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THURSDAY, JAN. 2, 1941

aching Staff tts Leave Net One Vacancy iss Payton Resigns, eeks Hired; Seek

glish Teacher

t of Ozone schools. Martha Nell Payton, teachsocial studies in the sixth,

by C. S. Denham, superin-

Weeks, recently discharg- January 1.

Denham announced that he | year. on the look-out for a high the second semester.

Club Boys Study ng of Chickens

ers of the Junior 4-H heard a lecture on culling WTCC Urges at the regular meeting of dub Monday afternoon. Mr. explained methods of culland exhibited pictures on the Several boys indicated an in raising chickens and their orders to Mr. Cowan

next meeting of the club

ree Couples cape Unhurt As **Overturns**

andy's New Buick Is Barnhart Road

sult of the accident.

for the accident. The new egation. s badly damaged.

nan Recovering m Stab Wounds; ailant Sought

ere Christmas eve.

te's assailant is still be-

A "Fixture" Overlooked!

Veteran Co. Treasurer Omitted from List of Officials Taking Oath

A chair or other piece of furniture may occupy one certain spot in a room so long that the family becomes so accustomed to it that they are scarcely conscious of its existence, however important its function in the family life may be.

cometimes. They become such a fixture in the public mind that they may be overlooked in a ketball teams will participate this counting of noses.

"I didn't lose the election, did springs and London, of teaching experience, has I?" Crockett county's veteran Ozona teams will play two pracof teaching experience, has a one-half inch choke on a 2-inch and wednesday for a special to succeed Miss treasurer, Tom Casbeer, queried tice games with teams from Earn- the car in which they were riding tubing set at 6,400 feet. Gas-oil ly oir inches of snow. the superintendent an after reading the Stockman's list hart before the opening of the Mr. Weeks, whose home of members of the "official fam- district schedule here January Wills Point, Texas, is a grad- ily" scheduled to take the oath of 14 against the Reagan Owls from ways Monday night. East Texas State Teachers office for new two-year terms, Big Lake. Friday night of this

was discharged last Febru- fice this January and The Stock- the same. nd since that time has been man here and now lists him a-

English teacher to succeed of officials, this time we hope a Big Lake January 28, in Sonora Robison, Lillian, Bill and Susie. Carroll Ratliff. Mrs. Ratliff complete list, who took the oath February 4 and will play Eldorato teaching in the local high of office Wednesday for two-year do on the home court in the west- mann were included in the house an emergency basis terms: County Judge Houston ern half final Friday evening, party. They were Mrs. R. L. Flow. cemented at 1,714 feet, after run- snow over grazing lands for long. the employment of a Smith, County and District Clerk February 7. to fill the post. Several George Russell, Sheriff, Assessor Winners of the western and Hugh Childress, Jr., Mrs. John 1,774 feet, and later possibly may here was at a minimum, although ts are being considered and Collector of Taxes Bruce eastern half championships will Coates, Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. perforate the pipe at around 1,270 some cars continued to move over esuperintendent is hopeful Harp (only new official in this play a best-two-out-of-three game Marshall Montgomery, Mrs. Anplace can be filled and year's line-up), County Attorney series for the district champion- ja Wilson, Mrs. P. C Perner and logged between 1,270 and 1,450 Highway 290 west of Ozona in the Ratliff relieved by the open- N. W. Graham, County Surveyor ship, the championship games to Mrs. C. D. Allen Bill Conklin, County Commissionbe played on a home and home baers Rob Miller, Chas. Black, J. W.
sis, with a flip of the coin to dered carnations and Christmas evthe Peace Bill Johnigan and Con- necessary. stable Tom Smith.

kens by Joe Cowan, county Drastic Reduction In Govt. Spending

ABILENE. - The West Texas Chamber of Commerce announced the Texas delegation in the 80th Congress, convening Jan. 3, to "immediately and forthrightly start working for drastic reductions in federal expenditures, specifically for an over-all budget play will be in Big Lake January not exceeding \$25,000,000,000 in the 1947-48 fiscal year."

islators, signed by WTCC President H. C. Custard; Jas. D. Hamlin, Public Expenditures and Legislative Commission chairman; and Manager D. A. Bandeen. It recked in Accident was based on action taken by the regional chamber's nnual assembly Nov. 8 following meetings by t Ozona couples, on their more than 100 taxpayer groups to San Angelo last Thursday over the West Texas area during miraculously escaped se- October. From these gatherings injury when the car in came the adoption of an 11-point bey were riding, a 1946 "Taxpayer's Code of Ethics" debelonging to Mrs. H. B. claring opposition to "big, wasteoverturned between O- ful, centralized and bureaucratic government as Public Enemy No. mery and Ann West, suf- ditures to no more than 25 per copy of the code was sent to each ow-out in a front tire was member of the Congressional del-

Ewing-Pridemore Wedding Rites Read Saturday in Sonora

a Aguirre, 23, Ozona Latin- zona merchant, and Mrs. Nell Eh, is recovering in a San wing of Coleman, were married hospital where he is un- Saturday morning at Sonora. The was said to be running several WEDDING ANNIVERSARY atment for a stab wound couple left after the ceremony for hundred feet higher than Stanothest suffered in an alter- a wedding trip to San Antonio and lind No. 1-GG University. at a Latin-American dance Corpus Christi after which they

will be at home in Ozona. Shave been filed pend- station and grocery store in the Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather, to wish the coutewant of the club Ellenburger is expected slightly rugged weather.

Volleyball And Basketball Play Starts Fri. Night

Two Barnhart Practice Games Precede District Schedule

Volleyball and basketball fans Christmas holidays in these sports

Girls' volleyball and boys' bas-At least that's a pretty alibi for for the championship of District this newspaper's omission of the 8B, the district divided into a name of Crockett county's oldest western and eastern half. The public official, in point of service, west half is composed of teams from the list of county officials from Ozona, Sonora, Eidorado and beginning new terms in office on Big Lake, and the east half composed of Junction, Menard, Rock-

spent 35 months in the nent in the July primary, got a hart, the volleyball game to start lection and was on the easily-win- only one game in each sport be- hurt. The car, a Ford coupe, was ning Democratic ticket in Noveming scheduled. Tuesday night the badly damaged. Week's last year of teaching ber, there's little question of his Earnhart teams come to Ozona for the high school at Floyda- right to assume a new term in of- a return match, game time being

After the district opener here ed with his father in the mong the county's officials who Tuesday night, local teams will go gion of a cotton gin at Wills are launching on a new term in to Sonora on Friday night, Januoffice the first day of this new ary 17 and will be back at home Once again, then, here's the list from Eldorado. They will play in Schneemann, Mr. and Mrs. Miller

Owens and E. R. Kinser, Justice of cide location of the third game if ergreens, with a silver punch bowl Andres 1,270, Clear

nounced this week

zona to open the tourney in a game during the afternoon. with the Sonora Broncs at 7 p.m. Friday, January 10. The next tourney in which the locals will 24 and 25 and the following week- Sales Discontinued end, January 31 and February 1. The plea was contained in per- they will be hosts at Ozona High sonal letters to the national leg- School's 16th annual tournament.

Oil, Gas Show In N'east Crockett County Wildcat

Shell No. 1 U. Near Stanolind 1-GG, Attempting to Test

eastern Crockett county wildcat Fort Worth WAA veterans divis- influenza, bronchial troubles and to Lowell Littleton, cashier. driver D. Bland 1" and pledging individual and near the C NW NW 21-39-U, was ion driver, Posey Baggett, organizational effort in working conditioning the hole Monday af-Mates, Helen Mayes, Tom Ed for a law holding federal expenter making a caliper survey following packer failures in three atmly minor cuts and bruises cent of the national income. A tempts to drillstem tests to 6,669 feet. Shows of oil and gas had been encountered in a section of unreported age in drilling to that depth, according to unofficial in- for morning and evening services formation.

Location is 114 miles south and this week by church officers. one-half mile west of Stanolind J. M. (Shorty) Pridemore, O- burger production and recently rank of major. He is at present was shutin pending completion of without a pastorate. adjacent tests. The Shell wildcat ROBISONS OBSERVE 35TH

Stanolind No. 1-TT University, near the C SW NW 12-39-U, half anniversary Wednesday afternoon zona Rotary Club on the subject children were here last week-end Pridemore is associated with mile north of Stanolind No. 1-GG with open house at their home the by local officers in his brother, Otto Pridemore, in op- University, was drilling at 7,880 here. Many well wishers called by local officers in his brother, Otto Pridemore, in op- University, was drilling at 7,880 here. Many well wishers called during the afternoon, despite the with the altercation. eration of Pridemore Bros. filling feet in lime. In some quarters the during the afternoon, despite the

Father of Ozonan Fatally Injured in Fall from Horse

George E. Sparkman, 64, prom inent Coleman county stock farmer, and father of Mrs. Otto Pride more of Ozona, died Saturday morning in a Coleman hospital as the result of injuries suffered last Thursday when he was thrown from a horse.

Funeral services were conductters and one sister.

Cristobal Revelez Alfonso Ramirez Are

overturned several times as a result of snow and ife coated high-

at Commerce, with gradu- published in last week's issue. | week, local volleyball girls and from Ozona on the Sonora high-The accident occurred a few Since he didn't have an oppo- basketball boys will go to Barn- way, Rebelez, who was driving, treated with 1,000 gallons of acid. ly morning temperture of 20 desuffered a deep cut on his back It drilled to 6,415 feet, cementing grees. The mercury climbed some-He spent 35 months in the Army as infantry trainee, minimum of 'scratches' in that e- at 7 o'clock and basketball at 7:45 and Ramirez was less seriously 516-inch casing at 6,246.

SCHNEEMANNS HAVE OPEN HOUSE CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schneemann house honoring their children, January 21 to entertain teams Max, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Phillip

Nieces of Mr. and Mrs. Schnee-

at one end and the silver service 5,390, Wolfcamp 7,000, Strawn 9 Admission charges for the bas- at the other. Doorway to the din- 100, Devonian 9,195, Silurian 9, ketball and volleyball double bills ing room was outlined with mis- 355, Simpson 9,630 and Ellenburgfor students and 50 cents for a- mas scene was set up on the man- feet. dults, Supt. C. S. Denham an- tle in the living room and red roses were used in room decorations. Coach Marshall Brown of the The stairway was entwined with southwest of Ozona. It is 11/4 miles Lion cage squad has billed his evergreen branches with Christboys for participation in their mas bells and red bows and pointoday it was urgently calling on first tournament of the season in settias were used throughout the Eldorado January 10 and 11, O- house. About 250 guests called

Vet Certification For Surplus Property

side" items by WAA, Harold S. some timely advice concerning cember 31, reveals. Gish, chief of Fort Worth WAA room temperature and its relation | Deposits in the local financial veterans division announced to- to health. day that no further field visits to key cities throughout North and side temperature be maintained at ly, but even so the figures as an-West Texas were planned by vet- around 68 to 70 degreess," Dr. nounced reveal the county in the eran representatives. Gish point- Cox said. "Thousands of homes best financial condition in histoed out that any veteran seeking to are continually overheated in the ry. obtain certification to buy sur- winter, and a degree of heat is ofplus property for business, pro- ten demanded that would not be were \$5,006,539. 89, up from \$4,fessional or agricultural enter- tolerated in the summertime." prises could obtain prompt certi- In a room that is overheated, the ber, date of the bank's last finanfication by mail, by merely send- body pores are open, and physical cial statement. Deposits in the ining a photostatic copy of his dis- harm may result when outside terim, however, had soared to ap-Shell No. 1 University, north-charge with his application to the temperture is encountered. Colds, proximately \$5,350,000, according

SUNDAY TO BAPTISTS

next Sunday, it was announced

Rev. Cornelison served in the

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Robison ob-

New Producers In Todd Deep and Olson Fields

Conoco Adds 1705-Bbl. Well In Todd; Plymouth in Olson

The Todd Deep field and the Ol-So it is with public officials two months as Ozona High School in Coleman at 3 o'clock Sunday added a producer each and T. W. savage onslaught in many years afternoon, the Rev. W. M. What- Loffland and J. M. Loffland, Jr., early this week, laying a blanket ley, pastor, officiating. Burial fol- of Fort Worth have abandoned of snow from four to eight inches lowed in the City Cecetery there. temporarily their No. 1 V. B. Cox, in thickness over most of West Survivors include the widow, central Crockett wildcat, after Texas. year in double round-robin play the father, one son, five daugh- finding the Ellenburger barren in drilling to 10,939 feet.

tate, C SE SE 28-WX-GS&SF, in almost mid-summer temperatures. the Todd Deep field flowed 355. ratio was 5557-1.

at 2,065 to 2,070 feet, the total time. ed at 2,015. Location is 2,131 from temperatures. the south, 353 feet from the west West Texas ranchmen welcomed school land survey.

ers Mrs. Ele Hagelstein, Mrs. ning a cement plug from 1,664 to feet, a showing of oil having been the dangerously slick pavement.

ketball and volleyball double bills ing room was outlined with mison the home court will be 25 cents tletoe, holly and pine. A Christer 10.265 feet. Elevation is 2,518 Top Five Million

No. 1 Cox is in the C NW SW 40-ST-E. Foster, 25 miles westnortheast of Garrett M. Smith No. 1 L. B. Cox, Jr., which showed some oil between 946 and 1,001 feet in the fall of 1944.

Dr. Cox Warns **Against Overheating** Of Homes in Winter

even pneumonia may take advandeath.

Rev. Harold Cornelison of San 68 to 70 degrees is not only more \$406,337.37 at the end of Decem-Angelo will fill the pulpit at the healthful, but actually more com- ber. The bank's outstanding CCC First Baptist Church in Ozona fortable," Dr. Cox said. "When wool loans, also reduced from the might be well to check up and see | 976.83. No. 1-GG University, which for a chaplaincy during the war and room temperature within the surpluses have been channeled to while indicated discovery Ellen- was recently discharged with the range suggested, plus the careful government bonds, investments in of your family."

Dr. H. A. Gustavus, Ozona denserved their thirty-fifth wedding tist, addressed members of the Oof dental hygiene and new devel- for a visit with Mrs. Austin's paropments in dental care and cor- ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kersey. rection as the program feature at

Heavy Blanket Of Snow Laid As Winter Descends

Balmy Weather Couted Under Winter's Savage Assault

Old Man Winter made up for will have their inning for the next ed from the First Baptist Church son pool in Crockett county have tacked this area with the most

dissipate the balmy weather which Continental No. 35 J. S. Todd es- enveloped the area Saturday with

Snow began falling late Monday 24 barrels of 41.2 gravity, pipe- and continued throughout the Slightly Hurt in Wreck line oil on a five-hour gauge to es- night to deposit a layer of glittertablish a daily potential of 1,709. ing white. Snow continued to fall Cristobal Rebelez and Alfonso 96 barrels. The test was through at intervals throughout Tuesday Ramirez suffered injuries when a one-half inch choke on a 2-inch and Wednesday for a total of near-

Meanwhile temperatures sagged Flowing pressures were 456 to new lows for the winter. Monpounds on the casing and 275 day night's low at early morning pounds on the tubing. The well reading was 19 degrees and Tueswhat during the day Wednesday, Plymouth No. 8-M Shannon es- however, but just a fraction atate pumped 35.63 barrels of 19 bove the freezing point in mid-afgravity oil in 24 hours from pay ternoon and that for only a short

depth. Two and three-eights inch | More sleet and snow began falltubing was set at 2,066. Five and ing late Wednesday afternoon observed Christmas day with open one-half-inch casing was cement- with accompanying sagging of

> line of league 1, Archer county fhe moisture brought by the snow but some injury to livestock was Loffland Bros, set a bull plug expected if the low temperatures in the top of 9 %-inch casing, continue to keep the blanket of

Traffic over highways through Davis Mountains area was report-

Bank Deposits At Year's Start

1946 Closed Out With Reserve for What 1947 May Bring

To cushion the uncertainties of the new year, Crockett county folk begin 1947 with cash reserves topping the five million mark in deposits in the Ozona National AUSTIN. - With the advent of Bank, the bank's annual first-of-Due to the discontinuing of cer- cold weather, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, the-year statement of condition, tification of veterans for "set a- State Health Officer, has issued issued at the close of business De-

> institution at the year's end were "It is very important that in- not at the peak reached previous-

969,962.71 at the end of Septem-

Individual loans have been tage of this bodily abuse, and take sharply reduced during recent ANGELO MINISTER PREACHES a serious toll in sickness and even prosperous years for ranchmen in this area. Such loans dropped "An inside temperature of from from \$433,782.57 in September to added to these factors, the result- September statement, brings the ing economy is considered, it total loans outstanding to \$1,414,-

what your themometer reads. A The bank's accumulating cash maintenance of proper humidity, which have increased more than will help to prevent needless sick- a million dollars in the past three ness and protect the good health months, from \$1,200,403,64 in September to \$2,301,266.51 on the last day of December.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Austin and

GAS RANGE for sale. Inquire at Ozona Boot and Saddlery. 1c

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FOXI

OZONA STOCKMAN Dallas Fashion Show

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THURSDAY, JAN. 2, 1947

To Benefit Polio Fund

DALLAS, Texas. - Made-in-Dallas fashions, Hollywood celebrities, Frankie Master's big-name Entered at the Post Office at band and a dinner will share billing at an elaborate entertainment announced for January 21 in the 3,000-capacity Plantation Club by the Dallas Fashion Group, regional organization of the New York Fashion Group, Inc.

Called "March of Fashions for the March of Dimes," the program will be staged for the benefit of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Net profits from the sale of \$12.50 per person tickets will go to the foundation's

SCALP TROUBLE!

You must find Durham's Resorcin Tonic the best ever used for itching scalp, dandruff, falling hair -or your money back. Large bottle only 75c at

SMITH DRUG CO.



• As 1947 moves in we want to say "hello" to everybody in this section and to wish them a very Happy New Year. At the same time we want to express our deep appreciation of your friendship.

SAUNDERS NURSERY

Ozona, Texas



AT THE OPENING OF ANOTHER YEAR EVERY MEMBER OF THIS ORGANIZATION JOINS WITH US IN WISHING ALL OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR, AND THE RE-NEWAL OF OUR PLEDGE TO GIVE YOU THE UTMOST IN SERVICE DURING 1947.

C. G. MORRISON & CO.



Wishing you a HAPPY NEW YEAR In the same friendly

spirit with which we served

you in 1946

we stand pledged to serve you in 1947.

With grateful acknowledgement

of past favors we extend to all the season's greetings.

Ozona Boot and Saddlery

SEASON'S GREETINGS



JUST LONG ENOUGH TO CALL AND WISH YOU THE FINEST KIND OF A NEW YEAR AND TO THANK ALL OF YOU FOR PAST FAVORS

THE RATLIFF STORE



TO EACH AND ALL

When We Count Our Blessings we find many we had not thought about. Among the outstanding blessings in our list is the good will of the people of this community.

WE THANK YOU most cordially for this good will and assure you of our deep appreciation. We wish for you a pleasant holiday, and a New Year that is the harbinger of many blessings to come.

Best Wishes from All the Wilson Motor Co. Gang:

J. P. Pogue

J. K. Colquitt

Shorty Colquitt

Lee Wilson

Lee Pearce W. E. Brown

Clifton Louvierre

Jose Mendosa

Rosendo Lara

Forrest Tollett



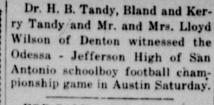
We have reached another milestone on the long road of service.

Our organization, sturdier than ever before, is well equipped to give you service that is superior down to the last detail. We thank you for the part you have played in our success and wish you a

HAPPY NEW YEAR



FOXWORTH-GALBRAITH Lumber Company



FOR SALE — Set of two builtin laundry tubs. See Mrs. Joe Clayton. lc



Better friends we could not want

we could not
possibly have.
Sincere good wishes

for a happy and

prosperous 1947.

Mrs. A. E. Deland Book Store

NOTICE OF

REWARD

I am offering

\$500 Reward

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

BRUCE HARP Sheriff, Crockett County



Write it in your heart that every day is the best day in the year —EMERSO

The Sage of Concord had the right idea, good people. Let's set out to make this New Year of 1947 the best one yet, and every day thereafter the best we can make it.

Our best wishes for the

HAPPIEST NEW YEAR EVER!

NORTH MOTOR COMPANY

CHEVROLET — OLDSMOBILE

OZONA, TEXAS

SALES AND SERVICE



How many of us await the opportunities of the coming year! With how many of us it is the unuttered hope that tomorrow, next week, next month, things will be better. We hope it may be so. We hope that there is in store for you blessings such as you have not enjoyed before, and that this New Year's holiday will be one of complete joy for all.

HI-WAY CAFE

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hyde



1947

As 1946 limps meekly out the back door and the advent of a bright new year is upon us, we wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your many courtesies during this past year. May you encounter only joy and happiness in the coming months, and may each day bring you closer to the fulfillment of your every dream for the future:

Ozona National Bank

A Good Bank In a Good Town
MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION
MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
Ozona, Texas

Income of Texas Farmers Reaches New Peak During 1946

AUSTIN. - During the first 11 months of 1946 the Bureau of Bu-

gain of 9 per cent and puts the Bed Plains to 38 per cent in the stadium for the Texas high school income of Texas farmers at an all- Trans-Pecos. The growing pur- championship football game in time high in dollars.

crease except the East Texas Tim- other local business indicators. tangs. Odessa won the game 21 to in the person of Capt. Sam Housistics. siness Research of The Universi- bered Plains where income fell 8 ty of Texas estimates the farm per cent and the Coastal Prairies cash income of the State at \$1,- where income declined 2 per cent. J. B. Miller, Bud Harrison, Fred Carbon paper for all purposes 154,537,000 as compared with \$1,- Increases for the 11-month period Hagelstein and Oscar Kost were at the Stockman office. 064,306,000 in the same months of this year over last ranged from

C. O. Walker, Miller Robison,

chasing power of farmers in these Austin Saturday between the O-

1945. This increase represents a less than 1 per cent in the Red among Ozona fans in Memorial Grandson of Sam **Houston Stationed** At Ft. Sam Houston

Every crop-reporting districts was clearly reflected in the increases in retail sales and the Jefferson the increases in retail sales and other the jefferson the increases in retail sales and the jefferson the jefferson the increases in retail sales and the jefferson the ton, III, grandson of the famous warrior and statesman of Texas

Captain Houston, widely known 10,000,000 people

in the Fourth Army an mands Company "C" of the M. P. Battalion. Tall, sl veteran of both World We has the gray indomitable FORT SAM HOUSTON. — Sam his great relative and many

> Billiards in a variety of is played today by an est

ple of the cou



May many friends help make the days brighter for you in

MILLER Firestone SERVICE

Auto Supplies

Household Appliances

Texaco Products



★ In saying Happy New Year we have the satisfaction of knowing that during the past year we have, in some small degree at least, contributed to the well being of most of the citizens of this community. We hope to enjoy your continued friendship in 1947.

CITY CAFE

Mrs. Walter Capps, Prop.



WE EXTEND OUR NEW YEAR GREETINGS WITH THE SINCERE WISH THAT THE COMING TWELVE MONTHS WILL BE A HAPPY ONE FOR ALL OUR FRIENDS

TALIAFERRO GARAGE

Packard Sales and Service Service on All Make Cars

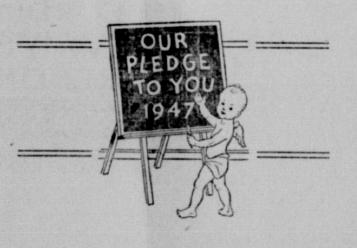


Your friendship and our success are closely interwoven. We hope, in 1947, to strengthen still further these bonds of friendship.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

Melton Motor Co.

Sales - FORD - Service N. E. Melton, Mgr.



. FOR 1947 WE PLEDGE THE SAME FINE SERVICE AND VALUES WE HAVE ALWAYS GIVEN YOU IN THE PAST -THE VERY BEST THAT CAN BE HAD.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!

KIRBY MOORE

Agent

Humble Oil and Refining Co.



With light heart and gladdened spirit we welcome the New Year. Here's hoping that the 1947 "picture" is a rose-colored one for you and yours.

OZONA WOOL AND MOHAIR CO.

Ranch Supplies Phone 60

MAPPY NEW YEAR!

We take this occasion to wish for our friends throughout Crockett county the happiest and most prosperous year of their lives in 1947. We also wish to thank peoand cooperation during our period of service as your sheriff. Frank James

Mrs. Frank James

peting of leaders of the Rural from classes.

Church movement to be held at Southern Methodist University. Rev. King will address the meeting on the subject of training laymen for church leadership.

Mr. and Mrs. Anja Wilson and ple of the county for their support children, Joan and Ann, of Alpine spent the Christmas holidays here with Mrs. Wilson's parents, iversity of Texas Bureau of Busi-Mr. and Mrs. Paul Perner.

Rev. Horace ozona Methodist Church, will home from Baylor University in basis. the Ozona see Dallas to attend a Waco for the Christmas time off

Flying in safety after a stormy

12-month journey, 1947 promises to

be a big year for all Americans and

we extend our heartiest wishes to

the brim with good cheer,

prosperity and health.

every one of you for a year filled to

THE ROADSIDE CAFE

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Armentrout

Credit Sales in Texas Are Soaring

ember issue of The Texas Business Review, published by the Unness Research. In November, 1945 40 percent of sales were on credit, Marie Williams, daughter of but by November this year over Rev. Horace M. King, pastor of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams, is half the sales were made on that

TIRES

New Shipment

Just Arrived

 $4-Ply - 5.50 \times 17$

 6.00×16

 6.50×16

6-Ply - 6.00 x 16 Heavy

Duty Truck & Bus

 6.50×16

 7.00×15

 7.00×16

 7.50×15

 7.50×16

Also Truck Tires

· WILSON **Motor Company**

Phone 50

so falling, according the the Bu- ton to the Ozona High School li- America. AUSTIN-Credit sale sof Texas reau. A year ago in November, col- brary in honor of the late Joe Obdepartment and apparel stores lections amounted to 72 percent erkampf, C. S. Denham, superinfell to 68 per cent.

BOOK TO LIBRAR

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Luckett of make it a distinctive city.

The ratio of collections to out- San Angelo have donated a copy

Swedish pioneers are credited standing customer accounts is al- of "San Antonio" by Green Pey- with introducing the log cabin to

The first hospital in what is are soaring, according to the Dec- of outstanding; this year the ratio tendent, announced this week. The now the United States was foundbook traces the turbulent history ed in 1612 at Henricopolis in the of the old Texas city, giving high- Colony of Virginia. It was known lights of places and people that as "Mount Malady, a guest house for sicke people.'

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

Ozona National Bank

OZONA, TEXAS

At the close of business December 31, 1946

RESOURCES

C. C. C. Wool Loans	\$1,008,639.46 406,337.37	
Total Loans		\$1,414,976.83
Overdrafts		3,586.66
Banking House		5,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas Stock		6,000.00
United States Government and Other Bonds		2,301,266.51
Cash and Due from Banks		1,578,674.11
Other Assets		795.58
		\$5 910 900 CO

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	103,759.80
Deposits	\$5,006,539.89
	\$5,310,299.69

OFFICERS

W. E. West, Chairman of Board W. W. West, President Roy Henderson, Vice President Scott Peters. Active V. Pres. Lowell Littleton, Cashier L. D. Kirby, Asst. Cashier J.W. Howell, Asst. Cashier Dollye Coates, Ass't Cashier



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When you awaken on ex Year's morning may you awaken not only to a day of happiness, but to a whole year of happy days. We welcome the New Year and take this opportunity to greet all our friends.

HOTEL COFFEE SHOP Uphaw and Locklean



. Just in time to wish all of our friends a Happy and Prosperous New Year. Many pleasant memories of the past year come marching in review on this Eve of 1947. Outstanding among them is the cordial association we have had with you We look forward hopefully to a continuance of these pleasant relations.

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shown me during the time I have patience. served as office deputy.

To All Our

Friends

GOOD LUCK TO YOU!

* Old days

* Old times

* Old friends

For auld lang syne we bring you this

cheery New Year message.

HURST MEINECKE

GROCERY

It is with regret that I find it necessary to retire from the sherieff's office. But as I leave the versally kind, considerate and routine work of the office and beg service of the people of this coun- courteous and it is always a pleaty I can not refrain from making sure to serve such people. My some expression of my appreciation for the many courtesies all your courtesies and for your

It is my hope that you will show It has been a genuine pleasure the same courtesies to my succes-

to me to have served in this posi- | sor, Mrs. Gertrude Perry. I shall routine work of the office and beg your indulgence during this process of transfer of duties.

Sincerely, Mrs. A. O. Fields

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boggess and Albert, Jr., were here from Austin to spend Christmas with Mrs. Boggess' mother, Mrs. Clay Montgomery.

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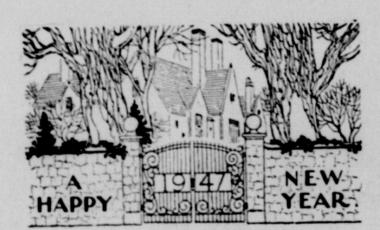
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HAPPY NEW YEAR And Many More Of Them

to our many new friends. to all our old friends. and to friends still to be. · We wish to thank you most cordially for past favors, and look forward to still greater and better service to all of you in 1947.

Ratliff Hardware & Furniture



AS THE PORTALS OF THE NEW YEAR SWING OPEN, WE PAUSE TO CONSIDER WHAT THE OLD YEAR HAS BROUGHT AND WHAT THE NEW YEAR MAY BRING. OUR FRIENDS HAVE, INDEED, BEEN GOOD TO US IN 1946. ACCEPT OUR SINCERE THANKS.

IN APPRECIATION WE PLEDGE TO MAINTAIN OUR HIGH STANDARDS OF SERVICE, EVER STRIVING TOWARDS STILL HIGHER GOALS. MAY THE NEW YEAR BE ONE OF HEALTH, HAPPINESS, AND SUCCESS TO ALL.

Ozona Laundry

And Dry Cleaners Phone 164



Hear Ye! Hear Ye!

We hereby proclaim to every townsman and rural resident of this section-men, women and children alike-that it is our devout and earnest wish that the year A. D. 1947 bring unbounded health, happiness and prosperity to all.

Williams Grocery

Ben Williams, Proprietor

THWEST FARM MARKETS Holiday dullnes held both trade

mas week, reports the Protion and Marekting Adminision. Price trends were strong cotton and most livestock, lower on eggs and grains, weak on citrus, and about y for other products.

mportant factor in continued rely small supply in this counalthough world supplies of ign cottons are record high. Wools went through one of the ietest periods of the year as mills preferred to withhold hases until after inventories taken. Only small weight of ed wools sold. Fair sales of lower grades of mohair

ight improved prices. Seasonally light livestock reipts kept the trend steady to ing except for some weakness cattle. Early week gains on es were maintained to the close Texas points, but were partially

iost in Oklahoma City, Denver and heifers in Denver, and on Benny Gail Phillips, daughter offerings of southwest farm and choice medium weights were offerings of levels during quoted at \$21.50 per hundred pounds in Fort Worth, \$21 in San Antonio, \$21.75 Oklahoma City, \$21.75 to \$22 Denver, and \$21.35 \$21.60 Wichita. About the only 286W. changes in southwest sheep and lambs were in Denver and Wichita where gains of 25 to 50 cents were reported. Cattle prices had mportant and is the compar- weak spots on steers, cows and bulls in San Antonio, cows and stockers in Fort Worth, steers

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"Step aside," says the Cherub 1947 to Father Time, and-it's New Year's, with its gayety, its friendliness, and its new hope. ... Which reminds us! You have been very liberal with your patronage in 1946, and we are very grateful indeed. May the New Year be for you an exceptionally happy one.

POPULAR DRY GOODS Sam Martinez, Prop.

and Wichita, although all mar-kets closed \$1 to \$1.50 higher than These were offset to some extent and a student in Stephens College es on all classes at Oklahoma City. days.

by strength on calves at Texas at Columbia, Mo., is among Omarkets and unevenly higher pric- zona student home for the holi-

TWO KEROSENE HEATERS Sammy Farmer of Eola was a for sale. Practically new. Phone guest last week of Ann Harvick



Satisfactory business relations rest upon past performance. It has been our aim during all the years to justify your confidence in us and to merit your continued friendship.

Accept our hearty thanks for the pleasant associations of the past year, and our best wishes for a happy and prosperous 1947.

Smith Drug Co.

Phone 40



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as week-end guests Dan Clinton, while Kincaid was in service at Hobbs, N. M., spent Christmas Mrs. W. C. Brock county agent at Houston and a that post, and Robert Dunks, former Army officer stationed at Houston ranch operator.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid had Camp Claiborne in Louisiana Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Peters of here with Mrs. Peters' mother,



BON VOYAGE

AS we say adieu to the year just passed and prepare to welcome the juvenile 1947, may we pause a moment to wish you clear and smooth sailing through the 364 days to come and remind you that your continued courtesy will be our incentive toward increasing good service in the forthcoming year.

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STRIKE UP THE BAND!

Hail 1947!

Good health, good luck, to you, our friends, every day in the coming year. And-thanks a million!



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