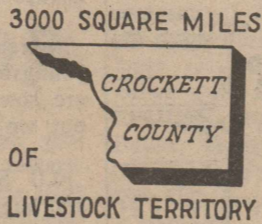


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Kitty's Korner

By
Kitty Montgomery

Someone has defined a modern-day politician as one who, "presides over the gradual disintegration of society and occasionally contributes to its total collapse." If it is not really that bad, it seems so more often than not. Congress has not inspired the American people of late, to say the least.

After voting down pay raises just before the election, the Senate has voted indirectly for a pay raise averaging about 28 percent for members of Congress and other top government officials. Under procedures established by a 1967 law, the increases were automatic, simply because it was not disapproved by either the Senate or the House.

So by failing to vote on the bill, the ethical old boys gave themselves a nice, healthy inflationary raise. And they wonder why the public is so turned off by government. If this action is not downright chicanery, it's a long way from honesty. If the bill is the same one which failed to pass before the election, and it's bound to be, "cost of living" raises are written into it, and they will all get automatic raises in the future.

This action by federal legislators is similar to the trick pulled by our own state legislators some years ago. If you will remember, the voters of Texas said "no" to legislative pay raises for years. Then, another act of chicanery, they tied it to the "teacher's pay raise" proposal, and bingo, they had a winner, and a raise.

However, we are at the mercy of elected politicians, and there is nothing we can do about it. Time is running out on them though. They have spent the country to the verge of bankruptcy. They have allowed the Russians to gain a solid edge in the field of conventional military hardware, clearly endangering democracy's and their own survival.

The 95th Congress needs to take stock in itself and the system. The next few years could conceivably be Congress' last chance for preventative corrections necessary to the survival of the free world. I seriously doubt if they will ever regain the faith of the people, but a good, responsible effort would be a step in the right direction.

Artist's sketches of two of the major building projects may be seen below. The new intermediate school will be built on school property between 13th and 14th Streets and will face 14th St. The athletic facility will be built next to the present intermediate school on Ave. G and the school will become the junior high school.



GIFT TO LIBRARY - The Crockett County Womens Club presented a cassette tape player with tapes of the entire New Testament to the Adult Library Monday morning. The machine and tapes may be checked out by groups, individuals and organizations. Making the presentation to Librarian Earline Jones is club president Shelley Conner.

County Commissioners Court In Busy Monthly Meeting

The Crockett County Commissioners Court met Monday in regular monthly session and for the most part conducted routine business matters. In the first item on the agenda, the court authorized a new roof for the courthouse annex.

Poly Industries, Inc. of Midland was given the contract for the roof at a cost of \$2,999. The roof will have a 10-year guarantee and will be inspected every three years. It is guaranteed to withstand 90-mile-per-hour winds and golf ball size hail. Construction will get under way within two weeks.

Orval Maney, cemetery superintendent, appeared before the court and asked for raises for himself and his men. He asked to have his salary raised from \$3.00 per hour to \$3.25, and asked that his two employees be raised from \$2.75 to \$3.00 per hour. The court approved the raises as requested.

Also asking for a raise in salary before the court was Luis Martinez, who is presently employed for courthouse maintenance at \$3.30 per hour. After a brief discussion about the condition of courthouse grounds, the court decided a raise at this time was not justified.

The court set county cleanup week for April 4-9. The county will clean vacant lots, with the owners permission, and county trucks will pick up debris and refuse during the week free of charge to residents.

A high band radio was approved for Justice of the Peace Al Fields, and Sheriff Billy Mills was authorized to

purchase high band crystals for the Highway Patrol cars in order that the troopers can communicate with the county officers on the frequency.

In other business, Carolyn Clayton was appointed to the Civic Center board and the date to canvass the school bond election was scheduled for 9 a.m. Friday, March 25.

The court approved a carnival locating here, after receiving several letters from surrounding areas giving the concern good recommendations. It will be sponsored by the G.I. Forum and proceeds will go toward a scholarship fund.

The hospital board minutes were read and discussed. The doctors offered to resume obstetrical practice under certain conditions. Both doctors at the hospital quit taking obstetrical cases some time ago and there has been concern about the void this action left in the community. They have agreed to resume this practice if the county will assume cost of malpractice insurance for obstetrics for both physicians, the nursing staff at the hospital be upgraded, and hospital equipment be upgraded. The hospital board took no action on this request, nor did the court.

Also in hospital business, Carol Carlisle appeared before the board on behalf of James Fleming, D.O., presently in practice in San Antonio. She said Dr. Fleming wanted to come to Ozona to open a practice. The hospital board agreed to offer equal opportunity to any qualified physician desiring to use the facilities. If Dr.

Fleming opens a practice here, the town will have three medical doctors and an osteopathic doctor.

The Mrs. Carlisle who appeared before the hospital board has no connection with Dr. Carlisle and Carlisle Clinic.

New rules were adopted pertaining to hangars at the airport: All hangars built on airport property must be approved by the court, as to type of construction, plans and location and hangars will be maintained in good repair to the satisfaction of the court. Upon written notification of needed repairs owners will have 60 days to remedy same and upon failure to do so, ownership will revert to the county. Any hangar may be sold to another party for airplane use only but cannot be torn down or removed from airport property.

Jimmy Thompson came before the court to discuss the problem of the television tower being in the flight path of planes approaching and leaving the airport. The FAA has ruled that neither federal nor state money can be used to support the airport or make improvements until the tower is moved. Oscar Kost, Ozona Television System manager, has indicated he doesn't object to moving the tower if it doesn't interfere with viewing.

The cemetery association met with the court, Mrs. Jack Baggett, president, Judge Williams, Jess Marley and Leta Powell. All were re-elected by acclamation.

Funeral Here Friday For Mr. Pearson

Funeral services for Paul E. Pearson, 65, were held Friday at 2 p.m. in Calvary Baptist Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery under the direction of Janes Funeral Home.

Mr. Pearson died Wednesday at his ranch Home near here following a sudden illness.

He was born Nov. 28, 1911 in Grayson County and had been a resident of Crockett County for about four years. He was married to Delvenia Moore Oct. 17, 1936 in Grandfield, Okla.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Paul D. Pearson of Mineral Wells; one brother, Johnnie Pearson of San Fernando, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Lena Phillips of Denison and Mrs. Nola Beasley of Ransisco, Ind., and one grandson.

Randy Allen Essay Contest Dist. Winner

Randy Allen, son of Mrs. Lester Allen and a junior student in Ozona High School, won first place in the junior-senior division of the annual conservation essay contest, sponsored by the Crockett County Soil and Water Conservation District. Allen's essay was also judged best overall from the district. He will receive the \$30 first place award along with a \$10 bonus for top essay in the county. His essay was chosen from 45 submitted by Ozona High School students.

There were awards for first, second, and third place in both junior and senior divisions. The other five winners will be announced in high school assembly in the near future and they, along with Allen, will be presented with their awards.

Allen will be recognized, along with other district winners in the area, at the Area Conservation Banquet and Awards Program tonight, Thursday, at Angelo State University.

Kirby Kirklen On Deans List At STSU

Kirby Kirklen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Kirklen of Ozona was among the Southwest Texas State University students whose fall semester grades earned them places on the Dean's List.

To make the regular Honor Roll, a student must be enrolled for a minimum of 12 semester hours of coursework, excluding physical education activities, and achieve at least an overall "B" average.

Property Tax For School Bond Issue Clarified

In an effort to clarify the announced figures on the cost to the taxpayers of Crockett County to retire the proposed \$4.1 million bond issue for the repair, renovation and improvement of the Crockett Consolidated Common School District's plant in Ozona, a statement was issued this week by school and county support in light of the proposed bond issue.

Information provided by the school board revealed the net increase in the school tax rate, based on a 10-year bond retirement program, would be 57 cents per \$100 property valuation. Translating this for town property owners, home owners, rent property owners, business property owners, the proposed increase in rates on, say a property rendition of \$400 would be a tax increase of \$2.30 on an \$800 rendition a rate increase of \$4.60 in your property tax and on a \$2,000 rendition a net rate increase of \$11.50, etc.

For the land owner, the present school tax rate of \$1.22 per \$100 valuation means a tax bill of \$31.23 per section of land rendered. This translates to .049 cents per acre.

If the proposed school bond issue is approved, the land owner's per section tax bill would go up to \$45.95, or .072 cents per acre. The net increase in the landowner's tax, therefore, would be \$14.72 per section of land. The owner of a 10-section ranch would pay an additional \$147.20 in taxes for ten years to retire the bond issue.

There seems general agreement among school patrons and the general population of the county that the proposed improvements to the school plant are vitally needed. Too long neglected, the entire plant has deteriorated, much of the property has become obsolete and all in need of immediate maintenance steps. Since the plant has gone so long without major improvements, the school board considered it the best policy to ask the taxpayers to approve a bond issue of sufficient size to effect general work-over, improvement and addition to bring the entire plant up to present-day standards. With the specter of possible take over by the state of financing school districts on a state-wide basis, the improvement program appears even more urgent, since it should be apparent that once this happens the levelling process will not provide an opportunity for upgrading of the local system.

For one who might wish to review the proposed improvements and additions to be brought about if taxpayers

approve the \$4.1 bond issue on March 24, the Stockman reproduces below the multi-faceted program which the school board announced as its aim simultaneously with announcement of the bond election.

What facilities and improvements will be included in this proposed program?

1. All year around heating and cooling systems for Ozona Primary, Ozona Intermediate, and the main High School Building.

2. Insulating the roofs at the Primary, Intermediate, and High School as well as enclosing a major portion of the windows to help the conserving of hot and cool air.

3. New indirect lighting throughout the Primary, Intermediate, and High School as well as acoustical ceilings for each building; including lowering of ceilings at the high School Building.

4. Covering of the wood flooring with appropriate tile flooring at the Primary and High School and replacing tile in a good portion of the Intermediate School.

5. Painting the inside and outside of Primary, Intermediate, Main High School building, and Davidson Memorial Gymnasium with appropriate color scheme and new fixtures for gymnasium.

6. New construction to

include the following items:
A. Addition of three classrooms at the Primary School.

B. All-weather metal recreational building at the Primary School.

C. A gymnasium at the site of the present Intermediate School with necessary dressing facilities for physical education and athletics for grades 6, 7, and 8.

D. Elementary school building to accommodate grades 3, 4, and 5 at 14th and Jones Streets. This school facility will have 18 classrooms, 1 book and storage room, a library, dining facilities, administrative office for principal, teachers' workroom, two complete toilet units for boys and girls, all-weather recreational building, appropriate off-street parking for faculty, and site improvements to include on campus driveways on the North-South and East-West sides of the campus.

E. Facilities (and necessary equipment) to provide instruction in welding, general electricity, and auto-mechanics-to be located West of the Vo.Ag. building.

F. New Public restrooms for men and women to be located at the West side of Lions Stadium.

G. Four new lighted tennis courts just West of the

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Lion Tracksters Win Cactus Relays Saturday In Iraan

The Ozona Lions won their division at the Cactus Relays Saturday in Iraan with 209 1/2 points, followed by Crane with 159.

The Lions will be in Sonora Saturday where they will clash with District foes Crane and Sonora and fans will see a possible preview of what the district meet will look like April 16.

Saturday the Lions had improved times from the previous meet and all 16 members scored points for the win, capturing 8 first places.

The 440-yd. relay team of Vaden Aldridge, Clyde Bailey, Gary Warren and Cruz Garza, came in third with a 46.7. Cliff Crawford won first in the 880-run with a time of 2:11.1. Gene Galindo placed third with 2:12.6 and Bill Dudley was fourth with 2:13.6.

Steve Pagan won a first place in the 120-yd. high hurdles with a time of 16.1 and Blake Moody was second with 16.3. Dan Sewell got fourth with 18.4. Gary Warren won first in the 100-yd. dash with 10.6, and Randy Allen was fourth with 10.9.

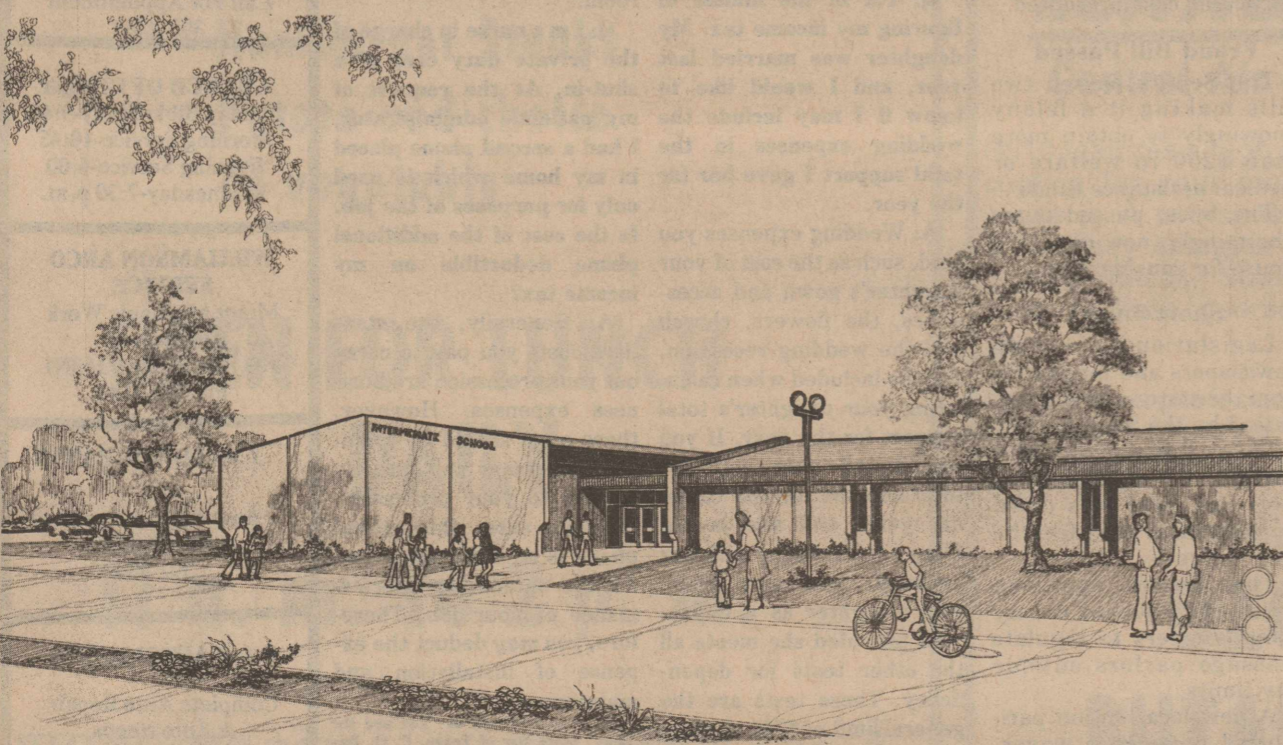
The Lions placed third, fourth and sixth in the 440 yd. dash with Dan Spivey,

Cruz Garza and Paul Zapata getting the points for the Lions.

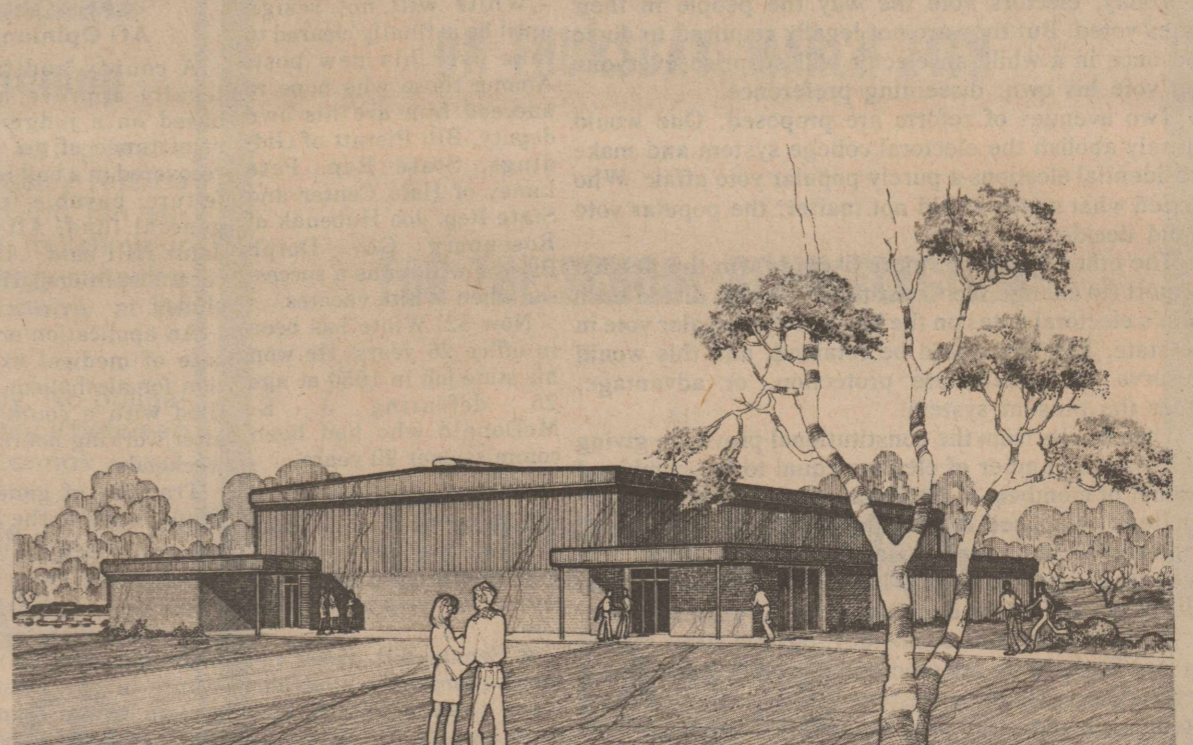
Pagan also placed first in the 330 intermediate hurdles with a time of 42.3. Gary Warren and Blake Moody were second and third respectively. Crawford placed first in the 220 with 23.8, followed by Randy Allen for fourth and Bill Dudley for sixth.

Jesse Garza won the mile run with a time of 5:01.4. Team mates Ed Hale and Cliff Babbitt were third and sixth in the events. The mile relay team of Crawford, Allen, Pagan and Dudley won a first place with 3:38.4.

The Lions placed fourth and a tie for fifth in the High jump with Vaden Aldridge and Gary Warren doing the scoring. Aldridge won a first place in the long jump, with Moody and Warren placing second and fourth. Aldridge added another first place in the pole vault with a vault of 12'6". Moody placed second with the same score but more misses, and Dan Sewell was third with a vault of 11". Clyde Bailey got a fifth place in the shot and Moody placed sixth in the discus to finish out the scoring.



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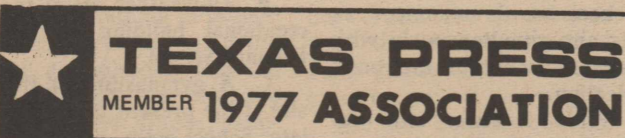
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Catastrophic Insurance

The Carter Administration has passed the word the nation cannot yet afford national health insurance. But there's no reason the present Congress couldn't set up a program of catastrophic insurance this year.

In the richest country in the world it simply isn't acceptable that families are wiped out and members sometimes allowed to die because of an unexpected catastrophic illness.

Federal-backed insurance for all, for this rare eventuality, could be legislated and required with a minimum of red tape. The cost would not be prohibitive if administration of the new program was on a business-like basis, and only those who actually deserved aid received it.

Polls show the vast majority of Americans in favor of such a program; yet Congress has refused to take this first step, which could be speedily enacted and inaugurated, because many want something more inclusive. Until something more is affordable, the 95th Congress should at least provide the American people this protection.

Carter & The People

President Carter shows every indication of striving hard to be a man of the people. He likes the idea of radio shows, where people call in and talk to the President, of spending the night in various private homes in various parts of the country, of allowing Americans to bring questions to him directly in the White House, etc.

The basic democratic principle of being a man of the people, of remaining in close contact with the people, is good. Doing what the people want is also good--so long as the President also feels that's what's best for the country.

But the people also need leadership and the crux of a political and democratic policy of being a man of the people, for a President, is to wisely decide when he knows better than the majority what's best. A President should certainly know better quite often. He has access to so many more facts and figures and inside information and, after all, he's supposed to be a leader. That's why he was elected.

The other theory that after election a President should concentrate all his energy and effort on doing the best job for the country he can do, and that if he does a good job he will be returned to office, is also valid. Of course, such a policy doesn't necessarily preclude all close contact with the average voter. How much the average voter can really help a President is a good question. In the end, the President must lead and show the way--and the people will respond to a job well done, even if done with a minimum of politickin'.

Abolish Electoral College?

A number of Senators have sponsored new legislation in this opening session of Congress to abolish the electoral college, which has three times allowed a President with fewer votes than his opponent to win the White House.

When that happened--all three cases long ago--the people were not as perturbed as they would be today, because the country then was just a step removed from an even worse system, whereby electors decided on their own whom the President would be. Originally, they were elected to elect a President--the theory being the people were not competent to do so.

Today, electors vote the way the people in their states voted. But they are not legally required to do so and once in a while an elector will surprise everyone and vote his own, dissenting preference.

Two avenues of reform are proposed. One would entirely abolish the electoral college system and make presidential elections a purely popular vote affair. Who carried what states would not matter; the popular vote would decide.

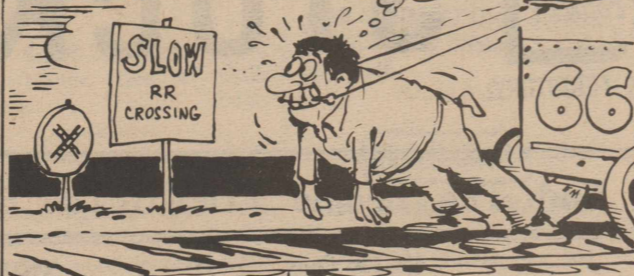
The other approach, more likely to win the needed support (to change the Constitution) would divide each state's electoral votes on the basis of the popular vote in the state. Electors would be retained, and this would preserve the small-state protection, or advantage, under the present system.

That results from the constitutional provision giving each state a number of electors equal to the combined number of members of the Senate and House. Since the Senate is composed of two members from each state, membership not proportional to the population, this gives small states a slightly larger voice in presidential selections than a pure democratic voting system would.

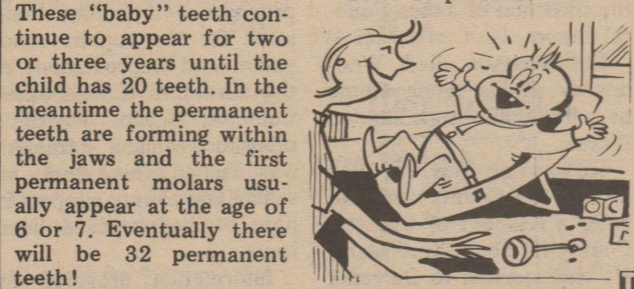
It may not be pure democracy, but the latter reform is more likely to be adopted and it would at least be a step forward. Under a system whereby the electoral vote of each state was proportionately divided (all now go to the winning candidate in a state) the popular vote winner would always win the White House.

FANCY THAT!

Probably the strongest teeth in the world belong to John Massis of Gand, Belgium, who on April 4, 1974 was able to pull two railroad passenger cars weighing 80 tons along the rails with a bit in his teeth!



Protecting teeth in the U. S. has been aided by fluoride supplements which have become an important part of many decay prevention programs. When pre-schoolers receive regular fluoride supplements, their tooth decay rate is lowered 45 to 60 percent. When a fluoride supplement program is started at 6 years of age, the decay rate is reduced 20 to 45 percent!



A baby's first tooth usually appears when he is 6 to 8 months old. These "baby" teeth continue to appear for two or three years until the child has 20 teeth. In the meantime the permanent teeth are forming within the jaws and the first permanent molars usually appear at the age of 6 or 7. Eventually there will be 32 permanent teeth!

STATE CAPITAL

Highlights

AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — State Insurance Board staff members scaled down an industry request for a 6.6 per cent hike in building coverage to 1.7 per cent.

Industry spokesman called the recommendation to the board a "joke."

The staff recommendation for homeowners coverage, purchased by most Texans who are paying for homes, was a 6.6 per cent increase. In this category, the industry wanted eight per cent more.

"The real world tells you that you at least have to keep pace with inflation and other trends," said Tom B. Lee, general manager of the Texas Insurance Advisory Association.

Lee claimed insurance will be harder to get if rates are not raised sufficiently because companies couldn't sell coverage at a loss.

Board statisticians recommended a 1.1 per cent average fire insurance reduction for all lines, but a 1.4 per cent increase for fire insurance on homes. The industry wants 2.5 per cent more overall, with a 5.6 per cent increase for residences.

Rates vary by territory. The board staff proposed 5.4 per cent more in the Seacoast territory, 9.3 per cent in the Central Inland territory and 2.4 per cent in the North-Northwest.

Staff members proposed an average statewide reduction of 5.2 per cent in extended coverage, providing coverage for storm and explosion damage. The industry asked 6.6 per cent.

White Named
Veteran Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White accepted appointment as deputy U.S. Secretary of Agriculture, subject to Senate confirmation.

White will not resign until he is finally cleared to take over his new post. Among those who hope to succeed him are his own deputy, Bill Pieratt of Giddings, State Rep. Pete Laney of Hale Center and State Rep. Joe Hubenak of Rosenberg. Gov. Dolph Briscoe will name a successor when White vacates.

Now 52, White has been in office 26 years. He won his state job in 1950 at age 25, defeating J. E. McDonald who had been commissioner 20 years.

Issue Stalled
Efforts to find a compromise to the medical malpractice insurance logjam so far have been fruitless.

A Senate bill under intensive committee study for more than a month has been sent to the attorney general for an opinion on its constitutionality.

SNIPS, QUIPS AND LIFTS

by Lottie Lee Baker

The road to success is always under construction.

The reason we're wiser than youngsters half our age, they are sowing their wild oats, but we are growing sage.

FLU SEASON — hoarse and buggy days.

It may be incorrect to say that a book was writ or a book was wrote, but it might be perfectly all right to say a book was written.

I saw a sign on a shoemaker's shop that said "TIME WOUNDS ALL HEELS."

Medicine has become so specialized that if a head cold moved down into your chest you have to change doctors.

No nation is so poor it cannot afford free speech.

We are gradually converting to the metric system, so they say. So it will soon be: FOLLOW THE LITER.

In a report it states the Central American countries ing to confront U.S. firms - BANANA REPUBLICS BUNCHING UP.

People are never closer than when comparing symptoms.

Winter temperatures are not getting worse, it's just that more things won't work during that time.

To err is human; to blame it on the other guy is more human.

It is not a small world when a man has to chase his hat in the wind.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
Hem in both ends of the day with prayer and it is not so likely to unravel in the middle.

Tch, Tch.
Two of the country's most successful tournament bridge players recently surprised fans by suddenly withdrawing from the most important competition in America -- on the verge of winning almost certain victory.

Afterward, it was learned Richard Katz and Lawrence Cohen had also resigned from the American Contract Bridge League, after having been called before a special committee to answer charges of improprieties.

Whether the parties are innocent or not, the incident recalls the case of the two Italians caught passing information in recent world championship play. They withdrew in a major scandal.

Bridge is played by millions. The temptation is great among some to use secret codes, bids, looks, tricks, etc., to pass information. It happens. But that takes the sport and the true testing of skill out of the game.

In the best circles, it's a no-no--such as loaded dice, marked cards, etc. If you would stay in the best circles, then, resist the urge.

Insurance for employees paid from the general fund.

Department of Health Resources has no general rule-making power. Whether a rule is valid under specific statutory authorization depends on each particular case presented.

Fraud Bill Passed
The Senate passed two bills making it a felony knowingly to obtain more than \$200 in welfare or medical assistance funds.

The bills, passed overwhelmingly, now go to the House for consideration.

Short Snorts
Legislation exempting newspapers and magazines from the state sales tax was passed by the Senate.

Texas natural gas production (7.7 trillion cubic feet) last year was down from 8 trillion cubic feet the year before.

The House approved legislation allowing county commissioners to regulate massage parlors outside city limits.
A new local option pari-mutuel horse race wagering bill has been introduced in the House.

THE LIONS ROAR

John L. Henderson
Helen Bunger

Hope Phillips
Carmen Delgado

Monday there was a band concert in the High School Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. If you didn't go, you should have, it was real entertaining.

LR
Wednesday the sophomores took their achievement test. Hope everybody did real good!

LR
The band will travel to Coleman, Friday. They will leave here at 8 a.m. for the Concert and Sight Reading Contest. Let's get a "1".

LR
This Saturday, the tennis team will host the Ozona Tennis Tournament; the boys Varsity Track will leave at 8 a.m. for Sonora; the golf team will leave at 7 a.m. to play at Crane, and the Jr. High Track team will go to Crane. Good Luck Everybody!

LR
The nominees for Mr. O.H.S. are: Clyde Bailey, John Galvan, Ricky DeHoyos, Mike Fay and Orlando DeHoyos and for Miss O.H.S. are: Karen Kirby, Karen Bebee, Pam Young, Hope Phillips, Shannon Dockery and Lupe Tambunga. We will vote today. So be thinking of your choice.

LR
What was the heavy fog that Eugene Hood and John L. Henderson ran into last Friday in Ag. class?

LR
Is it true that Jimmy Hokit got his hair styled Tuesday in English class.

LR
Who were the english dropouts riding around the school Tuesday morning?

LR
Is it true that Mrs. Allen received a warrant for her arrest last Sunday for a speeding ticket?

LR
The Shadow suspects that Pam Young might need to put it in high gear to finish her formal for the dance. The Shadow likes that dress so much that she might even

HELP!

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Q: My wife and I married about a year ago. We are both past 65 years of age. She has refused to show any affection to me or even share my bed since we were married. May our marriage be annulled?
A: One of the grounds for annulment is permanent impotency. But, the person seeking the annulment must show that he or she was not aware of it at the time of the marriage. Also, the couple cannot voluntarily continue to live together after the discovery of the impotency. There are relatively few annulments in Texas because of the limiting specifications prescribed in the Texas Family Code. Most of the time, the law requires prompt and proper action by a spouse for a marriage to be subject to annulment.

Q: I'm in the middle of figuring my income tax. My daughter was married last year, and I would like to know if I may include the wedding expenses in the total support I gave her for the year.
A: Wedding expenses you paid, such as the cost of your daughter's gown and accessories, the flowers, church and the wedding reception, may be included when calculating your daughter's total support for the year. If you contributed over half her total support for the calendar year, and she is not filing a joint return with her husband, you may claim your daughter as a dependent provided she meets all the other tests for dependency. These tests are the general limit of \$750 of gross income and citizenship.

Q: I hear that they have changed portions of the tax law relating to operating a business out of your home. My question is this: May I deduct as a business expense the portion of my home where I store my inventory?
A: You may deduct the allocable business expenses for a portion of your home if you use it regularly as a storage unit for your inventory that you sell either retail or wholesale. Also, your home must be the sole fixed location of your trade or business. The storage area does NOT have to be used exclusively for storage--this means it could be a garage, a spare room or something like that. You can't, however, write off a room which is used both as an office and a den--just the storage room.

Q: I'm a nurse in charge of the private duty care of a shut-in. At the request of my patient's administrator, I had a second phone placed in my home which is used only for purposes of the job. Is the cost of the additional phone deductible on my income tax?
A: Generally, the standard costs you pay to carry out your profession are business expenses. However, these costs should be ordinary, necessary and directly related to your profession. In your case, the second phone is an expense to you for the satisfactory performance of your job. Therefore, you may deduct the expense of installation and maintenance.

Send your questions to "You and the Law," State Bar of Texas, P. O. Box 12487, Austin, 78711. Answers may appear in columns in hypothetical terms; personal answers not possible.

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Tips For Gardeners

From the Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

March signals the beginning of spring throughout the south, and with it comes the urge to till the soil and plant vegetables, if you have the space. In most areas, planting crops must be delayed until all danger of frost is past. In this mid-south zone a succession of plantings is often possible for such warm-season crops as beans and squash. With the last frost expected about March 15, there will be approximately 230 days of growing season. It seems safer to plant no earlier than Good Friday before Easter, except for the hardier vegetables and plants.

Many are having fun and success with the growing of strawberry plants. Production is widespread throughout the south, so why not try making a small bed to begin with. Some prefer to set the plants out in the fall, but in cooler areas, they may be set out in the spring and grown as perennials, and will produce fruit for several years. It is important that a variety be selected that is adaptable to our local growing conditions.

To be sure of vigorous plants with lots of leaves, buy plants of the right variety that are certified to be disease and insect free.

A well drained sandy soil mixed with organic matter (compost, peat or animal manure) is ideal for strawberry production. Choose a spot with full exposure to the sun most of the day. Two pounds of complete fertilizer such as 8-8-8 should be added to each 100 square feet of soil area and spaded to a depth of 6 inches. Set plants at 12-inch intervals with the crown just above ground level.

Of growing strawberries as perennials, remove the flower buds to keep the plants from bearing fruit the first year, and to permit a strong root system to develop. Cut off runners as they appear, to permit the mother plant to grow a better root system. To save space and use as a decorative feature to the garden, construct a pyramid. To do this, erect three circles of six-inch aluminum edging, each circle two feet less in diameter than the one below it. Raise each circle two feet less in diameter than the one below it. Raise each circle six inches above the lower one. Fill each with good soil. A sprinkler head installed in the center of the top circle facilitates watering and an aluminum frame over the complete pyramid can be covered later with bird proof netting.

CAFETERIA MENU

- Monday**
Luncheon Loaf & Cheese
Potato Salad
Lettuce Salad
Fruit Cup
Bread
- Tuesday**
Chicken Taco Pie
Buttered Carrots
Cabbage Salad
Fruit Cup
Cornbread
- Wednesday**
Pinto Beans
German Sausage
Spoon Tomato Salad
Cookies
Cornbread
- Thursday**
Barbecued Beef on Bun
Buttered Corn
Potato Chips
Vegetable Salad
Fruit Cup
- Friday**
Turkey & Dressing
Green Beans
Sweet Potatoes
Fruit Cup
Hot Rolls



Debra Says

by Debra Price

Pressures today pose a greater threat to youth than at any time in recent decades, conflicting with their need to develop emotional stability, Debra Price, County Extension Agent, says.

There are increasing technological demands, social and economic demands, and personal demands on each young individual to achieve maximal potential.

This is the scientific age and pressure is thrust on youth to understand higher and higher levels of technology. But these scientific facts may conflict with basic family beliefs the youth learned as a child and still upholds.

The constant push for change allows no time for meditation, thought, or for living with any established fact for a period of time. Because nothing is ever at rest, it is difficult for young people to develop a sense of stability.

Social and economic demands necessitate more years in school—technical training, college, graduate school and post graduate school are becoming the rule rather than the exception. These pressures operate a silent, but never ending, threat to young people today.

In a society that values people for what they can do, pressure is inevitable. Family pressures, psychological pressures, economic pressures, political pressures and peer pressures all exist for youth.

Some pressure can increase motivation. For example, a student with a high grade in a subject will probably feel enough motivation in the face of an exam to study hard to keep his high grade. This pressure is good.

However, there is a point in which the youngster is adversely affected and achievement levels off.

Too much pressure can lead to stress and anxiety.

Warning signs are clear when this occurs—parents need only observe their youngster. Has his general attitude changed—is he depressed, extremely nervous, or turning to alcohol or drugs for relief? And physical symptoms—is he wakeful and restless at night when he ordinarily slept well, does he urinate more frequently, does he twist his hair or even unravel socks? All these

A JOB WELL DONE

Fortunate is the community that has dedicated citizens, willing to serve the community in any betterment endeavor. Ozona has always been exceptionally fortunate in that respect and the result has been a constantly growing and improving town and county.

A shining example of this truth is close at hand in time in the recent successful publication of the Crockett County History book, a monumental achievement which will stand the test of time as one of the greatest community service endeavors ever undertaken in Crockett County.

All honors for this achievement must go to the leadership of Geniece (Mrs. Pleas) Childress whose two years of dedicated service in the preparation of the book, the assembling, with the help of equally dedicated aides, of the material of the book, the family histories, the succinct accounts of the county's political, economic and social history and the rich assembly of historically significant pictures, is a classic in community service.

The work is truly a monumental service to Crockett County. A tremendous personal satisfaction must be felt by Mrs. Childress in her achievement and this satisfaction must be enhanced by the great groundswell of 'Bravos' that went up from all sides as the book's beauty and the value of its content were absorbed by readers.

Mrs. Childress has earned the undying gratitude of the entire community for her service and for her and her faithful helpers a resounding "WELL DONE!"

Evert White

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tillman announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Anne, to Mr. Joe Phillip Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jones of Floydada. The wedding is planned for June 4, in Ozona United Methodist Church. Anne, a graduate of Ozona High School, is a sophomore P.E. major at Texas Tech. Her fiancé, a graduate of Floydada High School and Texas A&M University, is engaged in stock farming with his father.

Registration Stickers Should Be Purchased

Have you picked up your 1977 motor vehicle registration sticker yet?

If not, be prepared to push the panic button.

That's exactly what members of the Tax Assessor-Collectors Association of Texas are about to do.

R.W. Townsley, director of the Motor Vehicle Division of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, said today that county tax officials "literally were ready to crawl the walls" when the organization's board of directors met in Corpus Christi recently.

"Very few motorists have registered their vehicles—just like last year," Townsley said. "Tax offices are staffed to handle the anticipated rush to get stickers early, and they've simply got nothing to do."

Despite the easily handled stickers, which were initiated in 1976, and computer-prepared registration applications—which eliminate most of the delay formerly involved in typing registrations—motorists simply aren't remembering last year's frustrating last minute lines.

"Tax collectors are waiting for the 'big crunch'," Townsley said.

COUNTRY CLUB BRIDGE
Mrs. John Childress was hostess for Country Club Bridge Club Thursday at the country club.

Winning high was Mrs. Gene Williams, second high went to Mrs. Beecher Montgomery, and Mrs. Kirby Moore won the bingo.

Others playing included Mrs. Jim Bob Bailey, Mrs. Clay Adams, Mrs. George Bunker, Mrs. James Dockery, Mrs. Tommy Harris, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Jake Short, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Pat Wester, Mrs. Evert White and Mrs. Byron Williams, and two guests, Mrs. O. D. West and Mrs. C. O. Walker.

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signs point to a youngster under too much stress.

All of us are aware of the advantages of certain kinds of pressures and deliberately apply them. However, pressures may hurt and even destroy. When pressure continues beyond a youth's capacity, he becomes distressed.

The dangers of going too far in applying pressure are very real in our society today. Recognizing the warning signs helps parents know when to draw the line and ease up on a young person. Best, rather than most, pressure must become the goal of all. Some pressure is appropriate, too much is devastating.

Garden Club Meets For Luncheon

The Ozona Garden Club met Monday at noon at the Civic Center for a covered dish luncheon. Hostesses were Mrs. Richard Mayfield and Mrs. Larry Elliott.

Mrs. Bob Childress presided over the business meeting which followed and spring clean up week was discussed. The event will take place the first week in April, and club members reminded all residents to clean up around premises and stack trash and debris for pick up by county trucks.

The program was a demonstration on flower arranging presented by Mrs. W.H. Siliński and Mrs. Melvin Burner, both National Accredited Judges of San Angelo. In preparation for the April flower show, the two presented arrangements and suggestions for each class in the artistic division. Titles for the classes are taken from movies this year. For the horticulture classes, everyone who wishes to enter plants and cut flowers should begin grooming and checking names of each entry now.

Others present were Mrs. Fleet Coates, Mrs. Max Schneemann, Mrs. Maggie Crawford, Mrs. Ben Bohmfalk, Mrs. L.B. Cox, Jr., Mrs. J.W. Howell, Mrs. Ginger Lenamon, Mrs. A.S. Lock, Mrs. J.B. Miller, Mrs. Bailey Post, Mrs. J.C. Schroeder, Mrs. Glenn Sutton, Mrs. O.D. West, Mrs. Stephen Perner and Mrs. James Montgomery.

FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Evert White entertained members of the Friday Bridge Club with a luncheon and bridge at the Way Back When Friday. After luncheon was served in the party room, guests enjoyed bridge.

High score award went to Mrs. George Bunker, second high to Mrs. Hillery Phillips, low to Mrs. Larry Arledge and bingo to Mrs. C.O. Walker.

Others attending were Mmes. J.B. Miller, Joe Brown, Eddie Arnold, Sherman Taylor, Stephen Perner, Bailey Post, O.D. West, Eldred Roach, Sidney Millsapugh, Max Schneemann and Jake Short.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. Roy Henderson and Mrs. Boyd Clayton spent a few days in Austin last week.

Mrs. Lowell Littleton was in Houston last week for medical attention.

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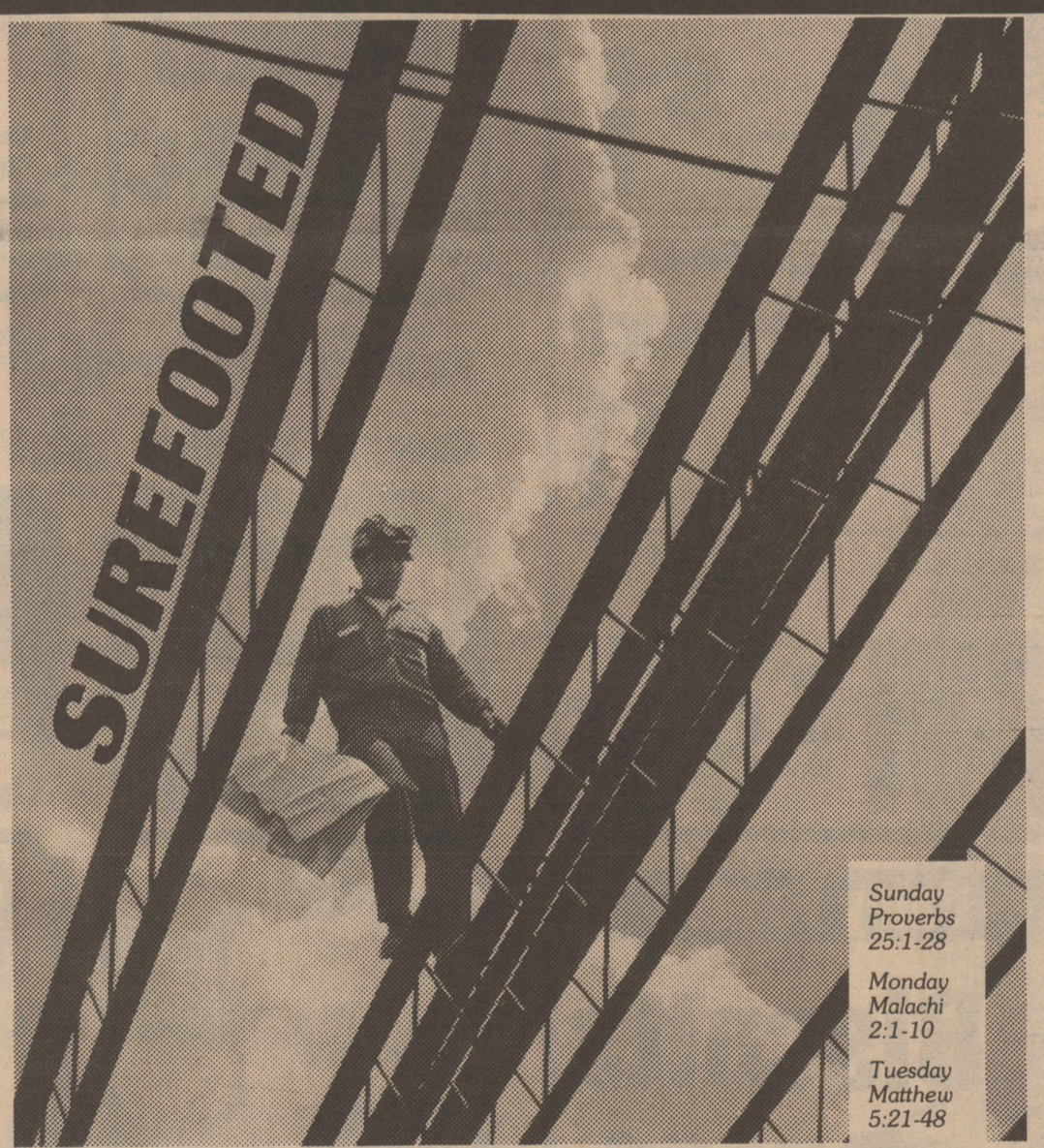
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What one man can do easily another flinches from. It really seems as if God planned it that way. He made us in varying sizes, shapes and colors. He gave us all different talents. When you add up the sum total it means that each of us is unique.

Next time you're feeling down, think about the uniqueness. You are you — you even have fingerprints that don't match those of any other person in the world. Being you is important. Don't let anyone tell you otherwise.

Why not take that important person to church next Sunday?

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Sunday Proverbs 25:1-28

Monday Malachi 2:1-10

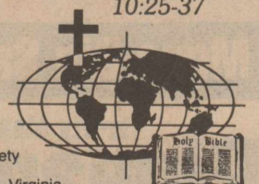
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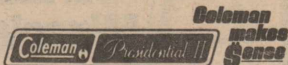
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Cubs And JV Place Second In Own Meet

The Cubs placed second and third and the Junior Varsity placed second in the junior high and junior varsity track meet held here Saturday in high dusty wind. The eighth graders placed third and the seventh graders placed second, while Sonora won both divisions. The junior varsity came second to Junction in the JV division.

Ernie Borrego let the seventh graders with first place finishes in the 220 low hurdles and the long jump. The eighth graders were paced by Manuel Lumbreas. Freddy Garza led the JV with first place finishes in the long jump, 120 high hurdles, and 330 intermediate hurdles. Shane Fenton won the JV pole vault event.

worms) that live in the soil and aide in the decomposition process also benefit. In actuality, organic matter gives "life" to the soil. That's why it's so important, emphasizes the agent.

Sorority Meets At Civic Center

The Alpha Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Monday, March 14th, at the Civic Center with Mrs. Jimmy Lott and Mrs. Penafar serving as hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Johnny Meyer, president. Roll was called and the minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Jack Bentley, recording secretary. The Cancer Crusade door to door campaign was set up for April 14. It was announced that the Ritual of Jewels ceremony would be March 28th, the next meeting date. Everyone was reminded of the pledge party, March 17th, at the Civic Center. A thank you note was read from Sheelagh Barron thanking the club for the donation to the Wade Barron Fund, the state project.

The program was presented by Mrs. Jimmy Lott on "Philosophy". Following the closing ritual refreshments were served.

Others present were Mmes: Johnny Childress, Dennis Clark, Eddy Hale, Randy Hall, Bob Hicks, Frank Hill, Curtis Keith, Roy Lobstein, Terry McPherson, Chuck Morris, John Mullins, David Porter, Steve Sessom, Will Setzer, Richard Simpson, Alex Valverde and Gary Vannoy.

Organic Matter Makes Good Gardening

Home gardeners often overlook the importance of organic matter in the soil. Plenty of organic matter can be the clincher for a successful garden, says Billy Reago, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Organic matter serves mainly as a "soil conditioner." It is available in the various forms, including animal manure, compost, cover crops or mixed organic fertilizer. But whatever form is used, it should be applied to the soil at least two weeks prior to planting, advises the agent.

In moist, well-aerated, warm earth the decomposition of organic matter improves the tilth, water-holding capacity and nutrient content of the soil.

The addition of organic matter also controls the release of nutrients and decomposition acids. The microorganisms (fungi, bacteria,

4-H Leaders Slate Annual Forum April 15

The annual Texas 4-H Leader Forum will be held at the Texas 4-H Center, Lake Brownwood, on April 15 through 17. This fun-filled and information-packed event is planned by Texas' 4-H leaders and is sponsored by their 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Association.

"All 4-H club and project adult leaders in Crockett County are invited to register for this Leader Forum," Debra Price and Billy Reago, local County Extension Agents points out. "Forum participants from throughout the State will hear Dr. Eddie Amend, Assistant Director for the Wyoming Agricultural Extension Service, and Mr. Fred McClure, Student Body President from Texas A&M University, discuss several topics including 'Leading For What?' and 'The Obstacle Course'."

Forum participants also will receive 4-H tips from a youth panel, films, displays, group sessions, and informal exchanges. "One of the recreation highlights will be a 'tacky costume' party on Friday evening."

Registration application forms for the Texas 4-H Leader Forum are available through the Crockett County Extension Office, located at top floor of the Courthouse Annex. "Interested 4-H leaders are encouraged to register early," says Agents, "because the Texas 4-H Center's space will accommodate only the first two-hundred leaders who apply. For further details, you may call your County Extension Office at 392-2721."

There are four possible chances of holding a royal flush in a poker hand. However, the odds against it are 649,739 to one.

The U.S. is the only industrialized country in the world that does not use the metric system.

Expansion Needed In Texas Sheep and Goat Industry

The announcement last week by Swift & Company of the intended closing of one of its last three lamb processing facilities is a reminder of the need for expansion in the sheep and goat industry.

Poor earnings were blamed for the decision to close the Scottsbluff, Neb. plant, and recently concluded labor contracts are apparently at the heart of the problem, but continued lack of sheep numbers is obviously a contributing factor. It's past of the same familiar story of poor supply lowering demand,

Short Courses To Be Offered In Area Towns

A series of short courses designed to improve the skills of local governmental officials and employees in the San Angelo, Menard and Brady areas is scheduled to begin next week, sponsored by Angelo State University's Division of Adult and Continuing Education.

The courses, to be taught in Brady, Menard, and at Angelo State University in San Angelo are open at no charge to government officials and employees, including public school employees. They include the topics of general office management, office machines, bookkeeping, personnel management, local government financial management and an introduction to computers and data processing.

Financial support for the courses is provided by a Title I, Higher Education Act grant through the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System.

Additional information on the courses, most of which meet one night a week for approximately six weeks, may be obtained by contacting the Office of Adult and Continuing Education at ASU, 942-2339.

which further depresses production. In the meantime, service industries curtail service, etc.

Sheep industry leaders are aware of the problem, however, and their national plan for reversing the trend of past years is the "Blueprint for Expansion". Texas producers have their own "Blueprint", drawn up by producers and Extension personnel, headed by Dr. George Ahlschwede of San Angelo. The Texas plan includes both sheep and goats, and has a further provision designed to help make Texas No. 1 in agricultural production by 1980. Basically, though, the state plan has been developed to "complement and enhance" the national plan.

The first-mentioned goal of the program is image improvement, both among producers themselves and among their ultimate customers, the urban consumers.

This image enhancement will be an educational, rather than promotional endeavor, and will include demonstrations of the economic advantages and potential of the Texas sheep and goat industry. An additional Blueprint target is youth involvement in sheep and goat production. Breeding programs, quality recognition and predator control education are among the plan's intentions for coming producers. Possibly the most imaginative provision for youth involvement is the portion of the Texas Blueprint calling for youth camps to study production, marketing and further selected aspects of the sheep and goat industry. The emphasis of these camps will be to provide a "sound background" for tomorrow's producers.

Probably the most important section of the plan, as evidenced by the "expansion" portion of its name, is that aimed at increasing sheep and goat numbers. Predator control will play a big part in expansion, and urban dwellers will be major notches in the key. Hopefully, after learning the importance of sheep and goats, these urbanites will offer less resistance to predator control efforts.

The expansion plan further calls for production in "new" areas of the state, development of intensified management systems, reduction of lamb and kid mortality and increase in reproduction rates. Parasite control, nutrition studies and cross-breeding for higher fertility are also targeted areas.

The Texas blueprint outlines numerous areas of promise, and the opportunity for success is there, but it hinges on one element available only from present producers involvement. TS&GRA vice presidents Bill Schneemann of Big Lake and Norm Rousset of Sonora are co-chairmen of the Texas plan.

Dividends and proceeds from government life insurance policies are exempt from federal income tax, but the proceeds are subject to federal estate tax, Mr. Myatt explained.

Interest accrued on government life insurance dividends left on deposit or credit with the VA is not exempt and must be reported on federal income tax returns, Mr. Myatt added.

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OHS Band Boosters Hold Meet

The Ozona High School Band presented their concert contest music on Monday evening in the auditorium for parents and friends. The band goes to contest in Coleman, Friday.

Ozona Band Boosters held a meeting immediately after the performance with Mrs. Don Yeager presiding.

Plans for Fun Night, April 12th in the Park, were discussed. It was decided to have a Bake Sale in conjunction with Fun Night instead of the Country Store (with handicrafts) as previously publicized. Bingo will be one of the main attractions as it was last year when merchants supported the band by donating many fine prizes or, in some cases, money to purchase prizes. There will be races and contests and fun for young people; a concession stand and events for all ages.

Needed for band instruction are an additional lens for the camera and some high fidelity audio equipment to supplement that which boosters purchased last year.

Money raised will also be used to honor the OHS Band students with a banquet on April 25th at the Civic Center with an out-of-town speaker. There will be a party for the Junior High band students later.

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Public Notice

NOTICE OF ELECTION
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CROCKETT

CROCKETT COUNTY
WATER CONTROL AND
IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT
NO. 1

TO THE RESIDENT, LEGALLY QUALIFIED VOTERS OF CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1 AND TO THE RESIDENT, LEGALLY QUALIFIED VOTERS OUTSIDE SAID DISTRICT BUT WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF TRACT I AND TRACT II (HEREIN DESCRIBED), AND OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

TAKE NOTICE that elections will be held in said District and in said territories at the time and places and on the propositions as provided in the Order for Election duly passed by the Board of Directors of said District, which Order for Election is substantially as follows:

ORDER FOR ELECTION
BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1 CALLING ELECTIONS UPON THE QUESTION OF RATIFYING THE ANNEXATIONS OF CERTAIN TERRITORIES TO SAID DISTRICT, AND UPON THE QUESTION OF THE ASSUMPTION BY SAID ADDED TERRITORIES OF ITS RESPECTIVE PROPORTION OF THE OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF SAID DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, each and all of the members of the Board of Directors of said District was duly and sufficiently notified, officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place and purpose of this meeting; and

WHEREAS, proper notice of this meeting has been duly and timely posted as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, hearings were ordered and held by the Board of Directors of the District on two proposed annexations to the District, and said territories are heretofore and herein referred to as Tract I and Tract II, and the Board of Directors by resolution duly and legally adopted, granted each of the petitions for the annexations of said territories to said District; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and proper that the question of ratifying the annexations of said territories be submitted to the resident, legally qualified voters of said District and to the resident, legally qualified voters of each of said respective territories that were annexed by said resolution; and that at the same time and at the same election the question of the assumption by each of said added territories of its respective proportion of the outstanding bonded indebtedness of said District be submitted to the resident, legally qualified voters of each of said territories so annexed to the District;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1: That elections be held within said District, and separately within each of the territories hereinbefore and herein described as Tract I and Tract II, on the 2nd day of April, 1977, for the purpose of ratifying the annexations of the respective territories. Said territories which are adjacent to the District are as follows:

TRACT I
FIELD NOTES OF CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL ADJACENT TO AN EAST LINE OF EXISTING IMPROVEMENT NO. 1

BEGINNING AT A POINT FOR THE S.W. CORNER OF THIS WATER CONTROL AREA, located at the intersection of the South line of Highway #290 and an East line of existing Improvement District #1, and from which the West line of survey #3, Block OP, G.C. & S.F. R.R. Co., bears West 84.0 feet;

THENCE across said Highway #290 and with said East line of said existing improvement District #1, North 60.0 feet to a point for the N.W. corner of this Water Control corner;

right-of-way line of said Highway #290, in an easterly direction, crossing the N.E. corner of section 3, the West line of survey #94, crossing the East line of survey 94 and the West line of survey 89, crossing the East line of survey 89 and the West line of survey 73, crossing the East line of survey 73 and the West line of survey 72, all in Block OP, G.C. & S.F. R.R. Co., a distance of 21,703.65 feet to a point in the East line of survey 72 and in the West line of survey 69, being a point in the East line of the T.A. Kincaid lands and in the West line of the C.E. Davidson lands, and from which the N.E. corner of said survey 72 bears North, 950.0 feet;

THENCE with said property lines and the West lines of said survey 69, North 300.0 feet to a point;

THENCE across said C.E. Davidson lands and survey 69, S74°41'E, 300.0 feet North and parallel with the North R.O.W. of Highway 290 (also I.H. 10), 2950.0 feet to a point in the West R.O.W. of the access road to Crockett Heights Addition;

THENCE with said West R.O.W. N11°52'E, 980.0 feet to a point;

THENCE crossing said access road and with fence on the North line of said Crockett Heights, S78°08'E, 1010.0 feet to a corner post at the N.E. corner of said Crockett Heights;

THENCE with fence and the East line of said Crockett Heights, S11°52'W, 510.0 feet to a corner post at the S.E. corner of Crockett Heights;

THENCE with fence and the South line of said Crockett Heights, N78°08'W, 950.0 feet to a corner post at the S.W. corner of said Crockett Heights and in the East R.O.W. of said Access road to Crockett Heights;

THENCE with the East R.O.W. of said Crockett Heights Access road, S11°52'W, 470.0 feet to a point in said East R.O.W. of access road, and being a point 300.0 feet North of said Highway 290 (I.H. 10);

THENCE 300.0 feet North of and parallel with said North R.O.W., S74°41'E, crossing the East line of said survey 69 and the West line of survey 52, continuing to a point in the West line of that tract of land conveyed from C.E. Davidson to Tommy Mitchell, being a point in the West line of survey 50;

THENCE with the West line of survey 50, North to a point in the West line of survey 49 at the N.W. corner of the Mitchell lands;

THENCE with the North line of said Mitchell lands and crossing the Taylor Box Road, 850 feet to a point in the East R.O.W. of said Taylor Box Road;

THENCE with the East R.O.W. of said Taylor Box Road, S31°03'32"W, 824.0 feet to a point in the East line of said Taylor Box road and at the N.W. corner of a 8.12 acre tract;

THENCE with the north line of said 8.12 acre tract, S74°17'38"E, 709.4 feet;

THENCE with the East line of said 8.12 acre tract S15°42'22"W, at 702.1 feet pass the S.E. corner of said 8.12 acre tract, continuing across access road, highway 290 and I.H. 10 to a point 300.0 feet south of the South R.O.W. of said I.H. 10;

THENCE in a westerly direction, 300.0 feet South of and parallel with the said South R.O.W. of I.H. 10, crossing surveys 50, 52, and 69 to a point located 300.0 feet South of the said South R.O.W. of I.H. 10, being a point in the West line of said survey 69, in the West line of the C.E. Davidson lands, and the East line of said T.A. Kincaid lands;

THENCE with said property lines and the West line of said survey 69, North, at 300.0 feet pass the South R.O.W. of I.H. 10, continuing, 609.92 feet in all to a point in the West line of said survey 69, the East line of said survey 72, and at a point in the original South line of said Highway 290;

THENCE in a westerly direction with the original South line of said Highway 290, crossing surveys 72, 73, 89, 94, and 3 all in Block OP, G.C. & S.F. R.R. Co., to the place of beginning.

TRACT II
FIELD NOTES OF CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL ADJACENT TO THE NORTH-EAST PART OF EXISTING IMPROVEMENT NO. 1

BEGINNING AT A POINT AT A N.E. corner of Improvement District No. 1, located in the West line of survey #3, Block OP, G.C. & S.F. R.R. Co., Crockett County, Texas;

THENCE with the West lines of surveys nos. 3 and 4, Block OP, G.C. & S.F. R.R. Co., North, at 1008.67 feet pass the N.W. corner of said survey #3 and the S.W. corner of survey #4; continuing, 6288.67 feet in all to the N.W. corner of said survey #4;

THENCE with the North line of said survey #4, East, 5280 feet to the N.E. corner of said survey #4;

THENCE with the East line of said survey #4, South, 5280.0 feet to the S.E. corner of said survey #4 and the N.E. corner of survey #3;

THENCE with the North line of said survey #3, West, 4480.0 feet to a point in the East line of the Jack Wilkins Tract No. 6 of the Country Estates Addition to Ozona;

THENCE across said survey #3 and the East line of said Country Estates, South, at 1054.42 feet pass the S.E. corner of said Country Estates and the N.E. corner of the Country Club 5.0 acre tract continuing 1326.67 feet in all to a point at the S.E. corner of said Country Club 5.0 acre tract, in the North line of Ozona Country Club and in the most Northeastly North line of existing Water District No. 1;

THENCE with said existing Water District Line and the South line of said Country Club 5.0 acre tract, West, 800.0 feet to a point located in the West line of said survey #3 and at a corner of said existing Water District, and at the S.W. corner of said Country Club 5.0 acre tract;

THENCE with the West line of said survey #3, North, at 272.25 feet pass the N.W. corner of said Country Club 5.0 acre tract and the S.W. corner of said Country Estates; continuing, 318.0 feet in all to the place of beginning.

For purposes of clarity: Election A in the District

(1) The election within the boundaries of the District on the proposition of annexation shall be referred to as Election A. The entire District is hereby constituted and declared to be one voting precinct and the resident, legally qualified voters of the District shall be entitled to vote in said Election A.

Election B in Tract I

(2) The election in the said territory hereinbefore and herein referred to as Tract I for the purpose of voting on the proposition of annexation and on the assumption of its respective proportion of the District's outstanding bonded indebtedness shall be referred to as Election B. The entire said territory (Tract I) is hereby constituted and declared to be one voting precinct, and the resident, legally qualified voters of said territory (Tract I) shall be entitled to vote in said Election B.

Election C in Tract II

(3) The election in the said territory hereinbefore and herein referred to as Tract II for the purpose of voting on the proposition of annexation and on the assumption of its respective proportion of the District's outstanding bonded indebtedness shall be referred to as Election C. The entire said territory (Tract II) is hereby constituted and declared to be one voting precinct, and the resident, legally qualified voters of said territory (Tract II) shall be entitled to vote in said Election C.

That at said Elections A and B on the question of annexation of Tract I to the District there shall be submitted the following proposition:

Shall Tract I be annexed to Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1?

That at said Elections A and C on the question of annexation of Tract II to the District there shall be submitted the following proposition:

Shall Tract II be annexed to Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1?

That at said Elections B and C in the above-described territories there shall also be submitted the following proposition:

If the annexation of said territory (or both territories) referred to in this Order for Election is ratified by a majority vote within the District as it is constituted prior to said annexation (or annexations) and by a majority vote

within said territory (or both territories) to be annexed, shall the added territory (or both territories) assume and pay off its respective proportion of the outstanding bonded indebtedness of Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, said indebtedness being described as follows:

\$22,000 CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1 WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEM BONDS, SERIES OF 1957, dated April 1, 1957, Bonds numbered 79 to 100, inclusive; bearing 4% interest per annum, said bonds being of the denomination of \$1,000 each, maturing on April 1, \$7,000 in each of the years 1976 and 1977, and \$8,000 in 1978, with said bonds optional on any interest payment date (being part of a total authorized issue of \$100,000);

\$121,000 CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1 WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEM BONDS, SERIES OF 1963, dated February 1, 1963, bearing 4% interest per annum, numbered 30 to 150, inclusive, of the denomination of \$1,000 each, maturing on April 1, \$10,000 in each of the years 1976 to 1978, inclusive, \$15,000 in each of the years 1979 to 1983, inclusive, and \$16,000 in 1984, with bonds numbered 60 to 150, inclusive, optional on April 1, 1978, or on any interest payment date thereafter (being part of a total authorized issue of \$150,000);

and shall the Board of Directors of said District be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax upon all taxable property within said territories (either or both, as the case may be) sufficient to pay its respective pro rata part of the requirements for principal and interest of said outstanding bonds?

No mistake in the description of the aforesaid bonded indebtedness, or otherwise, shall in any way affect the amount of debt to be assumed, it being the intent hereof for the territories (either or both) to be annexed to said District to assume its respective proportion of all bonded indebtedness outstanding against the said District at the time of the elections.

The purpose of this Order for Election is to get a response from the voters in the District and in each of the territories on the question of the annexations and to get a response from the voters in each of the territories on the assumption of the District's indebtedness.

It is proposed to the voters in the District and in Tract I and in Tract II that a vote cast FOR the annexation and the assumption of indebtedness, as the case may be, that the vote indicates a desire on the part of said voter that said voter would have voted FOR same regardless of whether the results of the elections favor the annexation of and assumption by one of said tracts or both of said tracts.

In order for each of the territories to be annexed and the bonded indebtedness equally spread throughout the District as enlarged, Election A on the respective propositions of annexation must carry by a majority of the electors in the District, and Election B and C on the respective proposition of annexation and assumption must carry by a majority of the electors in each of the said territories. In other words, for Tract I to be annexed and the debt spread evenly over the District, as enlarged, there must be a favorable vote in the District and in Tract I on the proposition of annexation of Tract I, and a favorable vote in Tract I on the proposition of the assumption of its pro rata debt, and the same reasoning is applicable to Tract II.

The official ballots for Election A shall be prepared in accordance with law so as to permit the voters to vote "FOR" or "AGAINST" the aforesaid annexation proposition, which ballots shall be set forth in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
(Election A)
 FOR
 AGAINST

ANNEXATION, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION OF ANNEXATION OF TRACT I.

FOR
 AGAINST

ANNEXATION, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION OF ANNEXATION OF TRACT II.

Each voter shall place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way the voter wishes to vote. The official ballots for Election B shall be prepared in accordance with law so as to permit voters to vote "FOR" or "AGAINST" the aforesaid propositions, which ballot shall be set forth in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
(Election B)
 FOR

AGAINST

ANNEXATION, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION OF ANNEXATION OF TRACT I.

FOR
 AGAINST

ASSUMPTION OF OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS AND THE LEVY OF TAXES ADEQUATE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN THE PROPOSITION OF ASSUMPTION.

Each voter shall place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way the voter wishes to vote.

The official ballots for Election C shall be prepared in accordance with law so as to permit the voters to vote "FOR" or "AGAINST" the aforesaid propositions, which ballots shall be set forth in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
(Election C)
 FOR
 AGAINST

ANNEXATION, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION OF ANNEXATION OF TRACT II.

FOR
 AGAINST

ASSUMPTION OF OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS AND THE LEVY OF TAXES ADEQUATE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN THE PROPOSITION OF ASSUMPTION.

Each voter shall place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way the voter wishes to vote.

The regular voting place for Election A shall be at the County Courthouse, Ozona, Texas, and the following persons are hereby appointed to act as election officers in Election A: MRS. J.W. HOWELL, Presiding Judge; MRS. J.C. SCHROEDER, Assistant Judge; MRS. W.D. COOPER, Clerk.

The absentee voting place for Election A shall be at the Office of the County Clerk in the County Courthouse, Ozona, Texas, in the District, and LETA POWELL, County Clerk, is hereby appointed absentee clerk for said Election A.

The regular voting place for Election B shall be at Crockett Heights #24, J.D. Kilgore Residence and the following persons are hereby appointed to act as election officers in Election B: J.D. Kilgore, Presiding Judge; Mrs. J.D. Kilgore, Assistant Judge; Mrs. Deanie Holden, Clerk.

The absentee voting place for Election B shall be at Residence of J.D. KILGORE, C.H. #24, in Tract I, and Mrs. J.D. Kilgore is hereby appointed absentee clerk for said Election B.

The regular voting place for Election C shall be at 102 None Such Drive, JEFFREY SUTTON-Residence and the following persons are hereby appointed to act as election officers in Election C: JEFFREY SUTTON, Presiding Judge; Mrs. Jeffrey Sutton, Assistant Judge; Mrs. Jerry N. Lay, Clerk.

The absentee voting place for Election C shall be at 102 None Such Drive, JEFFREY SUTTON-Residence, in Tract II, and Mrs.

Jeffrey Sutton is hereby appointed absentee clerk for said Election C.

The polls for regular voting for Elections A, B and C shall be open on election day from 8:00 o'clock a.m., to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

The polls for absentee voting for Elections A, B and C shall be open for the period of time prescribed by law from 8:00 o'clock a.m. to 12:00 o'clock noon and from 1:00 o'clock p.m. to 5:00 o'clock p.m. on each day except Saturdays, Sundays and official State holidays and the aforesaid clerks shall keep said absentee voting place open during such hours for absentee voting.

The regular election officers shall make and deliver the returns of the elections in triplicate. One copy shall be retained by each presiding election judge; one copy shall be delivered to the President of the Board of Directors of the District, and one copy shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Board. The officers of the elections shall give to the newspaper and to other persons requesting them the returns of the elections in the boxes at the time the returns are made. The absentee election officers shall handle the ballots as provided by law. The ballot boxes and other election records and supplies shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Board at the District Office. The ballot boxes containing the voted or mutilated ballots shall be preserved as provided by law.

The Board shall meet and canvass the returns of the elections not less than five nor more than seven days after the day of the elections. If the returns cannot be canvassed as soon as possible after that time. A substantial copy of this Order, or notice containing the same, signed by the President and Secretary of this Board of Directors, shall constitute proper notice of said elections, and the said President and Secretary are hereby authorized and directed to cause such notice of said elections to be given by publication of such notice once a week for three consecutive weeks in a newspaper with general circulation published in Crockett County, and the first publication shall be not less than twenty-one (21) days nor more than thirty-five (35) days before the day of the elections.

The proceedings and manner of holding said elections A, B and C shall be governed, as near as may be, by the Texas Election Code, as amended, except as otherwise provided by Chapter 51 of the Texas Water Code and other applicable law, and voting notices, forms, instructions, assistance and other materials and information relating to the electoral process, including ballots, shall be in obedience to the Federal Voting Rights Act and applicable interim guidelines regarding language minority groups.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a meeting open to the public, this 28th day of February, 1977, after public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given and posted as required by law.

Lowell Littleton, President, Board of Directors

ATTEST: W.E. Friend Jr. Secretary

OHS Lion Band News

The Ozona Lion Band is preparing for Concert Contest which will be held Friday, March 18. The band has been working hard for this important event.

Tuesday, March 8, a clinic was held. Mr. Kurt McKenzie of Kermit directed the band. He is the Kermit band director. He worked with the band all day. The band received help from this clinic.

The band will be striving for a top rating as they go to U.I.L. Concert Contest Friday. They will be leaving at 7:30 a.m. and return at 7:00 p.m. They will perform with the greatest amount of Pride and Spirit. Your support will be deeply appreciated!

Michelle Jones, Reporter

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Cancer Memorials

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Mrs. Charlie Black, Jr. for C.W. Taliaferro and Jim Ad Harvick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Childress for C.W. Taliaferro and Jim Ad Harvick.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kyle for Roy Neil Killingsworth, Bill Seahorn, Pete North and Kate Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Millsbaugh for Carl North. Mrs. Clovis Womack for C.W. Taliaferro.

Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Nicholas for Mrs. Hugh Childress, Sr., Eddy Nations and Pete North.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dockery and Family for Myrtle Childress, Ora Coates, Pete North, Jim Ad Harvick and Jo Nell Taubke.

Mr. and Mrs. A.S. Lock for Cecil Hubbard, Eddy Nations, Carl North and Hartley Johnigan.

Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Pipes for Mr. C.W. Vaden. Mrs. Gertrude Perry for C.W. Taliaferro and Leo Richardson.

Mrs. Charlie Black, Jr. Memorials Chairman

Hospital News

Admitted to the Crockett County Hospital from March 8 to March 15, 1977: Claude Fasselman* Domitilia Alvarez* Camille Montgomery Dollye Coates Tina Long* Rebecca Harris* Lisa Watson * denotes dismissal

CARD OF THANKS
May we take this opportunity to thank all our friends for the floral offerings, the lovely cards and many expressions of sympathy on the death of our loved one, Mrs. Oda Dillard. Your thoughtfulness meant so much to us.
Ray and Wyna Boyd

NOTICE OF REWARD
I am offering \$500 Reward for apprehension and conviction of guilty parties to every theft of livestock in Crockett County - except that no officer of Crockett County may claim the reward.

Billy Mills
Sheriff, Crockett Co.

T.O.P.S. CLUB MEETS

The weekly meeting of T.O.P.S. Club 937 was held Friday morning, March 11 at 9 a.m. in the Chamber of Commerce building. There were eight members present, with a loss of one and one-fourth pounds. Queen of the week was Felipe Casitlla.

Flo Darling presented a Fashion Two Twenty make-up demonstration for the members. Jerry Ward presented a program on exercising using a jump rope. Presenting the program on March 18 will be Connie Baker. It will be on haircuts and hair styling.

New members attending were Felipe Casitlla, Marsha Tomlinson and Cecilia Mcwan.

Meetings are held each Friday at 9:00 a.m. in the Chamber of Commerce building and new members are welcome.

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TO: ISIAH RIOS AND CORINA RIOS KURTZ, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the District Court of Crockett County at the Courthouse thereof, in Ozona, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 21 day of April A.D. 1977, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 10 day of Sept. A.D. 1976, in this cause, numbered 3887 on the docket of said court and styled VELIA ANNE HERNANDEZ, ET AL, Plaintiffs, vs. MRS. MAGDALENA LONGORIA, ET AL, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:*

Suit for Partition of Lot 2 and 6, in Block 18, of the town of Lima, a suburb to the town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, Leta Powell, Clerk of the District Court of Crockett County, Texas. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Ozona, Texas, this 2 day of March A.D. 1977.

Leta Powell, Clerk, District Court, Crockett County, Texas.

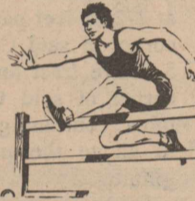
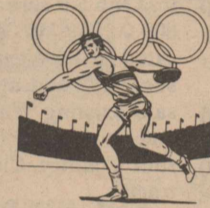
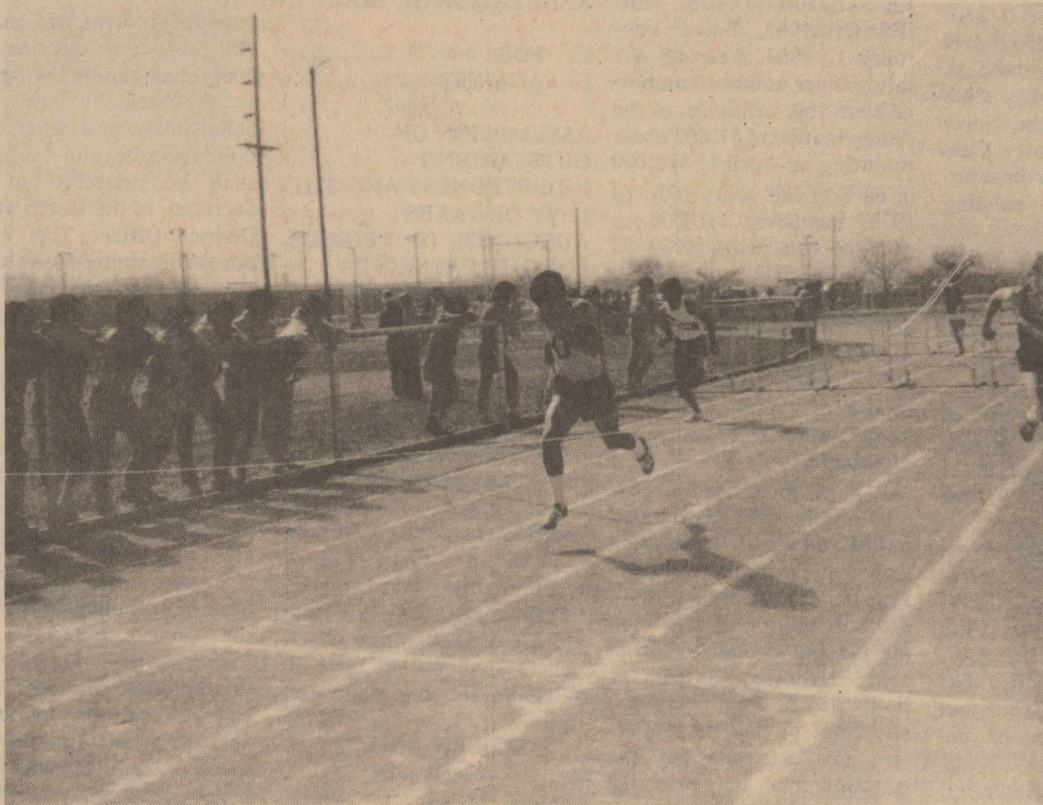
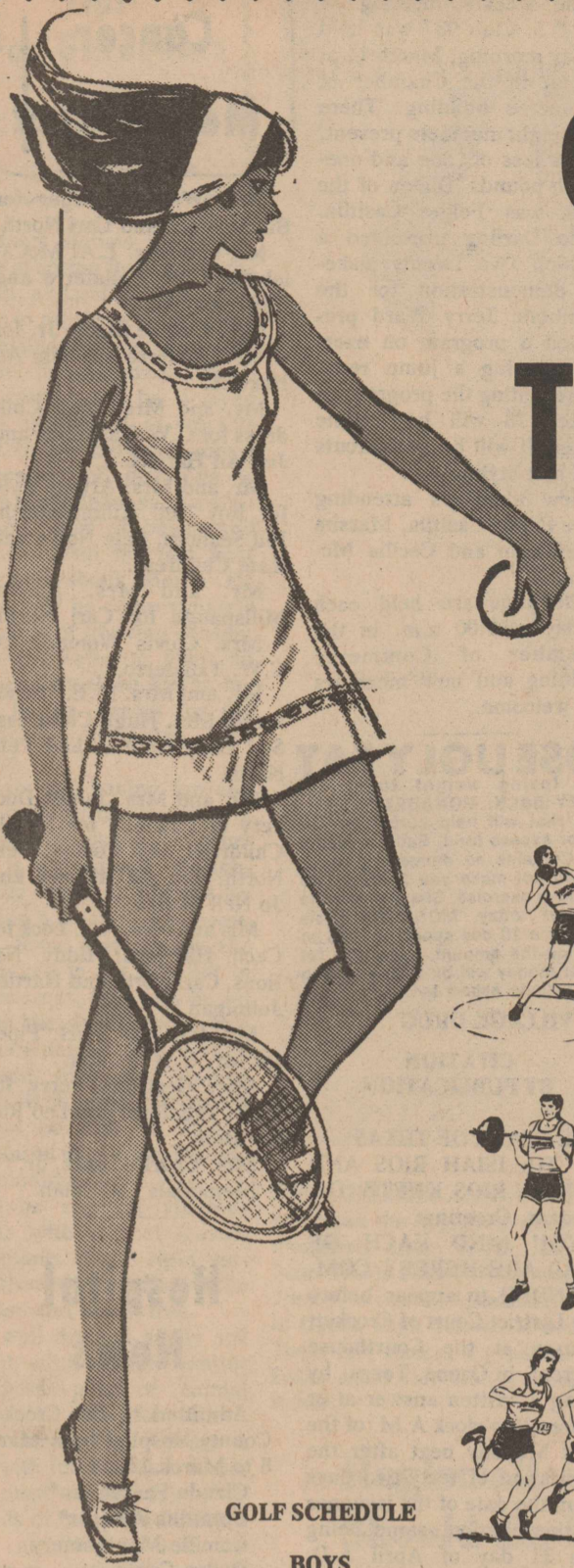
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OZONA HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS - TRACK - GOLF SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULES



GOLF SCHEDULE

BOYS
MARCH 19 - CRANE
MARCH 25 - SONORA
APRIL 9 - KERMIT
APRIL 15 - OZONA

GIRLS
MARCH 25 - BIG LAKE
APRIL 15 - OZONA

TENNIS SCHEDULE

FEB. 22	SR. & JR. DIVISION	SONORA	THERE
FEB. 25-26	SR. DIV. SAN ANGELO TOURNAMENT		THERE
MARCH 5	SR. DIV. SONORA TOURNAMENT		THERE
MARCH 8	JR. & SR. DIVISION	BIG LAKE	HERE
MARCH 19	SR. DIVISION	OZONA TOURNAMENT	HERE
MARCH 22	JR. & SR. DIVISION	SONORA	HERE
MARCH 26	SR. DIVISION	IRAAN TOURNAMENT	THERE
MARCH 28	SR. & JUNIOR DIVISION	BIG LAKE	THERE
APRIL 15	JR. & SR. DIVISION	DISTRICT MEET	HERE

TRACK SCHEDULE

MARCH 5 - McCAMEY - VARSITY BOYS & GIRLS
MARCH 5 - SONORA - 7TH & 8TH GRADE BOYS JR. HIGH GIRLS

MARCH 11 - ELDORADO - VARSITY & JR. HIGH GIRLS
MARCH 12 - IRAAN - VARSITY BOYS
MARCH 12 - OZONA - J.V. BOYS, 7TH & 8TH GRADE BOYS

MARCH 18 - STANTON - VARSITY GIRLS
MARCH 19 - SONORA - VARSITY & J.V. BOYS
MARCH 19 - CRANE - 7TH & 8TH GRADE BOYS & GIRLS

MARCH 25 - DEL RIO - VARSITY & J.V. BOYS
MARCH 25 GREENWOOD - VARSITY GIRLS
MARCH 25 - STANTON - 7TH & 8TH GRADE BOYS
MARCH 25 - GREENWOOD - JR. HIGH GIRLS
APRIL 1 - OZONA RELAYS - VARSITY BOYS & GIRLS J.V. BOYS

APRIL 7 - ALPINE - VARSITY BOYS
APRIL 16 - DISTRICT (Sonora) - VARSITY BOYS J.V. BOYS
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HEW Asks Public Assistance To Reform Welfare System

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare is calling for public comment on ways to bring about welfare reform. Citizens are invited to send their comments to the HEW office in Dallas by March 22 so that they can be analyzed and forwarded to Washington.

HEW Secretary Joseph A. Califano, Jr., plans to consider all comments received before making his proposals to the President in May on welfare reform.

The Southwest Region of HEW headquartered in Dallas (Region VI) seeks comments from citizens in Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas.

Stuart H. Clarke, regional director of HEW, Dallas, said full efforts are underway to urge public comment on welfare reform. "The Secretary is committed to reforming the welfare system but he wants to do it with as much

public participation as possible," Clarke said.

A special coordination point has been set up in Dallas to handle all incoming regional mail on the subject.

Secretary Califano is personally conducting a special hearing March 10 in Washington, D.C., where individuals and special interest groups will be invited to present their comments. Other HEW regions are also calling for public comment.

Regional Director Clarke emphasized there are no easy solutions to welfare reform. "Reform has been debated for some time, and its importance is obvious," he said.

"However, there is no agreement as to how reform should take place. Different people see the problem in different lights. Moreover, since there are a number of different types of welfare programs, what might apply

to one might not apply to others. This is why the Department needs a broad range of comment, so reasonable and workable solutions can be found to the country's welfare problems."

Welfare is divided into two categories, Clarke pointed out. Social insurance, the larger, covers Social Security, unemployment benefits, Medicare, veterans compensation, and others. Eligibility for these programs is usually determined by past employment and payment into the program.

The second category of welfare is income assistance, which is based on need rather than past employment. Frequently there are dependency tests as well. Programs in this category are Aid to Families with Dependent Children, food stamps, housing, Medicaid, Supplemental Security Income, and general assistance. Title XX Social Services, including Head Start programs, falls into this category, too.

Social insurance benefits will be about \$134 billion nationally in fiscal 1977. Income assistance payments will be about \$49 billion.

Clarke said income assistance is often criticized, both on the grounds that it is too costly to the taxpayer, and conversely, that the benefits it provides are too low for a reasonable standard of living.

"Many people feel the program invites fraud and abuse, while others think there is too much danger of violation of privacy rights of the recipients," he added. "And some think the food stamp program should be revised."

The public is invited to comment on any or all welfare programs and the roles of federal, state and local governments in administering these programs.

Comments, which will be available for public inspection, should be sent by March 22 to Mr. Dan Reed, ARDPC, HEW, 1200 Main Tower Building, Dallas, Tx. 75202.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The 1976-77 school year has been a fun and rewarding time for the Ozona High football team, band, cheerleaders and student body. The captains of the football team realize and appreciate the fact that the support of the people of Ozona has been great and the backing we have received this year will never be forgotten by all of the boys in athletics. It was fun to win because we were backed by so many people who cared about us. As captains of the football team, we would like to say thanks for all your help.

The Ozona Lion Football Captains

Dear Editor,

As you know, welfare reform is a top priority of the new Administration. The Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, Joseph A. Califano, Jr., is calling for an all-out HEW effort to ask the general public how welfare reform should be achieved.

Public comment will be particularly important since it will be analyzed before the Secretary makes his welfare reform recommendations to the President in May.

"Welfare reform" covers two different types of aid. Social insurance is one, and it includes Social Security, veterans' compensation, Medicare, unemployment benefits, workmen's compensation, and others. Income assistance, the second, includes Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Supplemental Security Income, food stamps, housing assistance, general assistance, and pensions for veterans. Social services, such as Head Start, falls under the second category.

Social insurance benefits are often contingent on prior employment, whereas the primary determinant for income assistance is financial need.

Welfare programs have often been controversial; each program raises its own issues and concerns. We hope the public will feel free to address each program separately or as a whole, depending on how they view the subject, and that they will feel free to raise any issue or make any recommendation they feel necessary to improve our nation's welfare programs.

Our efforts in HEW's Southwest region are to get

comments on welfare reform which reflect regional thinking. Similar activities are going on across the country. In our region, we are asking for letters or other written comments. Those writing should address their envelopes to: Mr. Dan Reed, Office of the Regional Director, HEW, 1200 Main Tower, Dallas, Texas 75202. Comments will be made available for public inspection.

Sincerely,
S.H. Clarke
Regional Director
Department of Health Education and Welfare

County Ag. Products \$10,788,000

March 21 is Agriculture Day in Texas, and Crockett County farmers and ranchers can be proud of the \$10,788,000 contribution they make to the economy of their area and the state, according to Agriculture commissioner John C. White.

That figure is the amount of cash receipts and government payments in 1975, the most recent figures published by the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. "Though 1977 may prove to be one of lower profits for agriculture, cash receipts during this year should be substantial," White stated.

"Production costs have doubled for many regions in the state in the past two years, but several commodities have been able to stay even with these costs."

State totals for 1975 were \$5.9 billion with livestock bringing in \$3,060,908,000 and crops \$2,785,683,000. Total cash receipts for 1976 are estimated to be more than \$6 billion.

Livestock and products in Crockett County were valued in 1975 at \$10,405,000. Crops totaled \$65,000.

OZONAN'S BROTHER IN WHO'S WHO IN RELIGION

Rev. Don W. Jeffreys, brother of Mike Jeffreys of Ozona, has been selected for the second edition of Who's Who in Religion. He was ordained to the ministry in 1970 and has served in several church capacities. He is currently pastor of First Baptist Church in Rochester.

Who's Who in Religion was first published in 1975. The second edition will be off the press this fall.

Your junk may be another's treasure. Use Ozona Stockman want ads. 23-h

4-H'ers At Dist. Food Show Sat.

Seven Crockett County 4-Hers participated in the District 6 4-H Food Show in Andrews last Saturday. A total of 116 4-Hers participated in the show traveling from 16 different counties.

Shelly Southern was announced winner of the Bread and Desserts category in the Junior Division. Dessert Kalky was Shelly's food entry. Other junior members are Marcia Moran in Main Dishes, blue ribbon; Fabian Delgado, in Snacks and Beverages, blue ribbon and Jana Chaney, Side Dishes, blue ribbon.

Senior entries were Rebecca Everett, Main Dish, blue ribbon; Rea Lynn Dews, in Snacks and Beverages, blue ribbon and Gigi McKinney, Bread and Desserts, blue ribbon.

Beauty Aid Series To Begin Here

Something new is happening. "The New You" is a series of three spring programs planned especially for women. The programs were planned by the Crockett County Family Living Committee.

Each program will be conducted on Thursday night, 7:30 p.m. at the Ozona Community Center. All interested women are welcome to attend.

"Make Me Beautiful" will be taught by Tomasine Spieker on March 24. Cosmetics and new make-up tips will be discussed.

On March 31 Cynthia Ramos and Mary Ellen Robledo will present a "New Fling for Spring". This will include the newest hair styles, hair care, blow dries, curling irons, hot curlers, and the wedge cut.

Debra Price will present a program on "Kitchen Cosmetics" on April 7. Home-made beauty aids and quick and easy beauty tips will be discussed.

Make plans now to attend "The New You".

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TS&GR Favor Renewal Of National Wool Act

The U.S. House of Representatives is currently considering extension of the Agriculture and Consumer Protection Act of 1973, and Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association President Bill Pfluger recently addressed the House Agriculture Committee in favor of renewal of the National Wool Act.

Pfluger asked that the Wool Act be extended, not as it is at present, but as it was in 1965, when "Congress wisely amended it to include a formula which would allow the incentive price to fluctuate with the costs of production."

This fluctuation is important in the eyes of Texas sheep producers who currently face declining numbers, a problem which has already begun to be felt in the loss of sheep-oriented services. Pfluger contended that the present incentive level "has not been a factor in stopping the decline in sheep numbers."

Wool incentive payments were begun during the Eisenhower administration as an alternative to raising wool and wool product import tariffs. At that time, the incentive level was 110 percent of parity; today's level is roughly 53 percent.

The problem began in 1971, when former President Nixon froze the wool incentive price at 72 cents. Wages and other prices were feeling the chill at the time, too, but most of them recovered, while the wool incentive

price remained frozen.

When the Wool Act came up for extension in 1973, the incentive price freeze stayed, and today's level is still where it was six years ago. The price of gasoline is not, nor is the price of almost anything else required in raising sheep.

As a result, Pfluger told the Agriculture Committee, "foreign wool and lamb are filling the void left by Americans who have quit the sheep business." Forced reliance on foreign wools in the face of increased domestic wool consumption, Pfluger contended, will increase our balance of payments deficit.

In his closing comments, Pfluger pointed out that commodities such as cotton, feed grains and wheat have been allowed to use a pricing plan based on production costs, adding, "We feel the sheep and goat industry is just as important and deserves equal treatment."

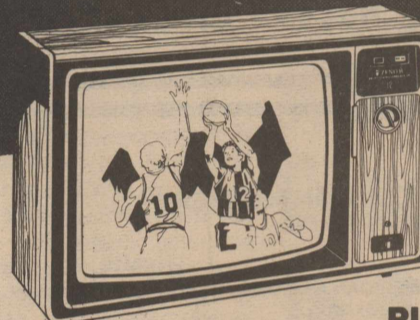
Texas sheep and goat producers are reminded of the Texas Blueprint for Expansion meeting set Tuesday, March 22 at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center at San Angelo.

Extension Service and industry representatives will discuss and explain the program and its possibilities. Tentative meeting time is 10 a.m.

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now existing 4 lighted courts.

H. Installation of all-weather (Resolite) track and curbing at Lions Stadium and moving of the East stands.

7. Renovation and remodeling to include:

A. Renovation of High School auditorium: new seating, stage equipment, painting, wainscoting, carpeting of the aisle and front and back areas, new sound system, curtains, drapes.

B. Renovation of Band Hall: painting, new acoustic wall, and additional storage compartments, carpeting to aid the acoustic, removal of wooden riser to allow additional space.

C. Increase the size of the boys' field house renovation to include space, lockers, toilets, showers, storage, training room and coaches' offices, repaint existing areas.

D. Enlarging the kitchen facilities at the cafeteria.

E. Remodeling of the Home Ec. building to include replacing carpet in living room, dining room, bedroom and clothing lab, tile the foods lab, new drapes, painting the inside and outside trim.

F. Modernize the present girls' dressing facilities in the girls' gym-new lockers, ceramic tile floor, light fixtures, plumbing fixtures, and heating unit.

G. Redesignation and remodeling of old field house at Lions Stadium for use by Jr. High and High School girls' track programs. Repair roof, repaint inside and outside, vinyl asbestos floor covering, metal lockers, new plumbing, heating, ventilating, and electrical equipment.

H. Renovation of the Lions Stadium facility to include: Replacing wooden seats and walkways aluminum seats and wooden walks) repairing railing around the sides of both sides of the stadium to include cyclone fencing.

Also renovation of press box facilities, appropriate fencing for all areas; new day-night scoreboard; paved area behind East stands for visitors parking including marking off of the area to provide for orderly parking; creation of practice area on the Southwest corner of the Lion Stadium area and revise playing field.

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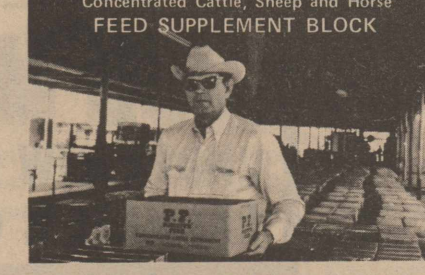
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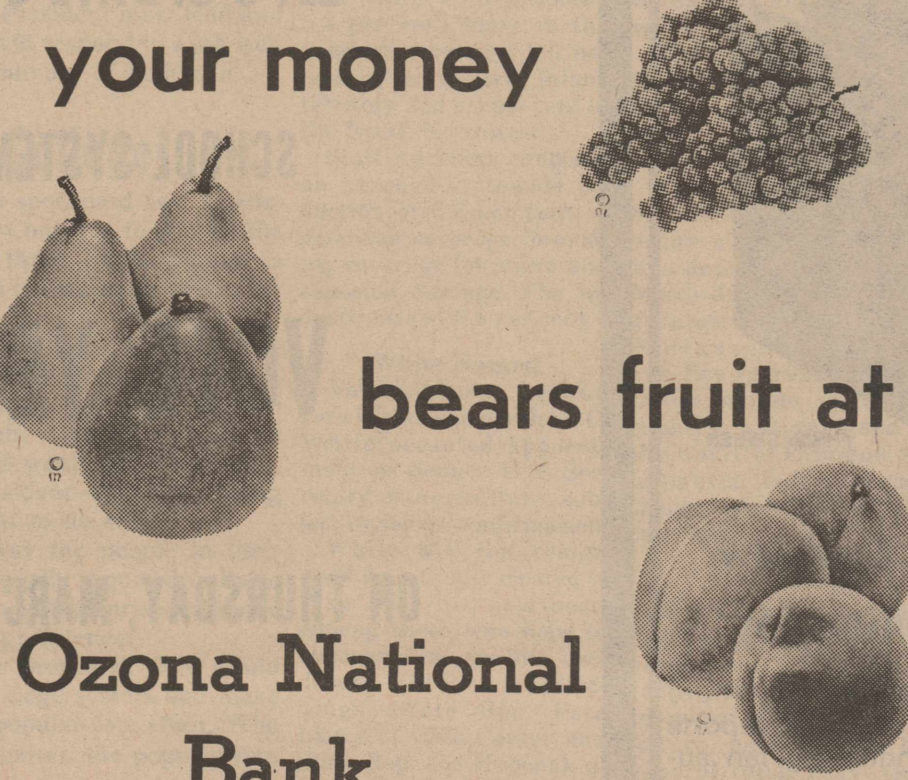
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CROCKETT COUNTY WOMEN'S CLUB MEETS
 The Crockett County Womens Club met Thursday, March 10, at the Civic Center. The hostesses were Pam Coates and Debbie Knowles. The meeting was called to order by Shelly Conner. Debbie Vordick read the minutes from the last meeting and Pam Coates gave a treasurers report. The club bought a talking Bible to be donated to the library for public use. The club is still working on the March of Dimes Drive. It will last through the month of March. A program was presented by Judy Boykin on the Girl Scouts trip to Switzerland. Other members present were Susie Deaton, Alice Poage, Sue Vinson and Sandy Montgomery.
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