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### Kitty's Korner

### Kitty Montgomery

We've received several "Letters to Santa. " Instead of printing them as they come in, we have decided to save them for our Christmas edition, which will be datelined Dec. 25, but will actually hit the streets the day before Christmas. This edition will also have our annual Christmas greetings from merchants, business people and others who want to wish you a Merry Christmas through the pages of the Stockman. Be sure your little one signs his last name when he writes old Santa, Also, you may assure your little writer that as soon as all the letters are copied by the typesetter here, we bundle them up and get them right off to the North Pole.

# Graveside Services Here For Mr. Smith

Graveside services for Royce O. Smith, 69, were held Wednesday, Dec. 10, in Cedar Hill Cemetery at 3:30 p.m. Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at the First Baptist Church in Kingsland.

Mr. Smith died Monday in Llano Hospital. He was born Dec. 15, 1905 in Ozona. He was in the lumber business. He was married to Lula Mae Evans June 8. 1929 in Eldorado.

Survivors include his wife; a sister, Mrs. Alva Williams of Denver Colo., and a brother, M. R. Smith of Homedale, Idaho.



ANOTHER FATALITY ON HWY. 290 -- Joel W. Cox, an employee of Tucker Drilling Co. of San Angelo, was killed instantly last Wednesday afternoon when he attempted to make a U turn in the highway and was struck by this motor home. Cox

be favorites to take the

championship this year.

In play leading up to

the tournament, the Lions

downed Lake View 43-39

**FFA** Chapter

was presented a certificate

of superior rating for its pro-

gram of work for the 1974-75

Cliff Crawford served as

District Treasurer and parti-

cipated in the opening cere-

Pierce, John Henderson and

James Hokit served as voting

presented members and guests

served as escort for the sweet-

were present with guests. Mr.

Trazell Hayes, Joe Moran,

was Greg Thompson.

and David Dunlap. Reporter

Fourteen chapter members

during roll call, Bill Bissett

mony and program. Joey

delegates. Tony Conners

Banquet

school year.

heart.

points.

last Tuesday, Frankie Garza

was high point man with 12

apparently failed to see the large vehicle traveling down the east bound lane. The people in the motor home were not injured and Cox was alone in his car. He was attempting to direct Hamil Funeral Home in a rig to a location west of Ozona.

### **Annual Basketball Tournament** 25 Pounds Marijuana **Starts Today With 15 Teams** Confiscated

In the Lake View tourna-

Fort Stockton 41-52, Gary

Warren was high point man

Gene Castro and Frankie

Garza had 10 points each.

ment over the weekend, the Local law enforcement Lions lost their first game to officers reported picking up two Oregon men with 25 pounds of marijuana here last with 13 and Greg Thompson week.

hit for 10. The Lions lost to The two admitted to of-Crane in the second game by ficers that they bought the a score of 50-55. Thompson drug in Austin and were transwas high point man with 12. porting it to Oregon for resale. The two claimed they paid \$4,000 for it in Austin and street value in Oregon was perported to be ten times that amount. The men were transferred

# Abilene Man Is Traffic Fatality

STOCKMAN

A 24-year-old Abilene man was killed instantly around 2:20 p.m. last Wednesday west of Ozona when the vehicle he was driving was in collision with a motor home on Highway 290.

Joel W. Cox, an employe of Tucker Drilling Co. of San Angelo was pronounced dead at the scene by Peace Justice A. O. Fields of Ozona. Investigating office Highway

Patrolman Manuel Hartnett said that the collision apparently occurred as Cox was attempting to make a U turn in the highway some 3.2 miles west of Ozona. The motor home ditioning, towing a car was being driven east of U. S. 290 by Janie M. Johnson of Grandview. Neither Mrs. Johnson nor her

husband who was a passenger in the mobile home were in-Cox's body was taken to Janes Funeral Home in Ozona and then transferred to Elliott-

Abilene where services were

# Screwworm

# **Cases Drop**

Although Crockett County had 12 cases in November week by week reduction in number of laboratory confirmed Judge's Seminar in Austin screwworm cases in Texas ani- the past week and that he was mals was recorded during one of the faculty members. November, reports a U.S. Department of Agriculture

(USDA) official. Dr. M. E. (Cotton) Meadow of USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Services (APHIS) is director of the Screwworm Eradication Program. He save 987 cases

# **Commissioners** Court In Routine Meeting Crockett County Commis-

sioners Court met in regular session, December 8, 1975. with Jess Marley, Jack Williams, Jesus Castro and Judge Troy Williams present. Regular monthly reports were read and approved. The Road Department reported a clutch was out on the big dozer and a new clutch had been ordered. Rutherford Motor Co. had

declined to deliver the Suburban which they had bid in for the County Agent, pleading mistake and the Court, after a discussion, allowed them to increase their bid \$327.60

because of the dual air con-Acting on the Hospital Board's recommendation, the Court agreed to raise the rates

at the hospital and the private rooms were raised from \$45.00 to \$48.00 per day and the semi-private rooms were raised from \$40,00 to \$43.00 per day. The Court authorized installing electric heat lamps in the ceilings for the two bathrooms at the nursing care center. It was pointed out

that the center has 17 patients and another is due next week. Minimum wage requirements will mean that the lowest paid employee in the hospital will receive 20¢ per hour in-

crease in wages in January. The Judge reported that he had attended a County

with headquarters here, has

general.

been nominated by the Presi-

Colonel Cannon is one of

52 Air Force colonels recently

the only colonel in the Aero-

manded the 23d Air Division,

which includes Duluth Inter-

defense interceptor squadrons

stations in Minnesota, Wiscon-

sin and Michigan, for about

15 months. The Air Division

trains Air Force personnel for

defense of the 17 midwestern

A graduate of the U.S.

Military Academy at West

Point, he was commissioned

a strategic role in the air

states.

and seven long-range radar

national Airport, three air

space Defense Command

ment to the one star rank.

Concho Valley COG has written that no Federal Grants are available at this time to provide the new radio system for the Sheriff's automobiles. There had been requests that the County property south of Interstate 10 on State Highway 163 be submitted for bids. The Court, after discussion, deferred action at the same time rejecting San Tex Advertising Company's request to lease space for billboard. The Court discussed moving the deer-proof fence which is now between Lima Cemetery and Cedar Hill Cemetery. No action was taken, however it was agreed that the draw between the cemeteries would be riprapped with rock. The Court approved specifications for a vehicle to be used by the fire department

to transport equipment. Specifications for a new ambulance were discussed and the County Judge was directed to investigate securing a grant to improve health care equipment. The Court rejected the

counter offer of the insurance company for repairing the damages at the County Barns and requested that all damaged tin be replaced.

Sheriff Billy Mills appeared and requested that the Court order lights to mount on top of the Deputy Cars, he also requested that the Court not trade in the used Plymouth. His request was granted.

**President Nominates** Col. Cannon For Gen.

# jured. held later in the week.

# Perner **Elected** To

# **ASC** Committee

In a recent election, Sam Perner was elected to a 3 year term on the Crockett County ASC Committee, Mr. Perner's term of office begins Jan. 1, 1976.

Johnny Jones was elected as 1st alternate to the Committee for a one year term. Tony Allen was elected as

2nd alternate to the Committee for a one year term. Each year since 1965, one

committeeman is elected for a 3 year term and 2 alternates are elected for a one year term.

Nat Read, who has served on the Committee for a total of 12 years, was not eligible as a candidate for re-election in 1976 as the law provides a county committeeman may not be elected for more than 3 consecutive terms without a break in service of at least one year.

evening session begins at 5:30 with Mason pitted against Stanton, Wall and Big Lake play at 7 o'clock and the Lions will play McCamey in the final game of the night at 8:30. Coahoma, the other team competing, drew a bye

Ozona High School's 45th

Annual Basketball Tournament

got under way this morning

at 11 o'clock with fifteen

teams here to participate.

Rankin and Sonora opened

the tournament this morning.

gins at 12:30 when Lakeview

takes on Brady. Eldorado

and Imperial will play at

2 p.m. followed by Iraan

and Ballinger at 3:30. The

The afternoon session be-

in first round play. Teams losing in first round play will play toward consolation in Friday morning's session with games scheduled to begin at 11 a.m. Teams playing toward the championship will play Friday afternoon and Friday night. Play begins at 9:00 Saturday morn-

FFA Sweetheart, represented the chapter in the Concho District banquet held Monday night in Bronte. During the program the Ozona Chapter

ing in the consolation bracket. Afternoon games Saturday will be between those teams

playing toward championship. Saturday night's games will be for the consolation trophy at 5 o'clock, for third place at 6:30 and the championship game at 8 o'clock. Following the final game,

and Mrs. Glenn Burns, and trophies will be presented to advisor, Jim Leech, Other teams and to the all-tournamembers attending along ment team, whose members with the above mentioned will receive individual were Dwayne Smith, James trophies. Hearne, Ed Hale, Max Last year's tournament Schroeder, Douglas Bean,

winner, Sweetwater, will not be in the tournament this year. The Lions will

The Lions beat Lake View in At District their third game in an overtime, 45-43. Garza and John Galvan had 12 points each for the Lions. The Lions' season record Dawn Burns, Ozona Chapter

was 3-2 before Tuesday night's game with Lake View. Score was not available at presstime.

to Fort Stockton where they plead guilty in 112th District Court. They were fined \$500 each and given a 3-year sentence each, probated.

# Local Man Arrested **Inside Carson House**

Local law enforcement officers arrested Juan Caldera, 19. inside the Bill Carson home at 1308 Ave. B around 6:45 Sunday evening. The youth was apprehended inside a closet in the house and was attired in a red ladies slip.

After five break-ins of the house since early October. an alarm was installed which alerted the DPS Communications system if the house was entered. The alarm was silent at the place of origination. When the alarm was set off Sunday night, area officers converged on the house and found Caldera in the closet. He was placed under arrest and lodged in the Crockett County Jail.

At a hearing in the county judge's chambers Monday afternoon, it was determined that Caldera would be taken to the state hospital in Big Spring to undergo psychiatric tests for a period of three months. He was taken to the

> The house was broken into early in October. Nothing was reported missing, but wet ladies lingerie was found in the bedroom and bathroom and the house had been generally messed up where the intruder had apparently gotten fully clothed in the bath tub and tracked over the floors and lain on the bed.

hospital Wednesday morning.

The house was locked and (CONTINUED ON LAST PAGE)

tallied from 105 Texas counties the first week of November, followed consecutively by 968 from 96 counties, 521 from 79 counties. and 190 from 52 counties.

Lionettes Lose One, Win One

The Lionette varsity lost confirmation by the U.S. its first game in regular play Senate and a firm date for to the Mertzon varsity Monday pinning on his new rank has night 47-25. The junior varnot yet been set. sity won 34-21. Colonel Cannon has com-

High point girl for the varsity was Karla Fenton with 10 points. For the junior varsity Kathy Sanchez had 10 points. Janice Janes. 9, and Ruth De La Rosa and Karen Warren had 6 each. Both teams will compete

in the McCamey tournament this weekend and the junior varsity and freshmen will play Junction here next Tuesday night. This will wind up play until after the holidays. Last weekend the Lionettes

brought home five trophies from the Sanderson tournament, Karla Fenton, Belinda Bebee and Karen Bebee received all-tournament individual trophies. The varsity won the third place trophy

Catrina Russell Wins won the third place trop and the junior varsity wo the consolation trophy. and the junior varsity won The varsity downed Bal-

VFW Speech Contest morhea 43 to 14 to win the third place trophy at Sander-son, Karla Fenton was high point girl with 21 points. Lynn Maness hit for 10 and Nancy Womack for 8.

The junior varsity beat Fort Stockton for the consolation 41 to 38. Kathy Sanchez hit for 24 points and Ruth De La Rosa swished the nets for 16 points.

The varsity was only de feated by Alpine 33-36 and the junior varsity by Balmorhea 41-42, during the tournament. Last week the varsity took a 45-44 win over Grandfalls with Nancy Womack high point girl with 18, followed Karen Bebee with 13 and Karla Fenton with 12. The junior varsity beat Grandfalls 66-7, Ruth De La Rosa had 18 points. Kathy Sanchez and Karen Warren had 16 and 12 respectively.

into the Air Force in 1950 and in 1952 flew 100 combat DULUTH, MN--Colonel missions in F-80s during the George C. Cannon Jr., commander of the 23d Air Division Korean Conflict.

He returned to the United States as a tactical fighter dent for promotion to brigadier pilot and later earned a Master of Science degree in Aeronautical Engineering. During his 25 year career, Colonel Cannon has been an selected for promotion. He is advisor to the Greek and Korean

air forces and has been assigned (ADCOM) selected for advance- to Air Force headquarters and twice to the headquarters of The promotion still requires the Aerospace Defense Command, completing a tour

there in 1974 as Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Logis ics. He is a command pilot with mill ary decorations including the Legion of Merit

with oak leaf cluster, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with two oak leaf clusters and the Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster.

Cononel Cannon, many times an Ozona visitor over the years, is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Tom Montgomery. His family resided in Ozona in 1967-68 while he was on a tour of duty in Korea.

SPEECH FINALISTS -- Catrina Russell, left, was the winner of the Veteran's of Foreign Wars Post 6109 Voice of America speech contest. Her speech has been taped and will be in competi-tion with other winners from over the state. The other five finalists are, 1. to r., Richard Cardona, Debbie Taylor, Cynthia Badillo, Lupe Tambunga and Jennifer Nicholas. The contest was held Thursday in the high school auditorium.



a \$10,000 scholarship. Six contestants spoke Thursday. They were Miss Russell, Richard Cardona, Cynthia Badillo, Jennifer

was sponsored here by the local post. Theme of the con-test was "What Our Bicentennial Heritage Means to Me." The contest is a nationwide event and Miss Russell's speech was recorded and sent to State headquarters in Austin where her speech will compete with recordings of other win-

Nicholas, Debbie Taylor, Lupe Tambunga, High school speech teacher Johnny Clark was chairman for the contest here. Judges were Mrs. Tony Allen and Mrs. Tom Montgomery, Mrs. Allen is a high school speech and English teacher and Mrs. Montgomery is publisher of the weekly

pick second and third places.

ners throughout Texas.

The national top prove is

newspaper, the Ozona Stock-man. No other places were given, as the other five con-testants scored so nearly even, it was impossible to

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# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### Dear Sir:

I thought you might be interested in a nice thing that happened in your town this past week. My wife and 1 were returning to Houston from a California vacation on Sunday, Nov. 30. We had heard an unusual noise in our left front tire while traveling for several hours before realizing it might be serious. I stopped in Ozona around 11:30 p.m. at the Phillips 66 station on the main highway where Mr. Lee Wise, the station attendant, examined my wheel and diagnosed burned-out ball bearings. He then called Mr. Jim Strother, a mechanic, who quickly came to the station, examined my wheel, and likewise recommended no further travel, as the bearings were burned out. As I am a physician and was due back in Houston the next day, I requested Mr. Strother to work on the car that night. He then woke up W. Johnigan of the Mr. I. Parts Co., who got out of

With the parts he needed, Mr. Strother then quickly repaired my car and I was back on the road by 1:30 a.m. Mr. Wise had given my wife some coffee and made her comfortable in the station and also helped with some of the wheel work. Everyone was not only helpful, but cheerful and enouraging.

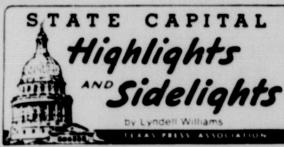
I am writing you to make special mention of these three individuals, who literally rescued us from the road and got us moving again, safely. understand this has happened before and I feel most strongly that they exemplify the spirit of love, honesty, and helpfulness which have made Texas and America great. You have three citizens that have made Ozona a place that at least two Houstonians will always consider very special. Thank you again. Mr. Wise, Mr. Strother, and Mr. Johnigan' Sincerely,

David H. Miller, M. D. and not a tax; therefore, Houston, Texas





ICE RECORD! AN ICE BOAT (CLASS A STERN STEERER) ATTAINED A SPEED OF 143 MILES PER HOUR ON LAKE WINNEBAGO, WISCONSIN



AUSTIN - Utility companies got a stern warning from the new Public Utility Commission they are not to pass along to consumers without approval a state assessment on their gross revenues. The one-sixth of one per

cent assessment was ordered by the 1975 Legislature to finance the Commission's regulatory activities. Revenue is estimated at \$12 million to \$15 million a year.

PUC members said they received a consumer complaint against Southwestern Public Service Co. of Amarillo and voluntary disclosure from Houston Lighting and Power on plans for a pass-through on electric bills.

"This is an assessment any utility is violating its rate schedule unless it has prior approval from the appropriate regulatory authority for an increase in rates before passing it on," said Commission Chairman W. Garret Morris. Acknowledging that the Commission vet lacks jurisdiction to act in the matter, Morris said he feels the increase would be an improper passthrough." He said he thinks individual consumers would be entitled to enjoin a utility from passing along the assessment in the form of a rate hike.

case. A dissenting judge accused the majority of going to minute and "embarrassing" lengths to affirm convictions.

The State Supreme Court affirmed a \$2.5 million judgment for a cement firm in a condemnation case brought by Coastal Industrial Water Authority on land along San Jacinto River.

The High Court will review a San Antonio case to determine whether an unprovoked homicide is an accidental death covered by a group accidental death insurance policy.

The Supreme Court refused to stop the State Judicial Qualifications Commission from hearing removal charges against 229th District Judge O. P. Carrillo

Wichita Falls annexa-

Third Court of Civil Ap-

peals held a bus company

which stopped service to an

area temporarily is in no

position to object when

another company applies to

**AG Opinions** 

College deans' recom-

mendations of merit pay

raises for professors is not

subject to forced disclosure

In another recent opin-

Fleet Admiral Chester W.

Nimitz Memorial Commis-

sion is eligible to receive

federal funds and use them

to purchase or condemn

land and other property.

Commission power to fi-

facilities is a fact question.

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serve the same area.

Court.



Winter range prospects, dimmed by prolonged summer drouth and moistureless fall. "Red Glow "???: Joey B. were brightened this week with one to three inches of

rainfall throughout the county. 29 years ago Mrs. H. B. Tandy and Mills are visiting relatives in Abilene.

29 years ago Nearing completion in the Ozona Latin-American settlement is a new parsonage for the Mexican Baptist Church

SNIPS, QUIPS AND LIFTS by Lottie Lee Baker Inflation is when sitting on your nest egg doesn't give you

much to crow about. A lot of politicians make the mistake of forgetting they were appointed -- not anointed.

Nothing makes it harder to keep a secret than the people who tell it to you.

Charity is what makes you wonder why people say it

we received: Lynn M. - It's gotta be Gigi McKinney. How could anybody miss that



U.S. Representative 21st District

Sometimes federal regulations become so unnecessarily Good luck! complicated and outdated that the idea of setting these regulations aside entirely begins to merit consideration. With that recognition in mind, I succeeded this last week in getting a 19-19 tie vote on a bill that would allow a sevenyear suspension of federal regulations on the transportation vinced that during this time of interstate natural gas, that is, natural gas moving from one could produce more gas than state to another. For about forty years the

government regulation: therefederal government has regulated fore, we would have a chance to meet the shortages in other at the wellhead the price of natural gas produced in one state areas and to bring about fair pricing for this product in and sold in another. At the same time, intrastate gas, or both producing and consuming gas produced and consumed states. As I mentioned before, within the same state, remained the bill failed to pass by a unregulated. For many years, 19-19 vote but I now intend intrastate gas could be purchased to present it to the entire more cheaply than interstate House of Representatives; gas because supply was abunthere is a good chance that, dant and gas was essentially for the first time in 20 years, viewed as an unnecessary bya gas deregulation proposal will win favorable consideraproduct found in drilling for tion on the House floor. If so, oil. As the shipment of natural gas became easier, however, those of us who support the and as natural gas began to concept of deregulation will be used for heating, fertilizer, finall; have a chance to show synthetics and many other purwhat can be accomplished in the absence of excessive and poses, its price began to rise.

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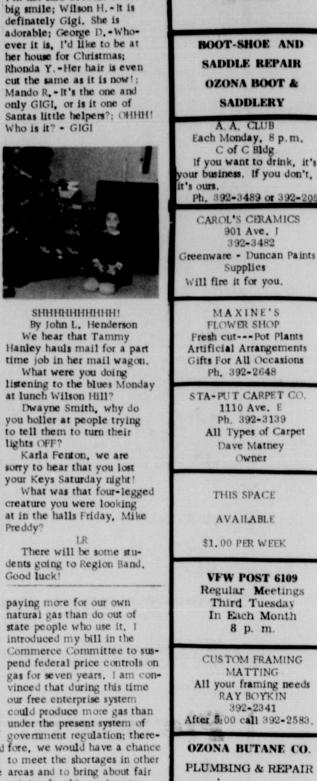
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bed and drove to his parts store at 12:30 a.m. to sell me the parts. He was very polite

#### Give 'Em Hell, Pat.'

In his time, Harry Truman was much maligned for his sharp tongue and salty language. Today, however, those attributes of the late President are warmly remembered and have even been made the subject of a current stage production, "Give 'Em Hell, Harry!

The United States now has another colorful and outspoken public figure on its hands - U.N. Ambassador Daniel Patrick Moynihan. Although there are signs the White House and Secretary of State Henry Kissinger are unhappy with Moynihan's undiplomatic ways, we think he should be applauded. Moynihan is a refreshing change to other national figures who are so perennially afraid of hurting feelings that they fail to sound the certain trumpet that could warn the nation and impel it to action.

Movnihan called Uganda's president, Idi Amin, a "racist murderer," which he most certainly is. The quote, incidentally, was taken by the Ambassador from a New York Times editorial. More recently, Moynihan, along with Clarence M. Mitchell, Jr. of the United States, have been embroiled with Cuba and other nations over the General Assembly's vote labeling Zionism 'a form of racism and racial discrimination.

Mitchell, an official of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, quoted reliable information of workmen's compensation listing the number of political prisoners in Cuba at 20,000. The charge came during debate on a U.S. move to have all governments free their political prisoners. Naturally the move is heatedly denounced by the Communist and "third world" blocs who have the temerity to denounce Zionism, yet hold most of the world's political prisoners in contravention of basic human rights.

Following these spats at the U.N. - and the reluctance of the White House and State Department to back him up -Ambassador Moynihan came close to resigning his position, but fortunately hasn't, as of this writing.

Ironically, Kissinger was attracted to Moynihan for the U.N. post after the latter wrote in Commentary magazine last March that America should "ask about conditions and events in many countries of the third world of which almost everyone knows, but few have thought it politic to speak."

Politic or not, we salute Ambassador Moynihan for doing so.

#### The Belize Problem

A long simmering problem in the Caribbean threatens to boil over into armed conflict if a solution fair to all is not found, and fairly soon.

We refer to the self-governing territory of Belize, or British Honduras as it is more commonly called. It is claimed by Guatemala on the basis of history and geography, but it is still protected by Great Britain, which obtained it originally through a logging concession from Spain in the 18th century.

Now the British propose to grant Belize full independence and, as a result, matters are heating up sharply. Of some 130,000 people inhabiting Belize about 45,000 are black, the remainder being Mayans and Spanish speaking mestizos. To further muddy the waters, Mexico is claiming the northern part of the territory; Jamaica, Barbados, and Trinidad-Tobago are encouraging their surplus blacks to emigrate to Belize and settle there; oil has been discovered just across the border in Guatemala; the British have reinforced their naval and land forces, and the Guatemalans have massed troops on their side of the border. Other Central merican states have railied to support Guatemala's claim. In such a situation there is plenty of tinder for trouble.

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#### **Rates** Raised

A 7.1 per cent increase in workmen's compensation coverage rates received approval of the State Board of Insurance effective March 1. The increase will add

about \$43 million to the \$611.6 million annual cost premiums paid by Texas business and industries. Another hearing will be

required on the coverage if the average weekly manufacturing wage goes up as much as \$10. State law provides for an automatic \$7-a-week hike in maximum payments to those injured on the job if there is a \$10 wage jump.

#### Tax Bond Cut

Better collection methods have made possible a reduction in the sales tax bonding requirement. according to Comptroller Bob Bullock.

Businesses have had to put up three times the amount they expected to pay in taxes each quarter. The new requirement will be twice the average monthly liability for monthly sales tax filers and one and a half times the quarterly liability for those who file quarterly. Bullock said the new pol-

icy will allow smaller businesses to use letters of credit or cash bonds and get away from bonding

#### Courts Speak

A 3-2 decision of the Court of Criminal Appeals upheld a five-year sentence for burglary in a Dallas

egins at tion of a strip of land southeast of the city will be reviewed by the Supreme

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come to you in the middle you can't write legibly in the dark.

The fellow who is always shooting off his mouth seldom hits the mark.

There's nothing wrong with the dollar that a little money wouldn't cure.

Many a fellow who is up under the Open Records to his ears in work is merely lying down on the job, Act, Atty. Gen. John Hill

A flea circus may be a tough act to follow, but it ion. Hill concluded the takes termites to bring down the house.

> A budget is a form of fiction that seldom comes out right in the end.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK -It is what we learn after we know it all that counts.

#### **Race Expands**

recreational

State Rep. Lane Denton of Waco became the fourth candidate to announce he will run for Texas Railroad Commission next year. Denton, 34, classed himself as "pro-consumer" and said big interests will be out to defeat him

Other candidates in the race are State Rep. David Finney of Fort Worth, Terence O'Rourke of Houston and Walter Wendlandt, Austin engineer and attorney.

#### Short Snorts

State deposits in more than 1,200 banks earned nearly \$79 million in interest during the last fiscal year.

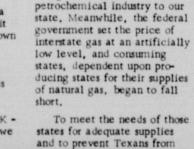
Arson for profit is among the fastest-growing crimes in Texas (2,202 cases last year), according to Jerry Johns of Southwestern Insurance Information Service

> Sen. H. Tati Santiesteban of El Paso will be governor-for-a-day December 13-with ceremonies here and in his home city

Billy G. Thompson will be the Texas Railroad Commission's new information officer. He has been an oil writer and industrial editor

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## by Bonnie Warth

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The members of the Forum net in the Civic Center on Tuesday Dec. 2, where Hostesses Mrs. Arthur Phillips and Mrs. George Russell served refreshments before Pres. Mrs. T. J. Bailey called the meeting

to order. It was Benjamin Franklin who said - "Wish not so much to live long as to live well". The program for the afternoon showed the contrast of thinking, action and courage of the "Colonies" against the "Loyalists"

We shall remember too Poor Mrs. J. D. Brown used Richards Almanac. He was Benjamin Franklin, The Great alert and loyal to the end of Formentor for her study. Benhis life. jamin was one of seventeen children, spent one year in on "Sgnik Sdneirf" - spelled grammar school, and one year backward is Kings Friend. It being tutored in writing and

was a young Englishman who arithmetic before going to visited the Colonies and work for his brother who ran a started uprisings against the newspaper in Boston. At the Loyalist, going so far as to tar and feather some, beat others, the Churchmen were targets for the abuse. Some of the Colonist split and returned to England, as did the

Englishman. Those who stayed help form our Nation, Other members present were: Mrs. Larry Aldredge. Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. Charlie Black, Mrs. Ben Bohmfalk, Mrs. L. B. Cox, III, Mrs. Vernon Jones, Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Kirby Moore, Mrs. B. Miller and Mrs. Bonnie Warth.

> Mrs. Nicholas On The Go For **Cancer Society**

Mrs. M. E. Nicholas atended State Committee neetings of the American Cancer Society held in Houston. wednesday and Thursday of last week. She was also in rownwood and Dallas on usiness.

Monday evening she attended a District Public Education committee meeting and later the same evening the District xecutive Board meeting in an Angelo.

Thursday evening she will speaking to a new group of ofunteers in Brady. Mrs. Nicholas is currently

erving as District Crusade Chairman and Crockett County Public Education chairman. Any requests for club programs

nd films, and many new

The Ladies Auxiliary of age of 16 Benjamin signed the Ozona Fire Department met December 8 with six his own name to a story he wrote for the paper, he was filled with wit and humor. At members present. Those present were Mrs. James the age of 23 he had his own Montgomery, Mrs. Jerry Hill, newspaper The Penn. Gazette, Mrs. Bob Davee, Mrs. Lonnie He lived long before his time, would have been great living Cain, Mrs. Jack Jones, and Mrs. Lowell McCaleb. There in today's world. In his world was one guest - Mrs. Frank travels, his writing and his Lightening Rod, he was shrewd.

James. The next meeting will be bold and clever. Even in mar-January 5 at 7:30. Americas need, had knowledge **Morning Tops** 

# **Club** Organizes

Due to many of the members being unable to attend an evening meeting, a morning group of the Tops Club has been organized and met last week.

The group will meet every Friday morning at 9 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce. New members are welcome. --0--

GRANDPA'S EGG NOG RECIPE 1 dozen eggs, separated 1 pint whipping cream 1 pint sugar 1 pint light rum or bourbon Beat egg yellows until lemon colored and very thick, add sugar gradually, beating all the while. In separate bowls, beat egg whites until thick and whip cream until stiff. Fold egg whites into egg and sugar mixture, then fold in cream. Gradually fold in liquor. (We use a half a cup of rum instead of the pint called for, and let everyone add more to individual servings if they wish). Pour into chilled punch bowl and dust with nutmeg. --0--FAWN PENNINGTON TO

APPEAR WITH ACC BAND Fawn Pennington will appear as a member of the flag corps with the ACC band Sunday on television. The band will perform at

halftime during the Dallas Cowboy-Washington Redskin game.

Karen Keilers, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Keilers, was reported doing fine after surgery Tuesday morning to remove a needle from her knee at St. John's Hospital in San Angelo.

Closed Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday. Open Wednesday evening. EL SOMBRERO CAFE.

-- 0--Just arrived!!!! Hanging basket brackets. Many colors and sizes to choose from --

# Pandale Study Club Has **Bicentennial Program**

In keeping with our Bi-Centennial celebration "The Puritan Spirit" was presented at the meeting of the Pandale Study Club by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bailey of Ozona.

program by saying the Puritans had a great asset, a thankful A Christmas dinner was heart. May everyone be thankserved with all the traditional ful for our freedoms of speech. dishes. The buffet table was press and religion and let us laid in a red cloth and cennever lose the true meaning tered with an antique lantern of Christmas. surrounded by fruit, holly Others attending were: W. O. Mills, III, of Austin, red birds and poinsettias. The Christmas colors were repeated Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kunkel, throughout the building. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Malone, The Christmas tree was a Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Mills, beautiful decorated fresh-cut

cedar tree brought by W. O. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Everett Mills. Gifts were exchanged after the program. The business meeting was

held before dinner and Mrs. R. J. Everett received the

# Crockett County **Hospital News**

Patients receiving treatment in Crockett County Hospital week of Dec. 2 to Dec. 8:

Jack Jones Edith Gariepy Jacob Lara Kathleen Head\* Linda Wilson\* Ora Faye Granger-Sonora Connie Bently Doxie Gene Yarborough-Sonora Carolyn Morgan-Sonora Milton Wagner Bill L. Munoz Adolfo Rodriquez Robert Gariepy-Sonora Tammy Garza Bertha Miller Nellie Pridemore Geranimo Garcia Dora Lara\* Chonita Alvare zº

"denotes discharged Births: Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilsonbaby girl Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Morgan of Sonora - baby girl

Care Center Admissions: Nellie Pridemore

GARDEN CLUB TO MEET The Ozona Garden Club will meet Monday, Dec. 15. in the home of Mrs. Joe Boy Chapman.

Dzonans are reminded that the Christmas Lighting Con-test will be judged the night of Dec. 18, and to be sure to have all lights on by dark. --0--

Hanging pots--new selection just arrived at BROWN FURNI-TURE CO.

tracts and parcels of land situated in Crockett County,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1975

Texas, as the property of Sam Rivera and Celia Munoz to-wit:" A tract of land situated, lying and being in the County

of Crockett and State of Texas, and being 85 feet East and West by 113 feet North and South, of Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3) of Herrera Addition to the town of Lima. Crockett County, Texas, as per map or plat approved by the Commissioners Court of Crockett County, Texas, and appearing in Vol. 5, page 95 of the Minutes of said Court, described as follows: BEGINNING at the South-

east corner of Lot 1 in Block 3 of the Herrera Addition: THENCE South along the Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Tom Everett, West line of Del Rio Street 113 feet; THENCE West parallel with the South line of Block 3,

85 feet; THENCE North parallel to the East line of Block 3. 113 feet to the Southwest corner of Lot 3 of said Addition; THENCE East with the

South line of Lots Three (3) and Two (2) and One (1) in said Block Three (3), 85 feet to the place of beginning. together with all improvements thereon.

And on the 6th day of January, 1976, being the first Tuesday of said month. between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County. and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Sam Rivera and Celia Munoz in and to said above described property. Witness my hand this the 24th day of November, 1975. Billy Mills, Sheriff Crockett County, Texas --0-- 38-3tc

# NOTICE!

I HAVE PURCHASED THE EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES OF SIMMON'S UPHOLSTERY SHOP, MR. SIMMONS WILL BE ASSOCIATED WITH US IN THE UPHOLSTERY BUSINESS, A FULL LINE OF FABRICS TO SELECT FROM AND EXPERT WORKMANSHIP WILL BE FEATURED

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SAN ANGELO, TEX.

Whereas by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 112th Judicial District Court of Crockett County. Texas, on the 10th day of November, 1975, in Cause No. 3825, where South Texas Lumber Company of Ozona. Texas, incorporated was Plaintiff, and Sam Rivera and Celia Munoz were Defendants. on a judgement rendered in said Court against Defendants and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of \$6, 573, 84, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, from date

Hostesses for the Christmas

dinner were Mrs. W. O. Mills

Mrs. Bailey closed the

and Mrs. Tom Everett.

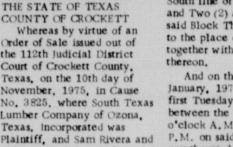
and Mr. Henry Mills.

**Public Notice** 

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on the 17th day of November, 1975,

at 10 o'clock a.m., levy upon the following described lots,



#### Billy Mills naterials are available, should be directed to her at 392-3265. It has just been revealed that Flip Wilson will be National Crusade Chairman Sheriff, Tax Assessor & Collector - Crockett County for the Society in 1976, and is already exhibiting much enthusiasm toward the work **COUNTRY STYLE ELEGANT LIVING**

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**Jack Wilkins** Ph. 392-2554 Pete W. Jacoby Ph. 392-3059

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We will have to pay more for gas than in the past. But by working together, and without outside interference, you'll have the gas you need today and in the future.

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situated, the County ate of Texas. East and North and (1), Two of Herrera wn of Lima. Texas, as proved by Court of Texas, and 5, page 95 aid Court, he Southin Block 3 ition; along the o Street West parallel of Block 3 orth parallel Hock 3, thwest id Addition; th the hree (3) e (1) in ), 85 feet nning, provements ay of ig the month, f 10 o'clock it the tid County, ale and n, for cash . all the est of a Munoz dethis the r. 1975. tiff , Texas 38-3tc NT N CT

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to check cattle in the fall. agent.

lice are parasites of cattle. Biting lice feed on pieces of of the animal and can cause cattle to scratch and rub off pieces of skin. The loss of lice can keep young animals from gaining and can affect meat and milk production

spraying, dipping, dusting agent.





THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1975

### Tips For Gardeners From the Ozona Garden Club Mrs. Bailey Post

Now that the Christmas season is near, you may be planning a way to make Christmas more meaningful to you and your family.

Everyone has a desire to create festive and sparkling decorations throughout the home to give warmth to holiday hospitality. Many chores can be done early at your leisure, but the last few days, there are the fresh, spontaneous touches that add so much.

Our beautiful evergreens are being used more and more each year to make attractive and durable arrangements and wreaths for any place you want greenery. For table arrangements they may be used with frosted fruits, ornaments, candles, madonnas and other figurines to create an original centerpiece.

To keep evergreens and the Christmas tree fresh, be sure to harden in warm water before using in wreaths, swags and arrangements. Another formula you may be interested in using: 1 gallon of hot water, add 4 tablespoons of micronized iron (available at florist or garden supply) and mix well. 2 cups light corn syrup and 4 teaspoons chlorinated household bleach. Pound stems at end and immerse sprays in this mixture. Stand tree in this mixture for 12 hours at least or until decorated. To preserve holly use 1 quart of hot water, 1 cup syrup, 1 teaspoon clorox. Let stand in this for 2 days.

Poinsettias will be in full bloom fairly early in the month. When selecting them, consider maturity of the plant. Look for yellow pollen on the true flowers which are at the base of the colorful bracts. If flowers are green and red tipped and fresh looking, the bloom will hold longer than if pollen is covering the flower, officiated at the ceremony, Place the pot in a sunny location and water once or twice daily. Keep out of drafts and not exposed to too high or low temperatures.

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IN APPRECIATION The family of Daniel barra wishes to express their eartfelt thanks to their tiends, neighbors, and family or their many gifts and dnesses extended to us luring our recent loss. Antonio Ybarra

The gown was trimmed with white mink and off-white Party were Mrs. Bill Littleton Belgian lace. Lace appliques of Abilene, Mrs. C. H. Baccus decorated the train and were of Kerrville, Mrs. Dudley enhanced with seed pearls. Ingham of San Angelo, Miss The bridal ensemble was com-Mary Witherspoon of Chatfield, pleted by a white silk illusion. Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. J. W. full-length veil trimmed with Henderson, III, Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Mrs. P. L. Childress, a white mink bandeau. She 39-2tc carried a bouquet of white rose Mrs. L. B. Cox, III, Mrs. Jim Dudley, Mrs. Lovella Dudley, buds and lillies on a mother-Mrs. John Berkley, Mrs. Joe of-pearl Bible. The attendants were Mrs. Bean, Mrs. W. D. Cooper, Roy A. Harrell, Jr. of Washing- Mrs. Al Fields, Mrs. John ton, D.C., sister-in-law of --0-the bride, matron of honor;



# MRS. ROBERT JAMES HODGES ----NEE CYNTHIA LUCILE HARRELL **Miss Harrell Becomes**

#### Bride of Mr. Hodges Cynthia Lucile Harrell, cousin of the bride, maid of daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. honor; and Miss Rachel Berkley Harrell, became the bride of of Beeville, bridesmaid. The Robert James Hodges, son of attendants were dressed in Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Hodges floor-length, red velvet gowns of High Ridge, Missouri, in a and carried Colonial bouquets

double ring, candlelight ceremony at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, December 4 in the Ozona United Methodist Church. men and ushers were Carl The Reverend John Berkley Conklin of Houston, Roy A. of the First United Methodist Harrell, Jr., of Washington, Church, Beeville, and the D. C., Ray Boothe of Weatherford, Bill Dudley and Byrl Reverend Ben Bohmfalk of the Ozona United Methodist Church Harrell, neice of the bride,

They are generally offered for Mrs. Billy Reagor sang Grieg's sale when pollen is just showing "I Love Thee", "Until", and and Julie Hendrickson, cousin of the bride, were the ring around the edges of the flowers, the "Lord's Prayer" accompanied bearer and flower girl respecby Mrs. L. B. Cox, III on the tively. organ. Other pre-nuptial music included two flute numbers played by Mrs. Roy A. Harrell, accompanied by Mrs. Cox

who also played other traditional the church following the cere-Christmas numbers. Candlelighters were Jacinda Marley and Jana Lilly. The bride, given in marriage cousin of the bride, presided by her father, wore a white velvet, floor-length gown designed and made by her aunt. Mrs. Bill Littleton of Abilene.

bridegroom's cake with cranberry punch and coffee.

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Debra Says

Debra Price

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brations as ingredients in

punch, turkey stuffing, fruit

have loved cranberries since

the first Thanksgiving feast

when Indians gave the bright

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HOT'N SPICY CRANBERRY

1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

1/4 teaspoon allspice

3 tablespoons tea

1-1/2 cups water

1/2 cup orange juice

1/4 cup lemon juice

Tie nutmeg, cinnamon,

allspice and tea in a cloth

bag. Put into 2-1/2 cups

5 minutes, Beat cranberry

sauce with mixer and heat

hot. Serves 8 to 10.

1/2 teasppon salt

4 pints cranberry juice

4 6-ounce cans frozen

lemonade concentrate

sauce

3/4 cup sugar

1/4 teaspoon cinnamon

2-1/2 cups boiling water

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Cranberries, harvested during

Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Joe Logan, Mrs. C. E. Davidsor, III, Mrs. Jess C. Marley, Mr. James Baggett, Mrs. L. B. Cox, Mrs. Sidney Millspaugh, Mrs. John R. Hunnicutt, all of Ozona and Mrs. James Cross, IV, of Leonard and Mrs. Chris Berger of Irving. Gail Hunnicutt, Janna Lilly, Jacinda and Jennifer Marley assisted in passing out

rice bags. After a wedding trip to San Antonio and New Orleans, the uple will be at home in St. Louis, Missouri.

A 1974 graduate of the University of Missouri at Columbia. Missouri, the bride was employed by the Gallup Independent, Gallup, New Mexico, and the San Angelo Standard Times. The bridegroo a 1973 graduate of the Central Methodist University at Fayette, Missouri, is presently employed by the Rush Island Combustion Engineering Company, near St. Louis.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. T. Embury Jones of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mr. and . Mrs. B. B. Short of Honolulu, Hawaii, Dr. and Mrs. Will Mathis Dunn of San Angelo, Dr. and Mrs. Donald E. Dedmond 1 pound can clear cranberry of Austin, Mrs. Roland Hudnall and Miss Mary Witherspoon of Chatfield, Mr. and Mrs. William Thau, Caroline, Billy and Jennifer of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Burk, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Reed, both of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilson of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Case of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Mims of Water Valley, Mrs. G. L. Nesrsta, San Angelo, and Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Georgetown. To honor the bride-to-be

a tea in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson III was given on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 30. The house was

beautifully decorated with red of mums and holly. beautifully decorated with red David Largent of San Angelo and white flowers, the bride's was best man and other grooms- chosen colors. Hostesses were: Mrs. Henderson and her daughter. Mrs. Chris Berger, Mrs. George Russell and her daughte Mrs. James Cross, IV, Mrs. W. H. Whitaker, Mrs. W. D Allen, both of Ozona, Elizabeth Cooper, Mrs. Al Fields, Mrs. C. E. Davidson, III, Mrs. L. B. Cox, III, Mrs. Ted White, Mrs. Joe Logan and Mrs. James Baggett.

On Monday, December 1, The mother of the bride wore a Kitchen Gadget shower was a floor length forest green dress, given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hunnicutt, Guests The wedding reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of brought their favorite recipes and all enjoyed hearing them mony and Mrs. George Russell read. Hostesses were Mrs.

Hunnicutt and her daughter, furnished background music on Gail, Mrs. Jess Marley and her the piano. Mrs. David Largent, daughters, Jacinda and Jennifer, Mrs. H. M. Phillips, Sr. and at the bride's book. The guests were served bride's cake and Mrs. Joe Bean.

On the day of the wedding. out of town guests, the wedding Other members of the House attendants and members of the bride's family attended a

noon luncheon in the home of

where again the house was

beautifully decorated with

flowers in the chosen colors

of red and white. Hostesses

Littleton, Mrs. P. L. Childress,

for the affair were Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Littleton

1/2 teaspoon allspice 4 cups water Combine ingredients and simmer gently for 15 minutes. Pour into punch bowl and serve in mugs with cinnamon sticks. Yield: 1 gallon CRANBERRY QUICK BREAD 2 cups flour 1 teaspoon baking soda 1 teaspoon salt

3/4 cup sugar salads and desserts. Americans 1 egg 1 cup halves or coarsely chopped raw granberries 1/3 cup orange juice 3 tablespoons white vinegar

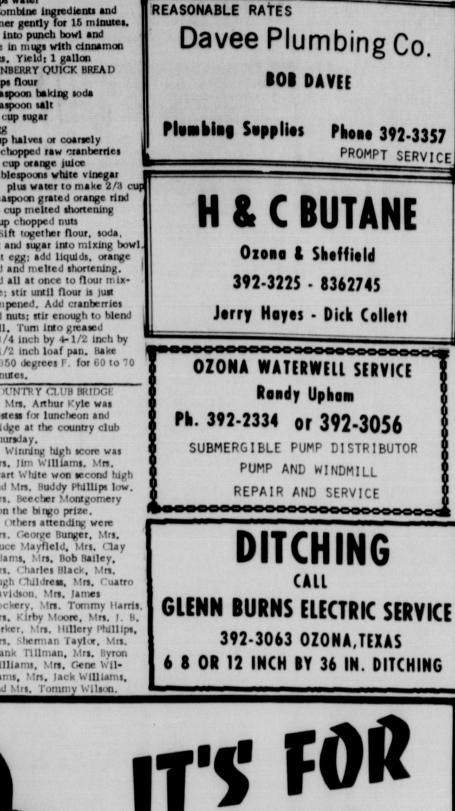
plus water to make 2/3 cu 1 teaspoon grated orange rind 1/4 cup melted shortening

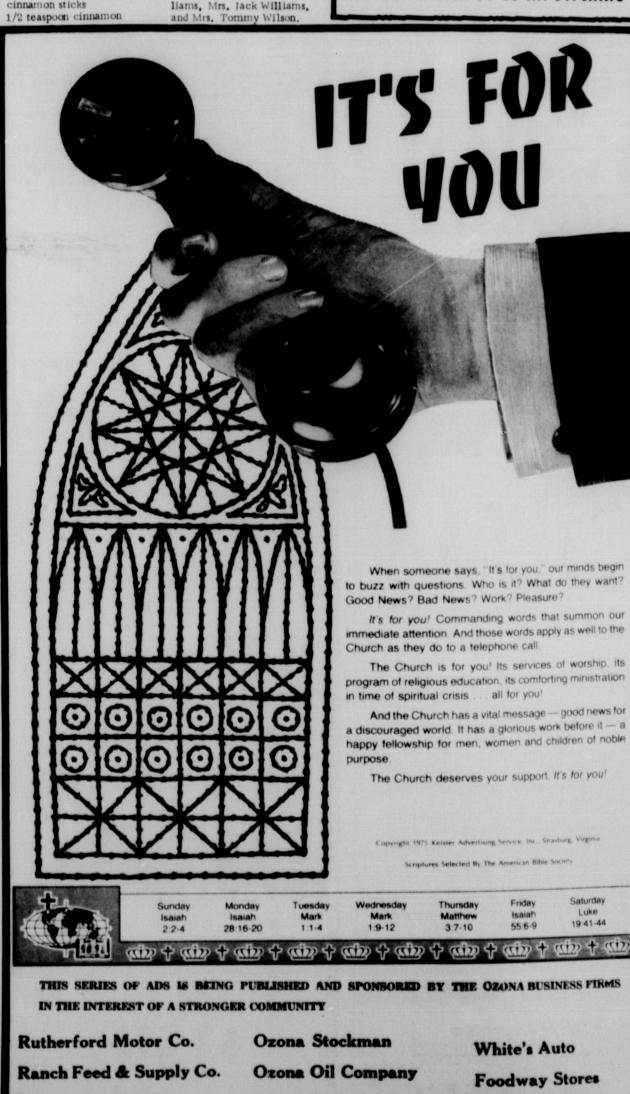
canned, in jellies, whole or 1 cup chopped nuts in juice form with or without Sift together flour, soda, salt and sugar into mixing bowl added sugar. Recipes for many festive cranberry desserts are Beat egg; add liquids, orange rind and melted shortening. Add all at once to flour mixture: stir until flour is just bulletin, for 35 cents, from dampened. Add cranberries and nuts; stir enough to blend well. Turn into greased 8-3/4 inch by 4-1/2 inch by 2-1/2 inch loaf pan. Bake at 350 degrees F. for 60 to 70 minutes.

COUNTRY CLUB BRIDGE Mrs. Arthur Kyle was hostess for luncheon and bridge at the country club Thursday. Winning high score was

Mrs. Jim Williams. Mrs. Evart White won second high and Mrs. Buddy Phillips low. Mrs. Beecher Montgomery won the bingo prize. boiling water. Cover and steep

Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Clay with 1-1/2 cups water. Remove Adams, Mrs. Bob Bailey, spice bag from steeped tea. Mrs. Charles Black, Mrs. Add sugar, hot cranberry liquid, Hugh Childress, Mrs. Cuatro orange and lemon juice, Serve Davidson, Mrs. James Dockery, Mrs. Tommy Harris, LEMONADE-CRANBERRY PUNCH Mrs. Kirby Moore, Mrs. J. B. Parker, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Frank Tillman, Mrs. Byron Williams, Mrs. Gene Williams, Mrs. Jack Williams,





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One way to spruce up your or is to add a table that sorhaps has a hexagonal (six-lided) shape, or one that is octagon (eight-sided), or ly a round table or oval your rooms lack anyg of that shape now. he point is that a difintly shaped table will new interest and vitality ir rooms.

And this goes for anything luding coffee tables, room tables, end etc.

n't necessarily limit elf to the obvious. Pera regular rectangular is what you want and in a given spot--that's But all we are saying you might want to at onsider something nt. If most of you have always been fourmaybe you'd like to ix-sided or round one. etimes in a room has a large sofa, the a square or rectangular at each end of the sofa prolongs the straight-the sofa and makes too overpowering. ound tables, for example ak the line and turn into a nicer grouping tever your preferences ids, come in and re. We'll be happy you with good selec-



Childress, Mrs. W. H. Whitaker, Mrs. Ben Bohmfalk, Mrs. Ted Miss Bonnie Boothe of Lubbock, White, Mrs. Billy Reagor, Mrs.

Mrs. L. B. Cox, Mrs. Fred Hagelstein, Mrs. Sidney Millspaugh and Mrs. John Childress. --0--PHONE NEWS TO THE

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# **Pheasant Hunting** In West Texas

Mention pheasant to West Texas hunters and many immediately think of Kansas, Nebraska or the Dakotas. These ago, only 18 counties were states have long been recogmized as prime pheasant hunting country and, over the years, many a Texan has been landowners, sportsmen and attracted there by the opportunity to hunt these gaudy game probably responsible for much of certain that beneficiaries on birds,

While that general area of the United States might still hold the reputation as being the ringneck pheasant capitol. .Texans no longer have to gravel so far or even purchase an out-of-state hunting license in New Jersey. After the first to participate in some pheasant successful introductions, private hunting that is reported to be Improving every year.

In 33 counties across the stop of the Texas Panhandle. pheasant season will be open Dec. 13-28. These counties are still a good distance away for Trans-Pecos hunters, but They aren't nearly so far as Kansas or the Dakotas. And preseason reports indicate prospects are excellent for the boming season.

According to J. D. Peer information officer for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department in the Panhandle. the latest pheasant counts indicate big increases in pheasant population and point to an excellent season.

Late summer surveys by P&WD personnel showed a 141 Panhandle counties that have percent increase in pheasant population over 1974 figures. ummer got part of the credit clude irrigated fields, grain sfor the big increase, but Peer fields, and where cover is of grain and sun flower crops with assisting in the growing compiled by Jack K. Parson, regional wildlife director for ment, the ringneck pheasant opens. is a relative newcomer to the

state. Before 1950 only a scattered few were found in the northwestern Panhandle. Those, it is believed, drifted ito the state from Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado, But, in

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the past 20 to 25 years, these original few have multiplied and spread. About five years credited with having huntable populations of ringnecks. Numerous pheasant releases by civic groups in that area are

the increase and the spread of the pheasant population. The ringneck is not a native North American bird, but one that was introduced to this country from China in the 1880s, first in Oregon and later individuals and various states across the country began the rearing and release of pheasants, recipient generally arises when Many of these releases failed, but in areas that offered suitable change his beneficiary. habitat, the pheasant became established, gained a reputation as a highly popular gamebird and is one of this country's most successful game imports. Pheasant releases in various other parts of Texas have met with limited success, including

some releases of Afghanistan white-winged pheasants. Several releases of these birds, reportedly suited to more aris areas, were made in the Trans-Pecos area but, at best, seem to be only holding their own. According to Peer, hunters

can find pheasants in all the open seasons but the best concentrations will be in areas Good spring hatches and a mild of favorable habitat which inalso credits increased planting provided by weeds and thistles. He reports that many landowner before the season, were already number of Panhandle ringnecks, burning or plowing heavy cover According to information that is necessary for pheasant populations. Elimination of that cover should concentrate the the Parks and Wildlife Depart- birds even more when the season 🗖

Peer points to the Dumas, Hereford-Dimmit-Friona and Plainview areas as three that should provide excellent pheasant hunting this season. but says that hunters should find birds anywhere in the 33-

CONSERVE

#### Christmas county area where the combined food and cover require-Piano Recital ments are present. Daily bag limit on pheasant

this season will be two cocks and possession limit after the second day will be four cocks. -- ()--

V. A. Ins.Should **Be Up to Date** 



their policies are current. The VA is obligated by law to pay insurance proceeds to the beneficiary of record, Most of the agency's insured are World War II veterans who

and Rea Lynn Dews. carry National Service Life attend. Insurance, A. A. Hunter, VA Regional Director, explained The problem of insurance Christmas benefits going to an unintende the veteran simply fails to

In a typical case, a veterat

named his mother as beneficiary when he obtained his policy. Later the veteran married and overlooked the requirement to notify the VA of intended change in beneficiary. is \$1,50 for the tour and Unwarranted financial hardship refreshments. Tickets may be often results, Hunter noted, purchased ahead of time or at If in doubt as to current any of the homes on the tour.

designation, veterans are urged to submit a change of beneficiary. Hunter also emphasized the homes of the Jerry Don Balchs, the Rip Ward's, the that lump sum payments only Norman Rousselot's, the Edwin may be paid when so designated by the insured veteran, bury's. Policy changes should be

sent to the VA insurance center -- in Philadelphia or St. Paul, Minn, -- where the insured's premiums are paid All requests should include policy number along with full

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STOCKMAN WANT ADS name and address,

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## JACKETS ASSORTED PLAIDS **GIRL PANTIES** LACE TRIMMED . SIZES 4 TO 14

Home Tour In Sonora The Sonora Woman's Club is sponsoring a tour of Christmas decorated homes in that city Sunday, Dec. 14, from 2 until 6 p.m. Price of the tour

Homes to be visited include

Sawyer's, and the Jim Cusen-

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Closed Sunday, Monday,

evening, EL SOMBRERO CAFE.

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V.C. LEATHER LOOK IN

December 11, at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Smith's students who

at the Civic Center,

Wall, and Kim Baker.

are: Gail Hunnicutt, Leanne

The public is invited to

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FRIDAY 9 TO 5 SATURDAY 9 TO 11 OUR BIG NEW STORE IS STOCKED FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFTING - ALL 11,000 SQUARE FEET OF IT.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 197

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Call 392-3173.

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The Ozona boxing team will compete against teams from the surrounding area at Coleman, Saturday, Dec. 13. Around 15 novices from Ozona will participate. The boys have been training since October under Golden Glover Maximo Perales and assistants Santiago

Ybarra and Coy Tambunga. --0--NO RUMMAGE SALE IN JANUARY There will be no rummage

ale held in the Thrift Shop in January. The first sale of the new year will be held February 2. --0--CENTER TO CLOSE The Planned Parenthood

Center at the hospital clinic building will be closed December 24 and 25, also January 1. The center will be open Dec. 31, from 9 a.m. until

-- 0--New selection of glassware AT BROWN FURNITURE Co. Perfect for Christmas. -- 0--

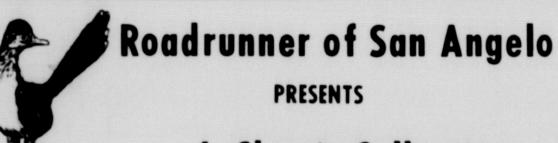
Come see the pretty patterns for boy's room. Call 392-3208 in king-size, queen-size and jouble-size sheets and pillow-Both storage places reported cases and towels to match at WATSON'S DEPARTMENT TORE. 39-2tc --0--

> Lose weight, melt fat, decrease cholesterol with amazing Kelcithin B capsules Village Drug. --0-- 38-4tc

Christmas is coming faster than most of us would like for it to be here--come in today and select the gift for

, and Mrs. Sam Perner, was your special person at BROWN PETE W. JACOBY, REALTORS Ph. 392-3059 401 Hillcrest ducted into the Angelo State FURNITURE CO. niversity chapter of Sigma l'au Delta in ceremonies last

CARD OF THANKS week on the campus, would like to thank all Miss Perner was one of my friends for their cards. seven students to be inducted into the national English Honor while I was in the hospital. Alice Collett place Saturday evening at --0-- 40-ltc



We have guns, ammunition, hunting and fishing equipment FOR SALE - 1973 Chevrolet and license, and sell and Nova Custom. Air-radioinstall C. B. radios. OZONA TRADING POST

> Music boxes and other ding-a-lings at BROWN FURNITURE CO. Drop in and see at the Complete Christmas Place. --0--

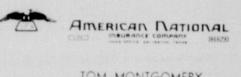
HAY FOR SALE - cane or alfalfa. \$65 per ton fob Quemado, Texas. Call ac 512-957-1359. Concrete, ornamental item with planters, painted or unpainted. Will make nice Christmas gift. Call 392-2438. or come by 601 Miller.

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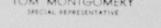
ALL-BREED DOG GROOMING udy Boykin, 392-2583 Call for appointment. FOR SALE - Frigidaire electric -=0-- 29-tfc

> Clean carpets give a healthier, more pleasant atmosphere. Have your carpets been cleaned the --0-- 38-tfc

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Repair or build to order anything wood. Also soldering. brazing, and painting. 115 Liveoak

--0-- 40-4tc LOST - Bassett hound, white with tan or brown spots. Reward of \$5 to finder. Call Jeanette Hill, 392-2348.

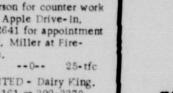
--0-- 40-1tc ATTENTION HUNTERS & TRAPPERS - Fur buyer will be in Ozona at Gulf Service Station highway 290 & Ave. G each Wednesday from 6:45 a.m. till 7:30 a.m. beginning Wednesday, and in Sheffield at Tims' Texaco highway 290 each Tuesday from 7:00 p.m. till 7:30 p.m. beginning Dec. 2. D & W Fur Co., 400 N. Texana St., Ph. 798-5057. --0-- 40-tfc

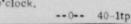
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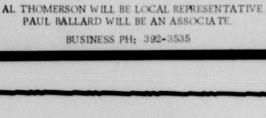
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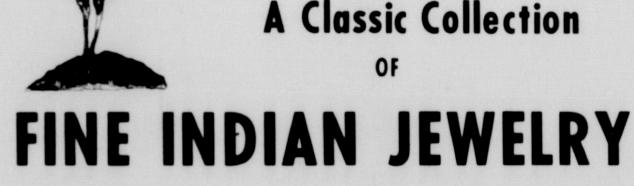
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