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AROUND The Old CORRAL BY BILL GRAY

West of the Pecos: E. A. Bishop, Fort Stockton, last week delivered 1,283 lambs to Ellison and Ellison and W. C. Latham, Brady, at 10 1/4 cents. . . Walton Kothmann of Menard received 321 lambs at Toyah, contracted months ago, and sent them to Fort Worth at 12 cents (at a remarkably small loss). . . J. C. Weston, Alpine, last week sold several doubles of lambs at 11 cents to Holland & Merriweather, Alpine. . . Weston sold 10 doubles of lambs to Kansas parties at 10 1/4 cents. . . N. M. Mitchell, Sanderson, won second prize with a junior heifer at the National Polled Hereford Show in Jackson, Miss.

Over West Texas at random: Frank Lehman, Winters stock farmer, is on a cash basis. . . he is paying \$18,000 cash for an adjoining 240-acre farm, well-improved and all-cultivated, all equipment included. . . J. M. Watkins is the seller. . . Ranch deals reported by L. W. Puckitt in Menard Friday: Fred Harmon, Balinger flying school operator, paid \$15 an acre for the Joe Maddox place, 2,400-acres, 15 miles northeast of Junction; O. C. Sikes of Ballinger, automobile agent, bought 5,000 acres of the late Tom Jones ranch, between Mason and Junction, at \$16, getting possession in September, 1944. . . a woman who actually ranches without help is Dorothea Griffin, Lawn. . . not a hired hand on the place and she raises registered Herefords and horses. . . extending of the Army maneuver ground at Lake Abilene has been forcing out stockmen (deadline last week) and they have been selling their goats at \$3 a head, Bob Sales, ranchman, said at Buffalo Gap last week. . . Murry Hudson, registered Hereford man at Anson, said he is going to Colorado this week to arrange for selling his cattle to make way for a gunnery range there. . . after several stockmen around Winters sold their stock to evacuate an area for bombing practice, they were notified several days ago to stay. . . W. F. Volkman, Menard, reported that his Corriedale spring wool clip, appraised last week, brought 59 1/2 cents, his Rambouillet clip 55. . . the program, he says, is EX-

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**Half Million Pounds Fall Wool Appraised Here**

Price Average for Local Accumulation Between 40-41 Cents

Government appraisal of between 570,000 and 580,000 pounds of fall wool from the backs of Crockett county sheep was made here yesterday at the Ozona Wool & Mohair Co. warehouse.

Appraisers spent most of the day looking through the wool displays and completed appraisal of the entire accumulation of the local warehouse before leaving for Sanderson.

Prices fixed by the appraisers for purchase of the clips by the Commodity Credit Corporation will average from 40 to 41 cents per pound net to the grower on the entire lot, Melvin Brown, warehouse manager, estimated yesterday afternoon after the appraisal had been completed. Several days of book work will be required before the sale is completed and checks issued, Mr. Brown said.

Yesterday's sale was the first under the line grouping plan inaugurated recently for appraisal of fall wools. Small lot wools, less than 10,000 pounds were grouped according to lines and samples from each line were examined with samples from the separate clips.

Appraisers here included Rudy Vaughan, Guy Burton, Henry Maginot and a Mr. Reese.

## Ozonans Register Thurs. and Friday For Ration Book 4

### New Books to Be Issued At School Buildings This Week

War Ration Book No. 4 will be issued to Crockett county consumers in a new registration to be held at the school buildings here Thursday and Friday of this week. Members of the high school and Latin-American school faculties, students and volunteer helpers, will handle the new registration as in the past, Supt. C. S. Denham has announced.

Registrants must present War Ration Book Three to qualify for the new Book 4, it was pointed out in instructions issued through the office of J. K. Black, San Antonio, OPA district rationing executive. "No new ration books are to be issued persons who do not produce the No. 3 book," Black declared. "Any member of the family may sign up for the entire family group at this registration, as they did at registration for the No. 1 and 2 books." Each family member's No. 3 book must be presented, however.

No. 3 ration books were distributed last summer by mail, but the new one will be issued at school houses over the nation, with teachers and volunteer helpers handling the job.

The book will be distributed to all persons except members of the armed forces who are subsisted or who are members of officers messes, persons confined to institutions and persons who intend to reside less than 60 days in the United States.

War Ration Book Four, which will last approximately two years, combines point and unit stamps. It has eight pages containing a total of 384 stamps, printed on safety paper in blue, red, green and black inks. The green stamps probably will be used as supplementary stamps.

There are 96 unit stamps printed in black ink. The word 'spare' appears on 72 of these stamps, which can be used in case additional ration currency is needed for any of the programs. Twelve of the stamps have the word 'sugar' printed on them, and an equal number is designated for coffee, which is no longer rationed. Now that coffee ration has been suspended and ration stamps are not required to buy it, this strip of 12 coupons can also be used as spare stamps.

After careful consideration, it has been decided that it would be unwise to 'tailor' War Ration Book Four for excess stocks of processed foods on the pantry shelves of the consumer.

### Interest Increases In Baptist Revival Now in Progress

Interest in the fall revival services now in progress at the First Baptist Church here was increasing in the middle of the week and good crowds are in attendance at the twice daily services, Rev. Clyde Childers, pastor, reported yesterday.

Rev. Childers is preaching at each of the evening services while Rev. L. W. Hardecastle of Fabens, Texas, who is directing the song services, is preaching at the week-day morning services. The morning services start at 10 a.m., and the evening hour is 8. Everybody is extended a cordial invitation to take part in the services, Rev. Childers said.

### GAS COUPONS STOLEN

If not the meanest, at least next to the meanest thief was at work in Ozona a few nights ago. Welton Bunker reported the theft of all his gasoline ration coupons from the glove compartment of his pick-up. The pick-up was parked in the drive next to the house but the thief managed to pilfer the coupons without disturbing the family.

## Stranded Motorist, Needing Tire, Wires President for Aid

J. P. Pogue, manager of the Wilson Motor Co., learned Wednesday the proper procedure to get a new tire when you need one—at least he was watching with interest the method used by a customer who drove into his station.

The driver had blown out a tire and was stranded. He sought the aid of the tire ration board but no tires were to be had.

"I'll just call the president," he told Pogue in confidence. He took down the telephone receiver and asked to be connected to Mr. Roosevelt's office in the White House. The telephone operator informed him that the lines were not available at present and advised that he use the telegraph wires. And that's just what he did—sent a wire addressed to President Franklin D. Roosevelt advising the president of his plight and asking his immediate aid. A friend, he said, had gotten results by this procedure recently, and after dispatching the wire he relaxed with confidence until the president could get around to taking care of his case.

## Jinx Steps in To Rob Lions of Deserved Victory

### Ahead, Lion Back Is Hurt; Menard Scores 19 in Last 6 Minutes

That old jinx, that seems always poised for a spring, Friday night again rode the backs of as plucky a bunch of kids as ever donned the moleskins for Ozona High.

Leading by one point, their defense perfectly coordinated and a passing machine that was clicking to perfection, in spite of the fact that they were outweighed and outnumbered two to one and with only six more minutes left in the ball game, the jinx struck his blow that spelled disaster.

Jimmy Read, spark plug of the Lion backfield, punter, blocker, line plunger and pass catcher who rounded out a smooth-working machine both on offense and defense, went out of the ball game at that point from injuries. Suffering a wrenched shoulder when he fell on a fumbled Menard punt, Jimmy was taken from the game.

Despite the fact that freshman Max Word, only available backfield substitute, tried manfully to plug the hole, there just wasn't enough boy to buck the weight the Jackets were throwing at him and in the last four minutes of play, the Menard lads chalked up three touchdowns for a total of 19 points to beat the Lions 31 to 13.

The Yellowjackets scored first in the first quarter on a 14-yard end run after powering the ball down the field. But the Lions were undaunted and in a very few minutes after receiving the Menard kick they had evened the count at six all. Taking the ball on their own 30-yard line, the Lions alternated passes and ground plays that ate up the 70 yards between them and pay dirt without ever losing the ball. The varied attack of the Lions had the Jackets completely baffled—every pass was good and by scattering the Menard defenders with the passing attack, ground plays were consistently good for yardage despite the heavier opposing line. Jimmy Read took the final pass on that march on the one yard line and on the next play carried it over for the (Continued on Last Page)

### PROMOTED TO STAFF SGT.

Thomas Edward (Wild Horse Red) Jordan, stationed at Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson, Arizona, in the U. S. Army Air Corps, has been promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant. Red is a control tower operator at the Tucson heavy bomber training center. He is married and is living with his wife at 417 N. Main street in Tucson. His address is 62nd Bomb. Sq., Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson, Ariz.

## Schools Go on Advanced Time Schedule Nov. 1

### Lack of Lighting Facilities Makes Change Necessary

As has been the practice in previous war years, Ozona schools will advance the time schedule by one hour effective November 1, it was announced yesterday by Supt. C. S. Denham. The change was authorized at last week's meeting of the school board, to be made effective with the opening of schools Monday morning, November 1.

Under the plan of operation through the winter months, schools advance the opening and dismissal time by one hour remaining on the war time basis but setting up the schedule to take advantage of daylight hours. Because of a lack of artificial systems in the schools, it has been found necessary to make this change in time with the advance of winter to avoid early-morning classes with inadequate daylight.

Beginning November 1, all schools will open each morning at 10 o'clock and will be dismissed for the noon lunch hour at 1 p.m. Primary and elementary grades will be dismissed at 4 o'clock and the junior high school grades at 4:30. High school dismissal hour will be 5 p.m. In the Latin-American school, primary and elementary grades will be dismissed at 4:00 p.m. and junior high and high school division at 4:40 p.m.

## Mrs. M. A. Runion Transferred to San Angelo Phone Offices

After nine years as manager of the local exchange of the San Angelo Telephone Co., Mrs. M. A. Runion will be transferred to the home offices of the company in San Angelo effective November 1.

Mrs. Runion is to be succeeded in the post as manager of the local branch by Marvin Barnes, for the past few years manager of the Big Lake exchange. Mr. Barnes, a son of W. R. Barnes, telephone exchange manager at Sonora, is married and has one child.

Mrs. Runion was appointed manager of the local office to succeed her late husband upon his death in February 1935. Mr. and Mrs. Runion came to Ozona in December, 1934, he as exchange manager. She and her son, Arthur, have made their home here since that time. She is to be assigned to the commercial department in San Angelo.

"We are reluctant to leave Ozona since we have come to consider it home," Mrs. Runion said. "The people here have been so very nice to us and we have learned to love them, and, naturally, we hate to leave. But both the company and I have long realized that it would become necessary to have a man to take care of the service needs of the exchange and that time has come. I shall always remember kindly the people of Ozona and hope to be able to visit you some in the future."

### WEDS SONORA GIRL

Miss Mary Jo Rape of Sonora became the bride of Sgt. Blake Brown of Ozona Saturday, October 9, in a ceremony performed in Pasadena, Cal. Sgt. Brown is stationed in Los Angeles with a fighter squadron of the U. S. Army Air Force. The couple will make their home at 230 South Flower Street in Los Angeles.

### POLIO VICTIM RETURNS

Carl Conklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conklin, who has been in a San Angelo hospital for several weeks recovering from an attack of poliomyelitis, was returned to his home here Tuesday. The child will remain here for two weeks while treatment is continued before being returned for further examination by San Angelo physicians. He is believed to be recovering satisfactorily.

## 26 Ranch Operators Complete AAA Work; Apply for Payment

Twenty six Crockett county ranch operators have completed range improvement work under the 1943 AAA program and have filed applications for payment, Miss Betty Bratcher, administrative officer of the AAA here, announced this week.

Work completed represents a total of 15,394 acres of land cleared of prickly pear, 17 water wells drilled and equipped and 10,851 feet of pipeline laid. Payment checks are expected to start arriving in a few days, Miss Bratcher said.

Miss Bratcher announced an unusually low expense factor deduction from this year's payment checks. The expense factor for the local association's operation was figured at 2.2 percent this year, this deduction paying for the office and inspection expense of the association.

Operators who have completed all the work they plan to do this year, whether or not they have used up their full allotment, may make application for payment now, Miss Bratcher said.

## More Knitters Are Needed in Red Cross Production Program

A new and urgent call for knitters—and more knitters—has been issued by Mrs. Roy Henderson, chairman of knitting of the local Red Cross production program.

A quota of 50 watch caps for the Navy and 50 pairs of knitted gloves has been assigned the local chapter and time for completion of the quota is near, Mrs. Henderson said. So far only a small part of the yarn has been issued and unless more volunteers come forward the chapter will fall behind in the program. Watch caps are extremely simple knitting, Mrs. Henderson explained, and even though you are not an expert your services will be valuable in completing these caps, the gloves to be assigned more experienced knitters.

## Junior Gridders Swamp Eldorado By 32 to 0 Count

### Warning of Things to Come for District. 7B Given by Locals

A warning of things to come was given to teams of District 7B Tuesday afternoon when Ozona Junior High gridders, coached by Joe Ripple, overpowered the Eldorado Juniors on Eldorado field by a count of 32 to 0.

The locals had power to burn, and to the envy of the Lions of high school—they had a bench full of substitutes, and all good, despite the fact that seven members of the 27-man squad were ineligible because of the weight limit.

Nat Read, Lion Jimmy's little brother, set the pace for his teammates early in the game by galloping over for a touchdown the first time he got his hands on the ball and again in almost the same fashion the next time he fingered the oval. The scoring got under way almost as soon as the ball game did. The Cubs kicked to Eldorado and the Eaglets tried three times without success and kicked. Read took the kick at midfield and ran back through the entire Eldorado defense for the first touchdown. The same thing happened again in a matter of seconds. Eldorado received the kick after touchdown—again tried three plays, failed to gain and kicked. Read took it again and negotiated the distance for a touchdown.

Sammy Perner was another backfielder who was able to make some good gains on quick-opening plays through the line. Jack Coates, too, from his left half position was good on many spinners through the opposite side of the (Continued on Last Page)

## War Fund Drive Still Far Under Goal of \$3,500

### Business Houses Give \$1,200; Progress Reports Incomplete

Although reports were not available from many workers, Crockett County's War Fund Drive was far from reaching its goal of \$3,500 yesterday, Mrs. S. M. Harvick, county chairman reported. That the drive, launched last Thursday afternoon, might stand at a little past the half-way mark was the chairman's estimate of progress to yesterday, based on preliminary reports and estimates from workers.

Business firms of Ozona contributed handsomely to the drive, going over the top by more than \$200 their assigned quota. Workers who were lining up the campaign in advance of its opening settled on a figure of \$1,000 from Ozona business houses and assigned Lee Wilson, manager of Hotel Ozona, to make the solicitation. After a two-day whirl through the business section, Mr. Wilson turned in a total of \$1,315.00, of which a little over \$100 was the contribution of ranchmen who were assigned to Mr. Wilson's list, the balance of approximately \$1,200 contributed by Ozona's 40 business and professional men for an average of \$30 each.

Crockett county's quota was set by the state War Fund organization at \$3,283. To this was added an amount necessary to bring the total to \$3,500, the excess above the assigned quota to remain in a local fund for administration of the service men's center here.

Mrs. Harvick and her group of workers are hopeful that the drive will go well over the \$3,500 goal, however, with the sights set ultimately on a \$5,000 contribution from this county.

"To reach our objective, Ozonans must give liberally," Mrs. Harvick declared. "This is a case where everybody must give to the best of his ability. Gifts of a dollar and five dollars will help, of course, and are welcome, but those who are able to give more must do so if we are to reach this goal." Persons who have not been solicited and who wish to make a contribution to the fund may leave the check or money at the Ozona National Bank or any business house in Ozona.

Funds contributed to this cause are to be distributed among seven different organizations serving our own armed forces and our allies, including the USO, United China Relief and other war relief agencies.

## Vaughn Brown, Now Tech. Sergeant, In North Africa Year

Now a technical sergeant Vaughn Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown of Fort Stockton, former Ozonans, has been stationed with the American forces in North Africa for more than a year and writes his parents that he "likes it fine." Sgt. Brown was graduated from Ozona High School and was a star athlete on both football and basketball teams. He was among the first to enlist from this county after the training program was launched prior to American entry into the war.

Sgt. Brown has sent home for saving more than \$1,100 since entering into the service, his mother writes. "He says there are more pretty girls over in North Africa but he can't speak to them—just has to stand around and look at them," Mrs. Brown quotes her son.

George Weddell, ranchman of the Water Valley area north of San Angelo, and a brother of Mrs. Lindsey Hicks of Ozona, suffered a double fracture of one leg last week in a fall at the ranch. Mr. Weddell stepped out of the door at his home and turned an ankle, his leg being broken in two places in the resulting fall.



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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT**

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Crockett County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published, ONCE, not less than ten days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Crockett County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy—(but if there be no newspaper so printed in said county, then that you cause said citation to be posted for at least TEN days before the return thereof as required by law.)

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS.**

To all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of the Estate of B. B. Ingham, Deceased, No. 102, Frankie D. Ingham, Administratrix thereof, has filed in the County Court of Crockett County, Texas, on the 20 day of October A. D. 1943, her Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said B. B. Ingham, Deceased, together with an Application to be discharged from said Administration which will be heard at the November term of said court, commencing the 1st day of November A. D. 1943 at the Court house of said County, in the City

of Ozona, Texas, at which time and place all parties interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate are hereby notified to appear and contest said Account and Application of the said Frankie D. Ingham if they see proper to do so.

Witness, Geo. Russell, Clerk of the County Court of Crockett County, Texas, and the seal of said Court attached, this 20 day of Oct. A. D. 1943.

Geo. Russell  
(SEAL) Clerk County Court, Crockett County, Texas.

Herein fail not, and have you then and there before said court this writ with your return thereon endorsed showing you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Ozona, Texas, this 20 day of Oct. A. D. 1943

Geo. Russell  
(SEAL) Clerk County Court, Crockett County, Texas.

**PTA to Provide School Entertainment**

Ozona Parent-Teacher Association assumed responsibility for supervision of High School entertainment programs during the present school year at a business meeting preceding the program of the regular session of the association held Monday afternoon in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. Bryan McDonald accepted the post of vice president which had been vacant. The fifth grade was awarded the attendance prize.

Mrs. Evert White reviewed "Paul Revere and the World He Lived In" by Esther Forbes. She was introduced by Mrs. Bryan McDonald who gave a short talk and prayer.

**Book Review Is Program Feature for Junior Woman's Club**

A review of "The Robe" by Lloyd Douglas, given by Mrs. Pleas Childress featured the program of the Ozona Junior Woman's Club meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. T. Robison. Mrs. Fred Hagelstein was hostess for the day.

Five new members were accepted at the meeting. They were Miss Lula Mae Starnes, Mrs. Pleas Childress, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., and Mrs. Harlan Townley. About twenty members and guests were present.

**Book Review and Business Session For Woman's Society**

A book review and business session constituted the program of the Woman's Society of Christian Service meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Baggett.

In a brief business session, the following committees were named: Nominating—Mrs. L. B. Cox, Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. Madden Read; Church—Mrs. John Henderson, Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. Stephen Perner; Pounding—Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. Hilery Phillips, Mrs. Paul M. Hallcomb, Mrs. Jack Wilkins, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. Early Baggett.

The book by Paul Burgess, "Who Walk Alone," was most interestingly reviewed by Mrs. Jack Wilkins, a guest from the Young Women's Circle. The story is of a leper and his experiences.

Present were Mrs. Max Schneemann, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. L. B. Cox, Mrs. J. A. Fussell, Mrs. Scott Peters, Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. E. B. Baggett, Jr., Mrs. Tom Harris, Mrs. Madden Read, Mrs. Hilery Phillips, Mrs. R. A. Harrell, Miss Mary Riddle and Miss Vivian Stallworth.

The meeting next week will be at the home of Mrs. N. W. Graham beginning at 2:30. The regular monthly business session will be held after which Mrs. Pleas Childress will review "The Robe" by Lloyd Douglas.

**Sixth District, TFWC, Officers on Tour of Local Clubs of Area**

October 20-23 is the date set for the Sixth District tour planned by Miss Ethel Foster, state president, T. F. W. C., and Mrs. C. D. Bruce, Sixth District president, and 9 conferences have been arranged.

The itinerary is as follows: Wednesday, October 20—Sweetwater at noon, Baird at 4:00 p.m., Comanche at 8:30 p.m.; Thursday, October 21—Goldthwaite at 9:30 a.m., Llano at noon, Mason at 4:00 p.m., Sonora at 8:30 p.m.; Friday October 22—Eldorado at 9:00 a.m., San Angelo at noon.

Clubwomen are urged to attend these meetings which will be the last held for the duration. By visiting alternate counties, they hope to contact the entire district.

**Five Southwest Conference Games on Air This Week-End**

Five games will compete for the attention of football fans this week-end as the Humble Oil & Refining Company broadcasts these games Saturday afternoon and night.

The first broadcast, starting at 2:15 p.m. is the game between the University of Texas and Rice Institute, Stations KPRC—Houston; WFAA WBAP, Fort Worth-Dallas; WOAI, San Antonio; and KTBC, Austin will carry this game.

Next on the air at 2:30 will be the game between Texas A & M and the North Texas Aggies. The broadcast will be heard over KG KO, Fort Worth-Dallas; KXYZ, Houston; KRIS, Corpus Christi; K TSA, San Antonio; KRGV, Westlaco; KFDM, Beaumont; WTAW, College Station.

Exactly one hour later at 3:20 p.m. the broadcast of the SMU-Tulane game starts. Stations will be KTRH, Houston; and KRLD, Dallas.

The first night game, between T.C.U. and the Oklahoma Aggies, at 7:50 p.m. will be heard over stations KFJZ, Ft. Worth; KBST, Big Spring; KGKL, San Angelo; KRBC, Abilene; KRLH, Midland; and WACO, Waco.

The last game of the day comes at 8:20 p.m. over stations KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; WFAA-WBAP, Ft. Worth-Dallas. It is the game between Southwestern University and Southwestern Louisiana Institute.

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FOR SALE—50 head 2-year-old purebred Rambouillet bucks. Demp Jones breeding. \$25 per head. See Early Chandler. 25-tfc

Frances Childress, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress, underwent a tonsillectomy in a San Angelo hospital Tuesday and is recovering nicely. The parents brought the child home yesterday.

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An inspiring address by Rev. W. E. Starnes featured the program of Rotary Tuesday. Rev. Starnes pictured events and attitudes leading to the world turmoil of today and suggested some safeguards which must be observed to finally right this nation and the world.

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In order that taxpayers of this county who desire might take advantage of the savings offered, this notice is given regarding the discount schedule effective this year on county, state and school taxes.

Except on poll taxes, on which no discount is allowed, the following discount schedule will be effective through the coming taxpaying period:

**3 Percent Discount If Paid In October**

Oct. 1 thru Nov 3

**2 Percent Discount If Paid In November**

Nov. 3 thru Dec. 2

**1 Percent Discount If Paid In December**

Dec. 2 thru Jan. 1

Taxes paid during the month of January earn no discount and become delinquent after February 1, 1944.

**FRANK JAMES**

Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes—Crockett Co.

**STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION**

of

**Ozona National Bank**

OZONA, TEXAS

At Close of Business October 18, 1943

**RESOURCES**

Loans	\$ 624,194.79
Overdrafts	1,625.22
Banking House	7,200.00
Furniture & Fixtures	600.00
Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas Stock	4,600.00
United States Government and other Bonds	657,014.97
Cash and Due from Banks	1,768,326.20
	<b>\$3,063,561.18</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock	100,000.00
Surplus	52,000.00
Undivided Profits	76,541.71
Deposits	2,835,019.49
	<b>\$3,063,561.18</b>

**OFFICERS**

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# THE LION'S ROAR

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**WHAT IF—**

The band and Pep Squad and Drum Corps could have gone to Menard—Nan Tandy didn't drive around town without her lights—Joyce West didn't get "teething rings" and "baby soap" for her birthday—What if Byrd didn't have so many girls "running after"—Juana didn't want Larry's hands to be cold—Doris Dean and Barbara White didn't come to the picture show in their uniforms and almost cause a riot—The members of the H.E. Club were more orderly during club meetings—Max Word didn't annoy Miss Moore so in Spanish class—Louise Arledge didn't make paper airplanes in Study Hall and fly them around to the accompaniment of "Wheeeueeuee!"—Baby Hokit would either get in the Drum Corps and stay in or giggle when Mr. Denham makes people throw their chewing gum away—Basil Dunlap didn't make

so many trips into Study Hall to (Ahem) fill his fountain pen—Miss Heaton wasn't so forward and didn't ask herself to stay at people's houses—Larry Arledge didn't hint so loudly that he wants pop-corn at the picture show—Louise Arledge didn't try to attract little (?) boys attention while twirling in her front yard—Marie Williams wasn't such a good pianist—Now the last words weren't

**BEAT ELDORADO!!!**

OHS—

The number four ration books are to be issued Thursday and Friday in the Gymnasium by the bookkeeping class and some outside registrars.

Ration Book Four will be necessary for processed foods and sugar, November first. All registrars must bring Ration Book Three.

People are urged to come on Thursday so that the registrars may be released on Friday. School will not be dismissed.

### STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Sometime ago the Lion's Roar started a practice of selecting one student who, because of superior ability, deep understanding, unlimited effort, or unusual personality traits, was worthy of the emulation of the other members of the student body. This practice had a twofold purpose: to do honor to one to whom honor is due and to place before the eyes of the school an admirable example.

This week the selection has not been given to one individual but to a group—the Football Team. Under almost overwhelming odds they have rallied until their fighting spirit is the talk of the town. It takes a lot of intestinal fortitude spelled with a capital G to be battered black and blue and still come out of the huddle every time, asking for more. They have had to watch their hopes go up in smoke because of a cruel twist of fate; for three times they have had to face disappointment that would take the heart out of any team but one who have O.H.S. and their coach foremost in their minds. Commendation could be made to the smart quarterbacking of Little Bill, the superior kicking of Jimmie Read that time and time again pulled them out of the hole, the classy ballgame that Byrd has been playing;—but the thing that makes this team worthy to be called "Students of the Week" is not all this,—but their unflinching spirit.

### "SCRAPS OF NEWS"

Jo Nell's home was the meeting place of the Press Club last week. Twenty girls enjoyed games and refreshments Tuesday night at the H. E. meeting.

Some loud yelling was heard Thursday night at the Pep Rally.

Following the Pep Rally a large group gathered in the auditorium to hear music played on the piano by Tex Lloyd.

Everyone enjoyed the songs sung by the music class during assembly also the films shown for the benefit of the new War Loan Drive.

With a yell the girls gave the boys a good "send off" Friday morning.

We are proud of the fine work the boys did Friday night in Menard.

The next assembly will be given by the Sophomores.

### BEAT ELDORADO!!!

### FIRST MEETING OF HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club met for the first time this year in the homemaking department. The officers were recognized: Marie Williams—president, Ruth Townsend—secretary and treasurer, Daphne Meinecke—Reporter, Nan Tandy—Historian, and Jo Nell Coose—bouncer.

The committees were announced and the members were explained their duties.

Games were played, doughnuts and coffee were served, and the meeting was adjourned.

### COGITATIONS

By Joyce West

The girls of O.H.S. are getting bolder and bolder. Louise Arledge asked James to move back a seat in Study Hall and sit by her. Barbara and Doris were trying to whistle at some Lieutenants in Hancocks Sunday night. Baby Hokit asked Mike Friend to sit by her in the show Friday night; he did!

By request of Mr. James Chapman, "All the girls are thrilled because those dumb soldiers are back."

Mystery of the week! What were Byrd and Ruth doing on the fire escape of the hotel in Menard? Daphne got an awfully interesting letter with "Free" written in the upper right hand corner. Basil and Lizzie, James and Susie went to the game in Menard together. How that Louise Arledge does rate! Mike Friend thinks she looks like Ginny Sims. Barbara had a date with Calvin Williams after the game Friday. Nan must be in love; she has been making hearts out of her plastic ruler in Geometry. Why does Bill Wilkins get so red when Mr. Sikes asks him if he had a good time in Menard, not only does Bill get red but so does Doris!

Suppose Miss Heaton didn't want to censor Cogitations!!! Everybody's talking about the party the sophs are giving next Friday night.

### MEETING HELD IN STUDY HALL

A meeting in study hall was held Monday morning at nine o'clock. Coach Sikes was called on to tell the students about the Menard football game. "We outplayed them except for the last six minutes," he said. Coach greatly praised the team's passing plays and said that only three passes were not completed. As for the Eldorado game, he only reminded the boys of the Eldorado-Ozona game last year in which Eldorado won when the Lions were judged a better team by six touchdowns.

Mr. Denham announced the coming issuance of ration book four.

Rev. Childers introduced Rev. Hardcastle who sang "Way Down Deep in My Heart" and closed with a talk on "Where are you going mentally, physically and spiritually."

### From the Mail Box—

The ex-students have gotten the wrong impression of O.H.S. this year. If they could see the football team play one game they would know that every bit of the spirit is still here and more so. If they could have been at Menard last week and heard fourteen girls drown out all of Menard's stands, then they would never doubt but that their high school is all that it has ever been. They can still point with pride and say "That's my school and it's the best." Who was it who said that "Precious things come in small packages?" That fellow must have been talking about Ozona. But the Mail box has to be attended to—

It would take two good secretaries to keep up with "Globe-Trotter" Hokit. He is now in the Finance Office of the Army Air Base, Grand Island, Nebraska. He says that it sometimes gets 35 degrees below zero there—and for a southern boy, that's really cold.

Dick writes a long letter to make amends for that card he sent last week. For a college, he thinks that A & M is the best; but he harbors a dislike for all schools except O.H.S. He is taking a hard course; just to read the list of his subjects makes one's head hurt. Of course he is feeling better now that A. and M came out with the long end of the score in the tussle with T.C.U.

And speaking of T.C.U., Roy is back at the grind again, filled with fond memories of his visit here. Roy looked the part with his purple "Horned Frogs" coveralls and his slime cap. Ozona is expecting him to get loose one of these days with a run that will make football history. If any of those teams want to know just how fast that Coates boy is, ask some of the old-timers around here.

The Navy comes in for its share of the Ozona representatives—

James Farr, Jimmy thinks that it is rough, but he can take it. At a lecture he found himself sitting next to John Sutton, the movie star. They are "boots" taking the same training. He would be another one who would really appreciate some correspondence. James Farr, A.S., Co., 43-426, U.S. N.T.S., San Diego 33, California.

Boochie writes from somewhere in Alaska. He says that his mail is fairly regular but air mail is much faster. Notice the change in address. Pvt. Lloyd L. Coates, 384 40302, 97th Comp. C.M.L. Co., APO 942, Postmaster, Seattle, Wash.

Dear Lion's Roar, I've been keeping up with the high school news through the Stockman and from the way the articles read, everyone seems to think that the student body is going stale. This doesn't sound like (Continued on Last Page)



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**LION'S ROAR—**  
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Ozona Hi to me.  
Each "ex" likes to look back on Ozona high school as a place where everyone is having fun and doing things, backing his team, even in defeat, and showing this by taking part in school activities and playing in the band.  
It's true that you miss some of the "gang" that you used to run around with, but that's "water under the bridge." They have finished their high school career, but that is no reason for you all not to keep going. Next year another class will graduate and you will miss them; but there is also a new Freshman Class who needs to be shown the "do's and don'ts" and you must take it on yourself to take up where they left off and keep Ozona Hi a place envied by other schools.  
I'll admit that times are diffi-

cult now because there isn't enough gas to play "ditch-em", not enough tires to "hunt rabbits," not enough sugar to sweeten punch at parties, and maybe that certain person you used to go star-gazing with is gone, but there is still the high school spirit and after all, that is the most important. You can always find things to do if you will only look.

A person can't realize how much fun school is till he leaves it, but it can't be fun if you don't have the energy or "get up" to make it so. It may be a couple of years after you graduate till you realize that the English or Math class you hated so much had quite a few pleasant memories, and that dance you went to when only a freshman will always be remembered, that you would even like to hear that corny boys quartet sing "You Are My Sunshine," and most of all, you'll want to remember that you yelled for the Lions even though they were losing and that you did your part in making Ozona High School an album of pleasant memories, of good times, and everlasting friendship.

We "exes" are counting on you, don't let us down!

An "ex"

OHS  
**The CORRAL—**  
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CELLENT... interesting spot is the old Premier Ranch, founded near Mason in 1872... driving over the ranch with Karl Kothmann, ranch manager, and the writer saw deer, Herefords and buffalo... the old buffalo bull, who bellows and tears down fences when bad weather is brewing, is to be delivered to Jamie Brook, Brady, for \$50... two Texans are back with cattle bought at the Wyoming Hereford Ranch's record breaking (\$197,625 for 60 head) sale at Cheyenne last week: Hardy Grison of Abilene paid \$10,000 for WHR Proud Mixer 21st and Dr. H. A. Wimberly, San Angelo, paid \$1,250 for WHR Fullworthy 26th.

**Junior—**

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line. Billy Joe McDonald was a power in the line, especially on defense, getting some thwacking tackles to stop the Eagles cold. Bob Bissett at left end turned in an outstanding game. "They were all good," was the way Coach Ripple summed up the performance of his boys.

All of the 20 eligible men had a turn in the game. The starting line-up was Bob Bissett at left end; Joe Ross Hufstedler, left tackle; Arthur Runnion, left guard; Charlie Davidson, center; Marshall Sweeten, right guard; Billy Joe McDonald, right tackle; William Meinecke, right end; Ted Mankin, quarterback; Sammy Perner, right half; Jack Coates, left half, and Nat Read, fullback.

Substitutes were Ray Piner, Chris Perner, Tom Mitchell, Tommy Laxson, Glenn Capps, Raymond Brownrigg, James Yancy, Billy Ray Graves, and Armond Hoover. More power was barred because of the 110-pound weight limit. Boys on the squad unable to play were Bernard Lemmons, Buddy Phillips, Roland Phillips, Don Cooke, Joe Bean, Donald Hoover and Eddie Chapman.

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**Jinx—**

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touchdown. An attempted pass for the extra point failed and the score was tied.

One of the most spectacular ground plays uncorked by the Lions in their first touchdown march was a guard-around play with Larry Arledge carrying for a 23-yard gain, with perfect blocking from his teammates.

The Lions battled the Jackets on even terms through the second quarter and at the half were knocking at the touchdown gate again on a march which had begun at their own 30-yard line where they received a Menard kick. That clicking ground and aerial attack carried the Lions to the Menard 30-yard stripe when the gun ending the half cut short their threat, with the Jackets apparently unable to stop the onslaught.

Menard surged ahead again in the third quarter when a sustained ground attack carried for half the distance of the field and a touchdown—the try for point failing. But the Lions, using the same formula and starting at the same point, repeated exactly their performance which netted the score in the opening quarter. Receiving Menard's kick after the touchdown on their own 30, the Lions mixed passes and line plays to carry the ball straight over the goal line for their second touchdown. Read again scored the marker when he took McWilliams' pass on the 15 and galloped the distance for the marker. Read then put his team one point in the lead when he caught another heave from Little Bill behind the goal for the extra point. In that second 70-yard march, the Lions threw ten passes and completed ten passes—not a miss. Little Bill McWilliams, barely able to see over the heads of the opposing line, was chunking with deadly accuracy and Byrd Phillips, Lowell Sweeten and Jimmy Read were taking them with glued fingers for big bites of yards.  
With their one-point lead, the Lions went into a dogged defen-

sive game in the final quarter and were doing a good job, forcing the Jackets to kick. Then came that fatal accident that broke up the Lion's combination. But for a few minutes, it looked as if they might be able to carry on for the remaining distance, for the locals charged in to make a first down from the point where Jimmy had pounced on the ball. But then an alert Menard lad pulled down an Ozona pass, the first one of the day to be intercepted, and ran it back to Ozona's 20-yard line. From there, sheer power was used to shove over for a touchdown. Sweeten, dropping back to kick, booted one 60 yards to set the Jackets back and the line fought them to a standstill to force a return punt.

The next attempted punt of the weakened Lions was blocked and a Menard lad plucked the bounding ball from the air and loped over for another touchdown. The third one was easier as the now completely demoralized locals seemed unable to cope with the Jacket ground attack. Three in four minutes—the last four minutes of play.

The Lions will rest this week.

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**Mrs. Runnion Honored At Eastern Star Meet**

Mrs. Arminda Runnion was hostess to members of the Order of the Eastern Star at the regular meeting of the chapter Tuesday night. Mrs. Mary Frances Scheel as Worthy Matron and Hubert Baker, Worthy Patron, presided. Since the meeting was the last for Mrs. Runnion, who will be transferred to the San Angelo offices of the San Angelo Telephone Co. effective November 1, she was presented with an attractive pin as a gift from the chapter.

Mrs. Scheel was chosen as delegate from the local chapter to the Grand Chapter session in San Antonio October 28.

Chas. E. Davidson, Jr., is under

treatment in a San Angelo hospital where he was taken Tuesday night after becoming ill at his home here.

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