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Kitty's Korner

By
Kitty Montgomery

Hunting season really got underway with a "bang" around here and the town has been full of hunters since. It's the annual big deer hunt. However, I know of a crew who caught some wildlife when they weren't even hunting for it. Valle Sanchez told me he and his sanitation crew surprised a big possum sleeping in my garbage can Monday morning. He said the animal "played possum," and they took him and let him out over in a pasture.

I hope he doesn't find his way back. All summer we've had a mystery with the garbage cans. Something or someone unknown has removed lids, torn into carefully sealed plastic bags, and scattered garbage all over, driving us crazy. We feel like this solves the mystery. Just hope he doesn't have any relatives around.

I'm sure you have noticed ads in the paper from various local candidates lately. I'd like to take this opportunity to let everybody know they all wrote their own announcements and their own ad copy, and paid in advance each one. I am making this point for those of you who have not told me I wrote a better story for this one than I did that one. Everyone who has asked, I have already told. Also, the reason the announcements were not on the front page, as they have been in the past, is pretty obvious. We just had too many candidates to announce for the special election Dec. 10, to put on the front page. Since we couldn't get them all on the front page, we didn't use any on the front page, in our constant endeavor to be fair. There are some who would disagree with that last statement.

Things have gone sort of wrong around here this week. We were looking forward to having a picture of the big OZONA sign which has recently been installed on I-10 near the Pandale road. Well, the letters are white and the background is white and all that comes out is a big black frame that looks sort of like a blank billboard. Another thing, we seem to have more corrections than usual this week. This always gets us down, but it's going to happen as

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WINNERS OF THE SECOND ANNUAL CROCKETT COUNTY PECAN SHOW held Friday at the Civic Center. These are winners of the pecan growing division. From left to right they are Herb Kunkel, most entries; Jim Leech,

reserve champion; Jack Baggett, runner-up; Buster Deaton, grand champion; C.O. Spencer, champion shelling variety; Malene Lott, champion native, and Joe Couch, chairman of the Crockett County Program Building Committee.

Present Prec. Lines To Continue

Since the Justice Department refused to approve precinct lines submitted to them after the recent court decision which declared new lines illegal, it is quite likely precinct lines will continue to be the present lines up to and including the May 1977 Democratic Primary.

Voters need to be sure of their voting precincts and polling places. Anyone who is in doubt should check with the tax assessor's office before voting. Notices will be sent late this week to all voters who have been switched from precinct to another by the tax office.

Ozonan's Father Dies In Lubbock

Funeral services for S.N. Lanham, 80, father of Rev. S.N. Lanham, pastor of Ozona First Baptist Church, were held Monday in Central Baptist Church in Lubbock with burial in Lubbock City Cemetery. Mr. Lanham died about 7:40 p.m. Friday in Lubbock Methodist Hospital after a short illness.

Second Annual County Pecan Show Entries Almost Double

The second annual Crockett County Pecan Show was another success this year. Held Friday and Monday at the Civic Center, the show had many more entries than last year. The pecan show is sponsored by the Crockett County Program Building. The chairman of this year's pecan show was Mrs. Floyd Hokit.

The pecan division of the show was judged on Friday and some 108 entries were in the show. Buster Deaton's Graking variety was judged Grand Champion, with Jim Leech's Delmas variety, reserve and Jack Baggett's Success variety, runner-up. C.O. Spencer's San Saba Improved variety was the Champion Shelling Pecan and Malene Lott's Native was champion.

Prize money was awarded as follows: Buster Deaton, \$50.00 for Champion; Jim Leech, \$35.00 for reserve; Jack Baggett, \$15.00 for runner up, and Herb Kunkel, \$10.00 for most entries. The food division of the show was judged on Monday. A total of 38 food entries

were judged by the Pandale Study Club.

Prize money for the food show included \$10 for champion in each category and \$5.00 for runner-up.

Susie Black won the champion cake and Tina Moran was runner-up. Alice Couch won champion pie and Mrs. W.H. Chandler won second. Kaleta Shepperson won champion cookies and Joyce Young won runner-up. Alice Couch won champion candy and Debra Furr was named runner-up. Rebecca Everett won champion bread and Debra Price won runner-up.

CORRECTION

In last week's edition of The Stockman, the report of the Commissioners Court stated that the commissioners approved 5 miles of paving in each precinct for next year's road work. The report should have read 2 miles in each precinct, making a total of 8 miles for the four precincts. We regret any inconvenience this error might have caused, or any irritation either for that matter.

up. Lou Deaton won champion in the miscellaneous group and Dennis Young won runner-up.

The champion food recipes were German Chocolate Individual class results in the pecan show are Burkett, C.E. Huffman, first place; Dub Stokes, second and Katherine Russell, third place. Delmas-Jim Leech, first; Wendy Hood, second; Allie Lock, third place. John Garner-Lena Word, first; Ottis Pridemore, second and Malene Lott, third place. Mahon-Buster Deaton, first; Herb Kunkel, second. Stuart-Herb Kunkel, first; Buddy Phillips, second and R.A. Harrell, third place. Success-Jack Baggett, first; Alice Baker, second and Bob Harris, third place. Wichita-Buster Deaton, first place and Bob Harris, second place.

Other In Shell varieties include Buster Deaton, Graking, first place; George Bunger, Jr., E. Schley, second; George Bunger, Sr., Dependable, third place. Other Shelling varieties include George Bunger, Sr., Williamson, first place; Herb Kunkel, Cheyenne, second place; L.D. Boyd, Caddo, third place. Moore-first place winner was Jana Lilly and second Donna Lilly. San Saba Improved-C.O. Spencer, first; Herb Kunkel, second; Mrs. H.E. Hill, third. Texas Prolific-Mrs. James Baggett, first place; Tommie Chandler, second. Western Schley-James Crumley, first place; George Bunger, Jr., second and Tommy Stokes, third place. Variety Seeding: R.A. Harrell, first; Luetta Kost, second; Dub Stokes, third place. The Native-Malene Lott, first; Allie Lock, second and June Henderson, third place.

Other pecan exhibitors were Floyd Hokit, Joe Couch, Tina Moran, B.B. Ingham, Jr., Maudie Couch, Coon Chandler, Jim Hearne, Vera Baker, John Parks, Mrs. Coose, Patti Coates, Erby Chandler, Bernice Jones, Hillery Phillips, Primary School Kindergarten, first grade and second grade.

Other entries in the food division were Pearl Young, Jana Lilly, Mrs. Jerry Hill, Lois Patterson, Karen Crumley, Dona Lilly, Dona Furr, Gigi McKinney, Janet Hill, and Mrs. P.L. Childress.

Justice Department Turns Down Redistricting Plan

The Justice Department in Washington has declined to withdraw the objection interposed to the 1975 redistricting plan in Crockett county for the election of County Commissioners, it is revealed in a copy of a letter received by Lucius Bunton, Odessa attorney, representing this county in the election hassle, and sent to officials here.

The letter was in response to one written by Mr. Bunton asking the Department to reconsider its objections to the redistricting plan and submitting 1977 census figures and other supporting information.

"As the July 7, 1976, letter indicated, the Attorney General's objection was based on the absence of reliable population statistics that would facilitate an appropriate evaluation of the redistricting plan," the letter, written by Drew S. Days III, assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, said. "You now have supplied data from the results of a 1977 special census survey undertaken for Crockett County, which has enabled us to make an analysis of the redistricting plan in accordance

3 Vehicle Accident Injures 1

A three-vehicle collision at the intersection of Hwy 137 and 29 seriously injured one man about 7 p.m. Sunday night.

A vehicle was stopped at the yield sign on 137, giving way to a truck traveling on 29, when the third vehicle rammed the stopped vehicle in the rear. The collision threw the third vehicle into the path of the oncoming truck and after the collision the truck overturned.

Leopold Morales, 51, of Eagle Pass, driver of the vehicle in collision twice, was in serious condition with internal injuries in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. The other two men, drivers of the other vehicles were not injured. They were Jose Carreon of Eagle Pass and James Mack Holly of Eldorado.

Investigating officer was Trooper Joe Miles, DPS. This report of the accident was taken from his report.

with the requirements of Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act."

The letter recited that the department's analysis showed the county with a 41.5 percent Mexican American population, most of it divided between two precincts, 1 and 4. The redistricting plan, the letter claims, resulted in the shifting of Mexican American voters to result in an 84 percent in Precinct 4 and reducing the Mexican American

Ozona Lions Drop One To Junction

By Gregg Perry

The Ozona Lions basketball team lost a hard fought battle here in Davidson Memorial Gymnasium against Junction last Friday night. The final score ended up a one point decision, 41-42.

During the opening minutes of the game, the Junction Eagles pulled ahead and forced the Lions to play catch-up basketball throughout the remainder of the first half. By the end of the first quarter, the Lions were down by a 10-12 score, and at the half were losing by six with a 20-26 score.

In the third quarter, the game finally started to shift the Lions way. The Lions came back with 9 points while holding Junction to only 3, thus tying the score at 20.

Finally, the fourth quarter was a race to the finish as the score saw-sawed throughout the entire period. Unfortunately, Junction won it on two free throws by their high point Ramos.

High point man in the game for Ozona was Douglas Bean with 13 points. Clair McDaniel took second honors with 10 points.

Earlier the Ozona JV scored a convincing win over the Junction JV 31-25. High point for Ozona was Shane Fenton with 16 points. Freddy Garza stood second with 12.

Ozona was scheduled to play Wall there last Tuesday, but the game was cancelled due to Wall's extended football season. The boys and girls varsity and junior varsity teams will play in Big Lake next Tuesday, Nov. 29, with action beginning at 5:00.

can count in Precinct 1 to 58 percent.

"The county has provided no compelling reason, and we have not been able otherwise to discover one, for the seeming overloading of Mexican Americans in Precinct 4, with the inevitable and concomitant reduction of the Mexican American percentage in Precinct 1, especially when that configuration is to increase to 4.2% the deviation in precinct 1 which previously had been 2.9%."

The letter concluded that under these circumstances "the Attorney General must decline to withdraw the objection interposed to the 1975 redistricting in Crockett County."

The lines have been shifted back to their original place by court order for the special election of December 10 but the continued disapproval by the Attorney General places a burden on the county to come up with a satisfactory solution, if one is possible, before next year's elections.

CORRECTION

Jim Marks' Foodway Store does not have a beer petition available for signatures as stated in last week's Stockman. We were misinformed and deeply regret any inconvenience or embarrassment this might have caused.

County Is Ordered To Pay Attorney

A federal court order, filed Nov. 7, in U.S. District Court, has ordered Crockett County to pay \$10,000 in attorney's fees for the plaintiffs in the case of Hector DeHoyos, et al. vs. Crockett County, et al.

The order was signed by the same panel of three judges who decided in favor of the plaintiffs in the drawn out civil suit, and ordered new elections in Precincts 1 and 3. A copy of the order was received by County Judge Johnny Jones last week.

The court had been asked for a larger amount, but found that a reasonable sum for attorney's fees, including all expenses would be the sum of \$10,000.



PECAN SHOW FOOD WINNERS-Food entries were judged Monday in the second annual Crockett County Pecan Show. From left to right they are Kaleta Shepperson, champion cookies; Lou Deaton, champion miscellaneous division;

Alena Faye Hokit, show chairman; Alice Couch, champion candy, and Rebecca Everett, champion bread. For other winners see story.



TROPHY DEER-Steve Sessom shot this deer on the run at 8:30 Saturday morning, Nov. 12, from 225 yards. The deer, which is expected to be a record, has 25 points that a ring can be hung from. The outside spread of the main beam is 25 inches. Its estimated weight was 142 pounds field dressed. The deer was taken on the Rocker B Ranch north of Big Lake. A game biologist aged the deer at over 8 years.

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Q: I was born in Texas and I suppose I'd be considered a resident. I am now living with my wife and child in another country where I work. All my property is cash and stocks in out-of-state companies, except for a car and household furnishings located for the most part outside the United States. If I should die outside the U.S., would a Texas probate court have jurisdiction?

A: This is really not a jurisdiction question. There is no proof that you have any property in Texas over which a probate court would have jurisdiction. There is no requirement that you have your estate administered if you have the assets of your estate properly accounted for and transferred. But if you have your property in Texas then a Texas Court would have jurisdiction.

Q: My husband was previously married, and the divorce decree specifies that life insurance policies owned as of the divorce would pay 80% to his children and 20% to a future wife, if he was to remarry. Could he cancel the old policies? Could he name me as the sole beneficiary of a new policy?

A: Insurance policies are property which can be dealt with by a trial judge in a divorce decree. If your husband is the owner of the policies then he could change the beneficiaries. But if his ex-wife was given ownership of the policies, then he would be powerless to change them in any way. Plus, there is the possibility that he contracted with his ex-wife to keep the policies

as they are making it impossible for him to change them. It is completely within his power to take out a new policy and place you as beneficiary.

Q: I am a widow. For the past 17 months, I've been living with a man who has been separated from his wife for two years. He has introduced me as his wife on several occasions, and I use his name. Should anything happen to him, what would my legal status be?

A: You have no rights to his estate as a wife. Just because he calls you a wife does not change the fact that he is still married. There must be a final divorce decree before you would have the opportunity to be a common law wife. You would have the rights of a tenant in common to all property which you two have acquired together.

Q: We're planning on buying five acres in the country with a house. But we discovered this property is subject to outstanding mineral rights. We're buying the property to use as a residence rather than for mineral exploration, but we're not sure whether this mineral interest will affect our rights to the property.

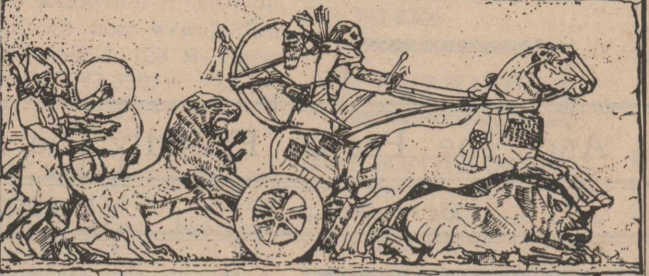
A: An outstanding mineral interest may seriously affect the use of property as a residence. The owner of a mineral interest may have the right to enter the property and remove the minerals from around your house in a reasonable manner.

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.

Unless we are ready to

OUR FASCINATING EARTH THE LION HUNT ANCIENT SPORT OF KINGS

THE LION'S DOMAIN WAS ONCE VERY EXTENSIVE, ENCOMPASSING MUCH OF THE WORLD. MAN HAS ALWAYS BEEN HIS MOST FORMIDABLE ENEMY. EGYPTIAN, ASSYRIAN, AND PERSIAN MONARCHS CONSIDERED IT THEIR ROYAL DUTY TO WAGE WAR AGAINST THE LIONS. THEY SOUGHT RENOWN AS LION-KILLERS, UNDER THE PRETEXT THAT THEY WERE PROTECTING THE PEASANTS.



OUR DRAWING IS BASED ON A PHOTO OF AN ASSYRIAN RELIEF SCULPTURE FROM THE PALACE OF ASHURNASIRPAL II AT NIMRUD. THE LION, DISPLAYING MAGNIFICENT STRENGTH AND COURAGE, IS ATTACKING THE CHARIOT, WHILE THE KING IS CALMLY FIRING ARROWS AT HIS OPPONENT.

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Lyndell Williams TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Now the Republicans as well as the Democrats have a battle on their hands in their gubernatorial primary. Dallas oil well drilling contractor William P. "Bill" Clements was a surprise entry into the GOP race last week. Former Republican State Chairman Ray Hutchison, who has planned to run all along, is due to enter November 29.

Other possibilities are former State Sen. Henry Grover of Houston, who came closer than any other Republican to winning the governor's office (in 1972), and former Ambassador Albert Bel Fay, also of Houston.

Clements, 60, who is a former U.S. Deputy secretary of defense under Presidents Nixon and Ford, heads a major drilling firm. He said he expects to wage a multi-million-dollar campaign and feels that top Texas Republican leaders are enthusiastic about his candidacy.

Zeroing in on the energy issue, Clements said he thinks he can mobilize the public and industry to protect Texas interests in Washington. He claimed that Gov. Dolph Briscoe has done little to articulate Texas' side of the energy issue, and the state's senators lack expertise in the field.

Democratic gubernatorial candidates, meanwhile, are heating up their campaign. Gov. Briscoe, Atty. Gen. John Hill and former Gov. Preston Smith are out among the voters, beefing up their organizations and trying to get across their messages.

Appointments Announced State Sen. Don Adams of Jasper will resign his senate seat to accept appointment as chief legal counsel to Gov. Briscoe effective January 1.

Briscoe appointed G. L. "Lynn" Tate of Corpus Christi as commissioner of the Texas Department of Labor and Standards. Jackie St. Clair of Round Rock, the man Tate succeeded, was promptly named a member of the Texas Industrial Commission.

Briscoe also reappointed W. Grogan Lord of Georgetown to the State Securities Board and J. C. Dingwall of Austin to the State Depository Board.

Gas Rate Examined Texas Railroad Commission turned down Pioneer Natural Gas Company's attempt to limit an inquiry into the Amarillo utility's proposed natural gas rate increase to 41 industrial contract customers in northwest Texas.

The commissions' gas utilities division was directed to reschedule a hearing for January 16 on Pioneer's statement of intent to boost gas service rates two cents per thousand cubic feet. The increase has been suspended for 120 days.

Pioneer was directed to produce all facts, evidence, information and data necessary to determine fair rates for the industrial customers. Meanwhile, the commission ended a hearing before a team of examiners into whether Good Hope Refineries Inc., a major gas operator in South Texas, is overproducing in violation of RRC production allowances.

Good Hope denied the allegations. Also at issue is whether the overproduction, if it occurred, contributed to an increase in natural gas prices charged South and Central Texas cities by Lovaca Gathering Company.

State Courts Speak Contrary to a federal court's ruling, the Third Court of Civil Appeals said the state does not have a constitutional obligation to provide free education to aliens' children. The same court upheld state regulation of child care facilities operated by religious groups.

The State Supreme Court took under review the question whether Texas judges can give deadlocked juries "dynamite charges" to keep open minds and consider each other's opinions on cases to prevent mistrials.

THE NEWS REEL A re-run of "The Ozona Story" as gleaned from the files of "The Ozona Stockman"

Thursday, Nov. 25, 1948 C.B. Nichols is here from Abilene visiting Mrs. J.E.L. Harrison and family.

29 yrs. ago Don Cooke, Joe Perry, and Bernard Lemmons are expected home from A&M over the holidays.

29 yrs. ago Edith Lou Piner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Piner will be home for the holiday. She is attending TSCW.

29 yrs. ago Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Kincaid, Jr. had as guests Mrs. Steve Massey and Col. Massey of San Antonio.

29 yrs. ago Student of the Week at OHS this week is Donald Hoover who is better known as "Bud".

29 yrs. ago 20 players reported to try out for A and B basketball.

29 yrs. ago Captain D.A. Parker is stationed at Bookley Field, Alabama. "Coach" is busy with football there.

29 yrs. ago Mrs. Sid Millspaugh entertained members of her bridge club and guests at her home Sat.

29 yrs. ago Earl Berry Jr., is suffering from a throat infection this week.

29 yrs. ago Mr. and Mrs. Evert White, Judy White and Mary Ann North, and Mr. and Mrs. N.W. Graham are spending Thanksgiving weekend in Dallas visiting.

29 yrs. ago Joe Ross Hufstetter, Buba Hokit, Charles Harrison, are expected home for holidays from North Texas State.

29 yrs. ago Members of the Ladies Senior Bible Class of Church of Christ were hostesses to the membership at a forty-two party in Granny Miller Hall.

SNIPS, QUIPS AND LISTS By Lottie Lee Baker Golf is a lot like taxes-you drive hard to get to the green and then wind up in the hole.

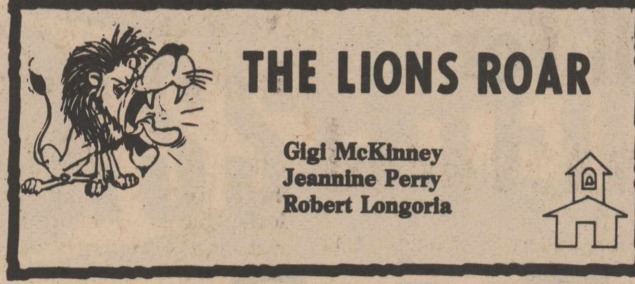
A friend in need is a drain on the pocketbook. Progress nowadays seems to be the art of making bigger circles to run around in.

Used cars are all right as far as they go. There's a difference between good sound reasons and reasons that sound good.

The best things in life are free. It's the worst things that are so expensive. A bright eye indicates curiosity; a black eye, too much.

The trouble with a vacation is that it's such a long time paying for such a short time playing. Personality is the name we give to our own little collection of funny ways.

What the world needs is a closer agreement on what the world needs. Americans are people who feel rich because they charge each other so much.



Gigi McKinney Jeannine Perry Robert Longoria Kathy A., we hate to tell you, but there wasn't a fire in Bookkeeping Friday. Was it a cool escape though.

HOME BUYER CLINIC By Roger N. Bell President-Elect American Land Title Association

PRECAUTIONS BEFORE BUYING When buying a home, most of us would like to think the parties we deal with are trustworthy. While people generally are honest, exceptions do arise—as a purchaser learned in a southeastern state.

In this instance, the buyer had completed his transaction when he was named in a lawsuit seeking to void the real estate transfer. Plaintiffs in the action were the guardian and children of a former owner of the property, an individual who recently had been declared mentally incompetent in a legal proceeding.

During the trial that followed, it was held that the person from whom the buyer purchased had fraudulently acquired the real estate from the mentally incompetent individual while aware of his infirmity. The court then decreed that the ownership of the seller—and of the current buyer—were invalid, regardless of the fact that the buyer had purchased in good faith without knowledge of the mental incompetency.

A complete failure of title had occurred for the buyer but all was not lost. Under the owner's title insurance of the buyer, obtained at time of real estate purchase, the title company worked out a financial settlement and obtained a new deed from the plaintiffs, which enabled the buyer to keep his home. In addition, the title company paid attorney fees and costs to avert an economic tragedy for the buyer.

The purchase of a home normally is an excellent long-range investment—which for most buyers is the largest financial outlay of their lives. It's an excellent idea to look into precautions including owner's title insurance before you decide upon proceeding with home buying.

For free information on things to know in purchasing a home, write American Land Title Association, Box 566, Washington, D.C.

ARMED FORCES TEST Monday, the Juniors and Seniors took the Armed Forces Test at Granny Miller Hall. Even though it was quite hard, they enjoyed the long lunch break! We hope everyone did well.

TEACHER ELECTION NEXT WEEK Students, remember that the Teacher of the Month election is next week, so be considering who the lucky "teach" is this month!

BIRTHDAYS-Happy Birthday to Frank Tambunga, Joey Borrego, Gene Galindo, Mundo Vargas, Gary Wilson, T.J. Carlisle, James Furr and Sherri Webster.

GOSSIP-N-GAB Steaming Bowl of The Week This week (compliments of Mr. Hoover) it goes to...Kaye Thompson for her mathematical genius ability. Believe it or not, this kid can figure out how many feet are in an acre! (Or was she bluffing?) At any rate, she bumfuzzled her classmates!

New Names Of The Week "Mechanic" to Cliff McMullan and "El Presidente" to Wayne Sutton.

DISASTER OF THE WEEK Bill Dudley broke his new sunglasses. He was standing at his locker, minding his own business, when all of a sudden his new shatter-proof sunglasses fell and broke. Poor Bill! Advice-Get a rabbit's foot!

Molly Womack was so hungry at lunch Monday that she ate everything in sight, including the piece of hamburger meat on her sweater. How it got there though we don't know, do we Moll?

It's deer season, Jay H. Not rabbit season so would you please be nice to Quiggles? That's the saddest sound I know.

We think that Jeannine and Teresa better settle down next time they eat at Pizza Inn. It's a good thing they had three "Secret Service Men" there to protect them.

Ozona Business And Professional Guide

THE FRAME SHOP Larry Hensley 803 Ave G 392-2142 After 5:30 Week-day 9-6 On Week-ends.

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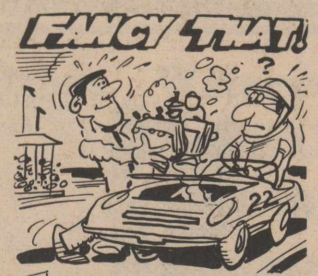
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Kitty, President Carter has signed two Covenants with the United Nations on Human Rights which former Presidents have refused to sign because of the fact that they do not include a guarantee for "ownership of private property alone or in association with others as a human right." Mr. Carter signed the Covenants without obtaining that inclusion of the right of owning private property. If the Covenants are approved by the Senate, thus giving them the status of a treaty, then they would take precedence over rights guaranteed in our own Constitution, since according to Article 6, Section 2 of the Constitution "all treaties made or which shall be made under the authority of the United States shall be the supreme law of the land and the Judges in every State shall be bound thereby, anything in the Constitution or laws of any State to the contrary notwithstanding."

give up everything we own, we must write our Senators without delay and let them know how we feel. "Your influence counts--use it!" Sue Arledge AN OPEN LETTER To The Voters of Precinct 3 I encouraged my wife, Ann Mayfield, to file and run for Commissioner in the Special Election to be held December 10. I believe she is well qualified for this job and will have all the time needed to devote to it. Road repairs and equipment repairs are a big part of a Commissioner's job. I can help her with any problems she might have with this. I have been in the construction business for many years and am familiar with all of the roads in the county. Your support and votes will assure her of being elected. I ask that you consider her when you go to the polls on December 10. Thank you, Bruce Mayfield (Pd. Pol. Adv. Pd. by Bruce Mayfield)



THE SPEEDIEST AUTO REPAIR ON RECORD OCCURRED IN 1974 WHEN A BRITISH TEAM TOOK OUT A MINI-CAR ENGINE AND REPLACED IT IN 52 SECONDS!

Curbing Vandals

In recent years of permissiveness, hopefully waning, vandals have become the terror of school rooms and schools themselves. Our darlings, to whom mother was afraid to say no, grew up into monsters in many cases, intimidated teachers and have recently destroyed school property valued in the hundreds of millions each year. (The estimate for 1976 was \$600 millions.)

Now many schools are taking counter-measures. The St. Louis Post Dispatch reports many schools are this year using guard dogs, armed patrols, sophisticated burglar alarms, plastic windows, graffiti-resistant paint, etc.--to reduce the toll from vandalism.

In addition, school officials have adopted a tougher attitude toward parents whose children cause such destruction. They are billed for the damage, prosecuted in court if necessary. This approach has already helped check the toll of senseless destruction--and is welcome. Our schools, as much as our churches, must be places where order, respect for others and unhampered opportunity prevail.

ACE CLIPPER undulated staples, for use with clipper pliers, SALE \$1.90. THE STOCKMAN OFFICE.

Honor Roll For OHS Is Announced

The Ozona High School Honor Roll for the first quarter of the 1977-78 school year was released by Jim Payne, high school principal. Band and P.E. do not count toward the quarter Honor Roll average. A student must have a 90 or better academic average to be on the Honor Roll, and not have any grade below a B- on his report card.

The class having the most students to make the Honor Roll is the Freshman Class with 23 students. Second in line is the Senior Class with 19. The Junior Class has 12 honor students and the Sophomores number seven.

Senior students include Randy Allen, Teresa Brown, Martha Castillo, Elsa Delgado, Bill Dudley, Regina Everett, Sandra Fielder, Andy Galan, Magdalena Galvan, Michelle Jones, Cristela Longoria, Manuel Longoria, Robert Longoria, Mary Lumberas, Gwendolyn McKinney, Cynthia Nicks, Jeanine Perry, Rhonda Yeager and Paul Zapata.

ia, Robert McDaniel, Dan Sewell, Wayne Sutton and Karen Warren.

Sophomores include Wade Beasley, Chris Carlisle, Lisa Mitchell, Jody Naron, Gregg Perry, Jan Watson and Jeffrey Young.

The Freshman Class includes Leanne Arledge, Teresa Carlisle, Janna Chaney, Lori Clayton, Danny Crawford, Aldo Delgado, Celda Elizondo, Frank Galvan, Gaye Henson, Lisa Hohertz, Melinda Hokit, Tilly Kramer, Ruth Longoria, Manuel Lumberas, Jennifer Marley, Gloria Rodarte, Johnny Rodriguez, Kim Sinclair, Gary Smith, Jill Thomas, Kaye Thompson, Connie Trujillo and Molly Womack.



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Now Is Time To Add Shade Trees For Next Summer

If you longed for more shade trees in your yard during the hot summer just over, now is the time to start taking some action, says a landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Most folks think of spring as the proper tree planting time, but fall planting offers distinct advantages," points out Everett Janne. "The root systems of fall-planted trees develop and become well established before top growth starts in the spring. However, use only container-grown or balled-and-burlapped trees for fall planting. Bare-root trees are still not completely dormant and should not be planted until January and February."

Choose trees that are well adapted to your area, emphasizes Janne. He cautions against planting so-called "fast growing trees" as most of these are brittle and short-lived or have some other characteristic that makes them less than desirable for landscape planting.

The horticulturist offers these tree planting guidelines:

Dig the tree pit large enough to allow at least 6 inches clearance on all sides. A good rule of thumb is to make the pit 1 1/2 times greater in diameter than the root ball.

Make the pit only as deep as the root ball. This allows the root ball to rest on undisturbed soil and reduces settling.

Plant the tree the same depth as it was growing in the nursery. The soil line can usually be seen as a discolored ring on the trunk.

Be sure the soil has good internal drainage. This can be checked by filling the hole with water. If the water does not seep out within a day's time, the tree roots could suffer from lack of oxygen. To improve drainage, dig a trench leading away from the bottom of the pit and fill about two-thirds full with gravel so the excess water can drain to a lower area of the yard.

Carefully place the tree in the hole, handling only the ball. Never carry it by the trunk. Always remove any type container before planting.

Back fill around the ball using good topsoil or a prepared mixture of soil, sand and peatmoss or pine bark. When planting a balled-and-burlapped tree, cut away the burlap and rope after the pit is about two-thirds full of

tamped soil. Fold the cut burlap down into the trunk and complete the backfill. Water thoroughly to settle the soil and to eliminate any air pockets.

Do not fertilize the tree at planting time. Rather wait until spring after growth starts and then fertilize only lightly. Heavy applications of fertilizer can burn and severely injure or even kill the tree.

Stake or guy the newly planted tree to stabilize it and protect it from wind damage until the roots become well established. Run guy wires through old garden hoses before putting them around the tree trunk.

Wrap or protect the trunk of the newly transplanted tree from sunscald, drying winds, sand storms and borers attacks.

Water the tree thoroughly whenever the soil becomes moderately dry.

"With proper handling and care, your fall planted tree will get off to a fast start next spring," contends Janne.

How To Thaw Thanksgiving Poultry

To thaw poultry, follow the safety rules, says Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. Keep poultry frozen until time to thaw or cook, then thaw it in the refrigerator, in cold water, or in a cool room, Miss Reasonover says.

In the refrigerator, in the original wrapping or lightly covered with waxed paper if poultry is unwrapped. Place poultry on a tray for easy handling and to catch any drippings. Thaw until pliable.

Here is a timetable for thawing poultry in the refrigerator:

Chickens: 4 lbs. or over-1 to 1 1/2 days; Less than 4 pounds-12 to 16 hours. Ducks 3 to 7 lbs. need 1 to 1 1/2 days. Geese, 6 to 12 pounds, 1 to 2 days.

Turkeys from 4 to 12 pounds need 1 to 2 days; 12 to 20 pounds, 2 to 3 days; 20 to 24 pounds, 3 to 4 days.

Pieces of large turkey (half, quarter, half breast), 1 to 2 days; cutup pieces-3 to 9 hours; boneless roasts 12 to 18 hours.

In cold water, in original wrap or other watertight plastic bag. Change water often. Thaw until pliable. Approximate thawing times are: Chickens, 3 to 4 pounds-1 to 2 hours; Turkeys, 4 to 12 pounds-4 to 6 hours; 12 to 20 pounds-6 to 8 hours; 20 to 24 pounds-8 to 12 hours.

You may partially thaw poultry in the refrigerator and complete thawing in cold water.

In a cool room, in a double-wall paper bag or wrapped in several thicknesses of paper. Place poultry on a tray for easy handling and to catch any drippings. Thaw at 70 degrees F. or below until pliable. Approximate thawing times are: chicken, 4 pounds-12 hours; turkeys, 4 to 12 pounds-12 to 15 hours; 12 to 24 pounds-15 to 20 hours.

Thawing times by any of the above methods will be shorter if giblets are not packed in the body cavity, the specialist says.

If cut-up poultry pieces are separated by freezer paper, remove outer wrapper, thaw partially in the refrigerator and then separate each piece for quicker thawing. Or leave poultry pieces in watertight wrapper and thaw in cold water.

After poultry is thawed, prepare for cooking the same way as chilled, unfrozen poultry. Cook poultry promptly after thawing.

Crockett Co Hospital News

Crockett County Hospital had the following patients during the period of November 14 through 21.

- Alice Ross*
- Mylene Najar
- Stanley Najar III*
- Sally Bailey*
- Edward Hale Jr.*
- Leslie James Hale*
- Maria V. Rodriguez
- Elmira Boyd*

*denotes dismissals

POLITICAL COLUMN

(The following candidates have authorized The Stockman to publish their names in the political column subject to the December 10, special election. The candidates each paid in advance for this service.)

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Monday

Chicken Spaghetti
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Fruit Cup
Hot Rolls

Tuesday

Pinto Beans
Pochitos
Cabbage Salad
Cookies
Cornbread

Wednesday

Hamburger on Bun
Buttered Corn
Lettuce, Tom. & Pickles
Fruit Cup

Thursday

Swiss Steak
Whipped Potatoes
Tossed Salad
Chocolate Cake Squares
Hot Rolls

Friday

Meat Loaf
Vegetable Salad
Green Beans
Fruit Cup
Hot Rolls

Dr. and Mrs. Nick Bryan, Bobby and Nicole of Houston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Post for Thanksgiving holidays. He is Mr. and Mrs. Post's grandson.

The musical play and movie *Cabaret* was based on a book by Christopher Isherwood, an English playwright and novelist, and originally called *Goodbye to Berlin*.

Ozona Community Center Board Meets On Finances

The Ozona Community Center Board of Directors met at the Center Thursday, November 17. It was noted that the final amount of money collected during the Halloween Trick or Treat project netted \$1100. The rummage sale held November 12 and 13 brought in \$285. The Community Center is still in urgent need of your financial support.

Are you aware that you can contribute to the Community Center on a regular basis by authorizing your bank to draw a draft on your account in the amount you specify? Would you consider a tax-deductible Christmas gift to the Center? Ozona Cook Books make nice gifts and the Community Center receives the money from cookbook sales.

Kiddie Klub and Tinyville programs will have to be

dropped unless more funds are forthcoming. At present, the programs have money to operate until the first of the year. Interested individuals and clubs can provide financial sponsorships for children in Kiddie Klub or Tinyville or both. Contact Sylvia Covarrubias, director of the Center, for complete details.

We recognize that many pleas are made for money for many worthwhile causes, but we would like to remind you again that the Community Center serves Ozona and Ozonans.

It is with appreciation that we acknowledge the help and support of all our friends and neighbors. Rick Whitworth of KRCT has been generous with air time and Kitty Montgomery has been helpful with news items.

On November 28 and 29, Linda Schulze, field repre-

sentative of the National Board of Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church, will be in Ozona to meet with Community Center personnel for evaluation and consultation. With your help, we will be able to show Miss Schulze that the Ozona Community Center provides a needed and desirable service in our town.


Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Harlow, Steve and Krysti, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Geneich, Timmy and Danny, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Perry over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Bud Janes is in Audie Murphy Veterans Hospital in San Antonio where he was reported in critical condition in the intensive care unit Tuesday afternoon.

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Debra Says
by Debra Price

Self-basting turkeys are a convenient holiday cooking idea that does away with the time-involved task of basting, and they are available as whole birds or as turkey breast. Basting's purpose is to produce a more moist, tender bird when the dry-roast (uncovered) cooking method is used. Self-basting birds are injected with basting products that account for up to three percent of the bird's total weight.

Butter, vegetable oil and poultry broth are products commonly used for self-basting, and seasoning such as salt is sometimes included. Since different processors use different basting products, consumers should check the label for products that best fit individual needs.

To cook a self-basting turkey, place it on a rack in a roasting pan. If poultry browns early in roasting period, lightly cover breast and drumsticks with aluminum foil or moisten a thin cloth with fat and place over breast and legs to prevent overbrowning. Follow package instructions for cooking time and temperature. Generally, for dry-roasting, turkeys are roasted at 325% for about one hour per every two pounds for smaller turkeys and about one hour per every three pounds for larger turkeys. Boneless turkey roasts from three to ten pounds require from three to four hours of cooking.

Corn Bread Dressing
1 cup chopped onion
2 cups diced celery
1/2 cup fat
2 qts. bread cubes (2 to 4 day old bread)
2 qts. cornbread cubes
2 tablespoons salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
1 tbs. poultry seasoning
4 eggs, beaten
4 to 6 cups hot broth or water
4 hard-cooked eggs, chopped

Cook onion and celery in hot fat on low heat until onion is soft but not browned. Meanwhile, blend bread cubes and seasonings. Add onion, celery, fat and beaten eggs and stir. Add broth gradually, stirring lightly. Add hard-cooked eggs and more seasonings as desired. Yield: stuffing for a 14 to 18-pound turkey. Extra stuffing may be baked in loaf pan or casserole the last hour of turkey roasting.

Turkey Gravy
6 tbs. drippings
6 tbs. flour
4 cups broth, milk or water
salt and pepper
Blend drippings and flour, stirring constantly. Add cool liquid all at once. Cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Simmer about 5 minutes. Add salt and pepper to taste. Yield 4 cups
Note: For giblet gravy, cook giblets and add diced meat to gravy.

COUNTRY CLUB BRIDGE
Mrs. Clay Adams was hostess for bridge at the Country Club Thursday.

Winning high was Mrs. Sherman Taylor, second high went to Mrs. Jack Williams, and Bingo to Mrs. Hillery Phillips. Mrs. George Bunker won low.

Others playing were Mrs. Bob Bailey, Mrs. Jim Bob Bailey, Mrs. John Childress, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. James Dockery, Mrs. Joe Friend, Mrs. Tommy Harris, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Sidney Millsbaugh, Mrs. J.B. Parker, Mrs. Jake Short, Mrs. Evert White, Mrs. Byron Williams and Mrs. Gene Williams.

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Roadside Park Closing Is Final

Plans by the State Highway Department to dismantle, close and fence off the Highway 290 roadside park on the W.E. Friend ranch land two miles east of Ozona prompted the Crockett County Historic Survey Committee to call a special meeting Wednesday afternoon to decide on new locations for historic markers located in the park.

Completion of Interstate Highway 10 through the city has left the park inaccessible to travelers on the I.H. because there is no outlet nor access roads. As a consequence the park has become a rendezvous for vandal groups, beer busts and litterbugs generally. Several of the concrete benches and tables have been damaged or destroyed, bullets have pelted the back of the aluminum historic marker, broken bottles, beer cans and paper

React Team Organizes In Ozona

React, an organization to develop the use of the citizens radio service as an additional source of communication for emergencies, disasters, and as an emergency aid to individuals, has been formed here. It is known as the Tri-County React Team.

The group met Monday and elected officers. The team was also assigned unit numbers. Pat Hulseman was elected president; Cecil Hedrick, vice president; Connie Baker secretary, and Jim Adams, treasurer.

H.B. Babbitt, DPS head, gave a program on the Do's and Don'ts of CB. He gave helpful pointers on how React can aid law officers in emergencies and giving road conditions.

The Tri-County React Team covers three counties, Crockett, Sutton and Reagan. CBers who wish to join may contact Ms. Hulseman or Mr. Hedrick. The team meets every first and third Tuesday in the month. The next meeting is Dec. 6.

litter the once beauty spot.

In the face of such misuse the Highway Department announced abandonment of the park and notified the county of its plan and offering to move the markers wherever the Committee desires them. County Judge Johnny Jones submitted to the committee meeting the plans of the department.

There are two markers in the park, one marking the nearby site of the county's first town, Emerald, and the other a pink granite and bronze marker erected by the Texas Centennial Commission in 1936, the plaque topping the stone column giving brief data on the formation and organization of Crockett County.

Judge Jones also informed that the Highway Department plans at some time in the future the creation of roadside parks on both sides of the interstate highway west of Ozona. The group voted to ask the department to move the county marker to the park on the eastbound side and in the other park the Fort Lancaster marker located in the downtown park in Ozona. Location of the Emerald marker was left undecided until information is available on plans to place it at the entrance to the Circle Bar Truck Stop at the Taylor Box road overpass six miles east of town.

Ozona Celebrates Thanksgiving

Ozona will celebrate Thanksgiving along with the rest of the nation today, Thursday, Nov. 24. Schools and utility offices, along with county offices will take Friday as well, making a 4-day weekend.

Retail stores will be open Friday and Saturday. Some service stations and convenience stores will be open all day Thursday.

In some parts of the Orient people were occasionally married to trees.

Tips For Gardeners

From the Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

Our average first frost was earlier than usual as it was last year, so most of the deciduous trees are fast losing their leaves. Experts say not to leave them on the grass too long for they harbor insects and diseases.

If no rain soon, continue to water lawns, shrubs and trees to help avoid severe freeze damage. The light showers did not soak the soil deep enough to last very long after such a long dry period.

With the arrival of Thanksgiving holidays upon us, you may consider the time until Christmas very short. This season should inspire beautifully planned table settings for both. For the center of interest design there are many beautiful evergreens, shrubs, berries, vegetables, fruits, and accessories to use in your arrangement.

November always has been a traditional time to plant shrubs and trees before it gets too cold. Roots will have time to develop for a good start in the spring.

If you want to add character to your house and landscape, plant a tree or better yet, plant several. Don't just plant any tree—plant one that will be in good scale with the size of your house and lot. You may want to choose one of the improved maples, oaks and other species that we are accustomed to planting and do well in our area. These beautiful trees have more shape, often more brilliance in fall color and those that flower, bloom more profusely than their run-of-the-mill relatives—yet cost only a few dollars more. Some of these are Red Maple, October Glory, Sovereign, Pin Oak, Bradford, ornamental pear, Claret ash, Skyline honey locust, (which tolerates poor, dry soil) all grow 30 to 75 feet. Smaller trees are Kwanzan-flowering cherry, 15 to 20 ft; Radiant-flowering crab apple, 18 to 25 ft. and Snowdrift, flowering crab apple, 20 ft. when mature. You can speed up growth and survival living by buying either balled and burlapped or container-grown trees, dig a generous hole and plant no deeper than it

grew in the nursery. Loosen burlap when placed in the hole. Refill the hole with a mixture of 1/2 good top soil and 1/2 peat moss. Tramp the soil down as you go along—when half-filled, soak with water to collapse harmful air pockets around the roots. Finish filling holes. Stake the tree securely. Prune back the tree's side branches if nursery man has not done so already. Use a fertilizer rich in phosphorus to stimulate root growth. Water once a week in dry periods in its first growing season.

Forum Meets In Home Of Mrs. Spencer

The Ozona Womans Forum met Tuesday, Nov. 15, in the home of Mrs. C.O. Spencer. Mrs. W.H. Whitaker was co-hostess.

Mrs. Kirby Moore, president, presided over the business meeting. Letters of appreciation were read for Forum contributions to Girls Town U.S.A. and the Abilene Mental Retardation Center.

Plans were made for the Dec. 6, Christmas party at the Crockett County Care Center. Residents of the center will be honored guests.

Following the meeting, members made Christmas decorations for the center.

Others attending were Mrs. W.R. Baggett, Mrs. George Bunker, Mrs. Huey Ingram, Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. L.D. Kirby, Mrs. Jess J. Marley, Mrs. Bonnie Warth, Mrs. Hugh Childress and Mrs. Marshall Montgomery.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Mrs. Sherman Taylor and Mrs. Jake Short won top honors in duplicate bridge at the Country Club Saturday, with Mrs. George Bunker and Mrs. J.B. Parker runners-up.

Local ACS Unit Meets For Reports

The Crockett County Unit of the American Cancer Society met Monday, November 21, in the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Dwight Childress, public education chairman, reported that 160 students and 2 adults had been reached in August and September. She will be presenting a program to the Ladies Auxiliary of the Ozona Fire Department, December 5.

The Special Events Chairman, Mrs. John Justice, suggested that there be a Disco Dance and old record auction for the teenagers after the first of the year.

Mrs. Mike Miller of the Public Information Committee told of the good coverage the ACS received from all media during "The Great American Smokeout."

Chuck Steward, District Representative, presented Mrs. Randy Upham, Mrs. Mike Miller and KRCT radio with awards for the work they did toward last year's crusade.

Other board members present at the meeting were Mrs. Tony Allen, Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Jerry Hill, Dr. and Mrs. Steve Sessoms and Dr. Don L. Carlisle.

BOY TO JONESES

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Jones of Big Lake are the parents of a son born Nov. 16, in the Big Lake hospital. The little boy weighed 6 pounds and 14 ounces and has been named Jody Bryan.

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Time For Seniors To Apply For Air Force Academy

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The Academy not only offers an excellent education but also leadership development to prepare for a career as an officer in the U.S. Air Force.

Cadets spend four years at the Academy completing a program of academic studies, military training, physical education and athletics.

"This top-quality program is provided at no personal expense but at personal sacrifice," General Tallman emphasized. "However, if you have the proper high school background, combined with the will to succeed, you can make it through all the experiences and challenges the Academy requires."

A cadet's personal effort to succeed is rewarded by many benefits and opportunities after graduation from the Academy. A graduate receives a bachelor of science

degree in one of 23 academic majors, a commission as a second lieutenant in the Regular Air Force and a guaranteed job assignment.

Graduates are required to remain in the Air Force for five years following graduation, and a majority choose to stay for professional careers of 20 to 30 years.

The proper high school background referred to by General Tallman is important in obtaining an Academy nomination and an appointment. The background should include the academic, leadership, and physical potential to succeed at the Academy.

Academic potential is mea-

sured by scores on college testing programs--either the College Board Scholastic Aptitude Test or the American College Testing Program as well as grades and scholastic rank in class.

Leadership potential is determined by a person's participation and achievement in athletics and other extracurricular activities.

Physical potential is measured by a physical aptitude examination and a medical exam which are required of all candidates.

Selection standards for the Academy are the same for men and women. The Class of 1982--which will enter in June 1978--will be the third class to which women have been admitted. About 10 percent--or about 150--of each entering class of about 1,500 cadets are women.

The Class of 1981--admitted June 27--reflects the high standards of candidates cho-

sen by the Academy. More than 90 percent of the class ranked in the top quarter of their high school graduating classes.

Members of the new class were involved in an array of extracurricular activities such as being class president or vice president; winning outstanding student and citizenship awards; being student government president, editor or assistant editor of the school yearbook or newspaper; and participating in the band, debate team, drama and athletics.

If you're a senior interested in applying for the Class of 1982, the first step is to request a Precandidate Questionnaire from the Academy without delay. Write to the Admissions Liaison Office, USAF Academy, Colorado 80840.

Before becoming an official candidate for the class, a nomination is required from a member of Congress or

another authorized source. The Academy will send information about how to apply for a nomination along with forwarding a Precandidate Questionnaire upon receipt of your request.

If you're a junior, you may write to the Academy's Admissions Liaison Office and request a "Guide for Students and Counselors" brochure which provides information concerning preparation and early application for the Class of 1983.

Seniors and juniors who are interested in the Academy should see their guidance counselors to request Academy information. Ask your counselor for the name and address of the Academy Liaison Officer representing your school. LOs visit high schools to inform students about the Academy and to provide personal counseling on admissions procedures. The LO will be pleased to

assist you and provide added information about the Academy.

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I wholeheartedly think the time has come that the people of this great county and town wake up and remember when you go to the polls Saturday, Dec. 10, you vote against the present regime.

Please note the new law does not require you to sign your ballot, so you can vote as you please and the court cannot tell how you voted when they check the ballots.

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A weekend with the boys, the lure of the hunt, or the call of the white-tailed deer often fall short of justifying Dad's hunting expenses to Mom in the family discussions each year.

But, results of a Texas A-M University study may give Dad some new ammunition in his argument in favor of the value of his hunting. He can tell Mom he is off to bring home some quality meat for the dinner table, and if he follows the study results closely, he will not be exaggerating.

Often the quality of the deer meat the hunter brings home is just not up to many family taste standards, and determining a way to improve this deer meat taste was one of the goals of the study.

The study on white-tail deer was conducted on two ranches near Hondo in Southwest Texas. Involved were Joyce Hosch, Dr. Ranzell Nickelson II and Dr. Milo Shult, all with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Dr. Zerle Carpenter with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Researchers specifically sought information on the influence various slaughtering and handling practices have on the quality of deer meat.

In the study, 36 animals were collected on a special permit from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. "Five factors involved in the slaughtering and handling of the deer were chosen to determine their effects on the quality of venison," said Hosch. "These included sex, delayed skinning, stress, delayed field dress and cold storage aging."

Six treatments were conducted which contrasted such factors as whether the deer were killed instantly or stressed (gut shot); skinned immediately or delayed skinning; aged or quick frozen; or whether the animal was male or female.

"Various tests were conducted to determine the quality of venison from each treatment group," she said. "These included taste panel tests, equipment quality evaluation and bacteriological analysis of the meat."

Several patterns emerged from the research as to meat quality. Hosch said the taste panel evaluations in the study indicate that methods

of handling or slaughtering can greatly influence venison quality.

"The sex of the animal is an important factor in determining how intensified (gamey) the flavor of the deer meat will taste. Male animals were shown to rate higher in 'gamey' taste."

She said an increase in intensity of flavor was noted in female animals aged for one week in a cooler. "However, the flavor intensity produced by the aging did not appear to be the same as the 'gamey' flavor associated with the male animal."

"Significant differences were also noted between the stressed or excited animals (gut shot) and the other groups," she said.

The study revealed also that juiciness, a problem with "dry" deer meat, is enhanced by aging the deer before skinning it. It was found that aging of the carcasses significantly increased tenderness. "The aging process in the cooler not only retards and extends rigor (rigor mortis), but tends to

increase the water-holding capacity of the meat," Hosch pointed out.

Obviously, the fact that doe meat is superior to that of the buck is not of utmost importance to many hunters because they are after a prize buck trophy.

But, some alterations in attitude might be necessary in the future, hinted Charles Ramsey, an Extension Service wildlife specialist. "The doe populations in some areas need to be thinned," he said, "and our hunters need to take them out."

Doe permits are issued to landowners by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission, and does may be hunted in counties where such permits have been issued. The Commission annually publishes a hunting guide with full details on deer hunting.

What Ramsey suggested is that the hunter consider fulfilling two goals. He can get his trophy and make his wife happy also with quality deer meat by bringing home a doe as well.

The issue is not over minuscule amounts of meat either. In 1973 more than 10 million pounds of boneless white-tailed deer were harvested by Texas hunters. This figure translated into the cost of ground chuck beef at that time would place the value of this deer meat at more than \$16 million.

With food costs still on the increase, deer meat is becoming more of a legitimate meat source. And besides, bringing home some quality meat makes the absence from home and cost of hunting equipment more palatable to Mom.



A GREAT HUNT-Four Ozona hunters pose with their trophy deer they took on the Rocker B ranch the first day of hunting season, Saturday, Nov. 12. Steve Sessom, left, shows off his 25-point kill which is thought to be a record for a flag. The other deer were trophy bucks too. Other hunters from left to right are Pon Seahorn,



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Blaze Orange Gives Good Protection To Texas Hunters

By-Texas Medical Association

Hunters headed for some areas in Texas and more than half the states in the U.S. will not be permitted to hunt unless they wear some bright clothing.

Many hunters are wearing the color, usually called hunter orange, blaze orange, or fluorescent orange, because it decreases their chances of getting shot accidentally, the Texas Medical Association says. Hunting results should not be affected because deer and most other mammals are color blind and cannot see the obvious bright orange like humans can.

Apparently blaze orange does decrease chances of shooting someone accidentally. Fifty-two people were injured and 11 killed in hunting accidents in Texas in 1976, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. says. None of these mishaps involved blaze orange.

The Texas parks department requires deer hunters using rifles on any of its 13 wildlife management areas to wear either a blaze orange vest or cap. Hunters in most other parts of the state are not required by law to wear the color but many choose to anyway.

Colorado requires hunters to wear at least 500 total square inches of the blaze orange on a head covering

and outer garment worn above the waist. Oklahoma requires deer hunters using rifles to wear 500 square inches of bright orange, red or yellow. Unless they are on private property, Louisiana requires deer hunters using rifles to wear at least 400 square inches of blaze orange on the head, chest or back.

Hunters unsure about any regulations should check with that state's game and wildlife department. Or they could wear blaze orange anyway, figuring it is better to be safe than shot, TMA says.



Thousands Fall Prey To Animal Menace

From the Texas Medical Association

A family St. Bernard crushes the skull of a 4-year-old boy in New Mexico. A 17-year-old Ohio girl is killed by a usually friendly Great Dane. Every year between 136,000 and 246,000 people in Texas participate in other episodes of this real-life variation of "Jaws."

Estimates of bite victims differ so widely because many attacks go unreported. But studies agree that most victims of reported bites are males less than 20 years of age who are attacked by unsupervised dogs, the main villains, an article in the November issue of Texas Medicine, the Texas Medical Association monthly journal, says.

The same article also points out that cats are a real problem. Cats account for only 12 percent of the bites reported in Texas but their bites become infected almost three times as often as dog bites.

A study done in Alpine, Marfa and Van Horn shows that almost half the victims bitten were attacked by animals owned by other people. Animals owned by victims or their families account for another 36 percent of the reported bites. An owner could not be identified for only 15 percent of the biting animals.

However, many owned dogs run unsupervised in packs that can attack and kill people and livestock. Packs plague livestock in outlying areas of some cities. But urban residents are not safe either. For instance, a pack of seven neighborhood dogs killed a 5-year-old Nevada boy.

Barely half the dogs and cats in the three towns surveyed were confined to their owner's property, re-

ported Evret C. Newman, D.V.M., the article's author.

Animal bites can be reduced only if progress is made on several fronts, says Dr. Newman, a state health department veterinarian in El Paso. He recommends encouraging owners to continuously confine pets, giving more funds for animal control agencies, and educating people how to behave around animals.

The need for more education does not mean that most victims provoke attacks. In fact most animal attacks are unprovoked, Dr. Newman says.

The state health department has developed several education programs for groups ranging from adults to about age 5. These programs, many designed for use in schools, cover subjects ranging from pet care to rabies. They also should help people spot potentially dangerous animal behavior patterns.



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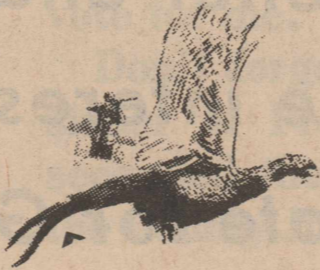


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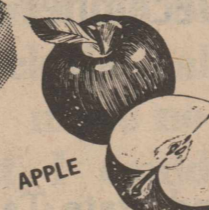
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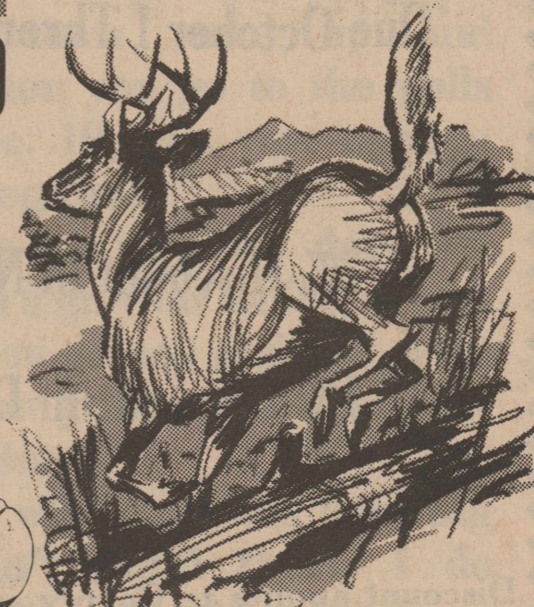
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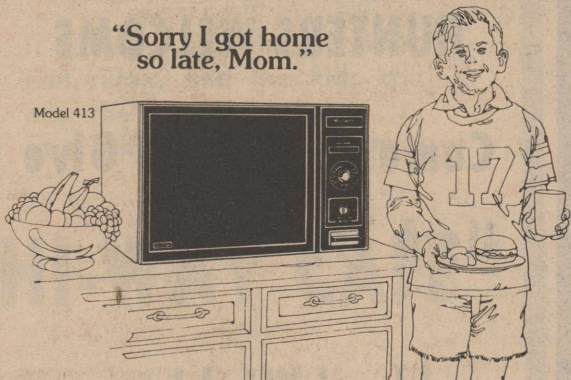
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Farm Bill To Be Major Topic At Banker School

The 1977 Farm Bill and its financial implications on Texas banking will be a special feature of the 26th Farm and Ranch Credit School for Commercial Bankers. This annual school will be held at the Rudder Center on the Texas A&M University campus Feb. 6-7, 1978.

This special session will provide information on the provisions of the bill and possible policy decisions affecting Texas banking. Implications on farm prices, incomes and production as they relate to credit decisions will be discussed in detail, notes Tom Prater.

Communicate With Young Children

Adult/child communication requires some adapting, says Debby Johnson, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Conversing with a child requires a special skill, she says.

A four-year-old does not grasp adult concepts and styles of communication. For example, children have little appreciation for teasing and sarcasm, which most adults tend to use throughout their conversations with other adults.

To talk with a child, advises the specialist, first put yourself on the child's eye level. Children spend their days gazing upward in attempting to make eye contact with adults, so bend down and "level" yourself with children.

Try to use soft tones. This can help calm or soothe a child. Loudness and verbal abuse only upset a child. Even adults react unfavorably to harsh tones, Miss Johnson says.

Above all, children deserve respect. It is only when they are treated with respect that they learn to respect others.

The way adults relate to children can affect children's attitudes toward adults in later years.

Explore your children's thoughts, says the specialist. Give children a chance to talk.

"Think--before you speak of the impact of your words and the way you use them on a child's self-concept."

economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the school's general chairman.

Another topic that should be of major interest to bankers, government guaranteed loan programs, will feature representatives from the Farmers Home Administration and the Small Business Administration.

The complexities of loan analysis in four major loan areas--crops and machinery, cow-calf operations, feedlots and dairying--will also be examined.

Rounding out the school will be sessions dealing with crop, livestock, cotton, and general economic outlook information, points out Prater.

Featured speakers during the two-day school include Charles Childress, president of the Texas Bankers Association; T.H. Dippel, Jr., chairman of the board, Brenham National Bank; Reagan V. Brown, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture; and Dr. Jarvis Miller, Texas A&M University president.

The school is planned for bankers by the Agricultural and Rural Affairs Section of the Texas Banker's Association. It is sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Texas Banker's Association.

In conjunction with the school, an Agricultural Credit Analysis Workshop will begin Feb. 8 and continue through the morning of Feb. 10. The workshop will deal with preparing financial statements, analyzing and reconciling farm records, and preparing cash flow projections. Case problems will also be studied and solved, adds Prater.

Obesity Is Health Problem

From the American Medical Association

There's no doubt about it. Many of us are too fat. And almost everyone who is too fat would like to slim down to average size for his height and build. Many women would like to be on the skinny side.

The American Medical Association points out that most physicians consider obesity an important factor in personal health. It is common. It is associated with increased sickness and death rates, notably in respect to heart, circulatory, kidney and metabolic disorders as well as surgical and obstetrical complications.

Obesity can be successfully treated to help control the associated medical conditions. The evidence for generally adverse health effects from obesity seems too massive and too consistent to ignore.

Okay. So we need to lose weight. It should be simple, everyone knows that all it takes is to cut down on the calories. Unfortunately, it usually isn't simple. Taking fewer calories than are needed seems to be within the theoretical capability of most of us. Yet results suggest that this is difficult and often not achieved. Long-term observations indicate poor success for most dieters.

An important factor in overweight is psychological. Psychological factors may help cause overweight, or help to maintain it. Seldom is psychiatric consultation required. The family doctor, the internist, the pediatrician usually can provide suitable guidance and support as part of the weight reduction program. The physician's aim is to prod and reinforce our will to lose weight, to help us be so determined to trim off excess pounds that we will stick to the reducing regime.

The physician may prescribe drugs at first, as a crutch to help us get started. These can reduce the appetite, promote a feeling of well being, add bulk in the stomach, eliminate excess fluids. They can, at best, offer only temporary help. They postpone the day when facts must be faced, when we finally make up our minds that we must change our eating habits to keep our weight under control.

Running concurrently with the credit workshop will be a special two-day Commodity Hedging Session. This session will investigate the mechanics of hedging, hedging decision guides, and what a banker should know about living with a hedged loan.

Texans who are concerned with agricultural financing are invited to attend the two-day school and either of the two workshops, says Prater.

For registration information, write Prater at Room 107C Agriculture Building, Texas A&M University, College Station, Tex. 77843.

Wood Burning Heaters

Wood burning heaters are back, says Sue Young, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

These heaters--the best quality are of heavy gauge sheet metal lined with firebrick and may help to answer your heating and energy needs, especially if you have access to relatively inexpensive supplies of wood.

Besides supplementing their heating systems, Texas families can enjoy the warmth that only a wood burning heater can give, says the specialist.

Prices for wood heaters begin at around \$200.00. They are now on the market in attractive designs and are much more efficient than the traditional masonry or more modern freestanding fireplaces.

Airtight wood heaters burn more slowly and evenly and the fire does not flare up when wood is added. When the heater has a flat baffle system, more heat is radiated into the room and not lost up the chimney.

Models which blow the heat into the room--by means of a small electric fan--utilize heat more fully.

A thermostat which controls the operation of the damper is desirable, Mrs. Young says.

Fusselman Oil To Be Re-Opened

Shell Oil Co. will attempt to re-open Fusselman oil production in the Tippet, south multipay field of Crockett County and dually completed as a lower Wolfcamp oil producer in the Tippet, West multipay field with the scheduling of its No. 10-Forristall "B", a 6,750-foot test, approximately 1,500

feet northeast of the depleted Fusselman opener, surrounded by lower Wolfcamp production, and 10 miles southeast of McCamey.

Location is 990 feet from the southeast and 7,061 feet from the northeast lines of 41-31-H&TC. Ground elevation is 2,361 feet.

The Fusselman opener, the firm's No. 3-B Forristall, was finished June 17, 1962, for 93 barrels of 40.5 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio of 4,612-1, through a 16-64-inch choke and perforations at 6,511-154 feet. It was dually completed Aug. 7, 1962 from the upper Wolfcamp gas for a calculated, absolute open flow of 1,250,000 cubic feet of gas daily, with gas-liquid ratio of 114,000-1, through perforations at 5,841-847 feet.

It was reclassified as the Fusselman gas opener in 1963, for a calculated, absolute open flow of 1.1 million cubic feet of gas daily.

Mrs. Gertrude Perry is in Methodist Hospital in San Antonio quite ill with pneumonia.

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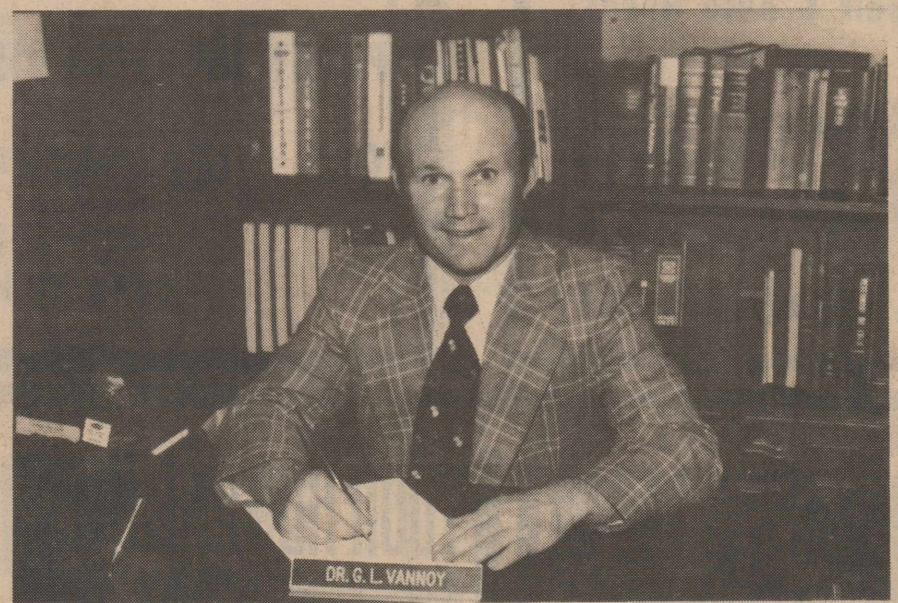
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Year-round Motor Vehicle Registration To Begin

Texas motorists will get their first exposure to year-round motor vehicle registration beginning January 1, 1978.

Registrations will begin a month earlier this year because of anticipated unfamiliarity that may slow the initial year's collections.

For the first time registrations will be issued on a monthly expiration basis, instead of having some 11 million all expire at midnight April 1 each year as before.

Spreading registrations

GS BLUEBONNET CADETTE TROOP

The troop met Nov. 16 in the Dean Phillips home and chose the following officers: Lydia Hayes, president; Shelly Smith, vice president; Katrina Phillips, reporter; Gayla Bell, secretary; Cynthia Hartnett, treasurer.

For the motto, the girls chose "Today's Dream is Tomorrow's Reality." On their first meeting they toured the DPS Communications Building. In other meetings they have toured the jail, museum and fire station.

Officers were installed in a candlelight ceremony. Tuesday, the girls went to the care center to serve refreshments.

Any seventh grade girls who would like to join the troop may call 392-3228.

through 12 months is expected to reduce or minimize the annual long, frustrating waiting lines stretching from county tax assessor-collectors offices.

Immediately after Christmas new registration application forms will be mailed to vehicle owners in preparation for "System '78" as it is described by the Motor Vehicle Division of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

Tax collectors and their staffs throughout the state have been preparing for this moment for the last year. Intensive workshops, seminars and individual meetings with department field supervisors have centered on the new procedures.

The department has been working up the overall operational plans for some three years. Other states--including California, Washington and Kentucky--already have initiated year-round registration programs.

Another first will be the appearance of two validation stickers on the multi-year license plates, first issued in 1975. The new stickers will represent month of expiration and year of expiration for that vehicle.

"System '78" will be relatively simple for the motorist submitting his application for registration. The real complications fall in the tax assessor-collectors offices,

primarily because of accounting procedures incident to collection and reporting of registration fees.

There will be some complications resulting from special vehicle registrations, but the county collection personnel have been briefed to anticipate every eventuality. Principal ingredient needed by vehicle owners will be--as always--patience.

The new system provides that regular and special disabled persons passenger vehicle registrations will be converted to monthly expiration dates. All other registrations, including personalized plates, will remain on the April 1-March 31 registration period.

Motorists will receive a complete explanation of how expiration dates are to be converted to a monthly system with their vehicle registration applications for 1978, to be mailed and received on or about December 26-January 1.

Special considerations involved in 1978 registrations will be explained at the county tax assessor-collectors offices, or by direct communication from the Motor Vehicle Division.

Fire Dept. Called Out Three Times

By Steve Kenley

Shortly after noon on Friday the Ozona Fire Department was called to a gas well fire on the Childress ranch on Howard Draw. Three units went to the scene and extinguished the fire and stood by until the leaking gas could be stopped.

At 7:45 firemen were called to the scene of an accident at the intersection of Highway 29 and 137 to wash down gasoline. Firemen were out for a little over an hour.

At 10 o'clock Sunday night firemen were called to the 200 block of Ave. K to a house belonging to Ester Valdez. Firemen entered the residence and extinguished the fire using approximately 250 gallons of water. Mrs. Valdez was out of town at the time of the fire and the cause has not been determined.

Ed Cade returned home last weekend from a San Angelo hospital where he was released after two weeks recuperation from surgery.

ROTC Applications Now Available To HS Seniors

High school seniors interested in Army ROTC Scholarships should begin preparing applications now, according to Lt. Col. George T. Kimbro, professor of military science at Texas Tech University, Lubbock.

"About 700 full-tuition four-year scholarships will be awarded to students who enter college in the fall of 1978," Kimbro said.

The scholarships pay all tuition costs for four years, books, laboratory fees, plus an additional monthly allowance of \$100 for up to 10 months of each school year, Kimbro said.

Kimbro said that with rising college costs, the Army ROTC Scholarship could easily be worth more than \$12,000 over the four-year period.

"That's a big financial burden for parents to have to

assume and for most families this scholarship can be a big help," he said.

Students who apply for and receive an Army ROTC Scholarship must agree to serve at least four years of active duty as an Army officer upon graduation.

To be eligible for a scholarship, a student must be a United States citizen, be at least 17 years old by Oct. 1, 1978, and under 25 on June 30, 1982. He or she must also be able to pass a physical examination.

Applicants should plan on entering college next fall and be able to finish by June 30, 1982.

Kimbro stressed that students should begin preparing applications soon.

The deadline for returning completed applications to the Army is Dec. 15, and applicants must take either Scholastic Aptitude Test or the American College Test no later than November to be considered.

Students interested in an Army ROTC Scholarship should see their counselor or write Army ROTC Scholarship, Fort Monroe, Va., 23651.

Those interested may also contact the Texas Tech Department of Military Science at (806) 742-2141 or 742-2142.

Colorful Autumn Leaves

Colorful autumn leaves are a handiwork of Mother Nature--they result from chemical changes that take place as trees prepare for winter.

"The key to colorful autumn leaves is the chlorophyll that uses light energy in a process called photosynthesis," points out Everett E. Janne, landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"In this process the chlorophyll is busy combining carbon dioxide, water and energy to manufacture sugar and give off oxygen. As the growth processes slow down and the tree prepares for winter dormancy, the chlorophyll is no longer needed so it breaks down and loses its green color. This reveals the undergarment of gold, red or other colors that have been hidden by the green all summer."

Gold and red colors are due to yellow, orange or red pigments called carotenoids that assist chlorophyll in trapping light rays for energy, explains Janne. In some trees, the maroon-red and purple pigments called anthocyanins are also in leaf cells and give the final color just before the leaf falls. Depending upon the pigments present, there can be all ranges or combinations of colors, or as in some trees, there is only one color. Oak leaves, for example, usually turn either brilliant reddish brown as with the Texas or Shumard oak or just an austere brown as with the post oak.

"The timing, intensity and type of coloration is determined by the genetics of a plant species, its physiological condition, and the availability of certain nutrients," adds Janne. "Eventually the aging process runs its course and there is little active material left in the leaf tissue except the tannins which form the brown color indicating no further life within the leaf cell."

For a panorama of fall color, the horticulturist suggests a leisurely drive through East Texas to enjoy the brilliance of such trees as sweetgums, red oaks, maples and blackgums.

Ozona FFA Teams Place In Contest

The Ozona FFA Chapter attended the District Leadership contest in Wall Wednesday with the Junior Chapter Conducting team winning second and the Senior Team winning third in their respective divisions.

Members of the senior team include Greg Perry, pres.; Jody Naron, VP; Wade Beasley, treas.; Chad Buie, sec.; Bobby Jack Maness, advisor; Jeffrey Young, sentinel, and R.J. Everett III, reporter.

The senior team scored 954 points out of a possible 1,000 and were only 9 points out of second place and 16 out of first place.

Members of the junior team were David Lott, pres.; Will M. Black, VP; Louis Burger, treas.; Danny Crawford, sec.; Scott Hensley, advisor; Lynn Jones, sentinel, and James Furr, reporter.

They were accompanied by Vo. Ag. teacher Mark Tillman.

EARLY LETTER TO SANTA

Dear Santa, This is an early letter, but I really want a tape player. I have been a good girl. I promise to brush my teeth every day.

Love, Katy Cameron

Mrs. S.A. Coose is spending the Thanksgiving holiday in Albuquerque with her grandson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Corder, Jr.

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(Pd. Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Eloise Whitley)

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1977-78 Schedule

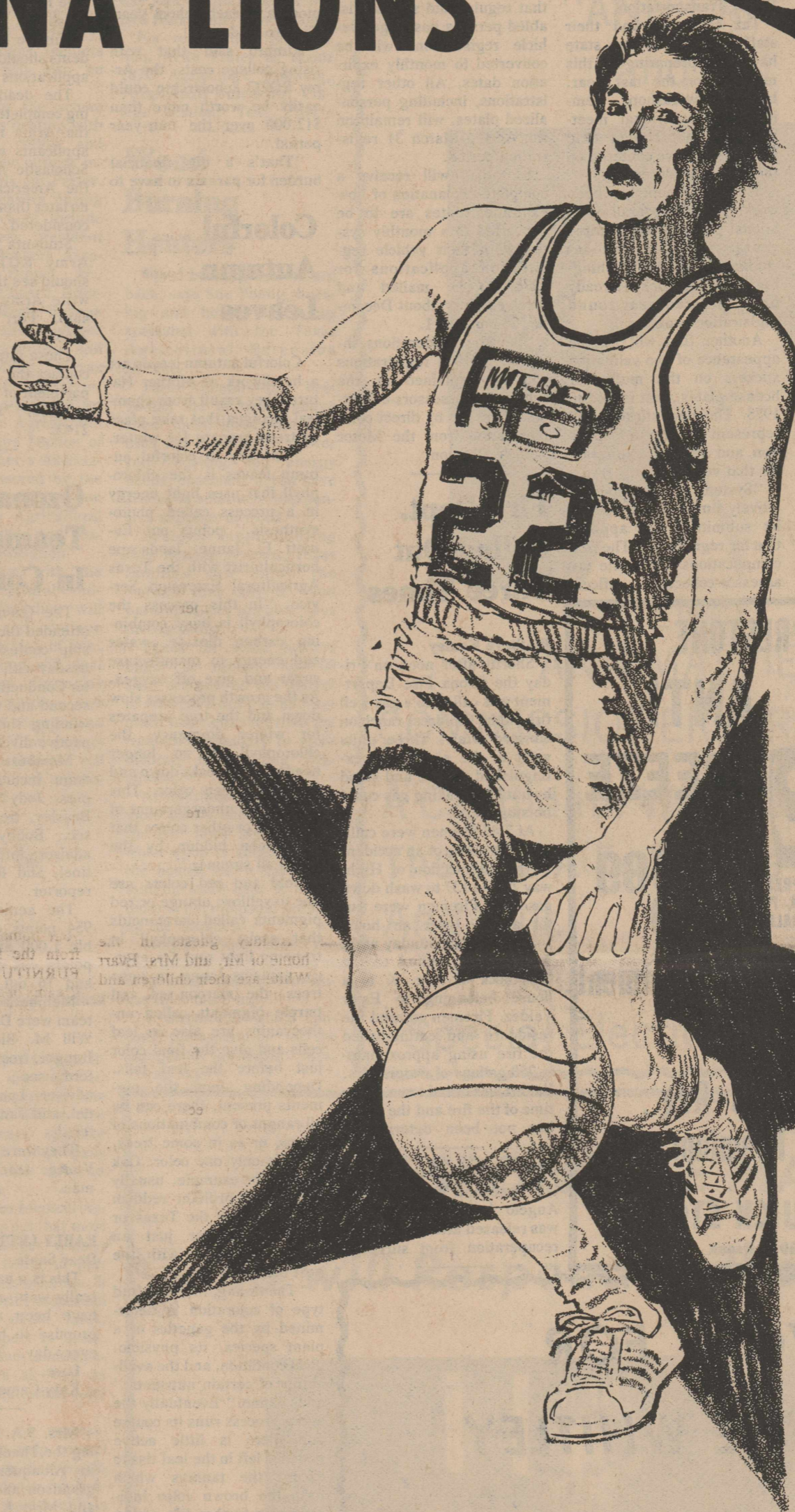
DATE	OPPONENT	GIRLS	BOYS	PLACE	TIME
Nov. 15	Grandfalls	A-B		Here	6:00
Nov. 18	Junction	A	A-B	Here	5:00
Nov. 21	McCamey	A-B		Here	6:00
Nov. 22	Wall	A-B	A B	There	4:00
Nov. 29	Big Lake	A B	A B	There	5:00
Dec. 2-3	Sonora Tourn.	A			
Dec. 6	McCamey		A-B	There	6:00
Dec. 8-10	McCamey	A-B			
Dec. 9-10	Ozona Tourn.		A		
Dec. 13	McCamey		A-B	Here	6:00
Dec. 13	Menard	A-B		There	6:00
Dec. 19	Big Lake		F	Here	5:00
Dec. 20	Sanderson	A-B		Here	6:00
Dec. 20	Menard		A-B	There	6:00
Dec. 28-30	Coahoma Tourn.	A	A		
Jan. 3	Junction	A-B	A	There	5:00
Jan. 5-7	Big Lake		A		
Jan. 6	Christoval	A-B		Here	6:00
Jan. 10	Big Lake	A-B	A-B	Here	5:00
*Jan. 13	Crane		A-B	There	6:15
Jan. 13	Menard	A-B		Here	6:00
Jan. 17	Wall	A-B	A-B	Here	5:00
Jan. 19	Sonora		F	There	5:30
Jan. 20	Sanderson	A-B		There	4:00
*Jan. 20	Kermit		A-B	Here	6:15
Jan. 24	Snyder	A-B		Here	5:30
Jan. 26	Big Lake		F	There	5:00
*Jan. 27	Sonora	A-B	A-B	There	5:00
Jan. 28	Ozona Fresh. Tourn.		F	Here	5:30
Jan. 30	Sonora			There	5:30
Jan. 31	Snyder	A-B		Here	5:00
*Feb. 3	Crane	A-B	A-B	Here	5:00
Feb. 7	LakeView	A-B		There	6:15
Feb. 7	Menard		A-B	Here	6:00
*Feb. 9	Sonora		F	Here	5:30
*Feb. 10	Kermit		A-B	There	6:15
Feb. 10	Iraan	A-B		There	6:30
Feb. 14	Sonora	A-B	A-B	Here	5:00
*Feb. 17	Crane	A-B		There	6:15

Boys Coach
Jim Williams

Girls Coach
Robbie Biggerstaff

OZONA CUBS BASKETBALL 1977-1978

Nov. 17	Rankin	Here	Girls 7,8	5:15
Nov. 17	Rankin	There	Boys 7,8	5:15
Nov. 28	Big Lake	Here	Girls 7,8-Boys 7,8	5:00
Dec. 5	Iraan	There	Girls 7,8-Boys 7,8	4:00
Dec. 12	McCamey	Here	Girls 7,8-Boys 7,8	5:00
Dec. 19	Sonora	Here	Girls 7,8-Boys 7,8	5:00
Jan. 9	Rankin	Here	Boys 7,8	5:15
Jan. 9	Rankin	There	Girls 7,8	5:15
Jan. 14	Ozona Seventh Grade Tournament		Big Lake, Iraan, Sonora	
Jan. 16	Big Lake	There	Girls 7,8-Boys 7,8	4:00
Jan. 21	Ozona Eighth Grade Tournament		Big Lake, McCamey, Sonora	
Jan. 23	Iraan	Here	Girls 7,8-Boys 7,8	5:00
Jan. 26, 27, 28	Iraan Eighth Grade Tournament		Boys — Girls	
Jan. 30	McCamey	There	Girls 7,8-Boys 7,8	4:00
Feb. 6	Sonora	There	Girls 7,8-Boys 7,8	5:00



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M & M Cafe

Crockett County Care Center News

by Joan Nicholas
Activities Program Director

Our sympathy goes out to the family of John (Jay) Baker who passed away at the Center on November 15. He came to us the latter part of September from Menard; his sister was Polly Eppler.

The mystery is solved! Mrs. Ida Mae Fowler and Mrs. Ross Beardmore kindly gave the cut flowers mentioned last week. And now we have a lovely red geranium that Mrs. Cecil Hubbard is sharing with us for the winter months--wish I had a green thumb; think I might start talking to my house plants!

Nita DePriest had an unfortunate fall in her room involving a few scratches, but being a very stoic lady, this has not daunted her spirit one bit and she hasn't missed any activities; however, she and her partner, Camille Montgomery, did allow Paul Cavin and Frances Tolson to win their Forty-two game on Tuesday. Much laughter emanates from their corner--think I'll sneak in a cassette recorder sometime and tape the fun for posterity! Evelyn Bryant and Della Daniels (who stays with

Mrs. Montgomery) tried to beat Mike Pena at a domino game. I suppose we are all going to have to take lessons from him on the elusive art of winning!

On Wednesday Opal and Dill Eversole's daughter, Thelma Schneider of Iraan, took Opal to town, transporting her wheel chair, too, so that she could shop for a new great-grandbaby. This was indeed a very special treat and occasion.

We had our usual music session the same morning. Paul Cavin, 89, really loves to sing the old-time hymns and has a very fine voice which increases in volume as the minutes tick by. Sort of reminds me of my music teacher and the Abbey Church in my home town. The church, formerly part of a monastery until Henry VIII came along with other ideas, boasts a magnificent and huge organ with pipes vanishing high into the very rafters (or so it seemed when I was a child). My piano teacher was the organist and used to practically raise the roof with his renditions of Bach (his favorite), the fervor

of his playing rising to a tremendous crescendo. Why the reminder? I think it is because Paul exhibits similarly exciting musical tendencies! But, how wonderful it is to have such enthusiasm and participation.

Evelyn Bryant has been working on condensing the story of Mary Pickford into more of a book review, and presented part of it to our Thursday morning group. This was followed by a brief "talk-and-tell" session when Ida West, Mary Seelye, Nita DePriest and Frances Tolson each told us something of their earlier lives.

Mary Seelye hated to miss Bingo on Friday morning and has to feel pretty poorly not to join us. We always know when a change in the weather is coming, and that's no myth! Many folks, painfully, are pretty accurate barometers. Get well quickly, Mary.

Francisco (Pancho) Gonzales, 94, has returned from a San Angelo hospital where he had dental surgery. He looked very sharp today in blue pajamas with matching blue sweater atop, and told me he was "muy bien."

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Wayne Frazier and a group of the "Acteens" of Calvary Baptist Church, held a fruit scavenger hunt which involved going door-to-door to their church members asking for fresh fruit. Later they literally brought the fruits of their toil and distributed the same to resi-

dents in the Care Center which came as a lovely Thanksgiving Season surprise. The girls are seventh through twelfth graders. Thank you girls for a lovely thought.

Monday, Miss Linda Wylie, music teacher at the primary school, presented a program of piano music and also sang several numbers. Her major in college was voice, and she is truly gifted, and promises to return.

So many plans, so many kind people, a calendar rapidly filling...what more could one ask?

Shop For CB Radio Repairs

Shop around for CB repairs advises Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. "Be sure to find a licensed repairer, because compliance with government rules is your responsibility," says the specialist.

The Federal Communications Commission requires that anyone making adjustments on a CB transmitter must hold or be under direct supervision of someone holding at least a second-class radio/telephone operator's license. Others may be more apt to misadjust the frequency and violate international radio agreements.

Common problems that CBers face are failure of the transmitter final output transistors, broken microphone wires, and failure of the audio output transistor.

But consumers can get satisfactory repairs, perhaps by these methods:

When you first use your CB, write down meter readings--sending or receiving--to become familiar with its "good operating" characteristics.

If the radio is under warranty, get factory or "authorized" adjustments--free or under terms in the warranty.

Check the fuse, antenna connection, and microphone yourself--before you take it to the repair shop.

Use a repair shop that charges a fixed rate for labor.

Ask to see the license of the person responsible for your CB repairs.

Ask that all replaced parts be returned to you.

Ask for a signed statement that all repairs comply with FCC regulations.

If you have questions about your repair shop, check with your Better Business Bureau or Chamber of Commerce.

Something Can Be Done About Common Acne

From the American Medical Association

Something can be done about acne.

Acne, says the American Medical Association, is a very common condition afflicting the skin of most people during the teen years.

The fact that acne is so common does not mean that nothing can be done about it. Waiting to "outgrow" acne can be a serious mistake.

Acne consists of blackheads, pimples, and sometimes deeper, boil-like blemishes. It can be seriously disfiguring at the time of life when young people are most sensitive about their appearances. The blemishes can lead to serious and permanent scarring.

Acne is caused by a faulty adjustment of parts of the skin to the influence of maturing endocrine glands, the glands which produce hormones. The imbalance in the hormone secretions will correct itself in time.

There is no instant and permanent cure for acne. There is no one-shot cure, no magic pill. And acne is not a disease of dirt, even though patients are told to wash thoroughly and frequently. Washing removes the oils and clears plugged oil glands keeping blackheads to a minimum. Certain foods may be a factor, but a change in diet alone will not clear up

acne.

Thorough cleansing, possibly a diet prescribed by your doctor, and medical attention all are needed to cope with acne. Treatment is an individual affair and the patient must not assume that medicines prescribed for a friend will serve for him.

Your physician likely will warn against picking, scratching, popping and squeezing of pimples. In some patients small doses of antibiotics or other drugs may be helpful. In others ultra-violet light may be administered. Your family physician or dermatologist (skin specialist) can determine your specific needs.

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Homeowners can paper their own walls and wallpaper adds interest to any room, says Sue Young, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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While lengths and widths vary, a standard single roll is 36 square feet. But because there will be some waste--for example, in matching patterns--figure 30 square feet as the yield per roll.

Remember that most wallpaper is sold in double, not single, rolls.

It is important that the first width of paper be hung straight; hang a plumb bob from the top of the wall to the floor.

You will want to completely cover the paper with paste. Since clear paste is hard to see, try adding a small amount of food coloring to it. Use just enough food coloring to tint the paste, not enough to bleed through.

Save a small amount of leftover paste to use on seams which may open in a few days. And save leftover paper for future repair, the specialist says.

Dub Stokes is recuperating from surgery in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evert White are their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ogilvy and children of Odesa and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Moughon and family of Gilmer.

Sonny Meinecke of Houston visited relatives here last week after attending a business meeting in Sonora.

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[Continued from Page One] long as we put out a weekly newspaper.

Back to the sign, we were really disappointed in the picture. This is a community effort for Ozona and it turned out beautifully. The idea came up at a Chamber of Commerce meeting. Some representatives of the C of C met with the commissioners court and secured their help in the endeavor. Monies were collected from the merchants, the county pitched in, and the huge sign was built in the county barn and erected by Von Parker's crew. The late Hubert Baker was the driving force behind the securing of the sign. Another sign will be erected east of Ozona on the interstate highway and perhaps we will be able to get a good picture then. Anyway, in the meantime, it would be worth your time to drive out and get on the I-10 at Pandale Road. The sign is located to the right of interstate travelers heading east. It will renew your civic pride.

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Congratulations to the members of the Ozona Womens League for their very successful bazaar Tuesday afternoon. It was well-shopped too. We got there 17 minutes after it opened and the food booth was cleaned out. Glad we ordered early.

PERSONAL TO THE BULLET-Waiting on my deer Big T.

NORMA'S COUNTRY KITCHEN will be closed Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 24.

CARD OF THANKS

THANK YOU
We would like to thank our many friends for the cards, telephone calls, visits and expressions of comfort during my recent illness. May God Bless You.
Edd and Lorene Cade

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to express our thanks for all the acts of kindness of all our friends and the staff of the Crockett County Care Center, during the illness and death of our brother, J.C. Baker. Your thoughtfulness is deeply appreciated.
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