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RUN THROUGH NEW MEXICO

The southeastern part of New Mexico is as dry as we are here. And in spots it looks worse. I was out there early this week. The fellow asked another, "When did it last rain here?" He replied, "Nobody in our family remembers, except Grandad. And he's dead." Have you ever noticed that the boundary line between Texas and New Mexico marks the junction of two noticeably different types of country? West Texas sands are mostly yellowish. But New Mexico sands are a peculiar shade of pink — I call it "Key Largo Pink". After a day of the same shade around Key Largo, Florida — and early all the sands and clays in the state are a variation of this pink color. Now and then you run into the same color elsewhere as in the canyon of the Wind River (farther west) but never in such profusion as in New Mexico. That color, in all fairness, ought to be named "New Mexico."

Going out, we took highway 82 north to Kermit. It had been years since we had seen Monahans, and doesn't look like the same place. A big sandbed with an oil well in the middle.

At the New Mexico border 82 comes 18 and takes you through Hobbs. You are just barely over in the edge of New Mexico. From Monahans to Hobbs you can see all the different types of desert formation, scrub and oil rigs. The whole country is working alive with trucks and derricks.

Hobbs is in the middle of another sandbed. The town is full of roller courts. The business section has some nice places, and for me unknown reason food prices are cheaper there than here. This is true both of groceries and cafes.

Week before last we made a run through Roswell out to Ruidosa, New Mexico. When you leave the irrigated region around Roswell, there's nothing to see except bare hills until you come to the Honda River valley. For miles road winds along this creek. There are cottonwood trees, adobe use, fields of alfalfa and orchards. Neither apples nor cherries were in season, but stands of road signs were everywhere. The Honda River seems to have a little water in it, so the section of this fertile valley strip is subsoil irrigation.

After a while the upward-wind road gets into the mountains. A few pine trees show up, there are signs of moisture, and there is some grass. Ruidosa is a resort town. It is a little like Catlin's, Tenn., or the Thompson Canyon that leads to Estes Park in Colorado. As you climb, the pines get bigger and the air feels cooler. In the early afternoon of nearly every day, a light shower falls. It's a one-street town. Or rather town built on both sides of a winding highway. Back and forth, up and down, the narrow road strip goes. And on either side are summer homes and lodges, resort concessions slanted to the tourist dollar. For people who fight the noise and traffic of a busy city in a low altitude, this spot would be ideal. A rest. But for someone who already had a fill of quietness in other place would be better a "rest."

Among the shops there is an antique place where you can get scenes done in oil, a playhouse theatre where visitors and talent produce dramas for edification of the tourists, innumerable stores where regionaliques and trinkets are sold, places to buy food, cafes, lodges, pine logs with the bark etc. Everything there aims to be colorful, and manages to get a new way or another.

On the return from Ruidosa was a day of Carlsbad. This is high-285. One follows the Pecos river all the way to Pecos, Texas. We spent the cave several days. We did not want to see it. However, about dark a big wind blew up a violent sandstorm then dumped about an inch of rain on the town in less than 30 minutes. Most of it (Continued on Last Page)

Ozona All-Star Little Leaguers Beat Big Lake

11-2 Decision Goes To Locals in Opener; Play Here Friday

An All-Star team selected from the four teams composing the Ozona-Little League rolled over an all-star aggregation from the Big Lake LL, 11 to 2, Friday night on the Big Lake diamond.

The Big Lake crew will come to Ozona for a return match Friday night of this week. The game is scheduled to start at 8 p.m. at the Little League park.

Winging pitcher Johnny Cooper who chucked the first three innings, gave up two hits and two runs. Bobby Sutton, who hurled the last three, held the Big Lakers to one hit.

Ozona's all-stars nipped Big Lake hurlers for a total of 7 hits, and ten bases on balls. Billy Bob Holden, catcher, was the leading hitter for the locals, hitting safely twice in two times up for a perfect evening. He scored two runs himself and batted in three more. With one hit each were Scotty Moore (a triple), Bobby Sutton, Pat Jones, David Sikes, Loy Elmore and Johnny Cooper.

Other Ozona players composing the Ozona all-stars were George Ybarra, Jimmy Freeman, Dickie Flanagan, Bob Meinecke, Johnny Jones, Joe Friend and Muggins Good.

The Ozona all-star team was selected by a committee of league officials and observers to play the Big Lake selection. This team will not necessarily be the same team which will represent the Ozona League in the area tournament to be held in San Angelo in August. Selection of players for that series will be made in a similar manner.

Drouth Disaster Feed Begins To Roll Into Area

2,603 Tons on Order For Crockett Co. Stockmen

Government owned livestock feed, stored under farm support programs of recent years, and sold at reduced prices to livestock men in the drouth stricken southwest, is already rolling into the area and Crockett county ranchmen are receiving the first of the cheaper feeds made available as a means of saving foundation herds.

A total of 13 carloads of feed have already arrived for ranchmen served by the local office of the P.M.A. Mrs. Mary Dunlap, executive officer, announced this week. Part of this feed has already been delivered to ranchmen, other cars are on the tracks at Barnhart and Sonora and more are on the way.

Ninety-three Crockett county ranchmen have filed applications for a total of 2,603 tons of feed offered in the government program including cottonseed meal and cake, corn, oats and wheat. Cars carrying cottonseed meal and cake are averaging about 40,000 pounds each and cars of corn hold about 55 tons, Mrs. Dunlap said. The feeds are being distributed among ranchmen who have placed orders so that as many as possible may get some feed at the earliest possible moment. The feed will be distributed in larger lots, as ordered, as soon as all have been supplied sufficient quantities to keep their feeding programs under way.

NOTICE TO PAINT BIDDERS

Bids for painting the Ozona Junior High School building will be received by the School Board until 2 p. m. July 24, 1953, and then publicly opened and read. Bidders may receive information at the office of the Superintendent. The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Ed Dodson, Ozonan Over 50 Years, Dies Following Stroke

Graveside funeral services were held at 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Cedar Hill Cemetery for Ed Dodson, 74, a resident of Ozona for more than fifty years, who died at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Crockett County Hospital where he had been taken after suffering a stroke at his home.

Services were conducted by the Rev. J. Troy Hickman, pastor of the Ozona Methodist Church. Cody Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Dodson was an early day printer and for many years worked in the shop of the old Ozona Kicker, later the Stockman, while the paper was owned by his brother-in-law and sister, the late Mr. and Mrs. Will Easterling, "Kuzn Bill" and "Kuzn Klem" to old timers here. He also worked in Alpine for a few years on a paper which Mr. Easterling established there. In late years he had worked with the Armentrout brothers here doing cement contracting.

Mr. Dodson was born March 30, 1879, in Coryell County. He is survived by a niece, Mrs. Lilly Phelps and a great niece, Mrs. A. A. O'Brien, both of Alpine.

Many Blocks of New Paving Added With County Equipment

Under direction of Damon Davis, county road engineer, many new blocks of paved streets are being laid in Ozona and existing pavement is receiving seal coat treatment.

Using county machinery, which includes recently acquired asphalt machine, roller and sweepers, the additional paving is being done at a minimum of cost.

One of the major projects in the present extension to existing paving is paving of principal streets in the Latin-American settlement in Ozona. Approximately twelve blocks of main streets in that area, a loop beginning at the south edge of the baseball park through the area to connect with Highway 163 on the west side of the settlement, and a spur from the Andres Aguirre store to the highway north, have been paved.

Caliche base and asphalt and gravel surface is being laid.

First Baptist Church Closes Most Successful Vacation Bible School

One of the most successful schools in years, the 1953 Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist church closed with commencement exercises Wednesday evening. Enrollment at the close of the school was a record 196, with average attendance 165. The school was in session eight days, with morning and evening classes.

At the commencement exercises, children presented for their parents and friend an exhibition of their work during the school. Afterwards, guests were invited to open house in the various departments.

Young people met in the evening for study. The study was devoted to India, its customs and missionary possibilities. The study was climaxed with a newly released Broadway film, "In the Circle of His Will," presented the challenge of foreign missions today.

Activities at the church again will be in full swing next week as many leave for the summer encampment at Paisano Encampment, near Alpine.

CROCKETT HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted: Mrs. Sarah Gillis, Mrs. Ray Piner, Mrs. Antonio Ruiz, Miss Ada Lucercia, Ed Dodson, Theo. Sparks.

Patients dismissed: Mrs. Ray Piner, Miss Ada Lucercia, Theo. Sparks, Rodger Gotcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Ruiz became the parents of a boy at 11:55 a. m., July 15.

Mrs. Max Wilson and two small sons are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Mayes.

Ozona Oil Co. Surges Ahead In Little League

First Half Champs Bid For Clean Sweep As Season End Nears

Ozona Oil Co.'s Red Sox, winners of the first half championship in the 1953 Ozona Little League campaign, put other teams on the spot this week when they racked up two wins in a row to break the league deadlock and surge to a one-game lead over the nearest rivals, the South Texas Lumber Co. White Sox and the Spencer-Stevens Yankees, tied for second place.

Although the double win, over South Texas Thursday night and over Spencer-Stevens Monday night, by no means clinches the second half title for the Red Sox, it does put them in the position of "the team to beat" and all of the other teams will have a chance at them before the season closes a week from tonight.

The Red Sox stand at the top of the heap with 4 wins and 2 losses while South Texas and Spencer-Stevens are deadlocked at 3 won and 3 lost. The Kyle Indians, who lost two in a row the past week, are trailing with 2 wins and 4 losses.

Six more games are on the season slate. Tonight (Thursday), the Red Sox will be challenged by the cellar-dwelling Indians, to be followed by a second-place decider between South Texas and Spencer-Stevens. Then Monday night of next week, Kyle and Spencer-Stevens clash followed by Ozona Oil and South Texas. The final games Thursday night of next week will pit South Texas against Kyle and Ozona Oil against Spencer-Stevens — and only after these games, perhaps will the second half — and possibly the league championship — winners be decided.

If the Ozona Oil Co. team takes the second half, of course, the season is over, but if one of the other teams nose out, a play-off series with the Red Sox will decide the season's championship.

Bobby Sutton, Ozona Oil Co.'s ace chunker, continued to lead the league in the batting department, but lost a few points in the percentage column during the past week.

The ten leading batters are:

Player	AB	H	Ave.
Bobby Sutton	45	27	.600
David Sikes	28	14	.500
Jimmy Freeman	45	19	.422
Johnny Cooper	50	20	.400
George Ybarra	50	19	.380
Billy Holden	41	15	.366
Johnny Jones	35	12	.343
Joe Friend	27	9	.333
Bob Meinecke	45	14	.311
John Gilliam	29	9	.310

In the pitching department Sutton still has a perfect record of five wins against no losses. Jimmy Freeman and Muggins Good have both won three and lost one each, and Pat Jones has won five and lost two.

Baptist Mission Workers Visit Local Latin-American Church

Two girls from the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention are in Ozona this week working with the Latin-American Baptist Church as part of a summer training program in which they will visit several West Texas communities.

The girls are Miss Betty Pratt of Montgomery, Ala., a senior student at Howard College, Birmingham, Ala., majoring in Spanish and French, and Miss Mary Ella Parrish of Chickasha, Okla., a Junior student at Oklahoma Baptist University pre-nursing school. Miss Parrish will enter nursing school next Spring and has volunteered as a missionary to Africa.

These girls have been in vacation Bible schools for five weeks, serving in West Texas, and have five more weeks of service among Latin-American churches at Pecos, Sonora, Kermit, Grandfalls, Pyote, Imperial and Barstow.

Extension Service To Aid Ranchmen In Selling, Finding Grass

Ranchmen who have livestock for sale or who may be looking for greener pastures might be able to secure information that will be of help at the county agent's office.

At the present time Extension Service is offering through local county agent's offices, a service to distressed ranchmen by securing information of prospective buyers of livestock and those who have grass for lease in other states.

Information is being received currently at the county agent's office of parties wanting to buy or take in livestock for pasturage. If interested, contact Pete Jacoby, local county agent for further information.

Teen League Donation Withdrawn After Plan Of Finance Explained

Signals got crossed up somehow last week and the Crockett County Sheriff's Posse withdrew, at the request of the Ozona Lions Club, a donation of \$100 made toward financing the Teenage League through the balance of the present season.

The Posse had made the offer on the basis of information that the money would be needed to complete the season. However, the Teenage team is a part of the summer recreation program sponsored by the Lions Club, the schools and the county, and is adequately financed through that joint effort, the Posse was informed.

All financing of the Little League, Teenage League and other features of the summer program is handled through the Lions Club fund. Sponsors of the various teams are allowed to furnish only uniforms and these become property of the league, with sponsor's names on the shirts. Sponsors are not allowed, under League rules, to offer players any kind of prize or award unless such award is made to all participating players on all teams.

Violent Thunderstorm Accompanies Showers Spotting Ozona Area

A violent thundershower, with plenty of lightning and booming thunder, accompanied a light shower which rolled over Ozona Wednesday night, leaving a little more than a quarter inch of moisture.

The thundershower activity which dumped heavy rains in the San Angelo vicinity and north and east of Ozona, traveled on south to scatter showers over a wide area of ranch country.

W. A. Kay, Former Crockett Rancher, Dies In Ft. Stockton

Brother of Mrs. Early Baggett of Ozona, Leukemia Victim

William Albert Kay, 67, a pioneer Ozona resident and Crockett county ranchman for more than 25 years, died at 12:30 a. m. Wednesday in a Fort Stockton hospital, where he had been under treatment for leukemia for the last three and a half months.

Funeral services were scheduled for 10 o'clock this morning (Thursday) from the Baptist Church in Fort Stockton, the Rev. George Bastian, pastor, officiating. Burial was to be in Ft. Stockton cemetery.

Mr. Kay was born Aug. 13, 1885, at Dawson. He came with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kay, to Ozona in 1902. Mr. Kay ranched north of Ozona until 1933 when the family moved to Fort Stockton to ranch 24 miles southwest of that city.

Surviving are the widow of Fort Stockton; two daughters, Mrs. Alton Hall of Eden and Mrs. Martin Baze of Fort Stockton; one sister, Mrs. Early Baggett of Ozona and five grandchildren.

Swimming Pools May Be Opened End of Next Week

Contractors Estimate Completion of Work By July 25

A new date, the end of next week, has been set as tentative date for opening of Ozona's new swimming pools.

This new date, July 25, is promised by the contractors, the Texas Pool Corporation, but the date was not definite this week since much work still remained to be completed before the pools are ready for use. Harry Yates, supervisor and engineer for the firm, estimated; however, that the pools would be ready for filling with water before the end of this week and would be ready for use by the end of next week.

All filtration equipment and piping has been installed and ready for use, workmen now being engaged in plastering the interior of the pools, pouring concrete deck areas and walks and finishing the bath houses. Still to be completed are the walls and fences enclosing the area and filling with dirt.

Larry Wilkins, Ozona High School athletic coach, has been engaged as manager of the north pool and Corbett Smith, school band director, as manager of the south pool. Meanwhile, prospective life guards are being qualified under Red Cross lifesaving and water safety classes for duty during open hours at the pools.

The pools will be open each morning from 7 to 9 for swimming instruction only and from 9 to 11 in the morning and from 3 to 9 p.m. for swimmers.

Adwells Observe 6th Anniversary With Fine Films

3-D Picture, Academy Award Film Set for Next Week

In the language of the Hollywood press agents, "Extravanza" will be the word to describe what's in store for Ozona moviegoers next week as W. V. Adwells and associates stage "Theatre Week" in Ozona in observance of the sixth anniversary of the opening of the Ranch Theatre and last week's opening of the Triangle Drive-In north of Ozona.

The week is to be observed with the most jam-packed schedule of fine movie entertainment ever assembled in a small town in one week. This anniversary week menu includes the Academy Award picture, "The Greatest Show on Earth" showing four big days at the Ranch Theatre beginning Sunday, through Wednesday. At the Triangle Drive-In Sunday and Monday will be "Split Second," a tense dramatic film starring Alexis Smith and Stephen McNally. Following Tuesday and Wednesday will be "Carrie," screen version of Theodore Dreiser's "Sister Carrie," starring Laurence Olivier and Jennifer Jones.

The "Theatre Week" opening bills are not all, however. For the latter half of the anniversary week, 3 Dimension pictures will come to the Ranch Theatre for the first time in Ozona. It will be "Fort Ti," a great outdoor epic in three dimensions and in Technicolor, starring George Montgomery. Not only that, but a "double bill" to boot — the Three Stooges in "Spooks" also in three dimensions. Viewing glasses for 3-D and the tax will be included in the admission price of 25 and 75 cents.

Winding up the week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Triangle Drive-In will be that funniest pair in movies and radio, Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis in "Scared Stiff."

There you have it — the management's birthday gift to Ozona — the Academy Award picture, three dimensions and a lot of other outstanding entertainment features.

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Ozona Girl, Child Only Slightly Hurt As Car Overturns

Lucretia Montes and her four-year-old brother escaped with minor injuries late Monday afternoon when the car driven by Miss Montes skidded on loose gravel on new pavement at the south edge of Powell baseball park and turned over.

Another car swerved in front of Miss Montes' car and when she applied the brakes suddenly her car skidded and overturned into the ditch. The child was able to crawl through the car window but the driver, although not seriously hurt, had to be extricated from the car by passersby.

Pvt. Kenneth Bledsoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bledsoe of Ozona is stationed at Camp Roberts, California, and would like to hear from his friends in Ozona. His address, US 54118107, Platoon 1, Co. A, 77th Armored Inf. Bn. 7th Armored Div., Camp Roberts, Calif.

Conoco Strike On Harris Ranch Flows 722 Bbls. In 14 Hours

Continental Oil Co. 2-C Harris, northern Crockett County Strawn discovery, flowed to tanks 14 hours through a 34-64-inch choke and made 722 barrels of 47 gravity oil and 207 barrels of load water.

Flow was through perforations between 8,171-91 feet in 7-inch casing set at 8,247 feet, the total depth. The perforated section had been treated with 500 gallons of acid and then swabbed and flowed to pits for an unreported length of time.

HOMEMAKERS CLASS

Members of the Homemakers Class of the First Baptist Church Sunday School had their regular meeting Tuesday at the church. Mrs. Thadd Tabb brought the devotional and a Chinese luncheon was served to Mmes. Jack Brewer, Pink Beall, Thadd Tabb, George Hester, Clovis Womack, Raymond Young, Ottist Pridemore, Frank Brown, Ted Lewis, Robert Cox and Bob Franklin.

TEENERS BEAT OLDDISTERS

Ozonia Teenagers, leaders in the Teenage League composed of Ozona, Big Lake, Iraan and McCamey, outscored a town team for the second time in a row at the Little League park Tuesday night in a practice game. It was a free-scoring nine innings, with the Teeners pulling it out of the fire in the final half of the ninth with a two-run barrage that gave them a one-run margin for victory.

Jody Jones, followed by Floyd Hokit and then veteran T. J. Bailey, tried to put out the teen fire from the mound but to no avail. Wayne Hicks and Lloyd West did most of the chunking for the teeners.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett had as week-end guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pace and Sue and Baggett of Austin.

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Rev. Blake Woolbright, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Ozona, will receive his Bachelor of Divinity degree from the Southwest Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth Thursday night of this week. The winning of the degree marks the culmination of three years of study by the local minister following his college graduation. He has completed final requirements for the degree in work at the Seminary this summer.

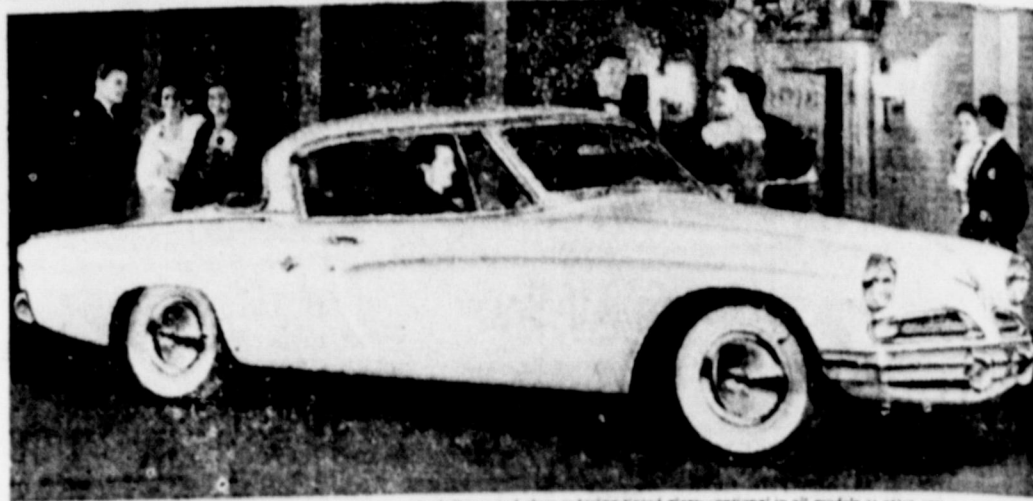
'Split Second' and 'Carrie' Next Week's Drive-In Movie Menu

The passions and fears experienced by a motley group of people when they are held captives by a trio of escaped convicts in a desert ghost town as the most frightening power on earth approaches them split second by split second, keys the suspense and drama of "Split Second," which comes to the Triangle Drive-In Theatre Sunday and Monday July 19 and 20.

An unusual plot and vivid characterizations vie with one of the most spectacular climactic scenes of the season to make this Edmund Grainger production for R KO Radio a screen attraction of marked interest. With Dick Powell making his debut as a direc-

tor, the cast is said to contribute an unusually fine collection of performances.

Showing at the Triangle Tuesday and Wednesday will be William Wyler's "Carrie," the Paramount picture in which a great love story emerges as a magnificently moving drama.



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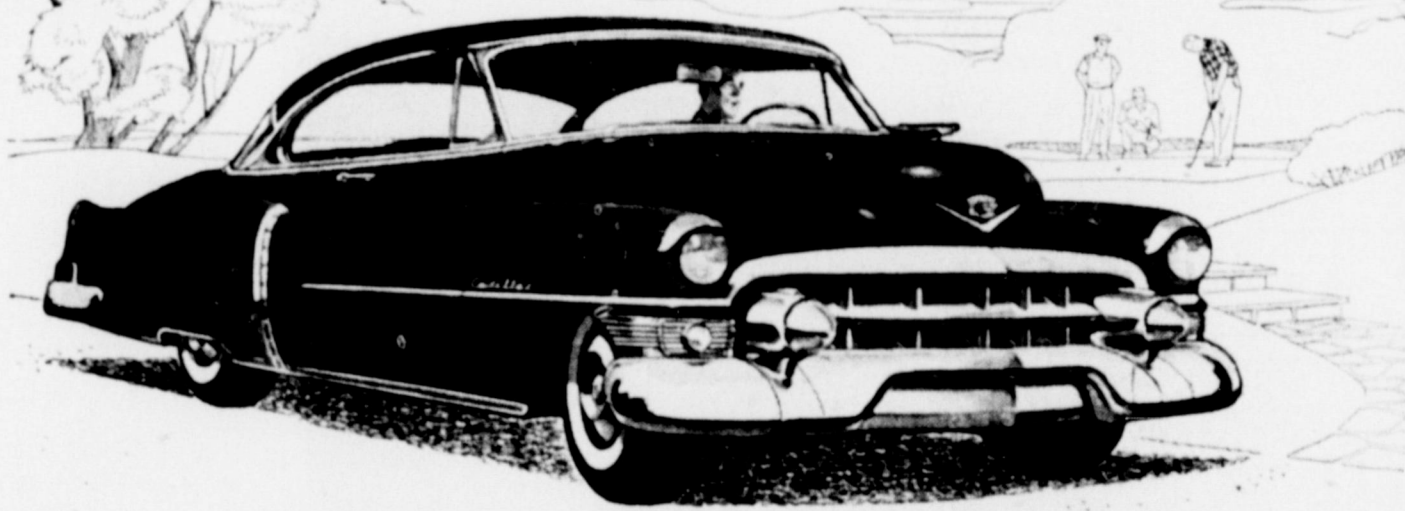
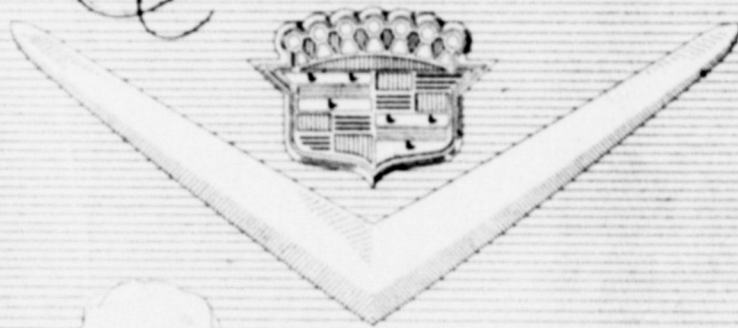
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Deaconess Honored at Gift Shower

Members of the WSCS met in a session at the Methodist church Wednesday morning, with Paul Parner, president, pre-

siding. Mrs. Joe Pierce, III, gave the devotional.

Miss Mabel Whited, deaconess at the local Community Center, was honored with a gift shower. Miss Whited is leaving soon on sabbatical leave to go to school

All committee chairmen made reports. Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., and Mrs. H. B. Tandy were asked to present a skit at the sub-district meeting in McCamey July 24.

Members who will be able to attend this meeting are asked to call Mrs. Tom Harris or Mrs. S. M. Harvick.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to Meses. Paul Ferner, L. B. Cox, III, R. A. Harrell, Tom Harris, T. A. Kincaid, Jr., S. M. Harvick, H. B. Tandy, E. C. Flowers, Madden Read, N.

W. Graham, George Harrell, B. E. Ingham, Sr., L. D. Kirby, Ralph Harding of Stratford, Joe Pierce, III, and M. B. Flippen and Miss Mabel Whited.

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THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1953

Ozona Girl, Child Only Slightly Hurt As Car Overturns

Lucretia Montes and her four-year-old brother escaped with minor injuries late Monday afternoon when the car driven by Miss Montes skidded on loose gravel on new pavement at the south edge of Powell baseball park and turned over.

Another car swerved in front of Miss Montes' car and when she applied the brakes suddenly her car skidded and overturned into the ditch. The child was able to crawl through the car window but the driver, although not seriously hurt, had to be extricated from the car by passersby.

Pvt. Kenneth Bledsoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bledsoe of Ozona is stationed at Camp Roberts, California, and would like to hear from his friends in Ozona. His address, US 54118107, Platoon 1, Co. A, 77th Armored Inf. Bn. 7th Armored Div., Camp Roberts, Calif.

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HOMEMAKERS CLASS

Members of the Homemakers Class of the First Baptist Church Sunday School had their regular meeting Tuesday at the church. Mrs. Thadd Tabb brought the devotional and a Chinese luncheon was served to Mmes. Jack Brewer, Pink Beall, Thadd Tabb, George Hester, Clovis Womack, Raymond Young, Ottist Pridemore, Frank Brown, Ted Lewis, Robert Cox and Bob Franklin.

TEENERS BEAT OLDDSTERS

Ozona Teenagers, leaders in the Teenage League composed of Ozona, Big Lake, Iraan and McCamey, outscored a town team for the second time in a row at the Little League park Tuesday night in a practice game. It was a free-scoring nine innings, with the Teeners pulling it out of the fire in the final half of the ninth with a two-run barrage that gave them a one-run margin for victory.

Jody Jones, followed by Floyd Hokit and then veteran T. J. Bailey, tried to put out the teen fire from the mound but to no avail. Wayne Hicks and Lloyd West did most of the chunking for the teeners.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett had as week-end guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pace and Sue and Baggett of Austin.

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Rev. Blake Woolbright, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Ozona, will receive his Bachelor of Divinity degree from the Southwest Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth Thursday night of this week. The winning of the degree marks the culmination of three years of study by the local minister following his college graduation. He has completed final requirements for the degree in work at the Seminary this summer.

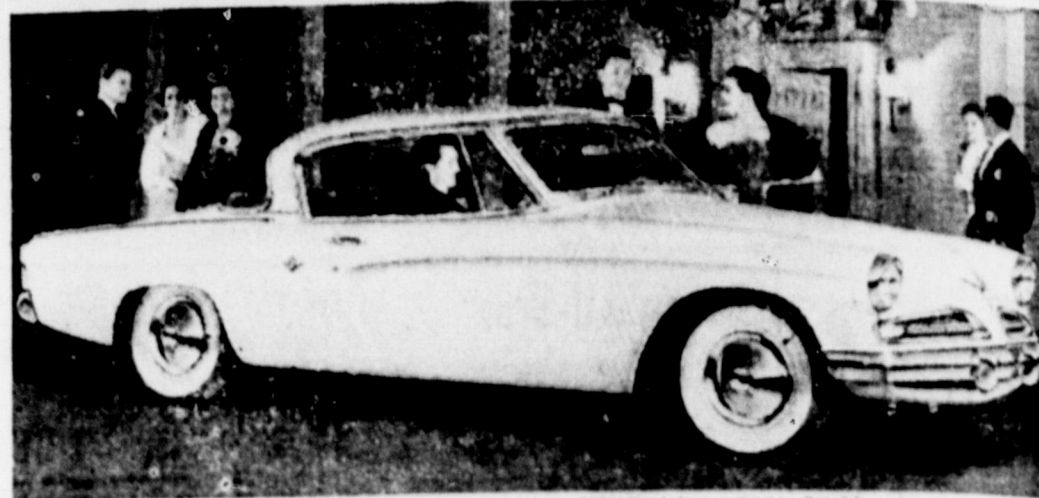
'Split Second' and 'Carrie' Next Week's Drive-In Movie Menu

The passions and fears experienced by a motley group of people when they are held captives by a trio of escaped convicts in a desert ghost town as the most frightening power on earth approaches them split second by split second, keys the suspense and drama of "Split Second," which comes to the Triangle Drive-In Theatre Sunday and Monday July 19 and 20.

An unusual plot and vivid characterizations vie with one of the most spectacular climactic scenes of the season to make this Edmund Grainger production for RKO Radio a screen attraction of marked interest. With Dick Powell making his debut as a direc-

tor, the cast is said to contribute an unusually fine collection of performances.

Showing at the Triangle Tuesday and Wednesday will be William Wyler's "Carrie," the Paramount picture in which a great love story emerges as a magnificent moving drama.



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Deaconess Honored at Gift Shower

Members of the WSCS met in a session at the Methodist church Wednesday morning, with Paul Ferner, president, pre-

siding. Mrs. Joe Pierce, III, gave the devotional.

Miss Mabel Whited, deaconess at the local Community Center, was honored with a gift shower. Miss Whited is leaving soon on sabbatical leave to go to school

All committee chairmen made reports. Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., and Mrs. H. B. Tandy were asked to present a skit at the sub-district meeting in McCamey July 24.

Members who will be able to attend this meeting are asked to call Mrs. Tom Harris or Mrs. S. M. Harvick.

Refreshments of punch and

cookies were served to Mmes. Paul Ferner, L. B. Cox, III, R. A. Harrell, Tom Harris, T. A. Kincaid, Jr., S. M. Harvick, H. B. Tandy,

E. C. Flowers, Madden Read, N. W. Graham, George Harrell, B. E. Ingham, Sr., L. D. Kirby, Ralph Harding of Stratford, Joe Pierce, III, and M. B. Flippen and Miss Mabel Whited.

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The Summer Stooze

By Kenneth Phillips

You can relax, cause this week's column won't be as long as last week's. One good reason is because I got finger cramps last week, and I don't want them again!

You can bring all of your cooking sherry out of hiding... Jane has gone to New Mexico. The story goes that she will be up there till around the last of August. Here's the latest news from the sports world. You might call this sport, anyway Larry Lewis is the new (haw, haw!) life guard; I can see now that our new pool already has a nasty smear on it.

Enough dilly-dally, I'll start things off with last Thursday night. A bunch of us went to see the "Shmoe of Killa-some-mountain." In case any of you nice people heard a horrible scream when that Rhino charged, Brewer had dropped her teeth during the last love scene, and she raised up just about the time that monster charged. I tell you... that Gregory Peck had guts running out of his ears. Anyway, here's who bought tickets for who... Fang and Sewer, Wild William and Janice, D. Jones and Carolyn Raye, then I sat next to the seat occupied by George Ball. She was there physically, but her mind was up on the screen drinking low-balls with Mr. Peck. Oh well.

Friday was the opening of the drive-in. You know... its going to be a lot harder for your little stooze to find out who took who.

I may panic entirely. As far as I know, here are the couples who were at the drive-in Friday Night. Reed and Shirley, Bill E. and Faye Dow and George, Cheesy and Fontaine, then I blew my coke money on Thrill F. I hope I haven't missed anyone. Then comes bath nite (Sat. I skipped!) All ready? Here comes another list of people at the show. In one charming group we find that Wild man from Colorado, Bill Eaklor with our own little Ford, and Mercury Gal, Janice. Then that wilder woman, George, and little me! Hidden somewhere behind us was Bobby, and Alena Faye. Later on I saw Bobby H. and Pat Cooper sneaking away from the Dairy King. He is getting to be more like Pogue everyday. Guess who was here Sunday, and maybe a little before that? (figure it out.) Shaggy Hickman left his oil-well long enough to come through Midland, and bring himself, and Charlie Garlitz home.

While I think of it, here is another address of one of our little boys who dress in that stunning color of olive drab. Mr. Tommy Laxson is over in Germany, so if any of you want his address here it is. Pvt. Williams T. Laxson, Jr. US5089685 Battery AAA 46th (sp) Bn. A.P.O. 39 care of Postmaster New York, N. Y. You can mail your letter to Tommy at the same time you do to Buster. If there are any of you other people who would like to give me your son's address to the readers, just call down to the house.

Now here are some of the people who have left our fair city. I have already told you that Jane has drifted up to New Mexico. Jimmie, and Ann have gone to California... with Mr. and Mrs. Rattliff! Scott has already gone back to New Mexico. Somewhere around Hobbs I think. Georgiana along with her cousin, and the rest of the herd have pointed the nose of the old shot-rod in the direction of Colorado. That is all that I know of at the minute, if anyone more leave or get run out I'll let you know about it.

Let's see who all were at the show (drive-in) on Sunday night. I saw Garlitz and Sandra, Whitley and Thrill, and Ronnie and Vivian in one car. Then in Womack's car were he, and Alena Faye. Then Shirley and I occupied the back seat. Poor Shirley, she thought I was loaded with money, and didn't eat any supper. She'll learn not to go with me on an empty stomach.

In case you are wondering who the strange boy, and girl is that were riding around with Cheesy Jones Monday afternoon... I'll tell you. They are his cousins. They go by the names of Bethlyn Jones... (that's the flea-male) and Wade Madeley. Now don't ask me how long they are gonna be here. Cheesy is the tight-lipped kind you know.

I have some more news from the football players. I know that you all are just waiting on pins and needles for next year's spring training. Well, there isn't going to be any. Just the triple, and four A schools are gonna have it. After you finish crying you can read on.

Last week, Sarah Weaver and Theo Sparks along with some other had the misfortune of having a bad car wreck. Sarah, and Theo are both in the hospital, and I

think that it would be real nice if some of you all went up to see them now, and then. I am going to go this afternoon.

Well I was gone from town Thursday night, but I have been talking to two of my best spies, and from the information I gathered from them... this was "Hate girl nite!" Pogue undoubtedly had something to do with this. In case you are wondering where I was Thursday nite, I'll tell you. I went to Ft. Stockton to deliver a hot car with Larry Lewis, and Dow. We wound up with a room at some motel, and invited a few friends down. After splitting a water-melon seven ways, and tearing up a miniature golf-course, our friends chickened out, and went home. But the dirty four were still going. Wait, I left out someone. Mike Fincher was present at this gay affair. But he is one of the working men, so around twelve o'clock he went home to bed too. That left us three... then things started happening! At least fifteen gallons of water was thrown around the room, and other customers of the motel rudely awakened! Boy, was Dow having a time. He liked the air-conditioning so much he wanted to borrow it, and take it home. Well, that seemed alright to me. Just a few screws to take loose. But when he wanted to borrow a pick-up the same way to bring it home, I called it a night. We finally left both of them where we found them.

The time has come... Warning! Next week is expose week! It is my duty to warn you that anything you say may be used against you. No more waiting around... the

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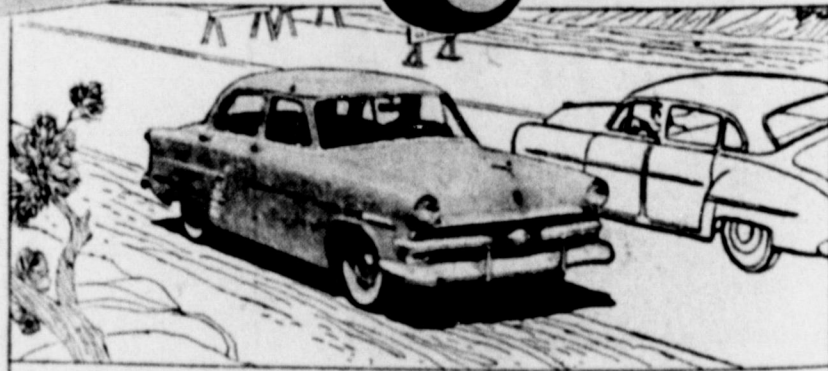
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Crockett County Rancher On Way To Beating Neighbors With 45-Acre Irrigated Farm On Pecos

The new irrigated farm of B. B. Williams, Jr., along the Pecos river in Crockett County, is showing results. Last week B. B. cut 5 tons of sudan hay from 5 acres of level borders. Williams became interested in irrigation after oil crews encountered quantities of water when drilling test holes on the ranch last year. He became a cooperator with the Crockett Soil Conservation District, and received assistance in planning and developing the acre field. Soil Conservation Service personnel designed and installed a level border irrigation system. Don Fulton, local Soil Conservationist reports. A well was drilled and water found at a depth of 30 feet. It is not known how much the well produces, but a flow of 2,000 gallons per minute will not lower the water level. The water has a considerable amount of salt, but can be used successfully if applied in small quantities and the soil kept in a permeable condition. Williams has 40 acres planted in sorghum and about 3 acres to sugarcane. The hezari was planted with a drill to obtain a thick stand. The dense growth will produce stems and be easier to bale. Williams estimated that the hezari will yield better than two tons per acre from the first cutting. Due to drought conditions only one crop may be made. Lambs will be turned in on the stubble growth this fall. Most of the alfalfa will be planted to alfalfa. The remainder will be planted to oats. Williams has decided that an irrigated farm is well worth the investment and time spent to produce the feed. While most ranchers in West Texas are expecting another hard winter, B. B. is looking forward to having plenty of feed to carry him through.

TO WILLIAMSES
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Ozona are parents of a son, born Wednesday morning in a San Angelo hospital. Named Jack Craig Williams, the baby weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces. Grandparents are Mrs. Chas. Williams, Sr., of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham of Brady.

Leading Breeders To Offer Rams In Annual San Angelo Sale July 18

The 17th Annual Registered Rambouillet Ram Sale will be held in San Angelo July 16 through 18. Some 335 rams have been consigned by leading breeders from three states. Wednesday morning, a Committee of breeders will select stud rams from a large pen in which each consignor has placed his two top rams. This Committee will also select not more than 10 pens of three rams (A-B-C-pens) which are sold with the buyer privileged to take all or any number from the pen. Thursday, the consignors will be available to show their offerings to prospective buyers. The Sale proper will get under way promptly at 10:00 a. m. Saturday. All rams in the Sale will be carefully checked by a rigid Sifting Committee. All rams are bred by the consignor.

For the first time, this Sale will be held at Fields & Johnson Sale Barn north of town, instead of the San Angelo Fairgrounds which were destroyed by the tornado. Also, as a result of the tornado, the American Rambouillet Sheep Breeders Association is sponsoring this year's Sale without the aid of the San Angelo Board of City Development.

Nelson Johnson of San Angelo has been employed as auctioneer, and Leo Richardson of Iraan, Texas, is Sale Manager. Texas Rambouillet breeders who have entered rams in the Sale are: Miles Pierce, Alpine; Pat Rose, Jr., Del Rio; C. O. Bruton, Eldorado; E. F. Bridges & Son, Bronte; Leo Richardson, Iraan; Wayne Bridges, Bronte; Rod Richardson, Iraan; O. Sudduth, Eldorado; F. M. Bierschwald & Son, Segovia; H. C. Noelke, Jr., Sheffield; L. F. Hodges, Sterling City; Joe B. Edens, Eldorado; Clinton Hodges, Sterling City; Don Cooper, Fort Stockton; Douglas Phillips, Menard; R. Q. Landers & Sons, Menard; Claude Owens, Fort Stockton; R. O. & Rushing Sheffield, San Angelo; Wallace Hendricks, San Angelo.

Academy Winner, 'Great Show' Features Theatre Week in Ozona

Bestowing an extra wonderful treat to Ozona moviegoers, the management of the Ranch Theatre is proud to announce a special Academy Award demand performance of Cecil B. DeMille's "The Greatest Show on Earth." This "Oscar" winning film masterpiece showing four big nights Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 19, 20 21 and 22, combines two of the world's greatest spectacles—a Cecil B. DeMille Technicolor extravaganza and a big-time Big Top show.

DeMille, long the master showman, has at last applied his filmmaking genius to a massive circus spectacle combined with a drama about its performers and workers. The results is a truly superb Technicolor treat that captures the spirit and essence of the Greatest Show as no film has ever done before.

With infinite skill, De Mille has depicted the whirling excitement, the spangled gaiety and the soaring thrills that make the circus such a beloved institution.

With Betty Hutton, Charlton Heston, Cornel Wilde, Dorothy Lamour, Gloria Grahame and James Stewart starred at the head of a huge cast, the film sets forth the hopes, despairs, trials and triumphs that are played out behind the glittering arena. The plot details Miss Hutton's daredevil rivalry with fellow aerialist Cornel

Wilde for the coveted trapeze above the center ring; the strange secret behind Jimmy Stewart's clown mask; and the tireless efforts of boss-man Charlton Heston to keep the show on its feet.

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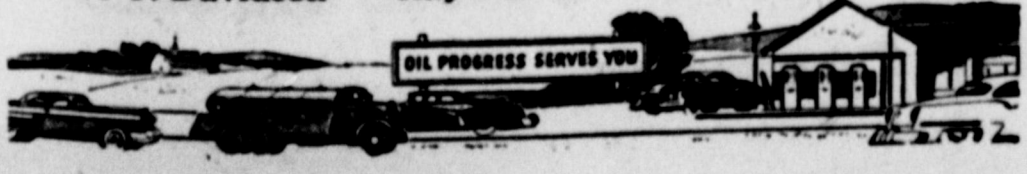
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Here and There
By J. Troy Hickman

seemed to run uptown and pile up in the streets deep enough to drown a car motor. It soon ran off.

Carlsbad has a very fine "beach," which consists of a park and man-made sandy strip along the Pecos River. The water is broad and deep here, and it looked like good swimming.

Much of present Carlsbad centers about the cave traffic. Every one of the guests in the motel where I stayed had come to see the cave cars had licenses from all states.

The section of country served by Artesia and Carlsbad is one of New Mexico's prettiest. The broad valley of the Pecos supports an important farming industry, mainly cotton, the small grains and alfalfa. There are miles and miles of it. One wonders how the river supplies enough water to irrigate so much territory. But there it is!

Four or five hundred miles of driving on a hot summer day makes one glad to get home again. He unfolds his stiff joints, staggers to the refrigerator for a drink of hometown water, then to the bath to soak a while, then to bed with a fan on and new magazine. In an hour or two, he turns out the light, rolls over and thankfully drifts into a dreamless sleep.

LADIES GOLF ASSN.

After regular golf play Tuesday morning, members of the Ladies Golf Assn. and guests met for a coke party in the club house. Donna Beth Davidson and her daughter, Ann, served refreshments to Alice McMullan, Katy Jones, Velma Marley, Marge McMullan, Dorothy Montgomery, Pauline Montgomery, Mary Friend, Wanda Stuart, and Elizabeth Wilson of Dallas.

Winners in matched play were Alice McMullan, Katy Jones, Wanda Stuart, Mary Friend, Velma Marley and Liz Williams. For low score on blind bogeys, Mary Friend and Velma Marley tied, with Mrs. Marley winning the high cut for the award.

Next Tuesday there will be a covered dish luncheon at 12 noon.

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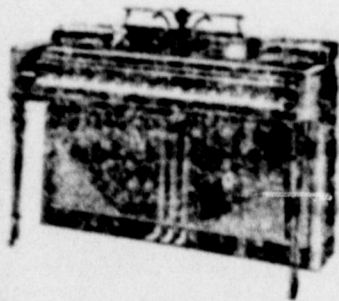
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Ralph Carden, ROTC AF Cadet, In Training At Randolph AFB

Ralph H. Carden from Ozona, Texas is spending four weeks at Randolph Air Force Base, Texas, "The West Point of the Air". This summer camp is a required part of the AFROTC program in which Cadet Carden is enrolled at the University of Texas. While at the camp he will observe the operation of an air force wing, learn to live under military conditions just as if he were in the service and become familiar with the principal weapon of the air force - the airplane. The high point of cadet Carden's stay will be a 2½ hour flight in a B-29.

Randolph is the graduate school of the air force where B-29 crews are assembled and made combat-ready by the crew training air force commanded by Major Gen. J. K. Lacey. The instructors from this program are also instructing the AFROTC Cadets. Cadet Carden's parents are Lt. Col. and Mrs. H. H. Carden.

Block 47 Field Is Extended to North

The Block 47 Field of Crockett County has been extended ½-mile north on the north side with the completion of Cooper & Parker A-1-U University for a daily pumping potential of 15 barrels of 33.5 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio of 195-1.

Production was from open hole between 2,120 feet, where 7-inch casing was cemented, and 2,537 feet, the total depth. Top of pay was picked at 2,221 feet, elevation unreported. Production was natural.

Location is in 3-47-University, 10 miles southeast of Big Lake in Reagan County.

The well was originally drilled as Val Carrol Oil Co. 1 University and was plugged and abandoned June 6, 1952.

SORORITY BUSINESS MEET

A business meeting was held by the Ozona chapter, Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority Tuesday night at the Country Club.

Present were Jimmie Swearingen, Carolyn Smith, Sue Hoover, Gussie Ruth Schnieder, Greta Isbell, Mary Deaton, LaRue Schneemann, Tommy Glyn Clark, Eve Lemmons, Barbara Earnest, Joyce Terry and Myrtastine Harrison. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Mary Deaton.

LOST — Bird dog, 5 months old. White and brown spots, brown head. Reward. Phone 336J. R. A. Sebesta.

Ranchmen Urged to Use Care in Feeding High Protein Content Feeds

High protein feeds such as the current 41% cottonseed meal pellets available for drought feeding at reduced prices can be dangerous if fed alone and without some hay or sufficient roughage being available in pastures. County Agent Pete Jacoby warned Crockett County ranchmen this week. By itself, the 41% feed is too high in protein as a ration for livestock.

Historically, cottonseed cake, 43-41% protein, has been fed as the supplement to low grade, low protein roughage. Mr. Jacoby pointed out. The protein in the cottonseed cake balance the low protein roughage. Protein is an essential in using low grade fibrous roughage. Any forage left in a drought region will classify as very low in protein.

Corn, oats, and wheat should be

ground or rolled for aged cattle, young cattle and sheep will handle these feeds pretty well as they are. Corn alone, is not a good feed in these hot months because of its high energy content. It should be fed with roughage, and better with oats and not over ¼ to ½ pound of corn daily for sheep.

Oats is more nearly a balanced ration of the concentrates offered and by far the best feed during summer months for young and growing livestock, especially if no hay or other roughage is available. It also can be fed without grinding, except aged cattle, the agent

said. Wheat is a good strong feed and is next to cottonseed meal as a source of low cost protein. Digestible protein content of 41% meal is 34.6%, corn 6.4%, and oats 8.7 percent.

The best ration for livestock is a balanced ration of both concentrates and roughage with the digestible protein content not over 18 to 20%. Alfalfa hay is a good roughage to feed with the high protein feeds, furnishing bulk and the necessary vitamin A for drought rations, the agent concluded.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many Ozonans who were so kind and helpful on the occasion of the death of our uncle, Ed Dodson. We deeply appreciate your expressions of sympathy and the many kind and thoughtful things so many of you did.
Mrs. Lilly Phelps
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