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Kitty's Korner

By
Kitty Montgomery

Summer has arrived for certain. Not only is the heat upon us, things have slowed to a crawl around here. It seems when school let out, everybody had bags packed and left for vacation. We do expect things to pick up in a week or so.

Kids on wheels are creating something of a problem. This would not be so if the wheels were used in the proper places. But its nothing unusual to step out of a place of business downtown or in the village and narrowly miss being hit by a kid on a skateboard or bicycle. It doesn't take long to realize the sidewalk is no place for a pedestrian in Ozona in the summertime.

In fact, this very situation proved a potential danger at the Village Drug Monday morning. A distributor had just pushed the door open with his dolly when a kid on a motorcycle, yet, hit the door full blast. Fortunately no injuries. It knocked the kid off the bike, the supplier back into the door frame and completely shattered the glass. There was not one shred of glass left in the door. It was amazing, really, that someone didn't get cut by flying glass.

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We have a bumper crop of brides this season and as usual I live in terror of putting the right bride with the wrong bridegroom or vice versa. We have a big supply of wedding information forms which we are more than happy to give to each bride. We would appreciate having our forms filled out and turned in with the wedding story. It's easier for the bride's mother and it's easier for us. And it goes a long way toward eliminating mistakes.

Ozonan Visiting Amsterdam

Connie Elizabeth Burrus of Ozona, a student at Angelo State University in San Angelo, left this week for Amsterdam on the first phase of ASU's European Studies in Education program.

Ms. Burrus and 18 other students and faculty sponsors in the education department at ASU began the first phase of the tour which will take them to educational institutions and facilities in the Netherlands, Germany, Switzerland, France and England.

The group is scheduled to return June 30. Participants earn academic credit for the program.



OZONA SPORTS ALL NIGHT GASOLINE SERVICE - The BUC Self Service Station is open and doing business on 14th Street just off I-10. The station, owned and operated by local

men, is open 24 hours a day and offers major brand products at self service prices. It is the first of several businesses which will open in that vicinity.

Moore Oilers Clinch First Half L.L. Championship

Moore Oil emerged as the first half champions in Little League play Friday night as the half came to an end. The Oilers are the defending champions and managed to win the first half title by one game. The Oilers downed Ozona National 11-0 for a decisive win in the first game Friday night. Blake Simpson was the winning pitcher and Albert Borrego the loser. The winners had six hits led by Robert Massey and Brad Elliott, who each tallied doubles. Kent Hokit got the only hit for the Bankers, a double.

In the second game Crockett Automotive beat Ozona Shell 5-3 to close out the first half of play. Oscar Vargas was the winning pitcher and Tracy Cole the loser. Emilio Garza led the hitting for the Automotive crew with a double. Cole had the two hits for Ozona Shell, a base hit and a double.

At the end of the first half of play the Moore Oilers had a 7-1 record, followed by Ozona Oil with 6-2, Ozona National with 5-3, Crockett Automotive had a 2-6 record and Ozona Shell was in the cellar with no wins and 8 losses.

In other games last week Tuesday night's play saw Ozona Oil topping Ozona Electric 9-4. Willie Payne was the losing pitcher and Gino Tambunga the loser.

Robert Flores led the winners with a triple and a base hit. Craig Chapman had a double for the Electric team and Jim Sanchez tallied a triple.

The second game saw Ozona National downing Ozona Shell to the tune of 10-4. Lonnie Galindo was the winning pitcher and Shannon Southern was the loser. Galindo led the hitting with a triple. Southern got two hits for the losers.

Thursday night Moore Oil beat Ozona Electric 14-2. Winning pitcher was Robert

Ms. Ninness Receives NTSU Degree

Diana Deaton Ninness of Ozona is among 1,150 graduates awarded degrees May 14 at the 87th annual spring commencement at North Texas State University.

In addition to 851 bachelor's degrees, the university granted 259 master's and 40 doctorate degrees, during ceremonies in the NTSU Coliseum.

Mrs. Ninness, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Deaton of Ozona, received the bachelor of arts degree in sociology.

Massey and loser was David Badillo. Almost all the Oilers

got hits. Allen Dews homered for the Oilers while Massey had a triple and two base hits. Badillo got the Electric's lone hit.

In the first game of the second half Monday night Ozona Electric downed Ozona Shell 13-6. Gino Tambunga was the winning pitcher and Shannon Southern took the loss. Steve Sanchez had a double for the Electric team and Tracy Cole and David Ledbetter had a hit each for Ozona Shell.

In the second game, Moore Oil squeezed by Ozona National 4-3. Robert Massey was the winning pitcher and Albert Borrego was the loser. Blake Simpson had a homer to lead the hitting for the Oilers. Hokit, Powell, Rodriguez and Galindo got the Bankers four hits.

After tonight's games, the teams will take a week's break for scout camp and will return to play June 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tom Davidson and granddaughter, Camille, left Friday for Dallas to visit their daughter and her family. Mr. and Mrs. Giles Madray, Meridith and David. They planned a tour of Six Flags with the children.

New Owners Take Over Dress Shop

Mrs. Tony (Celia) Allen and Mrs. Dwight (Becky) Childress have purchased Mae-Lu's Fashions from Mrs. Huey (Lu) Ingram and Mrs. Ted (Mae) Lewis. The new owners took over operation of the business June 1. They have changed the name to "The Teacher Store," both women being recently members of the Ozona High School faculty.

Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. Lewis operated the store at its location in the shopping center for nine years. Mrs. Ingram will stay on as assistant buyer and Mrs. Lewis will retire.

An open house will be held all day Friday, honoring Mrs. Lewis. Everyone is invited to come in and get acquainted with the new owners and say "goodbye" to Mrs. Lewis. Coffee and refreshments will be served all day and a drawing will be held at the end of the day for gift certificates. Patrons may register now and throughout Friday for the drawing.

Speaking for the new owners, Mrs. Allen said Friday, "We plan to carry all of the popular lines the store has always featured and add to these lines at a later date." She said they were fortunate to retain the services of Mrs. Ingram, and assured the women of Ozona they will still find all their favorite styles at "The Teacher Store."

Community Clean Up May Pay

Improving the appearance of your community may pay cash dividends. The community resource development staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service may be able to show your community how to receive cash for a community clean-up project.

"With the increased interest in fuel conservation and recycling, community sponsored removal of junk cars has paid cash dividends to many rural areas," points out Tim Shaunty, Extension area resource development specialist. "Depending on the location, some towns or clubs have received \$35 per car."

Shaunty suggests that anyone interested in participating in a program of junk car removal for profit or any other cleanup project should contact the local county Extension office for assistance with the legal requirements, ordinances and collection procedures.

Discoveries and Producers Finaled In County Fields

Results of Crockett County oil and gas activity over the past week indicate an upswing in activity in the various fields in the area. Discoveries and confirmers were finaled and new locations set in almost all fields in the county.

The Pure Bean, South field of Crockett County gained its eighth producer and a location south extension with completion of Robert M. Wynne, Midland, No. 7-88 Paul Pearson, eight miles northwest of Ozona, to pump 13 barrels of 35 gravity oil, no water.

Production was from open hole at 1,427-433 feet.

Location is 330 feet from the north and 1,073 feet from the west lines of 89-OP-GCSF.

The Donham multipay field of Crockett County gained its eighth San Andres gas producer and a 1/2 mile east extension to that pay with completion of Joe McGuire, Midland, No. 1 Joe F. Bean, South, 12 miles northwest of Ozona, for a calculated, absolute open flow of 103,000 cubic feet of gas daily.

ASCS Now Registering Producers

The Crockett County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) office will register beef producers June 6-17 to vote on the beef research and information order. Beef producers who fail to register cannot vote in the July referendum.

If over half of registered producers vote in the referendum and two-thirds of those voting approve the order, the Secretary of Agriculture will appoint a beef board, composed of not more than 68 beef producers, from names submitted by producer organizations. The board would collect assessments on sales of cattle and use the funds for beef research and information programs.

Registration may be in person or by mail. Those who wish to register by mail may request the ASCS office to mail registration cards.

All persons who produced beef during calendar 1976 are eligible to register. Each production entity--such as a family, partnership, or corporation--is entitled to one vote. A 4-H or FFA member may register, provided he or she produced beef independent of family operation.

From June 6 through 17, the ASCS county office will daily post a list of producers registered to vote in a conspicuous place. A final list will be posted June 22.

Production was through perforations at 1,440-46 feet, 1,464-76 feet, and 1,486-88 feet, which had been acidized with 1,000 gallons.

Location is 467 feet from the south and west lines of 34-UV-GC&SF.

Dan J. Harrison Jr., Houston, will drill the No. 7 Joe Tom Davidson Jr., as a 7/8 mile south outpost on the east-side of the five-well Live Oak Draw (Strawn gas) field of Crockett County, nine miles south of Ozona.

Location is 1,500 feet from the south and 660 feet from the east lines of 14-F-GC&SF. Contract depth is 9,800 feet; ground elevation, 2,431 feet.

One of the wells is dually completed from the 7890 Pennsylvanian gas zone in the Davidson Ranch multipay field.

Jake L. Hamon, Dallas, and Claud B. Hamill, Houston, No. 1 Chris Carmen Sutton, in 2-FFF-GC&SF, Abst. 4814, Crockett County Pennsylvanian gas prospect, one mile southeast of Devonian production in the Ingham (Canyon and Devonian gas) field, two miles southeast of Strawn gas production in the Lancaster Hill multipay field, but separated by a depleted Strawn producer and 23 miles west of Ozona, flowed 16 hours, making gas at the rate of 311,000 cubic feet daily and no fluid.

Flow was through an unreported choke and perforations at 8,160-194 feet and

8,205-212 feet. Testing continued.

The Elkhorn multipay field of Crockett County gained its current second Queen gas producer and a location south extension to that pay with recompletion of Continental Oil Co. No. 17-A J.M. Shannon, former Ellenburger oil producer, 14 miles northwest of Ozona, for a calculated, absolute open flow of 3,080,000 cubic feet of dry gas daily.

Production was through perforations at 1,206-007 feet, which had been acidized with 1,000 gallons. It is plugged back to 1,541 feet.

Location is 2,010 feet from the south and 2,069 feet from the east lines of 21-UV-GC&SF.

The re-opener, the firm's No. 18-A Shannon, also a former Ellenburger producer, was recompleted Jan. 21 for a calculated, absolute open flow of 4.9 million cubic feet of gas daily through perforations at 1,168-73 feet.

The Donham multipay field of Crockett County gained its seventh San Andres gas producer and a two-mile west extension to that pay with completion of Bill J. Graham, Midland, No. 1 Todd, 19 miles northwest of Ozona, for a calculated, absolute open flow of 1,570,000 cubic feet of gas daily.

Production was natural from open hole at 911 feet, where casing was set. Ground elevation is 2,608 feet.

Location is 1,500 feet from the north and 2,700 feet from the east lines of 68-UV-GC-SF.

New Pastor Assigned To Ozona Methodists

A new pastor was assigned to the Ozona United Methodist Church, last week at the Annual Conference session in San Antonio. The Reverend and Mrs. Larry E. Bailey will arrive in Ozona on Thursday, June 9, with their two daughters, and will assume the leadership at the local Methodist Church.

The Rev. Larry Bailey was born and raised in San Antonio, where he graduated from high school in 1958. He completed his undergraduate work at S.M.U. in 1963, with a major study in history. He continued at the Perkins School of Theology at S.M.U. and graduated there in 1966. He joined the Southwest Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church in 1964, and served as Associate pastor at the St. John's U.M. Church in Corpus Christi, and as pastor of the churches in San Juan, Three

Rivers, and Columbus, Texas. Larry's hobbies are swimming, tennis, and gardening. Mrs. Bailey, Roberta, is also from San Antonio, and is a school teacher. The Baileys have two young daughters, Kathy and Karen.

The Ozona United Methodist Church is planning a church dinner, to help in welcoming the Baileys, at noon, Sunday, June 12.

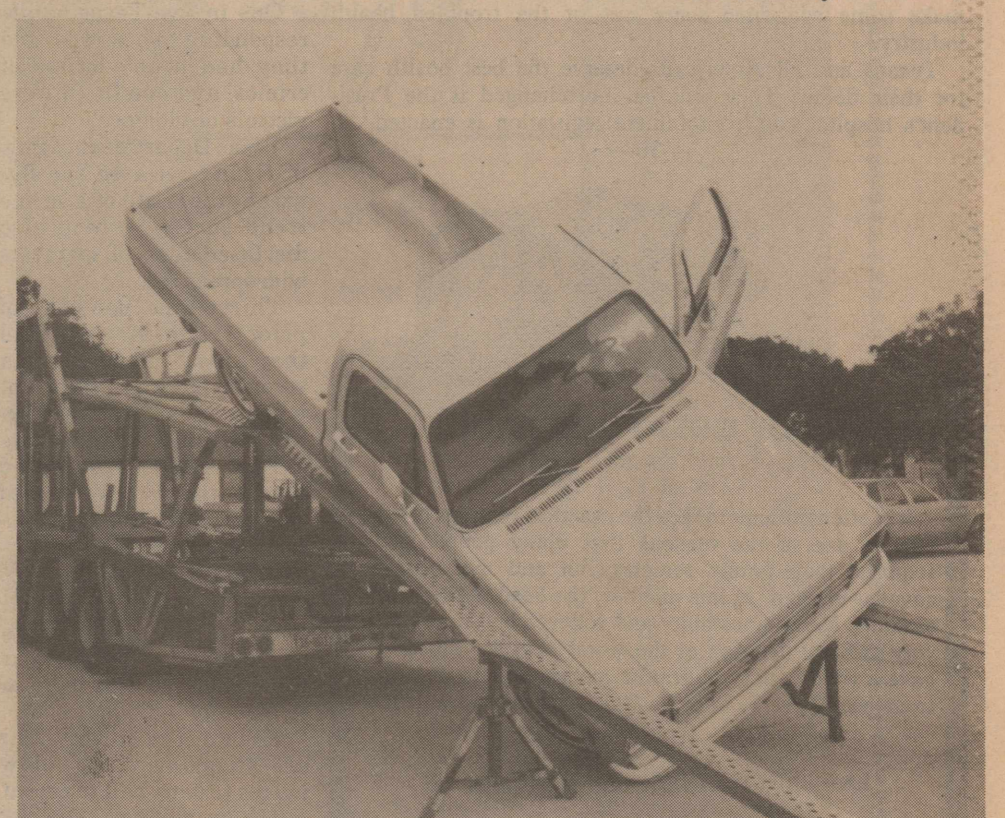
Rev. Ben H. Bohmfalk, who retired from the active ministry at the recent annual conference, and Mrs. Bohmfalk, are moving to Lampasas, where they plan to make their home. The Bohmfalks have been in Ozona for the past three years, and have taken an active part, not only in the church, but in various local organizations and community affairs. Their three years in Ozona, they claim, marked a fitting climax to their 46 1/2 years in the active ministry.



CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT WINNERS - Father and son, Winston and Ronald Koerth, won the championship flight Sunday in the Men's Partnership Tournament at the Ozona Country Club, over a large field of local and area contestants.



FIRST FLIGHT WINNERS - Rip Sewell and Ted Cotton, local coach and school principal, prevailed to win the first flight Sunday at the Men's Partnership at the Ozona Country Club. Eight teams were tied at par in the first flight when the flights were made up Saturday night.



NEW VEHICLE ALMOST A WRECK before it gets to the showroom floor. When this transport was being unloaded Thursday behind Stuart Motors, this pickup was being driven down the ramp when the ramp gave way, dropping the vehicle about three feet and almost flipping it and its driver over. Minor damage was incurred.

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TOWER TALKS
by U.S. Senator for Texas
JOHN TOWER



Hospital Cost Containment

WASHINGTON—The Administration's recently announced plan to cap soaring health care costs by limiting the amounts hospitals can charge for their services represents little more than a hope and a prayer. By all other objective measures, it won't accomplish its goals.

What the President has promised with his hospital cost containment program is an end to the 15 per cent yearly rise in costs to patients. What the plan ignores are factors more directly responsible for the soaring increases, and more importantly, the serious economic repercussions to hospitals if his plan becomes law. Health care in this country will begin a sharp decline.

A \$900 million "compromise" school bill, which included funds for teacher pay raises, never got a direct vote in either house.

Briscoe said he will call a special session next month if legislative leaders can show him evidence a majority of lawmakers are now ready to face up to education finance issues.

A medical malpractice bill squeezed through the session on closing night. Doctors didn't like it, but some spokesmen for Texas Medical Association conceded it was better than nothing.

In spite of failures, the legislature did manage to pass a sweeping variety of bills.

Among them: The "Sunset Law" requiring state agencies to justify their existence periodically... Merger of three major state water agencies into a Department of Water Resources... A "natural death" act allowing terminally ill patients to specify that their lives are not to be prolonged by artificial methods... The \$528 million emergency highway funding bill... Substitution of lethal drugs for the electric chair as the legal method of execution... Legalization of laetrile in cancer treatment... A no-pain speed bill banning insurance penalties for 55-70 miles an hour speeding violations.

Crime Increasing
One in five Texas adults responding to a survey said they had been victims of crimes, and one in 15 were victims of violence.

Amendments on Ballot
Half a dozen proposed constitutional amendments will be on the ballot next November and nine more in 1978.

To be voted on this year are amendments to allow judges to deny bail to repeat felons, permit tax relief for historic buildings and sites, enlarge the Court of Criminal Appeals, permit use of electronic banking systems, expand Judicial Qualifica-

tions Commission powers and authorize another \$200 million to finance low-interest veterans land loans.

Courts Speak
Texas Court of Criminal Appeals up-held the death penalty assessed a Fort Worth man in the 1975 murder of a grocery clerk.

AG Opinions
The Department of Public Welfare may require counties to collect a \$20 application fee from non-welfare recipients for child support services, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

Short Snorts
Value of Texas construction authorizations declined during April from the record level of March.

There are altogether too many people who seem to have a "Do Not Disturb" sign on their opinions.

A Lift For The Week
Remember, everyone you meet is fighting a battle.

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Like many other industries in the American economy, the health care field has grown by leaps and bounds. Its growth pangs have been expensive. A hospital room that in 1950 was \$15.62 a day now ranges upward of \$175 a day—an alarming 1000 per cent increase. Health care now accounts for nine per cent of the Gross National Product.

While correctly recognizing the seriousness of the current dollar squeeze in health care, the President's plan has failed to grasp its complexity. His plan would clamp a lid only on the amounts hospitals charge for patient care and treatment.

At the same time, no mention is made of how hospitals will recoup the inevitable shortfall to meet their rising expenses, not subject to the same stringent controls.

Past experience with selectively controlling wages and prices casts serious doubt that the President's plan can match the promises with performance. Moreover, it's nothing short of foolhardy to resurrect carrot and stick economic schemes and apply them to an area as important to the Nation as health care. Too much is at stake.

FANCY THAT!

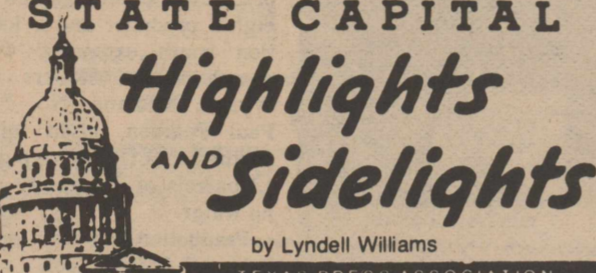


In an effort to protect consumer interests, the federal government has set up some 1,000 programs in 33 federal departments and agencies. Federal agencies designed to ride herd on businesses cost taxpayers about \$4 billion a year.

Now Congress is considering bills to establish still another consumer agency to watch all the other watchdogs. To set up this super bureaucracy, taxpayers would have to come up with another \$60 million for the first three years.

The federal government already employs nearly one percent of the U.S. population. The number of civil service workers in eight of the largest consumer service agencies is nearly 140,000.

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights
by Lyndell Williams
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THE NEWS REEL
A re-run of "The Ozona Story" as gleaned from the files of "The Ozona Stockman"

Thursday, June 10, 1948
Four Ozona boys will participate in the World's Championship Boys Calf Roping Contest at Kerrville, today. They are Sam Perner, Charlie Boy Davidson, Jack Coates and Lin Hicks.

29 yrs. ago
The First Baptist Church's Homemakers Class met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Glen Edwards. The program was presented by Mrs. H.A. Gustavus and Darrene and Jeannine Thompson.

29 yrs. ago
Carl Conklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conklin, underwent an operation in Houston yesterday and is doing well.

29 yrs. ago
Lynn Miller, formerly of Andrews has accepted a position at the Ozona Drug, Gordon Aikman, announced this week.

29 yrs. ago
A fire starting in a store-room back of the drug store, resulted in damage to the new Ranch Theatre building.

29 yrs. ago
Ozona hitters smacked L-wake 20 to 4 in a league combat. Mazo, Ozona outfielder led the attack.

29 yrs. ago
Bill Bergfeld, Crockett county agent was injured Sunday in a car wreck on the Sonora road.

29 yrs. ago
After 26 yrs., James R. Kersey will retire as Postmaster.

29 yrs. ago
Miss Mona Dale Clendenen became the bride of Newell Edwin Melton, Sunday at the First Bapt. Church.

29 yrs. ago
Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Boothe were here visiting with her mother, Mrs. B.B. Ingham this week.

29 yrs. ago
Miss Barbara White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evert White, who is to become the bride of Sidney Moughon, has been honored at a series of parties here during the past week.

29 yrs. ago
Mrs. Billy Hannah has returned from Ark. where she attended her sisters wedding.

It's more fashionable today to discuss your bill than your operation.

Young persons on their way up the ladder of success should never forget those at the bottom holding it steady for them.

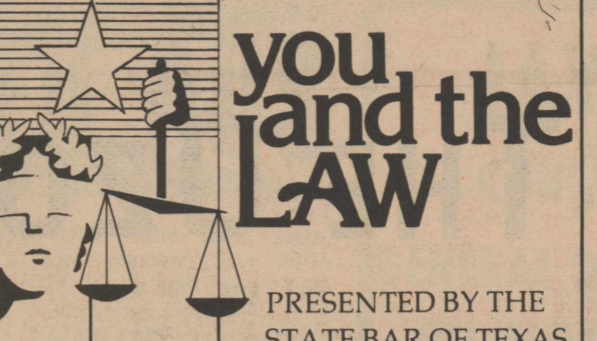
One man to another: "My wife had plastic surgery yesterday. I cut off her credit cards."

Patience often gets the credit for fatigue.

Some folks act like wise old owls; others just don't give a hoot about their behavior.

Women are very loyal when they reach a certain age they like to stick to it.

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Q: I want to sell my house, but I don't have a copy of the deed to my lot. What should I do?

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Q: Up to a few months ago I was living with a woman in Oklahoma. We split up, and now I've moved back to Texas to live with another woman. My former girlfriend now has filed a civil suit against me in Oklahoma. If she wins, can she come to Texas and collect?

A: Yes. If she obtains a valid judgment in Oklahoma, she can come into Texas and attempt to collect or remove the property in question. Whether or not the attempt is successful will depend largely on what properties are owned.

Q: My son lost his job last fall and was unable to pay on his account with a large department store. Now that he is working, he has paid the account in full. But, he can't get credit again. They say he has to wait seven years. Is that true? Isn't there anything he can do to regain a good credit rating?

A: When extending credit, stores check with a credit reporting service to learn the applicant's credit history. The service can legally keep information for seven years, but after that, it must be destroyed. However, your son may be able to regain credit. Most stores try to learn the reasons for the past nonpayment. If there was a good reason, such as the loss of a job, most stores will try to examine his current circumstances and extend a small line of credit. He should seek a conference to explain, and if he obtains credit, pay on time.

Q: I was recently involved in a collision. The other car was totaled, and the driver got a ticket for driving without a license which was later dismissed. I didn't get a ticket, but my car was damaged to the tune of \$800. We don't have any insurance. Can the other driver make us buy him another car of equal value?

A: If the other driver files suit, a jury will decide whether one or both of you were at fault under our system of comparative negligence. This means that if the jury found that both were equally at fault, you would have to pay 50 percent of the other driver's damages. On the other hand, if the jury found the other driver more at fault than you, you would owe nothing. But, if you were more at fault, you'll end up paying for your damages, plus a percentage of the other driver's damages as determined by the jury.

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.

CANCER ANSWER LINE

American Cancer Society
M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute

Cancer Toll-Free Line Available to All Texans

Over 4,000 Texans have called M. D. Anderson's new Cancer Information Service (CIS) during recent months to get answers to their questions about cancer.

Operating statewide since January of this year, the toll-free information line represents a new weapon in the war against cancer — that of separating the facts about cancer from the fears and myths.

The statewide phone number is 1-800-392-2040 and in the Houston area is 792-3245. "Our aim is to create a positive sense of awareness about the disease," explains one CIS staff member. "It is a known fact that any cancer detected early and treated properly stands the best chance for being controlled and often totally cured with no evidence of the disease 5 years after initial treatment."

To answer questions, CIS has in effect established a "mini-library" on cancer consisting of hundreds of reference books, pamphlets and assorted information available from a wide range of sources including numerous federal and state health organizations as well as the American Cancer Society.

The phone lines are handled by a small corps of Red Cross volunteers week days from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. with assistance from CIS staff members and a panel of 75 cancer researchers and physicians at M. D. Anderson.

What are the most common questions Texans are asking about cancer? "About 75 percent of our callers are women, and while there are a wide variety of questions, most concern a specific cancer site," explains one staff member.

According to the volunteer operators, by far, the most common questions center around breast cancer. "What are the early warning signs for breast cancer?" "What is the difference between mammography and thermography and what do they do?" are two examples of questions frequently asked every day at the CIS.

Other most common questions Texans are asking about cancer concern cancer of the lung, skin and colon in that order. Most operators readily agree the hardest questions to answer are those concerning a specific treatment or diagnosis for an individual.

The CIS emphasizes to all callers that only a physician who has a complete knowledge of the patient and the specific cancer involved can make decisions concerning diagnosis and treatment. Simple misunderstandings between patient and physician account for most calls of this nature.

In addition to answering questions, the CIS has also been asking a few questions. An anonymous questionnaire is sent to callers who want to voice an opinion about the new program. To date, the majority of callers have been complimentary. Over 95 percent of those polled say they would recommend CIS as a good source of cancer information for friends or relatives.

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Tips For Gardeners

From the Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

Now that we are entering the first month of summer, the long, dry, hot days will keep everyone busy with garden chores.

A great pleasure at this time is watching the rapid growth of plants, the many annuals, and perennials in flower, and gathering the garden and fruit produce.

At the same time, weeds, insects, diseases and growth problems appear so keep rejuvenating the soil with a regular fertilizing program, control insect attacks and keep a regular watering routine. Your efforts will be rewarded this fall with a beautiful garden to enjoy.

For grubworm control mid-June to mid-July use chemical formulation recommended by Extension entomologists.

Save small "new potatoes" for fall seed potatoes. Store in refrigerator until needed in late August.

If you haven't started a compost pile, do it now with a layer of soil, organic material, manure or commercial fertilizer. Turn and moisten each layer. Repeat layers, keep turned and moist. Maintain uniform soil moisture for prevention of blossom-end rot on tomato plants.

Beginning in June, you can root cuttings from new growth (soft wood cuttings) of many trees and shrubs, including dogwoods, pyracantha, crepe myrtle, camellias, forsythia, jasmines and others.

Now that the foliage has started to die back on daffodils, crocus, tulips, and other spring flowering bulbs, fertilize the beds with 5-10-10 at the rate of 1/2 cup per square yard of planted area. Too, it's a good time to move bulbs, if necessary, and to divide and transplant crowded clumps.

June Planting Days
Above-ground Crops- 17,18,19,24,25,26,27,28
Root Crops- 3,4,7,8,9,12,13,14.

TOPS CLUB MEETS

Tops #937 met Friday, June 3 on Avenue O. Ten members weighed in with a 3 1/4 lb. weight loss. Queen of the week was Linda Escamillo. A new member welcomed was Sue Sheehan. Vote was taken and decision was made to have a booth at the county fair.

PHONE NEWS TO THE STOCKMAN.



MRS. JOE PHILLIP JONES
...nee Anne Tillman

Miss Tillman And Mr. Jones Wed In Saturday Ceremony

Miss Anne Tillman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tillman, became the bride of Mr. Joe Phillip Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis P. Jones of Floydada, in a formal ceremony June 4, at 5 p.m. in the Ozona United Methodist Church. Rev. Rodney Gibson, retired Presbyterian minister, performed the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown fashioned of white sateen and re-embroidered Alencon lace. The classic gown featured an Italian neckline with motifs of the lace tracing the split opening. Lace also accented the empire waistline. Full shepherdess sleeves were accented with touches of the lace at cuffline and elbow. The skirt fell to slipper length in front flowing to a chapel length train with a soft border of the lace tracing the hemline. Her veil of two tiers of imported illusion was caught with a camelot cap of re-embroidered lace and scattered with lace motifs. She carried a bouquet of apricot carnations centered with a white orchid.

Miss Lida Tillman served her sister as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Olivia

Jones, Margo Powell and Nancy Hudson. Flower girl was Jennifer Davidson, niece of the bride.

Her attendants wore gowns of apricot knit with open V necklines. The sleeveless gowns fell in princess style to floor length. A soft capelet of apricot chiffon softened the gowns and fell to elbow length. They wore sheer, imported Swiss braid hats complimenting the gowns, and carried colonial bouquets of apricot carnations.

Best man was Jay Jones, brother of the bridegroom, of Floydada. Groomsman were Jon Jones, another brother, of Floydada; Mark Tillman, brother of the bride, and Mike Simpson of Floydada. Ushers were Ricky Biggs of Floydada, Johnny Powell of Eldorado, Richey Jones of Canyon and Douglas Bean.

Candlelighters were Louis Bunker and Will M. Black. Ringbearer was Tracy Johnson of Floydada.

The church was decorated with four branched candelabra holding white tapers and entwined with greenery. The altar was centered with a large arrangement of white ball mums flanked by two large palm trees and candelabras.

labras.

Mrs. Steve Baker of San Angelo was the soloist, accompanied by Mrs. Bud Cox at the organ.

A reception followed the wedding at the ranch home of the bride's parents. The bride's table was centered with a large arrangement of white roses flanked by silver candelabra. The bridegroom's table held an arrangement of red roses.

Members of the house-party were Martha Alice Shanklin, Patty Cowden, Debbie Montya, Sally Bailey, Mrs. Cuatro Davidson, Rita Tillman, Christy Davidson, Sheryl Schneemann, Cindy Scott, Suzanne Williams, Joni Hunt, Virginia Henderson and Luann Perner.

Following a wedding trip to Bozeman, Mont. the couple will be at home in Floydada where the bridegroom is engaged in stock farming. Mrs. Jones is a graduate of Ozona High School and attended Texas Tech. Her husband is a graduate of Texas A&M.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jones hosted the rehearsal dinner Friday night at the Civic Center.

The bridesmaid's luncheon was held at noon Saturday at the Civic Center and hostesses were Mrs. Bob Hudson, Mrs. Cuatro Davidson, Mrs. Tom Davidson, and Mrs. Gary Mitchell.

Other parties honoring the bride and the couple were a coffee May 21, at the home of Mrs. Joe Bean.

A rice bag party at the Civic Center May 25, was hosted by Mrs. Jim Bob Bailey.

A Brunch honored the bride May 27, in the home of Mrs. Steve Baker in San Angelo. Assisting hostess was Mrs. L. W. Puckett.

A Mexican supper and dance was held May 28 in the Charles E. Davidson, Jr. home, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson, III, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bailey.

Miss Helen Bunker, bride-elect of David Bean, has made bridal gift selections at our store. BROWN FURNITURE CO. 13-tfc

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COUNTRY CLUB BRIDGE

Mrs. Douglas Moore was hostess for luncheon and bridge at the country club Thursday.

Winning high score was Mrs. Tommy Wilson. Second high went to Mrs. J.B. Parker and low to Mrs. Brock Jones. Mrs. Sherman Taylor won the bingo.

Others playing were Mrs. Jim Bob Bailey, Mrs. Clay Adams, Mrs. Bob Bailey, Mrs. Eddie Arnold, Mrs. George Bunker, Mrs. John Childress, Mrs. Cuatro Davidson, Mrs. Joe Friend, Mrs. Tommy Harris, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Tom Montgomery, Mrs. Sidney Millsbaugh, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery, Mrs. Kirby Moore, Mrs. Jake Short, Mrs. Byron Williams, Mrs. Gene Williams, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Randy Upham, Mrs. Louise Appel, Mrs. Billy Carson and Mrs. L.T. Sewell.

The previous week Mrs. Beecher Montgomery was hostess. Mrs. J.B. Parker won high, Mrs. John R. Hunicutt, second high, Mrs. Jack Williams, low, and Mrs. Douglas Moore, bingo.

RICHARDSON TWINS RECEIVE A&M DEGREES

Wesley Glen and Wade Clay Richardson, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Richardson of Sonora and grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Friend, both received their degrees in Animal Science from A&M University during commencement May 7.

RECIPE PARTY HONORS MISS JOHNIGAN

Miss Gilda Johnigan was honored with a recipe party Saturday afternoon by Lara Sue Arledge and her mother, Mrs. Larry Arledge, in the Arledge home.

Guests were former high school classmates and their mothers.

Debra Says

by Debra Price

Altering patterns before using them makes sewing for proper fit easier. Successful pattern alterations depend on following several guidelines:

Take accurate body measurements, and know your figure problems before beginning any alterations.

Measure the pattern to determine the amount of change needed. Don't guess. Make accurate notes on changes to be made.

Make all alterations to the pattern while it is flat. A flat pattern is necessary for accurate cutting of the fabric.

Avoid changing the shape of the shoulders, armhole or neckline if possible. These are difficult areas to reshape and fit.

Make only one alteration at a time-even if it means making several on the same pattern piece. The results are more accurate.

For more information about successful pattern alterations, contact your County Extension Office for a copy of the free booklet "Personalizing Patterns".

Yummy Bars

1 package german chocolate cake mix
1/2 cup evaporated milk
3/4 cup melted butter
Mix; put half of mixture in a 9x4" pan. Bake 6 minutes. Remove from oven and add 6 ounces chocolate chips and 1 cup nuts. Melt 50 caramels in 1/2 cup evaporated milk. Pour over and then add other half of cake mix. Bake 15-20 minutes at 350 degrees. Let cool thoroughly. Cut in bars.

Mock Filet Mignon

1 pound ground beef
1/2 cup quick cooking oatmeal
1/2 cup catsup
1 egg, slightly beaten
1 cup grated American cheese
1/4 cup finely chopped

green peppers
2 tablespoons finely chopped onions
1/4 cup lemon juice
1 teaspoon salt
12 slices bacon
Combine ingredients, except bacon, in order given. Shape into 12 meatballs. Wrap a slice of bacon around edges of each meatball, securing with a toothpick. Bake on a rack in a shallow pan at 375 degrees for 45 minutes or until bacon is done. Turn meatballs two or three times during baking to cook evenly.

Mrs. Bill Cross and son, William, Jr., of Leonard, are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Buddy Russell.

GRADUATES TOUR HAWAII

Four Ozona girls and two of their friends left Dallas Tuesday on a non-stop flight to Hawaii. The tour was a graduation gift for Shannon Dockery, Karen Kirby and Karen Bebee. Belinda Bebee accompanied them. They were joined by a friend of Shannon's, Kim Stewardson of Santa Anna, and a friend of Belinda's from Austin before boarding the jet to Hawaii. They will spend a week in Hawaii and enjoy a lay over in Los Angeles before returning to Dallas next week.

FABRIC Sale

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reg. \$1.29	sale 79¢ yd.
89¢	49¢ yd.
99¢	49¢ yd.
1.99	\$1.49 yd.

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Downtown Ozona

FOREVER AND EVER

This picture was taken just a year ago. It was a perfect afternoon for a garden wedding reception. Joan and Kenny were so much in love.

Now, this morning, a letter came in the mail from Joan telling us that she is coming home. She's thinking about divorce — that the beautiful dream that she and Kenny shared has turned into a nightmare.

Naturally, her father and I will welcome her. This is her home and always will be. But this is a problem that we shall not try to solve by ourselves. We will turn, as we know Joan will, to our church, and to the very minister who both baptized and married her. Maybe all of us, working together, will find a way through God's Will and His Word.

The Church comes very close in times of stress. Remember that.



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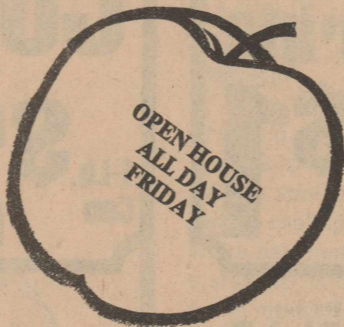
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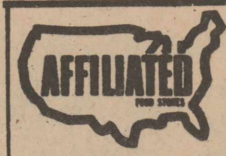
We invite you to our Open House with the assurance that old friends will be welcomed with delight as well as new friends. Drop by and register for gift certificates which will be given away during a drawing at the end of the day Friday. We will be serving coffee and refreshments all day.



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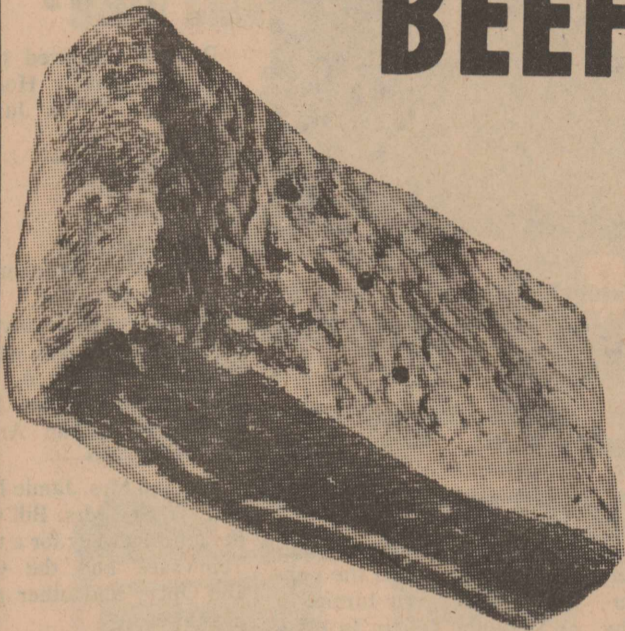


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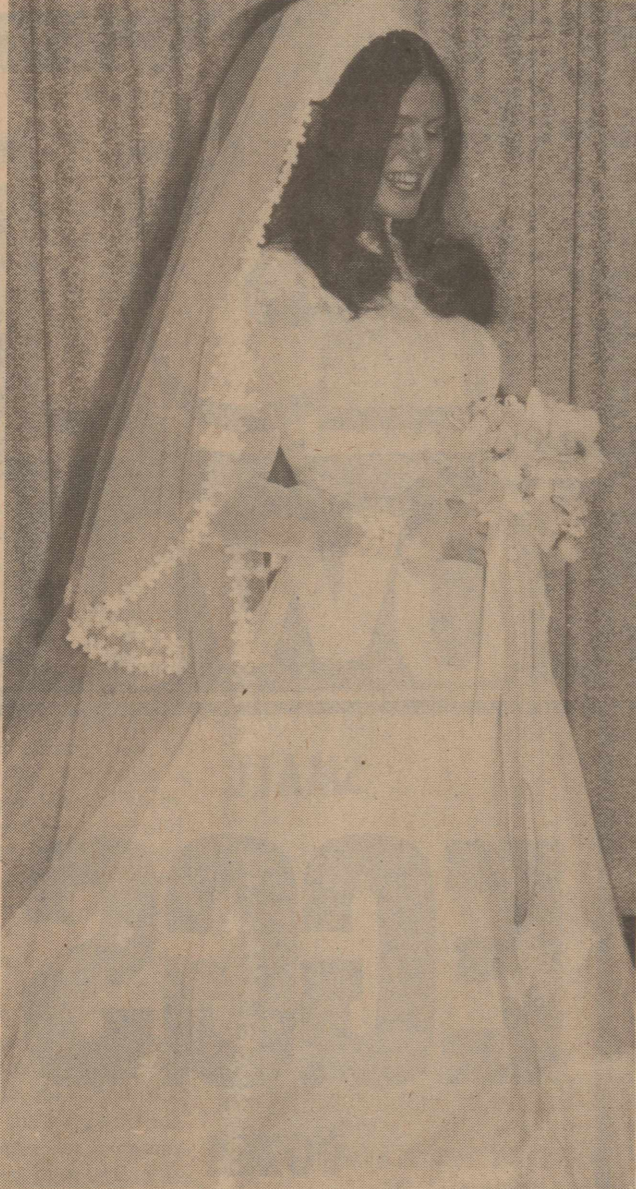
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MRS. TERRY BOLINGER
.....nee Bobbie Jones

Miss Jones Becomes Bride Of Mr. Bolinger May 21

Miss Bobbie Jones became the bride of Mr. Terry Bolinger during a ceremony at the First Baptist Church, May 21, at 8 p.m. Rev. Jerry Cain officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Selden Jones and Mr. and Mrs. T.D. Bolinger of Gainesville.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of sheer silk Venise lace with wedding ring neckline. The fitted bodice was embellished with lace as was the slim sleeve and enhanced with a circular flounce at the wrist. The soft A-line skirt was enhanced with a deep

lace edged flounce which extended the full length of the chapel train. Her double tiered lace edged mantilla veil of French illusion was gathered to a matching lace and Pearl Camelot. She carried a bouquet of white roses centered with an orchid.

Miss Donna Woodall of Odessa served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Robin Wesson of Odessa and Michelle Jones, sister of the bride. Flower girl was Carrie Burney of Andrews and candlelighters were Ronnell Jones of Odessa and Elizabeth Jones of Ozona. The attendants wore la-

vender gowns and carried bouquets of white and lavender glads. The flower girl wore a white eyelet gown trimmed in lavender.

Best man was Tim Bolinger of Gainesville. Groomsmen were Randy Walling of Houston and Donny Thompson of Gainesville. Ushers were Craig Wood of Odessa, Vance Tucker of Lubbock and Donny Reeves of Gainesville.

The church was decorated with spiral candelabras, lavender candles and green emerald throughout.

Soloist was Janet Henry accompanied by Mrs. Ed Barker.

A reception followed the wedding in the fellowship hall. The bride's table was centered with candelabras holding lavender tapers, cushion mums and gypsophelia. The bridegroom's table held an arrangement of white daisy mums.

Kathy Hillier of Knoxville, Tenn. presided at the register table. Serving at the bride's table were Melissa Henderson and Jan Ferguson. Serving at the bridegroom's table were Bobbie Hillier and Annell Wesson.

Among out of town guests from Tennessee, Oklahoma, Odessa and Andrews were the bride's grandparents, Mrs. Max Jones of Odessa and Mrs. Mary Burney of Greenville. Also the bridegroom's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Milner of Rose, Okla.

The bride is a graduate of Ozona High School and attended Odessa Junior College for two years. Her husband is a graduate of Texas Tech and is employed with a radio firm in Richardson. The couple will be at home in Plano.

When covering buttons or belting with a sheer or loosely constructed fabric, first fuse matching lining fabric to the wrong side of the fashion fabric. This prevents the button form-or belting-from showing through and prevents ravelling, too, advises Margaret Ann Vanderpoorten, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL was held all last week at First Baptist Church with a record number of children taking advantage of the school. The photographer caught the four and five year-olds during recess in the park Friday.

Teachers and assistants with the children are, l. to r., sitting, Elaine Williams and Sherri Webster, in back Jackie Thornton and Virginia Cotton.

Ag. Exports Pay For Imported Goods

The wheat a local farmer is raising could very well pay for your foreign car, imported wine or new camera.

This is because America exports more food and fiber products than it imports. This "favorable balance of trade" pays for many foreign products, a leading one today being the huge amounts of imported oil, points out Dr. William E. Black, marketing economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"The 'balance of trade' is the dollar difference between how much we buy from overseas and how much we sell to the overseas markets," says Black. To buy the foreign goods we want, we have to sell overseas to get the money to buy. It's much the same as in your own personal finances--you have to have an income before you can buy.

"If you buy more than you make, you go in debt. The more debt you have, the more shaky your financial situation is. After awhile, your credit isn't as good."

notes Black. The same applies to this country, the economist explains. If we buy more on the foreign market than we sell, we have a negative balance of trade. If that gets too big, our dollar gets shaky in the international market. After awhile, foreign markets lose faith in the value of the dollar and it won't buy as much overseas.

"When the value of our imports is greater than the value of what we export, the deficit saps the strength of the U.S. dollar in foreign markets. As the deficit grows, the value of the dollar weakens and it takes more

dollars to buy foreign products. That creates problems for the American consumer," asserts Balck.

In 1971, American farm exports cancelled one-half of a \$4 billion potential deficit in total U.S. trade. Overseas farm sales reduced by 23 per cent what would have

been a huge \$9 billion deficit in 1972.

Agricultural exports in 1973 made a record-breaking "net" contribution of \$9.3 billion to the American balance of trade while the non-agricultural sector turned in an \$8 billion deficit. In 1974, farm exports contributed an

incredible \$11.7 billion net, and the favorable trade balance reached \$12.6 billion in 1975. This balance should show a similar level for 1976.

Between 1965 and 1975, net agricultural exports have made a total contribution of \$49 billion to America's balance of trade. This more than offset the \$28 billion deficit chalked up by the non-agricultural sector.

"The export market plays an important role in Texas agriculture," adds Black. "Currently, the production from one out of every four acres is imported. Leading imports include rice, sorghum, wheat and cotton."

So, the next time you purchase an imported item, think about American agriculture. It opens the door for many imported products.

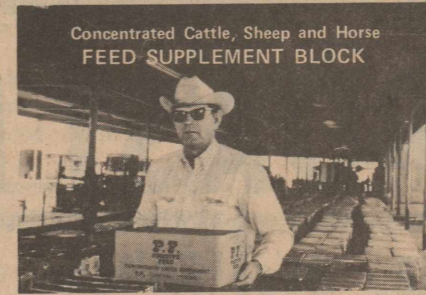
Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Crockett County Hospital from May 31 to June 7:

- Tamie Reagor*
- Helen Kenison*
- Adella Smith
- Julie Carson*
- Allie Lock
- Virgil Burns, Abilene

* denotes dismissal
The Crockett County Care Center had two new persons they are Mr. Dill A. Eversole of Iran and Mrs. Leona G. Harris of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Pagan and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crowder left this week for a trip to Tennessee and the Grand Old Opry and other points of interest.



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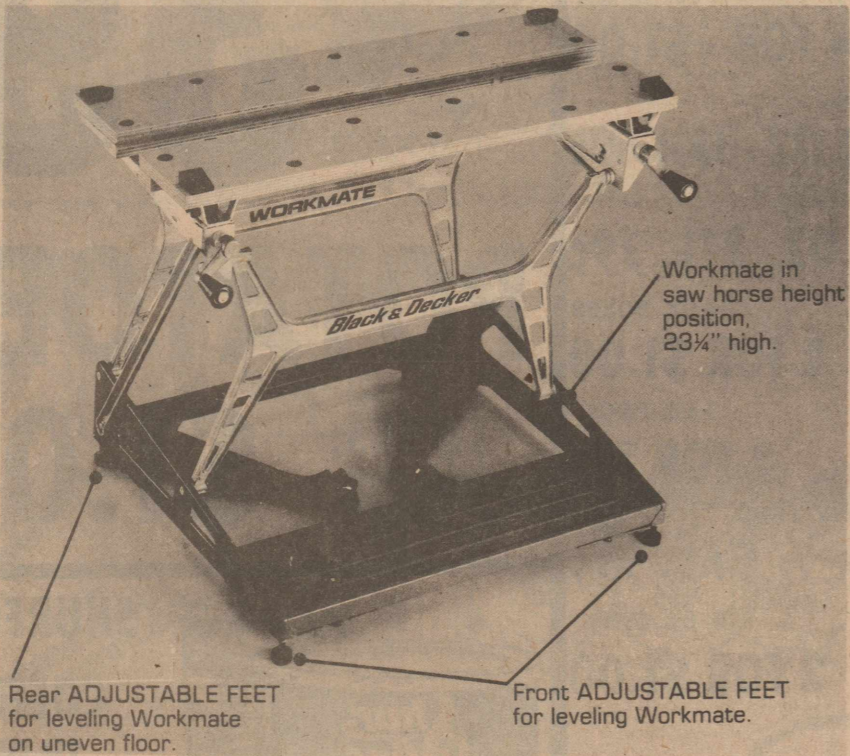
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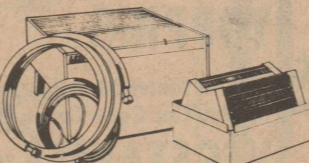
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Area rugs are increasingly popular, because they can be turned to equalize wear says Sue Young, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Sanderson Has First Screwworm

Rancher C.F. Cox of Sanderson collected Brewster County's first 1977 maggot sample which proved, under laboratory examination, to be screwworms.

This is Texas' 23rd case of the year, reports Dr. M.E. (Cotton) Meadows, Jr., director of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Screwworm Eradication Program. By June 2 of 1976 Brewster County had tallied three cases and Texas had a total of 2,277.

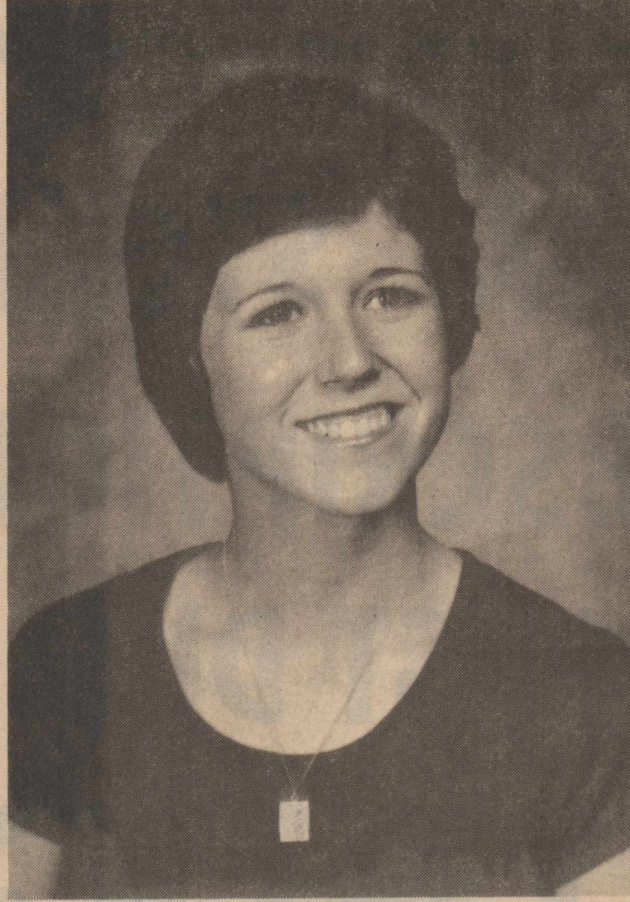
Cox collected the Brewster County sample from the navel of a new born calf at his ranch headquarters on May 30. It was identified in the lab May 12. The nearest known cases (two) in the region were collected May 13 and 14 along the Pecos River near Sheffield.

Meadows asks livestock owners to watch closely for signs of infestations. "It is particularly important this year when we are striving to eradicate screwworms from Texas for the final time."

The screwworm fighter says one encouraging aspect of the effort this year is that no buildup has been recorded in any area. "The sterile flies seem to be preventing spread from any of the cases reported to date."

The Screwworm Eradication Program, operated by the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, is based on the fact female flies usually mate only once in their lifetimes. Millions of screwworm flies are reared, and sexually sterilized, in an insectary.

They are released from APHIS aircraft in areas where it is thought wild screwworm flies may exist; and in specially heavy numbers in the area of known screwworm cases. When enough sterile to fertile matings occur eradication is achieved.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED-Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Womack announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Jane, to Gary Wayne Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde D. Warren. The wedding will take place July 9, at the Ozona United Methodist Church.

Beat The Heat With Cool Duds

Beat the heat "in style" this summer-and save energy and water at the same time, says Margret Ann Vanderpoorten, a clothing specialist.

"Fashion trends for summer '77 help with all three, she says.

"In general, loose flowing styles are right for summer-and they are cooler than tightly fitted clothes.

Cool styles and fabrics allow comfort at higher temperatures--and that saves on air conditioning needs.

Save even more energy and water by accumulating all these easy-care fabrics to launder as a "full load" in cool water, she suggests.

Start a summer wardrobe with sundresses in lightweight fabrics for a fashionable appearance--and a cool one, because most are designed to fit loosely, she says.

Crinkled cotton, cotton blends and very light-weight synthetic knits are good fabric choices, as well as ener-

gy savers because of their easy-care features.

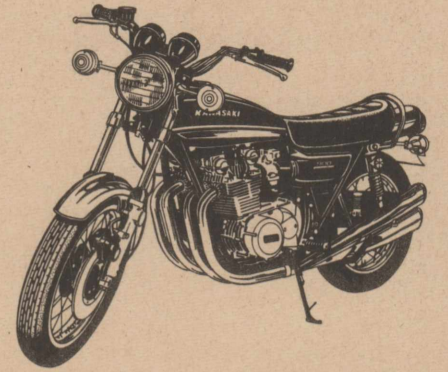
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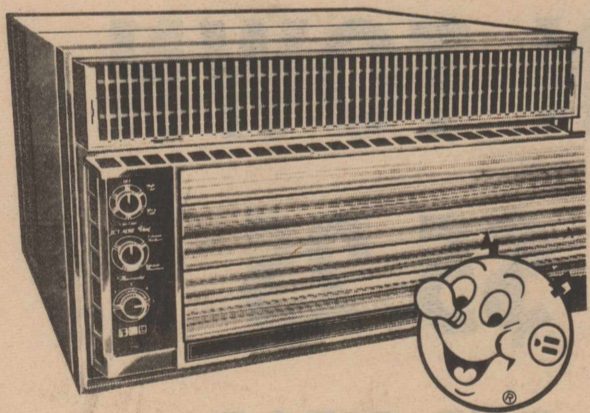
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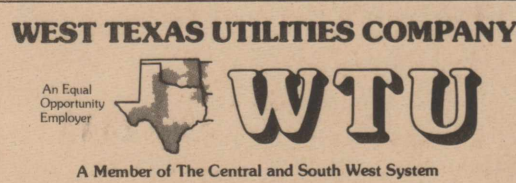
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Ozonans Win Ribbons In Photo Contest

Two Ozonans were among those winning ribbons at the Amateur Photography Contest sponsored by San Angelo National Bank over the weekend. Theme for the contest was "Vacations and Recreation."

Joel Sanchez won a fourth place in the black and white category of 12 entries. His winning picture depicted a water hole scene.

Chris Hill won a third place ribbon with her fall picture of aspen trees in Colorado. She also won an honorable mention with a ski area scene in the color class. There were 104 entries in this category.

Judges for the event were Lloyd Witten, a San Angelo photographer, Bob Warner of Warner's Frame Shop and Otis Lumpkin of the art department at ASU. Judging was based on appropriate theme, composition, eye appeal, and mood conveyed by the photograph.

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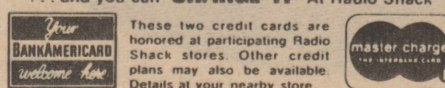
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CROCKETT COUNTY COWBOYS and a sprinkling of cowgirls take advantage of a head and heeling school being held here this week by the world famous steer ropers, Reg. Leo and Gerold Camarillo, all brothers from California. The school is being held on the Davidson Ranch east of Ozona

and will run for five days. Thirty-five teams are enrolled. Several are young ropers, including three cowgirls, are taking advantage of instruction from these world champion ropers. The school is a five-day affair and this is the first time it has been held in this area.

Miss Johnigan Honored With Gift Coffee

Miss Gilda Johnigan, bride-elect of Aaron Hamilton Jr. was honored with a gift coffee, Saturday in the home of Mrs. Harold Shaw. Receiving guests were Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Frank James, Miss Johnigan; her mother, Mrs. Hartley Johnigan, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Aaron Hamilton of San Angelo. Other hostesses were Mrs. Joe Bean, Mrs. Chester Wilson, Mrs. Ben Williams, Mrs. Basil Dunlap, Mrs. Dave Emler, Mrs. Claude Montya, Mrs. Thad Tabb, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Gene Hood, Mrs. Vance Huff, Mrs. J.A. Pagan, Mrs. Ted Dews, Mrs. R.J. Everett, Mrs. Huey Ingram, Mrs. S.E. Carnes, Mrs. George Hester, Mrs. Levon Parker and Mrs. George Glynn. The bride's chosen colors of pink and white were used in floral arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Coates and son Bill of Hugo, Colo. spent several days visiting here last week. They left Sunday to visit relatives in Fort Stockton before returning to their home in Hugo.

Mrs. Tom Harris fell and broke a wrist at her apartment in San Angelo late last week. She has been brought here to the care center.

Plan Now For Fall Landscape Color

Prior planning can mean a brightly colored landscape this fall, says an authority in landscaping.

"Four popular plants are well-known for their fall brilliance," points out Dr. William C. Welch, landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "They are the chrysanthemum, candle tree, copper plant and Joseph's coat. Each has advantages and distinctions all its own; all have beauty and eye-pleasing color."

The chrysanthemum—simply called a mum—is considered the queen of fall flowers. The plants, generally from 12 to 24 inches tall, burst forth with colorful blooms. Mums require a well-drained soil with ample water and fertilizer. Use a high phosphorus fertilizer, such as 5-15-10, at the rate of two pounds per 100 square feet. Mums should be transplanted by June or early July. Keep terminal buds pinched through July to promote side branching and more flowers.

The candle tree boasts showy yellow flowers. These fall blooming plants are best used as backgrounds for wide flower beds. They also have attractive foliage over their height of four to six feet. Candle trees prefer rich, moist soil and should be fertilized each month with a complete fertilizer. A fertilizer with the analysis of

5-15-10 at the rate of two pounds per 100 square feet of soil surface works well although any balanced fertilizer should give a good response.

Copper plants are attractive in summer as well as fall. The bronze foliage, the main reason it is grown, combines well with fall flowers. While they can grow much larger, copper plants normally grow 15 to 30 inches tall in moist, fertile soil. Copper plants do well with similar amounts of fertilizer as used with candle trees and mums.

Joseph's coat, available in several varieties, is famous for its colors of red, orange, green and yellow. Usually under 15 inches tall, this native of Brazil is most commonly used as a low spreading border. Joseph's coat also flourishes in a moist, well-fertilized soil and prefers a complete and balanced fertilizer.

Whatever plants you choose to brighten your fall landscape, advance planning is important for an abundance of color," says Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Urbante of Andrews and infant son, Tab Ryan, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Tabb. Little Tab celebrated his first birthday Wednesday.

Ozonans On Texas Tech Honor Roll

Texas Tech University has announced its Spring 1977 Dean's Honor Roll, including students achieving a grade point average of 3.0 or higher during the spring semester.

Honorees making the list have taken full course loads and achieved B to A averages. Students from Ozona making the honor list are: George E. Allen, Beverly L. Maness, and Teresa A. Shaw.

CHARLENE STRICKLAND RECEIVES DEGREE

Miss Charlene Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strickland of Coleman and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Joslin received her BS degree in education from Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.

Charlene, a graduate of Ozona High School, is employed by First Coleman Bank for the summer. She will return to San Marcos this fall to complete her masters in speech communication. She will be an assistant instructor in the speech and drama department.

National Wool Act Alive And Kicking

Guessing which way the Congressional wind will blow is a fairly chancy undertaking at best, but the National Wool Act appears to be alive and kicking.

Both houses of Congress have their own versions, of course, the major differences boiling down to dollars and cents. Basically, both are five year extensions of the present Wool Act, minus the 1971 freeze. They use the existing support price formula, but disagree on how much of the formula-derived support price they would accept.

The Senate version, which has passed the floor, would set the incentive price at 85 per cent of the formula for the first year, 90 per cent thereafter. The House bill, now out of committee and awaiting floor action, would maintain the 85 per cent figure for the full five years. Market year 1977 is included in the plans and would fare the same under either bill.

The formula itself is unchanged from past years and is still the primary incentive-setting machinery. It is determined by multiplying 62 cents by the ratio of the average parity index of the three calendar years prior to the year in question to the average parity index of the years 1958 through 1960.

That may be a little hard to digest without some judicious chewing, but most producers won't have their hands on the necessary plug-in parity index figures anyway. So, rather than having to work the math problems ourselves, we've been given a sneak peek at the back of the book.

For the market years 1977 through 1982, the original support prices, according to formula; are \$1.16, \$1.27, \$1.35, \$1.42, \$1.48 and \$1.55. Under either of the proposed extensions, the 1977 support price would be 85 per cent of \$1.16, or 99 cents. This compares with the frozen price set at the 1970 level of 72 cents.

These prices, as before, are for shorn wool, pulled wool and mohair supports

tagging along and possibly leading, but not necessarily walking hand in hand with shorn rates. Pulled wool and mohair supports, however, must be set within 15 per cent of shorn levels, either above or below. This would be no particular change, since mohair support levels in past years have hovered about 10 per cent above shorn wool supports.

Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association President Bill Pfluger chairs the National Wool Grower-selected committee supporting passage of the Wool Act. Part of their job has been to outline needs and desires of the wool and mohair producer, as well as fighting off potentially harmful measures such as payment limitations and the threatened exclusion of the 1977 marketing year.

Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Brown and daughter, Teresa, and a friend, Jeannine Perry, left Tuesday for a three-week vacation to various points in Texas.

Lottie Lee Baker returned to her home here Friday after spending a week in the hospital in Sonora undergoing medical treatment. She is much improved.

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To make an entertainment budget "behave," when planning a party of any type, allow a certain amount of money to be spent per guest and don't go over that amount, suggests Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas, at 10 a.m. o'clock on Thursday, the 23 day of June, 1977, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Crockett County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1977, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.
Leta Powell, County Clerk
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Crockett County, Ozona, Texas. 9th day of May, 1977. 14-1tc

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