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Exes To Homecoming

Schools to Hold Open Parade, Din- Dance Planned

By O. L. Davis, Jr.

Students and former teachers at Ozona schools have been invited to attend the homecoming Friday and Saturday, October 27-28.

The occasion will mark the second annual homecoming celebration for the entire school system which will be open to the public with a "house" the order of the day.

Four classroom buildings, certain of the teacher housing of the system.

Graduates, former students, and those who have passed through the system since the first school organized in Ozona at about 1891 have been invited to return for the homecoming. Besides a tour of the school's buildings, the exes will be honored at a Lion's Club sponsored dinner on Saturday.

June Perner, a senior in high school, will be crowned homecoming queen Saturday in a special assembly program. Last year's homecoming queen, Miss Joan Holt, will pass the crown to Miss Perner. During the royal court will be Darrene Thompson, Ruth Kay Kirby and Elva Vi.

The queen was chosen by a vote of the student body. Floats prepared by local firms and others will be paraded by bands from neighboring schools in a giant parade Saturday afternoon. The local Parents Association will play a role in the tea after the parade. The homecoming dance will be held that night at the reopened \$50,000 Ozona Community building.

Friday's festivities will be led by what should be one of the top football games of the year for the Ozona High School — against the Junction High Eagles. The game will be held under the lights Friday at Lion Field.

Invitations by Mrs. Max Schneemann, president of the Ozona Public Schools Ex-Students' Association, committees have been working several months on the homecoming plans. Committee chairmen include: J. M. Baggett, president; V. O. Earnest, J. A. Pelto, secretary; Sheriff's posse, parade; Davis, Jr., publicity; Mrs. Harvick, invitations; P. T. A., Boyd Clayton, dance; Alan Adams and Mrs. Bill Adams, Lions Club, dinner.

Texan and A&M Highlight Schedule

Two important league games — two within the week — are on the schedule for Saturday. The Rice and Texas at Houston game against Texas A&M at 10 a. m. The intersectional meeting between TCU and Memphis, Tennessee, will be held at the University of Mississippi.

Time and Alec Chesser will host the Rice game. The broadcast begins at 5:30 p. m. on stations KRLL, KTRH, Houston; KABC, San Antonio; KTBC, Austin; KRIS as well as several local stations.

The Texas A&M-Baylor game will be called by Ves Box and broadcast from the Bears' new stadium. Broadcast time is 10 p. m. on stations KFJZ, Fort Worth; WRR, Dallas; KRBC, Abilene; KGKI, San Angelo; KBWD, Midland; KBBT, Big Spring; KTCU - Mississippi meeting with Charlie Jordan and Dave Holt at Memphis' Crump Stadium. A 1:50 broadcast on WBBW-FAA-820, Fort Worth-Dallas; KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San

Wildcat Location, Three Failures in Crockett Recorded

J. B. Tubb of Midland has spotted a shallow Crockett county wildcat 25 miles west of Ozona.

His No. 1 University, projected to 2,000 feet with cable tools, will be 330 feet from the south and east lines of the west half of the northwest quarter of section 5-30-U.

C. W. Brown and others No. 1 C. W. Brown-University, wildcat 14 miles north of Ozona, was plugging to abandon at 1,515 feet in blue shale after showing one million cubic feet of gas daily from 1,185 to 1,187 feet. The failure was in section 13-42-University survey.

T & R Drilling Co. No. 1 Stan-olind-University, wildcat 20 miles northeast of Ozona, was plugging to abandon at 855 feet in sandy shale. The failure was in section 11-39-University.

J. T. Anderson and others No. 1 Shannon - Continental, wildcat 14 miles northwest of Ozona, was plugged and abandoned at 1,505 feet in Brown lime. The failure was in section 3-UV-GC&SF.

Crockett wildcats, Magnolia No. 1 Clayton was drilling at 5,838 feet in shale and lime, Weiner No. 1 Mitchell at 6,081 feet in lime and shale.

Mrs. Inez Franklin Of Barnhart Died in Big Lake Hospital

Funeral services for Mrs. Inez Franklin, 55, who died Friday afternoon in a Big Lake hospital, were held at 2 o'clock Monday from the Cox Funeral Chapel in San Angelo.

The Rev. Lynn McAden, apstor of the Merton First Methodist Church, and Rev. Ray Johnson, pastor of the First Methodist Church of San Angelo officiated. Burial was in Lawnhaven Memorial Park.

Mrs. Franklin had lived for the last two years in Barnhart. She was a native of Mumfords, Tenn. The family formerly lived in Ozona, being engaged in the cafe business here. They also formerly also lived in Sheffield.

Palbearers were Rance Brunson, E. C. Tarvin, Ray Boyd, M. T. Edwards, C. A. Perry, Floyd Burks, all of Barnhart; and J. T. Keeton and Ted Maples of Ozona.

Rev. Hickman Speaks On American Home at Woman's Club Meeting

Rev. J. Troy Hickman, pastor of the Ozona Methodist Church, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Ozona Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr. Mrs. S. M. Harvick assisted Mrs. Friend as hostess.

Rev. Hickman spoke on the subject "Each American Home of Today a Workshop for Building Citizens of Tomorrow." The speaker declared that future citizens are being built through the physical, mental and spiritual influence of the home, but warned against the dangers of over direction which stifles personality and the lack of courageous happiness in homes of today.

The club voted to send five dollars to the international Latin-American Scholarship Fund and a \$1 per capita contribution to state headquarters to help defray the expense of the General Federation Convention. The club elected Mrs. P. T. Robison as its delegate to the State Convention in Fort Worth Nov. 14-16.

The club will furnish the bouquet for the Queen of the Homecoming celebration here Saturday.

Mrs. H. T. Lipford, accompanied by Mrs. Neal Hannah, sang "Songs My Mother Taught Me." Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., the president, called attention to United Nations Day. Mrs. Walter Augustine and Mrs. Pascal Northcutt were elected to membership.

Others present were Mesdames John Bailey, Troy Hickman, Joe Pierce, Jr., M. B. Flippen, B. B. Lugham, W. R. Baggett, Ben Lemmons, Stephen Perner, Jack Holt, J. A. Fussell, V. I. Pierce, L. R. Cox, Jr., Charles Williams, Sherman Taylor, and Lowell Littleton.

OHS Lions Blast Bronte 47-6 In Non-Dist. Play

Local Score at Will; Powerful Junction to Invade Friday

Ozona High School Lions won their second start of the current season on the home field last Friday night when they smothered the hapless Bronte Steers 47 to 6 in a non-district tilt.

The Lions found the Bronte defenders' weakness early in the game and Raul Machado racked up the first Ozona touchdown on a pass play from the nine. Alton Smith crashed through the middle for 15 yards for the second. Smith scored again from inches out in the second to bring the score to 20-0 at the half.

Andres Vela set up the fourth Lion touchdown at the opening of the second half by racing 70 yards with Sandusky's kick-off to the Bronte 15. Tom Piner skirted end for the remaining distance and the TD. Vela crashed through for another touchdown minutes later. Gerald Sandusky, outstanding performer for the Bronte eleven, took the Ozona kick-off after TD ducked and darted through the entire Ozona team for 60 yards and Bronte's only score. Sandusky was nearly all of Bronte's offense and defense but he was outnumbered.

In the third quarter, the Lions scored two more. Smith going the last 15 yards and then Virgil Machado went over from the six where Smith had placed the ball on a 35-yard run.

The Lions will play their last home game Friday night. The powerful Junction Eagles, one of the top contenders for District 19-B championship honors, will be the Lions' opponents in the Ozona homecoming game on Lions Field Friday evening. After this week's game, the Lions will go on the road each week-end, in succession to Eldorado, Sonora and Mason.

The Lions this week found themselves in third place in district standing by reason of forfeiture by Menard of its district games because of ineligibility of a player on the Menard team.

Supt. C. R. Brace of the Menard schools called for a meeting of the district executive committee and placed the facts concerning ineligibility under the eight-semester rule of his team's halfback, Elton Hooten. Menard forfeited games to Ozona and Eldorado which the Yellowjackets had won with the ineligible player on the roster. Neither school had protested, the matter being brought up voluntarily by Menard school officials, who had previously checked Hooten's eligibility and thought him eligible.

Speaker Declares Nation's Predicament Now 'Helluva Mess'

"We've gone from one crisis to another since 1932, but what the United States faces today is not a crisis but a helluva mess."

Thus Bob Fielder, a member of the industrial development division of the West Texas Utilities Co. general offices in Abilene, summed up the present situation of the United States in a talk on "his hobby" before the Ozona Rotary Club at its Tuesday luncheon.

"We have fought two wars for freedom's sake and now find ourselves still fighting, and freedom still in mortal danger throughout the world," the speaker said. "We have spent more money in the past five years since the close of the last World War than this nation had spent in all of the last 150 years of its history. We have tried to do everything — we are supporting all the world except that part behind the so-called iron curtain — and some of the governments we are supporting are no better than that of Soviet Russia."

The speaker decried the trend of the present administration in Washington to socialism, and declared, "They call themselves liberals — I call them socialists."

Bob Palmer, 39 Former Ozonan, Killed in Crash

Son-in-Law of Mrs. Wakfield, Dies in Sweetwater Accident

Robert B. Palmer, son-in-law of Mrs. Mabel Wakefield and a former resident here, died at 7:30 this morning in a Sweetwater hospital as the result of injuries suffered about midnight last night in an automobile accident between Snyder and Sweetwater, according to word received by Mrs. Wakefield this morning.

No details of the accident were immediately available. Mrs. Wakefield had just returned from a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, the former Neva Sorrels. Mr. Palmer was preparing to leave Sweetwater for Snyder on a business trip when Mrs. Wakefield left.

Funeral services were to be held today in Sweetwater with final rites at the graveside in Palmer cemetery at Bangs, Texas, the family home. Mrs. Wakefield left this morning to attend the services.

Mr. Palmer is survived by the widow and one daughter, Robby Jo, 9 years old; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Palmer of Bangs; one brother and three sisters. He was proprietor of a machine shop and parts business in Sweetwater and for a time he and a brother, "Stump" Palmer, operated a garage and repair shop here.

Juniors to Give Away Cake Saturday; Sponsor Concessions

The Junior class of Ozona High School announces that it is selling chances on a giant Homecoming cake. Chances may be purchased until the drawing at 2 o'clock Saturday. The cake will be featured during the Homecoming celebration.

Class mothers said that the juniors would operate a concession stand in the city park down town all day Saturday. Cakes, pies and the usual concession products will be on sale.

Mums for the game Friday night and for the festivities Saturday will also be sold by the class.

Money made on these activities will be applied to the fund used for the juniors' banquet and dance in the spring.

San Angelo Symphony Stages First Concert Sunday, October 29

SAN ANGELO. — Orazio, Frugoni, noted European pianist, will be guest artists with the San Angelo Symphony at its first concert of the 1950-51 season Sunday, October 29, at 3:30 p. m.

Under the direction of Dr. Eric Sorantin, the San Angelo Symphony Society will hold its first Sunday afternoon concert. Other afternoon concerts will be held December 10, February 11 and April 2.

Concerts were scheduled for Sunday afternoon to avoid conflicts in schedules of other symphony orchestras. The schedules of professional musicians from throughout the area associated with the San Angelo Symphony necessitated the change.

Frugoni, soloist for the first concert, has repeated his European success since arriving in the United States. His musical education began at the age of nine as a pupil of the famed Italian teacher, Giuseppe Suederi. He was winner of top prizes of the Italian National Contest and the "Prix de Virtuosite."

FORMER OZONAN DIRECTOR UT LAW SCHOOL YEARBOOK

AUSTIN. — Charles E. McDonald formerly of Ozona, has been elected to the board of directors of Pergrinus, law school student yearbook at University of Texas. McDonald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan E. McDonald of Canyon and grandson of Mrs. Charles E. Davidson, Sr., of Ozona.

Lions Club Awards Go to Winners of Fire Prevention Contest

Winners of the Lions Club sponsored Fire Prevention poster contest among Ozona School students were announced yesterday and winners will be guests of the club at its luncheon Tuesday and will receive their prizes.

The fire prevention poster contest, launched during fire prevention week, was open to all school children. First prize to be awarded by the club will be \$10; second prize, \$5, and third prize, \$2.50.

Winner of first prize in the contest was Darrene Thompson. Second prize goes to Hilda Montes, and Jeannene Thompson won third prize. The posters were judged by a committee named by the club.

Bill Cooper, chief of the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department, will outline reasons for and benefits from the annual Fire Prevention Week in Texas and will make the awards to the poster winners.

Rev. J. Troy Hickman, pastor of the Ozona Methodist Church, will address the club on the United Nations Organizations.

Weiner Plans Test On Bean; Sinclair in Midway Lane Area

Ted Weiner and others of Fort Worth has planned a shallow Crockett county wildcat 15 miles northwest of Ozona.

Their No. 1 George Bean, projected to 1,400 feet with cable tools, will be 330 feet from the north, 990 feet from the west line of section 34-UV-GC&SF. Ground elevation is 2,485 feet.

Sinclair No. 8-67 University, projected to 1,600 feet with cable tools in the Midway Lane (Permian) field, will be 1,650 from the south, 1,040 feet from the east line of the south half of section 30-46-University.

South Elementary P. T. A. to Stage Mexican Food Sale

Mexican foods will be offered for sale in the downtown city park Friday afternoon beginning at 4:30 o'clock by members of the South Elementary Parent-Teachers Association, it was announced this week.

Mexican dinners will be served in paper plates, with drinks, in the park or foods will be on sale to be taken home.

Proceeds from the sale will be used by the P.T.A. to correct teeth and eye defects among children of the South Elementary school.

Business Houses to Close for Homecoming Parade Next Saturday

Most Ozona business houses will close Saturday afternoon during the Homecoming parade, it was announced following a conference of merchants early in the week to decide on the holiday closing schedule for the coming months.

The merchants decided to close November 30 in observance of Thanksgiving day. Other closing dates will be announced later.

JEANES HAVE DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jeanes of Weatherford, Okla., are the parents of a daughter, named Janaul, born October 16. Mrs. Jeanes is the former Ruth Townsend, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Townsend of Llano, former Ozonan. Mr. Jeanes is science professor in the senior college at Weatherford, Okla., where he has taught for the past two years. He will complete work toward his Ph. D. degree next summer.

OZONAN GETS PROMOTION

COLLEGE STATION. — Joe Allison Perry, son of Mrs. Gertrude Perry of Ozona, has been promoted to cadet first lieutenant, A. Inf., Texas A. and M. College cadet corps.

Perry is a graduate of Ozona high school. At A. and M. he holds an Opportunity Award scholarship. He is a fourth year student majoring in history and is a distinguished military student.

McIntosh Quits As Superintendent Of Ozona Schools

Board Asks Resignation, Names Principal As Acting Supt.

Jack McIntosh, superintendent of Ozona schools since September, 1948, Monday submitted his resignation effective at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The resignation of the superintendent followed sessions of the school board Sunday night and again Monday. The board asked for the resignation "for the good of the schools and the community" and it was submitted to become effective at the close of the school day Monday.

McIntosh came to Ozona as superintendent of schools in September, 1948, to succeed Claude Denham. He had previously served as superintendent at Merton. His contract as superintendent here was renewed for a two-year period by the school board last Spring and he was serving the first year of his new contract period. The board agreed to pay his salary for the balance of the present school year.

In another meeting of the board Monday night, Meluel Bray, high school principal, was named acting superintendent and for the present will serve in the dual capacity as principal and superintendent.

In meetings of the board prior to the resignation, a Junior High school boy and an Ozona business man were called in for conference by the board.

United Nations Day Observed Here Tuesday

United Nations Day, the fifth anniversary of the birth of the world alliance for peace and understanding, was observed here quietly Tuesday, with United Nations flags, the banner under which American forces are fighting aggression in Korea, flying from school flag poles and service clubs of the city taking note of the anniversary in their programs of the week.

The United Nations flags were presented to the schools and the Latin-American community center by the Christian Social Relations Committee of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, Mrs. R. A. Harrell, chairman.

Note of the United Nations Organization anniversary was taken by pastors of the city from their pulpits and the schools held programs commemorating the event.

Suit For Interest In Oil Rich Land On Trial Here

Mellette Seeks Interest in 800-Acre Uni- versity Lease

Suit for a one-half interest in 800 acres of oil rich land in Crockett county was on trial in 112th district court here this week. A jury is hearing the suit.

The suit was brought by F. D. (Dell) Mallette against the Hudson Oil Co., State Senator Hill D. Hudson and the heirs of the late T. S. Stanfield, Monahans oil operator, a trespasser to try title action and for damages and a one-half interest in and to the oil and gas leasehold estate in and on the following land in Crockett county:

First tract: The south one-half of Sec. 4, Block 30, University lands, containing 320 acres; second tract: the north one-half of Sec. 35, Block 29, University lands, containing 320 acres; and third tract, the Southeast one-fourth of Sec. 35, Block 29, University lands, containing 160 acres.

The suit is based on a claim by the plaintiff that the late Mr. Stanfield made an agreement nearly two years before his recent death to grant him the interest sought in the University lease production.

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SPECIAL — For the next 2 weeks, I will make 2 children's dresses for the price of one (\$2.00) Will be at the News Mart from 2 until 5 each Tuesday afternoon. Bring your materials and pattern. Have several made for your girl.
Mrs. Clifford Hicks, Texas-New Mexico Camp. 28-2c

DAUGHTER TO WOODROWS

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Woodrow announce the arrival of a daughter weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces in the Uvalde hospital, October 21. The Woodrows have one other child, a son, Butch. Mother and daughter are doing nicely.

FOUND — Silver mounted comb in park after carnival. Call for at Stockman.

REGULAR MEETINGS METHODIST CHURCH

Sundays:
9:45 a.m. - Church School for all ages.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship with Sermon.
First Sundays, Communion with Sermon.
3:00 - Board of Stewards each First Sunday.
7:30 p.m. - "Through the Bible."
7:30 p.m. - Youth Fellowship.
First Wednesdays 1 p.m. - W. S. C. S. Luncheon and Program Meeting. Fellowship Hall.
Second and Fourth Wednesdays - W.S.C.S. Circles in Homes as Announced. 9 a.m.
Third Wednesdays 9 a.m. - Program Meeting. Fellowship Hall.
Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal.
Other meetings by announcement.

1951 Mercury With Merc-O-Matic Drive On Display This Week

Kincaid and Spencer, local Mercury dealers, Tuesday placed on display the new 1951 Mercury in their showrooms and unveiled for public showing the automobile industry's newest automatic transmission — the Merc-O-Matic.

Combining a torque converter and a three-speed transmission, the Merc-O-Matic provides the equivalent of a four-speed unit. It has a high degree of flexibility, smooth acceleration, improved high gear performance, and a low axle ratio with resulting lower engine speeds while cruising.

The Merc-O-Matic will be one of three transmissions available on the 1951 Mercury — the others being the standard transmission and standard with Touch-O-Matic overdrive.

Many striking and functional changes have been made in the 1951 Mercury. A new grille and front end trim, new fenders and quarter panels, new bumpers and an extra-large rear window are the principal exterior changes.

The new 1951 Mercury grille has wider bars and a more massive appearance. The bumper has been extended to provide wrap-around protection all the way to the wheel house, and is complimented by an extension to the new grille parking lamp. A new head lamp bezel and a new name plate, placed on a chrome strip just above the grille, complete the new front end.

Even more pronounced are the new rear fenders which have been changed completely, extending in a bold sweep to the extreme end of the car. Large combination tail light and directional signals, outlined in chrome, are other changes in the 1951 model.

A huge rear picture window, 29 per cent larger than in previous models, gives added vision, with over 1,000 square inches of unobstructed glass.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Graham, Houston Smith, E. B. Baggett, Jr., and Bill Cooper were among Ozonans attending the Texas-Arkansas football game in Austin last Saturday.

Reports this week from the bedside of S. M. Harvick, Ozona ranchman, under treatment in a San Angelo hospital, indicated continued improvement.

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Sunshine Circle Meets with Mrs. Cooper

The Sunshine Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. W. D. Cooper.

The devotion was led by Mrs. J. A. Fussell and the study course, "Rural Prospects" was continued by Mrs. Troy Hickman.

The next meeting of the Circle will be November 8 with Mrs. Joe Pierce, III.

Present were Mrs. Ted White, Mrs. R. M. Nugent, Mrs. J. A. Fussell, Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Mrs. Mary Flowers, Mrs. Joe Pierce, III, Mrs. George Montgomery, Mrs. Troy Hickman, Mrs. Bill Conklin, Mrs. John Coates and Mrs. Cooper.

Phone the news to The Stockman.

G. A. CHAPTER MEETS

The Grayson Tennon G. A. Chapter met Monday at the First Baptist Church in weekly meeting with an interesting and enlightening program "Behind the Iron Curtain." The theme of the program

was "Communism and Christianity." The meeting was presided over by the president, Tylman M. Madox, Mrs. H. W. Maddox, in opening prayer. The devotion was given by Mrs. Tennon. Refreshments were served to the teen members.

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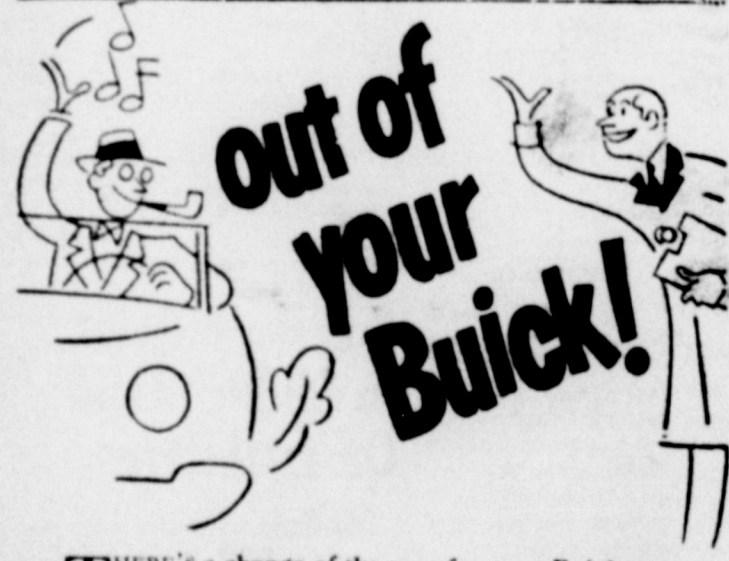
- 3% Discount on all taxes paid in October
 - 2% Discount on all taxes paid in November
 - 1% Discount on all taxes paid in December
- All taxes must be paid by January 1, 1951

The prompt payment of taxes can save you money and save us time by avoiding a last-minute rush.

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There's a change of the year for your Buick, too, stalwart as it is! Hot summer driving has taken its toll—in played-out lubricants, spark timing that may have slipped off a notch or two over the many miles, a carburetor that would probably give you better mileage and snap if it were properly adjusted now for fall driving.

Point is—your Buick will feel a lot friskier in the trying days to come if you let your Buick dealer get those summer kinks out of its system now! Just drive in—say you want (1) a fall tune-up and (2) a regular Lubricare—and see how much rewarded you are, for a small fee!

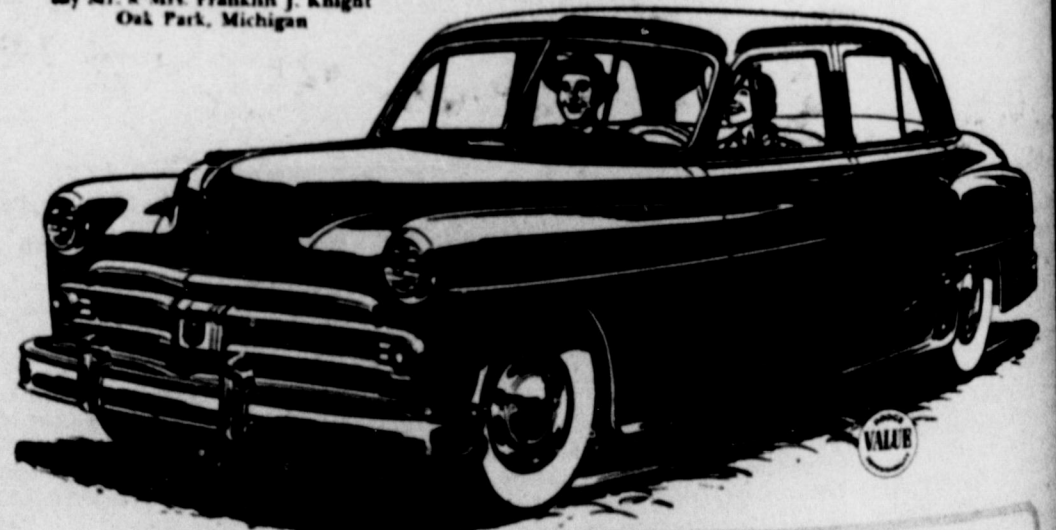
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Thought for the Week

By J. Troy Hickman

SALT OF THE EARTH

Master once said to His disciples: "You are the salt of the earth. There is a sense in which salt is a perishable commodity. In a house which has no salt, the salt will run out, and the house will fall into shambles, so a life with no inspiration will be a mere existence. And a life of persons without the influence of a few good individuals tends to disintegrate. There must always be an upward trend. There must be an unceasing flow of fresh water pouring into a stagnant pool of human life. It is not to be a swamp. I think what Jesus meant when he said to his disciples that the purpose of a Christian is to bring life — not only to himself, but also that of others. One of the most searching questions which you and I can ask is, "What is the net and effect of my life upon others? Am I an inspiration and a help to my friends, or a burden? Am I one who makes for peace, or for trouble? In the course of our life together, am I a part of the problem, or am I a part of the answer to the problem?"

When I was a boy, living in the country among farm people, the old spell of each winter was "hog-killing time." What a season it was, as the neighbors helped each other to scrape up the winter's supply of meat. As we took time out to eat a backbone boiled, or eat a dish of the liver and head of a pig. We always paid a lot of attention to salting the meat. We knew that this was necessary if the meat was to be properly cured and preserved. So this saying of Jesus about salt of the earth has always meant something definite to me. The salt required to cure meat is not very much, but that bit is very essential; and it is not take many Christian individuals to make a community better, but those few are absolutely indispensable. And just as the salt has to be applied directly to the meat, so that its strength penetrates into the substance of what is to be preserved, so these Christian individuals have to be a part of the group, mixing and living by side with the others. Salt is in a sack on the shelf. It never do the meat any good. Another thing we soon learn about salt, is that it brings out the flavor hidden in certain foods. Many people will not eat a slice of melon unless it is salted. Few like the taste of any cooked meat unless it is salted. The salt sits in a place of honor in the center of the table, and one of the first things we do, after we have tasted a dish, is reach for the salt. Sick people who have been put on a saltless diet are often heard to complain about tasteless things are. Have you ever been in a group where a pleasant person raised the question of the whole thing? In our daily life, do we not feel the influence of a good mother, a good father, an obedient child? Is it not true that a little genuine religion goes up and flavors a person's whole life. A few honest moral convictions, a little spiritual humility, a bit of good will and love go so much to the taste of life. I have heard people say that they do not like the taste of restaurant food because, no matter how much you pay for it, or what it is called, it never has quite the taste of something cooked at home. Why not? Because the mother or the wife who is cooking for her loved ones, who knows the ins and outs of their tastes, and who loves because she loves them, will give just the little touch which

imparts the good old home-cooked flavor. The restaurant man cooks to make money; the mother cooks to please those she loves, and that little pinch of salt makes the difference. My people do not like to live in a hotel, or in a strange city because they miss the atmosphere of having friends and loved ones around. They may have a comfortable bed to sleep on, good furniture in the room, perfect service, but it is all flat, because it is not salted — that is, it does not have the redeeming presence of someone who knows, and cares, and loves. This is the function of Christ-

ian lives in the world, to care enough to know, to know and care for the individual for his own sake. As it makes the difference between a home and a hotel, it also makes the difference between a world that is flat and flavorless, and a world that is warm and alive and satisfying.

There is another thing about salt. It is necessary to health. They say that no living animal creature could live very long without the chemical that is in salt. We know that animals like cattle and sheep will walk miles to get to a salt block. In the old days, there were

places in the wilderness where the deer and other wild things came to lick salt. Wars were fought over the possession of saltlicks. Among the Eskimos today, salt is used like money; the value of things may be computed in terms of so many ounces of salt. Salt is often hauled in ships across vast oceans, and carted by wagon or

truck or rail from one side of the continent to the other. Why? Because, we have to have it to live. We have to have righteousness to live, we have to have faith, we have to have a little love. This is the greatest commodity in the world. A person who lives his life so as to throw out a little light to others, does the one thing on earth

which is necessary. We often say how much the farmer contributes to human welfare when he grows a crop, and this is so. But think how much that same farmer gives, when he gives a little of the bread of the spirit, because, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that cometh from the mouth of God."



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Powder Puff Classic, Annual Powder Bowl Game Set for Oct. 31

Ozona football fans are in for a treat.

The first bowl game of the 1950 season will be unreeled on the turf of Lion Stadium, Tuesday night, October 31. Sponsored by the Senior class of Ozona High School, the game will be known as the 1st Annual Powder Bowl Classic.

The outstanding difference with this Bowl tilt in comparison with others that will be played later in the season is somewhat insignificant. Regular playing rules, with the exception of tackling, will be used. But this game will pit Girls against Girls.

The Lionesses, composed of junior and senior high school students, and the Cubesses, made up of freshman and sophomore girls, will battle for victor's laurels Tuesday night. Bettye Maness, who has shown prowess at the tail-back slot, will captain the Lionesses. Marion Mock, quarterback, and Alena Powers, center, will lead the Cubesses into the fray.

An outstanding feature of the 1st Classic will be the half-time coronation of the Football King.

Elected by both teams, Jimmie McMullan, an OHS sophomore and reserve back on the Lion varsity squad, will receive the crown from the team captains. Cheering sections will be led by Jack Sorrels, senior, Virgil Machado, junior, Carroll Stratton, sophomore and Kenneth Phillips, freshman.

Both teams will use similar offensive formations. Coaches of both squads will utilize single and double wing, box, spread, punt, "Y", "Z", "A", split wing, and straight "T" plays. Guiding the Lionesses are Alton Smith and Kenneth Parker. Tom Piner and Charles Gartz, also varsity starters, are coaching the Cubesses.

Coach Piner summed up the attitude of both coaching staffs after strenuous work-outs last Saturday in this statement: "Girls are sure dumb. Saturday morning we gave them (Cubesses) 16 plays, passing, line plugging plays, end-sweeps and by Saturday afternoon, they didn't know a one of them. We don't have a chance!"

Dope sheets circulating around the high school this week showed the Lionesses favored to win by at least one touchdown. The reason was hard-hitting Bettye Maness who has shown exceptional running form in early practice ses-

sions. The Cubesses' stars refuse to concede and promise that "we're going to stop them cold" at the game.

The OHS Powder Bowl tilt is the culmination of a unit about football in the girls' physical education classes. For four weeks, the girls have learned how the game is played. Miss Mary Drake, a TCU alumna and OHS girls' P. E. instructor, states that she feels that all the girls now enjoy watching regular football games more because they have played the game. "And the girls have had a lot of fun and good exercise," she added.

Fads and Fashions

By Ruth Sparks

Everyone thought that "Sweet-er" Sorrels had red and blue feet until we finally discovered that it was his brand new socks. We have not decided yet whether its a Fad or a Fashion for Jack, but we like them and hang on to them.

Until the weather man decides whether we are going to have some more summer or a little winter — everyone is having trouble about what to wear on those cold mornings and extremely hot afternoons and then cold nights again. It seems that corduroy is pretty popular these days, also velveteen skirts with wool jersey sweaters and neck scarfs. Most everyone is either wearing moccasins, loafers or some other comfortable shoe for school. Rita Ballinger really has a comfortable pair of shoes. Those are really cute, Rita. Alton Smith has a classy pair of moccasins — we hear these came from Oklahoma.

Rev. Hickman Speaks To Students Body on United Nations Day

J. Froy Hickman, minister of the Methodist Church, was speaker at an assembly of the student body Friday afternoon. Commemorating the fifth anniversary of the United Nations Organization, Reverend Hickman's speech dealt with the need for such a world - united group, the building of it, its defects, and its accomplishments.

Concluding the program Mr. McIntosh presented the sweetheart of the football squad, Darrene Thompson, with a spray of yellow chrysanthemums.

Officers Elected to Direct Activities of FHA Units in Hi School

An overall meeting of both units was held last Friday in the home economics labroatory. The main objective of this meeting was to elect a cabinet to plan and oversee the activities of the organization for the remaining part of the year. The following offices are now filled by: Elva Vitela, president; Jeannene Thompson, vice president; Doris Palmer, secretary; Alena Powers, treasurer;

Lois McDade, reporter; Marion Mock, parliamentarian; Darrene Thompson, song leader; and Billie Chandler, historian.

November 11 at Colorado City there will be a district FHA meeting. The Ozona chapter is planning to send as many members as possible.

Entertainment for the group was furnished by Elva Vitela, Doris West, Billie Chandler, Leona Cunningham, Sophie Renia and Juanita Lopez who presented a skit. The purpose of the skit was intended to show the problem of deciding the type of dress to wear to a

dance. A light refreshment of and cookies was served by year homemaking girls.

News from Junior High

By Ruth Sparks
The Ozona Junior High School Student Council had its first meeting of the year Thursday, October 19, at 3:35. The main purpose of the meeting was to organize the council and acquaint each member with his or her duties. The meeting was called to order by the president, Alton Smith. (Continued on Page Five)

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Student Council Group Reports on Trip to Oklahoma City Meeting

From the time we left at 6 o'clock, Wednesday morning, until we could see car lights on the hill, from the highway, Saturday night, it was fun.

The trip up was uneventful except for a flat tire. But Oklahoma City is quite a place and we drove around for hours before we found the addresses of the private homes we were supposed to stay in.

Classen High School was the host school for the Student Council Convention. About 1200 students attended it.

After the general assembly and lunch, we had discussion groups to thrash out problems we had in our schools. Ozona was one of the smallest schools represented judging by the unbelieving look everyone gave us when we said, "Our school has 94 students."

That night we went to a high school football game. We lost Mr. Bray and tried in every way we could think of to find him, including paging him from the press box, but it turned out that he was at his hotel all the time.

Friday morning at general assembly we had the usual speeches on American Youth.

Friday night a formal banquet

and dance ended things. The food was good, the music wonderful and the speeches endurable. Everyone had a wonderful time, but we couldn't help thinking at intervals how Ozona was faring in their game with Bronie.

News of Departments -

The departments have had to struggle along this week under the pressure of outside activities caused by the much anticipated homecoming.

Spanish two classes are reading Spanish newspapers and doing vocabulary study with crossword puzzles.

In spite of having their auditorium occupied by the annual photographer, the choral group survived and carried on bravely in the back of the room.

Did the cookies burn during the fire drill? No, the home economics department has a spy and the cookies were put off until the next day.

Miss Drake swears she'll make football players out of her girls' P. E. classes yet!

Question of the Week -

"Do you think we should have a Senior's Skip Day?" is our question for this week. A "Senior Skip Day" is an ordinary school day in which the seniors do not have to

attend school.

Darrene Thompson, June Perner, Lios McDade, Pat Hickman, Kenneth Parker, Helen Walker, and Bobby Halydier are among the anxious seniors who are naturally "all for it." Junior, Kay Kirby, whose time is coming up soon, says she thinks it is a good idea.

Among the under classmen, Tody Cunningham, Billie Chandler, Alena Faye Powers, Rosemary Stratton, Tom Piner, Bill Schneemann, Jeannene Thompson, Laura Walley, Shirley Kost, Jane Adams and Charles Garlitz are not quite so quick to agree, but they say OK as they can have one, too, when they are seniors.

SONG DEDICATIONS

The following songs have been dedicated:

Alena Fay to Ronnie - Bicycle Built for Two

Jimmy and Tody - Why Don't You Haul Off and Love me?

Laura Walley and Bill - Let Me Call You Sweetheart

Lois to Charlie - I'll Always Love You

Helen to Miss Sealy - I Could Write a Book

Gussie to Red - The Red We Got Is the Red We Want

To Skeeter - Can Anyone Explain?

Football team to coaches - I'll Never Be Free

Student of the Week -

Five feet, nine inches tall, size 7A shoe, brown hair and hazel eyes; that's a description of our Student-of-the-Week.

Just in case you can't guess from that description, we'll go on. Student-of-the-Week is 16 years old, weighs 115 pounds, plays center on the football team, and has

lived in Ozona for 16 years.

I bet you've guessed by now that our Student-of-the-Week is June Perner, or did the "center on the football team," get you confused. Just to straighten everyone out, June is center on the girls football team, which everyone will hear more about during the next week.



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

You Can't Build A Better Mousetrap!

"They're not the best-looking boarders a man ever had," Hack Turner said one day, "and they've got awful tempers. But I've found it pays to have 'em around."

Hack was talking about a family of barn owls, nesting in his silo this year. Some folks believe those little white-faced screechers kill chickens—and ought to be shot on sight. But Hack disagrees.

"Up at State University they've studied barn owls for years—and never known one to eat a chicken. On the other hand, a daddy owl will clean up around 300 mice a

month. Farmers that kill barn owls are throwing away the best mousetraps known to man!"

From where I sit, when someone shows a prejudice against any group of animals or humans—it's usually just based on misunderstanding. For instance, some folks are plumb intolerant about those of us who enjoy an occasional quiet glass of beer. Get to really know us and you're liable to find we're pretty good birds at that!

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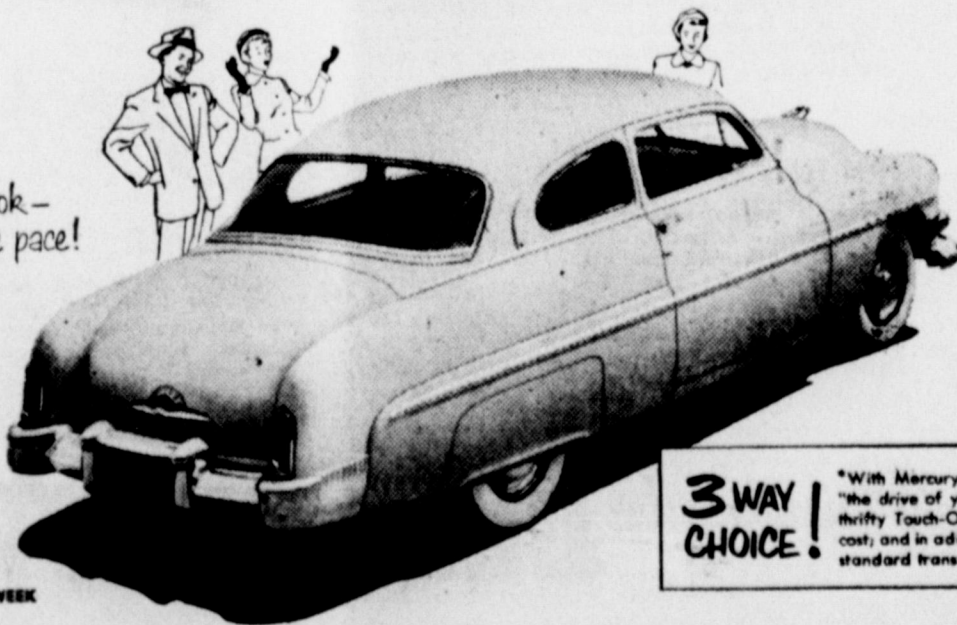
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International Week Of Prayer Observed By Woman's Society

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service observed International Week of Prayer Wednesday afternoon with a worship service on the topic "Looking Unto Jesus." Mrs. L. E. Cox, Jr., secretary of the Spiritual Life committee, directed the service.

Parts in the meditation were given by Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr., Mrs. Chas. Williams, Sr., and Miss Ruth Sutherland. The meeting opened with an organ prelude by Mrs. Victor Pierce. The material for the meditation was written by Miss Estelle Carver, author of "The Newness of Life," and at present an instructor in the Christian Institute at New Haven, Conn.

During the second hour of the service the program was given by Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mrs. Troy Hickman, Mrs. Madden Read and Mrs. John Bailey, who discussed the projects that will be recipients of this year's offering. The week of prayer is observed throughout the world and special offerings are taken for these international projects.

Projects which will benefit from the world-wide offering this year include a building for Toberman Settlement at San Pedro, Calif.; the deaconess retirement fund; a social evangelistic center in Algiers, North Africa; a building for Gamble's Memorial Home in Constantinople, North Africa; a school house for the Rural Center, El Maten, North Africa; the Lucy Harriman Girls Home in Lahore, Pakistan, for a dormitory and teacher home, chapel and library; a fund for native leadership training in Pakistan; and supplies and equipment for a health project in Multan District, Pakistan.

Others present were Mmes Evert White, Hugh Childress, Jr., T. A. Kincaid, Jr., H. B. Tandy, E. B. Baggett, Jr., Oscar Kost, F. A. Harrell, W. D. Cooper, Nat Read and N. W. Graham.

The next general meeting of the Society will be held Nov. 1 for a covered dish luncheon in the social hall of the church. A nursery attendant will be provided for small children.

Mrs. Kincaid Hostess To Jenny King Circle

Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., was hostess to members of the Jennie King Circle of the Methodist W. S. C. S. meeting Wednesday morning. Coffee and a business meeting was followed by the program at 9:30.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Stephen Perner, Circle chairman, and Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., continued the study on "Rural Prospects." The next meeting of the Circle will be November 8 at the home of Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr.

Present were Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. Ele Hagelstein, Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Monroe Baggett, Mrs. L. E. Cox, Jr., Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Dempster Jones and Mrs. Kincaid.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Graham attended funeral services in Cameron last Friday for Mr. Graham's sister-in-law, Mrs. Horace Graham, who died in Cameron Thursday afternoon.

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Willing Workers Continue Study

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Mrs. M. B. Flippen was study leader with Mrs. Joe Pierce assisting her in reviewing the last chapters of the study course, "Rural Prospects."

Mrs. Charles Williams, Sr., led the devotional "The Bread of Life." The next meeting of the Circle will be on November 8 with Mrs. Jess Marley, Jr., as hostess.

Present were Mrs. R. A. Harrell, Mrs. V. I. Pierce, Mrs. Jess Marley, Jr., Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. Bill Friend, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. M. B. Flippen, Mrs. W. T. Stokes, Mrs. Charles Williams, Sr., Mrs. Oscar Kost and the hostess, Mrs. Charles Williams, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooke Hamilton and children of Lovington, N. M., former Ozona residents, spent the week-end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett.

Dr. and Mrs. Cecil Walley and family visited Jackson, Miss., their home before moving to Ozona last summer.

Miss Joan Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt, returned this week from Dallas where she had been attending Southern Methodist University.

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After a business meeting, the program was presented. Mrs. J. P. Pogue talked on the history of clubs and Miss Billie Chandler played two piano numbers.

Cake squares and coffee were served to members and guests. Corsages were given as plate favors.

Present were Mmes John Skinner, Travis Hawk, L. B. Harris, Jack Harris, Martin Hearne, Robert Levo, Cleophas Cooke, B. W. Stuart, Fred Stoker, Allen Boedeker, Clyde Joiner, Willard Skelton, A. J. Deans, Howard Kemper, J. P. Pogue, Kena Cody, Roy Sewell and Ben Williams and Misses Billie Chandler and Margo Pogue.

Mrs. Bryan McDonald of Canyon arrived yesterday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson, Sr. Mr. McDonald will arrive Friday and the couple plan to attend the West Texas State-

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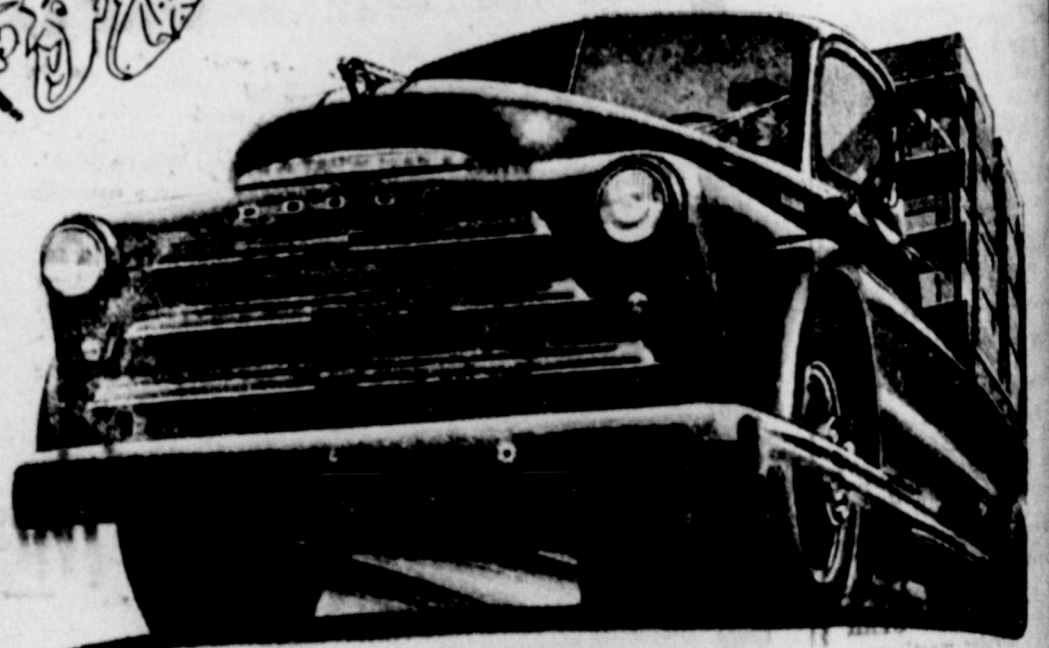
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