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THANKS AT THE POLLS

J. T. Rutherford Gives Your Support

(An Editorial)

The Democratic primary balloting on July 28 election will appear to name one man to whom the county owes a great big debt of gratitude for a magnificent job on their behalf in the Congress and in the administrative branches of government in Washington, D. C.

The man is J. T. RUTHERFORD, congressman from the 16th Congressional District of Texas

which includes Crockett county. J. T. Rutherford did more, perhaps, than any other man to guide

successfully through administrative and legislative channels the Johnson watershed control plan.

Thanks to J. T. Rutherford's untiring efforts in our behalf stand as finally and officially approved by the government and ready for the start of action on and after July 21.

Final approval of the Johnson flood control plan has

been accomplished in this session of Congress in the face of the unrelenting opposition of the various agencies ever thrown up before

the project. The project went through the various public hearings submitted to the various federal agencies intermingled its way to the Department of Agriculture and to the Bureau of the Budget

whose approval is necessary to be secured before the project can be approved by Congress.

A vague objection by the Corps of Engineers sent the project back to the Soil Conservation Service and the Department of Agriculture for a re-evaluation.

It was running out for the project since Public Law 566, which its construction could be authorized by Congress, required a 45-day wait period

before Congress. By the time of the decision by the Corps of Engineers had been overcome and the project brought back to the Budget Committee.

Congressional adjournment had appeared certainly less than a day away and the project seemed to be in jeopardy.

It was the administrative agencies, however, that were holding things up and getting in the way of speedy action in the slow-moving governmental process.

The still possibilities that the project could be brought before Congress at this session, and he enlisted support of members of both Houses of Congress for speedy approval of the project. It reached Legislative Committee Rutherford set out getting an amendment

through the Congress to cut down the time period, which threatened to delay the flood control project well into the next session of Congress in January 1957.

Efforts in this direction were successful last Friday when the Senate passed the House approved a bill to reduce the time period to 15 days instead and sent the measure to the House for the President's signature.

The progress on the case could be breath-taking speed here in the final days of Congress, a feat that seemed like years of delay to the Executive Department.

Congressman Rutherford wrote the editor under date of July 11, "I am now hopeful we will be able to get off what seemed an impossible task only a few short days

ago." (Continued on Last Page)

Goodfellow Field To Furnish Water Carnival Features

Miss Wool & Miss Mohair Other Highlight Of Extravaganza

The stage was all set at mid-week for the greatest show yet when the Ozona Lions Club stages its third annual Water Carnival and Bathing Beauty Revue at the North Pool Friday night, July 20.

The appearance of Miss Wool in the person of lovely Miss Jan Turbeville of Lockhart, and Miss Mohair, beautiful Miss Nancy Bryan Hunt of Sonora, and a fancy diving exhibition, a water clown act and a complete water show and swimming exhibition by a group from Goodfellow Air Force Base at San Angelo will be highlights of the evening's thrill-packed program.

More than fifty teenage Ozona girls and a couple dozen tiny tots will take part in the bathing beauty revue, sponsored by local business firms. Out-of-town judges will judge the beauties and handsome trophy awards will be presented to the winners in both the Senior and Junior divisions.

Both Miss Turbeville and Miss Hunt will be presented on the reviewing stand in their coronation gowns. Miss Turbeville's an all-wool creation and Miss Hunt's of mohair. Miss Wool will also model a dress ensemble of wool.

Three Goodfellow AFB officers will perform amazing clown acts from the diving boards and in the pool and ten officers' wives, members of the GFAFB "Gadettes," will stage water ballet numbers and swimming exhibitions said to be one of the finest water shows ever seen in West Texas.

Ladies composing the group are Mrs. R. R. Brown, Mrs. F. C. Catlin, Mrs. R. C. Crawford, Mrs. R. C. DeWattville, Mrs. C. E. Hansen, Mrs. J. H. Hill, Mrs. F. C. Rogers, Mrs. J. H. Simon, Mrs. J. W. Troller and Mrs. T. C. Cummings. Mrs. B. J. Hein is the director of the group.

The Goodfellow portion of the program will open with a comedy clown number titled, "Loet and Found Diving Board."

The program by the Gadettes will be divided into two acts. Opening number will be "The Waltz of the Star Flowers," presented by the entire cast. Next number will be "The Bunny Hop," by Mrs. J. W. Troller, Mrs. R. O. DeWattville, Mrs. J. J. Hill and Mrs. B. J. Hein. The entire cast then will perform a demonstration of "Synchronized Swimming."

The second portion of the Gadettes' program will open with "Lovely Hula Hands" by the entire cast. Lt. James Roberts, former member of the champion Southern Methodist University diving team, will be presented in a demonstration of Precision Fancy Diving. Gadettes Mrs. B. J. Hein and Mrs. R. R. Brown will present a number, "Go Man Go," followed by a clown exhibition titled, "Sink Row Nized Clowns." The finale, "Salute to the Air Force," will be done by the entire cast.

Tickets for the carnival are now on sale by the Lions Club. Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students. There will be ample seating for the crowd, the club planning to borrow a set of portable bleacher seats from the Sonora Public Schools. The program is scheduled to begin at 7:30 o'clock Friday night.

J'ne Originals To Show In San Angelo

A showing of J'ne Originals will be presented in San Angelo, Tuesday, July 24th in the Catilian Room of the Town House.

This is the second presentation of the collection designed and made by Miss Jeannene Thompson of Ozona. Miss Eve Demoss, director of L'Academie finishing in San Angelo, is in charge of models and will commentate on the show. There will be a luncheon from 12 to 1 p. m. The public is invited.

BATHING BEAUTY REVUE REHEARSALS THURS. NIGHT

Girls who will participate in the Lions Club annual Water Carnival Bathing Beauty Revue Friday night at the North Swimming Pool will hold a rehearsal at the pool Thursday night from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Beecher Montgomery will direct the rehearsal. The little tots in the Junior Revue are asked to report at the pool at 7 o'clock and the older girls at 8 o'clock tonight (Thursday). Girls should report to Mrs. Montgomery at the pool for rehearsal of their march before the judges.

Sales Lagging In Fire Dept. Drive To Finance Convention

Ozona Volunteer Fire Department reports the sale of tickets to the Firemen's Ball which will climax the Hill Country Firemen's Convention to be held here next month is dragging.

The Firemen are offering the dance tickets at \$2 each, but since the department is using this means of raising sufficient funds to finance its role as host department to the convention of firemen from a dozen or more towns in the Hill Country area, they will be glad to accept your donation of a five or ten spot if you feel inclined.

The convention, set for August 14, will bring representatives from volunteer departments of this area to an all-day meeting, which will feature speakers conversant with problems of fire fighters and open forum discussions of latest fire fighting methods. A fun feature of the semi-annual convention is the contests which will feature the afternoon program. Teams from the various departments compete in contests of speed in hooking up hose connections and other phases of the work of the fire departments ordinarily for the more serious purpose of fighting fires.

A barbecue dinner will be served the visitors at the noon hour. The only way the host department has of raising funds for financing the convention is through the sale of dance tickets. If you have not been contacted, see a member of the department today and buy one or more.

Republican Party To Have Co. Convention Here at 4 p. m. Aug. 4

Crockett county Republicans will hold a county convention at the courthouse in Ozona Saturday afternoon, August 4th, at 4 o'clock p. m., R. A. Harrell, Republican county chairman has announced.

This will be the first full scale county convention ever held by the Republican party in this county. Principal purpose of the convention will be to name delegates to the state convention to be held August 28 in Corpus Christi.

Testing Continues On Ellenburger Discovery; Textita Spots 2 Tests

Pure Oil Co. No. 1-D University, in 11-44 University Crockett County Ellenburger discovery located 8 1/2 miles southwest of Barnhart and between the shallow Block 44 and 47 fields, flowed 208 barrels of 42.2 gravity oil, plus 4.2 barrels of acid water in 24 hours.

Flow was through a choke of unreported size and perforations between 2,208-78 feet.

Testing continued.

Textita Oil Co. will drill two outposts to a northeast area of the Shannon (San Andres) field of Crockett County.

The tests will be drilled with rotary to 2,500 feet with operations starting when permits are granted.

The No. 3-A M. Shannon Estate, 3/4-mile south, is 990 feet from the east lines of 2-Q-EL&RR. Ground elevation is 2,642.6 feet.

The No. 4-A J. M. Shannon Estate, 1/4-mile south and slightly west, is 330 feet from the south and 2,310 feet from the east lines of 2-Q-EL&RR. Ground elevation is 2,618.6 feet.

Regional Playoffs For Little League, Pony League Here

Local Field Approved After Minor Changes Are Completed

By Ernie Boyd

Ozona landed two playoff tournaments in district conferences held in Big Lake and Ozona this week.

The Ozona park was chosen as the site of at least two days of the district Little League playoffs and was also selected as the site for the teen-age district play offs to be held later in the month.

Little League playoffs are scheduled to get under way at 7:30 p. m., Monday, July 24th, when the San Angelo South League Champions meet the Sonora all-stars. At the same time the East and West League champion of San Angelo will meet in San Angelo to see which will meet the Ozona All-Stars in Ozona Tuesday night.

The tourney will include four teams from San Angelo and one each from Sonora and Ozona. Fred Hickman was chosen as meet director with Gordon Griggs of San Angelo being selected as his assistant.

The district committee decided that games which pit two San Angelo teams against each other will be played in San Angelo.

Ozona was also selected as the site for the Teen-age play offs on July the 30th and 31st. The teen age play offs will involve McCamey Big Lake, and San Angelo with two Ozona players having been chosen by Big Lake to play with them. The two local players who were chosen by the district champs are hard hitting Kent Babb, and right-handed pitcher Bobby Sutton.

Certain alternations and additions as required by the district committee are now being carried out at the local park. A Little League fence and a closer backstop were two of the chief requirements but neither constitute much of a problem.

Ozona Teams Win Junior Judging; Eldorado FFA Sr.

First Range Judging And Field Day Held Here Friday

Crockett County 4-H Club Range Judging Teams won two first places and a second in the first annual Crockett Range Judging Contests held on the Bill Baggett Ranch last Friday. Eldorado FFA won the senior division of the junior judging contests, beating out the Crockett County 4-H team by 22 points with a score of 750 to the local team score of 728. Ozona FFA was third with 705 points. By virtue of having the highest scoring team, the Eldorado FFA team was presented the Revolving Trophy Cup by the Ozona National Bank.

Eldorado FFA team members were Jimmie Whitten, over-all high individual with a score of 254. Dick Runge, 2nd high individual with 248 points, Ernest Nimitz and Sherrill Dannheim.

Crockett County 4-H Club members were Jacquelyn Williams, 3rd high individual with 245 points, Carl Conklin, Johnny Jones, who tied for first place in his age group with 248, and Roy Mann.

Ozona FFA team members were Mark White, Bill Black, Joe Boy Pierce, and Kent Babb.

In the 13-15 age group, Crockett County 4-H was first. Team members were Pleas Childress, who tied with Johnny Jones and Ernest Nimitz of Eldorado for first place with a score of 248. Herbie Noelke, Pierce Miller, and Bob Childress were other members of this first place team. Ozona FFA and Sutton county 4-H tied for second and third with a score of 669. Ozona FFA members were Clayton Friend, Mike Miller, Bill Holden, and Chris Hagelstein. Sonora team members were Tommy Love, Clair Jones, and Joe Freiss.

Locations In Farmer, Midway Lane Field In Crockett Co. Spotted

Union Oil & Gas Corp. of Louisiana has filed application to drill its No. 4-A University one location south of production on the west side of the Farmer (San Andres) field, of Crockett County.

The project will be drilled to 2,700 feet with rotary. Operations will begin soon.

Location, on a 159.78-acre lease, is 330 feet from the south and west lines of the northeast quarter of 7-50-University Lands survey.

Jack Holt has filed application to drill his No. 1 Holt 1/4-mile northwest of a 1 1/2-mile southeast extension to production in the Midway Lane field, 12 miles northwest of Ozona.

The project will be drilled to 1,300 feet with cable tools.

Location, on a 40-acre lease, is 330 feet from the south and east limits of 4-Chamber esl survey.

Clark Barton, Former Ozonan, Dies In San Antonio; Burial Mon.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 Monday afternoon from the Porter Loring Funeral Home in San Antonio for Clark Barton, 67, a former resident of Ozona, who died at his home in San Antonio Friday at 4 p. m. after a long illness.

Mr. Barton was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Barton of Ozona. He came here with his family while he was in his early teens and attended public schools here. He and the former Letitia Coates, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Coates, pioneer Crockett county ranch people, were married in Ozona Feb. 4, 1908. They had been gone from Ozona about 35 years, living most of that time in San Antonio.

Surviving are the widow and one daughter, Mrs. A. H. Saegert of San Antonio, and two granddaughters, Marilee and Bonnie Lynn Saegert.

Miss Dollye Coates, a sister of Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Oscar Kost, a niece, Miss Shirley Kost, Oscar Kost, Bud and Roy Coates from Ozona attended the funeral services Monday.

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Senate Committee Gives Flood Plan Tentative Okay

Final Action Held Up Pending Clearance By Army Engineers

Only by a paper-thin margin did the Johnson Draw watershed control project fail of final approval by the Senate Agriculture and Forestry Committee, which gave it tentative approval Wednesday morning but postponed final action pending clarification, in the committee's mind, of the objections originally raised by the Army Corps of Engineers to the engineering design of the dams.

The Senate committee, headed by Senator Allen J. Ellinger of Louisiana, gave tentative approval to the work plan and authorized the chairman and the ranking Republican, Senator Aikin of Vermont, to give it final approval when the presumed differences of the Corps and the SCS were resolved. The committee will be in recess for the next few days, information from the capital indicated, but the committee action will leave the way open for final approval in spite of this fact.

That all differences between the Corps of Engineers and the SCS had been ironed out even before the project won approval of the Bureau of the Budget and the House Committee on Agriculture was the information from both agencies elicited in telephone calls to Washington by local backers of the project yesterday.

From the office of George H. Roderick, assistant Secretary of the Army, information was elicited that the Corps of Engineers considered the matter closed when their suggestions were adopted in subsequent re-evaluation by the Department of Agriculture and the SCS and this view was evidently adopted by the House committee which gave it prompt approval.

Meanwhile, Congressman J. T. Rutherford and Senators Price Daniel and Lyndon B. Johnson continue their attention toward gaining final approval of the project, which, if all goes well, is scheduled to have successfully ended its agonizing sojourn in official Washington to become finally approved and cleared for construction planning on July 21. On that date the plan will have been before Congress 15 days and an amendment, passed by both houses of Congress reducing the wait period from 45 days to 15 days, under the small watershed control act, Public Law 566, is on President Eisenhower's desk and was scheduled to be signed by him yesterday or today. Final approval by the Senate Agriculture Committee is the last step in the plan's journey toward governmental authorization. This action was confidently forecast by Washington observers, but local backers were keeping on the alert in an effort to assure final action before the adjournment of Congress.

Tex. Republican Leader Aided In Johnson Draw Flood Plan Approval

Houston, — Work Plan for the Johnson Draw Watershed Project has been approved by the Bureau of the Budget and has been submitted to Congress. Republican National Committeeman H. J. Porter has been advised by Percival Brundage of Washington, D. C., director of the budget.

Porter was also notified of this action by Dr. Gabriel Hauge, Administrative Assistant to President Eisenhower.

Porter moved in to get action upon the project at the request of ranchers, farmers and citizens in the Ozona area who suffered a disastrous flood in 1954. R. A. Harrell Ozona, Republican County Chairman of Crockett County, and Edwin S. Mayer of Sonora, District Committeeman, aided in getting the data prepared for the project.

Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Russell and children are in Austin for a few days this week visiting relatives.

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YOU CAN'T CLIP A TV PROGRAM

Dorothy Kilgallen, the columnist and television star, recently had something pleasant to say about newspapers as reading matter.

"You can read on a train crossing the desert or on plane at 17,000 feet above the Atlantic — no static, no fading, no blips," says Miss Kilgallen. "You can read in a bath or while hanging onto a pole in a crowded bus. You can read as much or as little as you want, as fast as slowly as you want."

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Those principles are the bedrock foundations of our strong and rich America today. They are what have made our country the freest of all nations, the most prosperous and strongest economically, and the most powerful on the face of the globe.

TAX-SPENDING MONOPOLY

The Topeka Daily Capital takes an exceedingly dim view of socialism. And it recently expressed its criticism in forthright terms.

A demand has been made, for obvious political reasons, that two Interior Department undersecretaries be fired for the crime of suggesting that private electric companies should be allowed to buy power generated in certain government plants.

The Daily Capital mentioned this, and then said: "The public power advocates have fought every effort to give private enterprise the authority to build their own dams and generate power. They would load the taxpayers with excessive burdens for government installations, which largely are non-tailable. These same left-wingers who are trying to bring about a centralized government, as against a free enterprise system, raise their voices every time a move is made to get the government out of business."

"While screaming against 'private monopoly' these socialists are working for a tax-spending monopoly."

The "blockaders," who are fighting taxpaying private power development tooth and nail, are determined that the people shall have socialized power — or no power at all. That is the long and short of it. This is an ideological battle, and its outcome will do much to determine if we are to remain a free people — or a government bossed and dominated people.

Pam Jones, who has been attending Camp Waldemar near Hunt, Texas, has returned to her home here. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dempster Jones, brought her back Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress, and children, left Wednesday morning for Kansas City to take Miss Melissa Smith to her home there and to visit the Childress farm in Missouri before returning home. Miss Smith has been visiting in the Childress home here for several weeks.

FOR SALE — Fresh milk cow with third calf. L. B. Cox & Son, Inc.

Miss Shirley Kost returned Sunday after a three-weeks trip during which she attended the international convention of Delta Gamma Sorority held in Quebec, Canada. Miss Kost, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kost of Ozona, is treasurer of the Delta Gamma chapter at S. M. U. where she is a student. The SMU chapter had the largest delegation of any chapter at the convention.

T. A. Kincaid, Jr., of Ozona, vice president of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers Assn., has been named a member of the Texas Drouth Relief committee selected by Texas Agriculture Commissioner John White.

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Mr. and Mrs. Byron Cleere are enjoying a vacation trip to Colorado.

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Phone News to The Stockman

Plymouth Completes Prolific Producer On Owens Crockett Ranch

The Olson field of Crockett County has gained a prolific producer and a location south extension with completion of Plymouth Oil Co. No. 10-M J. W. Owens, in 9-GGT&NO, 18 miles southeast of Iraan.

It was completed for a calculated, daily flowing potential of 841.20 barrels of 28 gravity oil, no water.

Potential was based on an actual four-hour flow of 140 barrels of oil through a choke of unreported size and perforations between 2,112-28 feet and 2,136-56 feet in 5 1/2-inch casing set at 2,220 feet, the total depth.

Pay section was fractured with 15,000 gallons. Top of pay was picked at 2,113 feet on derrick floor elevation of 2,662 feet.

Tubing pressure was 120 pounds, with packer on casing.

WESTS HAVE SON

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne E. West are the parents of a son born July 6 in the Crockett County Hospital. The baby weighed four pounds, 14 ounces and has been named James Michael. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne W. West and Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Tandy. The Wests have three other children, Wesley, 5, Bobby, 3, and Wilda Fae, 2.

Mrs. Tom Powers is visiting relatives in Tulsa, Okla.

Sarah Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Hicks, is home from the University of Texas in Austin where she is attending summer school.

Ground Observations Corps Assignments

Fri. July 20 — Chas. Bailey
Sat. July 21 — Best
Sun. July 22 — W. J. Bailey
Mon. July 23 — Ernest
Tue. July 24 — Bill
Wed. July 25 — Chas. Bailey
Thurs. July 26 — Bill

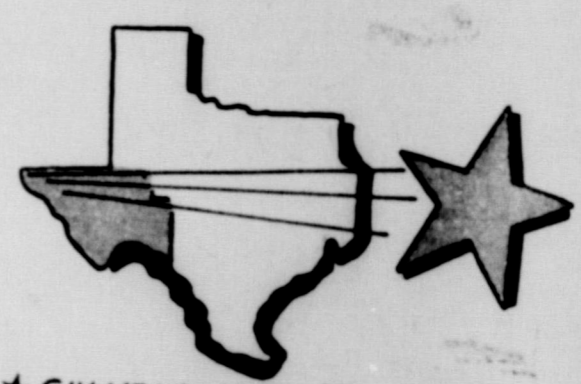
Any person whose name appears on the above assignment schedule and who can not attend day assigned should call Chas. Bailey, post supervisor, for substitution may be made. Those who are a member of the Corps should call for the schedule each week. Call Mr. Bailey.

Advertisement for 'Little FLEWELL' with text: 'SO YOUR HOUSE IS POORLY HEATED WHEN LAST WAS YOUR FURBACK TREATED'.

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Illustration of three men at a table with a document labeled 'ANTI-COMMUNIST LEGISLATION'. Text: 'IT'S A FIGHT WE MUST CARRY ON-DAY IN AND DAY OUT!'.

Illustration of a man with a top hat and a globe. Text: 'J.T. RUTHERFORD HAS OPPOSED FOREIGN AID GIVE-AWAY PROGRAMS!'.

J.T. RUTHERFORD AS A MEMBER OF THE TEXAS SENATE VOTED TO OUT-LAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND HAS CONTINUED FIGHTS AGAINST SOCIALISM AND COMMUNISM AS A MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES!

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Walker, Ozonan, Weds Falls Rites

Rites were read July 17 at the Falls Union Church by Rev. J. Noble At- pastor, was assisted by O. Walker, Jr., brother in officiating for the bride. The bride is the daughter of Mr. O. Walker of Grand- piece of Ted M. White attended high school while making her home here. The bride- son of Mr. and Mrs. of Smithville. Mr. White and Mark at- wedding. Mrs. Chester Taggart wedding music and ac- bridegroom and his William A. Raeke, who wore a floor-length white silk organza ac- bands of Chantilly turtip veil of illusion to a cap of lace and carried a colonial white carnations, pink white stephanotis. Mrs. E. Kahn of Falls served her sister as groom. Mr. Raeke of Wichita best man and ushers White of Ozona, Henry Smithville and Thomas Falls Church. The ceremony, a recep- in the Grandfalls Hall. Wedding trip to New couple is at home in Mr. Raeke is em- and director of the and plans to attend Texas State College, San out-of-town guests at- wedding. He was graduated from School in 1951, an ac- flutist with the band was the first Ozona represent the local member of the all- While a student she for the choral group pl. She attended South- State Teachers Col- Marcos where she was a music major in Ozona Music Club pre- in her college piano Ozona in May of 1954. member of the January, ting class at SWTSTC. public school music at one year and last year same subject in the schools.

Miss Martha Bailey Is Honored At Coffee In Littleton Home

Miss Martha Bailey, bride-elect of John Lee Henderson, was hon- ored at a gift coffee in the home of Mrs. Lowell Littleton Saturday morning, July 7. Hostesses were Mrs. Littleton and Mrs. Pleas Childress.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Boyd Clayton and Mrs. Stephen Perner. In the receiving line were Mrs. Littleton, Miss Bai- ley, Mrs. T. J. Bailey, the hono- ree's mother, Mrs. Claude Russell, Mrs. Kay Black and Miss Helen Henderson.

Music during the coffee hour was provided by Miss Wanda Car- den and Mrs. R. A. Harrell at the piano and Mrs. M. A. Barber on the violin.

Presiding at the coffee service in the dining room were Mrs. Ash- by McMullan, Mrs. Jack Wilkins, Mrs. Roy Henderson and Mrs. Floyd Henderson. Assisting in the dining room were Misses Genelle Childress, Melissa Smith, of Kan- sas City, Ann Baggett, Janice Spencer, Susie Schneemann, Carol Friend, Carol Blackstone, Carolyn Stuart and Mary Mitcham of San Angelo. In the gift room were Miss June Perner, Mrs. Max Schneemann and Mrs. Pleas Childress. Members of the house party took turns at registering guests in the music box bride's book.

A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in deco- rations, with pink carnations and white gladioli used in the living room and entrance hall. The serving table was centered with a beau- tiful wedding bell made of green grapes sprinkled with pink carna- tions, the whole frosted in pink. The buffet was centered with pink wedding bells which were flanked on either side with ar- rangements of pink carnations and white lillies. In the gift room the tables were decorated with clus- ters of white wedding bells and o- ther arrangements of white daisies about the room.

About 150 guests called during the reception hours.

SON TO SCHNEEMANN

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schneemann of Big Lake are the parents of a son, named William Dan, born Sunday in a San Angelo hospital. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Max Schneemann of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Way of Texon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Boyd and daughters, Susan and Carol, vis- ited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Clark in Ackerly, Texas, over the week- end.

Miss Mildred North has return- ed from Austin where she has been attending the University of Texas summer school, working to- ward her Master's degree.

IN HOMETOWN AMERICA



Son Of Ozonan Trains ROTC Cadets At Hood

Fort Hood, Texas — Lt. Col. James C. Donaghey, son of M. B. Donaghey, Ozona, Texas, is help- ing train ROTC cadets at Fort Hood, Texas, this summer.

Colonel Donaghey is a professor of military science and tactics in the ROTC program at Guthrie High School in Okla. The Colonel entered the Army in 1940. Among his awards he holds the Silver Star, the Bronze Star Medal and the Combat Infantryman Badge.

He was graduated from North- eastern State Teachers College. His wife, Doris, lives in Guthrie, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Gray and daughter, Sylvia, visited their par- ents in Stillwater, Okla., this week.

To The Voters Of Precinct No. 1 . . .

I have made an earnest effort to contact personally each and ev- ery voter of this precinct.

If I have failed to see you, will you please take this note as a personal contact to ask for your vote and support on July 28th.

Sincerely,
DOYLE PERDUE
Candidate For Commissioner
Precinct 1. 16-2p

Six Ozona girls, members of the Ozona High School band, are at- tending the annual band clinic at McMurray College in Abilene. The Ozona girls are Becky Davidson, Alleane Young, Beverly Killinge- worth, Elizabeth Pearson, Sally Baggett and Carolyn Mayfield. The clinic will be in session two weeks.

Re-elect **J.T. RUTHERFORD** To CONGRESS 16th District

Sixth Pay Zone Is Opened In Tippett Field, West Crockett

Crockett County gained a dis- covery, another was testing to com- plete and location was scheduled for a wildcat.

A sixth pay, the San Andres, has been opened in the Tippett field with completion of The Thiess Drilling Co. of Ft. Worth No. 2 Mayberry, in 39-31-H&TC, 19 miles south of McCamey.

It was finalized for a daily pump- ing potential of 72.08 barrels of 26 gravity oil, plus 25 per cent water, through perforations between 2,854-866 feet in 5 1/2-inch casing cemented at 4,672 feet on total depth of 4,674 feet. Plugged-back depth is 3,020 feet.

Pay section was acidized with 2,000 gallons.

Top of pay was picked at 2,854 feet on elevation of 2,277.4 feet.

Operator has suggested the field be designated as the Tippett (San Andres) field.

Last month Thiess Drilling Co. opened lower Tubb production in the field with completion of his No. 1 Mayberry, 33 feet to the north.

Other field pays opened are Wolfcamp, upper Wolfcamp, lower Clearfork, lower Wolfcamp, how- ever there is no lower Wolfcamp production at the present time.

Kewanee Oil Co. will drill a 2,650-foot rotary wildcat, 13 miles southwest of Big Lake. It will be the No. 1 Walsler.

Location on a 320-acre lease, is 990 feet from the west and 1,320 feet from the north lines of the west half of 59-BB-TCRR survey.

The project is 1 1/2 miles west of the same operator's No. 1 Neal, recently completed Permian dis- covery, but separated by two dry holes.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Leath and Linda were here for a week-end visit from Alpine where Mr. Leath is working on his Master's degree at the Sul Ross College summer session.

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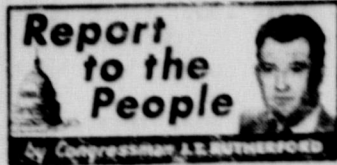
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To date, more than 18,000 bills and resolutions have been introduced in the 84th Congress, with the House introducing approximately two-thirds of them.

Within the last few days, both major parties have started to total up their political "box scores," with an eye on the 1936 Presidential race.

Most recent Congressional attention has gone toward an effort to kill foreign aid. It failed, but House voted to slash the Administration's request by several hundred thousand dollars.

disability, possible civil service and railroad retirement legislation as well as a dozen other measures of national significance.

You can hang on to your 3 cent and 6 cents stamps awhile longer. Rumors are the Senate will not act before adjournment on the proposed Postal Rates Increase Bill.

Post Office Department officials testified that three cent mail not only pays its own way, but an additional 60 million dollars per year toward mail of lesser classification.

Even as the bill was debated in the House, rumors were strong the bill would die in the Senate for lack of action.

One election night as President Woodrow Wilson sat at home awaiting nation-wide returns, a friend read from a document calling "the President" a "buffoon" — a clown — an uncouth huckster — a coarse, ungainly barkwoodman, without either dignity or intelligence.

As he read, a relative of Wilson's became very, very angry and proved Wilson was former to press a law.

suit for libel and slander against the man who so attacked "the President."

But Wilson, with a twinkle in his eye, said that he didn't think he had grounds for a lawsuit. The relative understood when the friend confirmed Wilson's comment that the document dealt with campaign speeches against — of all people — Abraham Lincoln!

Members of a Congressional Committee which investigated the tragic aircraft collision over the Grand Canyon recently caught some critical comments from constituents. One Member reported a man wrote to him saying he couldn't understand why his Congressman investigated the matter because "the planes didn't crash in your District!"

The trouble was, the "E" was where the "E" should have been. I refer to my Report last week in which I reported some billions of dollars being assigned to New York and Texas for highway construction.

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HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From State Capitol

By Vern Sanford Texas Press Association

Austin, Texas — Reunions, Rodos, Fishing trips. From now until school starts, vacationing Texans will take to the highways by the thousands.

From year to year, total traffic volume has climbed steadily. Highway Department surveys show. In addition, vacation months bring a steep jump.

August especially is a headache for the Department of Public Safety. Accident rates climb sharply. During the past five years August accident rates have been from 3 to 27 per cent higher than in July.

Five key areas — Houston, El Paso, Austin, Waco and the Fort Worth-Dallas area — will be assumed to be bombs between 11 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. that day.

Nationally Operation Alert will require 20 class, bonded FCC has ordered 25 radio and TV stations to the air at 3:15 p. m. July 26. Special state defense law requires 40 and 1240, will be used for ten minutes of direct communication.

Physical Ed Teachers Reassured. Physical education teachers won't be in a jam if proposed new high school graduation requirements are adopted.

Commissioner of Education J. W. Edgar clarified the plan for alarmed teachers. Physical education and health courses still are required by state law, he said.

A State Board of Education study committee recommended they no longer be counted among the 16 units required for graduation. Committee suggestions were part of an overall effort to strengthen high school curricula academically, especially in scientific studies.

Vaccine for adults seen soon — Texans over 20 may be able to get polio vaccinations within "a month or two."

But, said State Health Department officials, this is still "purely speculative." Actual timing will depend on when the vaccine supply exceeds that needed for youngsters and expectant mothers.

In Texas, polio takes its heaviest toll among tots under four years old. They have 51.2 per cent of all cases, 69.1 per cent of paralytic cases.

Persons over 20 account for only 17.4 per cent of total incidence, 6.8 per cent of paralytic cases.

Forty-one new cases were reported in the state last week, bringing the '36 total to 440.

Worse and more of it — More

and more Texans have less water. In its monthly report the State Water Board details:

Texas reservoirs down 10 per cent, and observation wells springs were at all-time low. Storage in Trinity River lakes was at 27 per cent of capacity; in Red River lakes, 20 per cent; in Lake Texoma, 16 per cent.

Famous Comal Springs, Braunfels ceased to flow for first time in history.

Ground water levels, average in almost all areas, record lows in four areas.

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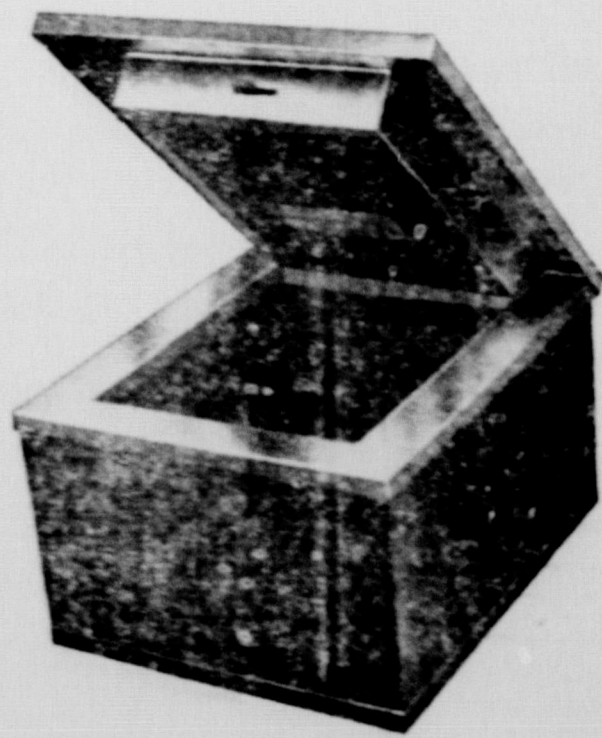
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News Reel

"The Ozona Story" from the files of Ozona Stockman

Stockman July 21, 1927

Losses estimated from 1,000 were suffered by Mrs. G. L. Coates and Donald of Canyon in fire of the home Dr. and Mrs. Coates by Mrs. McDonald. A collection of household personal valuables was by the blaze. The blaze to have started from

news reel— cases of typhoid fever reported among Latin here and one death from the disease. One remaining seven cases is and the other six the dangerous stage. (Later reports indicated 21 typhoid fever in Little

news reel— a rain which continued Thursday night of last week which relieved the greater part of the hottest spells of the summer and bringing joy to the hearts of ranchmen whose ranges had become brown and bare in spots. The rain at Ozona amounted to more than an inch and it was declared one of the most general rains of the year, covering all West Texas.

news reel— Tee stands have been constructed and placed on the nine holes of the new Ozona Golf Course. The course is becoming more popular every day, with a dozen or more players out each day making the rounds.

news reel— Reports from the bedside of F. E. Piner, who suffered the loss of

Crippled Children Get New Facilities



Five-year-old Dale Reese from Sherman, Texas, smiles his approval as a workman installs a new raised bathtub completing the \$26,500 remodeling program at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children at Dallas. Hospital President John McKee (right) announced that the needed improvements were made possible by a recent grant from the Ford Foundation.

a foot in a gun accident recently, indicated his continued improvement. Mr. Piner was taken to a hospital in San Angelo where he is under treatment.

news reel— A strong possibility that T. A. Kincaid of Ozona would be offered the presidency of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers Association for a third term was indicated today as the twelfth annual convention of the Association swung into its third and closing day's program at Kerrville.

news reel— Representatives of the Illinois Pipeline Co. were in Ozona this week perfecting final arrangements for right-of-way with Crockett county owners of land across

which the company's pipeline from the Yates oil field to Del Rio will run. The new pipeline will be approximately 140 miles long and will lead to a large tank farm to be established near Del Rio on the Southern Pacific lines.

news reel— Ned Friend and family left this week for Carlsbad, N. M., where they will go through the famous Carlsbad Caverns.

J. J. North has returned from Temple where he has been under medical treatment. He is spending a few weeks on his ranch recuperating.

news reel— An exciting chase which led through the main streets of Ozona

about 10 o'clock Wednesday night was enjoyed by a number of spectators on the streets here when two men in a Chrysler "60" roadster, alleged to have been stolen in Sonora, roared through town with Sutton county officers in hot pursuit in a Buick. Sheriff W. H. Augustine, who had been notified of the theft, attempted to stop the car thieves but after slowing down a bit the driver made the turn into the Barnhart road and sped on out of town.

news reel— Tom Smith of Ozona Wednesday delivered 960 head of aged ewes and lambs at Barnhart consigned to W. M. Womble of Fort Worth. The ewes and lambs brought \$10 a pair.

news reel— Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson

and children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Henderson and son and Miss Floy Clare Stewart left Tuesday for the Davis mountains for a few days visit.

news reel— Miss Jean Henderson and Jack Henderson are in San Antonio attending summer school.

news reel— Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Friend have completed a new ranch home and moved into it this week.

news reel— Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress are in Kerrville attending the Sheep & Goat Raisers Association meeting.

news reel— Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith left for Temple.

news reel— Miss Lilly Flynn Myers was in San Angelo last week visiting

Mrs. John B. Hemphill and Mr. Hemphill.

news reel— Mrs. Rusty Smith was ill with an attack of appendicitis last week.

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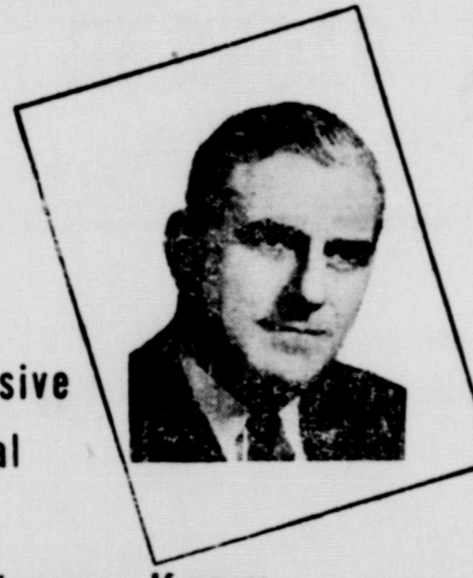
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first of its kind, will test radio stations' ability to switch to the Conelrad system of broadcasting in an actual attack so that emergency instructions could be radioed to the public without guiding enemy bombers to their targets. Civil defense authorities are hoping the public will mark their radios for future emergencies. (VCOA Photo)

Ozona Fire Fighters Attend Training Course For Firemen At A&M

Joe Tom Davidson, fire chief and Bill Carson, assistant chief, of the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department attended the 27th annual Firemen's Training School at A&M College last week.

The A&M school, the largest firemen's training school in the United States, was attended this year by approximately 1,100 firemen and fire marshalls from all over Texas and from other states.

Some of the nation's most experienced fire fighters served as instructors during the training course, the Ozona firemen reported. The course included actual operation of fire fighting equipment, with the men divided into groups of 35 each, and drills in all phases of fire fighting and all types of fires. The course included instruction in arson investigations for the benefit of fire marshalls attending.

Latest innovations in fire fighting and equipment were reviewed and many of these may be incorporated in the local system as a result of the attendance by the two men. Other members of the department will be given the benefit of what the two chiefs learned in practice meetings of the department for the next few weeks.

By virtue of the local department being represented at the training school, the Ozona fire insurance key rate will enjoy a five percent credit.

Mr. and Mrs. Early Chandler and children are enjoying a vacation visit to Las Vegas, N. M.

CROCKETT HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted to hospital since July 10th: Mrs. W. W. Higginbottom, Ozona, medical; Mrs. H. M. Phillips, Jr., Ozona, surgery; Frank Salinas, Ozona, accident; Nina Cervantez, Ozona, surgery; Mrs. Jose Flores, Ozona, obstetrical; Mrs. H. D. Ingram, Ozona, medical; Bartolo Rios, Ozona, medical; Mrs. Hayden Roach, (col) Ozona, obstetrical; C. O. Poindexter, Ozona, medical; Mrs. G. W. Hester, Ozona, obstetrical.

Patients dismissed: Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Jr., Mrs. Wayne E. West, Jr., and infant son, Mrs. Ricardo Cantu and infant daughter Mrs. Leandro Flores, Jr., Mrs. W. W. Higginbottom, Frank Salinas, Nina Cervantez, Mrs. Jose Flores and infant daughter, Mrs. H. D. Ingram, Mrs. Hayden Roach and infant daughter.

Ladies Auxiliary Of Volunteer Firemen Plan For Convention

Plans for the Hill Country Firemen's Convention to be held in Ozona August 14 were discussed and a constitution and by-laws adopted by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department in a called meeting at the home of Mrs. Doana Beth Davidson Tuesday night. Mrs. Velma Lee Cook, president, presided at the meeting.

The Auxiliary voted to hold meetings each second and fourth Monday nights at 8 o'clock with the exception that the next meeting will be held Monday night, August 6, to make final plans for the convention.

Present at the called meeting were Mrs. Dorothy Friend, Mary Webster, Mary Lou Lilly, Juanita Mills, Margaret Coates, Evelyn Lyles, Mildred Fields, Nelda Montoya, Mertis Semmler, Velma Lee Cook and Elizabeth Applewhite.

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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** (Re-election) **V. O. EARNEST** (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 3: **T. S. (Rusty) SMITH** (Re-election) **ELMER D. (Ponce) GRAVES**

For County Attorney: **HOWARD LEMMONS** **DIXON MAHON** (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 1: **RALPH JONES** (Re-election) **DOYLE PERDUE** **HUBERT W. BAKER**

For District Attorney, 112th Judicial District: **CONNELL ASHLEY** (Re-election)

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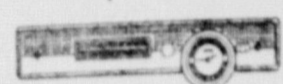
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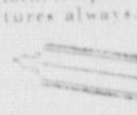
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William W. Blanton Announces Candidacy For Congress, 16th Dist.

William W. Blanton has announced as a candidate for Congress from the 16th Congressional District of Texas. He is a 46-year-old attorney who has practiced law in Odessa since January, 1947. The Blantons, Bill and Minnie Belle, have three children, Tom 9, Elizabeth Anne 7, and Mary 5. They are members of the Presbyterian Church, in which both were raised.

Blanton has a rich political heritage from his father, Thomas L. Blanton, who was the last congressman to serve from the old "Jumbo" District which stretched from Mineral Wells to El Paso. After this district was changed, the elder Blanton served as a congressman from the Abilene District, chalking up a total of 20 years in Congress.

Bill Blanton was born in Abilene in 1910 and grew up in an atmosphere of government. He is a graduate of Princeton University and studied law at the University of Texas. He was licensed to practice in 1935.

From his earliest years Blanton spent his summers on a West Texas cattle ranch, and during his high school and college years he earned his wages as a cowpuncher during vacation, doing all types of work necessary on a ranch.

The Congressional candidate served as county judge of Shackelford County in 1941, 1942 and 1946. He served with the Army from 1943 to 1945 as an agent in the Counter-Intelligence Corps concerned with espionage, subversion and sabotage in the U. S., India and Burma.

In the formal statement announcing his candidacy, Blanton said: "The ultimate victory of American freedom over Soviet slavery depends in a large part on our having a strong Congress."

"The present weakness of our Congress is partly caused by the number of dependent politicians there. By 'dependent' I mean they have never made a living outside of politics and feel unable to do so. Being elected as long as possible is the matter of supreme importance to them. The good of their country suffers."

Community House Directors Honored At Personal Shower

Mrs. H. B. Tandy led a program on Brazil and the work of the Methodist Church in that nation, at the meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service Wednesday morning at the Methodist church.

Mrs. D. B. Pettit led the devotional and Mrs. Tandy sang, "Trees." Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., described the Methodist schools and missions in operation in Brazil.

The Society honored Miss Mildred Ralston and Miss Isidra Verver of the Ozona Community House with a personal shower. The two will leave soon on a month's vacation before taking up new duties, Miss Ralston to go to Eloys, Arizona, and Miss Verver to Robstown. To replace these two at the Community House will be Miss Ethel R. Wolf, who will be head resident, and Miss Dorothy Price, program director. Both have been in charge of a Community Center in Eloys, Arizona, for the past 11 years.

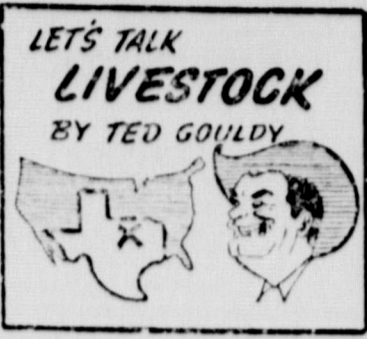
Attending the Society meeting were Meses. R. A. Harrell, H. B. Tandy, T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Taylor Word, W. D. Cooper, Stephen Perner, Ralph Jones, B. B. Ingham, Sr., Paul Perner, Bailey Post, Herbert Kunkel, W. D. Womack, Evert White, J. A. Fussell, Floyd Henderson, Charles Williams, Sr., D. B. Pettit, O. D. West, and Nip Blackstone and Misses Ralston and Verver.

Camille Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Adams, has returned to her home after attending Camp Waldemar, near Hunt, Texas.

Miss Kathryn Weaver of Lubbock spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress and family.

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Livestock Prices Show Improvement
FORT WORTH — Mid-July cattle and calf prices showed unexpected strength at Fort Worth Monday. Despite numbers well above the 100,000 mark around the major market circle, the largest run of the season at Fort Worth market, prices were fully steady to strong all through the list.

Fort Worth's Monday offering of cattle and calves was around the 11,900 marker, and a top of \$22 was paid for about 125 steers fed by Clyde McClung of Johnson County. It was the best price of the summer here.

Movement of both slaughter and stocker and feeder classes was active and good and choice steers and yearlings ranged from \$16 to \$22, while common to medium sorts sold around \$10 to \$16. Fat cows drew \$9.50 to \$12.50, and

canners and cutters sold from \$6.50 to \$9.50, some strong-weight cutters above that range. Bulls moved in the \$9.50 to \$13.50, bracket.

Good and choice slaughter calves bulked at \$15 to \$18, with common and medium sorts \$11 to \$14, and culls around \$9. to \$10. Good and choice stocker steer calves sold from \$16 to \$18.50, and steer yearlings sold from \$17 down. Stocker cows trade continued dull in view of the hot dry weather.

Lambs Open Week \$1.00 or More Higher

Favorable reports in the dressed meat trade along the Eastern seaboard, enabled salesmen at Fort Worth to press for higher prices at Fort Worth Monday. Lambs and yearling were strong to \$1

higher, and tops were \$2 above last week's close. Good and choice fat lambs were sold from \$17 to \$20, with medium and lower grades from \$10 to \$16. Stocker and feeders drew \$13 to \$16.

Fat yearling muttons sold from \$14 to \$17, and old ewes cashed at \$4 to \$5, with a few \$5.50.



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FOR specific legislation perfecting State Laws against intermarriage between white persons and negroes.

FOR the use of Interposition to halt illegal Federal encroachment.

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Rutherford —

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"As I told you yesterday, House action is completed and we are pushing for the Senate resolution. Then, we are working with all our might to get adopted the amendment which would cut the waiting period to 15 days and allow the project to be culminated here on the 21st. We also have even another hope: Congressman Poague's bill to eliminate all waiting periods on measures sent to Congress has passed the House, and if it passes the Senate the Johnson Draw plan is then in effect."

As it happens, whether or not the Poague bill passes, Johnson Draw project will be officially approved on July 21, next Saturday, and Congress seems certain at this time to be in session at least that long.

And the hard-working Congressman ended that letter with: "My continued thanks to you and the people of Crockett County for your extreme co-operation." All our thanks here to you, Mr. Congressman, for your very splendid co-operation in getting a vitally necessary job done for us.

How vitally important was this service by J. T. Rutherford in getting this flood control measure through, only those of us who saw those muddy waters the morning of July 28, 1954, come rolling

down Johnson Draw to snuff out the lives of 16 fellow citizens, destroy 110 homes and damage 220 others and do property damage estimated at 12 millions of dollars, can fully appreciate.

How Congressman Rutherford was able to spend as much time as did in keeping check on administrative departments handling the flood control plan and then guiding it through Congress along with the important time-saving amendments and still have time for a nearly 100 percent perfect attendance record in the House of Representatives, we do not know, but the fact remains that he did and the fact is now that Crockett County voters owe him a 100-percent approval vote at the polls here on July 28. Say thanks at the polls to J. T. Rutherford.

Ozona Teams —

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Troy Williams, Ozona, 1st; Frieda Noelke, Ozona, 2nd; W. A. Aldredge, Pandale, 3rd; Harold Freiss Sonora, 4th; W. L. "Tom" Davis, Sonora, 5th.

The range judging contest started at 10 a. m. on the Bill Baggett Ranch and was concluded at noon. A noon barbecue was served to about 150 people by the Crockett County Soil Conservation Board of Supervisors. Banners, rosettes, and ribbons were presented to the win-

ning contestants by Charlie E. Davidson, Jr., chairman of the local soil conservation district, which furnished the prizes.

The range judging contest was set up by A. H. Walker, range specialist, of the Extension Service from A&M College, assisted by Bob Scott and Dick Ketchum, local SCS rangers, Bill Baggett, and Martin Gonzales, of Monterey, Mexico, a graduate student of the Texas A&M College Range & Forestry Department, who is doing some research work this summer at the Barnhart Range Experiment Station.

A. H. Walker, range specialist with the Extension Service, demonstrated how to spray mesquite on three plots of mesquite on the John Childress Ranch, using 2-4-5-T in oil, CMU in water, and CMU pellets. In cooperation with the Holt Machinery Company of San

Antonio, about 75 acres of mesquite land on the John Childress Ranch was root plowed and seeded with blue panic and sideoats grama.

The Range Field Day was jointly sponsored by the Crockett County Soil Conservation District, Crockett County Agent Pete Jacoby and the Extension Service, and the Holt Machinery Company, assisted by M. A. Barber, Ozona High School Vocational Agricultural Teacher, and Claude Russell, local ASC office manager.

R. J. Cooke, pioneer Ozona meat market operator and presently operating a small irrigated farm on the south edge of Ozona, is reported critically ill in a Sonora hospital this week.

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AUDITOR'S QUARTERLY REPORT OF CROCKETT COUNTY
APRIL 1, 1956 THROUGH JUNE 30, 1956

ACCOUNT FUNDS	Beginning Balance	Receipts	Transfer In	Disbursements	Transfer Out	Ending Balance
1st Jury	\$30,723.16	\$ 23.37	.00	\$ 720.95	.00	.00
2nd. Road & Bridge	5,091.01	34,259.43	.00	18,022.07	.00	11,328.37
7th Special Road & Bridge	9,597.54	23.37	.00	6,666.22	.00	2,954.69
8th Lateral Road	1,063.51	.00	.00	.00	.00	1,063.51
3rd General	42,882.83	1,255.64	.00	10,177.13	12,000.00	31,961.34
4th Permanent Improvement	21,796.80	2,301.59	.00	9,454.46	.00	14,643.93
5th Hospital	17,763.70	16,466.89	.00	17,467.51	.00	16,763.08
10th Park Cemetery	7,258.79	3.35	.00	2,191.05	.00	5,071.09
11th 1952 Bond Proceeds	501.11	874.19	.00	225.63	.00	1,150.67
14th Officers Salary	6,927.21	3,870.72	12,000.00	13,234.91	.00	7,563.02
14th Hospital Bond Proceeds	87,958.42	.00	.00	87,958.42	.00	.00
16th Park L. A.	2,658.01	1.69	.00	388.33	.00	2,271.37
17th Time Warrant Proceeds No. 1	.00	50,000.00	.00	12,750.00	.00	37,250.00
18th Time Warrant Proceeds No. 2	.00	50,000.00	.00	.00	.00	50,000.00
TOTAL OPERATING FUNDS	233,272.09	159,080.24	12,000.00	179,256.68	12,000.00	184,095.65
BOND FUNDS						
6th Road Bonds	36,019.40	16.69	.00	.00	.00	36,036.09
9th Court House Bonds	27,810.59	4.99	.00	25,256.18	.00	2,559.40
12th Park Bonds	13,867.12	4.99	.00	9,700.00	.00	4,172.11
13th Hospital Bonds	27,079.09	16.69	.00	21,925.00	.00	5,170.78
TOTAL BOND FUNDS	104,776.20	43.36	.00	56,881.18	.00	47,938.38
TOTAL ALL FUNDS	\$338,048.29	\$159,123.60	12,000.00	\$236,137.86	12,000.00	\$232,034.03
TOTAL IN COUNTY DEPOSITORY						\$232,034.03

I, Dick Kirby County Auditor of Crockett County do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
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- 303 SIZE CANS
Pecan Valley Green Beans 8 for 99c
- TOMATOES No. 1 Can 10 for 99c**
- 300 SIZE CANS
PINTO BEANS 10 for 99c

CHOICE MEATS

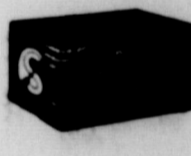
- PORK LIVER pound 19c**
- Hamburger Meat 3 pounds 99c**
- Loin Steak 2 pounds 99c**
- BEEF ROAST 3 pounds 99c**
- Armour Star Weiners 2 pounds 99c**
- FRYERS 2 pounds 99c**
- Golden Brand Oleo 5 pounds 99c**
- E G G S 3 dozen 99c**

- 303 SIZE CANS
Diamond Corn 8 for 99c
- Val-Tex Ketchup 5 bottles for 99c**
- QUART SIZE
Kraft's Salad Bowl Dressing 2 FOR 99c
- 16 OUNCE BOTTLES
Grapette Punch 8 for 99c
- Big Top Peanuts 3 cans for 99c**
- 2 NICE TALL GLASSES FOR
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- SCHILLING'S COFFEE**
1 Pound Can 99c
- Hormel Chopped Ham 2 cans for 99c**
- Patio Chili No. 2 size can 2 for 99c**
- SUGAR 10 pounds 99c**
- Old Dutch Tissue 15 rolls 99c**



Swift's Pure Lard
6 pounds 99c

9 1/2 OUNCE BOX
Post's Raisin Bran 5 for 99c

PINTO BEANS 10 pounds 79c



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Giant Size 69c

Betty Crocker Cake Mix 3 for 99c
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VEGETABLES

- Elberta Peaches pound 15c**
- California Beauty Plums pound 19c**
- Ky. Wonder Beans pound 19c**
- Bell Pepper pound 19c**
- Cucumbers pound 19c**