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## Here and There

By J. Troy Hickman

### AS MUCH AS YE HAVE DONE

IT

The week of December 5 through 11 will be observed this year as Ozona County Welfare Council Week. In less than a year of life, the Council has helped a number of people over rough places. It has eliminated much overlapping and duplication of effort which used to occur when churches, groups, and individuals tackled the relief problem individually. Each case of need was granted after due inquiry and authorized persons into the circumstances. There has been no overhead or waste. The Council's dollars have each done a dollar's worth of good.

Welfare Week is to help acquaint you with the Council's work. Although Ozona people have provided ample funds for all calls made on the Council's fund, and have usually had a modest but adequate balance on hand, we want the Council to be a community-wide project. Several churches and civic groups hold memberships already, and quite a number of individuals.

An individual becomes a member by contributing \$5 or more in any year, and a group gets group membership by giving \$25 or more in any year. A number of persons have made dollar-a-month pledges, payable through the local bank. Such pledges, of course, carry a membership for the giver.

We should like to have as many possible of these dollar-a-month pledges, because that supplies a steady income, and is scarcely missed by the giver. A card for this purpose may be had anytime at the bank or the sheriff's office.

In a town like Ozona, where most of us have enough, it is hard to realize that there are a few who have so little. "Half the world never knows how the other half lives." And as cold weather sets in, people who have failed somehow to care for their own interests may suffer if someone does not help a little. The Council takes on no regular support obligations, but stands ready to help in emergencies. Some who have been helped are local people, some were transients. But all of them were people.

Christmas will soon be here. Why not make a Christmas present to the Council? Leave your check or pledge card (calling for the \$1 a month to be credited to the Council's fund from your account) at the Stockman office, the bank, or the sheriff's office. Think of it as a Christmas present to the poor.

Does everyone who gets help from the Council deserve help? That might be a matter of opinion. We do everything possible to meet each case and safeguard our funds. But if we waited until a perfectly deserving individual came along before giving aid, we might wait a long time. Need, as well as worthiness, counts.

## J. H. Williams, 78, Laid To Rest In Services Here

### Former Ozona Merchant Died Friday In San Angelo

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the First Baptist Church here for J. H. Williams, 78, former Ozona merchant, who died at 12:10 a. m. Friday in a San Angelo hospital.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Clyde Childers, pastor of Riverside Baptist Church in San Antonio, former pastor of the Ozona church. Burial followed in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Pallbearers were William Harris, Clyde Biggs and W. M. Riley, all of San Angelo, and Lowell Littleton, Roy Thompson and Ira Carson of Ozona.

Mr. Williams was born April 9, 1876. He operated a grocery store in Ozona for 14 years prior to his retirement in 1944. He moved to 1830 North Street in San Angelo in 1947 and resided there at the time of his death. The store which Mr. Williams established in Ozona is still operated by a son, Ben Williams.

Mr. Williams came to West Texas in 1918 from Gary, Texas, where he owned and operated a sawmill for a number of years in partnership with a brother, T. W. Williams of Gary.

Surviving are the widow; three sons, Ben and Troy Williams, both of Ozona, and the Rev. John Calvin Williams of Fort Worth; one daughter, Mrs. A. J. Tawater of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Olive Knight of Woods and Miss Nannie Williams of Gary; three brothers, T. W. Dudley and Tommy Williams, all of Gary, and eight grandchildren.

## Kidd Schedules Four Projects In Pure-Bean Field

### Dallas Operator To Drill On 320-Acre Lease In Area

Barron Kidd, Dallas, has filed application to drill four stepsouts to production in the Pure-Bean field of Crockett County, 9 1/2 miles northwest of Ozona.

The projects will be drilled with cable tools to 1,500 feet with operations beginning immediately. They are on a 320-acre lease in section 82, block OP, GC&SF survey.

The No. 5 Pure-Vaughan, 1/4-mile north, is 1,660 feet from the south and 330 feet from the west lines; No. 6, 3/4-mile north-northeast, is 2,300 feet from the south and 990 feet from the west lines; No. 7, 3/4-mile northeast, 1,660 feet from the south and west lines; and No. 8, 1/4-mile northeast, is 2,300 feet from the south and 2,480 feet from the west lines.

## Tent To Be Erected For TV Viewers Of SMU-N. D. Game

In order that as many fans as possible may be able to view the telecast of the Southern Methodist University-Notre Dame football game, to be played in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas next Saturday afternoon, a tent is to be erected beneath the TV tower on Tandy hill and a television set tuned to bring the game, barring extremely bad weather.

Through the courtesy of Ken Cody of Cody Funeral Home, the firm's tent has been made available for use on the occasion. Two TV sets will be in operation, one in the trailer house and one in the tent and anybody interested in seeing the game is invited to be on hand. The telecast, brought by Humble Oil & Refining Co., will start at 1:55 p. m.

Meanwhile, Ozonans are invited to view television at the trailer house during the current tests at anytime stations are on the air.



Rev. Troy Dale

## Rev. Troy Dale Is New Pastor of Baptist Church

### Former Pastor at Lubbock Holds First Service Sunday

Rev. Troy Dale, for the past two years pastor of the Flint Avenue Baptist Church at Lubbock, has arrived with his family in Ozona to become pastor of the First Baptist Church here. He succeeds the Rev. Blake Woolbright who recently resigned to accept the pastorate of the First Baptist Church at Panhandle, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. Dale have three children, two daughters and a son. They are living in the parsonage. Rev. Dale held mid-week services Wednesday night but will preach his first sermon to the local congregation at the Sunday morning service beginning at 11 o'clock. All members and friends of the church are urged to be present to greet the new pastor.

Before going to the Lubbock church, Rev. Dale was pastor of the First Baptist Church at O'Donnell and prior to that assignment was associate pastor of the First Baptist Church, Lamesa, Texas.

Before going into the ministry, Rev. Dale was business manager of Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

## Santa Claus To Pay Annual Pre-Christmas Visit To Ozona Dec. 22

It's official, kids. Santa Claus is coming to Ozona on December 22 for his annual pre-Christmas visit — to pass out a few goodies, chat with the youngsters and maybe take some orders for his sure visit on Christmas eve night.

Santa has notified the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department and the Ozona Lions Club that he will land his private plane shortly before 2 o'clock the afternoon of Dec. 22 and will be on the downtown street, aboard the big red fire engine, for a cruise around the square. The Lions Club has arranged to have a supply of candy on hand for Santa to pass out to the kids and the firemen will man the big fire engine to help out in seeing that the kids don't get under its wheels and to help Santa get around to all of them.

## Dance Sat. Night To Raise Funds To Buy Glasses For Children

Ozona Volunteer Fire Department band will play for a dance at the South Elementary school auditorium Saturday night under sponsorship of the Ozona Rotary Club for the benefit of a fund to buy glasses for needy children in the Latin-American community.

The dance will start at 8 o'clock and last until 11. Admission will be \$1.50 per couple and \$1 for stags. Spectator prices will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

Recent eye examinations in the South Elementary school revealed a number of children in need of glasses. Parents of some of these children are not financially able to provide them with needed glasses and the Rotary Club has assumed the obligation of providing the necessary funds.

## Duke Ellis, Former Ozonan, Buried Thursday

### Groceryman At Sonora Died Of Heart Attack Wednesday

M. K. (Duke) Ellis, 43, former Ozona groceryman and for the past ten months in the grocery business in Sonora, died suddenly of a heart attack in the Sonora hospital shortly after midnight Wednesday morning.

Mr. Ellis became ill around 11 p. m. and was rushed to the hospital where he died within a short time. He had been in apparent good health before his last illness.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Ozona Methodist Church at 4 o'clock afternoon, the Rev. J. Troy Hickman, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Cedar Hill Cemetery, with Ratliff Funeral Home of Sonora in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers will be Son Allison of Sonora, Bill Seahorn, Clay Adams, Ralph Jones, Jack Williams, Jess Marley, Kirby Moore, Jake Young and P. C. Perner.

Mr. Ellis was born in Stuart, Okla., June 12, 1911, the son of A. V. Ellis and the late Mrs. Ellis. He came to Ozona in 1948 to enter the grocery business, buying out the Baker Food Store. He sold the business in 1952 to the present owner, James Nettleton and ranched for a time in Oklahoma before returning to Sonora to buy a grocery business there.

Surviving are the widow; two children, Havala Kay, and Michael Duke, 10; his father, A. V. Ellis of Cherokee, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. George Patterson of Ashland, Texas; two brothers, E. B. Ellis of Tulsa, Okla., and a grandfather, Vance Ellis, 92, of Austin, Texas.

## Television System Begins Survey To Sign Up Subscribers

A survey is to be begun at once by the Ozona Television System promoters to determine if a sufficient number of Ozonans are interested in television for their homes to justify installation of the community antenna system for which tests are now under way at the 460 foot tower on Tandy hill.

If a minimum number of prospective subscribers will sign up for the service within the next few days, orders for the necessary materials will be placed and contracts negotiated for the construction work, thus speeding up as much as possible the actual start of television reception in Ozona homes.

Reception from station KTXL-TV, San Angelo, has been perfect since the start of tests.

Some interference is being encountered in reception from Midland and from stations in San Antonio. Other tests are to be made when the final decision is made, two other stations besides San Angelo will be on the system for whatever reception is available in broadcast hours.

Those who wish to subscribe for the service may do so at the Ozona Boot & Saddlery or the Stockman office or from any member of the project backers, Sherman Taylor, W. E. Friend, Jr., Bill Cooper, Oscar Kost or Evart White.

## Faculty Game To Replace Del Rio In Local Gym Fri. Night

Del Rio High School, scheduled to play Ozona Lions in basketball on the Davidson gym court here Friday night, has cancelled the game because the school's football team is engaged in championship play.

But the Lions will get a game just the same with the faculty men's team as the opponents. As a curtain raiser, starting at 7 p. m. the freshmen will play the sophomores, the faculty-Lions game to follow.

## Ozona Shades Big Lake 43-42 In First Game Of Cage Season

With just three seconds still on the clock, Bobby Martinez sank a free shot to give the Ozona Lions a squeak victory over the Reagan County Owls from Big Lake Tuesday night in Davidson gym here in the opening game of the 1954-55 basketball season. The final score was Ozona 43, Big Lake 42.

Big Lake had led most of the way, holding a 15-9 first period lead and a 24-19 margin at the half. Ozona took over in the third, led 33-31 going into the final period.

It was nip-and-tuck in the final eight minutes and was tied 42-42 when Martinez toed the line for the one-pointer.

Ronnie McMullan led the Lions with 12 points, followed by Johnny Ramirez with 11. Bill Loftin led Big Lake with 13 points, Boze Wartgrove next with 10.

Big Lake won the B game, 43-24, as Jerry Sessoms scored the nets with 22 points. Bob Gravell led Ozona with 10.

Ozona — Ramirez 2-7-11; Russell 1-2-4; B. Martinez 1-5-7; Jones 1-3-5; S. Martinez 2-0-4; McMullan 5-2-12. Totals 12-19-43.

Big Lake — Seals 1-0-2; Stout 2-1-5; Reese 0-0-0; Jacobs 0-1-1; Loftin 6-1-13; McCrackan 0-1-1; Hartgrove 3-4-10; Johnson 4-2-10. Totals 16-10-42.

## Welfare Council Week To Stress Need of Support

### Systematized Giving Eliminate Duplicated Effort

The week beginning December 5-11 has been designated Crockett County Welfare Council Week in Ozona and plans for its observance were laid at a meeting of the steering committee headed by Dick Henderson as chairman Wednesday afternoon.

The week was designated for the purpose of acquainting the people with the work which has been accomplished in the first year of operation of the centralized emergency relief agency and to seek continued and increased support of the plan.

Creation of the Council has channeled to one agency all calls for emergency help both for local citizens and transients, calls which formerly were made on Red Cross, on the Sheriff's Department, the churches, business houses and individuals, and sometimes on several of these sources in one operation.

To have an agency with an organization set up for thorough investigation of each case of need, a central fund where all such needs for a year may be met with one cash gift, and to provide a place where all such calls may be sent was the factors which brought about organization of the Welfare Council. In its first year, it has served well and has had adequate support so far.

The coming of winter always increases the number of emergency calls and for that reason the Council Week designation was set at this time as a means of again drawing attention to the Council organization, its plan and to draw new support and renewed support from previous givers.

The Council is a member-run organization, with periodic meetings to which all members are invited. Membership in the Council may be secured with a gift of \$5 or more from an individual or organization representation by a gift of \$25 or more.

Particular stress in the new campaign for support is being laid on the dollar-a-month, or whatever amount, in the form of pledges, to be paid each month by drawing on the bank. This method of support for the Council, it was pointed out at the committee meeting, gives the fund a continuing source of support and definitely outlines the limits of its operation from month to month.

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## Vote On School Bond Issue Set For December 7

### \$100,000 Issue To Provide Cafeteria And New Classrooms

Qualified voters in Crockett Consolidated Common School District No. 1, which embraces the whole of Crockett county, will be called upon to decide at an election on Tuesday, December 7, the question of issuing \$100,000 in bonds for the purpose of "constructing, repairing and equipping public free school buildings in the district."

The election was set for Dec. 7 in an election call issued by County Judge Houston Smith in response to a petition bearing the signatures of 100 qualified voters living in the county, presented late last week.

The petition was circulated by members of the Ozona Parent-Teachers Association, which organization initiated the movement for construction of a cafeteria to serve the entire local school system and for needed additional classrooms at the North Elementary school.

Architect Wyatt C. Hedrick of Fort Worth has prepared plans for the cafeteria, which under present plans of the school board, is to be erected on school property just north of the Junior High School building. Food will be prepared and served in the cafeteria at noon on school days and meals will be taken in special containers to be served at the other schools too far distant for pupils to go to the cafeteria.

Under the planning, two additional classrooms are to be added to the North Elementary building to relieve present crowded conditions and to make room for the sixth grade classes which are to be moved from the Junior High building next fall to the North Elementary.

The proposed bond issue will finance these and such other building repairs and additions as are possible with available funds.

The \$100,000 bond will be issued serially in denominations of \$12,500, the first due in 1956 and one of the same denomination due each year through 1963, the total issue to be retired in eight years. The election order specifies that the bonds shall bear interest at a rate not to exceed 3 percent annually. However, most Crockett county bonds in late years have sold for a much lower interest rate, mostly under 2 percent.

The election will be held in all voting precincts in the county. The ballot will carry the words "For" and "Against the issuance of the bonds and for levying of the tax in payment thereof." The bond issue, if approved, however, will not necessitate a raise in taxes, the present rate of \$1.50 on the \$100 valuation being sufficient to retire the issue in the time specified.

## Ozona Students Win National I. A. Contest Awards

### David Sikes, Herman Carroll Win Ford Motor Co. Prizes

David Sikes and Herman Carroll, both students in the Ozona public schools, were presented place awards in the National Industrial Arts Contest sponsored by the Ford Motor Company. From more than 5,000 projects entered from all states and territories of the union, a panel of 30 educators chosen from American college faculties awarded a total of 712 prizes, of which 24 were won by Texas students.

The winning projects were displayed at the Chicago Museum of Science and Industry, and the two prize-winning entries from Ozona will be shown at the Ratliff Hardware Company in Ozona.

Sikes, a seventh-grade student (Continued on Last Page)

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THURSDAY, DEC. 2, 1954

**BURDEN OF PROOF**

In one of her recent columns, Dorothy Thompson dealt with the question of government in business, using agitation for federal electric power production as a concrete illustration. At the end she had something important to say about what happens under state capitalism — a term she prefers to the more commonly used one of socialism.

"The most perfect example is the Soviet Union," she wrote. "Why do the people of Russia continue to pay taxes when the state which owns everything and employs everybody has all the profits that once went to private persons? Can't they support the state apparatus out of these? No, they cannot. And the reason they cannot lies in the nature of the state as such, which is first and last the police power and is absolutely insatiable.

"Nothing the state gets from society is ever returned. At what point, then, should its aggrandizements be halted? I say they should be halted whenever private persons can accomplish the same things even approximately as well. The burden of proof should always be on the state."

This principle should be made the test of whether or not to put government into the power business or any other form of business. There can be no excuse whatever for having the government do what the people can do for themselves. Most important of all, limitation of government is the first essential step in maintaining any nation's freedoms.

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Any person interested in the sub-division of Lots 38 and 39, in Block X, in the town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas, as same appears in a plat filed on said lots by S. S. Millsbaugh, Jr., in Volume 12, Page 251 of the Deed Records of Crockett County, Texas, is hereby commanded to appear before this court at its regular term on Monday, Dec. 13th, 1954, at 10 A. M. at Court House in Ozona, Crockett County, Texas, to protest, if they so desire, the application of Dorothy Millsbaugh to cancel said sub-division and throw such land back into acreage as it was before such sub-division was made. Said application of Dorothy Millsbaugh was filed with this court on Monday, November 8th, 1954.

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that the Sheriff of Crockett County, Texas, publish this notice in some newspaper, published in the English language in Crockett County, Texas, for at least three weeks prior to action hereon by this court, and that he made due returns thereof to this court.

Witness the name and seal of the Commissioner's Court of Crockett County, Texas, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1954.

**THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS**  
By: Houston S. Smith, County Judge.

Ralph Jones, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

W. T. Miller, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

B. B. Ingham, Jr., Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

James R. Childress, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

**GAME PARTY POSTPONED**

The annual game party, sponsored by the Ozona Woman's Forum, and originally scheduled for tonight, has been indefinitely postponed. It was announced this morning. The party, for the benefit of the Welfare Council and polio drives, will probably be reset for sometime after Christmas.

ORDER your Christmas FRUIT CAKE from the Ozona Band Boosters. Manor Texas Fruit Cakes are the finest you ever tasted and they are very reasonable. Profits from the sale go to the Band Boosters fund for the benefit of the Ozona High School band. Call Mrs. W. P. Conklin, Mrs. Jake Young or Mrs. Brock Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. (Gib) Armentrout and son, Jim spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Ozona visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allie Armentrout, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Cunningham. Mr. and Mrs. Armentrout live in Fort Stockton where he is employed with the Superior Oil Co. seismograph crew.

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**CALENDAR School & Community Events**

- Dec. 5-11 — Welfare Council Week.
- Dec. 6 — Crockett Co. Historical Society - 7:30 p. m. High school Auditorium
- Dec. 7 — Countywide Election on \$100,000 School Bond Issue.
- Dec. 9 — Basketball Faculty vs Lions
- Dec. 17 — Basketball. Del Rio A & B teams Here
- Dec. 20 — P. F. A. Christmas program. High School Auditorium.
- Jan. 4 — Crockett Co. Historical Society - 7:30 p. m. High School Auditorium.
- Jan. 15 — 8th Annual 4-H Club Livestock Show
- Feb. 5 — S. A. Community Theatre play, "January Thaw," sponsored by E. S. A.
- Apr. 23 — S. A. Community Theatre play, "I Remember Mama," sponsored by E. S. A.

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**INJURED IN WRECK**

Mrs. Johnnie Henderson is under treatment in the Crockett County hospital for injuries suffered when her car went out of control and overturned on the Pandale road near her ranch late Monday. Mrs. Henderson was accompanied by her grandson, Michael Henderson, who escaped with only minor injuries.

Mrs. Henderson was cut and bruised but her injuries are not serious. She and the child suffered from exposure during a two-hour wait before a passerby brought them to Ozona.



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**HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEET**

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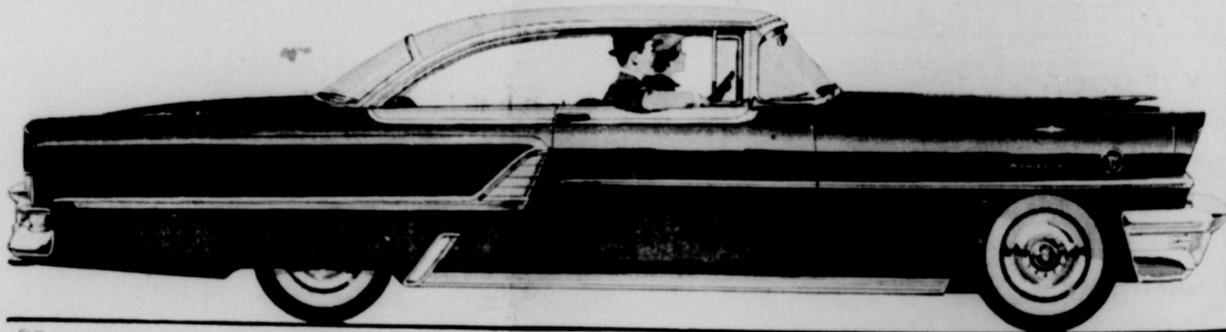
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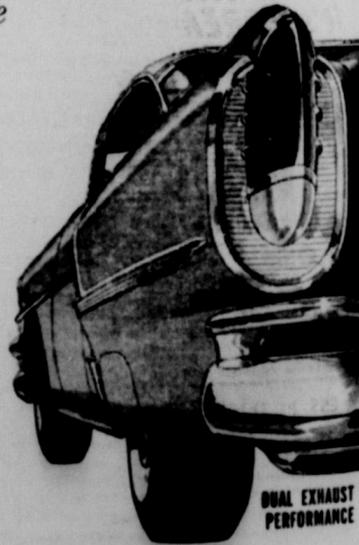
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**Shell Schedules  
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Shell Oil Co. has filed application to drill its No. 23 Chambers County School Land one location north-northwest of production in the Midway Lane 1300 field of Crockett County.

The project will be drilled with cable tools to 1,400 feet, with operations beginning immediately. Estimated elevation is 2,643 feet.

Location, on a 1,120.5-acre lease is 2,310 feet from the south and 990 feet from the east lines of the north west quarter of 4-Chambers csl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett had as Thanksgiving guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.

Hiram Brown and children, Susan, III and Steen, from Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Posey of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nelson of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ross of Floydada. Other visitors in the Baggett home earlier in the week were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pace and children, Sue and Baggett, of Austin who returned home before Thanksgiving.

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## LIONS ROAR

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### Social Events

The holidays were enjoyed by everyone — not only because of "No School", but because of the parties, dances, and other activities that went on.

Dates for the play Monday and Tuesday, the show for Wednesday, and then Thanksgiving day there was hunting and just plain ole "sleepin'". Thursday night we all went over to McMullan Game room and danced, played pool and ate venison. All the college kids had arrived by this time, and it seemed like Sandra and Minnie had a pretty tough time talking about ole college life — But everyone had a swell time and "thanks" Ronnie for such a nice get-together.

Friday everyone was recuperating from turkey and ect. but that night, everyone was at it again. Dates for the show were seen, and others in the M&M.

Saturday "hunting" was the highlight — Seen with guns were Mike, Hugh, Sonny, Jody, Charlie, Benny, Ronnie, Charles and others. Saturday night, Angelo was taken over by some of the kids, but most of them just patronized Robert Cox.

Sunday, the last day of holidays, wasn't very lively, so dates for the show, and then home to "Sack", for another week of school.

Home for the holidays were: Larry Lewis, Jimmie McMullan, Shirley Kost, Vivian Trotter, Scot Hickman, Ben Conklin, Kenneth Parker, Joe Bailey, Norris Pozue, Bobby Womack, Tom Piner, Bill Schneemann. Other visitors were: Wayne Kuykendall, Rosie Walley, Betty Walley, and Lamar Parker. Martha Bailey

### ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Wednesday in assembly we were presented with a talk from Rev. Hickman of the First Methodist Church here in Ozona. His talk was on "A Happy Life". He had some very fine points in his talk. He compared life to a cafeteria because everything you get out of life you will pay for in one way or another. We certainly enjoyed the talk. We hope to see you here again. Thank you Mr. Hickman.

## Fads and Fashions

By Ann Ratliff

The holidays brought dressy skirts and sweaters, worn with carefully selected accessories. All beads were chosen by Shirley Kost and Vivian Trotter, who wrapped and knotted them. Scarves were quite popular, as usual, and of course, earrings. Almost everyone wore the fullest skirt they could find, over millions of petticoats. The shoes are always flat shells, the belts are any shape or color it all makes a very appealing picture. Now at school we see some more nice sights as Carol Friend in a pink wool straight skirt, with a white blouse covered with tiny rose flowers; Joyce Henderson in a sweater set, a white turtle necked pullover covered with a red jerkin; Elizabeth Pearson in a white skirt, worn with a bright, bright red jersey; and Sarah Hicks in a silky looking, off white, quilted skirt.

### FACTS ABOUT FIGURES

Cecilia Cooke

This week we are featuring a girl from the Sophomore class. She moved here from Cisco, Texas, and has been with us now for a year. One of her best features is the winning smile she always has for everyone. In her Freshman year she was runner up for class favorite and played an important part in the band. For the boys information she is "foot loose and fancy free" after going steady for a year. The year the 4-H Club chose a sweetheart and she was chosen. She is an officer of the class and again this year she is in the band. Here are a few of her favorites:

- Color — red
- Food — Mexican food
- Subject — Home Ec.
- Book — The Black Rose
- Movie — Magnificent Obsession
- Teacher — Miss Moore
- Sport — Basketball
- Holiday — Christmas
- Town — Ozona
- State — Texas

Her description is as follows: heights — 5' 2 1/2"; weight — 98, color of hair — blonde and eyes — Blue.

The sophomore class feels that she is important to the class and we all hope she stays with us until we finish.

Dear Vivian,

The play as a big success or all the seniors thought so. It also promoted quite a few dates. Some of the ones we saw were Becky Davidson-Dwight O., Rosie-Jody Wanda - Ronnie, Martha - Sonny, Jan - Freddie, Gwenelle - Mark, Nellie - Jackie, Beverly K. - Erbie, Alma - Clayton, Sussie - Kent, Cecilia - Jerry, Sandra - Mike, Ann - Hugh, Barbara - Johnny S., Carolyn - Johnny B., and Pattie and Charles.

It sure was great to see all the ex's home over the holidays. By Wednesday night and early Thursday morning most of them were home.

On Wednesday night Ann - Jimmie and Betty - Tom were familiar sights around the town.

Thursday night there was a get together dance at McMullans' Martha - Don T., Rosie - Larry, Betty-Tom, Ann - Jimmie, Shirley - Scott, Sandra - Graham, Vivian - Ronnie. The stag were Benny, Mike, Jody, Wayne, Jater, Lamar Parker, and Leslie Mc.

Saturday night a large percentage of the population went to Angelo to have a "ball". Shirley-Graham, Vivian - Ronnie, Ann - Jimmie, Ann Way, from Big Lake and T. C. U., - Bill Schneemann, Mary Jess, from Midland and T. C. U., - Charles G., and last but not least Buddy Gibbs.

Saturday night dates here in town were Rosie - Jody, Martha-Wayne K., and Barbara - Johnny S.

Thursday, all day, Ann-Jimmie, Vivian - Ronnie, Sandra - Lamar Parker, from San Antonio, went hunting. But it seems that all they did was hunt for something to shoot.

Friday night Johnny S. and Johnny B. took Barbara and Carol out to Robbers Roost. They got there about 9:00 and had to wake the whole camp.

Sunday things calmed down and most of the ex's left. They were all pretty glad to be going back. I guess this place was a little dull after all those wonderful colleges.

I guess you heard about John S. ? He's resting up from his holidays in the hospital. He acts like he's in a big hurry to get out but I really think that he likes all this attention.

Sunday night Wanda - Sonny and Jan - Freddie were at the show. Wanda and Sonny took care of Carolyn Rae till Johnny B. got out

of church.

Susie is sure fussing about having to buy a ticket for the first basketball game from Kent. But she said she guesses it was necessary if there was going to be a Christmas dance.

Well we'll probably be seeing you some time soon.  
Barbara and Sandra

### BAND NEWS

Darlyne Alford

The band completed their football season in Sonora doing the "Goodnight Ladies" show.

For the past two weeks the band has been getting ready for contest. They have been working very hard because everyone wants Sweepstakes and they must have three first places for this award.

Saturday, December 4, the band travels to Abilene to try for a first place in marching.

Lets wish them luck because they will really be trying.

Bye now — by next week the results will be known.

### FRESHMEN NEWS

Genelle Childress

Well a lot of turkey has passed over the table since we last let you know about the Freshman Class. Everyone that came to our dance on the 22nd, I'm sure agrees that it was the best "turkey trot" of the season. With everyone (girls especially) strutting around in their new dresses.

Report cards brought satisfaction to most everyone, but a few groans were heard!

Everyone has his eye on two dates on the calendar ahead. The day we get out for the Christmas Holidays and December 25th. If you look I'm sure you'll see fine freshmen studiously going about their work with visions of sugar plums, dancing through their heads.

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## Sheriff's Posse Names Officers; Take Over Palmetto Polo

Crockett County Sheriff's Posse members elected new officers and voted to take over sponsorship of the Ozona Palmetto Polo Club at its annual meeting Monday night at the courthouse.

Named president was Frankie Jones; Captain, P. C. Perner; Lieutenant, Bob Bailey; Corral Boss, Cleophas Cooke, and Secretary, Oscar Kost. Several new members were added to the Posse rolls.

Ozona's newest in horseback sport, Palmetto Polo, will be sponsored by the Posse and the group voted to make necessary repairs and additions to the polo field, the former Little League park.

### GAS AT THE WELLHEAD

Since last June, as a result of a Supreme Court decision, the Federal Power Commission has been controlling, at the wellhead, the

price of natural gas which goes into interstate commerce.

Continuance of that control, an authority recently said, will result in a breakdown of state conservation laws. And the reason is that "in the case of a conflict between a state and federal authority, the state authority will be stricken down."

That result is as inevitable as death and taxes. Federal power, once exercised, inevitably tends to grow. Neither local government nor private enterprise can hope to maintain either its authority or its freedom of action.

In the case of natural gas, there is absolutely no question of monopoly so far as well-head sale is concerned. At the consumer end, charges are already regulated by the public service commissions. If the important natural gas industry is to continue to develop in an orderly and efficient manner, there must be Congressional action to exempt producers from destructive and needless federal regulation.

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The ceremony in the hall following the ceremony, Mrs. George of Tulsa and Mrs. P. T. of Ozona served at the reception. About fifty guests were present.

The out-of-town guests included Mrs. George Cribbett, Mr. and Mrs. Howard of Abilene and Mrs. W. of Fort Stockton.

Gardner is a daughter of Mrs. O. L. Simms of Ozona. She will make their home in Ozona, at 16 S. Gillette

### N. D. Game Broadcast on Radio Saturday

The Notre Dame game in Dallas will be telecast and broadcast on radio by Humble Oil & Gas Company and may be heard in this area over KTXL-TV, Channel 12. The telecast will be broadcast by Tom Harmon, Jack Bill Stern beginning at 7:30 p. m.

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There was silence. "Sis," standing in back, got the point. She reached into her purse for just about all the money she had in the world. "I'll bid \$75," she said.

"Sold," bellowed Buck and "Sis" had her home back.

From where I sit, Buck Stone used a helping hand instead of a gavel. It was real neighborliness. You know, even in something as small as respecting another's choice of beverage, a person can be neighborly. You might like buttermilk. I'm "sold" on a temperate glass of beer. And I can't "buy" anyone's telling me I'm wrong.

Joe Marsh

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### Terry Lee Doll, With \$100 Wardrobe, Given Away Dec. 20

A beautiful Terry Lee doll, whose wardrobe is valued at \$100, is now on display at the Ratliff Store in Ozona.

The doll was dressed by members of the Ozona Woman's Forum. The doll is to be given away December 20 in the high school auditorium during the presentation of Miss Farmer's Christmas operetta. Proceeds from the venture will go toward financing the Forum's Christmas for West Texas Boy's Ranch.

The family of Lt. Col. Henry H. Carden spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Ozona in the home of Mrs. Carden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watson. Col. Carden recently returned from a tour of duty with the Army in Korea. The

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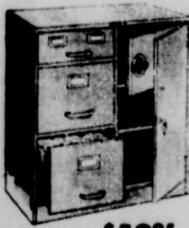
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### HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From State Capitol

By Vern Sanford  
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Texas — U. S. Senator Price Daniel may be a Democratic candidate for Governor of Texas in 1956.

The junior senator, with still four years to serve, said he might consider the move under certain conditions.

He had been mentioned as a possible successor to Governor Allan Shivers by Texas Democrats wishing to continue the conservative brand of government.

Daniel stated that he knew nothing about any organized movement on his behalf towards the governorship.

However, he set the wheels of speculation rolling by adding:

"There could be some circumstances under which I would consider the matter — if a majority of those who helped elect me feel I can do the state more service by running for governor."

Daniel also said that he had rather live in Texas and send his children to Texas schools.

However, he stressed that he was enjoying his work and was not seeking a change.

If he resigns to enter the 1956 race, his Senate successor would be appointed by the governor.

#### GOP Plans

Losing the Republican race for governor in Texas hasn't dampened G O P attempts to gain strength.

Party members hailed both losing candidate Tod R. Adams and

victorious congressman Bruce Alger at their state committee meeting in Austin.

They said they would pick out a candidate for governor in the near future and there would be a "real attempt" towards taking the 1956 election.

Adams and Alger were praised for leading in an aggressive fight for Texas victories in the next national and state races.

#### Laughlin Back

C. Woodrow Laughlin is back in his old position as judge of the 79th District Court.

Ousted from the bench last March by the Supreme Court, he was elected again but still must face new disbarment proceedings by the State Bar Association in January.

Laughlin took the oath of office restoring him as judge and immediately hurried from Austin to South Texas.

#### Land Fraud Charges

State investigators arrested three men as probing continued into Veterans Land Program sales in South Texas.

Two Cuero notaries were charged with notarizing land titles without seeing sales participants sign their names.

A third man was released under bond but details of the charge were not made public.

Meanwhile the Senate Investigating Committee prepared for a December look into complaints that veterans found themselves owners of land without knowing of the sale or where the land was located.

Presently handling the investigation is the Attorney General's office, the state auditor's office, and the Department of Public Safety.

#### Liquor Board Rule

Investigating powers of the state Liquor Board include that of inspecting pertinent "records", state Attorney General John Ben Shepherd ruled.

Shepherd said the board could command production of personal records and accounts of officers and stockholders of corporations holding a state liquor license or permit.

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### Miss Vivian Stratton, Former Ozonan, Plans Late Dec. Wedding

A former Ozona resident, Miss Vivian Earl Stratton, and Lt. Joseph Frederick Schuster are making plans for a late December wedding.

News of the couple's engagement and approaching marriage has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Earl Stratton who now live in San Benito. The bridegroom-to-be is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schuster of Pilot Grove, Mo.

The ceremony will take place Dec. 21, at Sewart AFB in Nashville, Tenn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lewis and two children from Plainview were Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mrs. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hannah of Ozona.

### Ozonan Represents San Antonio Show

T. A. Kincaid, Jr. of Ozona has been appointed an official ambassador to the San Antonio Livestock Exposition, according to an announcement received today from E. W. Bickett, stock show president.

Kincaid was selected for the important post to represent the San Antonio show in this area. As an official of the show he will be informed on all developments of the Feb. 18-27 livestock exposition and worlds championship rodeo.

#### ALL GOT A DEER

Thanksgiving week-end guests on the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Ted M. White were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Rippetoe, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thomas and children, Sheryl and Debbie, all of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Will and son, Paul, of Donna, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bowers and son, Don, of Del Rio. All went away happy, each with a deer, the Whites report.

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Wilburn Conklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Conklin of Ozona, has enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps

in San Antonio and has been shipped to the west coast for training.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cunningham and children, Bobby, Richard and Sandra, spent Thanksgiving in court attending a family reunion in the T. H. Jones home. There were 34 relatives and friends sent for the gathering, including Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Story from San Angelo, son-in-law daughter of the Cunningham

### An Expression of Thanks

Before we could scarcely realize or comprehend it, the hour of tragedy and loss was upon us as a family. We are still too stunned to fully comprehend and we know that the months ahead will be filled with a sad and deepening realization of the great extent of our loss, and our need of Eve.

At this time we would like to express in a few simple and inadequate words the deep gratitude we feel to the loving friends and neighbors in Ozona who were so spontaneous in their sympathy and unselfish helpfulness. It gave us much solace to know that so many cared, and shared with us our feeling of shock and grief. We want to give special thanks to the women who helped with the children and to the various church and service organization groups who came in and served and fed us, as well as to the many other kind women of Ozona who showered us with a bounty of good food, and all the friends who came in to help and console. We are especially indebted also to the friends in her sorority who remained at Eve's side until the time of her funeral.

All we can say is thank you from the bottom of our hearts for the comfort you brought to us when we needed it most.

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Only small differences were noted in weight gains and mohair production when goats were pastured with cattle and sheep.

These are the findings of a series of combination grazing studies commenced in 1949 and recently concluded. The studies are reported by Leo B. Merrill, range management specialist at the station and Dr. Vernon A. Young, head of the department of range and forestry of the Texas A. & M. College System.

Tests were made in 12 80-acre native grass pastures with the following stocking rates: heavy 48, moderate 32 and light 16 animal units per section of land. Six sheep or six goats or one cow makes a single animal unit.

Cattle made "significant" gains both per acre and per head during the five year test when grazed in combination with sheep and goats, regardless of stocking rate.

Under heavy grazing, average weight gain for each cow was 40 pounds, or a gain of 12.9 pounds per acre for cattle grazing alone, 14.6 pounds for cattle and goats together and 15.9 pounds for a combination of all three. Moderate and light grazing exhibited similar

comparisons in the gain of cattle. Average gain of the three stocking rates was 62.4 pounds for cattle in combination over those grazing alone. Sheep gave about the same results as cattle. When stocking rates for all years were averaged, sheep had a weight increase of 9.1 pounds per acre in combination and 6.2 pounds when grazed alone, or an advantage of 2.9 pounds per animal.

A trend which favored the stocking of goats in combination was not established.

Complete results of the studies are given in Progress Report 1726. Copies are available from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Jones and children spent the Thanksgiving holiday week-end in Houston where they visited Mr. Jones' parents.

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### Ozona Students — (Continued From Page One)

in woodworking, won his award for a handsome domino set. Carroll, a junior, placed in the contest with a table lamp made of hardwood. Awards were presented by C. O. Spencer, Ozona Ford dealer.

In charge of Industrial Arts courses for the second year at Ozona is R. K. Wimberley, M. A. graduate of Southwest Texas State College, who has also done special work at the University of Colorado.

Approximately 100 students in the Ozona school system are enrolled in the I. A. program in industrial drawing, woodworking, and basic electricity. The new I. A. Building, completed in 1952 at a cost of \$60,000, has been recently equipped with a power exhaust system serving all power machines, a new power circular saw, belt-type power sander, and an open-type tool panel. Wimberley hopes to offer a new course in elementary metal-working next year.

"We aim," he says, "to develop a program here broad enough to meet the needs and interests of all our students."

### Welfare Council — (Continued from page one)

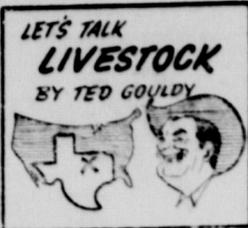
Letters reporting on the Council's work during the past year and making an appeal for continued support are to be in the mails soon. With the letters will be a card which the receiver may sign authorizing a monthly contribution through the bank or a lump sum immediate donation. Continued support of the Council is the most workable solution of the local charity problem is urged.

### CROCKETT HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted: Mrs. Charles Schneider, Mrs. John W. Henderson, Sheila Rhodes, Mrs. J. W. Matthews, Mrs. O. L. Sims, Lynn Merritt, John Sowders, Creig Williams, Victor Fierro, Mrs. Lupe Fierro.

Patients dismissed: Mrs. O. S. Willis, Mrs. George Harrell, Creig Williams, John Sowders, Sheila Rhodes, Victor Fierro, Mrs. Lupe Fierro.

Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Fierro have a new baby girl born November 27.



Fort Worth — The suspicion is growing stronger among observers at the livestock market at Fort Worth that beef cattle on feed in the Southwest are well in excess of the numbers indicated by earlier estimates.

In recent weeks word here is that many mills processing cottonseed are refusing to contract cottonseed hulls for future delivery

because of the current strong demand. They fear to contract for future delivery since they have been unable to pile up any reserves and are selling them as fast as they are made.

It is reported that at many mills trucks stand in line for half a day waiting to get a load.

Experienced buyers and salesmen at Fort Worth say, "Those hulls are going into livestock somewhere. Every time we have had this situation of fast disappearing cottonseed hulls it has developed that more cattle were being fattened than anyone suspected."

It is pointed out that no doubt many mother cows are being wintered with some hulls as roughage — but this does not dispel the theory of the old Timers. They expect more fat cattle in the first quarter of next year than earlier guesses indicated.

There was the usual difference of opinion between salesmen and buyers at Fort Worth Monday, but when it was all over most cattle and calves sold at fully steady to stronger prices. Mature fat steers, cows and high grade calves were measurably higher. Few high grade stockers were on hand and order indicated the supply of high quality stockers was far short of their needs.

Numerous loads of mature steers sold from \$21 to \$24, a few better cattle of \$24.50. Fat cows drew \$8.50 to \$11, some young cows of high yielding potential to \$12. Cannons and cutters drew \$5 to \$8.50, bulls cashed at \$8 to \$12.

Both woolled and shorn lambs topped at \$18 to \$19 at Fort Worth Monday. Shorn lambs at the higher figure carried Fall shorn (about inch-an-a-half to two-inch wool)

and some had No. 1 pelts and five-eighths to one inch of wool. Stocker and feeder lambs at \$12 to \$17, some mixed feeder fat lambs at \$17. Shorn lambs and stocker flesh are hard to come by. Slaughter ewes drew \$5 to \$7 and old bucks sold around \$15, and some aged wethers at \$7 to \$12, the latter for full wethers.

## How Advertising helps you

BY CHARLES B. ROTH

### Midst of Revolution

EVERY American school child, of course, knows the story of the American Revolution, knows how the staunch colonists overthrew the existing government, freed themselves from the shackles of political and religious slavery, and stood forth as free men. But it took violence and bloodshed. But don't all revolutions take violence and bloodshed?

Not any more they don't. Some of the most drastic revolutions are accompanied only by pleasantness and gains, such as the tremendous revolution in living.

This is the newest style in revolutions — and the force which is motivating it is advertising.

To be an eye witness of this great revolution take an observer's place, as one noted advertising man, Fairfax M. Cone, did at the checking stand of a modern super market.

Watch the people as they go by and check what they have in their baskets. They have all manner of wonderful things... wonderful things like ready-cut cellophane-wrapped meat... cake mix and oven-ready biscuits... frozen

chicken pies and pizza... fresh frozen vegetables... concentrated quick frozen vegetable and fruit juices.

But the folks who are enjoying these miracles are not the rich people. They are the everyday people of every American town.

If you follow them out to their cars, you will see them climb into sleek new shiny sedans, more beautiful and efficient than the rich men's cars of a few years ago. And they will drive to new ranch-type homes, in which you will find a TV set, a couple of radios, an electric refrigerator, a home freezer, automatic dishwasher, and washing machine.

We take these things for granted, but we shouldn't, for they did not "just happen." All were caused, all were caused in exactly the same way — by the miracle of advertising, which showed the way to the revolutionary way of life we Americans are living.

In every way a good force in our existence, advertising never served us better than in pointing the road to modern revolutionary living!

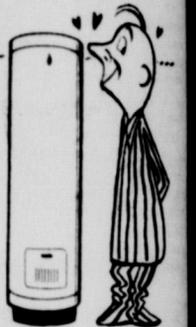


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Giant Post's 40% BRAN FLAKES 25c

NICE BIG FAT HENS lb 49c

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SPAM 49c

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KIM DOG FOOD 3 for 25c

AUSTEX CHILI 1 1/2 lb 49c

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### IN OUR MARKET

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