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Week-End Rains Add Clincher To Drouth Chasing

April-May Have Produced Start Toward Recovery

Generous and general rains, two weeks in a row, the past week-end, making the hardest hit section of drouth plagued Texas, the south-west area, have lifted hopes that a clincher has at last been secured on the drouth's end and that surcease is in sight.

With still more showers predicted this week, the months of April and May have done their part in producing rains to put moisture back in earth that has been wet, in some sections, more than four years. Total rainfall throughout this West Texas area in the two months has reached more than six inches up to ten and twelve inches in favored spots.

Rains Sunday and Monday evening rolled in from the west to bring general rainfall from the extreme western section of West Texas across this drouth hit section, with the eastern half also getting torrential downpours.

The Sunday afternoon and evening fall brought .73 of an inch of moisture to Ozona and the fall averaged about that same amount over the county. Again Monday afternoon and evening, a black cloud farming in the west rolled across Crockett county to dump the heaviest fall of the year on extreme western Crockett county and producing a gentle fall in the Ozona vicinity which registered .18 of an inch in town, with extremely heavy rains reported to the south of Ozona. The Pecos river, bordering Crockett county on the west, was reported at its highest flood level since 1941 early Monday night, the result of two days of heavy rains in its watershed area.

Mrs. J. O. Secrest To Be Laid To Rest Here Today

Resident of Ozona 50 Years Found Dead In Bed Wed.

Mrs. Eula B. Secrest, 73, a resident of Ozona and Crockett county 50 years, died in her sleep early Wednesday morning at her home. She had been in failing health for about a year and had been critically ill since last Sunday.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Ozona Methodist Church, with the Rev. J. Troy Hickman, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in Cedar Hill Cemetery, with Cody Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Burialbearers will be Hubert Baker, Houston Smith, Hartley Johnson, Frank James, Pink Beall, L. A. Greer and Reuben Whitehead.

Mrs. Secrest was found dead in bed early Wednesday morning by her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Gray of Pecos, who had been with her since she became seriously ill last week. Physicians attributed death to a heart attack and estimated the time at around 4 a. m.

Mrs. Secrest was born February 7, 1881, in San Saba county, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Young. She married J. O. Secrest in Lampasas on October 19, 1924. Mr. Secrest, who died on May 4, 1937, was manager of the old West Texas Lumber Co. here for many years, and also ranching interests in the area.

Mrs. Secrest was a charter member of the Ozona chapter of the Order of Eastern Star and a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving are the daughter, Mrs. F. W. Gray of Pecos; one sister, Mrs. Pearl Young, who made her home here with Mrs. Secrest; and two brothers, Clyde W. Young and Emmett Young, both of Dryden.

Townpeople Asked To Aid In Control Of Poisonous Weeds

By Bob Scott, S. C. S.

The fight to control such invading plants as bitterweed and cocklebur is increasing in the Crockett Soil Conservation District. These plants have been observed coming up in bare areas that were once free from them.

Several ranchers have requested that these two plants be put on display, so that those not knowing them can get positive identification.

Samples of both these plants can be seen in the Ozona Stockman window. Also a small sunflower plant will be on display. Cocklebur and sunflowers are often confused when in the small growing stage.

If these plants can be kept out of the urban areas, it will help to a large extent in holding their spread to a minimum. Proper management of the rangeland, to get a good cover of perennial grasses back, will help complete the job of controlling undesirable vegetation.

A new poisonous plant that has not been found in this area in the past, has been found on the highway East of here, and also on areas where hay had been fed. The plant is known as "African Rue." It is a poisonous plant which grows abundantly on irrigated areas farther West. It is a tap-rooted perennial which can stand drouth well.

A sample of this plant can also be seen in the Stockman office. A lot of out-of-state hay has been brought in during the drouth. Ranchmen should be on the alert for strange plants appearing where hay has been fed. If you find some you can't identify bring them in to the Soil Conservation office, and we will identify them or get them identified for you.

The cooperation of everyone in pulling and destroying these plants that appear in isolated areas will do a lot to avert the further invasion of poisonous plants in the Crockett Soil Conservation District.

New Machines Speed Monthly Billing For Water Department

A new billing machine and addressograph machine have been installed in the bookkeeping department of the Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District office to speed up the monthly billing operations for water, sewer and garbage disposal services.

With the new machine, calculating and entering monthly charges ready for mailing on the first of the month can now be done in a matter of hours whereas Mrs. Charles Applewhite, bookkeeper, formerly spent days in the tedious operations by hand. The new machine enters water use from meter books, enters the correct amount of charge, plus any delinquency, adds sewer and garbage charges and carries the whole account on a ledger sheet and a master proof sheet. The bills are first addressed on the addressograph machine and are mailed on a mailing permit which makes it unnecessary to attach stamps, the postage being calculated by weight.

Houston Operator To Drill Deep Wildcat On Crockett Acreage

Reynolds Mining Corp. of Houston has filed application to drill a deep wildcat in Crockett County, 10 miles northeast of Iraan. It will be the No. 1 C. T. Harris.

The project will be drilled to 10,500 feet with rotary. Operations are to begin when permit is approved.

Location, on a 5,120-acre tract, is 660 feet from the south and west lines of 5-3-WCRR.

The prospector is 3/4-mile south and slightly east of Conoco 1-E Harris, abandoned wildcat, plugged at 10,484 feet in dolomite and lime. The project had shows of gas and oil in the Ellenburger. The Fosselman was topped at 9,450 feet, and the Ellenburger at 10,025 feet.

10,000 Tons Of Drouth Emergency Feed Consumed

Crockett Co. Ranchers Pour Out \$376,000 In 10 Months

Crockett county ranchmen bought a total of 21,410,412 pounds more than 10,000 tons, of drouth emergency livestock feed, made available from government storage of cotton seed products and grains bought under the support price program for farm products, during a ten-month period from July 1953, to May 11, 1954, when the program was terminated.

This tremendous pile of feed stuffs formed a stream from rail shipping centers by truck to the drouth parched ranges on orders handled through the local office of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office, Mrs. Mary Dunlap, administrator, revealed this week after compiling final reports on operation of the emergency program in this county. A total of 266 rail cars were required to move the feed from storage centers to rail points.

In maintaining foundation herds through what everybody hopes was the "final stages" of the worst drouth in West Texas history, ranchmen in this county paid a total of \$376,124.67 for the cut-price government owned feed.

Corn and cottonseed products, meal and pellets, formed the bulk of the feeds ordered by ranchmen in this area. Ninety-nine carloads of cottonseed pellets (cake), totalling 6,510,995 pounds and 58 carloads of cottonseed meal, totalling 3,253,400 pounds, were fed in this county during the period. Corn totalled the most tonnage of all feeds, 9,987,118 pounds in 90 carloads. In addition there were 18 carloads of oats, weighing 1,456,534 pounds and one car of wheat weighing 102,365 pounds.

Strawn Oil Flow Logged In Cities Service 1-D Shannon

Cities Service Oil Co. 1-D Shannon, 3 1/2-mile northwest offset to its No. 1-C Shannon, opener and lone producer in the newly-designated World, West (Strawn) field of Crockett County, 15 miles southwest of Big Lake, logged a heavy oil flow on a drillstem test in the Strawn.

On a two-hour and 11-minute drillstem test between 8,085-8,161 feet, gas surfaced in three minutes, mud in nine minutes, and oil in 11 minutes. The well flowed 95 barrels of 47.2 gravity oil in two hours through 1-by-1-inch choke. Operator reversed out 57 barrels of oil. Gas-oil ratio was 2,480-1. Flowing pressure was 725-1,150 pounds; 20-minute shut-in pressure, 3,420 pounds.

The project was coring below 8,199 feet.

Location is in 20-Q-EL&RR.

J. T. Rutherford Of Odessa, Candidate For Congress Is Visitor

State Senator J. T. Rutherford was in Ozona this week in connection with his campaign for the office of U. S. Representative from the 16th Congressional District.

Rutherford says he firmly believes the "smaller towns" need representation as much as do the big cities.

"Only by meeting the people and talking their problems out may I be able to solve those problems," Rutherford said. "That's what I'm doing in the 19-county Congressional District now."

The 34-year-old ex-Marine and former oil field worker in West Texas, has six years Legislative experience: four as a State Representative and two as State Senator.

Known as an aggressive campaigner, Rutherford is a former Sul Ross College student. He met the woman who later became Mrs. Rutherford at Sul Ross. They now live in Odessa and have two children.

Ozona Ranch Family Has Narrow Escape In Flooded Draw

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Albers and son, Butch, had a narrow escape Monday night when their car was swept down Johnson draw at a crossing near their ranch about 35 miles south of Ozona.

The Albers had left Ozona for the ranch, car loaded with supplies and ranch equipment. Heavy rains to the south had put the draw on a rise but the main rise had not reached the crossing when the Ozonans arrived.

In attempting to make the crossing, the car was drowned out and stalled and the rapidly rising waters rolled the car downstream. Mr. and Mrs. Albers and Butch escaped from the car and all swam to safety.

Ozona Girls Take Part In Schreiner Graduating Activities

Ozona will be well represented at commencement week activities at Schreiner Institute in Kerrville, with an Ozona girl to be presented as a "favorite" whose picture will appear on the first page of the Institute's annual, one Ozona youth graduating from high school and another completing his college work at the Institute.

Miss Georgianna Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Truett Ball of Ozona, will be presented as one of ten "favorites" at the school's annual Spring dance on Monday night. Georgianna was sponsored by Tom Kincaid, high school student in Schreiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr. of Ozona. Her picture will appear on "The Recall" Schreiner annual.

Three other Ozona girls will attend the dance as guests of Schreiner students. Miss Carol Blackstone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nip D. Blackstone of Ozona will attend as guest of Roy Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harrell of Ozona, who will receive his high school diploma at commencement exercises on Tuesday afternoon. Miss Barbara Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Fields of Ozona, will attend as a guest of Ben Conklin, who is completing his college work in Schreiner this year and will enroll in the University of Texas next fall to study petroleum engineering. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Conklin of Ozona. Miss Janice Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Spencer, will attend as guest of Richard Johnson of Dallas, a student at Schreiner.

The commencement activities begin with baccalaureate services Sunday and include a final parade and adieu by the cadet corps Monday afternoon, the dance Monday night and commencement Tuesday afternoon, with Ed Gossett of Dallas to deliver the commencement address.

Mothers of the four Ozona girls will attend the activities, as will also Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harrell, Mrs. George Harrell, Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Conklin, and Mrs. Bruce Spencer King of Houston, aunt of Roy Harrell.

Fireman's Band, E.S.A. Sponsor Dance Friday Night On Platform

Ozona Volunteer Fire Department band and Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority will jointly sponsor a dance at the fairgrounds platform next Saturday night, following close of the Horse Show program.

Music will be furnished by the recently organized Firemen's Band, directed by Corbett Smith. Admission will be 50 cents per person, proceeds to be divided between the band and E. S. A. The band's share of the proceeds will go toward the purchase of new instruments for the band, while the E. S. A. fund will go into its treasury for community work.

Jimmy McMullan, a student at A & M College, spent the week-end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby McMullan.

Stepout To Elkhorn Field Flows Oil On Test In Ellenburger

Continental Oil Co. 7-27 University, one-location northwest and southwest stepout to production on the northwest side of the Elkhorn (Ellenburger) field of Crockett County, 17 miles northwest of Ozona, flowed oil on a drillstem test in the Ellenburger.

On the one-hour and 10-minute test between 7,368-380 feet, gas surfaced in four minutes, and oil in 61 minutes. The well flowed 21 barrels of oil, no water, in one hour. Flowing pressure was 375-975 pounds; one-hour shut-in pressure, 2,475 pounds.

Operator cored from 7,341-380 feet for a recovery of 20 feet of black shale, two feet of which was lime with crystals, and 17 feet of which was crystalline lime with the bottom 8 1/2 feet being porous and bleeding oil and gas.

The project was coring below 7,401 feet in lime.

Location is in 27-46-University.

Pvt. Chris Perner With AAA Training Unit In England

Lakenheath, England — Army Pvt. Chris D. Perner, whose wife, Mildred, lives at 410 N. Buffalo st., Cleburne, Texas, is now serving with the 23rd Anti-Aircraft Artillery Brigade in England.

Perner is a crew member in the brigade's 60th AAA Battalion which is training with U. S. Air Force, Royal Air Force and British Army units.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Perner, Ozona, he entered the Army during January 1953, completed basic training at Fort Bliss, Tex. and arrived overseas last March.

Equalization Board To Meet June 7th

Final determination of property values in Crockett county for 1954, with particular emphasis on oil values, will be made by the Crockett County Commissioners Court sitting as a board of equalization on Monday, June 7, the court announced this week.

Notices have been sent out to owners of property whose values have been adjusted in preliminary meetings of the court and the owners or their representatives will be heard in the final board meeting on June 7.

Graham Childress Wins Good Citizenship Award of Forum

Graham Childress, salutatorian of the 1954 graduating class of Ozona High School, was awarded the "good citizenship" award of the Ozona Woman's Forum as a part of the graduating exercises Friday night. Graham is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr.

The award is made annually, the first year award last year going to Miss Marion Mock (Mrs. Aaron Bledsoe), in addition to the medal award, the Forum this year presented a bronze plaque on which the names of winners are to be engraved each year, this trophy to be displayed in the school trophy case.

Paulita Cisneros To Get Degree at Trinity

Miss Paulita Cisneros, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reyes Cisneros of Ozona, will receive her Bachelor of Music degree from Trinity University in San Antonio at commencement exercises next Monday night.

Paulita has played cornet in the Trinity band during her four years there and was a member of the capella choir which went on annual tours. She was president of TULACs, a campus organization and was sponsored by that organization for homecoming queen last year. She was also a member of the Lancerettes and of Spurs, a West Texas club. She plans to teach public school music in the El Paso public schools next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Cisneros and Pete will attend the exercises.

Equine Royalty Entered In Fifth Annual Horse Show

Sheriff's Posse Set For Show Saturday; Roping Fri. Night

Equine royalty in the Quarter Horse breed from all parts of Texas and many surrounding states will be on parade in Ozona next Saturday as the Crockett County Sheriff's Posse opens its fifth annual Registered Quarter Horse Show at the fairgrounds.

Pete W. Jacoby, secretary, reported this week that entries in the annual show are picking up daily and around 50 entries in the halter classes and a dozen or more in the performance classes is predicted by the week's end.

The show will open with a parade through downtown Ozona Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Judging of halter classes will begin at 1 p. m. Classes to be judging are as follows: 1. Mares foaled in 1953; 2. Mares foaled in 1952; 3. Mares foaled in 1951 or before; 4. Mares foaled in 1950 or before; 5. Stallions foaled in 1953; 6. Stallions foaled in 1952; 7. Stallions foaled in 1951 or before; 8. Stallions foaled in 1950 or before, and 9. Geldings any age.

Judging of the performances classes, reining contest and roping horse contest and judging of champions will occupy the Saturday evening program starting at 8 p. m. with the grand entry preceding. Handsome trophies, ribbons and rosettes will be awarded winners and trophy belt buckles will be given winners in the performance classes. A junior open reining contest, for youths through 14 years of age, and the children's western classes, junior division, ages through 7 years and senior division, ages 8 through 11 years, will be other features of the night show.

As a curtain raiser to the Saturday horse show, the Ozona Roping Club will sponsor a matched roping program at the fair grounds Friday night, with a four-calf average, with a \$30 entrance fee, the featured event. The Roping Club has recently acquired a bunch of black calves for use in this and other summer roping programs.

Twenty Ropers Already Lined Up For Friday Event

Top Twirlers Flock To Enter 4-Calf Average Match

At midweek, twenty of the area's top ropers had already entered a four-calf average match, with an entrance fee of \$30, set for Friday night of this week at the fairgrounds arena in Ozona.

The event is being sponsored by the Ozona Roping Club as a curtain-raiser for the fifth annual Ozona Registered Quarter Horse Show which will be reeled off Saturday at the fairgrounds.

A herd of the kickin'est, fastest and orneriest black calves ever penned are ready for their first runs from the chute Friday night. Bud Cox, roping club prexy, announced. The calves, weighing about 230, are in fine condition and should give the cowboys a lot of trouble Friday night.

Ropers already entered in the featured event of the evening include Riley Branch of Big Lake, John Ray Powell of Eldorado, Carl Teague of Camp Wood, Pancho McMullan of Big Lake, Vic Montgomery of Ozona, Jack and Dan Riggs of Dryden, Lloyd Mitchell of Rocksprings, Tom Powers of Ozona, Cliff Lowery of Del Rio, James Leonard of Del Rio, George Epperson of Cherokee, J. D. Armstrong, G. A. Jameson and Herb Woods of Big Lake, Horace Linticum of Eldorado, Gene Newman, Orville Thomas and E. J. Smith of San Angelo and Bud Cox of Ozona.

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THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1954

SOCIALISM IS EXPENSIVE

Randy Haskell Hamilton, spokesman for the American Municipal Association, which is composed of 12,000 cities in 43 states, told a House Sub-Committee on Government Operations, of the serious conditions confronting local communities as a result of the alarming growth of national socialism.

Among the types of business and industry in which the federal government has become involved, Mr. Hamilton listed, "fabrication, repair, generation of electric energy, transportation, storage, banking, insurance, mining. . . ."

These activities are tax-exempt, at the expense of local and all other units of government. According to Mr. Hamilton, in many communities "the citizens have found that they must carry a disproportionately heavier load of local taxes in order to pay for the municipal services."

Yes, socialism is expensive—both in money, and in lost freedom and opportunity.

Mother Goose In Texas
By Ray Wood

Every time I come to town
Folks start kickin' my dog around.

Makes no difference if he is a houn',
They gotta stop kickin' my dog around.

When Champ Clark, Missouri's great senator, was candidate for the presidential nomination, some forty years ago, the "Houn' Dog Song", which has an attractive melody, was heard throughout the land. Additional stanzas were added and the song copyright as "The Missouri State Song". The rhyme quoted above, which served as a refrain, did not originate in Missouri, but is actually older than Missouri's statehood, having been brought there by the restless pioneers from farther east. It could well be that the followers of Stephen F. Austin brought the song to Texas. At any rate it is one of the best known items of American folklore, and is fully in keeping with the Mother Goose tradition.

The houn' dog has always been regarded as willing and anxious to please, but, except for his ability to trail varmints, just a little on the dumb side. One of the most affectionately regarded of all domestic animals, he was the subject of many rhymes by pioneer kids, such as:

Someone stole our old houn' dog,
I wish they'd bring him back,
He run the big hogs over the fence.

And the little 'uns through the crack.
Variants of these or similar

rhymes will be recorded in the permanent collection of Mother Goose in Texas if sent to Ray Wood at Raywood, Texas. Copyright 1954, by Ray Wood.



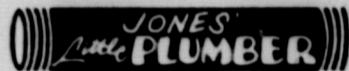
"If a woman can't weep a secret, she'll at least try to distribute it equally."—Anthony J. Pettito.

"A budget is a wonderful thing. It lets you know exactly how much over your salary you are spending."—Joe Schiavone.

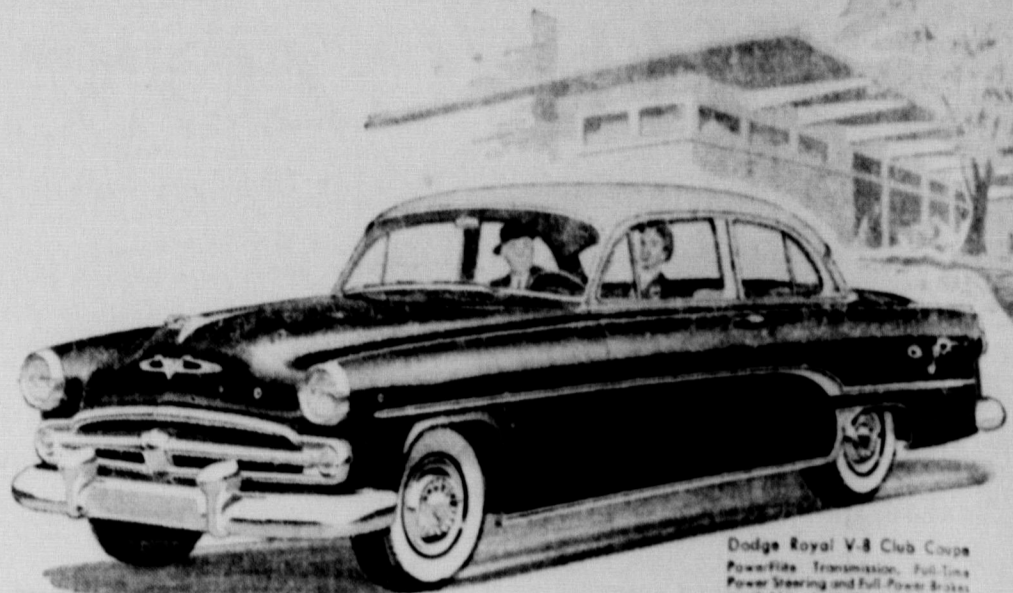
"You cannot do a kindness too soon, because you never know how soon it will be too late."—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

"A platonic friendship by any other name would be just as disappointing."—Frances Rodman.

"These days if your ship comes in, it's docked by the government."—Alex Dreier.



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**Pecan Nut Casebearer
Eggs Laying**

Station — Pecan nut casebearers have begun to lay their eggs in the Gulf Coast area, entomologists report. This means the casebearers soon will be busy in other producing areas. Casebearers, visible with the unaided eye, are bluish-white, are deposited on the tips of small pecans in five to seven days. The young larva feeds on the nut adjacent to the nuts and in four or five days returns to the nut cluster, entering the case through a small hole at the base of the nut.

Correct timing and proper application are "musts" if adequate kills are to be obtained. To be effective, insecticides must cover the tiny nuts and terminal buds at the time or soon after the eggs hatch.

A spray of three pounds of 50 percent DDT in 100 gallons of water is the Texas Agricultural Extension Service's recommendation. Another treatment calls for two pounds of 15 percent wettable parathion in 100 gallons of water.

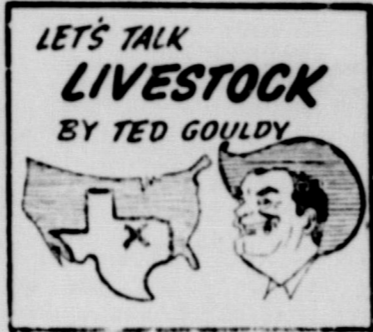
These applications also control pecan leaf casebearers.

County agricultural agents can supply additional information on the control of the insect.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Free Tax Rider



Forth Worth — A definite trend to early Summer cattle marketing has developed in recent weeks, and on Monday the evidence of this situation was very clear. Cowmen are culling their herds earlier than usual in all of Texas' major cow country.

The day's cattle and calves numbered about 8,000, the biggest day's offering since last November. The run included the smallest supply of grainfed beef this year, and the percentage of aged cows and bulls in the run was largest since last Fall.

On Monday, drylot grainfed steers and yearlings of good and choice kinds were fully steady, some weighty yearlings stronger. Grassy hieifers and yearlings, especially plainer kinds, 50 cents to \$1 lower. Cows were mostly 50 cents off, some fat cows off more. Bulls steady to 50 cents lower.

Strictly good and choice slaughter calves steady, others weak to 50 cents lower. Choice stockers scarce and mostly steady. Plainer stockers around \$1 lower, some commog kinds off more.

Fat Spring lambs lost 50 cents to \$1 at Fort Worth Monday and shorn lambs were around \$1 lower. Older sheep sold about in line with last week's close. Breeding ewes were finding good outlets when they were suitable ages and had quality.

Reports late last week from the Eastern Seaboard told of sizable supplies of lamb that was rather poor condition and had to be sold under distress conditions there. There was also some talk that quantities of lamb there would have to be taken to freezers because outlets were clogged.

This situation might last from a few to a week or more. Usually such a temporary situation clears up in a week or less, and by the prices should be more stable.

CROCKETT COUNTY HOSPITAL NEWS

C. A. Woody, Administrator
Patients admitted: Mr. W. E. Ramsey, Mr. Henry Anderson, Mr. J. K. Chisum, Mr. Joe Martinez, Miss Mary Margaret Fitzpatrick, George Kyle and Mrs. Oscar Najar.
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Crockett County Hospital

WOMEN WANTED

Fort Stockton May 13. Mrs. Mayes, mother of Hudson Mayes of Ozona, had made her home in Fort Stockton the past 13 years, previously living in Reagan county and in San Angelo. Graveside services were held in Fairmount Cemetery in San Angelo, following Fort Stockton services in the First Methodist Church.

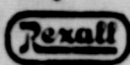
MRS. FAYETTE MAYES DEAD

Funeral services were held recently in Fort Stockton and San Angelo for Mrs. Fayette Mayes, 75, who died in Memorial hospital in

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Although it is true that many of the following symptoms may be due to causes that are not related to dietary deficiencies, it is also true that unusual tiredness after a normal day of work or play, as manifested by a general rundown feeling, chronic drowsiness, lack of appetite, restless sleep, lack of energy or vigor and excess nervousness may be directly due to a diet where the vitamins contained in THERAMINS are lacking.

Your health and your healthful appearance, your business ability, your athletic prowess and your social assets may all be seriously affected by failure to supplement diets in which these accessory food factors are lacking by reason of soil conditions, cooking and other enemies of them in the free state. Therapeutic Theramins give high potency aid to avoid deficiency pit-falls.

OZONA DRUG

The **Rexall** Store

Gordon G. Aikman, Owner and Pharmacist

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FOR NEEDED FEATURES!

THE NEW

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Just right for the small business or professional office! This compact, full featured beauty handles your correspondence and reports, and saves you money, too! Check and try these features:

- 10 3/10 in. writing line!
- Handles 11-inch paper!
- Has Miracle Tab!
- 34 Other Features!
- Budget Terms

THE OZONA STOCKMAN

**CLOSED MONDAY
MEMORIAL DAY**

The following business establishments will be closed Monday, May 31, 1954, for Memorial Day week-end:

- Crockett County Water Control Board
- Empire Southern Gas Company
- Home Gas Company
- Ozona Butane Company
- West Texas Utilities Company
- Ozona Drug
- Smith Drug Company
- Ozona National Bank
- Ratliff Hardware & Furniture Company
- Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company
- South Texas Lumber Company
- Sawyer Jewelry Store
- Wallis Jewelers
- Dr. M. A. Lemmons
- Reyes Cisneros Grocery & Market
- Morrison's Variety Store
- Joseph's Dept. Store
- Ratliff Dry Goods
- Popular Dry Goods Company
- Ozona Boot & Saddlery
- Ozona Dress Shop
- Beall Barber Shop

RETAIL MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION

Ozona, Texas



Miss Patricia Ann McDonald

Wedding Plans of Miss Patricia Ann McDonald, Daughter Former Ozonans, Revealed In Canyon

To announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Pam McDonald, Mrs. Bryan McDonald entertained at the McDonald home in Canyon Saturday morning with coffee from 9 until 11 o'clock.

Pam will become the bride of James B. Thompson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Sr., of Kermit on June 16 in the First Methodist Church in Canyon.

Names and dates were revealed in an artistic centerpiece arrangement that also depicted the occupation of the bridegroom-to-be. A gusher oil derrick built of white satin chenille stood on a flopped blue styrofoam base. Gushing from this derrick were billows of blue feathered carnations. Intermingled with this simulated oil stream were

dainty bows and arrows from which fell white loveknot bread ending on the table in pools of blue feathered carnations.

Extending from the base to the corners of the table were streamers of white sheer-centered ribbon with cut-out satin edging. Standing under the arch made by the gushing streamers were a miniature bride and groom surrounded by massed feather carnations and trees made of velvet maiden hair fern. Near base of the derrick in gold lettering were the names Pam and James and the date June 16.

The 158 guests registering were greeted by Mrs. T. H. Knighton, Mrs. McDonald, Miss Pam McDonald, Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Sr., Miss Nina Thompson, Mrs. Frank Mc-

Mullan of Ozona, sister of Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. C. F. Kerr of Hereford, paternal grandmother of Pam.

Mrs. Joe Davidson of Ozona, Mrs. Bill Kerr of Hereford, aunts of the honoree, and Mrs. Eugene Slater of Amarillo presided at the silver coffee service.

Mrs. Walton Byrd and Mrs. Glenn Dowlen at the piano played a soft background of appropriate musical selections.

Miss Mary Owens and Mrs. Morris Simms of Happy secured registration of guests.

Cheese straws, nuts, tiny cinnamon rolls and an assortment of cake squares decorated with tiny oil derricks, doves, wedding bells, and orange blossoms were served with the coffee.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Ozona High School. She is a granddaughter of the late Judge and Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson.

E. S. A. Sorority Installs Officers; Committees Named

Beta Rho chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met Monday night in the Boy Scout cabin for a special called meeting. Mrs. James Isbell, outgoing president, conducted a short business meeting and installed two new pledges, Mrs. Gene Thomas and Mrs. Sam Perner, in a candlelight ceremony. The tables were decorated with bouquets of spring wild flowers. Mrs. Isbell and Mrs. Wayne E. West installed the new officers

OZONA LODGE NO. 747
A. F. & A. M.
Regular meeting on 1st Monday of each month.

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Complete Optical Service
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for the coming year. Mrs. Taylor Deaton was installed as president; Mrs. Bud Harrison, vice-president; Mrs. Marshall Phillips, recording secretary; Mrs. D. C. Ratliff, Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs. Maurice Lemmons, treasurer; Mrs. Charles S. Ratliff, parliamentarian; Mrs. James Isbell, historian; and Mrs. Frank James educational director.

Mrs. Frank James was presented as the new sponsor for E. S. A. after the resignation of Mrs. Hubert Baker. She made an impressive acceptance speech and was accorded a hand of applause in appreciation of her interest.

Mrs. Taylor Deaton accepted the chair after the installation ceremony and presented her committees for the following year, and new business to be voted on at the next regular meeting on June 10.

Standing committees are as follows: Publicity, Mrs. Wayne E. West, Mrs. Aaron D. Bledsoe; Social, Mrs. Gene Lilly, Mrs. Gene Thomas, Mrs. Sam Perner, and Mrs. Frank James; Ways and Means, Mrs. Floyd Moss, Mrs. Max Schneemann, Jr., Mrs. Johnny Clark, and Mrs. Maurice Lemmons; Contact and Jonquil Girl, Mrs. Joe Ross Hufstetler, Miss Barbara Earnest; Jonquil Publicity, Mrs. Larry Arledge; Membership and Welfare, Mrs. Roy Coates, Mrs. Dixon Mahon, and Miss Jeanette Trotter; Program, Mrs. Marshall Phillips, Mrs. Charles S. Ratliff, Mrs. Johnny Clark, Mrs. Frank James; Photographer, Miss Jeanette Trotter, Mrs. James Isbell; Yearbook, Mrs. Joe Ross Hufstetler, Mrs. Gene Thomas, Mrs. Wayne E. West, and Miss Barbara Earnest.

It was voted to sponsor a dance

after the horse show May 22, with music by the Ozona Volunteer Fire Dept. Admission will be 50 cents a person, and half of the proceeds will be shared with the Fire Dept. for purchase of new instruments. The concession stand will be handled by the Ozona High School sophomores. The dance will be held at the rodeo grounds platform.

Members present at the meeting were Mrs. Taylor Deaton, Mrs. James Isbell, Mrs. Wayne E. West, Mrs. Bud Harrison, Mrs. Joe Ross Hufstetler, Mrs. Gene Thomas, Mrs. Sam Perner, Mrs. D. C. Ratliff, Jr., Mrs. Charles S. Ratliff, Mrs. Maurice Lemmons, Mrs. Frank James, Mrs. Gene Lilly, and Misses Barbara Earnest and Jeanette Trotter.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Robinson are in Houston this week for a medical check-up.

WILLIAMS GROCERY

Quality at Minimum Prices Service at It's Best Phone 230 Ozona

Salad or Cooking Jewel Oil	Qt. 65c	Kraft's Miracle Whip Salad Dressing - Pt.	33c
KLEENEX TISSUE	200 count 15c	Del Monte 46 Oz. Tomato Juice	29c
Mountain Pass 4 Oz. Can Pimientos	2 For 25c	3 Pound Can SPRY SHORTENING	83c
All Popular Brands COFFEE	\$1.19	12 Bottles Carton Plus Deposit Coca-Cola	49c
Armour Vegetole Shortening 3Lb. Crt.	59c	Our Value Cut Large Can Green Beans	15c
Yellow Sweet Onions	Pound 7c	Sweet Treet Large Can Crushed Pineapple	25c
Kool Aid	6 pkgs. 25c	Lady Royal Sliced Beets No. 2	7c
Fresh EGGS	Doz. 35c	Pillsbury's Best Cake Mixes 2 For	69c
10 Pound Bag Potatoes	37c	25 Pound Bag Flour Pillsbury's Best	\$1.79
Fresh Cucumbers	Pound 8c	With Beautiful 25 Oz. Glass Bright & Early Tea	37c
Texas Really Nice Cantaloupe	each 15c	Del Monte No. 2 Can Spinach 2 For	25c
C. R. C. Pinto Beans	Pound 10c	Large Box VEL	Box 23c

FRESH FRYERS Market SWIFT FULLY COOKED HAMS

Armour's Star WEINERS	1 Lb. Pkgs.	43c
Choice Beef CHUCK ROAST	Pound	41c
CHUCK ROAST	Pound	45c
ROUND CHEESE	Pound	45c
Pan Pork Just Made Fresh SAUSAGE	Pound	49c
Slab Sliced BACON	Pound	73c

Friday Saturday & Monday - May 28 - 29 - 31

Another Service for the People of Ozona
And Surrounding Territory —

READY CASH FOR FUNERAL EXPENSES

UNION SECURITY LIFE INSURANCE CO.
Greenville, Texas over \$825,000 in Reserve

Family Group Policies—Ages 1 Month to 65 Years
Benefits from \$300 to \$500. Monthly premiums as little as 75¢ for the whole family

We also Write Individual Policies on Every Member of The Family
One Month to 75 Years of Age — Benefits \$150 to \$1,000 Monthly Premiums as Little as 20 Cents

Ambulance Service Endorsement
Any of these policies can be endorsed to include Ambulance Service benefits paying \$5 for a call in case of illness, and \$25 in Emergency Cases, for as little as 10 cents extra per month.

For further information, please call or write our office

CODY FUNERAL HOME
Phone 35 Ozona, Texas

KNOW YOUR CAR COSTS... Ownership vs. Operation
by CAROL LANE, Travel Authority



IF YOU THINK OF CAR COSTS ONLY IN TERMS OF GASOLINE, OIL AND TIRES, BETTER CHECK UP ON YOUR BOOKKEEPING. IT COSTS ALMOST TWICE AS MUCH JUST TO OWN A CAR AND LEAVE IT IN THE GARAGE AS IT DOES TO BUY THE GASOLINE, OIL AND OTHER THINGS YOU NEED TO DRIVE AND ENJOY IT.

HERE ARE FIGURES* FOR A NEW POPULAR MAKE CAR DRIVEN 10,000 MILES A YEAR (ABOUT AVERAGE). BASIC COSTS OF OWNERSHIP... DEPRECIATION, LICENSE FEES, INSURANCE, INTEREST... AMOUNT TO \$607 A YEAR. THAT'S THE COST OF OWNING AND LEAVING THE CAR IN THE GARAGE. BUT OPERATING COSTS... GASOLINE, OIL, TIRES, MAINTENANCE AND MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES... TOTAL ONLY AN ADDITIONAL \$320 A YEAR! THAT'S THE COST OF ENJOYING YOUR FAMILY CAR. YOU CAN'T AFFORD NOT TO!

*FROM CHANGING TIMES THE KUPINGER MAGAZINE, JULY 1953

Bill For Filing For Prisoner of War Pay Extended By Congress

President of the United States today has signed H. R. 6896, to extend the deadline for filing for war claims under Public Law 303, 82nd Congress.

The new law, Public Law 359, does not provide any new benefits for members of the armed service of the United States, who were prisoners of war in World War II, but merely extends the time for filing from April 9, 1953 to August 1, 1954.

Public Law 303, provides for compensation at the rate of \$1.50

per day for each day a member of the Armed Services of the United States was detained as a prisoner of war during World War II, was subjected by the enemy to inhumane treatment and or forced labor in violation of the provisions of the Geneva Convention of 1929.

Persons who have already filed under Public Law 303 on or before April 9, 1953 need not file again. There is legislation pending before the Congress which, if enacted will extend similar compensation to members of the Armed Forces of the United States detained as prisoners of war in the Korean conflict.

Forms for filing claims may be obtained at the War Claims Commission, Washington, D. C. and must be used in making such claims. It is also requested that all applications for this compensation be sent by air mail to the War Claims Commission to expedite adjudication.

NOTICE OF EQUALIZATION

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas, at 10:00 A. M., on Monday, the 7th day of

NOTICE OF REWARD

I am offering
\$500 Reward

for apprehension and conviction of guilty parties to every theft of livestock in Crockett County — except that no officer of Crockett County may claim the reward.

V. O. Earnest
Sheriff, Crockett County

June, 1954, for the purpose of determining fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Crockett County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1954, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Geo. Russell, County Clerk
Crockett County, Texas.
10th day of May 1954.



Is winter hibernating in your car?

Like the bear—your car is sluggish at the end of a long winter. That's one reason we urge you to drive in for our Spring-time service right now!

We specialize in chasing winter out of your car—putting springtime in. We'll change your oil to summer grade, lubricate, and do everything to put your car in top shape for warm weather driving. You'll find it pays big dividends.

We're proud to be part of the progressive oil industry that brings better living to this community. Drive in today and let us serve you!

Ozona Oil Company

Phone 143

West Highway 290

Mrs. America.....



Mrs. Wanda Jennings
St. Louis, Missouri

....cooks with Gas

She's America's foremost homemaker... selected from fifty state contestants from all over the United States and Canada by expert home economists.

Mrs. America attributes much of her winning magic to her dependable helper—her modern Automatic Gas Range. Here's what she says: "I certainly do cook with Gas. My Gas Range is speedy and wonderful. It turned out my recipes just the way I wanted them without any waste of time. My special oven meals were pretty as a picture. I let my clock

control turn my gas oven on, do the timing and turn the oven off. My Gas Range is so dependable, too, and it's clean cooking and cool cooking—saves me money as well."

You too can be Mrs. America to your own family if you cook the modern way with Gas. See the smartest ranges money can buy! Your gas company and gas appliance dealers are displaying the newest 1954 models now during the Spring Showing of Automatic Gas Ranges.

EMPIRE GAS SOUTHERN CO. Only **Gas** gives such matchless performance

James Isbell, District Manager

SPRAYING

Trees-Weeds-Home Premises

Let us spray your trees and shrubbery with government recommended formula, or if you prefer, with your own formula — mixed to your specifications.

Now is the time to spray your pecan trees to control the pecan borer. Spray between now and May 27 and you will have this pest controlled for this year.

We can spray your premises for fly and insect control, lawns and alleyways for weed control or any job requiring power spraying equipment.

Call us for a free estimate of your job.

CALL

W. H. CHANDLER

Phone 113-J

J. B. MILLER

Phone 410

Ozona Sprayer Co.

CLEAR THE DECK!



W. T. Utilities Wins National Advertising Excellence Award

Recognition of outstanding achievement in the field of utility advertising came to West Texas Utilities Company this week when it was named as winner of a first place national award in the 1934 Better Copy Contest by the Public Utilities Advertising Association.

The awards were announced Friday afternoon at the annual convention of the Association in Boston, Massachusetts.

The First Place Award was achieved for the "Best Single Newspaper Advertisement Promoting the Use of Electric Service" and is the fourth such award received by the Company since 1949. This winning advertisement was produced by the Company's Advertising Department and appeared in this and other newspapers in the Company's service area.

This year's contest attracted a record of nearly 2,000 entries in 22 separate classifications. Electric, gas and transportation utility companies from practically every state in the union and from Canada and Hawaii were represented.

The Better Copy Contest of the Public Utilities Advertising Association is the oldest and largest continually conducted advertising competition in the United States. The contest just closed was the 31st of its kind and it has grown steadily in importance and sized throughout the years. Today the awards presented by this association are regarded as the highest recognition attainable in the utility advertising field.

SALESMAN WANTED

MAN WANTED for 1500 family Rawleigh business. Permanent if you are a hustler. Write Rawleigh's Dept. TXE-1530-123 Memphis Tenn. 1p



"It isn't so much the length of a man's life that matters. It's the depth."

Building... or remodeling? GET

LENNOX

ALL SEASON Aire-Flo AIR CONDITIONING

Ozona Butane Co. Ozona, Texas

Mattresses and Upholstery

WESTERN MATTRESS CO.

representative here Every Monday Leave name with Mrs. Beasley at 7-J or 176

Sul Ross To Offer Band, Majorette Clinic

Alpine, Texas — Again this year a band clinic and majorette school will be a principal feature of the first six weeks of the summer session at Sul Ross State College. The dates, June 7-16, inclusive, have been announced for this event by E. Joe Lee, clinic director.

Returning to Sul Ross as band clinician will be Walter Beeler, professor of music and director of bands at Ithaca College of Music, Ithaca, New York. One of the nation's outstanding band composers and arrangers, Beeler is a member of the American Bandmaster's Association, chairman of Editorial Board, Band Guild of America and has been band clinician and adjudicator in many states and at the national convention in Chicago.

For the second year, Ted Otis, of Long Beach, California, will be twirling clinician. Billed as the world's greatest baton twirler, he has been selected National Baton Twirling Champion five times. Otis has been drum major of the Notre Dame and University of Southern California bands. He is remembered most recently for his role in the movie "Stars and Stripes Forever", based on the life of John Sousa. Otis will teach all phases of twirling.

Captain New Killer Black Spot On Roses

College Station. — Rose growers troubled by black spot on rose leaves will welcome captain—a new effective control. This new substance added to a spray is a sure control for the number one enemy of roses.

Black spot first appears on rose leaves as tiny dark spots which spread and kill the leaf. It may also cause leaves to turn yellow and drop off. The loss of leaves weakens the plant and single flowers or pale flowers may form. Black spots causes die-back which begins at the bloom and runs all the way down to the roots.

Sadie Hatfield, homestead improvement specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says roses need to be treated within 24 hours after every rain. When the weather remains cloudy for a long period, roses should be sprayed once every ten days.

Various effective treatments for black spot are available, but sprays containing captain will stop black spot after it has started.

If you are in need of any kind of HOME REPAIR Work, call Ted Baggett, Phone 290. 44-tfc

Two sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sawyer, former Ozona residents, are to be graduated the same day, May 31, one from A & M College and the other from Brackenridge High School in San Antonio.

Jack Manley Sawyer receives his Bachelor of Science degree from A & M in Commencement exercises May 31 at 10 a. m., and then at 8 p. m., in San Antonio Johnnie Lee Sawyer will receive his high school diploma. The boys are grandsons of R. J. Cooke of Ozona.

Miss Mildred Ralston, deaconess at the Community Center, is attending a Methodist Assembly in Milwaukee, Wis., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fussell and son, Michael, of Rockdale visited Mr. Fussell's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Fussell, here last week.

New Haven, Missouri, Leader: "Because enough Americans saved their money and invested it in our factories, our economy and our jobs, our standard of living, our products, are what they are today."

Office Supplies—Stockman office



"Another trouble with Socialism is that it soon runs out of rich people and has to fall back on folks like you and me."



"Wonder why some decent people will suddenly become demons behind a wheel?"

Ladye Everett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Everett of Ozona, left this week for Austin to attend the graduation exercises of Austin high school where her cousin, Lois Grimmer, will be graduated. Ladye will spend the summer in Austin with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grimmer.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Troy Hoke, man and John, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. Charles Williams and Mrs. Floyd Henderson are in San Antonio this week attending the Southwest Texas Methodist Conference which will continue through Sunday.

Adding machines at the Stockman

Someday You'll Cook Electrically Why not Now!



Cool! Clean! Completely Automatic!

- Compact — only 30" wide
• Full-Width Oven
• Cook-Master Oven Control
• Cooking-Top Lamp
• Divided Cooking-Top
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• Porcelain finish

Only \$263.95 West Texas Utilities Company

Budget Terms

Accurate and Complete

RANCH RECORDS

Are More Important

Today Than Ever

Government regulations and heavy tax programs are destined to be a part of the American way of doing business for a long time. For that reason, it is more important today that every business keep accurate records of its operations.

The ranch business is no exception. With the stiff federal taxes, you will want to take advantage of every saving item in your expense account and at the same time have clear and convincing records available for inspection by tax agents to prove up any item on your income tax return.

Start now to keep a complete record covering all operations in your business with the Stockman's RANCH RECORD BOOK. Your cancelled checks or your present records can be transcribed to this handy record book, together with your income and inventory records and you can have your entire record in a simplified form contained in one volume.

Easy To Keep - Complete Record - In 1 Volume

THE STOCKMAN RANCH RECORD BOOK

PRIDEMORE & ALLEN

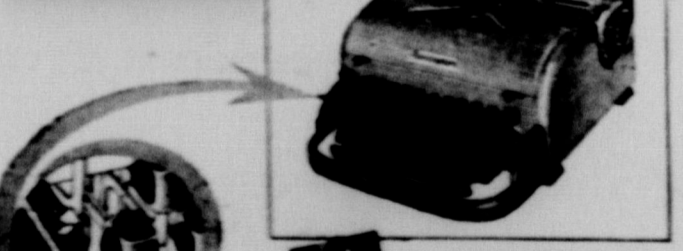
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THAT GOOD GULF GAS AND MOTOR OILS

Washing - Greasing - Tire Repairing and Accessories

We Give You Our Personal Service On All Washing & Greasing Jobs

NOW IT'S typing Reudin, Ratin, Rithmetic



with the REMINGTON portable typewriter

It has the Amazing MIRACLE TAB

Students! Type your way to better grades with the All New Remington Personal — the finest portable made. It's a real value-packed beauty — come in and try it. Carrying case included.

Pat. Feb. 15, 1932

THE OZONA STOCKMAN

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TORNADO SAFETY RULES

being "tornado time" of the always present possibility that one of the destructive winds may dip down on Ozona surrounding territory, local agencies, the Red Cross, Department and the Sheriff's have secured a set of "Tornado Safety Rules", compiled by the U. S. Weather Bureau and the Red Cross and asked that the information be passed along to Stockman readers in order that as many as possible might be saved in the event of such a disaster.

Know what to do when a tornado warning is received, or when one is observed, may mean the difference between life and death. There is no universal protection at tornadoes except caves or underground excavations. When a warning is received, the tornado rules say,

My Neighbors



And you, comrade, will go back to the U. S., get yourself a straight job, and swear every day and night on Sunday that you're not a communist!"

Political Announcements

Stockman has been authorized to announce the following candidates for offices as listed, subject to action of the Democratic Party. Candidates are listed in order in which they were registered:

- DISTRICT:**
 District Attorney, 112th Dist.: IRVIN BLACKBURN, Upton County
 District Attorney, 113th Dist.: ANNELL ASHLEY, Upton County
 District Judge, 112th Dist.: WIS JOHNSON, Sutton Co.
 District Judge, 113th Dist.: C. LANGDON, Upton Co.
 District Judge, 114th Dist.: B. R. PRIEST, Upton Co.
 Congressman, 16th Dist.: T. RUTHERFORD, Ector Co.
 State Representative 78th District:
 District 1: E. BURKETT, Upton County (Re-election)
 District 2: COUNTY JUDGE: STON SMITH (Re-election), M. WHITE
 District 3: Sheriff, Tax Assessor and District Clerk: O. EARNEST (Re-election), Y. BLACK, N. ROBERTSON
 District 4: County & Dist. Clerk: D. RUSSELL (Re-Election), BERT BAKER
 District 5: County Attorney: WARD M. LEMMONS, DON MAHON (Re-election)
 District 6: County Treasurer: J. DUDLEY (Re-election), Commissioner, Prec. 1: L. SEAHORN, ALPH JONES (Re-election), ANK JAMES, MES BAGGETT
 District 7: Commissioner, Prec. 2: D. COATES, L. GIBBS, DICK JONES, D. KIRBY, T. (BILL) MILLER (Re-election), L. LAXSON
 District 8: Commissioner, Prec. 3: S. (RUSTY) SMITH, MONTGOMERY, MMY NEWTON, NEST DUNLAP, NE WILLIAMS
 District 9: Commissioner, Prec. 4: E. YOUNG, GER DUDLEY, JR., W. (FATS) PARKER, C. COUCH
 District 10: Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: M. (BILL) JOHNIGAN (Re-election)

go to a storm cellar, cave or underground excavation which should have an air outlet to equalize air pressure.

If you are in open country, the rule says, move at right angles to the tornado's path. Tornadoes usually moved at about 25 to 40 miles per hour. If there is no time to escape, lie flat in the nearest depression such as a ditch or ravine.

If you are in a city or town, seek inside shelter, preferably in a steel reinforced building. Stay away from windows. In homes, the south west corner of the lowest floor or in the basement offers the greatest safety. People living in brick or stone houses should seek other shelter, preferably in a storm cellar or the basement of a frame house. If time permits, electricity and fuel lines should be shut off. Windows on the north and east sides of the houses may also be opened to help reduce damage to the building. Standing against the inside wall on the lower floor of an office building offers some protection.

If in school, the tornado rules specify, and the building is of good steel reinforced construction, stay inside, away from windows, remain near an inside wall on the lower floor when possible. Avoid auditoriums and gymnasiums with large, poorly supported roofs. In schools where there is no reinforced construction, remove children to ditch or ravine.

"Keep calm," says the safety rules. "It will not help to get excited. People have been killed running out into streets and by turning back into the path of a tornado. Even though a warning is issued, chances of a tornado striking one's home or location are very slight. Tornadoes cover such a small zone, as a rule, that relatively only a few of the places in a warned area are directly affected. You should know about tornadoes,

though, 'just in case.' Keep tuned to your radio for latest tornado advisory information."

Something about tornadoes is contained in the warning pamphlet. Tornadoes can occur any place in the United States at any time of the year, but they happen most frequently in the midwestern, southern and central states from March through September. The reader is advised on how to recognize a tornado: "Usually observed as a funnel-shaped cloud, spinning rapidly, and extending toward the earth from the base of a thundercloud. When close by, it sounds like the roar of hundreds of airplanes. 'Tornado weather' is described as 'hot, sticky days with southerly winds and threatening, ominous sky. However, many such days occur without tornadoes. Before a tornado, familiar thunderstorm clouds are present. An hour or two before it strikes, topsy-turvy clouds appear sometimes bulging down instead of up. The clouds have a greenish-black color.

Tornadoes occur most between 3 and 7 p. m., but they have occurred at all hours. In nearly all cases, they move from southwest to northeast. Length of path is usually from 10 to 40 miles, but they may move forward 300 miles. The width of path is 300 to 400 yards, usually, but they have cut swaths of a mile in width. The speed of travel of a tornado is from 25 to

40 miles per hour average, but they have varied from 5 to 139 miles per hour. Wind speeds are estimated up to 500 miles per hour within the tornado.

LADIES GOLF ASSN.

Playing golf Tuesday were Gladys Pierce, Velma Marley, Mary Friend, Wanda Stuart, Dorothy Pierce, Katie Jones, Margie Ramsey and Lillie Baggett. Winning balls were Gladys Pierce and Katy Jones. Donna Bath Davidson served coffee and doughnuts.

Next Tuesday, golfers will tee off at 8 a. m. Bridge players will assemble at 3 p. m., followed by a coke party.

Mrs. J. R. Kersey, who has been ill for some time in the Crockett County Hospital, was transferred last week to St. John's Hospital in San Angelo.



"The fellow who's always worrying about finding his station in life will sure find somebody to tell him where to get off!"

Ozona Wool & Mohair Co.
 BEALL BARBEE, Owner and Manager
 Phone 60

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RANCH SUPPLIES

FUL - O - PEP FEEDS

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"High-Priced" Mistake

Maybe you noticed the big "ad" Red Smith's Furniture Store ran in *The Clarion* last week. One item caused some embarrassment around here. It read: "4-piece Bedroom Suite, regular price \$119.50, bargain price \$149.50." Guess I didn't "proof-read" too well, and when our pressman asked for the go-ahead, I yelled, "Let 'er go."

All kinds of jokes about the mistake. One fellow asked if Smith's was holding the price line so tight it just snapped. Turned out fine in the end—Red sold that suite for the real sale price, of course.

From where I sit, it's lucky my carelessness didn't cost Red any business. I'm the one who's always "experting" on being careful—careful of our responsibilities, careful of our neighbors' rights. Even careful to respect the other fellow's preference for a glass of beer. Let's all make a bargain to be more careful in the future.

Joe Marsh

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HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From State Capitol

By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association

Austin, Texas — Texas' fast-flying governor returned from a vacation in Alabama, spent a few days in the state, and planned off to Korea, where he and other state executives will make an inspection tour at the invitation of President Eisenhower.

While in the capital, Governor Shivers was very busy doing these things:

Answering charges of disloyalty to the Democratic Party saying that when he supported Mr. Eisenhower for president in 1952 he was really fighting to preserve the principles of the party of Jefferson and Jackson because he wants the Texas party and the national party to return to those principles in unity.

Announcing that the campaign manager in his race for re-election will be State Senator Otis Lock of Lufkin, and that campaign headquarters in Austin would be opened right away.

Answering Stephen A. Mitchell, Democratic National chairman, who said that he would deal with the Texas Democratic Advisory Council, rather than the state democratic executive committee. Shivers told Mitchell: "I strongly suspect that your statement is announcement of your entry into Texas governor's race. I welcome that challenge."

Saying that Texas and other states need years to work out compliance with the non-segregation rule.

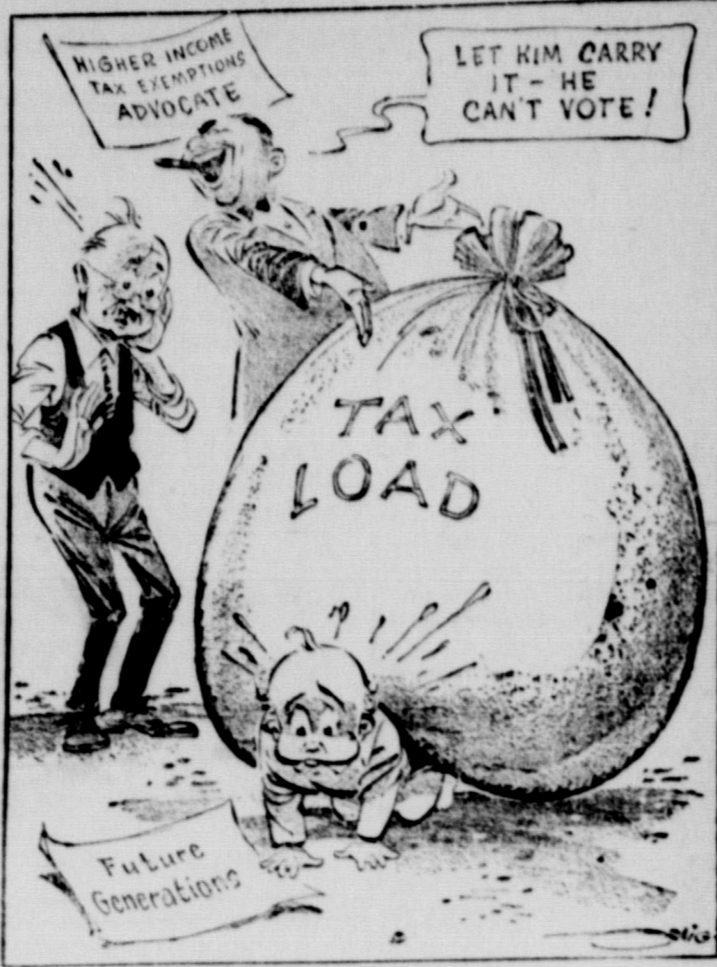
Promising that as long as he is governor, there will be no state sales tax or income tax.

Naming Weldon Hart, chairman of the Texas Employment Commission, as chairman of the newly-created Governor's Economic Advisory Commission.

Announcing that John Van Cronkrite, his former aide under attack in an insurance court case, is not in his present re-election campaign.

Insurance Muddle
There was comment from several sources on the insurance situation.

PASSING THE BUCKS!



Garland A. Smith, chairman of the state insurance commission, pledged the greatest possible protection to holders of policies issued by companies doing business in Texas.

Smith emphasized that state insurance laws are sound, fundamentally, but that some changes are necessary. He said some new laws will have to be passed, and that they probably will be, at the next session of the Legislature.

Attorney General John Ben Shepperd said he would appear before an El Paso County grand jury June 4 with evidence of possible criminal violations of Texas insurance laws.

At El Paso and other Texas cities, Shepperd has filed suits against insurance companies, forcing them into receivership. Charges have been that the companies were created through fraud and were insolvent.

Financial Reports
Attorney General Shepperd ad-

vocates a law requiring publication of all financial reports on all government levels.

Shepperd also opposed secret sessions of governmental bodies, saying, "There is no place on an open door for a sign saying closed meeting or executive session."

What has happened in Duval County, Shepperd declared, "can happen anywhere, and will, unless the lesson is told and retold."

TV in Education
J. W. Edgar, state commissioner of education, has appointed a 56-member group, authorized by the Legislature, to study the role of television in education. S. Mortimer Brown, El Paso school superintendent, is chairman of the body.

Allowables Up
Texas oil allowable for June will be 3,010,515 barrels, the Railroad Commission decided. That is an increase from the May figure.

Resort Lodges
Progress was being made in plans to construct four resort

lodges, each to cost about \$1 million, at Inks Lake near Burnet, Eisenhower Park on Texoma, Lake Whitney, and Texarkana Reservoir in Cass County.

This is a project of the State Parks Board. The money for building the lodges would come from revenue bonds. Private operators would lease the lodges and run them.

In and Out

About as many Texans went into the armed services as came out in April, says Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state selective service director.

Corbett Smith, Ozona school band director, who has resigned to accept a post as director of the band at Salisaw, Okla., where he will also operate a stock farm, was honored by members of the Methodist Choir and other friends with a going-away dinner at the Methodist church fellowship hall Sunday. Mr. Smith has served for many months as choir director at the church. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were presented with a chest of silver by the choir group.

IN AAU MEET

Larry Lewis, a member of the 1954 graduating class of Ozona High School and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lewis, will participate in the Texas AAU track and field meet in Houston on May 29. Larry

will enter the hop-skip and jump event. He had been under the coaching of Track Coach G. Womack before the Senior trip on the Senior trip to New Orleans. Larry will stop off on the Senior trip to compete in the Houston event.

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