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WILLING WORKERS MEET

Members of the Willing Workers Circle of the Methodist W.S.C.S. met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Victor Pierce.

The Circle announced that it has for sale plates bearing a picture of the new Ozona Methodist Church.

The Ozona High School Lions basketball team is one of 16 teams entered in the annual Big Lake basketball tournament to be staged in the Reagan county capital Friday and Saturday, January 19-20.

Thought for the Week

By J. Troy Hickman

ON STRATEGY AND FAITH

The present and future are so uncertain, one hesitates to mention them. But uncertainty is so pervasive that nothing else seems to matter.

One of them is that our leaders seem to have pinned their faith to strategy alone. Three groups have sponsored three points of view.

Mr. Hoover, who is said to be typical of the isolationists, thinks we should reduce our aim to the defense of this continent and resource responsibility for the rest of the world.

Mr. Truman and the Secretary of State seem to feel that we should defend all fronts in all parts of the world.

A middle course has been suggested by Mr. Taft, who said last week that we should draw the line at Japan and Formosa and commit foot soldiers to the defense of Europe only if certain things happen.

But all alike seem to have overlooked one point. That is the fact that we are depending entirely upon strategy for our defense.

Strategy is dependable only when it functions within the frame work of faith. What is meant by "faith"? It means confidence in a universe which is governed by a Higher Power who can overrule the schemes of men.

It works the same way in every century, in every nation. It is the most indestructible power in the world.

In our earthly lives, we men are like horses tied on a stake rope. We have freedom only to the end of the rope.

We seem to have forgotten that fact. Our leaders act and talk as if there were no God.

Our strategy in this dangerous time ought to be made in the frame work of sincere and realistic faith in God, as He has shown Himself in the Bible, in Christ, in history, in nature, and in the Holy Spirit.

The nation that does God's will cannot be defeated — in the end. But the nation that relies on cleverness, money, military might, will soon or later meet its doom.

a nation is like the town bully — eventually it will come up against something stronger than it is.

A lot of praying ought to be going on around Washington and all over the nation these days, and it had better not be too little, too late or the wrong kind.

Let us search our American hearts as we have never done before. Are we assuming too easily that we are God's chosen agents?

CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 16.890 miles of Grading, Structures, Base & Surface from Midway Lane 20 miles south of Big Lake, east to SH 163, 15 miles north of Ozona on Highway No. RM 33, covered by S 1193 (3), in Crockett County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., January 23, 1951, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said

House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of H. L. Bailey, Resident Engineer Big Lake, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

Book Review Features Woman's Club Program

The Ozona Woman's Society met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Victor Pierce, with Mrs. Lowell Littleton and Mrs. Neal Har-nah as assisting hostesses.

Mrs. P. T. Robison, program chairman for the day, introduced Mrs. Sherman Taylor, who gave an interesting review of "The Feast," by Margaret Kennedy.

The club had as guests for the program members of the Woman's Forum and the Ozona Literary Club. Guests included Mmes. Joe Clayton, Jesse Marley, Byron Stuart, W. D. Cooper, T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Joe Whatley, Pleas Childress, Eddie Bower, Tommie Harris, Ted White, Fred Stoker, J. P. Pogue, Cleophas Cooke, Robert Levo, Vic Kuykendall and Clifton Tension.

Members present included Mmes. W. R. Baggett, Ira Carson, M. B. Flippen, W. E. Friend, Jr., J. A. Fussell, N. W. Graham, Troy Hick-

man, S. M. Harvick, Jack B. B. Ingham, Stephen Press, Bailey, Walter Asprague, Robison and Sherman Taylor.

Methodist Sermon Series Continued on Christian Portrait

"Portrait of a Christian" series of seven Sunday morning sermons on The Beatitudes of Jesus will be continued this Sunday, January 14, at 11 o'clock a.m. The topic will be, "A Christian is Humble." Speaking last Sunday, Rev. J. Troy Hickman, "Christian humility, which is the same as inferiority, is the first step in the Christian life."

The Sunday evening modern Marriage, will also continue this Sunday with the topic, "Takes All Kinds." A new motion picture film and an address by the pastor will stress the natural differences between men and women, and how these differences may be adjusted.

The midweek service, which begins at 7 o'clock p. m. each Tuesday evening, will present a series of "Christian Symbols."

All members, friends and the public are invited to share in all services at The Ozona Methodist Church.

Mrs. Earl C. Cunningham returned to her home here after receiving treatment in a hospital where she was confined for several days following from complications following "flu" relapse. She is continuing to make satisfactory recovery. Mrs. Cunningham is employed at the Drug.

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THE LION'S ROAR

BY STUDENTS OF THE JOURNALISM DEPARTMENT—OZONA HIGH SCHOOL.

Fashions

pool again. The holi- fun — finding just ted under the Christ- wearing your new Years Eve (and now remember with a lit- the fun and excite- 31st everytime you me outfit) — being late and then get into ded pair of levis and lots of Christmas pres- worn and carried a- Tom Piner and Ken- have new belt buck- especially notice. Gra- green jacket — litz's new ring. Kay uth Sparks have some that we like — Jean- son got a beautiful sweater that she wears ng crest necklace. Viv in study hall with a e-tac-toe board hang- new bracelet. Shirley safety pin full of min- on her scarves. he way Billy Chandler scarf in and out her ttonholes. We loved the nningham looked New in a red plaid outfit ew earrings. of the girls around OHS present they couldn't n. It was from their . Betty Maness, Lois d Kay Kirby all got Laura, a new bracelet Darrene had a very acelet from Hodges, loves her new watch. . Davis' cuff links a is family? is about the same ore crest jewelry for ore more plaid shirts for re like that.

OUTS ELECT

bonnet Troop of Girl- this week in the Jun- school building. The fol- ders were elected: Car- eld, patrol leader; Jac- illiams, treasurer; and n Moore, scribe.

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STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Our student-of-the-week was born amid the noise of fire works on the 4th of July in 1934 and he's been going strong ever since.

He likes to eat steak and fried "taters," dance with a certain lit- tle southern belle, play football and manage the basketball team.

Right now, though, his main worry is how to get the car again. (Seems he got in a little too late New Year's morning.)

He's been a class officer all four years in High School and class president the last two years.

He has a wonderful personal- ity, everyone seems to think so, they elected him most popular boy this year.

He's 5 feet, 6 inches tall, weighs 160 pounds, and answers to the name of Honey more often than he does his real name, Kenneth Park- er.

MEET THE TEAM

"Turn around a minute, Bobby, I've got to interview you for meet- the-team." "Too bad, go get some one else." After the first leisurely finishing a problem in plane ge- ometry, he finally gave us a little information on himself.

He has no hobbies, but he likes to eat Mexican food. He likes to play football. (He's lettered two years at guard.) For two years in high school he has been a class officer and this year he has the distinction of being the only boy on the student council.

But let's have a look at his bas- ketball playing. For the past two years he's played B-team ball. This year he's playing on the A-team as a forward. He has confidence in his own ability and is a good prospect for next year.

Not too tall—5 feet 10 inches, 178 pounds, very blonde, a little scornful of girls, Bobby Womack, of course.

One-Act Play for Assembly Next Week

"Make Room for Rodney," a one act comedy, will be presented by the speech class in assembly next week.

Mr. Davis, director, has selected the following cast: Albert Lodge, Allan Haire; Jessie Lodge, his wife, Lois McDade; Rodney Lodge, their son, Wayne Kuykendall; Phillis Lodge, their daughter, Jane Adams; Lyman Cunningham, Phyllis' suitor, Sellars Laxson; Bill Thompson, another suitor, Gussie Sparks; Josephine, Rod- ney's young friend, Jeannene Thompson; and Katie, the maid, Juanita Vela.

This play takes the audience in- to a home of moderate means in a town of the present. All of the characters are average persons and the incidents might happen in almost any family.

It seems to young and pretty Phyllis Lodge that the whole fam- ily has joined in a conspiracy to get her "married off." Her moth- er is anticipating a larger wedding than her friends have engineered, a large society notice and the plan- ning of a trousseau. While Rod- ney only wants a room of his own. A teen-age boy can get pretty fed up with living in the sewing room while his sister has a swell room just for the taking — after she gets married, anyway.

When Rodney finally decides to "start something" he does it up right. The results will be seen in "Make Room for Rodney."

OVER THE HOLIDAYS

Overheard in the halls of OHS, or the tales of the gala holiday sea- son. Although many OHS students remained strictly on their own ter- ritory, it was reported that much fun was had by all. Included in this category are Louis McDade, who along with her Charlie, took

advantage of all festivities, June Ferner, who spent the enjoyable five minutes of her holidays on the telephone, long distance, of course, and Bill Schneemann who missed everyone and in the same breath, we might add that Rita Ballinger spent her time at home, way out in the country.

Others spent only part of their time away. Darrene Thompson spent the latter part of the holi- days visiting friends out of town, but she reports that the most en- joyable part of her holidays was the first part which was spent at home. Jane Adams had a good time with a friend in Fort Stock- ton. Wanda Carden spent a good part of her time at the ranch and Billie Chandler had a wonderful time in San Angelo with an ex- Bobcat. Billie says she had much fun. Pat and Scott Hickman very much enjoyed a trip to San Mar- cos and Houston.

Joe Bailey had quite a trip to Dallas and Fort Worth. He saw the Cotton Bowl game and the Class AA State Championship game. Tody Cunningham had a rip-roaring time in Ballinger just running around and meeting lots of cute boys.

It is agreed upon by OHS stu- dents that the holidays were a big success.

Yearbook Sales Drive To Be Continued for Limited Time; Hurry!

The number of sales for the 1951 Ayer have been steadily mounting. The largest percentage of annuals were purchased by stu- dents from the North Elementary building. It was decided at the weekly staff meeting that the sales campaigns should be kept o- pen a while longer. It is urged that anyone interested in buying a yearbook should deposit a dol- lar with a staff representative now instead of waiting until the books are out in the Spring. The num- ber of books to be printed by the publisher depends on those already ordered.

The business places of Ozona and San Angelo are being canvass- ed for advertisements to be put in the Ayer. Such an ad outlasts any other form of advertising as a school yearbook is kept and look-

ed over for years to come. Material is being gathered and put together as staff members rush to meet their deadlines. Group pictures of the school organiza-

tions and class officers are being taken this week. Remington adding machines at the Stockman office.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF OZONA NATIONAL BANK OF OZONA

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 30, 1950 Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection	2,789,957.43
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,707,162.50
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	553,594.74
5. Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,000.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$4,145.91 overdrafts)	829,974.10
7. Bank premises owned \$5,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,900.00	8,900.00
11. Other assets	3,286.84
12. Total Assets	5,898,875.61
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4,868,699.60
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,050.00
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	26,159.14
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	494,867.78
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	88,210.37
19. Total Deposits	\$5,482,986.89
23. Other liabilities	10,000.00
24. Total Liabilities	5,492,986.89
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100,000.00
26. Surplus	100,000.00
27. Undivided profits	205,888.72
29. Total Capital Accounts	405,888.72
30. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	5,898,875.61

MEMORANDA

31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 169,500.00

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CROCKETT, as: I, J. W. Howell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. Howell, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of January, 1951. (SEAL)
Mrs. J. W. North, Notary Public
Crockett County, Texas
Correct — Attest: Roy Henderson, W. W. West, P. L. Childress, Jr
Directors.



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Friendship—Four Thousand Miles Apart

Never quite got the hang of how to play chess myself, but I'll say this for the game—it started one of the strongest friendships I know of; between Dad Wilson in our town and a fellow in Sudbury, England.

The two of them have never met or seen each other—but for eight or nine years they've been playing chess by mail together. Dad puzzles over the Englishman's latest letter, takes a couple of days to think it over, and then airmails a chart of his next move.

Dad always thinks best with a mellow glass of beer beside his chessboard. And the fellow in Eng- land writes that he does the same. "Almost as if we were in the same room," says Dad contentedly.

From where I sit, you can talk about diplomacy and foreign pol- icy, but it's often little friendly things—like a game of chess or a glass of beer—that can make for tolerance and understanding . . . between people of different na- tions, between folks here at home!

Joe Marsh

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THE STOCKMAN RANCH RECORD BOOK

All-Dist. Banquet -

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by the local Lions Club to members of the first and second all-district teams, Eldorado, district champions, placed 4 men on the mythical team, which this year numbered 12 players by reason of a tie vote for one place. Junction placed three, and Big Lake, Menard, Mason, Iraan and Sonora, one each. The certificates were given by Charles Ratliff, Lion president.

The first team all-district included:

Ends: Roger Sofge, Eldorado; D. Blackburn, Junction, and W. Wade, Big Lake.

Tackles: O Whitlock, Junction and J. E. Spencer, Eldorado.

Guards: Gerald Crisp, Menard, and Frank Carter, Mason.

Center: Truman Biggs, Eldorado

Backs: Billy Huddleston, Iraan; Gene Henderson, Sonora; J. Crumbley, Junction; and Gerald Hicks, Eldorado.

Members of District 10-B all-district second team were announced. Iraan placed three men on the

second eleven with Henry Holder, tackle; Floyd Hale, guard; and Roy Robichaux, back; receiving certificates of award. Other certificates went to Buel Clark, Menard end; Raul Machado, Ozona end; John Phillips, tackle, and Edgar H. Nixon, back both of Eldorado; Leon Mayo, center and Paul Lloyd back, both of Mason; Don Brown, Sonora guard; and Jimmy Cardwell, Junction back.

Nathan Donsky of Nathan's Jewelry, San Angelo, was present and gave gold football awards to all the coaches and assistants in the district. "The coaches are too often forgotten in passing out awards," Nathan said in presenting the gifts to the visiting and home coaches.

A fried chicken dinner was served from the church's kitchen by ladies of the Ozona Woman's Club.

Hugh Childress of Ozona was to have undergone an eye operation in a San Angelo hospital this morning.

Remington adding machines at the Stockman office.

Ozona High Principal To Wed Nocona Girl In January Ceremony

At the twilight hour on Friday, January 19, marriage vows will be exchanged by Miss Jean Ray Haynes of Nocona, and Blake Evans Yeager of Mineral Wells, who is principal of the Ozona High School. News of the couple's betrothal and their wedding plans were revealed today by the parents of the bride-to-be, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stout of Nocona.

The First Baptist Church of Nocona is to be the scene of the nuptial service, which has been scheduled for 6:30 o'clock on the selected date. Rev. Gaston Green, pastor, will be the officiant.

Musical selections for the wedding will be provided by Mrs. James Daugherty, organist, and Mr. Glenn Williamson, vocalist.

Miss Lavenia Hynds is to attend the bride as maid of honor, while David R. Matthis will serve the groom as best man. Duties of ushering will be shared by Dwight Holcomb, Otto Mercer and Dan

Hart. The bride-elect, who is a native of Nocona, is a graduate of Nocona High School, holds a bachelor's degree from Baylor University, and is a member of Kappa Delta Pi sorority. She is now a popular teacher in the Nocona Public School System.

The bride-elect, a son of Mrs. Bessie Yeager of Mineral Wells, is a graduate of T. W. C., where he was president of the Student Council and received his masters degree from N.T.S.T.C. at Denton. He was a prominent instructor in the Nocona Schools before coming to the Ozona High School.

The couple will establish residence in Ozona following their marriage.

W. T. Childress and son, Tommy, of Wichita Falls was here this week to visit his father, Walter Childress, and other relatives.

Noted Pianist to Be Presented by Concert Assn. Here February 3

Leonid Hambro, noted American pianist, will be presented by the Ozona Municipal Concert Association Saturday night, February 3.

Already recognized as one of the outstanding artists in the country, Mr. Hambro gave his first public

performance at the age of five, and from that youthful beginning went forward to attain a status of eminence as a Columbia recording artist and official pianist for the New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra. In 1946, Mr. Hambro received the Walter W. Naumburg Foundation Award which

carries with it the opportunity to perform in the Town Hall recital. After this performance, conductor Walter Duzanowski, "To hear Mr. Hambro play is a beautiful experience," was appointed to the faculty of Julliard School of Music.

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