stubbornly cling to us. We just don't seem to be able to shake them. Sin has the upper hand. What's wrong? Is it supposed to be this way?

First, look at Romans 6:14. "Sin shall not be master over you, for you are not under law but under grace." People receiving the grace and mercy of God are not attempting to prove they are able to make the grade. These people know they cannot make it to heaven on their own merit. They are not under law but under grace.

In this status, the Bible declares, sin is not your master. You have a new King. His name is Jesus. "Jesus is Lord" (Romans 10:9). Sin remains. It no longer reigns. Since this is the case, you are able to break old habits and form new ones. It is possible. It takes a lot of persistent practice.

Here is a second word. "Just as you presented your members as slaves to impurity and to lawlessness, resulting in further lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness, resulting in sanctification" (Romans 6:19). Practice the things pleasing to God. Do them over and over again. By the grace of God, change will result.

<p><b>First Baptist Church</b>                  901 Ave. D                  Rev. Bill Fuller                  Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.                  Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Ozona Church of Christ</b>                  1002 11th St.                  Mr. Johnnie Perkins                  Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m.                  Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Ozona United Methodist Church</b>                  12 - 11th St.                  Rev. Nancy Mossman                  Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.                  Worship: 11 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Mt. Zion Baptist Church</b>                  Cenisa St.                  Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.                  Worship: 11 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Faith Lutheran Church</b>                  802 1st St.                  Rev. Charles Huffman                  Sunday School: 10 a.m.                  Worship: 9 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church</b>                  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.</p>
<p><b>Templo Bautista Jerusalem</b>                  138 Blas St.                  Rev. Esequiel Cervantez                  Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.                  Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Church of God of Prophecy</b>                  102 Man O' War St.                  Pastor Lupe Domonlquez                  Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Our Lady of Perpetual Help</b>                  219 Martinez St.                  Rev. Henry Laenen                  Sun. Mass: 11 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Calvary Baptist Church</b>                  601 Ave. I                  Rev. Daniel C. Fleming                  Sunday School: 10 a.m.                  Worship: 11 a.m.                  Wed. &amp; Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida</b>                  Corner of Secretariat &amp; Man 'O War                  Pastor Bernardo Salis                  Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Apostolic Church</b>                  307 Santa Rosa St.                  Rev. Hector De La Cruz                  Sunday School: 10 a.m.                  Worship: 5 p.m.                  Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Harvest Time Christian Center</b>                  604 11th St.                  Rev. Mike Davis                  Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.                  Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.                  Evening Worship: 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Iglesia de Cristo</b>                  Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run                  Pastor: Amelio Hinojos                  Sunday Bible Study: 9:45 a.m. &amp; 5 p.m.                  Worship: 10:45 a.m.                  Wed. Bible Study: 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Attend the Church of Your Choice This Sunday</b></p>

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# Etiquette pointers for women and men today

By Jennifer Marshall - CEA-FCS

Throughout the summer, I will be writing a series of articles on etiquette. To many people, the word "etiquette" means white gloves and genteel manners. Few people truly understand this system of conventional rules that regulate social behavior. One of the books I will be using as a resource is "Amy Vanderbilt Complete Book of Etiquette", which was completely rewritten and updated in 1995 to reflect our current society.

The first book of etiquette was written approximately 2500 B.C., which was two thousand years before the Bible. Historical evidence suggests that the first code of correct behavior came from the Old Kingdom of Egypt in a book titled "The Instructions of Ptahhotep". The book served as a list of guidelines for young Egyptian men climbing the social ladder of the day. In the company of one's superior, the book advises, "Laugh when he laughs". There are also numerous references to the priceless wisdom of holding one's tongue. By approximately 700 B.C., Ptahhotep's 2000-year-old book had circulated throughout the Nile delta of Egypt and the crescent of Mesopotamia. Religious scholars have noted strong echoes of the Instructions throughout the Bible, especially in Proverbs and Ecclesiastes, particularly regarding the preparation and consumption of food.

Speaking of food, we will begin by talking about how to conduct yourself in a restaurant. There are few places that allow a more perfect opportunity to show off your manners than a restaurant. From the moment you walk in the door, a whole set of etiquette procedures comes into play. While your table manners may be fine at home, in a restaurant there are other challenges such as ordering the meal and communicating with the staff. Whether you are the guest at the finest bistro in town or the local luncheonette, if you master the proper restaurant etiquette, you will feel at ease if you follow a few simple rules:

\*When the maitre d' (commonly referred to as the headwaiter) is seat-

ing a man and woman, the woman follows him and the man follows her.

\*When sitting at a banquet, the woman sits on the man's right side.

\*Upon being seated, immediately place your napkin in your lap if the maitre d' did not do so for you. The napkin is not to be shaken or tucked into your shirt. If you leave the table to go to the ladies' or men's room, place your napkin on your chair and push your chair in close to the table. When the meal is finished, place your napkin to the left of the place setting, unfolded.

\*It is no longer necessary for the host to order for the guest. It is a lot simpler and equally correct for each individual to speak to the captain or the waiter.

## Carbs are essential for fueling workouts

Low-carbohydrate diets may be all the rage, but many dietitians warn that skimping on this nutrient could rob your body of energy, especially during exercise.

"Carbohydrates are one of the basic nutrients that supply energy to the body," said Dr. Rebecca Reeves, a registered dietitian with Baylor College of Medicine's Behavioral Medicine Research Center in Houston. "This is the energy source the body looks for, and it is what it burns when a person starts exercising."

The body transforms carbohydrates into glucose and transports it to the cells for energy. Carbohydrates also replenish spent muscle-glycogen stores. If your body is not well stocked, your workout could suffer.

To get the most out of this energy grain foods and cereals like oatmeal.

The duration and intensity of a workout will dictate carbohydrate needs. Most recreational athletes need 50 to 55 percent of calories from carbohydrates, which is the same as the recommended daily intake for non-athletes. Elite athletes, however, will require more.

The bottom line, says Reeves, is to remember that cutting carbohydrates means cutting an energy source.

\*Use flatware at your place setting from the outside in.

\*If you are eating with just one other person, it's permissible to let him taste something from your plate, but do so unobtrusively.

\*Address the waiter as "waiter" or "waitress". If you need the waiter's attention and can't catch his eye, ask another waiter to send him to your table.

\*Any complaints about food service should be made discretely to the waiter. It is better to send food back to the kitchen without making a fuss, than to eat something not up to standard.

\*If a woman arrives or returns to a table, it's customary for the men at the table to stand up or half rise.

\*Other than powdering her nose,

a woman never applies makeup at the table. The worst is combing hair at the table.

\*Regardless of how casual the restaurant, a man should never wear his hat.

\*Put your fork and knife across the center of your plate on a diagonal slant when you have finished eating.

\*A fifteen percent tip is customary, but at a first-class restaurant, if the food and service are outstanding, leave twenty percent.

Good manners at a restaurant are important, because what you do affects other people. So talk softly, avoid smoking in areas that are not designated, and put the silencer on your cell phone or pager. Then, the dining experience can be more enjoyable for everyone.



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## Hotline lawyer helps woman get refund

Maria Johnson, one of the lawyers who staffs the Legal Hotline for Older Texans, remembers the caller well. "She sounded frail," Johnson says, recalling their first encounter. Johnson eventually learned that the woman was partially blind and had just come home from a stay in the hospital when a vacuum cleaner salesman had come to the door.

"The salesman left with a check for \$1,600," Johnson says. "He'd even taken the old woman's Dirt Devil!"

The problem was this: the woman had succumbed to the salesman's pitch, but once he was gone, she realized she didn't want the new vacuum cleaner after all. But the check had been cashed and all of the calls that the woman and her friends made to the company asking that the money be returned were unsuccessful.

Could the Hotline help? "We can't actually represent the people who call the Hotline," Johnson says. "I sent her consumer information and at one point I even called the

customer service office at the vacuum cleaner company myself."

But to no avail. Reluctantly, Johnson prepared to close the woman's file. Then Johnson saw an article in the *Wall Street Journal*, which she reads every day. "It was a front page story about the tactics used by the same vacuum cleaner company. But it mentioned some sort of golden age clause which allowed people over age 65 to change their minds about a purchase and get a refund."

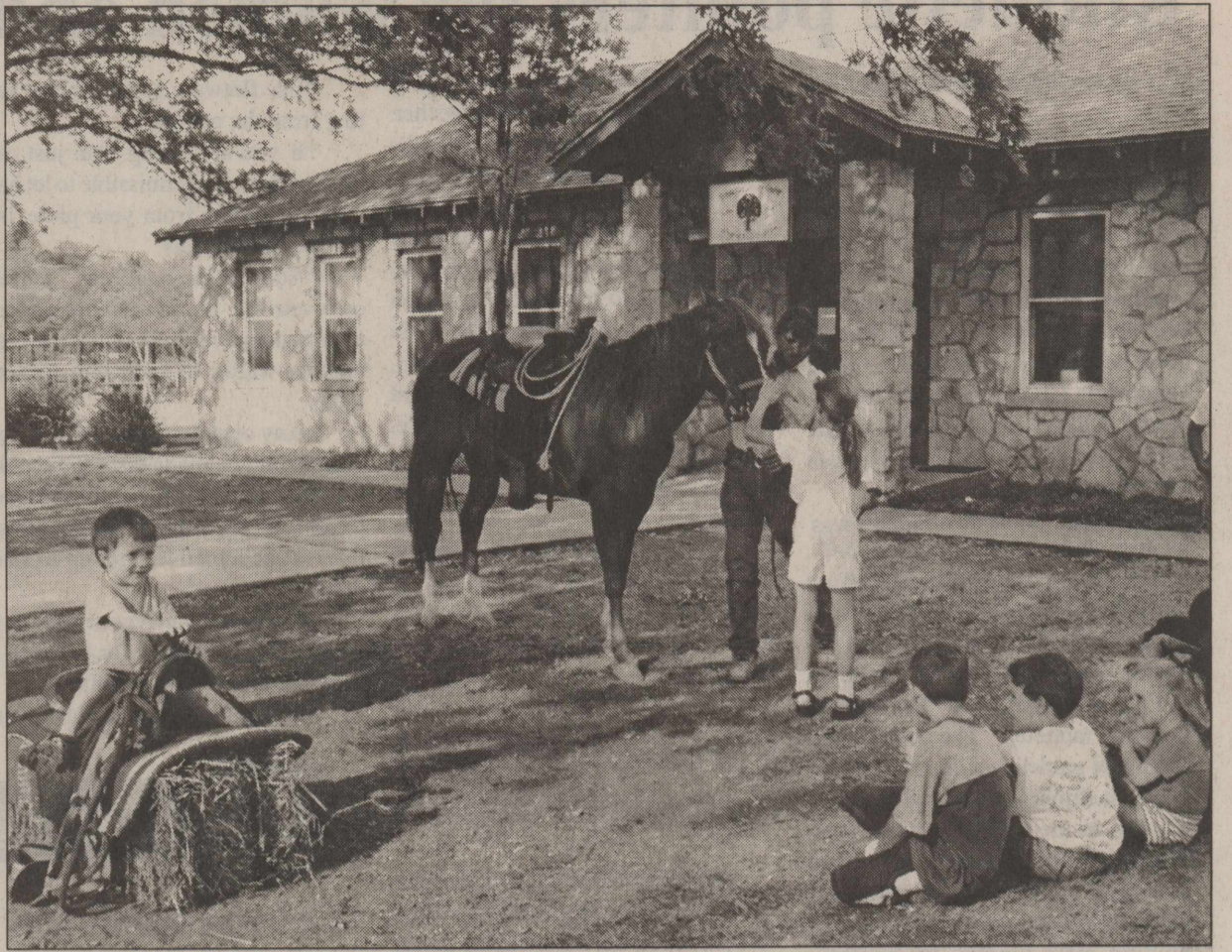
The time period for the refund was a year, and Johnson noted that ten months had already elapsed since the elderly caller had first written the check. Johnson called the woman immediately and also enlisted a friend of the woman to help draft a letter to the vacuum company. "The friend didn't get the *Wall Street Journal*," Johnson laughs, "but her dentist did. She ran down to the dentist's office" to get this additional ammunition. The letter was sent certified mail, but Johnson says she could hear an imagi-

nary clock ticking away in the background.

The result? Just under the wire, "The caller got a refund from the company for the full \$1,600," Johnson says, grinning with satisfaction.

"But this is what the Hotline is all about," Johnson continues. "You give the people who call the legal tools to solve the problem—in this case, without hiring an attorney." A lot of older people balk at hiring an attorney, Johnson says, either because they can't afford it or they're embarrassed by the problem or they just don't want the hassle of a lawsuit. "But they have rights," Johnson says, "and the attorneys here want to preserve their rights."

The Legal Hotline for Older Texans can be reached at 1-800-622-2520. Its primary mission is to serve low-income clients over the age of 60. The Hotline is funded through grants from the Texas Department on Aging and the Texas Equal Access to Justice Foundation.



CAMP CORRAL daycamp at Ozona Community Center was a rousing success that all the youngersters attending enjoyed. Pictured are: (l. to r.) Timothy Gardner, Kelsey Childress, Gloria Williams, Kyle Sewell, Taylor Newton and Abby Newton.  
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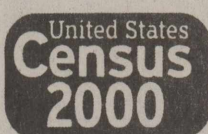
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Work at home schemes are nothing new to the Better Business Bureau, but today's con artists are turning to a new tool - the computer keyboard - to lure potential victims.

Work at home offers used to be advertised mainly through community newspapers, "back of the book" magazine advertisements and the US Mail. Now, with the rise of the Internet and

e-mail, con artists can transmit phony promotions to a wider audience, cheaper and quicker. And they frequently tailor their pitch to those interested in making money via computer-related opportunities.

To help protect themselves from modern-day con artists who promise easy riches, the BBB has updated its Work at Home schemes publication. The brochure, which is also posted on the Bureau central website arms consumers with the very latest descriptions of common work at home scams and the ways they can be avoided.

"We suggest using extreme caution when responding to these things," said Denisa Marston, vice president of operations of the Permian Basin BBB office. "While such promotions claim high earnings and short hours with little or no experience, Bureau files nationwide indicate no evidence of anyone making the promised money."

According to the BBB, rarely, if

ever, are these ads an offer of a real job opportunity. Generally, they require up-front fees for information or supplies, and only the person who ran the ad makes any money.

"Consumers should also know that they risk investigation and possible criminal prosecution by postal or other law enforcement agencies if they become involved in promoting these schemes," Marston warned.

For a free copy of the publication, write the BBB office and enclose a self-addressed envelope. The address is Better Business Bureau, Work at Home Brochure, P. O. Box 60206, Midland, TX 79711. Or you can get it off the Internet at [www.bbb.org/library/workathome.asp](http://www.bbb.org/library/workathome.asp).

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VICTOR DE LA GARZA inspects the remains of a storage building that blew into a Pool truck during the May 27 storm. Photo by Scotty Moore

### EMS, individual responses vital to saving lives

9-1-1. Those three numbers often mean the difference between life and death, day in and day out. Emergency medical help can be reached by telephone most everywhere in Texas 24 hours a day. These emergency response teams provide a lifeline from the ill and injured to medical care, according to Kathy Perkins, chief of the Bureau of Emergency Management at the Texas Department of Health (TDH).

"Nearly 45,000 trained, certified emergency personnel are part of the Texas Emergency Medical Services," Perkins said. "These highly trained medics treat patients from the emergency scene to the hospital and are an integral part of our emergency care system for victims of sudden and serious illness or injury."

Minutes count in an emergency, and what individuals do in an emergency situation even before EMS arrives makes a significant difference to an ill or injured person, Perkins said.

Recognizing a medical emergency is one of the first steps. Auto wrecks, chest pains or serious falls with broken bones signal emergency conditions to many people. But other situations are not so obvious. Call 9-1-1 immediately if any of these conditions are present: serious bleeding, unconsciousness, signs of a heart attack, burns, neck or spine injuries, not breathing, choking, broken bones, head, chest or abdominal injuries.

Common sense and knowing the victim also are important to assessing an emergency, Perkins said. "Factors such as stressful events, a pre-existing medical condition or abnormal behavior may signal an emergency situation exists for an individual."

How you make the emergency call also is important. Remain calm or have another person make the call. Give the 9-1-1 dispatcher whatever facts are requested. This information usually will include the address of the emergency and possibly a nearby cross street, your name and the telephone number at your location, the name of the ill or injured person and what is wrong. Have someone wait near the street or in a parking lot to direct EMS to the victim. Most important - stay on the line until the dispatcher tells you to hang up.

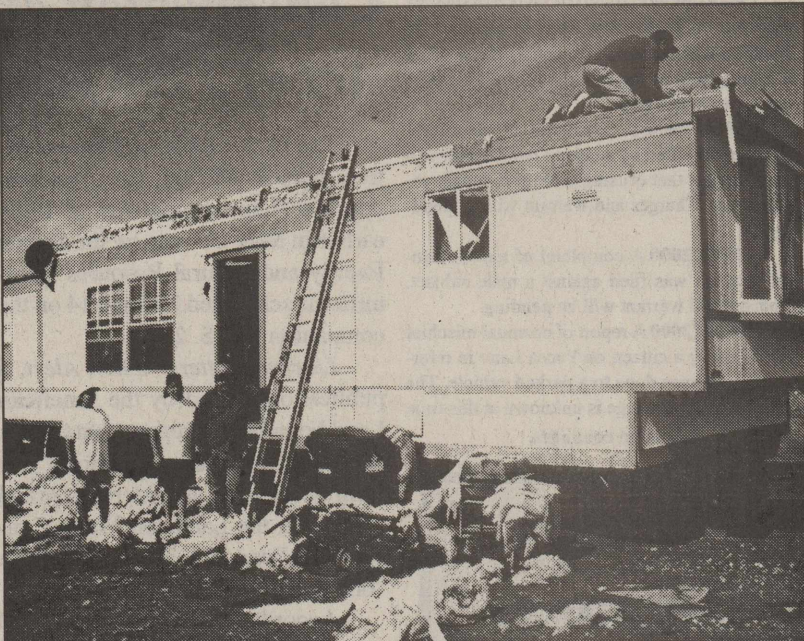
Remember not to move the ill or injured person unless that person is in immediate danger. Do not give the person anything to eat or drink and do not allow him or her to smoke. Keep the person calm and still.

"While we can be proud of the emergency medical centers in Texas," Perkins said, "prevention is still the best way to avoid accidental or premature death." Learning CPR and the Heimlich maneuver are ways to begin. Other healthy lifestyle habits also help.

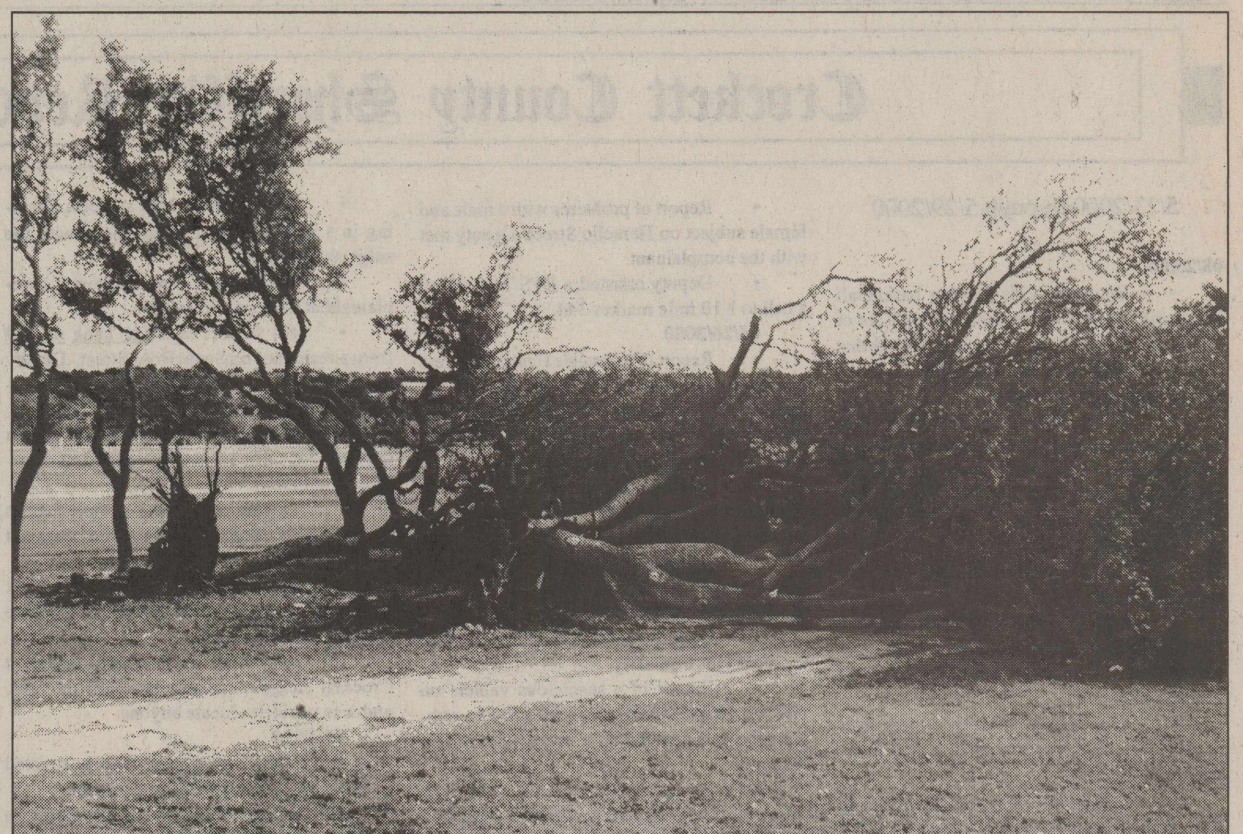
To receive a copy of TDH's brochure "When Minutes Count: A Citizen's Guide to Medical Emergencies," Contact the TDH Bureau of Emergency Management at 1100 W. 49th St., Austin 78756 or call 512-834-6700.



THIS LIGHT POLE was snapped like a twig at the Pool yard north of Ozona during the May 27 storm. Photo by Scotty Moore



THE MOBILE HOME OF CLARA AND LAZARO OLIVAREZ lost its roof during the May 27 storm. Photo by Scotty Moore



THE MAY 27 STORM UPROOTED THESE ENORMOUS LIVE OAK TREES at the Ozona Country Club. Photo by Scotty Moore

### Letters to the Editor

Dear Scotty and Linda,  
Here is my subscription renewal from wonderful Montana. I have a request to ask you -

The pony express must have changed from horses to mules. It takes at least 14 days to get here. Please change back. Ha, Ha.  
Carl Thurman

Scotty and Linda,  
I love to keep up with the news from where I still consider my home town - Ozona.  
Gem Stokes

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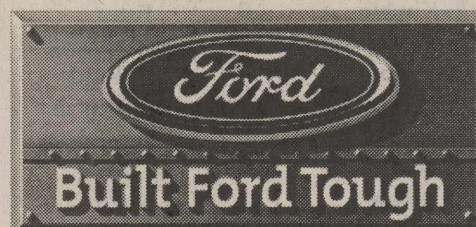
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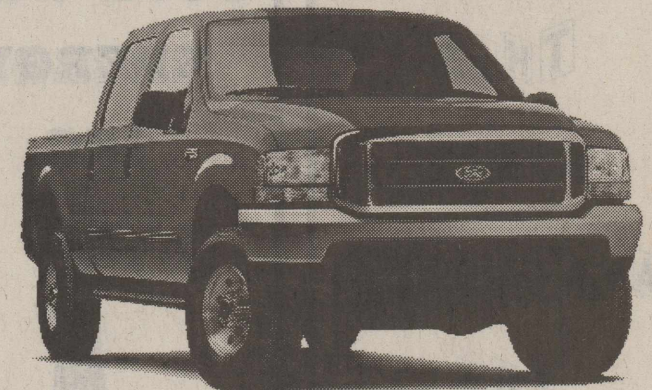


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## Crockett County Sheriff's Report

5/23/2000 through 5/29/2000

05/23/00

Report of kids playing basketball late hours of the evening, and making a lot of noise on Nashua Street. Deputy reported that kids were advised of the complaint and they would keep the noise down.

#1-Report of a 911 hang up call. Deputy reported that it was a citizen at a ranch trying to call to Mexico. Deputy advised the subject to tell the 911 operator what he was doing and not to hang up.

05/24/00

Deputy assisted an EMS unit on a call to AA Street.  
#2-Report of a 911 hang up, call from a residence on Besente Street. Deputy reported that it was some kids that dialed the wrong number.

Deputy responded to a local store on Ave. E in reference to problems with juveniles at the store.  
#3-Report of a 911 hang up call from a residence on Ave. M. Deputy reported that it was kids on the telephone that had dialed the wrong number.

A report of vandalism at a residence on Mulberry Drive. Deputy met with the complainant and took information about the incident from the complainant.

05/25/00

Deputy assisted a stranded motorist that was out of gas on I-10 mile marker 351.  
Report of a piece of lumber on the road on I-10 mile marker 341. Deputy removed it from the road.

Deputy took a stolen property report from a subject on the 1300 Block of Ave. F.  
Deputy took a harassment report from a subject at the Sheriff's Office.

Deputy assisted the probation officer with a visit to a subject that is on probation.

Report of an alarm going off at a business on Ave. E. Deputy reported that the alarm was set off by a store employee. All okay.  
Deputy was dispatched to the truck stop to check the status of a truck driver. Deputy reported that the truck driver was gone on his arrival.

Report of problems with a male and female subject on Heraclio Street. Deputy met with the complainant.

Deputy assisted a DPS Trooper on a call to I-10 mile marker 344.

05/26/2000

Report of a possible fight in progress on Besente and Mariana Street. Deputy reported that the subjects involved were gone from the area on his arrival, and witnesses were refusing to give names of persons involved.

Deputy met with a complainant in reference to damage done to some windows at a business on Ave. H.

Report of an alarm at a school building on Ave. D. Deputy reported that a coach in the building had set off the alarm. All okay.

Deputy assisted on a funeral escort to Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Report of a suspicious vehicle on Ave. H. Deputy located and identified a subject who was arrested on a warrant out of San Antonio.

Report of a subject on a dirt bike riding recklessly in a draw. Deputy spoke with the subject involved.

Report of a subject that threw a beer can at another subject. Deputy met with the subjects involved and took a report of the incident.

Deputy took a report of telephone harassment from a subject on 12th Street.

05/27/2000

Report of a possible prowler at a residence on 12th Street. Deputy reported that it was the spouse of an ex-employee demanding money owed to her husband. All okay.

Report of a subject that was threatened by other subjects at the apartments on Highway 163 South. Deputy escorted a subject and his friends out of town.

Deputy met with a complainant in reference to a female that stated that a male subject had her vehicle and she wanted it returned.

Report of a subject driving recklessly on War Admiral Street. Deputy reported that the subject was identified and advised to park the vehicle.

Report of an alarm at the high school building. Deputy reported that everything was okay.

Report of a power line that was down due to strong winds on Hillcrest Drive. Deputy had the Sheriff's Office call W.T.U.

Report of a trampoline that was picked up by strong winds and was caught on some power lines on Man O' War Street. Deputy reported no severe damage; however electricity was out for several hours.

Deputy assisted a DPS Trooper on a call of a vehicle that ran into a residence on 16th Street.

Report of a driver in a van driving recklessly on Chandlerdale West. Deputy reported the van was located parked at a residence on Corto Street.

Report of a driver driving recklessly on Chandlerdale West. Deputy was unable to locate the vehicle involved.

05/28/00

Report of a possible prowler at a residence on 14th Street. Deputy arrested a local male subject for public intoxication.

Deputy assisted a subject with a courtesy transport to a local garage.

Report of two male subjects urinating in a public place. Deputy spoke with the subjects involved.

Deputy took a report from a complainant at the local fire station.

#4-Report of a 911 hang up call from a residence on Santa Rosa Street. Deputy reported that it was kids playing with the telephone.

Deputy met with a complainant at the Sheriff's Office and took a report of disorderly conduct.

Deputy met with a complainant at the Sheriff's Office and took a report of assault family violence.

Report of a pack of coyotes at Crockett Heights. Deputy was unable to locate any coyotes in the area.

Report of a possible prowler at Crockett Heights. Deputy searched the area, and was unable to locate anyone.

05/29/00

911 medical call. Deputy assisted an EMS unit on a call to Ramos Street.

Report of an alarm at a business on Ave. E. Deputy reported that someone at the business had forgotten the code. All okay.

Report of damage done to a parked vehicle on 5th Street. DPS Trooper issued a blue form to the owner of the vehicle involved.

Deputy delivered an emergency message to a subject at the 800 block of 5th Street.

Deputy met with a complainant at the 100 Block of Yucca Lane and took a report of damage done to a vehicle.

Deputy met with a complainant in reference to an 18-wheeler being parked near her driveway. Deputy advised the complainant that the truck was legally parked on the street.

Report of a brother and sister yelling at each other on the 100 Block of Man O' War Drive. Deputy reported that the subjects were arguing over money. Deputy took the male subject to his residence. All okay.

Report of an alarm at the primary school. Deputy reported that it was a teacher in the building. All okay.

Report of a disturbance at a residence on Walnut Drive. Deputies reported that the subjects involved were gone from the area on their arrival.

### ARREST REPORT

5/23/2000 through 5/29/2000

05/23/2000 Roman, Danny, age 39, of Ozona was arrested by a Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of terroristic threat. Subject posted a bond and was released.

05/25/2000 Ribbontrop, Daniel John Jr. age 20, of Arizona was arrested by a DPS Trooper on charges of possession of marijuana and possession of a controlled substance. Subject posted a bond and was released.

05/25/2000 Garza, Gustavo Reinberg Jr. age 28, of Ozona was transferred from a Tx. Dept. of Corrections Unit by Sheriff's Deputy on a bench warrant. Subject was released the next day on court ordered shock probation.

05/26/2000 Killough, Bruce, age 17, of San Antonio was arrested by a Sheriff's Deputy on a Bexar County warrant for criminal mischief probation violation. Subject posted bond and was released.

05/26/2000 Courtois, Cedrick Fabrice, age 28, of Houston was ar-

rested by a Sheriff's Deputy on a warrant for fraud out of Georgetown. Subject paid a fine and was released.

05/26/2000 Gomez, Claudia Luna, age 23, of Ozona was arrested by a Sheriff's Deputy on a local warrant for theft by check. Subject posted a bond and was released.

05/27/2000 Honea, David Lynn, age 38, of Ozona was arrested by a Sheriff's Deputy for traffic warrants out of Irion county. Subject posted PR bonds and was released.

05/27/2000 Gonzales, Bobby Joseph, age 27, of El Paso was arrested by a DPS Trooper on charges of driving while intoxicated and driving while license suspended. Subject posted bonds and was released.

05/27/2000 Douglas, Clifford Allen, age 47, of San Antonio turned himself in to the Sheriff's Office to serve court ordered time for a DWI charge. Subject served his time and was released.

05/27/2000 Galvan, Jose Marcos, age 21, of La Feria was arrested by a DPS Trooper on a charge of possession of a prohibited weapon. Subject posted a bond and was released.

05/28/2000 Galindo, Reynaldo K. age 18, of Ozona was arrested by a Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of driving under the influence by a minor. Subject plead not guilty in J.P. court, posted a PR bond and was released.

05/28/2000 Lozano, Romulo Arturo, age 24, of Ozona was arrested by a Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of public intoxication. Subject plead guilty in J.P. court and was given until June the second to pay his fine and was released.

05/28/2000 Green, Gerald Allen, age 38, of Houston was arrested by a DPS Trooper on warrants out of Galveston County. Subject remains in county jail awaiting transfer to Galveston.

### REPORTS

5/23/2000 through 5/29/2000

05/25/2000 A report of theft was filed by a citizen on Ave. F in reference to a hammock that was taken from a residence. Investigation continues at this time.

05/26/2000 A report of criminal mischief was filed by a business owner on Ave. H in reference to windows that were broken at his place of business. Investigation continues on this incident.

05/26/2000 A report of assault was taken from a citizen on 12th Street in reference to a beer can that was thrown at him and the contents landed on his three year old daughter. Deputy continues to gather information on this incident.

05/27/2000 A report of theft was filed by a citizen on Taylor Box Road in reference to license plates that were taken off a vehicle while it was parked at the truck stop. Investigation continues at this time.

05/28/2000 A complaint of disorderly conduct was filed by a citizen in reference to a male subject that is using profane language towards her. Charges and warrant will be pending.

05/28/2000 A complaint of assault family member was filed against a male subject. Charges and warrant will be pending.

05/29/2000 A report of criminal mischief was filed by a citizen on Yucca Lane in reference to damage done to a parked vehicle. The amount of the damage is unknown at this time and the investigation continues.

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

### Weekly Rig Count

May 26, 2000

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DIST. #7C	DIST. #8	DIST. #8A	
Coke 0	Andrews 2	Bailey 0	
Concho 0	Brewster 0	Borden 0	
Crockett 2	Crane 2	Cochran 1	
Irion 0	Culberson 0	Cottle 0	
Kimble 0	Ector 2	Crosby 0	
McCullough 1	Glasscock 1	Dawson 1	
Menard 0	Howard 3	Dickens 0	
Reagan 0	Hudspeth 0	Floyd 0	
Runels 0	Jeff Davis 0	Gaines 7	
Schleicher 0	Loving 1	Garza 1	
Sutton 3	Martin 4	Hale 0	
Terrell 2	Midland 9	Hockley 3	
Tom Green 0	Mitchell 2	Kent 0	
Upton 8	Pecos 4	King 1	
<b>Total Dist. 7C 16</b>	Presidio 0	Lamb 0	
	Reeves 5	Lubbock 0	
<b>NEW MEXICO</b>	Sterling 0	Lynn 0	
Chaves 0	Ward 5	Motley 0	
Eddy 28	Winkler 3	Scurry 1	
Lea 30	<b>Total Dist. 8 43</b>	Terry 2	
Roosevelt 0		Yoakum 3	
<b>Total NM 58</b>		<b>Total Dist. 8A 20</b>	

Total rotary rig count (P.B.-Texas) this week: 137

## Bonilla announces \$7.1 billion in aid for struggling wool and mohair producers

U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla, R-Texas, voted May 25 to invest a total of \$7.1 billion in programs to assist producers' recovery from crop losses this year, and help them purchase crop insurance for next year. Wool and mohair producers will receive payments to help buffer producers from financial damage they suffered during the 1999 marketing year. Wool producers will receive 20 cents per pound sold, and mohair producers will receive 40 cents per pound.

"Our producers are being hit on all sides, suffering from lower market prices. 'dumping' by some foreign governments, and natural disasters such as droughts and flooding, it is vital to our nation's security and well-being that we support our producers and protect our agricultural supply," said Bonilla.

The Agricultural Risk Protection Act includes \$5,466 billion in market

loss payments to producers this year. The remaining \$1.6 billion is being used to strengthen the Federal Crop Insurance Program. and is included within the FY 2001 budget.

"This act makes it easier for producers to get affordable crop insurance, and for the first time allows ranchers to purchase livestock insurance," said Bonilla.

Under the act, the Federal Crop Insurance Program is being revamped to make it easier for producers to apply for insurance. The act allows for greater coverage for producers setting new criteria for weather damage and market values. The legislation also creates new response time requirements so that producers will be more likely to receive the assistance they need in a timely manner.

The bill must now be passed by the Senate and signed by the president.

## Wool included in economic loss payments

Wool producers struggling to survive the lowest wool prices in history will receive some much needed help from the federal government under the Market Loss Assistance Program approved by the United States House and Senate last week.

The assistance was provided in the Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000, which includes \$7.1 billion in emergency spending for commodities. The legislation directs payments for wool producers be available after Oct. 1, 2000, for the 1999 wool clip. About \$11 million is expected to be available for wool and mohair.

"This is helpful news to U.S. producers as wool prices world wide have been desperately low and in many cases the revenue does not even cover shearing expenses. We're grateful Congress has responded to ASI's call to assist U.S. wool producers as they are assisting other commodities," said Cindy Siddoway, president of the American Sheep Industry Association.

In 1999, the average price of wool was just 38 cents per pound, the lowest price in history when adjusted for inflation. As the 2000 shearing season gets underway, about one-third of the 1999 clip (which totaled 46.5 million pounds) remains unsold due to low prices nationally and internationally. More than 26,000 sheep producers have been forced out of the indus-

try since 1993 because of cheap lamb imports and low wool prices.

## Food irradiation considered safe

With summer's arrival, irradiated ground beef will be arriving for the first time at grocery stores. According to food safety researchers at Texas A&M University, it's as safe as eating food cooked in your microwave. Center for Food Safety director Elsa Murano says irradiation is not a bad thing, it just has a negative connotation to people who don't know what it is. Irradiation uses energy similar to that of microwave ovens, but with shorter wavelengths and higher energy.

Murano says the benefits of irradiation are increased food safety, deinfestation, and an extended shelf life.

Ground beef may spoil in three to five days, but if it is irradiated, it can last as long as 30 days. Products that have been irradiated carry a symbol called the radura, a green circle with a symbol similar to a flower inside. Irradiation has been approved by many health organizations, including the American Medical Association, the institute of Food Technologies and the World Health Organization.

## Conservation and Reinvestment Act of 1999 passes House in May

The U. S. House of Representatives passed HR 701, the Conservation and Reinvestment Act of 1999, earlier in May. A vote by the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee is scheduled for June 14 on the companion bill, S. 25.

Liberty Matters Action Alert, a publication funded by the American Land Foundation, reports that CARA would take more than \$3 billion a year from off shore oil and gas revenue and place it in the Land and Water Conservation Fund. This would all be done "off-budget" until year 2015.

According to LMAA, the top 10

flaws of the bill are:

1. CARA does not protect against condemnation.
2. CARA does not prevent federal agencies from impacting adjacent private land.
3. CARA provides mechanisms to get around the so called willing seller requirement.
4. The limited protections do not extend to state government acquisitions.
5. Water rights are not adequately protected.
6. CARA will destroy the economic stability of rural America.
7. CARA allows state protections of species to become broader than those under the ESA.
8. CARA gives money to non-government organizations opposed to property rights.
9. Expeditures to implement CARA attack the "Surplus" and threaten trusts like Social Security.
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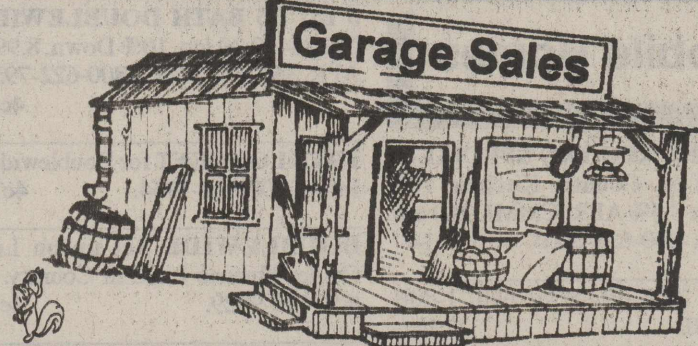
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#### BID NOTICE Athletic Supplies/Equipment and Gasoline Products

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District is requesting bids for athletic supplies and equipment and gasoline products (regular/unleaded and diesel) for the 2000-2001 school year. Bids will be taken until 1:00 p.m., June 14, 2000. Please mark your bid envelope as follows: **SEDALED BID**. Bids received after that date will be returned unopened. Bids received without a signature will not be accepted.

Multiple bid awards may be made. Crockett County Consolidated Common School District reserves the right to accept and/or reject any and all bids and to make purchases as they may appear advantageous to the district. Please contact Steve Taylor, Athletic Director; Pete Maldonado, Bus Maintenance Supervisor; or Cynthia Hokit at the superintendent's office for additional information. Telephone 915/392-5501. 2c16

#### CAUSE NO. 953 ESTATE OF EDWARD PRESTON COLLETT DECEASED IN THE COUNTY COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS PUBLISHED NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary for the Estate of EDWARD PRESTON COLLETT, Deceased, were issued on May 3, 2000, in Cause Number 953, pending in the Probate Court of Crockett County, Texas, to WILL SAMUEL COLLETT, Executor. The residence of the EXECUTOR is in Ozona, Texas, and the

mailing address is:  
Estate of EDWARD PRESTON COLLETT  
WILL SAMUEL COLLETT, EXECUTOR  
c/o Elizabeth W. Wallace, Atty.  
410 S.E. Crockett  
Sonora, Texas 76950

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and manner prescribed by law. DATED the 19th day of MAY, 2000.

ELIZABETH W. WALLACE  
Attorney for EXECUTOR  
410 S.E. Crockett  
Sonora, Texas 76950  
(915) 387-6551  
(915) 387-6554 FAX  
State Bar No. 21683550 1c17

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The bids will include a copy of the most current available posted terminal price. Bidding instructions and specifications may be obtained by contacting the County Auditor's Office, Courthouse Annex, Ozona, Texas.

Each bid envelope should be marked (FUEL). Any bid received after stated opening time will not be considered and will be returned unopened. Bids should be mailed or given to John Stokes, County Auditor, Box 989, Ozona, Texas 76943. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.  
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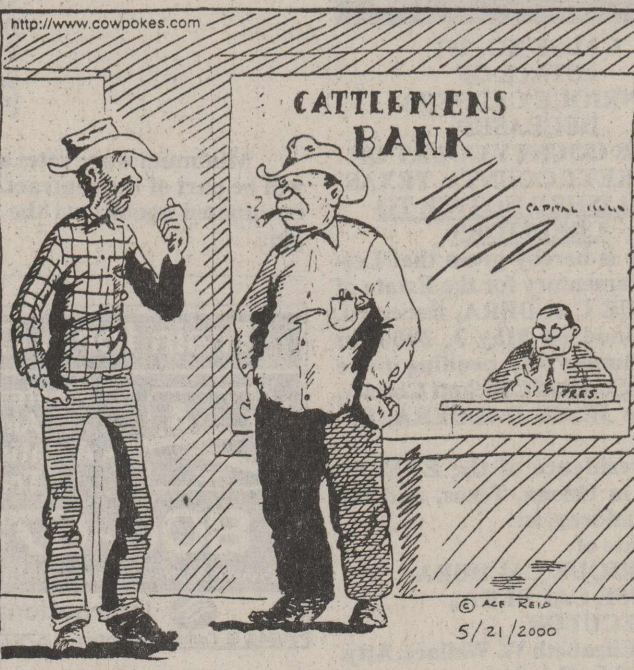
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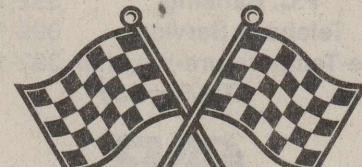
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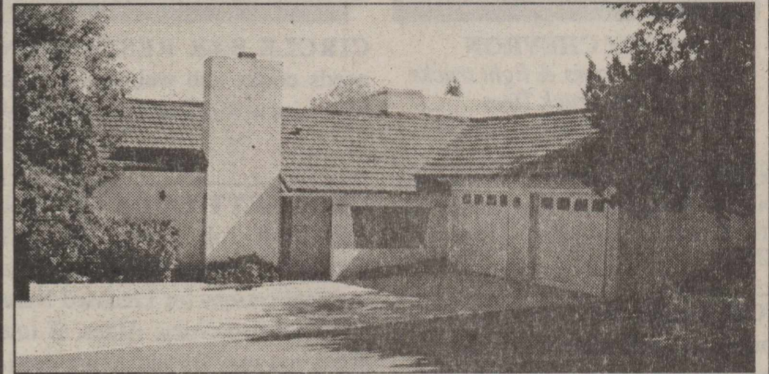
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CAUSE NO. 951 ESTATE OF ENRIQUE CALDERA DECEASED

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS PUBLISHED NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ENRIQUE CALDERA, Deceased, were issued on May 3, 2000, in Cause Number 951, pending in the Probate Court of Crockett County, Texas, to JESSE CALDERA, Executor.

The residence of the EXECUTOR is in Ozona, Texas, and the mailing address is:

Estate of ENRIQUE CALDERA, JESSE CALDERA, EXECUTOR c/o Elizabeth W. Wallace, Atty. 410 S.E. Crockett Sonora, Texas 76950

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 19th day of MAY, 2000.

ELIZABETH W. WALLACE Attorney for EXECUTOR 410 S.E. Crockett Sonora, Texas 76950 (915) 387-6551 (915) 387-6554 FAX State Bar No. 21683550 1c17

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Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or District Offices listed below. Bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available at reproduction companies in Austin, Texas at the expense of the contractor.

NPO: 558

State Office

Construction Division 200 E. Riverside Dr. Austin, Texas 78704 Phone: 512-416-2540

District Office(s)

San Angelo District District Engineer 4502 Knickerbocker Rd. San Angelo, Texas 76904 Phone: 915-944-1501

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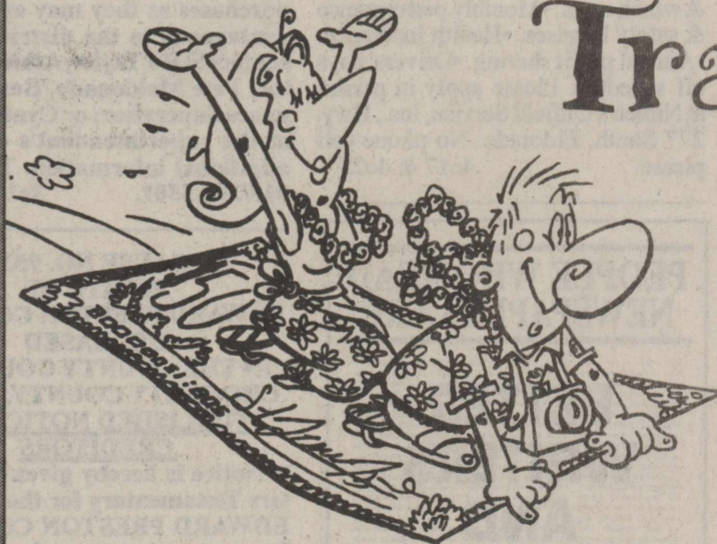
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