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## Placed For Fire Engine Ozona Dept.

### 500-Gallon To Be Delivered About Nov. 1st

Step toward providing fire protection for Ozona Crockett county ultimately requirements for a sub-reduction in the fire injury rate here was taken the past week when an order was placed for a new 500-gallon combination booster and fire truck to add to present equipment for the city provided through cooperative Ozona Lions Club and Crockett County Commission. The Lions Club recently appropriated \$2,500 from its fund as a donation to help toward purchase of the engine. The county will provide the balance of the cost, which is expected to run near \$9,000.

Motor Co., Ozona Ford dealers, also gave in the purchase of the truck a new F-7 type 2½ ton power Ford truck with wheelbase for use in the fire truck. The fire equipment, pumper, tank and other features, custom built on the Ford by the Burke & Sims Fire Co. of San Antonio.

The fire engine will be with a centrifugal type with a certified rating of 100 gallons per minute from draft deliver up to 1,000 gallons from a good pressure hydrant.

Water tank of 400 gallons will be mounted on the permitting fire fighters to draw water on a fire hydrant and while being attached to fire hose for continued supply. A booster tank will be used in quick fighting of small fires in grass fires. The small pumps also carry and will be useful auxiliary unit.

The new fire truck will have modern and complete equipment including extension and ladders, pike pole, fireman's saws, electric lanterns, siren, spot lights, hand and all the useful fittings for equipment for fighting fires.

In addition it will be equipped with 100 feet of new 2½ inch hose, a 150-foot red line of size and 150 feet of 1½ inch hose. The local department has 1,100 feet of 2½ inch present equipment, giving department a total of 2,100 feet when the new truck arrives.

The new truck, four hoses can be put in use continuously in case of need for actively combating flames. Delivery of the new engine is expected by the first of November. Plans are now being formulated for construction of a new fire station and it is hoped that this may be realized in time to house a modern fire station to house the new engine when it is delivered.

## Man Reopens Board Under Name of John's Drive In

Mrs. John L. Pittman has reopened the former Hubbard's cafe and have reopened the cafe under the name of "John's Drive-In." The cafe is located on the west side of Ozona on Highway 290. The cafe had been closed until recently by Mrs. Perry Hubbard.

The new management has added a specialty called "Chicken," a serving of three fried chicken, French potatoes, hot roll and butter. Business will be open from 8 a.m. to 2:00 a.m., serving coffee, lunches, short orders, drinks.

## M System Team To Play Here Saturday; Iraan Coming Sunday

Another exhibition game between the M System baseball team from San Angelo and the Ozona Rebels of the Trans Pecos League has been matched for Saturday afternoon starting at 4:00 o'clock. Manager Bryon Stuart announced this week.

The M System nine, made up mostly of youngsters who played on last year's San Angelo High School Bobcat team, lost to the locals in a previous game on the local diamond this season. The match will give the Rebels a chance to polish up on their play in an effort to overcome the batting and fielding slump into which they descended the past week-end. Stuart said.

Then Sunday afternoon, the locals will try to retain their lead in the Trans Pecos League in a scheduled league contest with the Iraan nine. Iraan is tied with Big Lake for third place in league standing and in the two games played with the Rebels earlier in the season, came out even, with one win and one loss.

The Goodfellow Field Skyhawks invade Big Lake for what may be a crucial contest for the league leadership. In the event of a Goodfellow win at Big Lake and an Ozona loss to Iraan, the Skyhawks would be up there in a tie with the Rebels for the league lead. The Fort Stockton Veterans, who recently chalked up their first win out of six starts, against Iraan, will be idle the week-end.

The Trans Pecos League standing to date:

	W	L	Pct.
Ozona	5	2	.714
Goodfellow	4	3	.571
Iraan	4	4	.500
Big Lake	4	4	.500
Fort Stockton	1	5	.167

## Launch Drive For \$10,000 Mohair Promotion Fund

### Beall Barbee Crockett County Chairman Of TSGRA Committee

SAN ANGELO—The drive for \$10,000 from mohair producers and others is now on in earnest. Sayers Farmer, President of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, said here last week as he announced the names of twenty-four men who will be in charge of the fund raising. The \$10,000 raised will be the mohair producer's part of a \$30,000 cooperative mohair market research project between the Association and the United States Department of Agriculture. The cooperative agreement and the contract were signed in Washington, July 1.

"The men selected for this important job are very busy men and I urge each individual mohair producer to contact the man in his area and make a contribution which in reality is an investment," Farmer said.

The warehouse and non-warehouse men and their counties are: Jack Richardson, Uvalde and Real; Johnny Williams, Terrell, Pecos, Brewster, Presidio and Jeff Davis; Adolph Stielor, Kendall; L. M. Stevens and Weldon Cloud, Lampasas, Coryell, Burnet, and Williamson; Frank Roddie, McCulloch and San Saba; Hollis Blackwell, Mills, Hamilton and Brown; Ed Long and Russell Martin, Val Verde and Kinney; Alton Miller, Edwards; Jim Priour and Oscar Nuenhoffer, Kerr; Conrad Hokekamp, Kimble; Henry VanderStuken, Menard and Concho; Leslie Oehlers and H. C. Kreuz, Comal and Hays; Edwin L. Woerner, Gillespie and Blanco; C. D. McMillan, Mason and Llano; Ray Wyatt, Bandera and Medina; Vester Hughes, Irion; Beall Barbee, Crockett; J. T. Davis, Sterling and Tom Green; Fred Earwood, Sutton and Schleicher; and John Classen, Bexar.

The Uvalde and Real county quota has already been exceeded and the funds are in the Association office, Farmer said.

## Plans For Fire Station, Swimming Pool Being Drawn

### Architect Preparing Preliminary Plans For Community Study

John G. Becker, San Angelo architect, has been employed to prepare preliminary plans and construction estimates on the proposed new fire station and swimming pool for Ozona, and the completed plans are expected to be ready for presentation at the next meeting of the Crockett County Community Council on July 18.

Taking the lead in the planning for these two needed facilities in Ozona, the Community Council recently appointed a committee composed of Bill Cooper, Boyd Clayton, and Mrs. S. M. Harvick to study the proposal and to take steps to get the matter into concrete form for presentation to the people of the community.

Construction of the fire station will fit into the community's plan to provide adequate fire protection for its property and to earn a reduced fire insurance rate by providing approved fire fighting equipment and an organized volunteer fire department. Plans contemplate the construction of a station large enough to store four fire trucks and living quarters for a full-time attendant. Location of the station is a matter yet to be determined by county officials and Council members.

A plan for converting the now abandoned circular tank on water works hill, formerly the town's water supply storage and later used as a swimming pool for a time, into a modern rectangular shaped swimming pool and the addition of a pavilion and all modern sanitary facilities for such pools is to be offered by the committee.

By making use of the bath house already constructed on the site, plus concrete walks, diving boards and platforms already on hand, the community can provide a modern swimming pool for the entertainment of its youth in the summer months at a minimum of cost. As soon as plans are completed and cost estimates received the question of constructing a fire station and swimming pool will probably be submitted to the voters in the form of a bond issue to finance the projects.

## Work Is Started On Pipeline From Crockett Refinery To Big Lake

Coating and wrapping of the pipes to be used in the double 25-mile pipeline connecting the Continental Refinery being constructed in Crockett County and its oil loading installation in Big Lake, which is also under construction, was started last Friday and the laying of the pipe was due to get under way this week. The Clem Mayes Co., of Lake Charles, La., is doing the coating and wrapping job under a sub-contract from the Longview equipment Co., contractors to lay the line.

W. R. Martin, superintendent for the sub-contractors, stated that 25 men are employed for the preparatory work on the pipes. Two machines are used, one to coat and the other to wrap. After receiving a coat of coal tar, the pipes are encased first in a layer of fiber glass next in a layer of asbestos felt and last with Kraft paper. Mr. Martin stated that it would take about 20 working days to complete this phase of the work.

The Refinery Maintenance Co. has the contract for building the refinery, the loading racks and five large storage tanks. One of the pipelines leading from the refinery will carry butane and the other will carry propane.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patrick of Pecos spent the Fourth of July holiday week-end here visiting Mr. Patrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patrick. Henry Patrick is employed with the Gulf Research crew formerly stationed here, now at Pecos.

## Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Sims To Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Sims of Ozona will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on July 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Baker of San Saba, son-in-law and daughter of the Sims', Mrs. Lola May Day of Ozona, another daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Adams of Fort Stockton will entertain with a tea at the Granny Miller Hall here from 6:00 to 8:00 o'clock on the anniversary date to honor the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims were married on July 21, 1899, at Henderson, Texas. They lived for a number of years on the Sims ranch, 17 miles south of San Angelo and were living at Gail's Station east of San Angelo before moving to Ozona in 1944. Mr. Sims operates the Ozona Ice Company here, supplies the community's ice from the storage vaults maintained at the West Texas Utilities Co. plant.

## Interest Mounts As Softball Teams Warm To Combat

### Williams Grocers In Lead But Opposition Stiffening

With the Fourth of July holiday week-end past, the city softball wars swung back into earnest combat this week, with all open dates behind and a solid slate from now until September facing the six teams composing the league.

Williams Grocers continued to lead the pack with four wins against no losses. Only two games were played the past week-end, Williams Grocers beating Ozona Butane last Thursday night and Williams Magnolia taking the Locker Plant high school lads Tuesday night. Friday night saw the Lions Clubs of Ozona and Barnhart in combat, the Barnhart crew taking the decision by a one-run margin after the Ozonians had relinquished their pitcher, Bill Brown, Church of Christ minister, to the visitors.

The league standing this week:

	W	L	Pct.
Williams Grocers	4	0	1.000
Williams Magnolia	2	1	.666
Wilson Motor	2	2	.500
Ozona Butane	1	2	.333
Locker Plant	1	3	.250
Conoco	0	2	.000

Schedule of Games:  
Thursday night—Wilson Motor vs Ozona Butane.  
Friday night—Williams Grocers vs Continental.  
Monday night—Williams Magnolia vs Ozona Butane.  
Tuesday night—Conoco vs Ozona Locker Plant.

## Rebs Drop Three In Row In Week End Game Series

### Big Lake Cops Sunday Bout But Ozona Is Still On Top

Ozona's Rebels, still leading in the Trans Pecos baseball league, stumbled on disaster nevertheless the past week-end when they dropped three games in a row, two exhibition encounters and one league game.

Weakened by the loss of several regular players, and the shifting of players to unaccustomed positions, the Rebels went down by one-sided scores in all three of the week-end contests.

Friday night, the Ozonians were the victims of a combination of the top flight players from five teams of the Concho Basin League playing under the Veribest colors in a game at Guinn Field in San Angelo. The game receipts went to the Blondy Cross-managed Red Chick women's softball team. Red Weatherford, Veribest manager, was about the only Veribest player in the line-up—he went in (Continued On Last Page)

## Crockett 4-H Boys Win Places In Sonora Show

### Local First-Year Judging Team Made Good Contest Record

Four Crockett county 4-H Club boys who composed the judging team of the local club made a fine showing in competition with older boys of the area in the Sonora Wool Show and 4-H Club judging contests in Sonora last week.

Although the team did not place in the winning bracket as a team, individual members won a first place, tied for another first place, and won places in six other judging events for a total team score that was close to the winning team ranges. County team winners in order of standing were Sutton, Menard, Kerr and Kimble counties.

The Ozona judging team came home with some \$34 in prize money, plus ribbons and a boys roping team won a medal for second place in a calf roping contest.

In the livestock and wool and mohair judging events, Graham Childress of the Ozona team piled up the best individual record. He won first place in the Rambouillet ram judging event, tied for fourth place in judging Corriedale sheep, tied for sixth place in judging Delaines, was fourth highest individual in livestock judging, took sixth place in the wool judging and was seventh highest individual contestant of the entire show. He won \$18 in prize money in the various contests.

Jimmie McMullan won a tie for first place in judging Corriedale sheep and Ronnie McMullan tied for sixth place in the same event. Jimmy won \$10 in prize money and Ronnie, \$6. In livestock judging, Graham Childress scored a total of 488 points, Bill Schneemann, 401 points and Jimmy McMullan 387. Ronnie McMullan was alternate. In wool and mohair judging, Graham was first, Jimmy second and Bill third.

Charlie Boy Davidson, Bill Melton and Bill Schneemann composed the Ozona team entry in the boys roping contest. The team won second place and Charlie Boy Davidson won a gold medal for second place in individual time. Jimmy and Ronnie McMullan also entered in the boys' calf roping in the afternoon. Del Rio team won first in 69 seconds, Ozona was second in 135; Kerrville third and Junction fourth.

In the professional jackpot roping, Walton Poage of Rankin was first with a time of 10.9 seconds; Vic Montgomery of Ozona second in 12.8; Sonny Edwards of Big Springs, third in 14.6; and Tom Powers of Ozona fourth in 14.8. Lena Fay Powers of Ozona won fourth place in the girls clover leaf race.

## Lumber Firm Observes First Anniversary In Business In Ozona

On July 10th the South Texas Lumber Co. will observe its first anniversary in business in Ozona. For the occasion, Sterling Stratton, manager, has announced a special discount sale of most merchandise lines handled by the company as a means of expressing thanks for the business the company has enjoyed.

Housed in a new building erected on a site at the south edge of the city on Highway 163, the company has enjoyed a nice business in its first year, Mr. Stratton said. The Anniversary Week sale in celebration of the first birthday of the firm in Ozona will feature discounts on regular merchandise ranging from 10 to 20 per cent off regular prices.

Personnel of the firm includes Mr. Stratton as manager, A. D. Bledsoe, assistant manager, Mrs. Stratton, manager of the paint and wallpaper department; Wayne Bennett, bookkeeper; Willard Deaton, and Aaron Bledsoe, salesmen; E. C. Newman, delivery and Gilbert Cardona, yardman. Phone the news to The Stockman.

## Trio Charged In Detroit Car Theft Being Held Here

### Ford Convertible Is Wrecked And Burned West Of Ozona

Three men were being held in the Crockett County jail this week awaiting the arrival of FBI and officers from Detroit, Mich., where they are charged with theft of an automobile and transportation of a stolen car across state lines.

The men were arrested by Texas Highway Patrolmen in Pecos after abandoning a 1947 Ford convertible which was wrecked and burned on Highway 290 about 30 miles west of Ozona Sunday morning.

The men, John Hill, 26, Gerald Hill, 17, a brother of John Hill, and Jerry Pitton, 20, all of Detroit, confessed to Sheriff V. O. Earnest of this county that the car was stolen in Detroit and that the trio, accompanied by a fourth man, had driven the car across country, stealing their gas supply as needed by means of a siphon hose and also shop lifting in grocery stores for their food.

The three men under arrest claim that the fourth, who escaped, set fire to the Ford convertible after it was damaged in a collision with guard posts along a curve about a mile this side of Lancaster Hill. The three claim to have picked up the fourth man, whose name they gave to officers, in Kentucky. He is about 36 years old, they said.

After the car was damaged on the highway, the Hill brothers and Pitton climbed the right-of-way fence and hid in the cedars in the pasture along the highway, they told Sheriff Earnest. The fourth man told them he would go get another car and come back to pick them up. He walked away from the wreck a short distance and then came back, poured gasoline from a can over the interior, set fire to it and hurried away from the scene in the direction of Sheffield, to the west.

C. A. Williams, constable at Monahans, on his way for a week-end of fishing, saw the man walking along the highway and about a half mile down the road found the car in flames. He said that it was apparent that the car had been soaked with gasoline before being set on fire.

Eli Hagelstein of Ozona, on his way to his ranch near Sanderson, later picked up the three men, who were hitchhiking along the highway, and took them to Sheffield. From there, they caught a ride to Pecos where they were arrested.

The car license plate had been knocked off and thrown about 50 yards from the highway into the pasture. Local officers and highway patrolmen communicated with Detroit officers and the car was identified as one stolen there some weeks ago. Sheriff Earnest and Deputy Hearst Laws went to Pecos to bring the men back to jail here to await the arrival of FBI men and Detroit officers.

## Recruiting Unit To Make All-Day Stand Here Monday

### To Show Combat Films On Park Lawn Monday Evening

A mobile U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Unit will be in Ozona Monday, July 18, and will be located at City Park across from the Ozona National Bank.

The Recruiting Unit, in charge of 1st Lt. O. E. Alton, M/Sgt. Thomas Bunch and T/Sgt. Andrew J. Martin from the Big Spring Recruiting Main Station, will be equipped with a public address system for announcements pertaining to opportunities for enlistment and playing of recorded music. Exhibits and military photographs (Continued on Last Page)



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**WHO SHOULD PAY FOR ROADS?**

Of late, there has been a marked increase in concern over the damage done to the nation's highways by heavy commercial trucks. It has been the subject of forthright comment by the U. S. Commissioner of Roads. Reports made by state highway engineers in Illinois and elsewhere, following factual surveys, indicate that modern roads would last almost indefinitely, with a minimum of maintenance, under normal passenger car and light truck traffic. But they simply can't stand the beating given them by the behemoths of the highway.

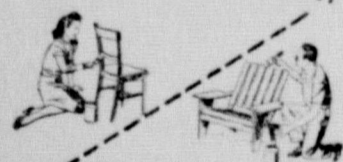
The Chicago Tribune has this to say: "We have no grudge against the trucking industry. . . . All we expect is that it pay taxes sufficient to build the heavier highways that its trucks and trailers require. It isn't doing that



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The trucking industry often calls attention to the large sums it pays in license fees, gasoline taxes, and other levies. But this money makes up a very small percentage of the ever-growing total we are spending on road building, heavier bridge construction and repairs. All the tax payers are contributing huge sums to subsidize commercial trucking through the construction and maintenance of enormously costly highways of a type normal traffic does not require.

Is it too much to ask the trucking industry to stand on its own economic feet, and pay a fair price for the use of the highways that make its existence possible?

**Replace Body Salt If You Sweat Much, Dr. Cox Advises**

AUSTIN—A deficiency of salt in the human system can cause serious consequences, and for this reason Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, advises every person whose work is such that it causes excessive perspiration to add a pinch of ordinary table salt to each drink of water taken during the day.

Farmers, mechanics, carpenters, construction men and all others whose work causes them to sweat profusely are in danger of having their body salt content seriously depleted, and as a result may suffer from heat cramps or heat fag. Salt is a prominent constituent of sweat, and when the thermometer hits the high register, the human body may lose as much as 40 or 50 grams of salt during a single day.

In many industrial plants, workmen are furnished with and urged to take a tablet of pure salt or a mixture of salt and dextrose with each drink of water. Many find this a pleasant way of taking extra salt, but others prefer to add the needed amount of extra salt to their food and drink.

"Take your extra salt in any manner that is agreeable to you," says Dr. Cox, "but take it. Heat cramps are very painful and exhausting. They are characterized by cramps in the abdominal region, headache, and in severe cases there may be nausea and vomiting. Body salt losses occur without the knowledge of the individual until a deficiency exists; then the abdominal muscles begin to cramp."

Remington adding machines at the Stockman office.

**Weekly Swing of SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS**

(USDA)—Although some southwest farm products brought higher prices this week than last, the majority sold at unchanged to sharply lower levels, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Fed steers and heifers brought strong to 50 cents higher prices at Texas markets and steady to strong rates at Oklahoma City and Denver. Cows lost 50 cents to \$1.50 or more at most markets, but sold fully 50 cents higher at Fort Worth and steady to 50 cents lower at San Antonio. Calves and weaners sold mostly \$2 lower at Denver, 50 cents to \$1 lower at Oklahoma City, and \$1 to \$1.50

down at Houston. Calves held steady at San Antonio and gained up to 50 cents at Fort Worth.

Spring lambs held steady at San Antonio and Oklahoma City, lost 50 cents at Fort Worth, and gained 50 cents at Denver. Ewes sold steady to 50 cents higher. Goats ruled steady to strong at San Antonio, on larger receipts.

A good volume of mohair sold in Texas this week at 38 to 33 cents a pound for adult and 58 for kid. Wool prices held firm but little trading took place.

Butcher hogs and sows sold mostly \$1 lower than a week ago at San Antonio and steady to 50 cents lower at Oklahoma City. Sows lost \$1 to 28 elsewhere.

Dressed beef, veal and mutton sold unchanged to \$1 lower for the week at Chicago. Pork ranged from \$1 to \$5 lower. Lamb varied from \$1 higher to \$2 lower. All classes of livestock arrived in moderately greater numbers

this week than last at both southwest and midwest markets. More cattle came to midwest markets than a year ago, but all markets received far less sheep than last year.

White corn advanced 7 to 12 cents a bushel for the week, barley 2 to 3, and wheat one. Oats

lost 5 cents a bushel for the week, soybeans one-half cent, and milo a hundred pounds. Wheat in Texas at \$2.07 1/2 to \$2.10.

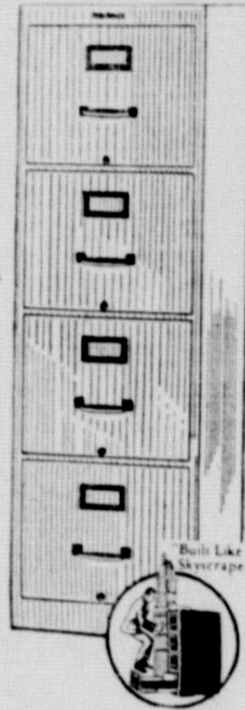
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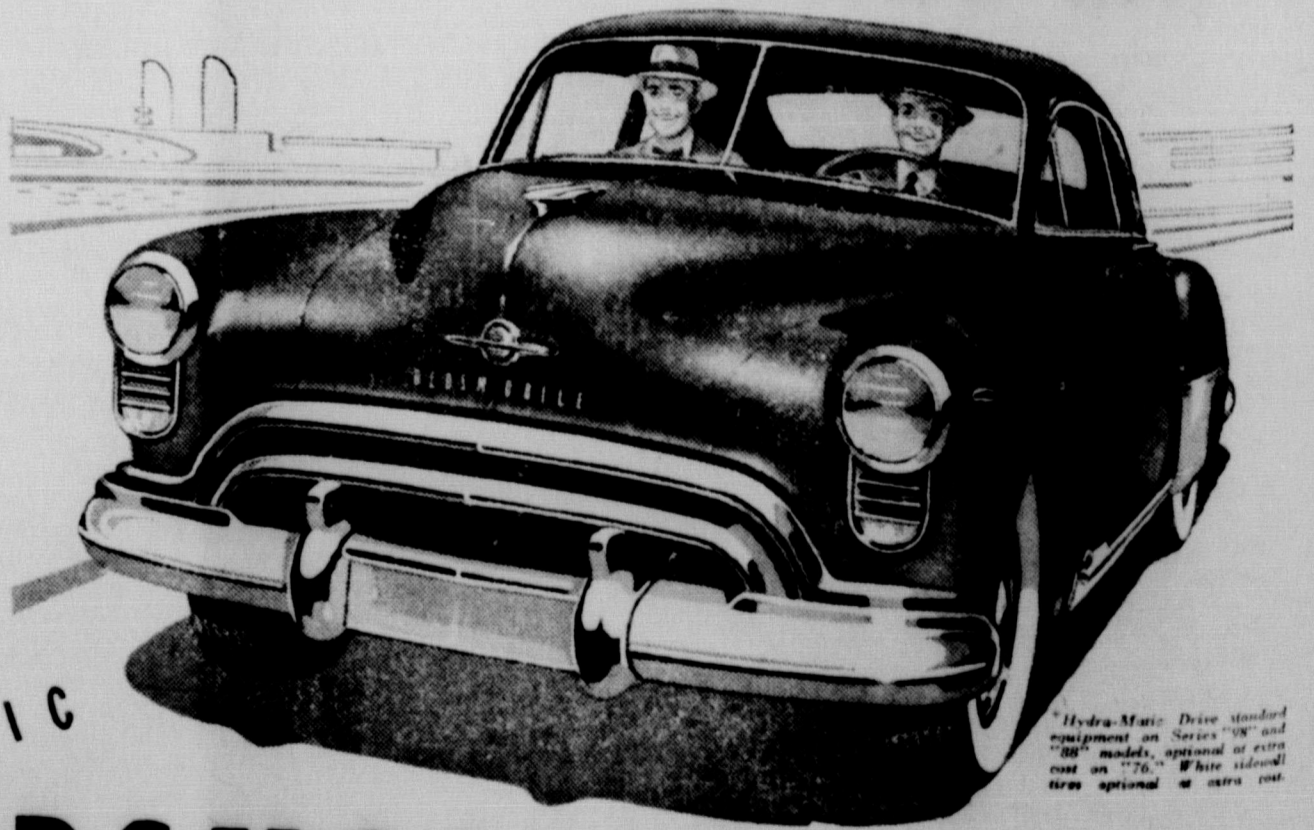
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bit of spying around Lions Club members.

st meeting of our 2nd presided over by our ed officers, headed by liams, was staged suc- last Thursday noon Ozona Lions Club met regular Thursday lunch-

Kost appeared in the est, but . . . a little bird me that Miller Robison his dinner after Oscar via the back door. Also, anquet, Oscar ate two in an attempt to collect e \$5.00 contract the club for use of his public ystem. He tried to snitch dessert, so that should table too, for at least 15

volunteer fire chief, er was the other visitor. us all the plans, statis- on the present and the fire department here in which he will head. Our department is inadequate standpoint of equipment

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and trained personnel. The two antiquated trucks have performed with credit in the past but they are an insufficient guarantee of protection for the future because they are undependable and inadequate except for fighting comparatively small fires.

The fact that, except for a small nucleus, there is now no organized volunteer fire department, well trained, and practiced in the art of controlling fire and protecting and saving property in case of fire, results largely from the fact that there has been little incentive for such an organization without a modern fire truck and properly maintained fire station. Under the present set-up, well-meaning volunteer helpers in case of fire often cause more damage than the fire itself and the only way this can be corrected is through the maintenance of a well trained volunteer department equipped with the necessary tools of the business.

The Commissioners Court, Bill Cooper, and the Lions Club are

fully aware of these conditions and are willing to do something about them, but the backing and support of the public will determine the success or failure of their efforts.

At last Thursday's meeting, the Lions Club voted to send Bill and three other delegates to Texas A&M College for a four-day "Short School" in the techniques and methods of modern fire fighting. This is only one of many steps yet to be made toward a successful fire fighting organization for Ozona. The committee chosen by the Community Council, has approved the purchase of Ozona's new fire truck, and delivery is expected within a few months, but plans are still pending for construction and organization of the new fire house and department of fire fighters. There may have to be a bond issue and there will have to be public support. In short, the protection of your homes, your property and your lives, will be decided by YOU!!!

Every one of us should get behind the Commissioners Council, Bill Cooper and the Lions Club 100% in support of these two needed facilities for our city.

The softball game between the Ozona Lions and the Barnhart Lions ended in defeat for the locals, but only after we had consented to "loan" our stellar pitcher, Bill Brown, pastor of the Church of Christ in Ozona. The game was more of an exhibition than a contest, but the guys enjoyed it and the public appreciated the sportsmanship that was displayed by the two teams. Final score was 12 to 11, in favor of the Barnhart nine . . .

Next Thursday's meeting same time, same place . . . Goo-bye now. "Copy Boy" Barber

**TEA FOR NEWLYWEDS**

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harvick entertained with an open house Saturday evening to honor their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ad Harvick. Receiving with the hosts and the honored couple were Rev. and Mrs. Walter Gilstad of Clifton, parents of the bride, the former Miss Marie Gilstad, and her sister, Miss Audrey Gilstad.

Others in the house party were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mr. and Mrs. Brooke Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Voelker, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Schmuck, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Peters, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Harvick, Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Pierce, Mrs. Philip Lee Childress, J. A. Harvick, W. E. Robertson, Jr., Edith Lou Piner, Ann Harvick, Rosalie Friend, Judy White, June Perner, Joan Holt, and Jo Lou Brewer.

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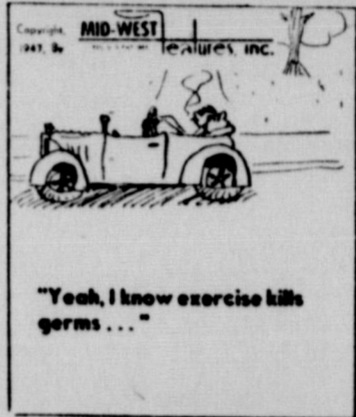
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**New Officers Named By Methodist Board Of Stewards At Meet**

New officers were elected at the regular meeting of the Board of Stewards of the Methodist Church held at the church Tuesday night.

Brock Jones was elected Board chairman and Dr. H. E. Tandy, vice chairman. Mrs. Joe T. Davidson was re-elected secretary and R. A. Harrell was re-elected treasurer. Twenty members comprise the Board.

Rev. Horace M. King, pastor, and Mrs. King were hosts at a supper for the stewards, trustees and members of the building committee and their husbands and wives following the business meeting.

The Stewards voted to dispense with the evening services for the rest of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Collins of Asherton are here for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Phillips and family.

Mrs. Joe Tom Davidson entertained with a slumber party for her daughter, Becky, at her home Wednesday night.

Miss Jean Moody of Cookeville, Tenn., is here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Robison. Miss Moody is a daughter of the former pastor of the Church of Christ in Ozona.

Mr. and Mrs. George Metcalf enjoyed a visit the past week-end by three of Mrs. Metcalf's daughters and their families. The visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rudolph and their two sons, Jimmy and Davey, from Elgin, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hall, Gretchen and Butchie, from Odessa; and Mrs. W. J. McAnally from Todd Field. Another daughter, Mrs. F. A. Duckett of Dallas, was unable to be here for the re-union.

**Miss Josh Cook And Lowell Sweeten To Be Married July 19th**

Invitations have been received by friends here to the marriage of Miss Josh Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Cook of Post, Texas, to Orlin Lowell Sweeten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sweeten of Ozona.

The young couple will be married at 4:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, July 19, at St. John's Methodist Church in Lubbock.

The couple will make their home in Lubbock where both are students in Texas Technological College. The bride-to-be will receive her degree from the college this summer and Sweeten will complete the work for his degree in mechanical engineering by mid-year next year.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harrell and Mrs. George Harrell have just returned from a 2,600-mile trip to Rochester, Minn. and a tour of the southeastern section of the United States. They took Roy Alvin Harrell to the Mayo Clinic for a final check of his eyes and fitting of glasses and then took him to Delafield, Wis. where he will spend the summer at Camp St. Johns for boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Teas have returned from a honeymoon trip

and will spend the summer at the Hillery Phillips ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams have returned from their wedding trip and are at home on the Williams ranch.

Mrs. Horace King will be in charge of a junior camp for boys and girls next week at the Kerrville Methodist Assembly grounds. The camp will last five days. Several boys and girls from Ozona are expected to attend the camp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett left this week for Plainview to attend a family reunion of the Boerner family. The reunion was postponed from last week.

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Dedication ceremonies for the new profit hospital, given to the community by Hal and Charon Peterson and named for their son, were held in the drive-in service station on the Kerrville campus. The Petersons planned the building so that rental income from this station and from business space and doctor's offices on the lower floors will help defray the cost of the 55-bed hospital operation on a non-profit basis without help from the state.

Wawcett, chairman of the

Hospital's Board of Trustees, acted as master of ceremonies for the program. He introduced members of the Peterson family, including Mrs. Sid Peterson, Hal Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sid Peterson and Nora Jo. Members of the Board of Trustees and the Advisory Board were also introduced.

Ed Martin, Hospital Administrator introduced the Medical Staff.

Dr. Sam E. Thompson and the Rev. William M. Logan delivered the principal talks. Dr. Thompson spoke on how the hospital will carry on the spirit of its namesake, and the Rev. Logan expressed appreciation for the hospital on behalf of all citizens of the Hill Country.

Visitors who toured the air-conditioned building came away with a lasting impression of its comfort and cheerfulness. They



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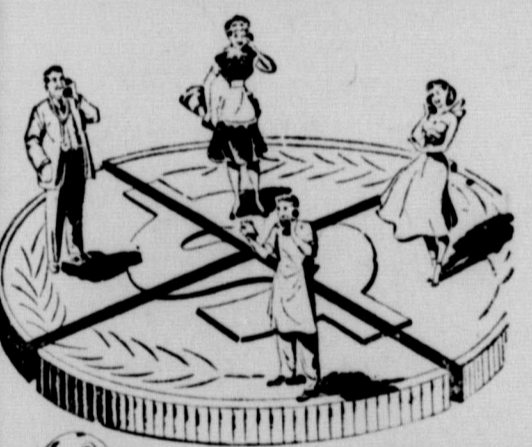
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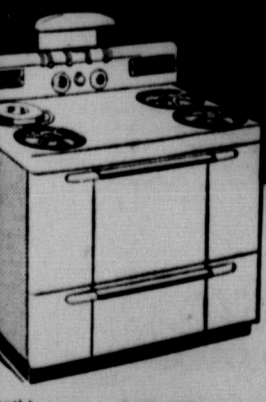
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### Recruiting —

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Lt. Alton said that while here he would make an effort to contact all young men and women who are sincerely seeking a high type career and interested in an opportunity for excellent training and steady advancement.

### Rebels Lose —

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as pinch-hitter. Bronte, Miles, Robert Lee and various other Concho Basin League teams, plus a few recruits from San Angelo, made up the hot shot all-star team which downed the locals 10 to 3.

Manager Snipe Conley of the Big Lake entry in the Trans Pecos league brought the best team he has fielded all season for the league contest with the Rebels on the local field Sunday afternoon and he found the Ozona nine short handed and in the depths of a hitting slump. Consequently, the Big Lakers carried off the day's laurels by a 12 to 1 score.

The visitors managed but 10 hits off the pitching of Barton, Stuart and James, but walks, hit batsmen and fielding errors contributed largely to the total of tallies the visitors crossed over. Nine errors by Ozona fielders, 3 walks and three batters hit by pitched balls, plus a few errors in judgement tells the story of the loss, the second in league play for the Rebels.

Manager Bryon Stuart slammed a homer to right field in the 5th to score Ozona's lone tally. A single by M-Chessney in the 8th, one by Hufstetter in the ninth and Stuart's homer was the extent of local hitting for the day. The visitors played errorless ball and except for the three players who hit safely, only one other Ozona batter ever reached first base, Tom Ed Montgomery, who was hit by

a pitched ball in the ninth.

The veteran chunker, Jacot, a relic of the Texon Oilers of the old Oil Belt league, went all the way for the Big Lake team, slamming a home run over the right field fence in the fourth off Stuart and a single in the sixth. Barbee, another of the old time Texon team, was credited with two singles and one each went to Agnew, Binkston, Taft, Varnadore and Cobb.

The Rebels were blanked 11 to 0 in an exhibition game at Jal, N. M., the Fourth of July afternoon. The locals accepted an invitation to play in the exhibition as a part of the town's Fourth of July celebration program. Manager Stuart

had only eight other players to make the trip.

### WCS To Meet In Monthly Business Session Wednesday

All circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will meet next Wednesday, July 13, for an all-day session at the James Baggett ranch, with Mrs. James Baggett and Mrs. Early Baggett as hostesses.

The morning session will be devoted to a business session, with the president, Mrs. R. A. Harrell, presiding, and an officers' training program.

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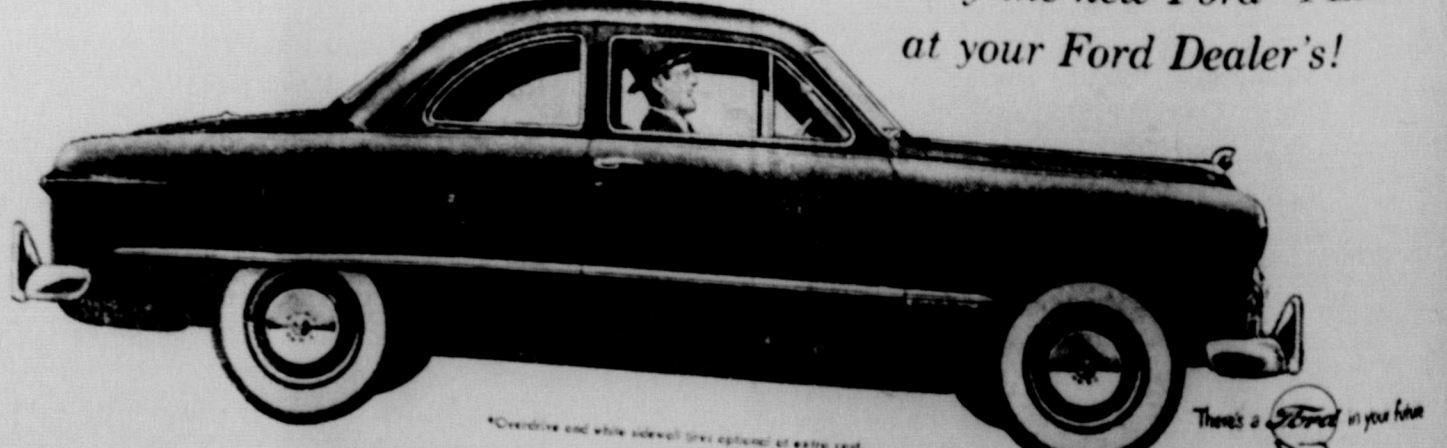


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