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Here and There

By J. Troy Hickman

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There has been about three months since we've seen each other. About three weeks of this time I've spent in a Dallas hospital. I am now in the process of adjustment back to everyday life.

The people of Ozona have been kind to the Hickman family. Your thoughtfulness we shall not forget.

Our five and a half years as residents of Ozona we count as among the happy years of our lives. Not only do we treasure our friendships among our Methodist friends, but we feel a kinship to the whole community.

We are establishing temporary residence in Dallas where we expect to live until late May or early June, at which time we hope to be able to make more permanent plans.

God bless you and keep you.

Stockman readers who have been reading the splendid articles by J. Troy Hickman, which have appeared in this column for the past five years, will be happy to know that he has been released from the hospital in Dallas and is making progress toward recovery.

"I want to write at least one letter 'Here and There!'" he wrote in a letter accompanying the article. "Enclosed is a brief statement which I hope you can use."

To those of you who have been readers of the writings of Mr. Hickman, we need not remind you of the splendid literary talent nor the unusual perception and deep understanding of events possessed by this man we are proud to call our friend. Like you, we have enjoyed these jewels of composition from week to week and sorely miss them when we have to go to press without them. The Stockman has been blessed to have been the medium through which the penetrating observations and analyses, and thought-provoking discussions have come from the pen of this gifted writer, have been disseminated.

Through his writings, Rev. Hickman has exercised a type of leadership which has been wholesome and beneficial to this community. Some of us may have differed with him at times on some issues, but it is scarcely conceivable that there was ever a reader whose respect he failed to retain, even in disagreement. Revealed in every article was the man's deep sincerity of purpose, a full, full well of knowledge and an unusually facile and fluid style which contributed much to the reader's enjoyment.

Rev. Hickman is at present, in effect, on leave from the pastorate of the Ozona Methodist Church until the church's next Conference in May. Whether or not his health permit him at that time to resume his ministerial work, only he will tell. Whether he chooses that time or later to return to Ozona or to accept a different assignment, his friends both within and outside the church will wish and his splendid family the best that life has to offer. May God bless this His gifted servant.

Slick Oil Co. Extends Crockett Weger Field

The South area of Weger (San Andres) field of Crockett County has been extended one location with completion of Slick Oil No. 6 V. V. Weger, in 49-SF, 10 miles southwest of Big Lake.

It was completed for a daily output of 102.02 barrels of 31 gravity oil, no water, gas-oil ratio 1.250-1.

Production was through a 10-64-inch choke and perforations between 2,297-320 feet and 2,360-66 feet in 5 1/2-inch casing set on total depth of 2,550 feet. Completion was by acid.

Top of pay was picked at 2,297 feet on kelly bushing elevation of 3 feet.

Working pressure was 400 pounds casing pressure, 150 pounds.

Contract Letting For Radar Station Here Is Postponed

Feb. 20 New Date Set For Award By Army Engineers

Bid date for the Air Defense Command radar installation to be built five miles east of Ozona, originally set for Wednesday of this week, has been postponed to February 20, according to announcement by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, district office at Fort Worth, which is handling the contract award.

Postponement of the contract letting was made necessary by certain changes in the installation plans requested by the Air Force Air Defense Command, according to Alfred Rosenthal, chief, technical liaison branch, of the Fort Worth office. There is no change in the basic construction plans, Mr. Rosenthal said, but certain alterations in the installation plans requested by the Air Force necessitated minor alterations in specifications and the postponement of the bidding.

The radar installations, one of the network of aircraft warning stations to be strung across the southern fringe of the nation, will represent a construction cost of nearly a million dollars and a total outlay of an estimated 2 1/2 million dollars. It will be manned by a permanent personnel of 155 enlisted men, 16 officers and around 20 civilian employes, representing a monthly payroll of over \$30,000.

The installation will consist of twelve buildings, all of permanent type construction, plus the radar tower and related equipment. In addition to the station proper, Air Force personnel have indicated plans for acquiring additional land adjoining the site, on the Davidson ranch east of Ozona, on which to construct 40 residence type houses for married personnel stationed at the site.

Representatives of several Texas contractors have been in Ozona in recent weeks gathering information on costs preparatory to submitting bids on the project. Mr. Rosenthal, in a telephone conversation with The Stockman voiced the opinion that the project would be ready for the contract award on the new date, Feb. 20.

Gentle Rains Of Week-End Augment Snow's Moisture

Total Moisture Estimated Inch Generally Over Area

Last week's snow, rain and sleet, which brought most welcome moisture to West Texas ranch lands, the first since early fall, was followed up by slow falling rains over the week-end which considerably brightened prospects for winter and spring range conditions in the area.

The slow rains were spread over a two-day period, adding from a half inch to nearly an inch to the snow's moisture earlier in the week, totalling an average of around an inch over a wide area of West Texas.

Slow melting snow and the gentle rainfall allowed all of the moisture to go into the drought parched soil, penetrating to a depth greater than most two-inch rains, ranchmen say.

Shell Oil Slates Stepout In Crockett

Shell Oil Co. has filed application to drill the No. 2 E. C. Marrs, one location north of production in the Tippett field of Crockett County, nine miles south of McCamey.

It will be drilled to 6,600 feet with rotary. Estimated elevation is 2,675 feet.

Location, on a 92-acre lease, is 1,320 feet from the most northerly south line and 870 feet from the east lines of 3-GC&SF.

Ralph Jones Seeks 3rd Term As Precinct No. 1 Commissioner

Ralph Jones this week authorized announcement of his candidacy for re-election to the post of County Commissioner from Precinct 1.

Mr. Jones is seeking a third term on the Commissioners Court from Precinct 1. Elected to the post in 1952, he has served two 2-year terms and under the constitutional amendment adopted two years ago in which four-year terms for county officials is authorized, the Precinct 1 and 3 Commission posts, among others, were left at 2-year terms, the coming elections to name successful candidates for four-year terms.

Mr. Jones said in announcing his candidacy that he feels that he has gained a lot of experience in the management of county affairs as a member of the court and that if re-elected he will continue to devote his time and energy to the job, working always for the best interests not only of his precinct but of the county as a whole.

Last Minute Jam Is Forecast Here To Pay Poll Tax

Over 500 Yet To Be Issued with Only Four Days Left

Even if the rush starts this very day, somebody is going to have to stand in line for a while to get their poll tax receipts for this important presidential election year, it was forecast yesterday at the office of the sheriff and tax collector.

To the close of business Wednesday, a total of 882 poll taxes had been paid at the collector's office and with only four days left, after today, approximately 500 more receipts are expected to be issued.

The last election year total of poll taxes paid in this county was 1,293. The deadline for paying poll taxes to qualify for the privilege of voting this year is January 31—next Tuesday. If you haven't paid your poll tax, better rush up to the courthouse and get in line.

Lions Down Eldorado To Cinch Second Place In District Standing

By Ernie Boyd

The Ozona Lions had an easy time Tuesday night as they chalked up their second district win, downing Eldorado 56 to 41.

The Lions jumped into a commanding 28 to 8 lead early in the second quarter and were never threatened after that.

Johnny Ramirez hit for 22 points in the contest, much of it coming during the early Lion drive, but Eldorado's Curtis Stockton hit for 30 points to cop scoring honors. Stockton made all but 11 of his team's points but could not make the score close in doing so.

Bobby Martinez hit for 12 points while Jake Young, Juan Delgado and Lloyd West had six each.

The win pushed the Lions into third place with a two won and one lost record. The Lions will meet the district leaders, the Menard Yellow Jacket, in the Ozona Gym Friday night.

Ozona: B. Martinez 6-0-12; Babb 0-0-0; Young 3-0-6; Purdon 1-0-2; Delgado 2-2-6; Paulk 1-0-2; West 3-0-6; J. Martinez 0-0-0; Totals 24-8-56.

Eldorado: Steward 1-1-3; Stockton 13-4-30; Kaykendall 2-0-4; Phillips 2-0-4; Kerr 0-0-0; Robledo 0-0-0; Totals 18-5-41.

Freshman Jerry Jacobs turned loose a barrage of field goals in the final quarter Tuesday night as the Ozona B team walloped the Eldorado reserves 55 to 30.

The Cubs jumped into an early lead largely on the shooting of Stanley Williams and Bobby Sutton but could not move away until Jacobs poured in 16 points in the fourth quarter.

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Ozona Wins Third In Its Own 25th Cage Tournament

Del Rio Cops Championship Over Big Lake In Best Meet Yet

By Ernie Boyd

A field goal by Bobby Martinez in the last 6 seconds of a second overtime gave the Ozona Lions a 44 to 42 victory over the Iraan Braves and third place in the annual Ozona Invitational tourney.

A smooth Tom Taylor led the Del Rio Wildcats to their first victory in the tourney with a 48 to 43 win over the Reagan County Owls, while Eldorado put on a final period spurt to edge past Rock Springs to gain the Consolation trophy.

The tournament, which is one of the oldest in point of consecutive years held in West Texas, celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary with one of its best tourneys.

The sixteen teams started every game on schedule and the tourney was marked by a steady flow of good sportsmanship, fine officiating and good crowds.

The 1956 all-tourney team was made up of the following players: Johnny Ramirez of Ozona, Ken Ricks and Tom Taylor of Del Rio, Boze Hartgrove, Tommy Rees, and Howard Johnson of Big Lake, Roland Pollard of ACCHS, George Johnson of Sonora, Pete Perry of Menard and Lindy Lyles of Iraan.

Bill Pfluger of Eden was the winner of the most outstanding player award even though his team lost both its games.

Sonora, one of the pre-tourney favorites, failed to show much in the tourney while Ozona and Iraan both moved up a straggle contenders before losing very close contests with the two finalists, Iraan dropping a last minute 52 to 50 decision to Del Rio and Ozona lost a hard fought 60 to 56 game to Big Lake.

Ozona opened its bid for the title Thursday night with an easy win over Junction and then dumped favored Menard Friday night before losing to Big Lake Saturday afternoon.

Saturday night the tired Lions engaged the equally tired Iraan Braves and the result was the tourney's most exciting contest, going two overtime periods before Bobby Martinez stole the ball under the Iraan basket and sank the winning shot in the final seconds.

Famed 'Red Heads,' Girls Basketball Team, Booked Here

Femme Cage Artists to Play Men's Team In Local Gymn Jan. 31

The nationally famous All-American Red Heads, a classy team of girl basketball artists who play by men's rules and play men's teams, will make their second appearance in Ozona next Tuesday night, Jan. 31, in a game against a team to be fielded by the Ozona Lions Club. The Lions Club is sponsoring the Red Heads' appearance here and will share in the evening's proceeds.

The Red Heads made a big hit in Ozona two years ago when they beat an Ozona town team 49 to 41 in a fun-packed game in which the girl artists showed plenty of basketball savvy and exhibited some fine ball handling and trick shooting.

Heading the famous team of good lookers is Lorene "Butch" Moore, captain and fabulous pivot of the Red Heads. She is from Caraway, Ark. Other cuties composing the outstanding talent on this year's Red Head squad include Zethel Keith, clever jump-shot artist; Katherine Pitcock, guard and shapely ball hawk; Lorene Milligan, a 6' 1" pretty center for the Red Heads; Nellie "Peaches" Marlow, the Georgia peach and fast forward; Anette Binkley, six footer and defensive ace; and Jessie

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New Car Tags Go On Sale Here February 1

New motor vehicle license tags will go on sale in this county February 1. The 1956 tags are on hand in the sheriff's office and will be issued beginning Feb. 1.

To have your car or truck registered you will need your certificate of title and your last year's registration papers. Those who have truck trailers of over 4,000 pounds which have no serial number must make application for a serial number to be assigned before the trailer can be registered. Proper forms are available at the tax collector's office. A charge of \$1 will be made for the serial number, which must be die-stamped on the vehicle after being assigned.

Coffee Days Set, Mothers March On Polio January 30

Cafes, Drug Stores To Give Coffee Profits All Next Week

Putting over this year's March of Dimes campaign to continue the winning fight against polio is going to be harder than in previous years because of a complacency that has grown up as a result of the apparent success of the Salk vaccine.

Recognizing this situation, local M. O. D. campaigners will join in the nationwide effort to awaken people to the continuing need for more research and for a continued flow of funds to treat those victims for whom the Salk vaccine came too late and for those who will suffer the dread effects of the disease in spite of the vaccine.

As a gesture in this direction, cafes and drug stores in Ozona who sell coffee will set aside one day each next week to give the day's entire receipts from sale of coffee to the March of Dimes fund. Frank James, campaign director, this week announced a line-up of "coffee days" all next week. Check the list and remember the days — and when you drink coffee drop something extra in the pot for the polio fund.

The following "coffee days will be observed" in Ozona next week: Monday — The Hi-Way Cafe. Tuesday — The M&M Cafe. Wednesday — The 290 Cafe. Thursday — The Smith Drug Co. Friday — The Ozona Drug. Saturday — The Ranch Drug Store.

Workers are being lined up under the direction of Mrs. Jack Wilkins, chairman, for the annual Mothers March on Polio, set for Monday night, January 30. Mrs. Wilkins has solicited the help of all women's organizations in the city, each being asked to name two or more workers who will assist in the "porch light" campaign to be conducted the evening of January 30. Other workers will be recruited by Mrs. Wilkins and her helpers for a 100 percent canvass of Ozona homes to complete the 1956 polio drive.

Houston Oil Firm To Drill Two Tests In Crockett County

Slick Oil Co. Inc. of Houston has filed application to drill the No. 1-B University, one location southeast of production in the Farmers (San Andres) field of Crockett County, 18 miles north of Ozona.

It will be drilled to 2,720 feet with rotary. Elevation is 2,691.2 feet.

Location, on a 169.6-acre lease, is 330 feet from the north and 990 feet from the east lines of 10-50-University.

Slick Oil Co. also has filed application to drill the No. 4-A Maggie S. Neal, 1/4-mile northeast of production in the Weger (San Andres) field of Crockett County, 18 miles north of Ozona.

It will be drilled to 2,700 feet with rotary.

Location, on a 160-acre lease, is 2,310 feet from the east and 990 feet from the south lines of 2-76-Georgetown survey.

Final Examination Of Flood Plan Set At Meet Here Fri.

Various State And Federal Agencies To Be Shown Plans

Final steps in the tedious process of preparation of the work plan for the Johnson Draw watershed flood control plan by the Soil Conservation Service will be taken here Friday morning when the plan will be submitted by the SCS and sponsoring organizations to various state and federal agencies for their examination and approval or objection.

The meeting, to be attended by representatives of the state Soil Conservation Service office and of the various other state and federal agencies invited, will be held in the local SCS office in Hotel Ozona.

H. N. Smith, State Conservationist, with offices in Temple, has mailed letters of invitation to Colonel Harry O. Fisher, district engineer, Corps of Engineers, at Ft. Worth; to the Fish and Wildlife Service, Fort Worth; the Surface Water Branch, U. S. Geological Survey, Austin; the State Board of Water Engineers, Austin; the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation, Amarillo; the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, Austin; to the National Park Service; the A&M College system; the General Land Office, Austin, and the Commissioner of Agriculture, Austin.

"Plans have been developed with supervisors of the Crockett Soil Conservation District and representatives of the Commissioners Court of Crockett County for an informal review and discussion of the Johnson Draw watershed work plan at 10 a. m. Friday, January 27, in the Soil Conservation Service office in the Ozona Hotel, Ozona, Texas," Mr. Smith's letter to one group of the invited representatives said.

"The Soil Conservation Service has worked with the local people in developing work plan on Johnson Draw and have made plans for the informal review and discussion prior to printing it." If there is no objection from any of these agencies, and none is anticipated, the work plan will be ready for submission to the U. S. Soil Conservation Office in Washington where it will be further reviewed and edited and then ordered printed for distribution among the various Washington agencies interested, including a Congressional committee which will study the plan.

If there is no Congressional disapproval of the plan it will automatically stand approved after the lapse of a period of 60 days after its official submission in Washington.

At the end of the time lapse, the local SCS board of supervisors will be ready for the letting of contracts for construction of the retaining dams. Crockett county voters recently approved a \$200,000 bond issue to provide this county's share in the total cost of the project, estimated at around \$800,000. It will provide 86 percent control of the watershed and 100 percent protection for Ozona against a flood of the proportions of that of June, 1954.

Moore Gets Todd Field Extender

The Todd, North (San Andres) field of Crockett County has been extended one location northeast with completion of John L. Moore, et al. of midland No. 2-M Shannon Estate, in 10-10-University, 22 miles south of Big Lake.

The project was finalized for a daily flowing potential of 169.66 barrels of 28.3 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio 0.192-1.

Production was through a 16-64-inch choke and open hole between 1,816 feet, where 5 1/2-inch casing was cemented, and 1,865 feet, the total depth.

Top of pay was picked at 1,852 feet on elevation of 2,410 feet. Tubing pressure was 75 pounds with packer on casing. Pay section was acidized with 2,000 gallons.

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ESA Sorority Plans Apron Sale; To Pick Outstanding Members

Beta Rho chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority met recently at the Girl Scout house. President Miki Ratliff opened the meeting after which Pearl Lemmons introduced the speakers, Jean Fitzhugh, who spoke on care and discipline of children, and Nan West, who spoke on sterling silver.

The chapter plans an apron sale at an early date to raise funds. Named chairman of the sale committee was Jean Fitzhugh. Other members of the committee are Sarah Boyd, Marjo Felto and Jane Womack.

Billie Jo Hayes was appointed Tesan reporter succeeding Billie Chandler, who is moving to Del Rio. A check for \$10 was sent to the Santa Anna chapter to help pay for a television set for the daughter of a member who recently underwent brain surgery.

Baby Harrison was appointed chairman of a committee to select the outstanding members of Beta Rho chapter for 1955-56. Other members of the committee are Polly Perner and Greta Isbell. The winner will be presented at the February social.

Pledge pin ceremony was held for Sandra Augustine and Nancy Hall, with Pearl Lemmons and Miki Ratliff officiating.

Dr. H. B. Tandy has returned after attending an International Medical Convention in San Antonio this week.

Political Announcements

The Stockman is authorized to announce the candidacy of the persons listed below for the office under which their names are listed, subject to action of the Democratic primaries of 1956:

- For Sheriff, Tax Assessor & Collector: **BILLY MILLS**, **V. O. EARNEST** (Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Prec. 2: **U. S. (Rusty) SMITH** (Re-election)
- For County Attorney: **HOWARD LEMMONS**, **DIXON MAHON** (Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Prec. 1: **RALPH JONES** (Re-election)

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Texas State Teachers Assn. President Speaks At Local PTA Meeting

Tommy Thompson of Kermit, president of the Texas State Teachers Assn., spoke on the provisions of a proposed amendment to the Texas Constitution, to be voted on at the general election in November, providing for a teacher retirement plan, at the January meeting of the Ozona Parent-Teachers Assn., held in the school cafeteria.

Mrs. Janie Hull was chairman of the hostess committee of teachers. About 100 members and guests were present. The attendance prize went to Mrs. Stubblefield's second grade.

The next meeting of the P. T. A. will be Feb. 20. At that meeting, all past presidents of the local P. T. A., which began as a Mothers Club in 1913, will be honored guests.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Wednesday Bridge Club met at the House of Flowers Tea Room last week with Jean North, Margie Coates and Velma Lee Cooke as hostesses. Mary Deaton won high score, Francis Albers won low, Dorothy Friend, bingo and Pearl Lemmons won the traveling prize. Fall flowers were used as decorations and refreshments of pecan pie, coffee and tea were served to the following members present: Francis Albers, Leota Cox, Mary Deaton, Dorothy Friend, Pearl Lemmons, Mickey Ratliff, Jerry Sikes, Wanda Stuart, Joyce Terry and the hostesses, Louise Couch was also elected to membership in the club.

THE BIG LOSERS

So far, of the many contestants who have appeared on the country's most popular TV program, "The \$64,000 Question," only two have taken the risk of trying for the top prize. The others have stopped at \$32,000, \$16,000, or still lower levels.

One reason for this is obvious enough — the terrific bite that the progressive income tax takes out of large incomes or winnings. For example, if a single man with other income of \$4,000 were to actually clear \$64,000, after taxes, the prize would have to be an incredible \$448,711!

That's tough on individuals — it's far tougher on the country at large. This is the all-important point made by the Akron Beacon-Journal when it says: "Many a businessman has asked himself this \$64,000 question: Shall I invest, create more jobs with the hope of making more money? And after studying the tax rates, he, too, has often decided to quit while he was safely ahead. The big losers from such decisions are not the businessmen — nor the television contestants — but the small taxpayer and Uncle Sam."

School Cafeteria MENU

MONDAY
Veal Cutlets
Whipped Potatoes
Peas in Cream Sauce
Bread — Butter — Milk
Cupcakes

TUESDAY
Spanish Rice
Pinto Beans
Mustard Greens
Jello with Orange Slices
Bread — Butter — Milk
Cookies

WEDNESDAY
Smothered Liver with Onions
Buttered Potatoes
Green Beans
Tomato Wedges
Homemade Rolls — Butter Milk
Fruit Cobbler

THURSDAY
Barbecued Pork on Buns
Buttered Rice
Green Pea Salad
Peach Slices
Bread — Butter — Milk
White Cake

FRIDAY
Tamales Pie
Baked Potatoes
Stewed Apricots
Spinach
Bread — Butter — Milk
Brownies

FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Lindsey Hicks was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club last week in her home. High score was won by Mrs. Lee Childress, low score by Mrs. S. M. Harvick. Mrs. H. B. Tandy and Mrs. Joe Pierce won bingos and Mrs. Boyd Clayton won high guest. A salad plate was served to the following members and guests: Mrs. Early Baggett, Mrs. Tom Harris, Mrs. J. W. Henderson Jr., Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. Vic Pierce, Mrs. El-dred Roach, Mrs. Evart White, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. George Montgomery, Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Mrs. Lee Childress, Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mrs. Clay Adams, Mrs. Boyd Clayton, Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., and the hostess.

Mrs. Childress Hostess To Two WSCS Circles

Mrs. John Childress was hostess to members of the Jennie King and Sunshine Circles of the Methodist WSCS Wednesday morning in her ranch home north of town. Coffee and sweet cakes were served during the social period preceding the program.

Mrs. S. M. Harvick, leader, presented the study on Five Spiritual Classics. Mrs. O. D. West gave the devotional which was followed by other program topics given by Mrs. Clay Adams, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. R. A. Harrell, Mrs. Gene Williams, Mrs. John Childress and Mrs. L. H. Hicks.

Others of the eleven members present were Mrs. Ele Hagestein, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Sr., Mrs. Bailey Post, and Mrs. Taylor Word. Mrs. R. A. Harrell will be hostess at the next meeting, Feb. 8, at the two circles in her home.

Community Calendar

Jan. 27 to Feb. 2

FRIDAY
Friday Bridge Club
Girl Scout Meeting
Brownie Meetings

SUNDAY
Worship Services at your Church

MONDAY
M. O. D. Coffee Day — Hi-Way Cafe

TUESDAY
M. O. D. Coffee Day — M & M Cafe

Rotary Club
Ladies Golf Assn.

WEDNESDAY
M. O. D. Coffee Day — 290 Cafe
Methodist WSCS
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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones and Mrs. Dempster Jones and family attended a dinner in San Angelo Sunday, at the Hotel Cactus in honor of Mrs. William D. Jones. Mrs. Jones observed her 92nd birthday anniversary and is the mother of Ralph and Dempster.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cooper announce the marriage of their daughter, Pat, to Roy Mann. The wedding took place September 26 Ciudad Acuna, Mexico. Phone News to The Stockman

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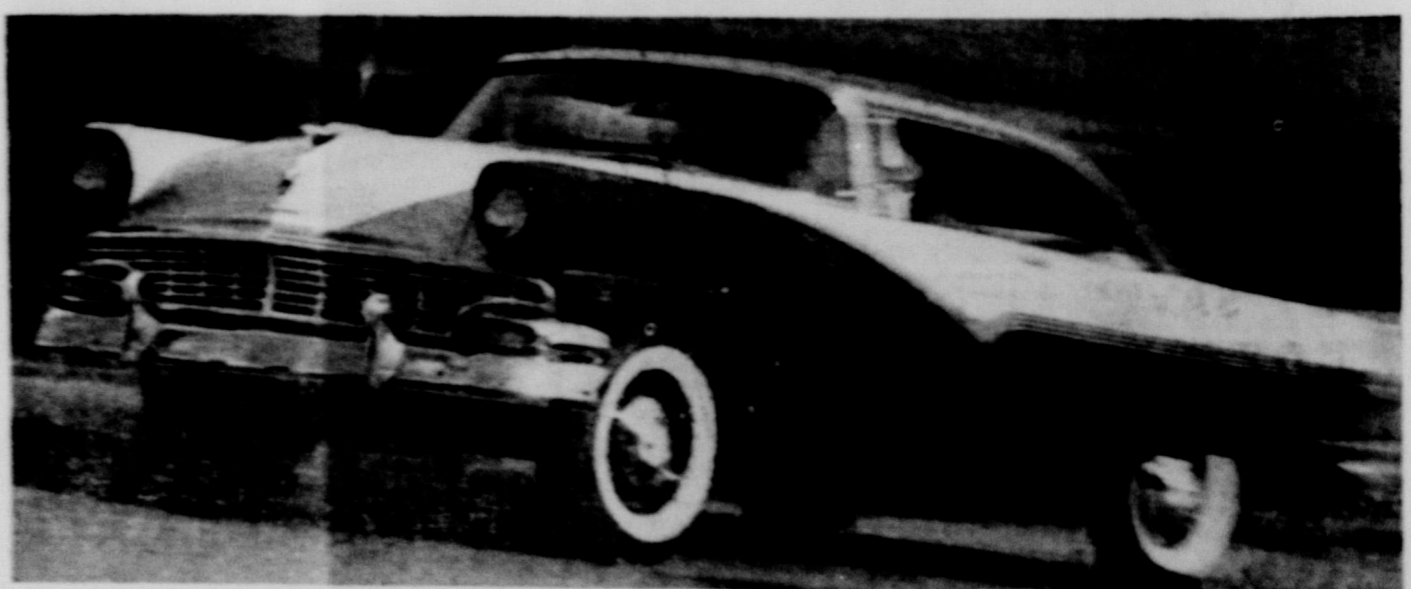
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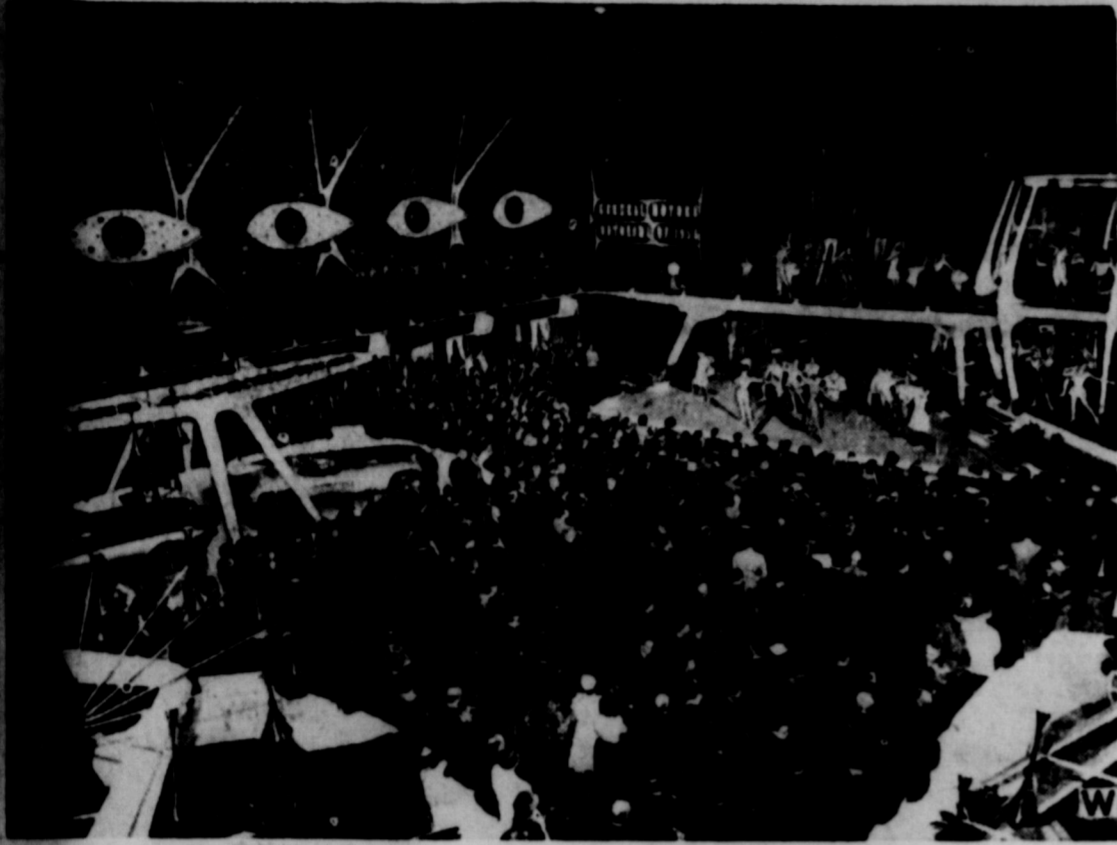
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NEW YORK—The possible pattern of highway travel of the future is dramatized in the General Motors Motorama of 1956, shown here as a New York audience watched fast-moving Motorama stage entertainment at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. After a Jan. 19-24 public showing in New York, the giant admission-free GM display of "dream cars" and other attractions will appear in Miami, Feb. 4-12 and later in Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Boston.

An Open Letter To the People of Crockett County

I wish to express my appreciation to the Crockett County residents for passings, by a majority of 389 to 12, the \$200,000 bond issue to finance the area's part of a joint plan of the Soil Conservation Service providing a flood control plan for Johnson Draw.

I certainly feel the people of Crockett County are to be congratulated for their spirit of unification and cooperation in giving wholehearted approval to this project. It is my belief that this evidence of good faith on the part of Crockett County voters will convince the Soil Conservation authorities that the project was highly desired and will assure these authorities of the full cooperation of the people of that area. Without a doubt, it will expedite the survey which I hope will lead to the construction of adequate flood control facilities as quickly as possible, thereby preventing any chance for a repeat of the disastrous flood

of the summer of 1954.

Again, many thanks for your cooperation and you may be assured that I will endeavor at all times to cooperate with both the local and federal officials in this matter and will be of all assistance possible.

Sincerely,
J. T. Rutherford
(Congressman, 16th Texas District)

G. A. GIRLS MEET

Members of the Baptist G. A. met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Buster Loudamy opening the meeting with prayer. Joy Richardson served refreshments. There were 10 present at the meeting, Tuesday of next week, members will bring clothes for the needy. Bonnie Purdom, reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne E. West will return Friday from Temple. Mr. West underwent surgery last Tuesday and Mrs. West also received medical attention. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Albers went to Temple to accompany them home.

Employers Of Four Or More Must Pay Unemployment Tax

Almost 2,800 firms in West Texas — those who hire four, five, six or seven workers — are reminded again by Wayland Krizan, district director of the Texas Employment Commission, that they may have been brought under the Texas Unemployment Compensation program on January 1.

Krizan advises that these West Texas employers held a recent public statement by Weldon Hart, chairman of the Texas Employment Commission, and contact the state TEC office at once.

Krizan quoted Hart's statement to the effect that "it would be to their advantage to do so immediately, so that penalties and assessments of back taxes can be avoided."

WHITE WOMAN wanted to work in nursery at the First Baptist Church Sundays and Wednesdays. If interested call 317-W or 325-J.

Three New Wells In Farmer Field Have 55 Bbl. Potential

The Farmer (San Andres) field extreme north central Crockett county has gained three extensions.

Hancock Oil Co. 4-A University, 3-40-University, was completed for a daily flowing potential of 11.91 barrels of 30.6 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio 110.1. Production was through a 24-64-inch choke and perforations between 2,415-510 feet in 5 1/2-inch casing set at 2,600 feet, the total depth. Pay section was acidized with 500 gallons and fractured with 12,000 gallons and 22,500 pounds.

Top of pay was picked at 2,415 feet on elevation of 2,740 feet.

Tubing pressure was 210 pounds casing pressure, 60 pounds.

Slick Oil Co. has completed two

location south extensions, both in 11-50-University, nine miles southwest of Big Lake.

The No. 7-A University, was completed for a daily flowing potential of 163.56 barrels of 32 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio 1,122-1.

Production was through a 10-64-inch choke and perforations between 2,563-83 feet, 2,594-606 feet and 2,625-38 feet in 5 1/2-inch casing set at 2,730 feet, the total depth. Completion was natural.

Top of pay was picked at 2,563 feet on kelly bushing elevation of 2,712 feet.

Tubing pressure was 200 pounds, casing pressure, 675 pounds.

The No. 8-A University was completed for a daily flowing potential of 90.91 barrels of 31.3 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio 1,375-1.

Production was through a 10-64-inch choke and perforations between 2,628-642 feet in 5 1/2-inch

casing set at 2,730 feet, the total depth. Completion was natural.

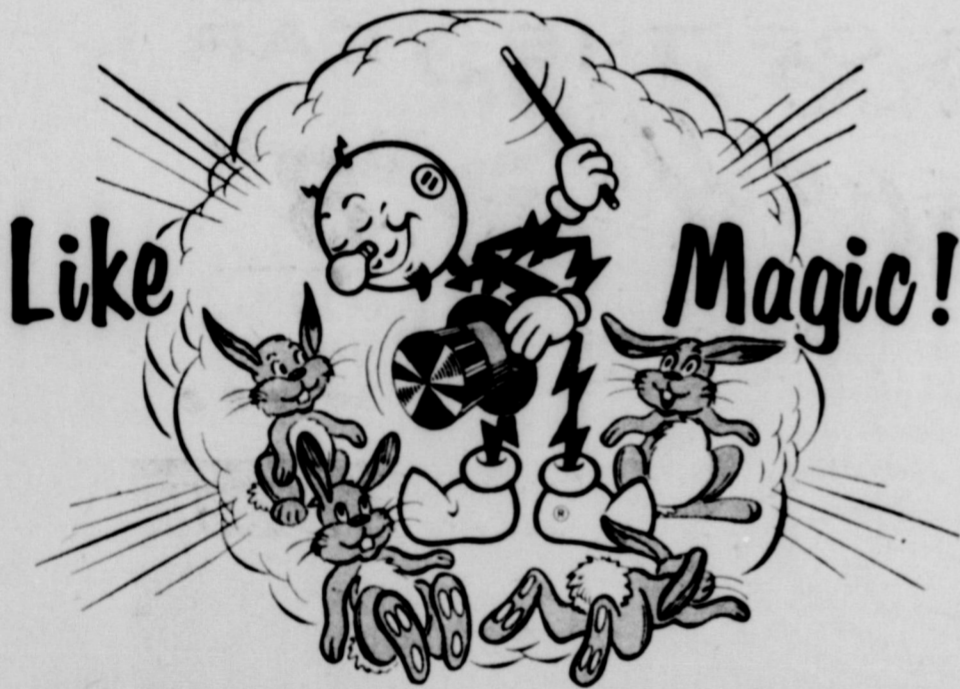
Top of pay was picked at 2,628 feet on kelly bushing elevation of 2,712 feet.

Tubing pressure, 175 pounds; casing pressure, 400 pounds.

Ronnie McMullan and his roommate, Larry Dempsey from Iraan, students at San Angelo College, were in Ozona visiting Ronnie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby McMullan and Joe during the weekend. They also attended the Ozona Basketball Tournament.

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EDITORIAL

What would you call America's most priceless asset? Surely, not its limitless natural resource, not its matchless national wealth, not its unequalled store of gold, not its giant factories, not its surpassing railroads, not its unprecedented volume of cheap power. Is not its most priceless asset the character of its people, with their inexhaustible energy, their boundless courage, their indomitable self-confidence, their transcendent vision, their sleepless initiative, and, perhaps above all, their inherent irrefragable optimism?

The British are famed for their tenacity, their grim fixity of purpose, their stoicism under adversity. But Americans meet adversity, not with dour determination, but with lightheartedness, with a smile on their faces, and a pun on their tongue. "Tomorrow will be a better day"; "You can't hold a good man down"; "Smilin' through." That's our national spirit. Gloom may last for a night, but optimism returns in the morning.

GOSSIP

The girls from OHS have found out that those far away places may have strange sounding names but after a tournament like we have just had, the name is the only strange thing. Ask Alma, Martha Dee, and Wanda Mc. about McCamey. They will probably know quite a lot about the first string basketball team from there. Well, they should know about them anyway, they were with 'em enough.

Then if you want to know about Uvalde, ask Genelle. And if you want to see her blush, ask about the girls that came down from there. Ann B., Becky, Marilee, Suzann, and Sally should know about Eden. Every phase of it; young and old alike. Janice, although pretty well making the rounds, finally settled down to Lakeview.

Del Rio was entertained by Wanda and Cecelia. (Since Cecelia is going steady, I shall not elaborate on this subject.)

The tournament also brought out something else. Boys' senior rings. Last Thursday, Cecelia got Jerry's and Carolyn got Mike's. Saturday night, Carolyn had to give hers back but I think Cecelia can keep hers until Jerry gets back. No sir, our OHS boys aren't taking any chances.

Carol F. stuck with Sul Ross this week-end. Jody came home! There is a new steady couple to be added to the Sands of time in the history of OHS, George B. and Beverly K. Congrats, kids.

Well, "see ya" later, Alligators." And to you, Bennie Friend, "see ya" later, Crocodile."

A WORD OF THANKS

There are a number of people who helped make our tournament a success. Here we would like to thank those people.

First, the wonderful hospitality the Ozona town people showed during the tournament.

The families who kept the out of town boys in their homes.

The Ozona High School team for playing such good games, and also for winning "us" 3rd place.

The Seniors would like to thank all who patronized the concession stand, and the women who donated sweets and sandwiches.

Fads and Fashions

Here it is the middle of January and everyone seems to be getting tired of their old winter sweaters and skirts. Not many of the girls are getting very many new clothes at this time of year. I have noticed a few new things such as the beautiful little white angora collar with red roses embroidered on it. This belongs to Genelle Childress. Carol Blackstone is wearing an all black ensemble with a pink blouse showing under the low necked black sweater. Carolyn Stuart seems to be type that can wear this long straight look such as the plaid blue straight top over the straight skirt. Suzann Dale, our bright and shining editor, looks awfully cute in her gold corduroy skirt and vest over a white boys blouse trimmed in gold stitching. A few of the girls already coming out in their navy and black cottons. Elizabeth Pearson has worn a very cute black print with pink and yellow roses on it in a

princess fashion. It seems that the boys are even getting tired of this old winter weather. I've noticed a few of them with their long sleeve shirts rolled up the last few days. Don't worry the summer days will be here soon.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

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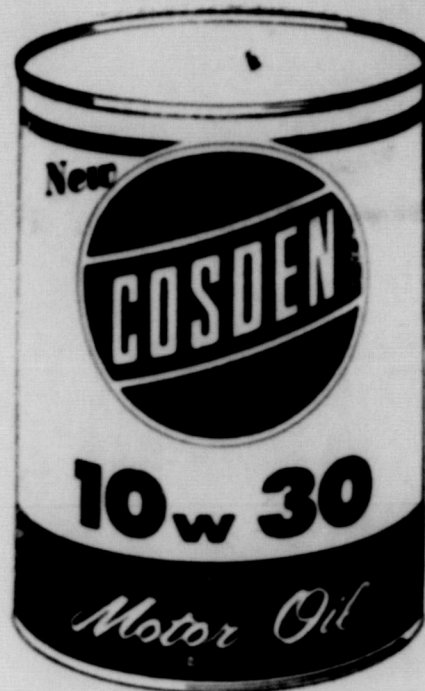
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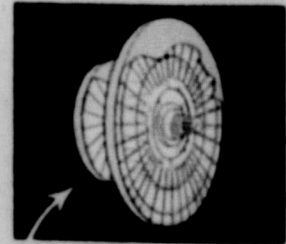
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1.30	1.40	.50	2.95	3.05	1.10	1.18	.32	.20	.40	2.80	2.20	18.30
.78	1.55	.50	1.50	4.49	3.10	2.33	4.30	6.65	.25	.30	2.35	28.10
.50	.30	.15	.20	.31	.18	.18	3.95		1.35	1.95	.15	8.14
1.30	.10	1.35	.98	2.10	2.25	.85		.33		.80	.25	10.98
	1.75	.78	7.28	2.40	4.13	.90	7.53	.85	1.05	.63		27.30
.33	.40	1.30	1.10	3.83	2.47		3.84	1.50	.50	.50		15.77
.30	.40	1.95	1.50	2.10	2.25	1.40	1.40	3.80	1.50	1.00	2.84	20.34
.97	.50	.40	1.83	2.58	2.43	7.49	.35	.70	.50		.72	22.47
.35		.47	1.13	2.12	.47	5.13	2.38	.47	2.20	2.70	.95	20.25
.35	1.24	.83	1.70	2.15	2.65	.28	3.95	.27	2.97	2.95	.20	19.74
2.00	1.57	2.58	4.10	2.14	6.20	2.50	3.21	4.78	7.65	.28	.98	38.08
.37	.55		2.08	.10	.20	1.60	4.26	1.10	3.91	.90	1.25	16.32
.45		.43	.25	3.13	2.70	1.18		3.37	.25	.78	1.85	14.38
1.73	1.12	.73	1.68	1.84	1.70	3.01	5.20	.22	1.04	1.77		20.04
.31	.86	1.58	1.55	.67	8.54	5.56	.63	1.97	3.19		.22	25.58
1.30				3.90	2.70	.80		1.10	3.00	.70	.70	14.70
2.70		1.80		.50	2.10	.20	2.80	1.50	.60	2.50	1.00	15.70
	1.50	.10	.70	1.90	.10	2.30	.30	.50	1.00		.30	8.70
2.00	1.70	.20	2.50	4.60	2.40	1.30	2.50	4.20	7.40		1.10	29.90
.30	.50		2.40	3.70	.60	2.80	1.60	5.40				17.30
	.18	1.26	1.39	1.04	1.31	.33	1.40	.05	27			7.23
		.50	1.61	2.16	.27	.90		.82		1.04	.97	8.27
	.20	1.26	.41	1.32	1.73	.50	4.40	.17	2.45		.33	12.77
.18	.22	.11	5.95	1.91	12.46	.22	0.00	1.16	2.49	0.00	0.00	24.70
.18	.22	.11	5.95	1.91	12.46	.22	1.16		2.49			24.71
1.09	.59	.13	1.41	2.54	1.55	2.15	1.68	1.24		.63		13.01
1.06	.66	.69	1.55	2.45	2.45	1.76	1.74	2.20	1.76	.88	.85	18.32

Lambs Sharply Higher;
The fat lambs trade was fully 50 cents higher at Fort Worth Monday. Fat lambs with No. 2 pelts topped at \$18 also, and were 50 cents to \$1 higher. Pelts of No. 2 length; No. 1 and also full woolled lambs sold from \$16.50 to \$18.00 when good and choice, and the Knox County Club boy's commercial lamb experiment crop topped at \$18.50.

Cull, common and medium slaughter lambs sold from \$13.00

to \$16.00. Stocker and feeder lambs sold at \$14.00 to \$16.50, those at the later figure bearing No. 3 skins. Several lots of woolled lambs attracted bids up to \$17 and \$17.50 from feeder interests, but salesmen sold them for slaughter to enable the owners to get his incentive wool payment.

Other classes of sheep were in small supply and fully steady to strong.

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FESTIVAL OF MUSIC
A "Festival of Music" in which the world's great concert and opera stars will perform on television the world's greatest music will be presented by the National Broadcasting Co. on television Monday night, Jan. 30. The program will be from 8 to 9:30 (EST) and will feature such artist as Marian Anderson, Artur Schnabel, Renata Tebaldi, Roberta Peters, Jan Peerce, Zinka Milanov, Leonard Warren, Isaac Stern and others.

The News Reel

Continuation of "The Ozona Story" as planned from the files of The Ozona Stockman

January 27, 1927

Business men and citizens of Ozona in general who are interested in the organization and work of the Chamber of Commerce will meet at the Hotel Ozona Tuesday evening, February 1. The meeting was called at the suggestion of a number of business men and community boosters who have realized the need for a Chamber of Commerce in Ozona.

Formation of a local Scout organization was undertaken this week on the occasion of a visit by Bryce Draper, Scout Executive of the Concho Valley Council, which includes Ozona. Capt. C. C. Minatra presided at a meeting which was held at 2 o'clock in the auditorium of the Hotel Ozona with more than 50 present.

Another wrestling bout, this one between Jack Gorman, "pride of West Texas", and Clyclore of Toronto, Canada, "Welterweight champion of Canada," will be staged at the Ozona Theatre Wednesday night, Feb. 2, according to an announcement received from Sam W. Faust of San Angelo, promoter. The match will begin at 8:45.

More than 100,000 head of Lubbock County lambs were shipped out through the shipping point at Barnhart during the season just closed, according to records kept by J. B. Westfall of Barnhart. The lambs weighed from 70 to 70 pounds and brought an average of 10½ to 11 cents.

A basketball squad composed of Ozona High School athletes is being whipped into shape by Coach Lloyd, who was recently added to the local coaching staff on the suggestion of J. S. McCreary. A good representation is out every day for practice and a strong team is expected to be developed.

of the Ozona Church of Christ and friends of the pastor and his wife very pleasantly surprised Mrs. Walter Cook on the occasion of her birthday last Thursday evening when they gathered at the parsonage for a party in honor of the day. Mrs. Bert Kincaid and Mrs. T. E. Cobb were hostesses for the occasion.

Lee Wilson has heard the call to greener fields. His ability has been recognized by the Buick Motor Company and he has been assigned to the agency for four counties instead of one as he had here. We hate to lose men of his caliber from the community, but it is necessary, and we bid him godspeed and wish him unstinted success.

The Sophomores entertained the Seniors with a masquerade party at the lovely home of Mrs. Roy Miller Friday night. The guests were entertained with games of delightful kinds and fortune telling. At the close of the games a delicious Mexican supper was served followed by hot chocolate and cake.

Miss Beulah Baggett, Miss Tessie Kyle and Miss Francis Burke entertained with a dinner party at the Hotel Ozona Saturday evening. The fortunate guests, sharing the pleasant hospitality were: Misses Margaret Childress, Mildred Davis, Marguerite Serfine, Ethel Bennett, Eleanor Ingham, Mary Childress, Pauline Perner, Rachel Graham, Annie Lee, Mildred North, Johny Cross, Helen Chapman, Louise Coates, Kathryn Baggett Mrs. J. M. Baggett.

Walter Augustine returned Monday from a visit to San Antonio.

Bill Grimmer was a business visitor to San Angelo Thursday and Friday of last week.

S. S. Moore, a brother of Mrs. Joe Pierce, has been employed as bookkeeper and night clerk at the Hotel Ozona, it was announced this week.

Mrs. P. C. Perner, Jr., and Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Jr., attended the concert in San Angelo, Tuesday night presented by Leon Fleisher, concert pianist.

LET'S TALK
LIVESTOCK
BY TED GOULDY

Feeding Projects Work

Fort Worth — On Monday the farm youth of Waco and McLennan County who participated in the commercial beef project sponsored by the Waco Chamber of Commerce marketed their cattle. The top end of the steers sold at \$19, the days highest beef cattle price.

This group shared marketing honors with the commercial lamb feeding youths from Knox County, when these boys sold a string of fat lambs, the top end of them at \$18.50, also the day's highest figure for their class. The \$18.50 price for lambs was the best in some time at the market.

Cattle, Calves Steady

Small supplies of cattle and calves sold about steady at Fort Worth Monday, except fed steers and yearlings, which were weak to 25 or 50 cents lower. Shortfed cattle were off the most.

Comparative prices: Good and choice steers and yearlings \$15.50 to \$19.00; common to medium kinds \$10.00 to \$15.00; fat cows \$10.00 to \$12.50; canners and cutters \$6.50 to \$10.50; bulls \$10.00 to \$14.00; good and choice slaughter calves \$15.50 to \$18.50, few higher; cull, common and medium grades \$10.00 to \$15.00; stocker calves \$18.00 down; steer yearlings \$17.50

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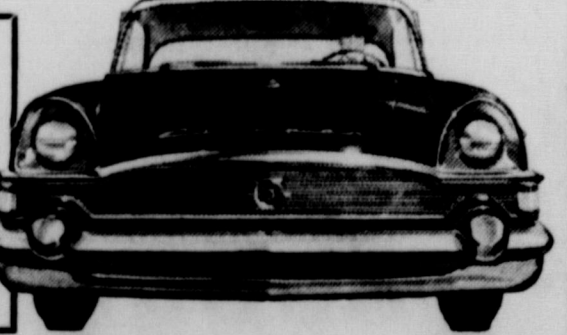
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STATEMENT SHOWING BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS JAN. 1, 1935 THROUGH DEC. 31, 1935 COUNTYWIDE



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Childers Shows Areas Of Travels Woman's Club Meet

Ozona Woman's Club met last night in the home of Mrs. White. Mrs. P. T. Robison, Mrs. W. R. Hannah were co-sponsors.

The theme for the program was "The Way Through World War II." Mrs. Ira Carson, leader, presented Dr. Clyde Childers of San Antonio former pastor of the Baptist church here, who showed color slides and lectured on travels in Egypt, Lebanon, and England.

Members of club members were present for the program. Those present were: Mrs. Hubert Baker, N. W. Graham, Mrs. W. N. Ab, Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mrs. Ingham, Mrs. Stephen Perdra, V. I. Pierce, Mrs. Eldred, Mrs. P. T. Robison, Mrs. Sims, Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Mrs. Williams, Sr., Mrs. R. E. Berger, Mrs. Bill Adams, Mrs. Harrell, Mrs. Paul Perner, Alice Baker, and Mr. and Ira Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Hatley, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Evert White, and Mrs. O. D. West, Mr. and Taylor Word, Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. W. W., and Dr. and Mrs. J. A. ell.

Farm Operators Must Pay Social Security Tax On Employees

Farm operators who have paid out as much as \$100 in cash wages to farm employees during 1955 should file an employer's tax and information return for agricultural employees, S. Baker Mallett, administrative Officer-in-Charge of Internal Revenue Service of San Angelo office announced today. This tax return should be filed with the Director of Internal Revenue, together with the social security taxes on the wages shown on the form.

Mallett emphasized that this report of wages paid for agricultural labor must be filed with Internal Revenue Service by January 31, 1956. The return should show the name, social security number, and wages paid every employee whose cash from the farmer amounted to \$100 or more.

Yamouth To Drill Two Spouts To Farmer

Yamouth Oil Co. has filed application to drill two 1/4-mile spout production in the Farmer (San Juan) field of Crockett County, 2 miles south of Big Lake. The projects, on a 161.48-acre tract in 2-50-University, will be drilled with rotary to 2,800 feet. The No. 1-K University, is 330 feet from the south and east lines of the southwest quarter. The No. 2-K University, is 330 feet from the east and 1,014 feet from the north lines.

Dr. E. C. Cunningham of Ozona, who recently underwent surgery at a San Angelo hospital, is reported making satisfactory recovery.

San Antonio Operas To Be Previewed For Music Club Tonight

The Ozona Music Club will hold one of their outstanding programs of the year, Thursday night, February 2, on a study of the Operas to be presented this year in San Antonio.

The meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harrell. Hosts for the evening will be Mr. and Mrs. Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Gray, Mrs. George Russell, Jr., Miss Cleona Quiett, and R. K. Wimberly.

Miss Wanda Watson will be program co-ordinator. Operas to be studied are: "Turando" by Tuccini, "Tosca" by Tuccini, "Faust" by Gounod, and "Barber of Seville" by Rossini. Olin Downes, who will be commentator for the program, will review Tito Gobbi and Cloe Elmo along with other Metropolitan Opera Stars and also show a film on "The Barber of Seville."

The regular January meeting of the Music Club was held in the home of Mrs. Ted White. At the business meeting the following slate of officers was elected: president, Mrs. Dub Pettit; vice president, Mrs. Howard Lemmons; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Roy Killingsworth; recording secretary Mrs. Otto Pridemore; treasurer, Mrs. Frank James; auditor, Mrs. J. W. Howell; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Ted White. Mrs. George Russell was program co-ordinator for the program which followed the business meeting. Included on the program were a book review of "The Enchanting Jenny Lind" by Laura Bennet given by Mrs. Dub

Pettit, a piano solo by Jan Pridemore, and a violin solo by Mrs. Marlon Barber. Following the program refreshments were served by Mrs. White, Mrs. Howard Lemmons, and Mrs. D. J. Brewer.

WILLING WORKERS CIRCLE

The Willing Workers Circle of the Methodist WSCS met with Mrs. John W. Henderson, Jr., Wednesday morning for the study "Five Spiritual Classics." Mrs. Charles Williams, Sr., was study leader. The meeting opened with the Psalm "Send out thy light and thy truth, let them lead me, let them bring me to thy holy hill, and to thy tabernacle."

Mrs. H. B. Tandy talked on holiness, family prayer and prayer. Mrs. Williams gave an outline of the life of St. Augustine. Mrs. Joe Pierce III gave a talk on "Truth—What is Truth?" Mrs. Paul Perner discussed "What is the Christian Way." The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Joe Pierce. Those present were Mesdames J. A. Fussell, Paul Perner, Joe Pierce, Ray Piner, H. B. Tandy, Stephen Perner, Charles Williams Sr., Joe Pierce III, Jno. W. Henderson, Jr. and Miss Isidra Verver.

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Game time will be 8 p. m. in the Davidson gym. Admission prices will be \$1.50 for adults and 50 cents for children.

Lions Down Eldorado —

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Jacobs led the scoring with 20 points scored in two quarters while Jimmy Harris scored 14 for the losers for second honors.

The Ozona freshmen experienced no trouble in racking up their fifth win against no losses this year as they walked off from an outclassed Eldorado five 31 to 13.

The Cubs starting five ran up a 26 to 2 lead before going to the bench at the half. Reserves played the balance of the game getting outscored in the last two quarters 16 to 5.

Jerry Jacobs, David Sikes and Bobby Sutton all had 6 points to lead the scoring but all five Cub starters had four points or more.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted: Mrs. A. C. Hoover, medical; Mrs. Felipe Vargasa, III, obstetrical; Bobbie Don Blair, medical; Felix Yanes, surgical; Armandara Sanchez, surgical; Linda Ramirez, medical; Mrs. J. W. Powers, obstetrical; Mrs. Jose Galan, obstetrical; Mrs. Evodio Garcia, surgical; and Matilda Villareal, medical.

Patients dismissed: Charlie Fauntos, Mrs. Olegario Coriel, Mrs. Dillen Merritt, Mrs. Felipe Vargasa III.

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Miss Jean Price Honored At Gift Tea Tuesday Afternoon

Miss Jean Price, bride-elect of Kerry Lange of Ballinger, was honored with a gift tea Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bob Franklin. Hostesses were Mrs. Franklin, Mrs. Byron Patterson, Mrs. Edd Cade, Mrs. Dan Cullins, Mrs. L. A. Greer and Mrs. Charles Butler. Mrs. Butler greeted guests at the door. In the receiving line were Mrs. Franklin, Miss Price, Mrs. W. E. Price, the honoree's mother, and Mrs. Julius Lange, mother of the bridegroom-to-be. Hostess at the bride's book was Mrs. Edd Cade.

Presiding in the dining room were Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Greer. The table was laid with a white damask linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of white stock and blue iris in a silver bowl. White chandeliers in silver candelabra completed the centerpiece, with a silver coffee service on one end and white cake on the other, along with nuts and mints, completed the tea table.

The honoree's chosen colors of blue and white were carried out in floral decorations and throughout the house. Corsages were of white carnations and blue net. Gifts were displayed on tables laid with white cloths with Mrs. Dan Cullins as hostess. Also in the house party and assisting the hostesses were Miss Judy Patterson and Mrs. Lorane Hyde, sister of Mrs. Charles Butler. Approximately 40 guests attended.

Miss Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Price of Ozona, will be married to Kerry Lange, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lange of Ballinger at 3 p. m. February 5, in the First Baptist Church of Ozona.

Bettie Ann Haire G. C. Bruce Are Wed. In Sat. Ceremony

Miss Bettie Ann Haire became the bride of G. C. Bruce in a ceremony performed at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, Jan. 21, in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church.

The wedding rites were performed by the Rev. Troy Dale, pastor, in the presence of members of the families and a few friends.

Attending the couple were Mrs. white linen street length dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias. After a short wedding trip the

couple will be at home in Ozona. The bride attended Ozona High School. The groom is employed in oil field work in the area.

Out-of-town guests attending wedding were Mrs. Walden, man of Seminole, and Miss Flanagan of San Angelo.

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