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SCS Engineers To Complete Survey Of Flood Project

Pair Here Today To Get Final Information For Report

Flood Prevention Survey engineers from the Soil Conservation Service will be in Ozona today and Friday to gather additional information on dam sites and fill material in preparation for their final report on the Johnson Draw watershed project.

This information was relayed to Scott, Work Unit Conservator with the Soil Conservation Service, stationed here, from A. Rechenbin, acting Area Conservator at San Angelo today.

The engineers, Clyde Graham and Norman Leach, will spend several days in Ozona and in the watershed area gathering the needed information to complete the Johnson Draw survey started some time ago following application by Ozona for SCS aid in developing a flood control project on the watershed above Ozona.

Hope was raised among local residents of the flood control project that the visit of the engineers this week will mean that the report on the survey will be complete in time for action by the Soil Conservation Board in approving or disapproving the project when it meets in regular session in Temple on May 12.

Application for SCS aid in developing a flood control plan in the Johnson Draw watershed was made some months ago by a consolidated local action, the County Commissioners Court, the Lions Club, the Rotary Club and a local flood control committee, signing an application on behalf of the community. Since that time surveys have been made by the SCS and all available information on the extent of flood damage from June, 1954, and other floods in the watershed and other pertinent information has been gathered to aid the state committee in determining the feasibility and advisability of the control project.

There are said to be a total of 15 applications for watershed control projects in Texas, 55 of them still pending. A recent statement issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture that affected communities would be required to pay a share of the cost of such projects in the proportion that the project will be of local benefit as against the total benefit.

Under this ruling, only those communities able to share their proportionate costs of the projects will receive aid. The State Board estimates that of the pending applications only five or six could be expected to meet their share of the cost, thus limiting the field of available action for those communities where share-cost possibilities exist. This ruling left local flood control committees facing the possibilities of a county-wide issue, in case of SCS approval of the Johnson project, as a means of assuming its ultimate development, with a goodly share of local Soil Conservation Service aid on the project.

Woody Resigns As Hospital Manager

Successor Named

A. A. Woody, manager of the Crockett County Hospital for the past three years, announced his resignation last week, to become effective May 31. Mr. Woody has not announced his plans for the future.

A successor has been named to the position. Supervision of the hospital operation, under the authority of the Commissioners Court is in the hands of a hospital board of citizens named by the court. The board will have the responsibility of choosing a successor for the hospital manager post. Commissioners and board members are scheduled to meet at the next board session to discuss the hospital problems.

By Good Deeds He Boosts 290 Route



DOING GOOD DEEDS IS part of J. Wray Campbell's everyday job as he travels U. S. 290 as one of its chief boosters. Campbell, secretary-treasurer of the Association, visited in Ozona this week in the interest of the Association. Assisting motorists who are in trouble is part of his job as he travels from Houston to El Paso promoting use of the highway. His car is equipped with spare gasoline, an air pump, a tow chain, a first aid kit and other items to aid stranded motorists.

Highway 290 Booster Organization Making Progress In Drive To Influence Tourists To Travel 'The Shortest, Best and Coolest Route'

An organization known as The Old Spanish Trail—U. S. 290 Association which had its birth only a few months ago in Sonora as a result of the zealous work of a small group of interested citizens of that town, has already made its influence felt from Lake Charles, La., to San Diego, Calif., and with a minimum of finances for its major accomplishments.

The chief "influence peddler" for the organization is J. Wray Campbell of Sonora, secretary-treasurer who spends about half of his time traveling up and down the length of Highway 290 from Houston to El Paso boosting 290 as the "Shortest, Best and Coolest Route" to the West Coast and stressing the fact that it is all paved and always open. Mr. Campbell has distributed thousands of copies of a folder describing spots of interest along the route, including pictures of principal towns and points of historic interest.

Mr. Campbell stopped off briefly in Ozona Wednesday to leave some of the Highway 290 literature, including pictures of the car in which he travels the route, offering information, boosting the route among "tourist" businessmen, and extending aid from his well equipped car to motorists in trouble along the way.

"We along the route of 290 have sat back and let other highway booster get the tourists and

CALENDAR Of School Activities

Thursday, April 28 — Style Show by Homemaking Department. High school auditorium.
Friday, April 29 — High School Band to contests in Abilene.
Monday, May 2 — Junior Play, 7:30 p. m. Auditorium.
Tuesday, May 3 — Junior Play, 7:30 p. m. Auditorium.
Wednesday, May 4 — Band Concert in downtown park, 6 p. m.
Thursday, May 5 to May 8 — Senior Trip to Galveston.
Tuesday, May 10 — Piano recital by pupils of Miss Cleona Quiett. High school auditorium.
Friday, May 13 — Piano recital by pupils of Miss Cleona Quiett. High school auditorium.
Saturday, May 14 — Dance recital by pupils of Mrs. Beecher Montgomery. High school auditorium.
Sunday, May 15 — Baccalaureate Service. High school auditorium, 11 o'clock a. m.
Thursday, May 19 — Junior High graduation, 8 p. m. High school auditorium.
Friday, May 20 — High School graduation, 8 p. m. Auditorium.

Ozona Foursome Wins In Pro-Am Tournament Here

80 Golfers In Play; Angelo Pro Fires Tourney Low

An Ozona foursome had the low total of 338 here Friday in the first area pro-am held by the West Texas Amateur Assn.

Beecher Montgomery, Bill Clegg, Bill Carson and Al Loudamy, teamed to fire the low score. Second was the foursome of Tommy Hutto of Big Spring, N. P. Underwood of Iraan, and Dorothy Montgomery and Charles Williams of Ozona.

Skeet Millican of San Angelo's Lakeside was low pro in the one-day tourney with a 73. C. A. Dewees of Big Spring was runner-up with a 74.

Roy Lockett of Midland was low amateur with a 71, followed by Red Ramsey of San Angelo with 72. Twenty foursomes were in the tourney.

Other scores: Roy Lockett, Midland; Marge McMullan, Ben Wilkinson, Colorado City; Jim Reed, (344).

Red Ramsey, San Angelo; Lefty Walker, Wanda Stuart, Jim Dudley, (357).

Walter Thompson, Midland; Pauline Montgomery, Pete Ainsworth, Colorado City, Byron Stuart, (358).

Red Qualls, McCamey, Pat Friend, John Fogarty, Dr. H. B. Tandy, (354).

John Childress, W. R. Leanhart, Iraan; Byron Williams, Jake Huling, San Angelo, (350).

A. S. Lock, Jane Black, A. L. Ohlberg, Joe Clayton, (381).
C. A. Dewees, Big Spring; Velma Marley, Boyd Clayton, Sherman Taylor, (360).

J. R. Farmer, Big Spring; C. S. Wood, McCamey, George Bunker, Marshall Montgomery, (364).

Hezzie Carson, San Angelo; Lawrence Bedsoe, San Angelo; Lewis Childress, Charlie Black, (364).

Aubrey Edwards, Big Lake; Katy Jones, Hoss Harden, John Cook, (361).

Tommy Hays, Big Lake; Horace Rees, Big Lake; Woody Ramsey, Boll McKeen, (356).

Charlie Wood, Demp Jones, Jess Marley, F. J. Rutledge, McCamey, (366).

Dub Waggoner, San Angelo; Wendell Paraker, Big Lake; Joe Williams, Bill Cooper, (358).

Shirley Robbins, Midland; Vic Montgomery, Fletch Blackburn, Floyd Hokit, (356).

Skeet Millican, San Angelo; Bob Thurman, Sap Johnson, Jack Malone, (347).

W. O. Maxwell, Big Spring; Bruce Lewis, Fort Stockton; Red Greer, Buddy Carness, (354).

Bobby Maxwell, Gene Williams, T. J. Bailey, B. J. Howerton, (355).

Bobby Wright, Big Spring; Rosie Seaborn, John Lewis, Fort Stockton, Bill Porter, (367).

Junior Play To Be Presented Monday And Tuesday Nights

"Square Crooks", a comedy-mystery in three acts by James P. Judge, will be presented Monday and Tuesday evenings, May 2 and 3, by the Junior Class of Ozona High School.

The play, directed by Haskel Leath, is one of the most entertaining from the standpoint of dialogue and plot ever presented here, and the cast, which has been in rehearsal for several weeks, is expected to turn in a finished performance. Curtain time will be 7:30 each evening.

Members of the cast include J. R. Halydier, Jan Jones, Jerry Beasley, Carol Blackstone, Janice Spencer, Benny Friend, Brock Jones, Kent Chapman, Dwight Odom, Ann Baggett and Janie Ruth Adams. Martha Bailey is assistant director and Sarah Hicks is in charge of properties. Ushers will be Susie Schneemann, Darlyne Alford, Carolyn Stuart and Soveida Machado. Tickets for the two-night showing are now on sale.

Friday Last Day To Make Application For Drouth Feeds

Friday, April 29, is the deadline for making application for drouth emergency feed under the recently declared emergency which included Crockett county among 82 other Texas counties.

George James, in charge of the FHA office in the Hotel Ozona, where applications are received, reminds Crockett county ranchmen who have not yet applied for drouth feed to do so before the deadline Friday.

Applications for drouth emergency feeds are examined and approved by the local FHA committee and purchase orders are issued by the local ASC office. Purchase orders are good for feed sufficient to last until May 15.

33 To Graduate In Commencement Exercises May 20

Baccalaureate Service Set For Sunday Morning May 15

Just three more weeks remain for Ozona Public School children before the 1954-55 school term comes to an end.

Perhaps most intensely interested in the end of this school year are the 33 members of the 1955 Senior class who are reaching the end of their high school careers and now looking forward to graduation.

High school commencement exercises are set for Friday evening, May 20, in the auditorium. The baccalaureate service will be held in the high school auditorium Sunday morning, May 15.

Candidates for high school diplomas in the coming commencement exercises are the following:

Charlie Black, Sandra Brewer, Aleatha Brown, Sherald Brownrigg, Curtis Bruton, John Edward Butterfield, Herman Carroll, Kent Chapman, Patricia Cooper, Guadalupe de la Rosa, Myrtle Mae Everett, Barbara Fields, Robert Freeman, Charles Goodman, Patty Ann Hardesty, John Lee Henderson, Sammie Houston, Jody Jones, Sammy Martinez, Della Mae Mason, Serafin Maskill, Hilda Montes, Lucracia Montes, Ronnie McMullan, Lynn Parker, Nancy Perdue, Ann Ratliff, Antonio Rodriguez, High Pussell, Fred Shoubrouek, Charles Sowders, John Sowders and Earl Berry.

Houston Junior High Class of 40 Students Here Overnight June 8

A group of students from Spring Branch Junior High School in Houston, forty to forty-five in number, with four adults sponsors, have scheduled an overnight stop in Ozona the night of June 8, according to a letter received here from one of the sponsors asking information.

The group is the school's Junior Historian organization and is planning a tour the early part of the summer. The sponsor asked for information concerning meals and lodging for the group and for names of historical associations locally whom they might contact.

"As we should arrive in Ozona about five in the afternoon, we will have time for some sort of recreation and hope you will tell us what facilities are available," the letter said.

Shirley Kost Wins Scholastic Honors

Miss Shirley Kost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kost of Ozona, will be among a group of student of Southern Methodist University to be honored at the school's "Honors Day Convocation" the morning of May 3.

Miss Kost, a freshman at the Dallas university, has maintained a scholastic average sufficient to win her recognition at the honors Day convocation. She is a member of Delta Gamma sorority at SMU.

Hospital Issue Up To Voters In Balloting Today

Approval Of Issue Will Not Raise Property Tax

Property taxing voters of Crockett county will go to the polls today to decide whether or not the county should issue \$200,000 in bonds for the purpose of building a new county hospital.

The issue was submitted to a vote by the Commissioners Court in response to a petition signed by 153 qualified voters asking that the election be called. The election is the culmination of months of study by county officials and members of the citizen hospital board of the congested condition of the courthouse and the need for the use of the present hospital building as a courthouse annex coupled with the community's need for a better planned and more modern hospital.

At the suggestion of the Commissioners Court, members of the hospital board secured plans and studied modern hospital construction to determine the amount of bonds necessary to provide such a structure. The court estimated that necessary courthouse and hospital additions to present buildings would cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000, and it was decided that the bond issue for a new hospital to solve both the problems of the hospital and the need for more courthouse room would be the most satisfactory solution for the community.

Again at the court's suggestion, the petition specifies that the bonds are to be retired in ten years and bear interest at a rate not to exceed 4 percent. Bonds have been selling in this county at less than 2 percent interest.

Approval of the bonds by the voters will not require a raise in taxes since all funds are levied at their constitutional limit. There will be a tax levied, of course, otherwise the bonds would not be salable, but it will be allocated from existing levies, in this case from the fourth class fund, a levy sufficient to pay the annual principal payment and interest on the issue.

Crockett county, with a property valuation for tax purposes of approximately 28 million dollars, has a total bonded indebtedness of only \$232,000, including road bonds, fire station bonds and swimming pool bonds, all original ten-year retirement bonds. Percentage wise, this indebtedness figure is perhaps the lowest of any county in Texas and possibly in the nation. And oil valuations, which account for more than 85 percent of the county's tax collections, have climbed in recent years nearly 2 millions more a year.

Woman's Forum Wins First For Yearbook, Press Book In Dist.

Honors were heaped on the Ozona Woman's Forum at the recent Sixth District convention, Texas Federated Clubs, in Eastland. The district embraces 25 West Texas counties, with 126 affiliated clubs.

The Ozona club won first place in the senior division for the district in the year book competition and also won first place in Division I, Class B, for its press book. This is the second year in succession the Forum has won first place with these books.

Mrs. Charlie Black, president, this week received checks representing first prize in the contests. The books will be entered in the statewide contests, to be judged at the state convention.

The program and yearbook committee is composed of Mrs. T. J. Bailey, chairman, Mrs. Pete Jacoby, Mrs. W. H. Whitaker and Mrs. Marshall Montgomery. Mrs. Boyd Baker is chairman of the press book committee.

The Forum also received a certificate for 100 percent of its membership subscribers to the Texas Club Woman.

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WHY TOLERATE MOUNTAIN BANKS?

Too many political managers seem to think this country should be run for the benefit of parties and candidates seeking votes regardless of what happens to the people or the principles on which our nation was founded. They work on the theory that if a lie, or a subterfuge, or a half-truth can fool enough voters to win an election it is smart strategy.

For too long it has been considered good politics to belittle and discredit American business and industry on the theory that by doing so government can be extended into the field of private enterprise, thereby enacting the control of officeholders over the individual. This is the doctrine of socialism which ultimately leads to communism.

Why wouldn't it be better politics to reverse this process for a change and build pride in American institutions and enterprise as the force that has given our nation freedom from socialism with its ultimate threat of communism?

Why should we tolerate lawmakers who knowingly or unknowingly glorify all-powerful government to the ultimate destruction of private enterprise and liberty of the individual? They are not "liberals" as they like to label themselves to fool the unwary. They are reactionaries. Their philosophy of government is, basically, the same as that our forefathers fought against and defeated in the American Revolution. The Declaration of Independence and the Constitution were written to protect the individual against governmental oppression. Freedom is our heritage — but any heritage can be lost by the blind and the weak.

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Ozona And Sonora 4-H Members Engage In Judging Contests

Fourteen 4-H Club members participated in an all-day judging contest at Sonora last Saturday. The contest was between Ozona and Sonora 4-H members in which they judged grass, wool and mohair and livestock. Ribbons were awarded to the first five high individuals in each division of the contests.

Ozona members won the following awards:
Grass - Erby Chandler — fifth.
Wool & Mohair - George Bunker — 3rd; R. J. Everett — 5th.
Livestock - Sheep Division - Brock Jones — 1st; R. J. Everett — 2nd; Carl Conklin — 3rd.
Cattle Division: Brock Jones — 4th; Benny Friend — 5th.
Livestock: Over-all - Brock Jones — 2nd; R. J. Everett — 5th.

Over-all high individuals — all divisions — Carl Conklin — 6th.
Other 4-H members in the contest were John Hickman, Jay Miller, Steve Fish, Joe Clayton, Chris Hagelstein, Mark White, and Billy Jacoby. Pierce Miller went along to observe but was unable to judge because of an injury to his arm.

A wool and mohair and grass judging contest will be held in Ozona this Saturday between the Sonora and Ozona members.

The District-6 Judging Contests will be held in San Angelo on May 7. Winning teams will represent the district at the State Contests at Texas A&M College in June. Crockett County will enter livestock and grass judging teams in the district contests. Team members will be selected next week for the teams.

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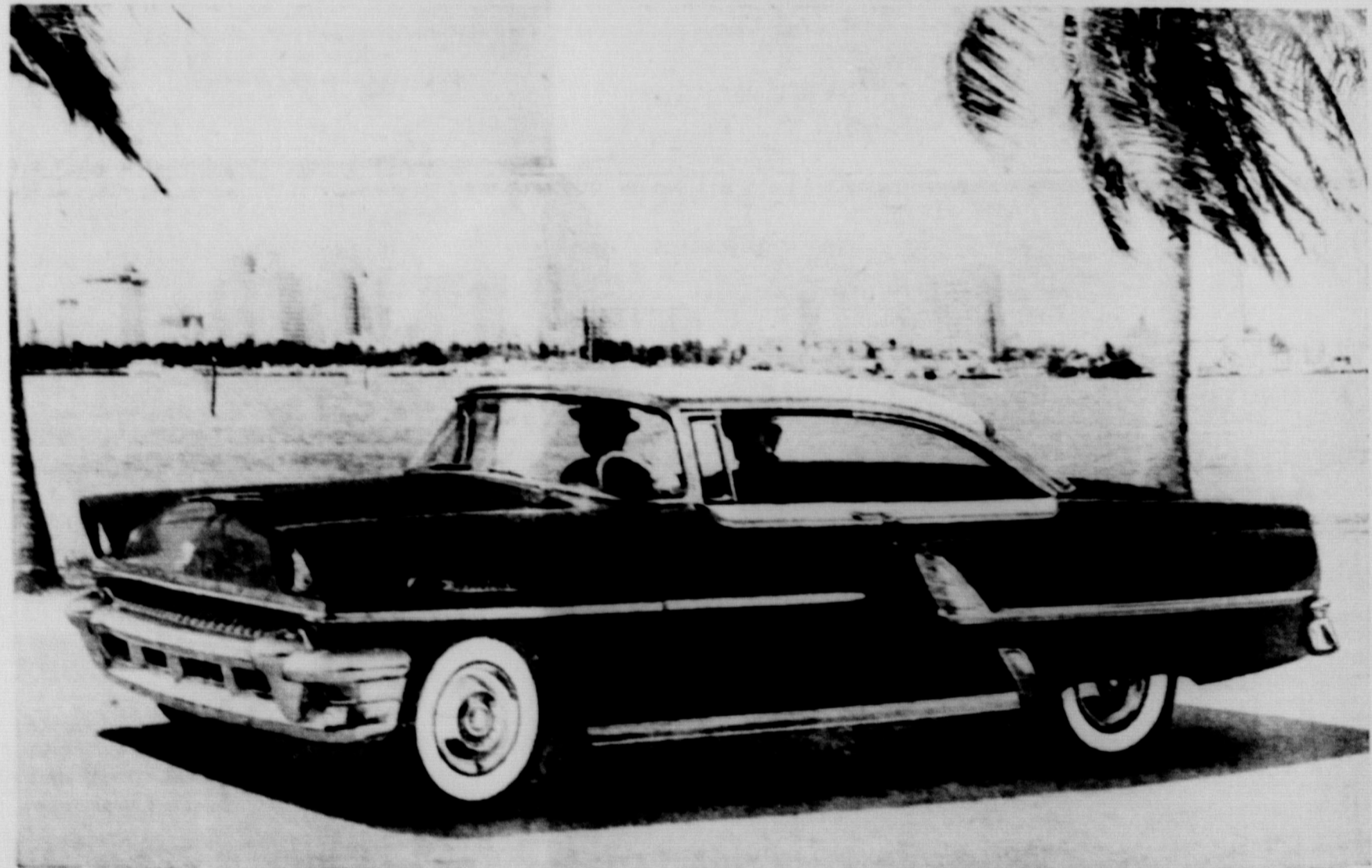
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Swimming Pools To Open Here May 11th

Swimming pools will open May 11, according to announcements made this week. South pool will open for one day, Thursday May 5, for the day in connection with the Cinco de Mayo celebration in the Latin-American sector. Pool will be closed again until opening date May 11. Leath and Byron (Sondere) will manage the north pool and Ernie Boyd and John will manage the south pool. W. D. Cooper will act as technical supervisor in operation of pools.

South Completes Summer Field Oiler; All Spots Location

Farmer (San Andres) field operator in Crockett County has been west of one location south and west of completion of Plymouth Oil Co. S-S University, in 5-50-U. City, 10 miles southeast of Big Bend, for a daily flowing potential of 26 barrels of 30.2 gravity oil with 11 per cent water, with gas-oil of 329-1.

Production was through a 5-16-inch choke and perforations between 2,502-2,508 feet in 5 1/2-inch cemented at 2,525 feet, the depth. Top of pay was picked at 2,622 feet on derrick floor elevation of 2,656 feet. Pay section was 10 feet with 300 gallons and fractured with 2,500 gallons.

Flowing pressure was 130 psi casing pressure, 450 psi.

Oil Co. has filed application to drill the No. 30 Chamberlain, one location west of program in the Midway Lane 1,300 feet of Crockett County, 15 miles west of Ozona.

Project will be drilled with 10-inch tools to 1,400 feet with operations beginning immediately. The estimated elevation is 2,650 feet. Location on a 1,120.5 acre lease, 1/2 mile from the west line and 1/2 mile from the south line of the west one-quarter of 4-Chamberlain.

INGTON ADDING machines in Stockman office.

Eleven Students Are Nominated For Citizenship Award

Eleven students of Ozona High School have been nominated using a point grading system, for consideration to receive the Ozona Woman's Forum "Best Citizen" award to be made at the high school commencement exercises May 20. The eleven students were selected as nominees out of a list of 41 students submitted by vote of faculty members under a ten-point grading system.

The eleven nominees, one of whom will be chosen "Best Citizen" and awarded a medal and have his or her name engraved on a bronze plaque in the school trophy case. List: Lynn Parker, A-

leatha Brown, Lou Nell Beall, Barbara Fields, Mary Jo Ward, Mary Lou Johnigan, Earl Deland, Carol Blackstone, Cecilia Cooke, Sam Martinez and Jimmy Brown. (The order of listing has no relation to the standing of the students in the grading system.)

The winner of the citizenship award will be graded on the following points, the numbers representing the maximum point allowance on each quality:

1. Cooperation, 15 points.
 2. Dependability, 10.
 3. Courtesy, 10.
 4. Honesty, 20.
 5. Obedience, 10.
 6. Effort and Participation, 10.
 7. Outstanding Achievements, 10.
 8. Scholarship, 5.
 10. Neatness and orderliness, 5.
- This is the third year for the

citizenship award by the Forum. First winner was Miss Marion Mock (Mrs. Aaron Bledsoe, Jr.) in 1953 and the winner last year was Graham Childress.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted: Donnie Ratliff, Mrs. O. Q. Alford, Mrs. Tom Ed Montgomery, Mrs. Tom Cook, Walt

Stricklin, Mrs. Nato Tambunga, Mrs. Catarino Cervantez, Mrs. Henry Caldera.

Patients dismissed: Mrs. L. M. Elmore, Mrs. O. Q. Alford, Donnie Ratliff, Mrs. Tom Ed Montgomery, Mrs. Olie Olsen, Mrs. Raymond Brownrigg, Mrs. Henry Caldera, Mrs. Catarino Cervantez, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown-

rig are the proud parents of a new baby boy, he was born April 22, at 4:53 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caldera also have a new son born April 23, at 3 p. m. And on April 26 at 11:45 the stork arrived with a new boy for Mr. and Mrs. Nato Tambunga.

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VOLLEYBALL NEWS

Darlyne Alford

Friday morning at 6:15 a. m. a group of very sleepy looking girls and some parents too, arrived at the South door of high school. You see, this was the big day. Yes, this was the day the volleyball girls were to go to Brownwood to the Regional meet. At 6:30 we pulled out of Ozona. Everyone decided to stop in Brady for something to drink but by the time we left just about everyone had eaten too. We arrived in Brownwood about 10:00 a. m. and we played Roby at 10:45 a. m. Everyone dressed and decided to go out and watch the game between Eula and Llano. Llano came on top and it was time for our game. The games were played on the best-two-out-of-three basis.

Roby won both games. The first one 15 to 12 and the second score was 15 to 10. Everyone was disappointed over the loss but glad we lost to such a good team as well as a very friendly group of girls. As soon as we dressed we went to the Brownwood hotel for dinner. As soon as dinner finished everyone began preparing for the trip home. Two carloads stayed behind for a bit of shopping but in time everyone arrived in the good ole town of Ozona.

The people making the trip consisted of Carol Friend, Sarah Hicks, Aleatha Brown, Ann Ratliff, Darlyne Alford, Cecelia Cooke, Carolyn Stuart, Gwynel Walker, Pat Woodall, Patty Hardesty, Sandra Brewer, Toni Ortiz, Joyce Henderson, Delma Martinez, Eva Montes, Miss Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Friend, and Mrs. Ratliff.

The trip was a lovely one and enjoyed by all. Everyone is hoping we will get to make it again next year. And also go a little further. We want everyone to hope with us.

That's all now. —
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Fads and Fashions

Ann Ratliff

There is no end of black and white worn in every way. Martha Flowers has a white square necked over-blouse, accented with a wide hip band. The blouse is made quite eye-catching by the huge black dots on the shiny chintz. Wanda Armstrong uses the colors in horizontal stripes on a sailcloth skirt. A final style for the popular shades is Pat Cooper's black pedal pushers, fastened at the legs with checked ties, worn with a black and white checked blouse trimmed in solid black.

New ways to wear flowers—Ann Baggett's pink, and Jan Jones' sky blue flowers worn in their hair (to tie pony tails) then again in smaller form as earrings.

And a few unusual accessories Mary Jo Ward's natural straw shoes; Myrtle Everet's pink belt decorated with a piratey looking ring right in the back; Barbara Fields' turquoise shoes; white ballerinas worn with skirts and blouses; artificial flowers decorating blouses; and track and 4-H activity medals worn on chains around girls' necks.

All the skirts are full and stand out stiffly, especially Pat Cooper's. We don't know how she does it, but the results are becoming on everyone. Hair is short and fluffy, like Leatha Brown's, and always looks just combed. There is an accent on colored earrings, to go with most everything; and Lou Nelle Beale seems to have the most complete collection, the aqua ones being especially pretty.

And have you noticed Gwynel Walker? Her hair is cut short, and set in close waves all over her head, with a very, very short back; she looked on the verge of sophisticated in a white sailor middy with a straight teal blue skirt.

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OZONA REPRESENTED AT REGIONAL MEET

Susie Schneemann

The boys left for Regional Meet at Brownwood about four o'clock Friday afternoon. Coach Womack and Coach Hickman drove

them up. Fred Shoubrouek won the preliminaries in 440 and 220 Saturday morning. He got third in both heats and qualified for final in the 440, but failed to get to finals in the 220 due to the extra heat he was in. That afternoon he ran the finals in the 440 and placed on fifth. This was the best time he had ran all year. Bobby Martinez ran his 880 later that afternoon and did very well. He finished second in his heat and got the 6th best time in the race. Neither of the boys qualified for state but Bobby is expected to make it next year. This meet had the roughest competition in the state and I think the boys did very well.

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ANNUAL STYLE SHOW TO BE HELD

Susie Schneemann

The Ozona High School Home-making Girls under direction of Mrs. Hull, have an annual style show each year.

We hope that you will be able to come to our style show this year. It is to be April 27, Thursday night at 8:00 p. m., at the Ozona High School Auditorium.

We have a lot of pretty dresses and girls to show them off. We hope to see you Thursday night.

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

By Suzann Dale

Measure of Success

When sunset falls upon your day
 And fades from out the west,
 When business cares are put away
 and you lie down to rest,
 The measure of the day's success
 Or failure may be told
 In terms of human happiness
 And not in terms of gold.
 Is there beside some hearth tonight
 More joy because you wrought?
 Does someone face the bitter fight
 With courage you have taught?
 Is something added to the store
 Of human happiness?
 If so the day that now is o'er
 Has been a real success.

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Facts About Figures

Cecilia Cooke

This week I am going to do this a little different than usual. Instead of telling you who it is you must fill in the blanks with the right letter. Presto! You have the right figure.

This figure was born in San Angelo, Texas, at the Shannon Hospital. June 26, 1938 was the date of this important event.

The figure now stands five feet and three, half inches and weighs hundred and ten. —olors of hair and eyes are brown.

This person has gone to school here in Ozona from the beginning to now.

In junior high the sports that were pl—yed were softball and volleyball. There were many other activities, but this person seems to have forgotten them all.

Now in high school this person played volleyball and tennis and was on the Annual staff during the f—eshman year.

The sophomore year, was about the same except for studies to be harder. V—lleyball and tennis were again the sports played and Annual Staff the club they belonged to.

Now the junior year. This year this person is in the Student Council and on the Annua— Staff. Volleyball is the only sport that was played.

This person has favorites like everyone else. Here are a few. The favorite book is "renchman's Creek" B—own is this person's favorite color. As a season, summer was chosen. The favorite holiday is Chr—stmas. Swimming is this persons favorite sport they like to do. American History is the favorite subject although there is no one favorite teacher. The favorite movie of this person is "Magnific—nt Obsession." For a passtime there is nothing this person could think they liked doing best. To end these favorites we leave you with a pleasant thought. Frie— Chicken is the favorite food.

This person's ambition is to finish school and college and then let "come what may." It would probably be work.

Have you figured out who it is? If not, good-luck. Until next week.

GOSSIP —

Dear Shirley,

The old homestead sure has been dead this past week. Nothin' doin' anywhere. It looked like everyone got the fishing bug this last weekend. Earl, Charles S., John S., took Greeny, Wanda A. and Ann B. for day on Devil's River. Robert F., Jimmie B., Don Lott, Benny, Busky, and Jerry B. went fishing too.

Sonny took Ann to see "Gang-busters" Sunday in San Angelo. The volley-ball team was gone most of Friday, they played in the Regional tournament in Brownwood. Roby. (Man, those baskets)

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Time To Spray Pecan Trees For CASEBEARERS

From now through the next two or three weeks is the time to spray your pecan trees to control Casebearers — the insect which destroys the nut crop.

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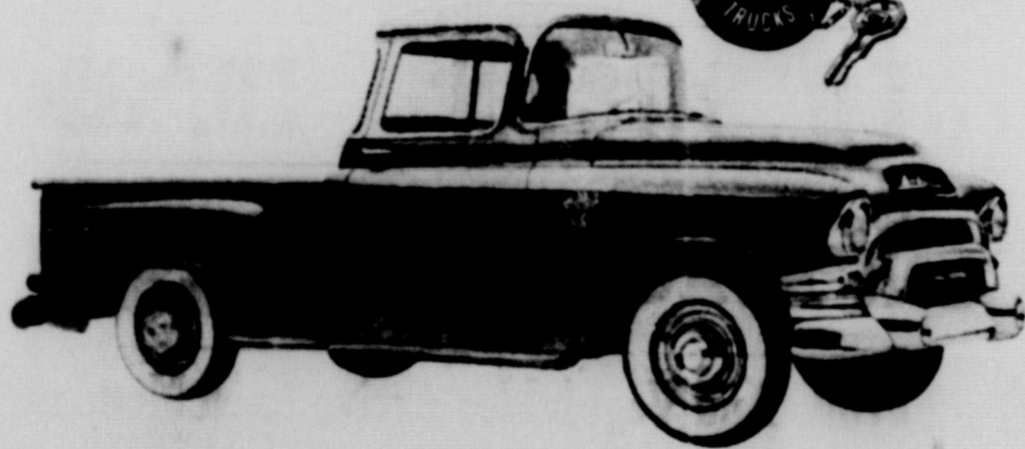
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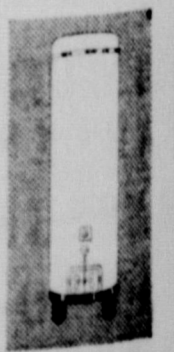
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beat them out in the

went to the A&M Rodeo. Earl bought the cleverest San Angelo Saturday. It — on, on, second guess she'll carry it, in Show the 28th. Becky was honored with a grape on Saturday. Susie, and Carolyn went. I don't know else. Mike's green got bashed on the hi-way. It's Mike's fault at all. In front of the car looks like M. Hugh had a some mystery girl — was trying to find out — but, she still re-mystery. OH I just found it was — Darlyne Eich — don't know where she's at the week-end, Charlie went to the roping in

are gettin' pretty se- Nancy Perdue and No signs of an altar maybe with the change we'll have a change

per and Roy Mann are bring each other's com- V.C. thinks that Aleatha just about the greatest. she has the durndest hair he ever saw. Jer- Cecilia had their fifth anniversary last. Just think, five years. at that Wanda C. is mak- comeback from her ac- We're holding a good Wanda. Oh, yes, they tell she fell out of the bed, all, when she heard that B. won the Oscar.

ght be wondering where this year's Seniors are at year — well, here are. Sony plans to go to Kent is going to North Hugh goes to Tech — T.C.U. — Ann is going de University — Pat C. ha are going to North onder why Leatha wants there 22222 Charlie B. as — Lynn P. goes to lito Johnny Butterfield — is going to Sul Ross — John S. goes to Tarleton renie will probably go — that's about all I

can tell you now — the rest are still undecided.

You'd just die if you could see Mr. Harlan — he cut all his hair off and shaved his mustach—wow.

If any of you people want a '55 AYER, just write to Miss North or Kent and they'll see that you get one. Well, guess I've chatted long enough. Write soon.

See you soon, Barbara and Sandra

BAND NEWS

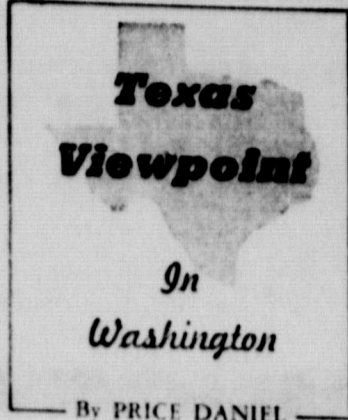
Darlyne Alford
Friday, April 29, the band will travel to Abilene to take part in the 2nd. part of the contest. The sightreading and concert playing will be the events Friday.

We are hoping for a first or maybe even two first places. Wish us luck.

JUNIOR PLAY

Darlyne Alford
Come one — Come all. Don't miss it. "Square Crooks" is the play of the 1954-55 Juniors choice and will be presented May 2, and 3. It starts at 8 o'clock and is a comedy in 3 Acts. The tickets are on sale now and you may purchase yours from any members of the Junior class. The prices are 75 cents for adults and 50 cents for students.

We want a full house and you want to enjoy yourself so come



By PRICE DANIEL
U. S. Senator

Last week saw another host of Texans in Washington. As heretofore indicated in this column, there are always dozens of Texans here on visits or business, and the numbers were even greater during the recent annual meetings of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the American Society of Newspaper Editors.

Loyalty Day May 1

Congress has officially declared May 1st to be "Loyalty Day". The writer had the honor of sponsoring this legislation in the Senate, and the House passed a companion resolution by Congressman Van Zandt of Pennsylvania. It

to the High School Auditorium Monday or Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Red Finds a 'Sweet Solution'

Red Jackson found a slick way to get his cows to eat what's good for them. Seems they were passing up the tall green grass—full of minerals and vitamins—and eating the short grass, which is naturally sweeter.

Red solved the problem by spraying a solution of corn syrup over the grass that was going begging. The cows sure went at it. Red says it's lucky for him—and the cows—that every one of them has a "sweet tooth."

Next week, according to Red, he's going to have his cows clean

up all the weedy grass along his fences—after he sprays them with more corn syrup, of course.

From where I sit, some folks, like Red, are always trying out new tricks—and others stick with the old tried and true methods. Just a question of preference, I guess. Like the way you may enjoy coffee with meals, while I prefer a cold glass of beer. So let's not allow any bad feelings to "crop up" by thinking ours is the only choice.

Joe Marsh

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authorizes the President to issue a proclamation designating May 1st as a day on which the flag shall be flown on all government buildings and urging that it be celebrated for the purpose of showing our loyalty to our country and the American way of life.

The resolution was sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars in an attempt to counteract the Communist May Day celebrations. Many cities throughout the nation, including Pasadena, Texas this year, have been designating and celebrating this day as a special

time for loyalty parades and patriotic meetings. Every day should be Loyalty Day in America, but it is well that this particular day be designated in order that the entire nation may be reminded of the importance of patriotism and loyalty to our own country and our own form of government.

Disabled Texas Servicemen

Senators' wives are inviting disabled servicemen in Washington hospitals to see the Capitol and the Congress. Mrs. Daniel and Mrs. Johnson had ten hospitalized servicemen from Texas to lunch

in the Senate dining room on San Jacinto Day. We realize that disabled servicemen so far away from home are lonesome for their own people, particularly on a Texas holiday. It is a privilege to be able to play some small part in making life for these boys a little more enjoyable while they cannot be with their own families. We hope and pray that the day may come soon when these young men and other servicemen can be with their parents and loved ones.

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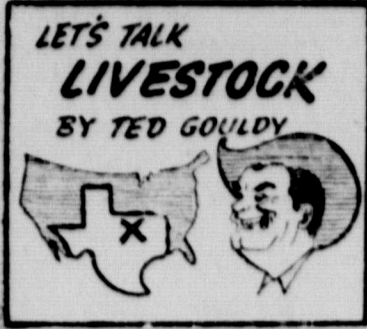
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Fort Worth — More than 7,000 cattle and calves, a big part of them grass cows and calves, arrived at Fort Worth Monday. This was more than 2,100 above the figure the same date last year, and gave additional strength to the theory that the cattle run is starting about a month early this year.

Suspicion that this would be the case developed some weeks ago and has been growing steadily. A number of factors are involved. In many sections of the Eastern third of Texas the winter and spring season has provided ample pasture. This is especially true in the clover growing areas.

Many cattle producers in these areas bought low cost cows last summer and fall, and at this writing have a very good profit made in them. Many cases of "doubled money" are heard, and those stockmen are inclined to sell before the hot weather brings excessive runs and breaks prices sharply.

In the drouthy areas the discouraging lack of needed rain, plus the disheartening dust storms, is expected to cause earlier-than-usual shipping. Many of these areas face critical water shortages, as well as pasture deficiency.

The earlier than normal runs of lambs this year lend strength to the feeling that this will be an early one for cattle — unless the month of May comes up very, very wet over a lot of country.

Trade in cattle and calves was rather slow in the opening session at Fort Worth Monday. Cows held about steady, and bulls were

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steady. High grade slaughter and stocker calves of choice grades were also steady, but grades below choice were weak to 50 cents lower. Fed steer and yearlings were weak to 50 cents lower. Good and choice fed steers and yearlings \$19.00 — \$23.00; fat cows \$11.00 — \$14.00; canners and cutters \$7.00 — \$11.00. Bulls \$10.00 — \$14.50. Good and choice fat calves \$18.00 — \$21.50; few fancy heavyweights \$22.00. Stocker steer calves \$23.50 down, and heifers mostly \$18.50 down. Stocker cows \$8.00

to \$12.00. The sheep and lambs offering Monday was 6,000 larger than last week, and 2,000 ahead of the same date last year. The 18,000 head were about 40% Spring lambs and 60% old crop shorn lambs. Trade was 50 cents lower on the opening rounds, and after shippers and order buyers had filled their needs average prices closed 50 cents to \$1 off. Fat spring lambs drew \$18.00 to \$21.50; and fat shorn crop lambs drew \$16.00 to \$18.50. Old ewe: \$5.00 to \$5.50, and old

bucks around \$4. Aged wethers \$7.00 to \$10.00. Stocker Spring lambs \$15.00 down, and shorn feeder lambs \$12.50 to \$13.50.

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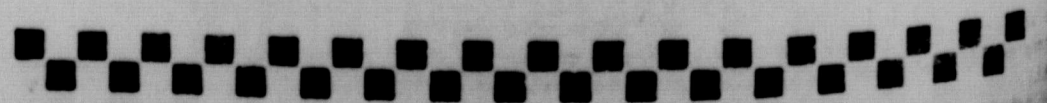
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A. Pamphlet Incentive For Wool

Let just issued by the Department of Agriculture explained explanation of the "payment" provisions of the Wool Act of 1954. Information of production and mohair, the extent of the incentive payment retained in the pamphlet is set below:

Wool Act of 1954 for incentive payments on wool. Under the act, the wool will be made on the lambs and yearling sheep slaughter.

to market your shorn lambs and yearlings, be sure to get the highest price possible.

complete sales records. Why the highest selling price for your shorn wool is important. Sales records are based on a percentage of the price you receive on a flat cents-per-pound basis. So the higher the price you sell for, the bigger your payment will be.

word. — the incentive will not "make up the difference" for a poor selling job. Selling actually can mean dollars to you. A little extra will show where those dollars will come from.

Department of Agriculture announced an incentive price of a pound on shorn wool for the 1955 marketing year. Let's take wool prices during the 1954 marketing year actually averaged 50 cents a pound. To bring the price of 50 cents to the incentive of 62 cents, each producer would need to be paid 12 percent.

say that you sell 1,000 pounds of wool for 50 cents a pound from the buyer you'll receive \$500. From the Department of Agriculture you'll get 24 percent, or \$120, making a total of \$620.

suppose that you sell 1,000 pounds of wool for 50 cents a pound. The buyer pays you \$700 for your 1,000 pounds and the Department will pay you the 24-percent payment. Your total return, then, is \$840.

marketing in this incentive would increase your return on lambs and yearlings sold for slaughter in 1955. These payments are designed to maintain the practice of marketing lambs and yearlings "in the wool".

To show how the payments on animals are arrived at, let's assume that the average price received by producers for shorn wool in the 1955 marketing year is 50 cents a pound. Then the computations would be as follows:

(1) The difference between the incentive price and the average price is computed — 12 cents; (2) 80 percent of this difference is derived — 9.6 cents; (3) the derived figure of 9.6 cents is multiplied by 5 — 48 cents, which is the payment per hundredweight.

(The 80 percent differential is because pulled wool is normally of coarser grade and shorter staple length than shorn wool. The 5-pound figure used as a multiplier is an average for the wool per hundredweight of animal.)

Here again, be sure to sell your animals for what they are worth, because the compensating payment is a flat rate per 100 pounds. For example:

Let's suppose that the compensating payment turns out to be 48 cents a hundredweight. If you sell a 100-pound lamb for \$20, your total return will be \$20.48. But if you sell the same lamb for only \$18 (on the false assumption that the payment will "make up the difference"), your return will total only \$18.48. Good marketing in this case would mean \$2 more in your pocket.

Sales records are the basis for payments under the new program. Sales records for shorn wool should show name and address of buyer, date of sale, name and address of producer, net weight of wool sold, and net proceeds to producer after normal marketing deductions.

Bills of sale for lambs and yearlings must show: Name and address of slaughterer; date of sale; name and address of seller; number, description, and net live weight of animals sold; and include certification that the animals were purchased for slaughter, and that they had or had not been shorn. The bill of sale and certification may be endorsed to a prior owner, who can then get the payment. Animals that have been shorn, but that have at least a 1 1/2-inch growth of wool at time of sale for slaughter are eligible for payment upon certification by the applicant.

Payments on shorn wool and lambs and yearling sheep will not be made until after the end of the 1955 marketing year — and the marketing year will not end until

March 31, 1956. So payments will begin in the summer of 1956. Payments of less than \$3 will not be made.

Payments will be made only on wool shorn on or after January 1, 1955, and sold on or after April 1, 1955. Likewise, payments will be made on lambs and yearlings only if they have been sold on or after April 1, 1955.

To be eligible for payments, the applicant must have owned the sheep or lambs from which the wool was shorn, or the lambs and yearlings, for at least 30 days.

The mohair program, also authorized by the National Wool Act, will be handled in the same way as that outlined for shorn wool. The support price for the 1955 marketing year is 70 cents per pound.

Your point of contact on wool payments is your local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office. The ASC office will help you fill out your application for payment (from information on your sales records), will make any payments that may be due, and will be able to furnish you any detailed information you might require as to the payment program.

HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From State Capitol

By Vern Sanford Texas Press Association

Austin, Texas — Natural gas, trading stamps, cigars, cigarettes, snuff, gasoline, uranium, and beer license fees would be taxable under the bill to provide \$100 million additional state revenue for the next two years.

Revealing sharp difference of opinion over the bill was the fact that it passed House engrossment by a close vote of 74 to 69.

Without surprise, the Legislature found it easier to spend money than to raise it. A few examples:

Liberalizing of the teachers retirement system by constitutional amendment was voted by the House.

Governor Allan Shivers asked for emergency consideration by the Legislature of a bill to pay indemnity to owners of sheep and goats destroyed in an effort to halt a scrapie outbreak.

Extension of the veterans land program was approved by a Senate committee. (Theoretically, this

program is self-financing. The state issues bonds to buy the land, and the bonds are retired as the veterans make payments on their property.)

Requested by the governor was an appropriation to give underprivileged children the Salk polio vaccine.

Car Dealers Licenses Seventeen amendments were added in the House before the car dealers licensing bill gained initial approval.

Principal provisions of the bill would:

Make new car dealers pay \$50 for a seller's license, and used car dealers \$25; prohibit offering for sale as a new car any vehicle that had been driven or towed more than 50 miles; and require dealers to post \$10,000 bond.

Original purpose of the bill, before the amendments were added, was to prevent used car dealers from offering latest model cars for sale as "new" cars.

Water Bill Falters Trouble was ahead for a proposed constitutional amendment rated high on the list of administration-recommended water legislation.

Purpose of the measure would be to let the people vote on whether to authorize \$100 million in bonds to finance water projects of the state.

Passed by the House, the resolution was patched with amendments. The Senate refused to concur and asked for a conference committee.

Veterans Land Probe

Far from abating, the veterans land investigation was expanding and reaching as far afield as Minnesota.

Cecil E. Burney, special assistant attorney general, told the Senate Investigating Committee that two years ago, when Attorney General John Ben Shepperd was vacationing in Minnesota, he happened to see former land commissioner Bascom Giles.

Giles invited Shepperd to visit his Minnesota farm of 8,600 acres. When the veterans land investigation began, Shepperd sent an investigator to Minnesota.

As a result of that investigation, Burney predicted, the people will hear that money from the veterans land program went to Minnesota to buy land for Texas.

"It is amazing," said Burney, "that some of the same people who were anxious to buy cheap Minnesota land at high prices were the same persons who were anxious to sell cheap land in Texas to veterans for equally high prices."

\$30,000 in Fees
Another witness before the Senate Investigating Committee was Alvis Vandygriff, a former officer of the veterans land board. Vandygriff testified that during a four-year period after he left the board, he received more than \$30,000 to expedite block land deals.

Sonny Meinecke Home After Korea Service

After receiving his discharge from the Army at El Paso, William G. Meinecke, son of Mrs. Coralie Meinecke, arrived here Sunday. He landed in San Francisco April 17 after eighteen months of service with a field artillery unit in Korea and Japan. His wife and 17-month-old daughter, Deborah, accompanied him and are here for a visit. Joining in the family reunion are his sisters, Mrs. James Dockery of Santa Anna, with daughter, Stacy, and Mrs. Bill Melton and son, Larry, from Las Vegas, N. M.

Young Meinecke plans to resume his college education, interrupted by the draft while he was a student at the University of Texas, but has not decided definitely the school he will attend.

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Reserve District No. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF OZONA NATIONAL BANK OF OZONA

State of Texas, at the close of Business on April 11, 1955 and in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Balances with other banks, including reserve	1,611,719.95
and cash items in process of collection	
United States Government obligations, direct	1,774,943.75
guaranteed	
Deposits of States and	595,630.93
local subdivisions	
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock	6,000.00
Federal Reserve bank)	
Dividends and discounts (including	1,251,187.74
1947 overdrafts)	
Real premises owned \$18,000.00, furniture and	31,200.00
fixtures \$13,200.00	
Other assets	4,272.14
Total Assets	5,274,954.51

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships,	3,944,521.69
corporations	
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships,	55,506.00
corporations	
Deposits of United States Government (including	22,970.90
local savings)	
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	745,619.06
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	29,025.44
Total Deposits	\$4,797,643.09
Total Liabilities	4,797,643.09

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100,000.00
plus	100,000.00
Retained profits	277,311.42
Total Capital Accounts	477,311.42
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	5,274,954.51

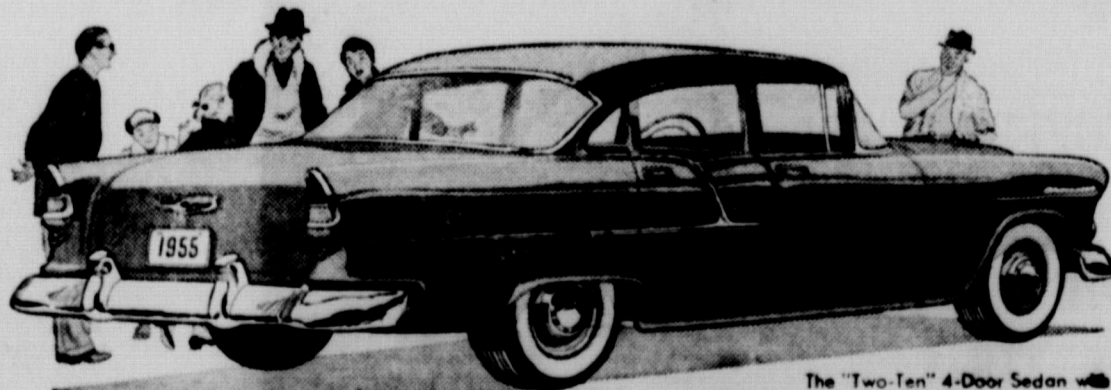
MEMORANDA
I, J. W. Howell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge.

J. W. Howell, Cashier.
I have read and subscribed before me this 18th day of April, 1955, and certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

Charles Ratliff, Notary Public
Attest: W. W. West, Hillery Phillips, Roy Henderson
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Highway 290 —

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it's high time we let them know of the many advantages of the Old Spanish Trail," Mr. Campbell said.

Among the newest accomplishments of booster of 290 is the securing of the last bit of right-of-way for an alternate route from Dayton, Texas, east of Houston to Hempstead, a cut-off which will be built in a few years to cut 40 miles off the total distance and eliminate the necessity for travelers to pass through the city of Houston. Another project which gives promise of final accomplishment is the widening and improvement of the U. S. 290 and Highway 80 intersection west of Balmorhea.

The Association is supported by contributions from interested business men in the towns along the route from Houston to El Paso, where the Association and Mr. Campbell are centering the "Travel U. S. 290" campaign.

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Observe Music Week With Twilight Organ Music In Churches

In observance of National Music Week, May 1-7, the Ozona Music Club has arranged a program of daily organ music to be presented by Music Club members in the local churches.

The twilight organ music will be presented from 5:30 to 5:50 p. m. on the following schedule:

May 2 — Mrs. Ken Cody — First Baptist Church.

May 3 — Mrs. R. A. Harrell — Ozona Methodist Church.

May 4 — Mrs. Doyle Perdue — First Baptist Church.

May 6 — James Rollins — Ozona Methodist Church.

"Women aren't what they used to be — they used to be girls!" — Charles Knouse.

Spot Ellenburger Wildcat Test On Geo. Bean Ranch

Dallas Operators To Drill To 8,400 Ft.; Noelke Gasser

J. D. Wrather Jr., and Wiseman and Jackson, Dallas, will drill an 8,450-foot Ellenburger wildcat in Crockett County, 15 miles northwest of Ozona and 4 1/2 miles southeast of production in the Todd Deep (Ellenburger) field, producing from approximately 6,300 feet. It will be drilled as the No. 1 George Bean.

Location, on a 320-acre lease, is 2,000 feet from the south and 660 feet from the east lines of 50-UV-GC&SF.

The prospector is also 1 1/2 miles northwest of Continental oil Co. 1-31-36 University, plugged and abandoned in 1953 at 8,958 feet. The following tops were reported, in elevation of 2,508 feet: Wolf-camp, 6,190 feet; and Simpson, 8,100 feet. On a drillstem test in the upper Ellenburger between 8,455-610 feet, recovery was 8,450 feet in sulphur water.

The project is also two miles southwest of the Betty (Greyburg) field, which produces from pay at approximately 1,460 feet.

The Noelke, Northeast (Queen) gas field of Crockett County has been extended 1/2-mile south of the west side with completion of Sun Oil Co. No. 2-C Shannon Estate, in 2-GG-Archer est, 36 miles northwest of Ozona.

No. 2-C Shannon Estate was finished for an absolute open flow of 6,500,000 cubic feet of dry gas per day. Production was through perforations between 2,193-220 feet in 5 1/2-inch casing set at 2,263 feet. Gravity of the raw gas was 0.80. Elevation is 2,827 feet at ground level.

Notaries Asked To Apply To Clerk For Commission Renewals

Secretary of State A. M. Muldrow has announced that he will reappoint all persons who now hold Notary Public Commissions

and that all such persons must qualify by filing an oath and bond with the County Clerk of their residence between June 1, 1955 and June 10, 1955. The law specifically requires County Clerks to approve Notary bonds and individuals should not send money or requests for commissions direct to the Secretary of State. All Notary matters can only be received by the Secretary of State after the County

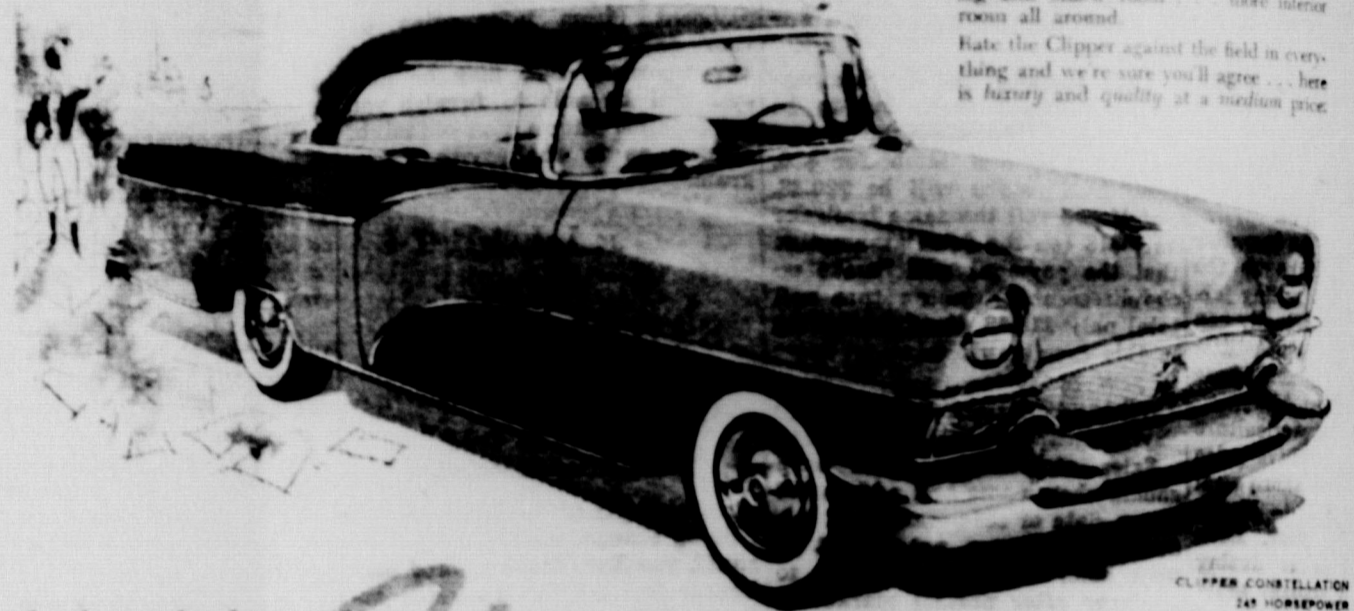
Clerk acts thereon. Any person who has not heretofore been a Notary Public should apply to his County Clerk between May 1, 1955 and May 23, 1955, if he desires to have this application given prompt attention in the State Department, as the rush of reappointing all old Notaries may slow up the ordinary process of making new appointments and issuing commissions.

Secretary of State Muldrow said, "Each person applying for a commission as a Notary Public must be at least 21 years of age and a resident of the County for which he is appointed; exact names and permanent addresses should be given to the County Clerk in applying for a commission, as location of the Notary may be necessary long after he has notarized a particular instrument."

Mr. and Mrs. Rose Perry Seligman, Arizona, are here this week. Mr. Perry is a brother of Paul and Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Hugh Perry Sr., Mrs. Paul Perry, Mrs. Schneemann, Mrs. W. R. Perry and Mrs. Roy Henderson, Ozona.

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Big Top Salted Peanuts 35c

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AVOCADOS 2 For 19c

TOMATOES lb. 23c

SHORT RIBS 3lbs. For \$1.00

EGGS 3 Doz. For \$1.00

Sliced American Cheese lb. 49c