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## ROSS AND GOOD CHAMPIONSHIP TO SENTENCED LOUIS JONES

The trial at Lubbock of Tom Ross and Milt Good, charged of the killing of Cattle Inspectors Allison and Roberson, has been in progress several weeks, and created much interest, because of the prominence of the principals.

Tom Ross was tried first for the killing of Allison, and was given a 35-year sentence. Good was then placed on trial for the same offense, and his penalty was affixed at 26 years. Both men stand charged with killing of Inspector Roberson, but it is thought that they will not be brought to trial unless some unforeseen happening necessitates such action.

Many prominent people of this section were called as witnesses in the cases, among them being James Cornell, formerly district judge of this district, a witness for the State; B. J. McDowell, postmaster at Del Rio, former U. S. marshal and Cus-Ad Harvick, of Ozona, former cattle inspector, who had associated much with Roberson and testified as to his good character.

## JOHN F. ROBINSON RESIGNS

John F. Robinson, well-known to Ozona citizens, having been for many years secretary of the Del Rio Chamber of Commerce, has resigned from that organization to accept the secretaryship of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association of Texas. However, he will continue as secretary for the Del Rio Chamber of Commerce until business now on hand is completed.

The loss to the Del Rio chamber of commerce is considerable since Mr. Robinson has always been a livewire of the livestock sort, and has been responsible in a large measure for the present greatness of Del Rio. But the gain of the Association is equally great, and far more important, since the work of the Association affects a much larger number of people.

Mr. Robinson was in Ozona at the time of the big celebration, and made short address to the people, in which he stated that he was entering the work of the Association from a desire to mingle with and assist the greatest organization of people on earth. In his address he spoke about the good being accomplished by the Association, and yet to be accomplished. It is his earnest desire to prove of some material benefit to the sheep and goat raisers of this section.

Mr. Robinson's office will be in Del Rio but he will spend a large part of the time in the field in the interest of the members of the Association, seeking whom he may assist, and it is his desire that all members in need of anything call upon him for assistance.

In the course of his address, Mr. Robinson laid stress upon the great good and the unusual character of the work now being done by the association, a work which he believes is second to none in importance. He pledged himself to aid in securing appropriate and much-needed legislation, so that the Sheep and Goat Industry shall continue to grow in importance.

Henry Bunger and wife and two sons, Fred and Oscar, Mrs. Fred Bunger and Miss Antonio Schultzer, all of Eden, were in Ozona during and after the big celebration, guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bunger. Henry is a brother to G. L. Bunger.

The Ozona celebration might not have been attended by as large crowds as were present at similar affairs in other places in this section—and probably was not—due, no doubt to the fact that the other places made earlier preparations for their celebrations—but the Ozona celebration had one attraction which the others did not have—a goat roping contest to decide the championship of West Texas.

After the usual contest had been held on the second day, a contest was matched between Walter Babb, of Pandale, and Louis Jones, of Christoval, both expert ropers, and thought by some to be two of the best ropers in the United States.

The plan of the contest was to have each man rope ten goats and the one who made the best time would be adjudged champion of West Texas. Babb was handicapped slightly, due to the fact that he did not have his own horse, and was compelled to use another horse, a fact which some of those who saw the contest believe to be responsible for his loss of the championship. But the ropers were so evenly matched that the winner was not picked before the close of the match.

Knowing that the result of this contest will prove of interest to Stockman readers and others, we have secured the official record of the roping, giving the time made on each goat and the average time made on the ten goats. It is given in full below.

BABB	JONES
13 3-5	15 4-5
16	14 3-5
12 3-5	14 4-5
14 4-5	21
13 3-5	16
20 1-5	10 1-5
18 1-5	14 3-5
20 3-5	13 2-5
12 4-5	16 3-5
16 22-25	Average 14 9-10

Jones won the championship—a margin of 9 4-5 seconds, an extremely small margin considering the number of goats that were roped.

## SERIES GOES TO ROCKSPRINGS

The last of the three-game baseball series was played with Rocksprings last Friday afternoon, and proved to be a better game than the one of the day before. As was usual throughout the series, however, many errors marked the game, both teams making an equal number five.

Bunger pitched the third game of the series, and was given better support than in the first game.

The first inning of the game was scoreless, neither side being able to put a run across. Ozona got away to a lead in the second when Payne scored on his first time at bat. This one run lead was maintained until the first half of the fourth, when hits bunched by Rocksprings players resulted in three runs, making the score 3 to 1 in the visitors favor. In the last half of the same frame, however, Ozona came back strong, and netted three more runs, made by Payne, Powell and Rex Russell and the game was cinched.

Rocksprings was unable to put another run across, three being the sum total garnered by the visitors.

In the last half of the sixth inning, Payne, catcher for Ozona, brought in another run, his third for the game and the game

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closed 5 to 3 in Ozona's favor.

Although Ozona was unfortunate enough to lose the big end of the series to Rocksprings, the first two games going to that team, the loss being due to numerous errors on the part of the local nine, it is only fair to say that the games were interesting, and, aside from a couple of arguments of no importance, everything passed off smoothly and everybody in Ozona is convinced of the clean sportsmanship shown by the visitors. Winning or losing, it is a pleasure to play any sort of game with Rocksprings, and right now is a good place to express the feeling of the majority of the people of Ozona—that in Claud Gilmer, Rocksprings has one of the fairest and most sportsmanlike baseball players that has ever visited Ozona. Clean in his playing, generous, and a total lack of grouching, has won the esteem of all the baseball fans in this town.

Below is given a general outline of the last game of the series, with the score by innings. An effort was made to secure similar summaries for the other games of the series, but we were not fortunate enough to do so. At any rate, all these games played during the celebration were highly interesting and afforded much entertainment for visitors.

Rocksprings AB H R E

Babb, 3b	4	2	1	1
Newsom, p	4	0	1	1
Gilmer, c	4	1	1	0
Woods, ss	4	0	0	2
Placker, 2b	4	1	0	0
Carson, cf	4	1	0	1
Stewart, lf	3	0	0	0
Breeding, rf	3	0	0	0
Brown, 1b	3	1	0	0

OZONA AB H R E

F. Russell, ss	4	0	0	0
Huebner, rf	4	0	0	1
V. Cox, cf	4	0	0	0
Powell, 1b	4	1	1	2
Payne, c	4	3	3	0
R. Russell, 3b	4	2	1	0
Weaver, lf	4	0	0	0
Grimmer, 2b	3	1	0	2
Bunger, p	3	0	0	0

Rocksprings 000 300 000—3

Ozona 010 301 000—5

Summary: Runs, Babb Newsom, Gilmer, Powell, Payne 3, R. Russell; errors, Babb, Newsom Woods 2, Carson, Huebner, Powell 2, Grimmer 2; left on bases, Rocksprings 3, Ozona 5; struck out, Newsom 3, Bunger 5.

New Officers Elected.

E. Keyes Fawcett, of Del Rio, was elected president of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, with Duwain E. Hughes, of Mertzon, first vice-president, and Hal Hamilton, of Del Rio, second vice-president T. A. Kincaid of Ozona was appointed as one of the executive committee.

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We've got what you need, and you've got what we want. Let us have your subscription to The Stockman.

World threatened with another Ice Age. Personally, we would welcome the change, at least for the next couple of months.

Many social affairs are unreported in this town, simply because we can get no report on them. We can't attend these social functions, and those who do attend them fail to send in a write-up. We have no way to force those who give the functions to send in an account of what was done, yet the majority of the readers of the paper expect to find a full account of every social affair in Ozona. Why not co-operate with us in gathering the news? It will improve the paper, and will be a welcomed change to those friends and relatives of yours to whom you are sending the paper. Let's work together.

Our issue of last week was rotten with errors. We don't need to be told about it to be aware of it. We have only one Kuzn Bill would say that too much tequila was a contributing factor. While not admitting that such is the case, we will say that we took off entirely too much time while the celebration was in progress, and had a last-minute rush on our hands in order to get the paper out on schedule time. We are asking those who are concerned in the glaring errors to consider the source. If it is desirable to make any corrections, please let us know, and we will gladly to the best we can to make things right.

From a reading of the various exchanges coming to this office, it seems the livestock industry in this section is very prosperous, and many good sales are being made. But all the reports all show that a good general rain is needed. Also many counties have had heavy local showers the past few days, all the rains that have fallen in this section would be about enough for Crockett county. Unless a good general rain falls soon in this section, the supply of winter feed will be greatly decreased, and ranchmen will be faced with the necessity of feeding heavily this winter, all at the present time there is no shortage of range.

July is the usual time selected by progressive merchants everywhere to put on a sale to clean up their stock of goods left over from the previous winter and spring. Unless they are sold, the merchant is faced with the necessity of carrying their winter and spring stock of goods over through the summer and autumn, which ties up his money and prevents him from being able to restock with seasonable stocks of merchandise. This summer, or July clearance sale is the rule in every progressive town, and is followed by every progressive merchant. Ozona is different from other towns in that it has little, if any, competition. They work together. But every merchant has a stock of goods, either unseasonable or slow-selling, which he could dispose of by the use of a little judicious advertising. Why not get rid of the objectionable line of goods? If the merchant can sell the goods at cost, and get his money back, it is a sign of good business judgment. Let Printers Ink sell your stuff.

Orville Word was a San Angelo visitor the latter part of last week, going up to take his daughter, Miss Edith, who is attending summer school at that place.

**About Last Week's Church Article**

Mrs. Sam Smith informs the editor of The Stockman that a number of mistakes are to be found in the writeup of the Ozona churches in the issue of last week as written by Miss Lena Carson. We are not responsible for mistakes found in these articles, but in justice to the readers of this paper, and with due apologies to the writer of the article in question, we will try to correct some of the most obvious errors, and referring you to Mrs. Smith as our authority. In the article appearing in the issue of last week, the statement was made that the Methodist church was the first to be organized in Ozona. According to Mrs. Smith the Baptist church was the first to be organized, although both were organized in the same year.

Mrs. Smith says that names of the persons organizing the two churches were not given correctly, and in the case of the Methodist church, Mrs. Odom had a leading part. An investigation of the books of the various churches will show anyone interested the persons who had a leading part in organizing the churches of Ozona.

These articles are printed at the request of the Civics Class of 1923 of the Ozona High School and are in no manner the opinions, views or assertions of the editor of The Stockman. They are published with a view to informing the outside world of the progressiveness and accomplishments of Ozona, and any error in them is not due to a desire to misrepresent the question being dealt with. Any error found in these articles should be placed to the credit of lack of information.

It has been forcibly brought to the attention of this writer that newspaper editors are not the only persons who are prone to make glaring mistakes, as is shown by the fiasco made out of the proposed Constitutional amendment which was to have been voted upon the last Saturday in this month. It would seem to us that those who have been chosen to fill the most important positions in the government of the State should be sufficiently well informed to avoid making such blunders as was made in handling the proposed amendment. If the person responsible for the proper publicity of the proposed amendment was rightly informed, and it is inconceivable that he should not be, then the circumstances surrounding and growing out of the attorney general's ruling, is to be blamed only to carelessness of the worst sort.

According to the proclamation of the Secretary of State, the proposed amendment has been made null and void on account of the failure of the Secretary of State to provide for publication of the proposed amendment in the papers of the State at the proper time. The publication of any proposed amendment must be made three months, at least, prior to the date of the election called for. The Constitution of the State is very plain in the matter. Since the election was set for the last Saturday in July, the amendment in this instance should have been sent in to publishers some time during April, whereas, the amendment was not sent out until the 4th of June.

Another provision of the Constitution is to the effect that an amendment must be authorized by a regular session of the Legislature, which, according to report, precludes any possibility of an election on the highway amendment until 1925.

Fairbanks-Morse Engines and Alamo Pump Jacks on hand at Chris Meinecke's. Investigate the prices before going elsewhere.

**FORMER OZONIAN KILLS SELF**

The turning of a gallery step beneath him and the slamming of a door, discharging a 30-30 rifle which he was presumably dragging by the barrel behind him, caused the death late last Wednesday, July 4th, of Charles P. Broome, 49, prominent San Angelo ranchman, and formerly a resident of Ozona. The accident occurred on his ranch 12 miles from San Angelo.

Roy Ray and Atlee McCleery, ranch hands, were at a corral, but only saw Broome's body fall from the steps. The bullet entered the back between the spinal cord and the right side, and passed diagonally through the body, causing instant death. Burial was made the following day in San Angelo.

Mrs. Broome was at Sonora with a sister, Mrs. A. T. Davis, of Wichita, Kans., both guests of Mrs. John Ball, another sister, when her husband was killed.

Other relatives are Mrs. Mittie Broome, of Ozona, mother; Mrs. Josie Couch, of Sheffield, a sister, and two brothers, C. A. Broome, of San Angelo and C. Broome, of Tucson, Arizona.

Chas. P. Broome was born on Aug. 31, 1874, at Lampasas, and in boyhood lived for a number of years with his parents in Ozona. He married Miss Anna De Berry of San Angelo on Feb. 5, 1908. They had no children.

Mr. Broome served two years as a member of the Livestock Sanitary Board of Texas, being appointed by Governor Hobbs on Jan. 24, 1919.

**Biliousness and Constipation.**  
"For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, helping the system to do its work naturally," writes Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala.

**HENDERSONS HOLD REUNION**

Wednesday of this week at the Floyd Henderson ranch was held a family reunion of the Hendersons, at which were present almost every member of the Henderson family, and several invited guests. A chicken supper was served to those present, which was highly enjoyed.

Those present at the reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Henderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson and daughter, Mrs. John Jr. Henderson and children, Mrs. John Hemphill and baby, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Childress and family, Boyd and Warren Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Peters, Mrs. Mary Childress, Lilye Flynn Myers, Mary Sue and Billie Montgomery, and Misses Rachel Schraeder and Floy Clara Stewart.

Mrs. J. F. Baker has returned to her home at Killen after a visit to her sons in Ozona.

Mrs. W. P. Mounce, of Killen, sister to the Baker brothers, has been here on a visit.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.**

The State of Texas  
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Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public outcry at the Court House Door of Crockett County, Texas, on the 7th day of August, 1923, to the highest bidder for Cash One Chevrolet Touring Car, License No. 327-505. This sale is made for the purpose of collecting for repairs and material made and furnished by me on said car by order of C. M. Walters, who deposited said car with me instructing me to make such repairs and furnish said material, promising to pay for same as soon as completed. Said work and material being furnished and completed more than 60 days past, and though often requested, said Walters, though frequently promising to pay same, has neglected to pay same or any part thereof, the original amount being \$44.45 and in addition thereto will be costs of publishing this notice and also costs of storage, such additional costs however, not to exceed \$10.00. Out of the proceeds of such sale I shall retain sufficient to liquidate my said debt, the costs aforesaid, and hold the balance subject to the order of said C. M. Walters.

Dated at Ozona, Texas, this 9th day of July, 1923.

A. E. DELAND.

**Methodist Announcements**  
Morning Worship,  
Sunday School, 9:45,  
Sermon, 11:00.  
Afternoon and Evening,  
Junior Missionary Society, 2:30  
Epworth League, 7:15,  
Sermon, 8:00  
"Lord's Supper," each first Sunday, 11 a. m.  
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**JOKER EVERETT KILLED**

During a storm on last Saturday (June 30, 1923) while out attending to his horse, at about 8 p. m., J. Homer Everett, aged 29 years, 4 months and 8 days, was struck by lightning and instantly killed at his brother's ranch 38 miles northwest of Comstock. The bolt of lightning struck him on the top of the head, ran down his back, tearing off his left boot in its course, and partially burning his clothes and scorching his body. The remains were brought to Del Rio and interred from the residence of his mother, on Monday afternoon.

J. Homer Everett was a highly esteemed and popular young man, whose untimely and tragic death was a shock to all who knew and esteemed him. He served overseas in Co. H, 357th Infantry, 90th Division, was in all the engagements in which the 90th Division participated, and was one of the 13 survivors of his company, which had gone through the hell and horrors of the trenches. He served in Germany after the Armistice until his command was ordered home and demobilized. He straightway returned home and began a new start in life and had just entered upon the path of prosperity when his tragic end came.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. A. D. Everett, two sisters, Claudia and Esther, who reside in Del Rio, five brothers, Joe Thomas and Doc who live near Comstock, Rufe who ranches on the Pecos, and Col who lives near Ozona. Besides these two married sisters survive, Mrs. C. W. Gurley of Del Rio and Mrs. W. D. Louthian. His funeral was largely attended. Rev. Mr. King officiated in a burial service. Deceased was the youngest member of the family. West Texas News.

**Big dinner every Tuesday at Nauerhoy Cafe.**

Miss Ruby Weaver is home on a short vacation from Vivian, La.

Clean beds at the Nauerhoy cafe.

Tom Nolen was a San Angelo visitor last week.

When in from the ranch, sleep at the Nauerhoy Cafe. Clean beds and good breakfast.

Ralph Watson was a business visitor in San Angelo the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp spent the week-end on the Boyd Cox ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hoover and Mrs. W. P. Hoover, accompanied by Mrs. D. B. Dunlap, were visitors in San Angelo this week.

Notice—If you want to send your child to school next year, see The Stockman about getting its room and board.

Joe and Albert Weaver are returning to Foraker, Okla., after a short time spent in Ozona with relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. H. Anderson, of Del Rio, is in Ozona visiting at the home of her brother, Floyd Harrison.

The "42" Club will meet the first Thursday in August with Mesdames Max Schneemann and Joe Oberkamp, at the home of Mrs. Oberkamp.

H. M. Wilson, ranching on the Blue Hills Divide above Comstock, recently purchased 1100 acres of grazing land from his neighbor, J. R. Murrain, paying, it is reported, \$4.50 per acre.

J. S. Todd, of Fort Worth, a large ranch owner of this county, came out this week to give his lands the once-over. He was brought from San Angelo by Tom Nolen, who had been there on business.

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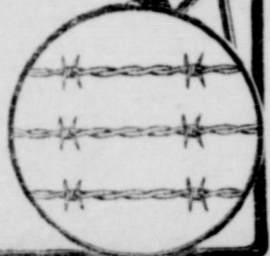
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**Cafe to Close for Few Days**

Hugh Rutledge, proprietor of the Nauerhoy Cafe, has advised The Stockman that he will for the next ten days, close his place of business, on account of the lack of adequate help. In the meantime he will go to San Antonio for purpose of bringing to Ozona a couple of good cooks to work in the cafe. He will reopen the cafe not later than the 20th, and states that by the 1st of September he will be in a position to render much better service to his patrons. Mr. Rutledge wishes to express to all who have patronized him his appreciation of the business, and asks for a continuance of the same in the future.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our most sincere thanks and heartfelt appreciation to the people of Ozona for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our husband, father and grandfather and especially do we thank those who made such beautiful floral offerings, and those who assisted us in the hour of our bereavement. May God's richest blessing rest upon you.

Mrs. P. M. Jones,  
Mrs. B. C. Flowers  
and Children.

Mat Karnes and G. P. Hill, of Sonora, were in the city recently on business.

John Bailey and family returned home last Saturday from a vacation spent in Colorado.

Misses Lorena Stirman and Elsie White of San Angelo, are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Patrick.

Mrs. John Hemphill, formerly Miss Ethel Clayton, and her baby, of San Angelo, are visiting relatives and friends in Ozona.

John Sawyer, wife and baby, and Miss Claffin Cooke, returned from San Angelo the first of the week.

George and A. C. Metcalf are at Big Lake, where they are erecting buildings for the West Texas Lumber Co., who are to open a branch yard in that city.

Victor Pierce was a San Angelo business visitor this week.

Cooper's Tablets for stomach Worm on hand at Meinecke's

Tom Teal, Ozona barber, left this week for a business trip to Fort Worth.

See that Aermotor Windmill at Chris Meinecke's. The kind that oils itself.

Mark Tolliver (Talliaferro) was a visitor in San Angelo this week.

John Shoemaker, foreman of the Howard Roberts ranch above Comstock, accidentally shot himself in the leg with a .45 as he was pulling the gun to shoot a rabbit. Dr. Middlebrook was summoned from Del Rio and administered first aid, later taking Mr. Shoemaker to Del Rio to remove the bullet.

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History of Education in Crockett County. (By Floy clare Stewart)

When Crockett county was organized at the election of July 7th, 1891, it had no school funds except what had been collected by Val Verde county...

Maine. She was a bright scholar, a good teacher, but rather cranky and not very good looking. In the meantime, another school room was erected and furnished, and Miss Mary Hudspeth, who is now Dean of Women in the West Texas State Teachers' College at Canyon, was principal. She was a success, and was retained for the next year. Then, as the school grew in attendance, other rooms were built and many different teachers were employed, among the best being Professors Jones, Boykin, Sparkman, who is now with Baylor University, and Johnson, who is now with the West Texas State Teachers' College, Spell, E. W. Martin and J. S. Pierce. There were also several other good principals and very many excellent teachers, including among others Minnie Olsen Mauldin, Minta Miller Hallecomb, Ora Parker Shipley, J. W. Merchant and his wife, all of whom taught before J. B. Smith, now with the Braly schools, became superintendent, and was employed from 1911 to 1919. It was during the professorship of J. B. Smith that the Ozona school was graded and affiliated with the State University. In 1909 the present Ozona school building was started and was completed in time for the 1911 school term. The plan of the building was taken from the high school building in Bridgeport, Conn., although using cut stone instead of brick. The plan of the building its head and ventilation, was new to Texas as it was taken and worked out under suggestions found in a course of lectures on school architecture delivered by a noted school architect by the name of Bridge. The heating and ventilating system, also new in Texas had been patented by the same man that patented the Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machine, and is known as the Wheeler system, the heating system being both direct and indirect steam heat. The building is fireproof throughout with no open stairways. This building cost \$85,000, but only \$15,000 of bonds were issued. The idea of the Board was to erect such a permanent building that it would last for generation and by issuing long-time bonds would permit the present generation to use same without being too heavily taxed. At present the Ozona school is classified as an A-1 school. It is affiliated with the State Department of Education, has 3 units in English, 4 in Mathematics, 4 in Natural Science, 3 in Latin, 4 in Manual Training, 2 in Domestic Economy and one in Manual Training, with two units in Spanish and one in Manual Training that are pending, but are unheard from. This school is not only affiliated with the State Department of Education, but also is a member of the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges, which requires that seventy-five per cent of the faculty have a minimum of four years college training. The school building is valued at \$400,000, the grounds at \$4,000, the furniture at \$2,500, the two teacherages at \$7,000, the laboratory at \$1,300, the Home Economics equipment at \$1,000, the Manual Training equipment at \$2,100, and the school libraries at \$1,350, making a total of \$119,250. The present enrollment for the first six grades is one hundred and thirty-four, and for the high school seventy-eight, making a total of two hundred and twelve. In the high school the faculty must have a minimum of four years college training. The elementary teachers are required to have minimum of one year normal or college training for teachers already in service with the requirement that they go to school in summer until a minimum of two years has been established. In securing new teachers, no teacher will be employed with less than two years college or normal training. In 1913, there were three who graduated from the Ozona High School, two of whom have graduated from college. The other one entered college, but did not graduate. In 1914 there were five graduates, one of which took a business course, the others did not enter college. In 1915 seven graduated, three of whom entered college, and one of them graduated. In 1916 there were three graduates, two of whom entered college, but neither of them graduated. In 1917, there were five graduates, one of them took a business course, the others did not go to college. In 1918, there were four graduates, all of whom entered college, but none graduated. In 1919, there were four graduates, two of them entering college, and one of the two will graduate this year. In 1920 there was one graduate, and she entered a Normal, but stayed only one year. In 1921 there were six, all of whom entered college, and all of them are still in college except one. In 1922 there were nine graduates, all of whom entered college except two. At one time there was a District No. 1 school a few miles to the east of Ozona, known as the Dudley school, where Mary Claybourne, now the wife of Congressman Hudspeth, taught. And another school in the Coates neighborhood about 20 miles northwest of Ozona. This latter school was taught one year by Ralph Watson. The Mexican population never attended at the main Ozona School; but since 1910 a free school of six months each year has been given the Mexican population in a one-room school building provided for them near the Mexican suburb. However, for several years it was impossible to secure a teacher for the Mexican school. There is a regular requirement for the teacher. The course of study consists of only such fundamentals as reading, writing and arithmetic, which must be conducted in English.

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Report of the Condition of THE OZONA NATIONAL BANK, at Ozona, in the State of Texas, at the close of business June 30, 1923. RESOURCES. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks and for bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsements of this bank (except those shown in b and c) \$417,496.47

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Ozona Ranchman Buy Sheep The following sales were put through at the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association sale, a fact which shows the progressiveness of Ozona ranchmen.

A Splendid Medicine for the Stomach and Liver. Chamberlain's Tablets for the stomach and liver are splendid. I never tire of telling my friends and neighbors of their qualities," writes Mrs. William Vollmer, Eastwood, N. Y.

PLENTY OF RAIN, PERHAPS Had a good rain to the north of Ozona last Sunday night, on Bruce Drake's range and surrounding country, another good rain Monday night at the same place, and local showers scattered over the county for the past several days.

W. S. Posey, cashier of the First National Bank of Lubbock, and his family, left this morning for home after spending his eleventh consecutive Fourth of July in Ozona at the home of his brother-in-law, J. M. Baggett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pope, of Ponca City, Okla., spent a few days in Ozona, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leg Wilson. They left Tuesday for the mountains of New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson motored thru to Del Rio and they caught the Limited out.

Why Men Don't Wed. Our fair young friend Chlorinda says the failure of some women to get married may be attributed to the fact that they don't stop talking long enough to give a man a chance to propose.—New Orleans States.

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THE CHURCH OF CHRIST Bible Study, Sunday, 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Communion service, 11:45 a. m. Preaching, 8:30 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday night. W. D. BLACK, Minister.

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