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SCHOOL STARTS MONDAY MORNING with assembly in the First Baptist Church. After the opening was delayed last week by the school board, the definite starting date was Monday for all school students. Things went off surprisingly well the first day under the circumstances. The

only problem being a traffic jam when Primary students are taken to school at the church and picked up at noon. Kindergartners, and first graders are attending school at the church until portable classrooms can be moved in to replace those lost by the fire.

## Kitty's Korner

By  
Kitty Montgomery

After my first vacation in four years, I am finding it hard to get back in the groove this week. Donna Beth Davidson and I took a Caribbean cruise on the fun ship TSS Carnivale last week and I'm sure I will never be the same. It was not the leisurely, restful vacation I had in mind. Every minute was planned and although you were allowed to miss activities, one never did for fear of missing something good.

The ship was as big as Dallas and we walked for miles and miles and never did get around to looking over the lower decks. The food was delicious and a lot of it. The bell rang for breakfast and after breakfast mid-morning coffee with food was served on another deck. Following was lunch, served in six courses. At 4 p.m. tea and refreshments were served, and then it was the dinner bell chimes, another six courses. To top it off, there was a midnight buffet and if you happened to miss that another buffet at 1:30 a.m. Of course, they didn't force you to eat either, but nobody wanted to miss anything. I planned to skip dessert every meal, but there was always something that looked so yummy I couldn't resist. I haven't even looked at the scales since returning home Saturday afternoon.

We stumbled upon the casino and after winning a few coins from the slot machines, we were hooked. One night I had arthritis so badly in my right hand I thought I was going to be forced to call the ship doctor. It was curved in the shape of the ball at the end of the handle of the machine. When I tried to force it back into the shape of my original hand, the pain was excruciating.

I'll say one thing, I never slept so well in my entire life. The turbine engines gave the beds a gentle vibrating and the movement of the ship gave a slight rocking sensation. Something like a cradle I would imagine. It was delightful and I regretted spending so little time there. We couldn't go to bed, of course, until after the midnight buffet and we had to get up early to have breakfast in the cabin, complete with our own personal steward, and then up, up and away for the day's activities.

After one morning on the sun deck participating in "Exercises for the Physically Shot," I abstained from that particular program. It ended with a jog around the deck.

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## Contest Election Suit Filed

Jesse Marley filed a contested election suit against Sostenes DeHoyos in 112th District Court here today, contesting the results of the August 12, election for Commissioner of Precinct 1, which DeHoyos won by a slim margin.

In the suit, Marley claims the August 12, election was not proper, fair nor impartial, since the precinct lines under which the election was held did not comply with the "One Man One Vote" rule.

The commissioner's court was ordered to redistrict to comply with the rule by the Secretary of State in 1974. At that time the number of eligible voters in each of the four precincts were not within the required 10% of equal voters. The court did redistrict in accordance with the order, but a panel of three judges struck the action and ordered another election held along the old lines because the new lines had not been approved by the U.S. Justice Department. However, after that action, Marley won two elections, losing the August 12 election by 32 votes.

The suit further states that as Commissioner, Marley worked to secure equal representation for the citizens and voters of Crockett

## Services Tues. For Mr. Hokit

Funeral services for Johnnie W. Hokit, 77, were held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Ozona Church of Christ with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery under the direction of Sheppard Funeral Home.

Mr. Hokit died Monday morning in the Crockett County Care Center. He was recovering from a stroke suffered last month.

A longtime resident of Ozona, he was born in Del Rio, July 22, 1901. He married Ernestine Estes Nov. 10, 1923 in Ozona. He owned a truck and was a livestock hauler for many years before retiring and becoming attendant at the fire station for several years. He was also associated with the National Weather Bureau and received a citation for his service only last year.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Bud Harrison and Mrs. Susie Semmler, both of Ozona; one son, Floyd Hokit also of Ozona; a brother, Richard Hokit of Castroville; six grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

County, but was denied achievement by the conduct and actions of DeHoyos and his supporters. Moreover he claims great financial and emotional detriment due to actions of the contestee and his supporters through several illegal and void elections prior to the election of August 12.

The suit further claims the action of the court in voiding the election which Marley won Jan. 7, was in error as the ordering of the election for August 12, was never approved nor ratified by the Federal Court initially ordering the election of Jan. 7, and asks that the court strike and set aside any and all proceedings from the time Marley was declared the winner of the Jan. 7, election.

In the event the court does not find the Aug. 12, election void, the suit claims DeHoyos did not indeed receive a majority of the legal votes cast and claims six of DeHoyos' voters were not residents of Precinct 1, although their votes were counted among the absentee voting by mail ballots. The suit further states that nine persons cast illegal ballots for DeHoyos during absentee voting in person, and three voted illegally at the poll on the day of the election, plus four more whose votes were recorded for DeHoyos. This would bring the claimed number of illegal votes for DeHoyos to 22.

The suit names five persons whose ballots were not counted for Marley and rejected by election officials due to judgement on technicalities, and claims all five votes were legal and should have been counted. The suit further claims that at least seven ballots which were cast for Marley were never delivered nor received by election officials for counting. Had these votes been counted Marley's total vote would have been increased by 12.

Marley further claims in the suit that a number of his supporters did not cast ballots due to harassment and intimidation on the part of DeHoyos and his agents. These persons were not named in order "to protect them from further threats and harassment," according to the suit. However, it further claims this action on the part of the contestee and his supporters deprived the majority of the true and correct expression of their choice for their commissioner.

The final prayer in the suit asks the court to declare the August 12 election void, to restore Marley to office with all emoluments of office

since the election, for cost of the suit and any further relief at law which the Contestant, Marley, may be entitled.

The alternative asks that all illegal votes cast and counted for DeHoyos be subtracted from his total votes, that all voted illegally not counted for Marley be added to his total and that he be declared entitled to the office. Also, that Marley recover his costs and any further relief at law to which the court may find him entitled.

## School Enrollment Down

School got underway Monday in spite of construction problems and the fire which eliminated classrooms at the Ozona Primary School. According to Supt. Foy Moody, there were not nearly the difficulties expected under the circumstances.

The first day enrollment figures were down slightly from the first day last year, with school starting almost three weeks after last year's opening date. At noon the first day the total count of students registered was 1025. On the first day of classes last year the count was 1043. However, Moody said they expected to pick up at least 50 more students.

Kindergarten had 73 registered, first grade, 90, and second grade 99, for a total of 262 primary students. There were 93 in third grade, 72 in fourth grade, 69 in fifth grade and 79 in sixth for a total of 313 intermediate students.

Of the 175 students registered in junior high, 90 are seventh graders and 85 are eighth graders.

High School students numbered more than on the first day last year with 275, the largest number ever registered in high school. There are 96 freshmen students, 65 sophomores, 64 juniors and 50 seniors.

## ICA Sets Meeting

A very important meeting of the local chapter of the Independent Cattlemen's Association will be held Tuesday evening, Sept. 19, at 8 p.m. at the Ozona Veterinary Clinic.

Important decisions will be made concerning the activities for the coming year and new officers will be elected.

In Scheduled Meeting Monday

## Court Unable To Set Tax Rate With Member Absent

The Crockett County Commissioners Court met Monday, Sept. 11, in regular monthly meeting. The public hearing for the 1979 budget was held at 2 p.m. as scheduled, but the court was unable to set the tax rate also scheduled for that time due to the absence of Commissioner, Precinct 1, Sostenes DeHoyos.

Court members made an effort to locate DeHoyos before getting into the regular morning meeting, but were unsuccessful. The setting of the tax rate is one of the few times a full court is required according to law, officials said.

The budget was adopted as proposed with no objections. There were no members of the community present although the procedure was advertised as a public hearing. At the proposed budget hearing several weeks ago, a group met with the court and submitted a proposal for the spending of federal revenue funds which differed sharply from the budget as drawn up by the county auditor.

All other members of the court were present during the morning session when county bills were approved for payment and reports received from the various county officials.

County Road Superintendent Von Parker met with the court and gained approval for repair of the roof at the county barn and purchase of more pipe for cattle guards on county roads.

Commissioner Jack Williams brought up the question of Parker's employment which was an item on the agenda, due to an attempt to terminate his services by Commissioner Castro and DeHoyos at last month's meeting. Commissioner Bill Black was not present at the August meeting when Castro and DeHoyos voted to fire Parker. Williams and County Judge Johnny Jones voted against the action and the matter was tabled because of the tie vote. Monday Williams made the motion to keep Parker on the job. He and Black voted "for" the motion with Castro voting against. Judge Jones did not exercise his right to vote and the motion carried.

Following the vote, Parker told Commissioner Castro he had men and equipment ready for work Castro required in his precinct, and all that was needed was Castro's approval of the engineering plan. Apparently the work done in the area before did not meet with Castro's approval nor that of the residents in the area, since Parker complained of many telephone calls received at his home from irate residents. He said he resented these intrusions in view of the fact he was not an elected official, only an employee. Traditionally the commissioner in each precinct is responsible and available to hear complaints from his constituents.

Castro agreed to go over the plans and approve or make changes as the need might be before work commenced.

The Civic Center board revealed a hike in rates for those using rooms in the center. The rate for dances will be \$25, with some changes in the rules concerning minors. The charge for the small room will be \$7.50 and \$15 for the large room. New furniture and games were requested for the youth center. The court mentioned that \$2,250 has been allocated for the youth center and decided to wait until this money

has been used before amending the budget to finance furniture expenditures.

L.D. Long, who was hired as cemetery caretaker and was incapacitated by a stroke after being on the job two weeks, was discussed. The court was told he would be unable to resume his duties. It being the policy of the court to terminate new employees who are unable to fulfill their duties after a period of 30 days, the court

## Prisoner Escapes From Jail

Officers were searching for a black prisoner over six feet tall and weighing 185 pounds who escaped from Crockett County Jail early Wednesday morning, Sept. 6.

The man, who was being held for Dallas authorities, escaped through an air vent, an almost impossible task for his size, according to officials. He went through the vent in his cell, crawled through a duct to the office and made his way out through a ceiling tile sometime after midnight Tuesday. After gaining entrance to the office, he took the key, unlocked the door and left the premises. He did relock the door after he made good his escape, but took the key with him.

The name he gave when arrested, James L. Lunningham, turned out to be fictitious leaving officers with an unidentified escapee.

voted to terminate Long following the next pay period as he had already been paid past the 30-day period.

The Manpower program, a federal program in which investigators have turned up fraud and corruption all over the nation, was discussed. Since these problems have arisen, the court decided to drop participation in the program at this time.

Chief Deputy Wayne Wahl appeared before the court on behalf of the Sheriff's Department and asked for another car for the department. He reported a staff of six officers and said his department could give better coverage if each man had a car and were not required to double up. The court suggested that the department make do with five cars for the time being after expressing displeasure with officers using the county cars as personal vehicles.

In view of the fact that the new high band police frequency is not working out due to heavy traffic from Parker County, also using the local frequency, the court gave Wahl permission to research for a better frequency. Bob Falkner of the Department of Public Safety Communications told the court he felt sharing a frequency with a West Texas department with less use of the radio would solve the problem.

The federal suit filed by Sostenes DeHoyos against the county and county officials was discussed. An answer to the suit has been filed by the county's attorney and he will be talking to the defendants involved in

the near future.

County Auditor Dick Kirby was given permission to advertise for bids on the new ambulance, as the vehicles take up to three months to equip. The bids will be opened at the October meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 for the morning session with members returning for the budget hearing at 2 p.m.

## Good Rains Fall In County

While teasing showers fell around the county early last week, good rains Thursday and Friday amounted to two inches and more in all areas of the county. The official gauge at the Water District office measured 1.98 inches for the two day total.

Ranch lands in the county which had missed rain all year were also blessed with rain. Frank Tillman, ranching west of Ozona, reported a fall of 3 inches and added it was the first rain of any consequence for the entire year.

The rains fell generally throughout the county all day Thursday and through the night at a steady rate with no runoff to speak of.

Hot temperatures returned to the area Sunday and Monday and skies were clear under 85 degrees at noon Tuesday.

## Lions To Host Junction

The Ozona Lions will play host to a big, powerful Junction team Friday night in their first game in the new stadium, as well as their first home game. The young Lions got a 20-7 drubbing by Big Lake in their opener Friday night in Big Lake.

Coach Rip Sewell said the Lions were just too young and inexperienced to handle the Big Lake team, and expressed pleasure his team got through the battle as well as they did.

The Lions did take the lead at one point in the third quarter, but only a tough defense denied the Big Lake crew a larger victory. The Lions had 9 first downs to 13 for Big Lake and only 115 total yardage to 324 for the

Owls.

Big Lake got on the scoreboard early in the first quarter on a 12-yard pass play, but missed the PAT, taking a 6-0 lead.

In spite of their size and strength, the Owls had to be satisfied with carrying the 6-0 lead into the halftime.

In the third quarter the Lions took the lead after recovering a Big Lake fumble on the 18-yard-line. It took only one play for Aldo Delgado to run in for the score. Alfred Enriquez kicked the extra point and it was 7-6, the Lions.

However, the Lions' lead faded and disappeared when the Owls scored on fourth down and one and ran in for

the two extra points, giving them a 14-7 lead. Late in the fourth quarter after the Lions failed on a fourth down attempt, the Owls scored another touchdown with 48 seconds to go in the game. The PAT failed and the game ended with a 20-7 victory for the Owls.

Coach Sewell gave credit to his defense for some outstanding work. Freddie Garza blocked an Owl field goal attempt. Garza, along with Juan Cedillo, Joe Rebelez, Larry Wester, and Robert Tambunga were outstanding defenders for the Lions, according to Sewell. Provided the offense can get moving, Junction might well be in for a surprise Friday night.



Lions fall to Big Lake 20-7 in season opener.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

Here is my two cents worth about the special election held Aug. 12. It took lots of hard work and determination, but it finally paid off. It should show the people of Crockett County how much we want to be a part of this community and have a voice in county government.

It also marks a great big step for the Mexican Americans of Crockett County and throughout the great state of Texas. It took us six long years to finish what we started. Thanks to the good Lord we were successful.

In the future, you will continue to see us taking people to the polls because we are not going to stand by and be ignored. Let's not forget that the Mexican Americans make up almost one-half of the population of the county. We are citizens too, and we need to be involved in our county government and in our schools. My understanding is that approximately 52% of the school enrollment is Mexican American, yet only one chicano is there to represent our children. Do you all think this is fair?

People have said we are trying to take over, and you see in their first commissioners court meeting they tried to fire Mr. Von Parker. Maybe they had a good reason for this.

Like in 1972 when Mr. Marley was re-elected, he fired Mr. Felix Trujillo and Mr. Robert Flores. Many of us know what they went through for about a year when they couldn't get a job here in town.

Others think Crockett County is going to be another Crystal City. Well, I can say this much, I will fight that as I did our ex-commissioner. Please give us (chicanos) a chance to prove ourselves.

I did witness our newly elected commissioner get sworn in and to me it was a shame the way it turned out. Not one of our county officials took time to congratulate him and they do represent Crockett County. Thanks to Billy Mills and Jesus Castro, they did.

Now let's forget the past. Let's try to start a little public relations which Crockett County is so desperately in need of. If we can get this started, we can start working together and pave the way for the future. Then we can truly all say "here is where the air is pure, the

people friendly and a place all the people will be proud to call home."

From my own past experience, fighting from the age of 16 till I was 26, I can say it gets you nowhere. I want you all to know, I became a pretty good street fighter, also a real good jailbird. Fighting didn't get me anywhere and it will never work.

What we need to do is grow up and try working together and we can all be proud to be citizens of Crockett County.

If I made anyone mad during the election or after, I sincerely wish to apologize. I surely didn't mean to.

Yours truly,  
Hector DeHoyos

### Short Snorts

Texas Democrats are holding their state convention in Fort Worth this weekend. Republicans met in Dallas last week.

A public hearing on local rail safety hazards is scheduled for September 26 in Beaumont.

Average calendar day allowable for Texas oil production from 181,284 wells as of September 1 totaled 3,592,032 barrels.

Highway fatalities are nine per cent higher this year than last. The Department of Public Safety said 2,429 lives have been lost.

State cigarette stamp tax collections for the fiscal year which ended August 31 totaled more than \$298.6 million, an increase of \$12.1 million over the previous fiscal year.

## Wester Receives Degree

James Garry Wester of San Angelo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wester, received his BS degree in Physical Education and an all-level teachers certificate during exercises August 18, at Angelo State University.

Wester is presently employed with West Texas Utilities in San Angelo. His father is manager of the Ozona WTU office.

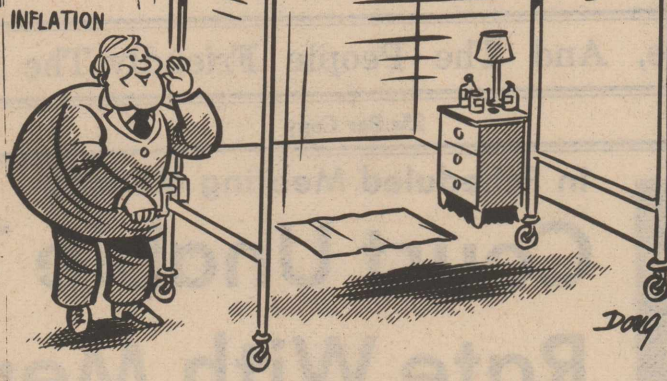
He graduated with a 3.10 grade point average. He is a 1974 graduate of Rotan High School and a 1976 graduate of West Texas College in Snyder.

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## The News Reel

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

Thursday, Sept. 15, 1949

Crockett County will get a pro rata share appropriated by the state of Texas for soil conservation work in the state the next two years.

29 yrs. ago  
Musical aptitude tests of all students of Ozona schools from the fifth through the ninth grades will be sponsored by the musical department of the schools beginning Wednesday.

29 yrs. ago  
W.M.S. of the First Baptist Church met with Rev. Tennon leading the Bible study.

29 yrs. ago  
Ozona has gotten from 1/2 inch to 2 inches around the area of rain this week. Friday there was a total of nearly 2 1/2 inches in less than an hour.

29 yrs. ago  
Crockett County's taxable property valuations for 1949 soared to near the \$20,000,000 mark, according to an announcement of total renditions from the tax collector's office this week.

29 yrs. ago  
A district seminar for WSCS will be held here Tuesday. Ozona Methodists will be hosts.

29 yrs. ago  
Ozona P.T.A. will hold its regular meeting of the year on Monday. Mrs. Miller Robison, president of the local chapter will preside at the meeting.

29 yrs. ago  
The Ozona Lions will tackle Reagan Co. here Saturday. They were defeated by Alpine 7-0 in the last game.

29 yrs. ago  
The Music Club will open the new season with a luncheon Sept. 17 in the home of Mrs. P.L. Childress, president. Officers for the year are Mrs. P.L. Childress, Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Mrs. Neal Hannah, Mrs. Byron Stuart, Mrs. Billy Hannah, Mrs. H.B. Tandy and Mrs. Brock Jones.

29 yrs. ago  
The Sunshine Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met Wed. Mrs. W.R. Baggett is new Circle Chairman.

29 yrs. ago  
Wedding plans of Miss Mary Ellen White and Basil Dunlap was announced at a tea here Saturday.

29 yrs. ago  
Conklin, Fomby, Russell, Piner, Kincaid, Henderson, West, Johnson, Sparks, Chapman, Knox, McMullan, Laxson, Ballard, Childress, Jones, Maness, Schneemann, McMullan and Garlitz are the players listed for Junior High Football. First game is Sept. 15.

29 yrs. ago  
John Armstrong, new band director will lead the band in its performance at the Reagan-Ozona game here Saturday.

29 yrs. ago  
Goodfellow will be here Sunday for its first of the playoff games. Ozona's Rebels will have players representing Ozona in the Trans Pecos Baseball League.

29 yrs. ago  
Texas, meanwhile, according to Hill, is losing severance tax revenues due to the delays, since higher interstate prices would generate more tax revenue on the gas. The attorney general asks Federal District Judge Jack Roberts

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My shipmate had more sense than I did and abstained entirely. By the time I jogged back, a full fifteen minutes after the others, she was about ready to give the "man overboard" alert. I still have pain in every muscle in my body, but it's letting up somewhat.

We spent so much energy having fun we were completely exhausted by Friday night. Up at 5 a.m. we struggled with our bags through customs at the Miami dock, and on the "limousine" (an old bus, really) we found all seats taken. I stood up during the 20 miles to the airport, while my traveling companion took a seat offered her by a gallant young man. Several young men did offer me their seats, all from the south without a doubt, but I declined. I wouldn't have given up my seat to one of them had our positions been reversed and I am nothing if not fair.

I was so tired I actually slept on the big plane from Miami to Houston. This is nothing short of amazing, since they terrify me and I have never figured out how they get off the ground, they

are just too darned big. It was all worth it, I guess. But Ozona sure looked good to me when we got home about 7:30 Saturday night. I'm looking forward to going to Juno to the river on my next vacation four years from now.

My staff, with Mr. White's help, did a great job getting the paper out without me and I'm proud of them. However, it hurts to discover you're not indispensable. I felt sure they would never be able to manage without me.

Public Notice  
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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: SOSTENES DE HOYOS GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 30 day of October, A.D., 1978, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Crockett County, at the Court House in Ozona, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 13 day of Sept., 1978. The file number of said suit being No. 4051. The names of the parties in said suit are: JESSE MARLEY as Plaintiff, and SOSTENES DE HOYOS as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Contest of election of August 12, 1978 for Office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, of Crockett County, Texas.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Issued this 13 day of September A.D., 1978.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ozona, Texas, this 13 day of September A.D., 1978.

Leta Powell  
Clerk  
District Court  
Crockett County, Texas  
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### STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Taxable wealth of Texas has increased from \$232 billion to \$464 billion since 1975, according to a new report of the School Tax Assessment Practices Board.

The figure (unlike the 1975 compilation of the Governor's Office of Education Resources) includes intangible property like bank accounts, stocks and bonds which are seldom taxed.

About a third of the total is made up of intangibles, two-thirds of real property, School Tax Assessment Practices Board Executive Director Walt Parker estimated.

School districts get state aid on the basis of their taxable wealth. In effect, poor districts get more aid from the state, and rich districts get less.

The STAPB report calculates 82 per cent of intangible property is located in 52 major counties. Houston has \$44 billion or 28 per cent of the total. Six Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas have 62 per cent of the intangible wealth.

Under a 1977 act, the legislature directed Texas Education Agency to use STAPB figures in distributing state aid to school districts.

Parker said he expects a third of the more than 1,000 school districts to appeal board values. If the figures stand, many large school districts would lose a substantial amount of state aid.

The state now pays about 85 per cent of school operating costs. A constitutional amendment to be voted on in November would allow the legislature to remove intangible property from the tax base.

Deadline Passed  
City governments which will repeal the one per cent city sales tax on residential gas and electric bills October 1 were given until early this week to notify the state comptroller.

Comptroller Bob Bullock said it is absolutely essential his office be provided the information immediately.

October 1 is the earliest date for repeal of the local levy under a new law passed in special session last month.

Cities which repeal the tax after that date must wait a full calendar quarter.

The four per cent state tax on residential utility bills was repealed automatically October 1. The local levy also will be repealed October 1, 1979, unless city governments vote to continue it.

Cities whose governing bodies want to can, by majority vote of their councils, repeal the local tax effective October 1, 1978, when the state tax break begins.

Bullock said 39 cities had informed his office by September 1 they intend to repeal the city tax, while 45 others said they will keep it.

Bids Taken  
The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation accepted bids this week on 55 highway construction contracts.

Work to be undertaken through the regular monthly letting totals approximately \$55 million.

About \$15 million of the total goes for construction of Interstate Highway 27 in Lubbock from 0.2 mile south of Loop 289 to 1.3 mile north of the Monroe overpass.

Another \$713,000 goes to four new structures on State Highway 288 in Brazoria County between SH 6 and Farm to Market Road 1462, closing gaps in pavement construction let last month.

Other contracts include safety projects, bridge modernization, railroad crossing protective devices, pavement widening, traffic control devices and ramp modification.

AG Opinions  
Counties are not required to set their tax rates by July 20, as are other units of government that rely on the county tax assessor-collector, Attorney General John Hill said.

In another recent letter advisory opinion, Hill concluded that appointment as a police officer of the brother-in-law of a chief of police under the civil service law would violate the nepotism law.

Hill Sues  
Hill went to court last week to force the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to set new interstate natural gas prices.

FERC hasn't fixed prices for two years.

Hill said he lost patience, because the commission's postponement means out-of-state consumers will keep getting Texas gas for less than Texans pay. He accused the federal agency of dragging its feet, out of fear evidence would require higher rates and embarrass the Carter administration in dealing with Congress.

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## SNIPS, QUIPS, AND LIFTS

By Lottie Lee Baker

The kind of wealth most of us need is not dollars but sense.

Some people who say they are going out of their minds aren't taking such a long trip after all.

Men who have but little business are generally great talkers.

Give the weeds an inch and they will take a yard.

Tension is driving with the brakes on.

Money has wings but it isn't a homing pigeon.

The tree of liberty won't stand much grafting.

Have you heard about the woman that cooked so many TV dinners, she thinks she is show business?

The bee that makes the honey doesn't hang around the hive.

A perfect autumn day is when the lawn no longer needs mowing and the leaves haven't started to fall.

A strange thing about blunt people—they usually come to the point first.

He who knows not and knows he knows not, knows a lot. He who knows not and knows not that he knows not, knows not!

The problem is how to stay in the groove without making it a rut.

It's costing us more to make history than the stuff is worth.

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50	70	25,715	1,979	990
20	105	34,762	2,674	1,337
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**Tips For Gardeners**  
From the Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

Since the most welcome showers of last week, gardening should be easier and more enjoyable.

Also, the rains seem to put everyone in a more cheerful mood, and gives us all an incentive to want to garden again. This should bring us beautiful fall flowers and colorful foliage throughout our area.

General preparation for winter should start this month. Plan now to design or redesign your home grounds so you will be ready to plant later. Refer to landscape publications for ideas on getting the most use from your outdoor living area.

September is the month to start your compost heap. If you haven't provided a space for one, use a method that would be easiest and with little expense. Dig the space 3 ft. deep and wide by 5 or 6 ft. long or any size you may want. Save the good top soil for the mixture as you fill the space. The structure could be made above ground of boards or corrugated metal sheets.

There are many things suitable for compost, such as leaves free of disease or insects, grass, tender hedge clippings, fruit peels, vegetable waste, cleanings from barnyard, hay and other material you may have available. Let the green material wilt for several hours before putting in the heap. Begin by adding 4 to 6 inches of green wilted material, then 2 inches each of top soil and barnyard manure or cottonseed meal as organic forms to decompose chemical forms of nitrogen may be used to decompose which include general garden fertilizer (5-10-5) or pure nitrogen as nitrate of soda. Water down mixture well, but do not pack down at anytime. After 3 or 4 weeks, turn over from bottom with a fork. Repeat the layers until heap is almost full. Keep damp if no rain. This should be ready for next spring.

You can still plant hardy perennials and biennial seed for transplanting as late as October. Hardy flowers can add much to your landscape, so we should use them for more than we do. What is more beautiful than groupings of Shasta or Gloriosa daisies, hibiscus, hardy snapdragons, clove pinks, sweet williams, English daisies or the brightest of all cool weather plants, pansies?

PHONE NEWS TO THE STOCKMAN.

**Pandale Study Club Opens Club Year**

A new beginning for the Pandale Study Club came about Thursday at 2:00 p.m. at the Pandale Civic Center when new officers and members met for their program, "Sign Face Lift," business meeting, and social hour. Mrs. Herbert Kunkel, president, presided. Mrs. Welton Bunger, secretary-treasurer called the roll. Members answered by paying dues and fines. The treasurer's report was given, minutes of the May meeting was read and approved.

The president announced a rummage sale to be held by Pandale Study Club in Langtry September 12, at 1:00 p.m. with Mrs. Ted White as chairman. The club will sponsor a girl at High Sky Girls Ranch. Chairman is Mrs. Chris Hill. The House and Grounds Committee is Mrs. W.O. Mills and Mrs. R.J. Everett, Sr. Cookbooks Chairman is Mrs. Henry Mills, Jr. The nominating committee consists of Mrs.

**Brunch Opens Year For Garden Club**

The Ozona Garden Club kicked off the club year Monday at 9 a.m. with a brunch at the home of Mrs. Steve Kenley. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. J.W. Howell and Mrs. Tom Stokes.

Mrs. J.W. Howell, president, gave the opening greeting and presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Bailey Post presented an arrangement for the brunch table.

Mrs. Howell gave the program on "bulbs," discussing the best types of bulbs for this area and when to plant.

New projects include landscape for the courthouse annex corner bed, and for all members to plant new varieties of iris and other horticulture specimens to improve the spring flower show.

To finance projects, the first money raising event will be held Sept. 18. It will be a White Elephant Sale at the home of Mrs. Glenn Sutton at 1103 Ave. H.

New members were welcomed to the club, they include Mrs. James Haire, Mrs. Frank Justiss, Mrs. Lee Graves and Mrs. Earl Berry.

Other members present were Mrs. George Bean, Mrs. L.B. Cox Jr., Mrs. Fleet Coates, Mrs. Maggie Crawford, Mrs. Larry Elliott, Mrs. A.S. Lock, Mrs. James

Elmo Arledge and Mrs. Carl Malone. Club Reporter is Mrs. Ted White and Program Chairman is Mrs. Chris Hill.

Mrs. Hill presented the yearbooks and discussed the programs. The theme for 1978-79 is "Different Strokes for Different Folks." The thought for the year is "To be seventy years young is sometimes far more cheerful and hopeful than to be forty years old." Oliver Wendall Holmes.

Mrs. Chris Hill was hostess for the meeting. Members present were Mrs. Elmo Arledge, Mrs. Welton Bunger, Mrs. Terry Gries, Mrs. Herbert Kunkel, Mrs. Carl Malone, Sr., Mrs. Henry Mills, Jr. and Mrs. Ted White.

Guests included Mrs. Frank James of Ozona and Mrs. Francis Arledge of Del Rio.

The club will meet the first Thursday of each month at 2:00 p.m. at Pandale Civic Center.

**Miss Sanker Wed To Mr. Weatherby**

Mr. and Mrs. James Sanker announce the marriage of their daughter, Patricia Ann to Jay Sims Weatherby of Big Lake.



MRS. WEATHERBY

They were married Friday, Sept. 8, in a civil ceremony in San Angelo.

The bride is a 1974 graduate of Ozona High School and attended Texas Tech University. She has been employed at Adobe Mini Mart.

The bridegroom attended school in Big Lake. He is the son of Mrs. A.A. Priddy of Midland and Mr. Johnnie Weatherby of Big Lake.

The couple is presently honeymooning in Arizona.

**Neighborhood Meeting Set For Scouts**

A Girl Scout Neighborhood meeting will be held Thursday, September 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Terri Adams at 609 Ave. I. All Girl Scout leaders and helpers should make plans to attend this meeting as it will primarily be to finalize Girl Scout Roundup activities.

Girl Scout Roundup will be Monday, September 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Ozona Civic Center. Girl Scout registration papers are being handed out this week in the schools and all interested girls from the second grade through high school may take their completed papers to the Civic Center, Monday night or give them to any Girl Scout leader.

**Ms. Childress Is Lunch And Bridge Hostess**

Mrs. Hugh Childress was hostess to the Country Club Bridge Club Thursday at the club for luncheon and bridge.

Winning high was Mrs. Bud Cox and Mrs. Joe Friend was second high. Mrs. Clay Adams won low and Mrs. Brock Jones, the bingo.

Others playing were Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. Buster Deaton, Mrs. Eddie Arnold, Mrs. John R. Hunnicutt, Mrs. J.J. Marley, Mrs. Dave Matney, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. C.O. Walker, Mrs. Byron Williams, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Gene Williams, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery and Mrs. Joe Clayton.

Luncheon guests were Mrs. Robert Cox, Mrs. Guy Burrous, Mrs. Sidney Mills-paugh and Mrs. A.S. Lock.

**DUPLICATE BRIDGE**  
In Duplicate Bridge Club play Saturday at the Country Club Mrs. J.B. Parker and Mrs. Sidney Mills-paugh won first. In play Sunday Mrs. Robert Cox and Frank Till-man were the winners.

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**Debra Says**

by Debra Price

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If you are looking for a way to control the amount of fuel consumed in heating and cooling your home, consider insulating. Insulation is resistant to the flow of air through it. This resistance prevents interior air, which has been heated or cooled with costly fuels, from flowing out of ceilings, walls and floors. The insulation also prevents outside heat and cold from moving into the house. In addition, insulation increases comfort by reducing the loss of body heat by radiation to cold floors, walls and ceilings in the winter. Insulation lowers the radiant temperature in summer and makes people more comfortable. Insulation also reduces drafts and increases acoustical privacy.

Homes should be insulated in unfinished attics, finished attics-between ceiling joists, exterior walls, floors above crawl spaces, perimeter of slab-on-grade, basement walls, duct work and plumbing in uninsulated areas. Recommendations for amounts of insulation for Texas homes are: Attics, R-26; Exterior walls, R-11 to R-13; Floors over crawl spaces, R-11 to R-19; Duct work and hot water, R-9 to R-11; lines in uninsulated areas.

The R number or value is used to show the resistance of the insulation to heat flowing through it. The high-

er the R number, the more resistant the insulation. The air spaces in the insulation material or product actually slow down the flow of air through the material. Always compare and buy insulation by R value instead of by number of inches.

**Salad For Kids To Whip Up**

Kids can make their own "Wilted Lettuce Salad"--for an after-school snacks.

It's almost a meal-in-one, says Frances Reasonover, a foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

To make sure they will enjoy their kitchen ventures--and have some successes, Mom or Dad should be an interested guide for their "first try" with any new recipe, the specialist advises.

**WILTED LETTUCE SALAD**  
5 cups leaf lettuce (torn or chopped)

4 green onions with tops (chopped)

6 slices bacon

1/2 teaspoon salt

1-2 tablespoons brown sugar

2 tablespoons vinegar

1 tablespoon water

1 or 2 hard-cooked eggs (chopped, optional)

Toss lettuce and onions in salad bowl. Fry bacon until crisp. Remove from pan.

To the hot bacon drippings in the frying pan, add salt, brown sugar, vinegar and water.

Heat above items, stirring constantly until mixture is bubbly and sugar is melted.

Pour over lettuce and onions immediately. Toss light-

ly to coat all leaves. Crumble bacon and sprinkle on the top. An added touch might be hard-cooked eggs--chopped and added to the salad. Serve with crackers or cornbread and a glass of milk--to make a nutritious after-school snack for kids. Or, serve cold fried chicken with it for added nutrition.

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Things are not always what they seem. The outer package can be a deceiver with people, as well as with objects. Funny, isn't it, that although we know better we respond so readily to the things, the people that look best--the sparkling diamond that turns out to be a rhinestone, the phony with the wonderful, flashing smile?

No one ever makes it through life without stumbling occasionally. So be not ashamed. The thing is to learn by such experiences, to progress and not retreat. In case you've forgotten, the Church is a wonderful teacher.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Isaiah	Isaiah	Luke	Revelation	Psalms	Deuteronomy	Deuteronomy
26:1-12	38:9-20	1:46-55 68:79	5:6-14	150:1-6	5:1-21	6:1-9

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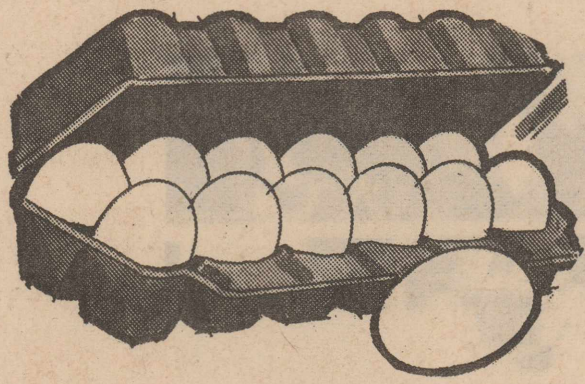
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## OZONA LIONS

# 1978

Friday, Sept. 15

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### Ozona Lions Roster



OZONA LIONS 1978

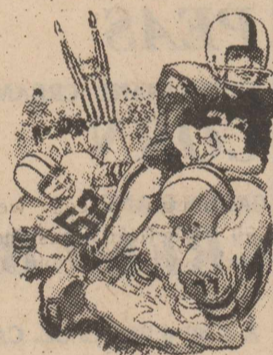
10	Shane Fenton	5-10	160	Jr.	QB	L
11	Dan Sewell	5-10	160	Sr.	QB	2L
12	R.J. Everett	5-10	145	Jr.	QB	J.V.
20	Aldo Delgado	5-6	145	Soph.	HB	J.V.
21	Johnny Rodriguez	5-6	130	Soph.	HB	J.V.
22	Fred Garza	5-9	145	Jr.	HB	L
23	Eric Fierro	5-8	135	Soph.	HB	J.V.
30	Louis Bunger	5-7	150	Soph.	HB	J.V.
33	Robert Buckner	5-8	150	Jr.	HB	J.V.
40	Rudy Enriquez	5-6	130	Soph.	FB	J.V.
44	Robert Tambunga	5-7	160	Soph.	FB	J.V.
47	Rojelio Longoria	5-11	165	Sr.	FB	L
50	Will Black	5-10	150	Soph.	C	J.V.
52	Rudy Martinez	5-6	145	Soph.	C	J.V.
55	Joe Rebelez	5-11	170	Jr.	C	L
60	Frank Galvan	5-7	160	Soph.	G	J.V.
61	Ray Ramos	5-8	165	Jr.	G	L
63	Frank Tambunga	5-10	165	Jr.	G	L
64	Randy Ramos	5-8	145	Soph.	G	J.V.
66	Juan Cedillo	5-5	145	Jr.	G	J.V.
70	Ramon Maldonado	6-0	170	Jr.	T	L
71	Alfred Enriquez	5-6	145	Soph.	T	J.V.
72	Larry Webster	6-0	190	Sr.	T	L
75	Roy DeHoyos	5-10	185	Jr.	T	J.V.
77	Cliff McMullan	5-11	180	Sr.	T	L
80	Clair McDaniel	6-2	170	Sr.	E	J.V.
81	Lain Huffman	6-1	165	Sr.	E	L
84	Jay Hufstедler	6-0	165	Sr.	E	L
85	Jeffrey Young	5-8	165	Jr.	E	L
87	James Hearne	5-9	130	Sr.	E	J.V.
88	Billy Wagoner	6-1	135	Sr.	E	J.V.

Superintendent: Foy Moody    Principal: Jim Payne    Band Director: Lane Scott  
Coaches: Rip Sewell, Tom Wilson, Wayne Palmer, David Porter, David McWilliams

### VARSITY FOOTBALL

DATE	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 8	Big Lake T	8:00
Sept. 15	Junction H	8:00
Sept. 22	Eldorado H	8:00
Sept. 29	Menard T	8:00
Oct. 6	Rankin H	8:00
Oct. 13	Iraan T	8:00
Oct. 20	Alpine T	8:00
Oct. 27	Open Date	
Nov. 3	*Crane H	8:00
Nov. 10	*Kermit T	8:00
Nov. 17	*Sonora H	8:00

\*Denotes District Games



DATE	JR. VARSITY
Sept. 21	Iraan H 6:45
Sept. 28	Big Lake H 6:30
Oct. 5	Sonora T 7:00
Oct. 12	Big Lake T 6:30
Oct. 19	Menard H 7:30
Oct. 26	Iraan T 6:45
Nov. 2	Crane T 6:00
Nov. 9	Sonora H 7:00

DATE	8TH GRADE
Sept. 21	Iraan H 5:00
Sept. 28	Big Lake T 6:45
Oct. 5	Sonora H 5:45
Oct. 12	Big Lake H 6:45
Oct. 19	Menard H 6:15
Oct. 26	Iraan T 5:00
Nov. 2	Crane H 6:45
Nov. 9	Sonora T 5:45

DATE	7TH GRADE
Sept. 21	McCamey T 5:00
Sept. 28	Big Lake T 5:30
Oct. 5	Sonora H 4:30
Oct. 12	Big Lake H 5:30
Oct. 19	Menard H 5:00
Nov. 2	Crane H 5:30
Nov. 9	Sonora T 4:30

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### Crockett County Care Center News

by Joan Nicholas

Activities Program Director

Gifts to the Center this week were a delicious cake made and given by Mrs. Anna Hufstelder and a huge can of peanuts from Mrs. Sidney Millsbaugh. Thank you so much for these kind gestures.

Winners of Bingo were Mike Pena, receiving the gift certificate, and Frances Tolson was runner-up and received a prize. Mike also won dominoes this week and Opal Eversole was a close second. Frances Tolson and partner Kim Buie (Jr. Aux.) won forty-two.

Dill Eversole joined our Bible study group this week as we continued with stories from the Old Testament. We took a break halfway through and did some exercises together.

I have managed to secure two films from Eastman Kodak and the first one on Mexico was shown by Glenda Winkley on Wednesday afternoon with twenty-four residents viewing.

Beth Boyd was the September birthday party hostess Monday afternoon and Evelyn Yeager was the honoree. We always have a birthday party on the second Monday of the month, but this time it happened to fall on the right day for Eleanor. I was sorry I missed all the fun, but I had this Monday off in lieu of Labor Day and spent the weekend in Dallas. However, when I went by the Center, Monday at 9:30 p.m., Eleanor was still sitting in her room savoring the happy time she had. She told me it was the very best birthday she ever had. She received beautiful flowers, a long distance telephone call from California, and her

## Hospital Board Reviews Financial Report For Aug.

The Crockett County Hospital Board met Sept. 7, and reviewed the financial report and accounts payable. It was noted that during the month of August the hospital suffered a loss of \$12,457.03 and the care center a loss of \$6,884.06. There were no unusually high or heavy expenses during the month.

It was verified that a State Facility Standards Division representative visited the hospital and certified discrepancies found during April as being corrected.

In discussing the professional building it was noted that Dr. Logan asked that his request for termination of his rent be withdrawn at this time. The termite problem at the building was discussed, and it was disclosed that before an effective program could be instituted, the underlying ground must be dry. No action was taken.

Bad debt collection at the hospital was discussed and several avenues of procedure explored. The board decided to continue with the present method of collection which is request payment from those utilizing services and place a greater collection emphasis on the collection of hospital in-patient insurance deductibles.

Equipment presented for review and inclusion in future budgets include X-ray automatic developer, a laboratory clinicard system with built-in standard and control, and a Spirometer. Personnel policies were presented to the board and approved. Included in these were continuing education programs, disposal of obsolete equipment such as the old safe and the portable X-ray unit, through sealed bids.

The board extended a special vote of appreciation to Dr. Don Carlisle for staying in town to provide hospital coverage while Dr. Owensby was out of town. They especially took into account Dr. Carlisle was forced to miss his son's wedding when he chose to stay and provide medical coverage for the community.

Members in attendance were Steve Sessom, Donnie

Laughlin, Sue Arledge, Gary Vannoy, Matt Guitierrez, and Pon Seahorn. Others present included Harold Taylor, Dr. Owensby, Dr. Carlisle, Dub O'Bryant and Brian Henry.

Lowell Sweeten, son of Jesse Lee Sweeten, Ozona, design and test engineer with U-Haul, Phoenix, has been appointed product engineer on the nuclear qualification program at ITT Cannon Electric, Sky Harbor Airport, Phoenix.

### Sweeten Is Nuclear Engineer

Members in attendance were Steve Sessom, Donnie

### Cafeteria Menu

- Monday**  
Corn Dogs  
Macaroni & Cheese  
Vegetable Salad  
Fruit Cup  
Bread
- Tuesday**  
Pinto Beans  
German Sausage  
Spoon Tomato Salad  
Peanut Butter Cookies  
Cornbread
- Wednesday**  
Hamburger Steak  
Mashed Potatoes  
Vegetable Salad  
Ice Cream Cup  
Hot Rolls
- Thursday**  
Hamburger on Bun  
Buttered Corn  
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles  
Fruit Cup
- Friday**  
Roast Beef & Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Fruit Cup  
Hot Rolls



LOWELL SWEETEN

Robert E. Wilson, manager-engineering, said Sweeten will work on the two major programs ITT Cannon has with TVA and Arizona Public Service to provide nuclear penetration systems. There is no radiation involved in this work.

A graduate of Texas Technological University, Lubbock, Sweeten previously was associated with Talley Industries and AiResearch Manufacturing Co., Phoenix.

Sweeten resides at 1023 E. Seventh Ave., Mesa, with his wife and two children. He served in the U.S. Army. ITT Cannon Electric is an international producer of electrical connectors and electronic test accessories for the telecommunications, computer and business machine, military and aerospace, automotive and energy markets.

Maxine's Flowers honored Eleanor with a corsage and, again, I want to thank Patti Jones for doing this for our birthday people each month. It is with much sorrow I learned of the death of Johnnie Hokit when I returned to Ozona. Our sympathy goes out to Mrs. Hokit and all of their family. Johnnie was with us for only a short time.

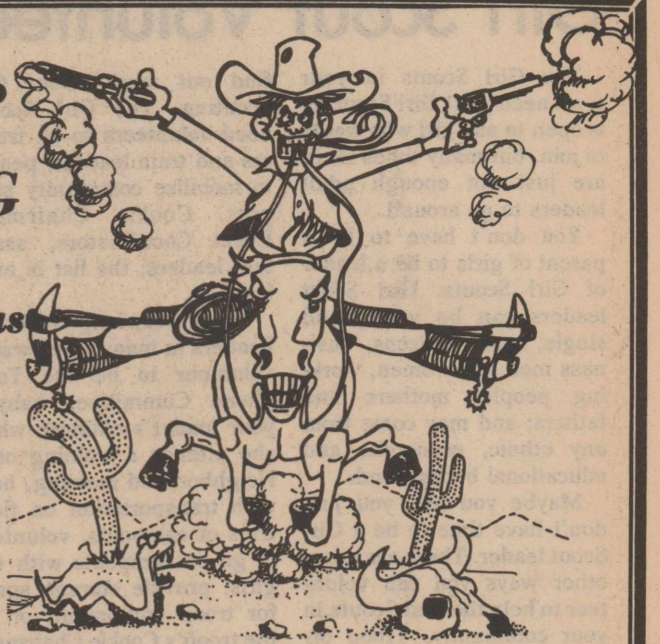
Gertrude Daniels came back to the Center on Wednesday afternoon, and as I was bringing her through the door she let out a sigh saying "I'm home!"

Ozona family came for the party. She did tell me that it was tinged with some sadness—Jessie Deaton, her roommate, had been admitted to our hospital. We hope she will be well and back with us soon. Quite often residents share rooms with someone they have never met before, and in most cases a very close attachment forms. Eleanor and Jessie are very close.

Equipment presented for review and inclusion in future budgets include X-ray

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# Girl Scout Volunteers Needed

The Girl Scouts in your town need you! Girl Scouting is open to any girl who wants to join, but many times there are just not enough adult leaders to go around.

You don't have to be a parent of girls to be a leader of Girl Scouts. Girl Scout leaders can be young and single, senior citizens, business men and women, working people, mothers and fathers; and may come from any ethnic, economic, and educational background.

Maybe you feel you just don't have time to be a Girl Scout leader. There are many other ways you can volunteer to help the Girl Scouts in your community. Troop organizers are needed; and Troop consultants are needed to help new leaders get along with their girls and

find out more about Girl Scouting. The Girl Scouts need volunteers to be trainers and train leaders, people to mobilize community support, Cookie Chairmen, Event Coordinators, assistant leaders; the list is endless!

Parents can help out Troop Leaders in many small ways: volunteer to be the Telephone Committee, babysit your leader's children while she attends a training or a Neighborhood meeting, help with transportation on field trips or campouts, volunteer to go on campouts with the girls, provide storage space for troop equipment, or be the troop's Cookie Chairman.

Adults can also be excellent program resources for leaders. Perhaps you can arrange for a Girl Scout

Troop to tour your business, or speak to them about a career in your field. The Girl Scout program is very career-oriented and urges girls to explore different fields in which they are interested. Adults often have a variety of hobbies and talents that could be interesting and helpful to the girls, as well as helping their leader with her program.

The Girl Scouts need you as an adult volunteer; to give as much of yourself as you can; and to help this organization grow and touch the lives of many more girls. We are ready to provide leadership training and to give you all the help you want so that you can work in partnership with girls, sharing your skills and talents, your enthusiasm, and some of your

time. If you are interested in helping in any way as an adult Girl Scout volunteer, please call your Neighborhood Chairman, Mrs. Terry Adams, at 392-3028. It will mean a lot to the girls of Ozona.

## GS Scout Leaders In Sonora

Ozona Girl Scout leaders and helpers traveled to Sonora, Thursday night, September 7 to attend an Age Level and Worlds to Explore Training Seminar. The question and answer seminar was designed to help new Girl Scout leaders and helpers become acquainted with Girl Scouting and also to furnish experienced leaders with new ideas.

Ozona leaders attending were Nana Fierro, Yolanda Martinez, Veva Vargas, Thelma Janes, Cathy Carson, Charlotte Judd, Roberta Bailey, Peggy Phillips and Terri Adams.

## Crockett Co. Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment in the Crockett County Hospital from September 5 to 12 are the following:

- Ray Boyd\*
- Tony Wade\*
- James Meek\*
- Donna Morris\*
- Ventura Sanchez\*
- Lucio Fierro\*
- Elvira Higginbottom
- Bobby Joe Benson
- Fortunato Tambunga
- Mary C. Borrego
- Jessie Deaton
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### AVISO PUBLICO UN RESUMEN DE LAS ENMIENDAS PROPUESTAS A LA CONSTITUCION ELECCION GENERAL 7 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 1978

#### LA ENMIENDA PARA ALIVIO DE IMPUESTOS (H.J.R. 1)

H.J.R. 1 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas permitiendo a la legislatura que exente propiedad personal intangible; requiriendo que la legislatura exente ciertos articulos de la constitucion de Texas, y permitiendo a la legislatura que exente todo o parte de la propiedad personal del hogar seguro, de la imposicion de impuestos estatales y locales sobre propiedad.

La enmienda requiere a la legislatura que disponga la imposicion de impuestos sobre tierras agricolas y rancheras basada en su capacidad productiva en vez de su valor de mercado y permite a la legislatura que disponga la imposicion de impuestos a bosques de madera basada en su capacidad productiva.

La enmienda permite a los gobiernos locales que extiendan la exencion actual de no menos de \$3,000 del hogar seguro residencial para personas de 65 años o más de edad para incluir ciertas personas incapacitadas.

La enmienda concede una exencion de \$5,000 en el valor de mercado del hogar seguro residencial en los impuestos para escuelas publicas sobre propiedad. Autoriza a la legislatura que conceda una exencion adicional de los impuestos para escuelas publicas sobre propiedad de una cantidad que no exceda \$10,000 del valor de mercado de hogares seguros residenciales de personas 65 años o más de edad y ciertas personas incapacitadas. Si la persona de 65 años o más de edad es elegible para esta exencion la cantidad total de los impuestos para escuelas publicas sobre el hogar seguro de aquella persona no puede incrementarse.

La enmienda previene que gobiernos locales incrementen los impuestos sobre propiedad a menos que el cuerpo administrativo provea aviso público y lleve a cabo una audiencia pública. La enmienda requiere a la legislatura que disponga por ley que cada propietario reciba aviso de la revaluación de su propiedad y la cantidad de incremento en sus impuestos.

La enmienda limita las apropiaciones de los ingresos de impuestos estatales en una cantidad que no exceda la tasa de crecimiento económico estatal que se anticipa, con la legislatura autorizada para conceder exenciones de emergencia. La enmienda prohíbe la valuación de propiedad inmueble a través del estado para los fines de impuestos sobre propiedad. Se requiere que la ejecución de

normas y procedimientos uniformes para la valuación de propiedad con el propósito de impuestos sobre propiedad, se origine con la autoridad que impone los impuestos sobre propiedad.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional disponiendo alivio de impuestos para hogares seguros residenciales, personas mayores de edad, personas incapacitadas, y tierras agricolas; extensiones de bienes muebles; la verdad en procedimientos tocanete a la imposición de impuestos, incluyendo participación de ciudadanos; de nuevo definiendo la base de impuestos; limitando los gastos del estado; y la administración de impuestos sobre propiedad."

#### NO. 1 (S.J.R. 50)

S.J.R. 50 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas para eliminar la referencia arcaica al "Instituto de Sordos y Mudos." La enmienda permitiria al estado de Texas que compre productos y servicios de individuos incapacitados en facilidades de rehabilitacion no lucrativas sin cumplir con los requisitos de oferta que se aplican a otros contratos estatales. La enmienda tambien eliminaria la formalidad de la aprobacion de ciertos contratos estatales por el Gobernador, el Secretario de Estado, y el Contralor de Cuentas Públicas.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional eliminando la referencia arcaica al "Instituto de Sordos y Mudos," permitiendo que ciertos productos y servicios de personas incapacitadas sean usados por agencias y departamentos del gobierno del estado, requiriendo que otros productos y servicios requeridos en la operacion del gobierno del estado sean obtenidos por ofertas concedidas al postor responsable que ofrezca el precio más bajo, haciendo que todos los procesos de proccuración sean sujetos a las leyes establecidas por la legislatura y eliminando el requisito que el Gobernador de Texas, el Secretario de Estado, y el Contralor de Cuentas Públicas de Texas participen personalmente en tales negociaciones."

#### NO. 2 (S.J.R. 55)

S.J.R. 55 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas para permitir que gobiernos locales emi-

tan bonos para la reconstrucción o adquisicion de facilidades (terrenos, equipos y mejoras) con la intencion de desarrollar oportunidades de empleo. Estos bonos se pagarian solamente de los ingresos de la venta o arriendo de estas facilidades. Gobierno local debe determinar que la construcción o adquisición de tales facilidades es necesaria para desarrollar oportunidades de empleo.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional para disponer que la legislatura puede permitir que las subdivisiones políticas emitan bonos de ingresos, para desarrollar oportunidades de empleo para sus ciudadanos."

#### NO. 3 (S.J.R. 44)

S.J.R. 44 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas que permitiria que la legislatura autorize a ciudades y pueblos la emision de bonos de impuestos incrementados para financiar el desarrollo de areas deterioradas. Solamente se pagaran los bonos de los ingresos de los incrementos en impuestos municipales. No pagos se pueden hacer de los ingresos de impuestos municipales, servicios públicos u otros servicios.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional que da a la legislatura el poder de autorizar las ciudades y pueblos para expedir bonos para financiar el desarrollo de areas deterioradas y prohibir cualquier ciudad o pueblo de conceder su dinero o prestar su crédito para tales fines."

#### NO. 4 (S.J.R. 53)

S.J.R. 53 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas para permitir que la legislatura exente de la imposicion de impuestos, aparatos para energia o de viento.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional autorizando a la legislatura para exentar de impuestos aparatos de energia solar o de viento."

#### NO. 5 (H.J.R. 37)

H.J.R. 37 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas para conceder competencia exclusiva a jueces de paz en causas civiles cuando la cantidad en controversia no excede \$200, a menos que la legislatura conceda competencia exclusiva a otra corte. La enmienda concede a jueces de paz competencia concurrente con cortes de condado cuando la cantidad en controversia sea entre \$200 y \$500, a menos que la legislatura conceda a la corte de condado competencia exclusiva. La enmienda tambien concede a jueces de paz

competencia concurrente con ambas cortes, cortes de condado, y cortes de distrito, cuando la cantidad en controversia sea entre \$500 y \$1,000, a menos que la legislatura conceda a la corte de condado o distrito competencia exclusiva.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional para extender la competencia de los jueces de paz en causas civiles."

#### NO. 6 (S.J.R. 45)

S.J.R. 45 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas para permitir que la legislatura aumente el número de jueces en cualquier corte de apelaciones civiles. Al presente, cortes de apelaciones civiles están limitadas a un juez presidente y dos jueces asociados. La enmienda tambien permitira a las cortes que sesionen por secciones, con la concurrencia de una mayoría de los jueces en la seccion siendo necesaria para decidir una causa.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional permitiendo que la legislatura aumente el número de jueces en cualquier Corte de Apelaciones Civiles, permitiendo que Cortes de Apelaciones Civiles sesionen por secciones, y requiriendo la concurrencia de una mayoría de jueces para decidir una causa."

#### NO. 7 (S.J.R. 48)

S.J.R. 48 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas eliminando la Comisión de Edificios del Estado y el Fondo de Edificios del Estado. La autoridad de la Comisión de Edificios del Estado ha sido trasladada por ley a la Junta de Control del Estado.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional para abrogar la autoridad constitucional de la Comisión de Edificios del Estado y el Fondo de Edificios del Estado."

#### NO. 8 (H.J.R. 42)

H.J.R. 42 propone una enmienda a la constitucion de Texas permitiendo que ciertas subdivisiones politicas o distritos del estado tal al presente pueden emitir bonos u otras deudas o de otra manera prestar su crédito participen en actividades contra incendios y que emitan bonos o de otra manera prestar su crédito para sostener tales actividades.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional autorizando que ciertos distritos participen en actividades contra incendios y emitan bonos o de otra manera presten crédito para tales propósitos."

### PUBLIC NOTICE SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS GENERAL ELECTION NOV. 7, 1978

#### "The Tax Relief Amendment" (H.J.R. 1)

H.J.R. 1 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution allowing the legislature to exempt intangible personal property, requiring the legislature to exempt certain household goods and personal effects, and allowing the legislature to exempt all or part of the personal property homestead from state and local property taxation.

The amendment requires the legislature to provide for the taxation of farm and ranch land on the basis of its productive capacity instead of its market value and allows the legislature to provide for the taxation of timber land on its productive capacity.

The amendment permits local governments to extend the present exemption of not less than \$3,000 of the residence homestead of persons 65 and older to include certain disabled persons.

The amendment grants an exemption from public school property taxes of \$5,000 of the market value of the residence homestead. It authorizes the legislature to grant an additional exemption from public school property taxes of an amount not to exceed \$10,000 of the market value of the residence homesteads of persons 65 years of age or older and certain disabled persons. If a person 65 years of age or older qualifies for this exemption, the total amount of public school taxes imposed on that person's homestead may not be increased.

The amendment prevents local governments from increasing property taxes unless the governing body provides public notice and conducts a public hearing. The amendment requires the legislature to provide by law for each property owner to receive notice of the revaluation of his property and the amount taxes will be increased.

The amendment limits appropriations from state tax revenue to an amount not to exceed Texas' estimated economic growth rate, with the legislature authorized to make exceptions for emergencies.

The amendment prohibits the statewide appraisal of real property for property tax purposes. Enforcement of uniform standards and procedures for appraisal of property for property tax purposes is required to originate in the taxing

authority where the property tax is imposed.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for tax relief for residential homesteads, elderly persons, disabled persons, and agricultural land; for personal property exemptions; for truth in taxation procedures, including citizen involvement; for a redefinition of the tax base; for limitations on state spending; and for property tax administration."

#### NUMBER ONE (S.J.R. 50)

S.J.R. 50 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to delete an archaic reference to the "Deaf and Dumb Asylum." The amendment would allow the State of Texas to purchase products and services done by handicapped individuals in nonprofit rehabilitation facilities without complying with bid requirements applicable to other state contracts. The amendment also would eliminate the formality of the approval of certain state contracts by the Governor, the Secretary of State and the Comptroller of Public Accounts.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment deleting the archaic reference to the 'Deaf and Dumb Asylum,' allowing certain products and services of handicapped individuals to be used by agencies and departments of state government, requiring the procurement of other products and services required in the operation of state government to be made under bids awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, making all such procurement processes subject to laws enacted by the legislature, and eliminating the requirements that the Governor, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller of Public Accounts of Texas be personally involved with such transactions."

#### NUMBER FIVE (H.J.R. 37)

H.J.R. 37 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to grant exclusive jurisdiction to justices of the peace in civil cases where the amount in controversy does not exceed \$200, except where the legislature gives exclusive jurisdiction to another court.

The amendment grants justices of the peace concurrent jurisdiction with county courts where the amount in controversy is between \$200 and \$500, except where the legislature gives the county court exclusive jurisdiction.

The amendment also grants justices of the peace concurrent jurisdiction

bonds would be payable solely from the revenue from the sale or lease of these facilities. The building or acquisition of such facilities must be determined by the local government to be necessary to develop employment opportunities.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide that the legislature may permit political subdivisions to issue revenue bonds to develop employment opportunities for its citizens."

#### NUMBER THREE (S.J.R. 44)

S.J.R. 44 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution which would allow the legislature to authorize cities and towns to issue tax increment bonds to finance the redevelopment of blighted areas. The bonds are to be paid solely from revenue from municipal tax increments. Payment cannot be made from the revenue of municipal taxes, utilities, or other services.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to give the legislature the power to authorize cities and towns to issue bonds to finance the redevelopment of blighted areas and prohibiting any city or town from granting its money or lending its credit for such purposes."

#### NUMBER FOUR (S.J.R. 53)

S.J.R. 53 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to allow the legislature to exempt from taxation solar or wind-powered energy devices.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from taxation solar and wind-powered energy devices."

#### NUMBER TWO (S.J.R. 55)

S.J.R. 55 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to permit local governments to issue bonds for the reconstruction or acquisition of facilities (land, equipment and improvements) designed to develop employment opportunities. These

tion with both county and district courts where the amount in controversy is between \$500 and \$1,000, except where the legislature gives the county or district court exclusive jurisdiction.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to extend the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in civil cases."

#### NUMBER SIX (S.J.R. 45)

S.J.R. 45 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to allow the legislature to expand the number of judges on any court of civil appeals. Presently courts of civil appeals are limited to a chief justice and two associate justices. The amendment also would allow the courts to sit in sections, with the concurrence of a majority of the judges sitting in the section necessary to decide a case.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment permitting the legislature to increase the number of justices on a court of civil appeals, permitting a court of civil appeals to sit in sections, and requiring a concurrence of a majority of justices to decide a case."

#### NUMBER SEVEN (S.J.R. 48)

S.J.R. 48 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution eliminating the State Building Commission and the State Building Fund. The authority of the State Building Commission has been transferred by law to the State Board of Control.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to repeal the constitutional authority for the State Building Commission and the State Building Fund."

#### NUMBER EIGHT (H.J.R. 42)

H.J.R. 42 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution allowing certain political subdivisions or districts in the state that can presently issue bonds or otherwise indebtedness or otherwise lend its credit to engage in fire-fighting activities and to issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit to support such activities.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendments authorizing certain districts to engage in fire-fighting activities and to issue bonds or otherwise indebtedness or to issue bonds or otherwise lend their credit for fire-fighting purposes."



# Texas Pecans Will Be Small, But High Quality

"Texas size" pecans will be harder to find this fall because of the severe dry weather that has plagued the state since last summer. "Although this year's crop will be short and nuts will generally be small, the quality of pecans will be high," points out B.G. Hancock, horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Texas pecan growers are estimating a crop in the neighborhood of 25 to 26 million pounds, down sharply from average production of about 40 million pounds. The nation's crop is estimated at 170 to 180 million pounds, also down from an average of about 200 million pounds.

Texas is the largest producer of native pecans and

ranks second nationally to Georgia in total pecan production.

"This year's crop endured many adversities as far as weather conditions are concerned," notes Hancock. "The cycle began with the dry summer of 1977, followed by a cold winter, and continued with an extremely dry spring and summer this year."

According to the horticulturist, pecan trees were under stress late last year due to lack of moisture. Then the unusually cold winter followed by a late spring caused trees to be two to three weeks late in leafing out and setting nuts. Continued dry weather this spring and summer is resulting in a lighter crop and smaller nuts.

"Of course, there is still a little time for good rains to help in nut development," points out Hancock. "In addition, moisture is also critical to keep trees in vigorous condition for the 1979 crop."

The late spring and lack of tree vigor due to dry conditions also opened the door for severe damage from the crop's most destructive insect pest, the pecan nut casebearer. Casebearer damage was heavy in many areas, particularly where timely sprays were not applied.

Looking over the state, Hancock gives this view of the pecan crop. "Best prospects are in the irrigated west—the El Paso Valley, the Trans-Pecos area and the Winter Garden. Production in these areas is all on planted, irrigated orchards. The crop in South Central Texas and the Gulf Coast region will be light, with only good crops where orchards were managed properly. Pecan production in the Hill Country will also be down due to the dry weather. The crop suffered most from dry conditions in the West Cross Timbers and North Central Texas. The severe dry weather in these regions actually caused some tree damage and therefore will have a long-lasting effect on pecan production."

According to the horticulturist, most production this year will come from improved pecan varieties grown under good management. Production from native trees will be down sharply.

"Despite the shorter crop, good quality Texas pecans will still be available to the public this fall."

# 4-H Leaders Schedule Meeting In Brownwood

A weekend workshop especially for 4-H leaders and other adult volunteers who work with youth in Extension Foods and Nutrition Projects will be offered at the Texas 4-H Center near Brownwood on Saturday and Sunday, September 17-18. County Extension Agent Debra Price notes that the workshops sessions, beginning at noon Saturday and ending at noon on Sunday, will deal with topics including "Planning A Foods and Nutrition Project," "How To Conduct A Foods and Nutrition Educational Tour," "Ideas For Making and Buying Kitchen Helpers," and "How To Teach Project Lessons."

Instructors for the work-

shop will be Frances L. Reasonover, Foods and Nutrition Specialist, and Alma Bullard, 4-H and Youth Specialist, both of College Station. Also assisting will be Carolyn Gilbert and Jeanette Altenhof, of the Texas 4-H Center staff at Brownwood. For further details concerning this workshop, Mrs. Price may be contacted at the Crockett County Extension Office located top floor of the Courthouse Annex or Phone 392-2721. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of Socio-Economic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

# Overseeding Provides Good Grazing

Overseeding pastures with winter grasses can provide for additional fall, winter and early spring grazing. But producers should carefully consider all aspects of sod-seeding or overseeding before investing time and money.

In the sodseeding process an annual grass or legume is seeded into an undisturbed perennial grass pasture. The key aspect of this planting is that the base or permanent pasture is not greatly disturbed, points out Don Dorsett, forage specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The most common sodseeding operation is to seed a winter annual grass or clover into a bermudagrass pasture.

"With sodseeding, the land is used during a normally unproductive period, usually winter," contends Dorsett. "Other advantages are that sodseeding extends the green grazing period of a pasture by providing high quality winter annuals. Land preparation costs are minimized, and by applying fertilizer, the permanent pasture is usually improved. An additional advantage is that animals do not bog down as readily in sodseeded pastures in wet weather."

On the other hand, there are also some disadvantages of sodseeding. "The success of sodseeding depends on

both fall and spring rainfall. Since the grasses are generally planted late, they furnish only limited fall and winter grazing. Although high nitrogen fertilizer is needed, the payoff in grazing may not be as great as from a winter pasture on a prepared seedbed," notes the specialist.

If the decision is to go ahead with sodseeding, Dorsett offers a few considerations.

"Allow the permanent pasture grass to make early September growth without fertilizing. By late September let cattle graze the grass closely or cut it for hay. Plant oats, wheat, barley or rye at a rate of 100 pounds per acre in late September or early October."

Ryegrass can be broadcast seeded later on small grain pastures at rates of 15 to 25 pounds per acre to extend spring grazing.

Dorsett advises producers to allow sodseeded grasses to reach a height of five to six inches before beginning grazing. The pasture should be used efficiently and should support at least two animals per acre.

Sodseeded pastures require plenty of fertilizer. Dorsett suggests applying 60 to 80 pounds of phosphorus per acre at planting time and then applying a similar

amount of nitrogen once the grass seed has germinated. Applying nitrogen earlier en-

courages growth of the base grass. Another 60 to 80 pounds of nitrogen should be

applied in late February to encourage early spring growth.

# Brown Patch Is Hitting Lawns

With the onset of the fall's cool temperature and rainy weather, homeowners will once again be plagued with brown patch disease. Brown patch which occurs on St. Augustine grass, Bermuda grass and Zoysia grass is caused by the fungus, *Phytophthora solani*, and occurs in late spring or early fall.

This disease is characterized by three different types of symptoms in turf. The most common is a circular pattern of dead grass. These circular patterns range in diameter from 1 to 50 feet. The second type of symptom occurring on grass is a diffused type of pattern of which small diffused patches of grass will turn brown primarily in shady locations. The third type is where individual leaf blades turn yellow in turf; this is usually the way brown patch shows up in Floratam St. Augustine grass.

In all three instances, both the blades and leaf sheaths may be easily pulled from the stolons because of deterioration in the attachment area. Stolons often remain green. New leaves may emerge in the center of circular areas within two to three weeks, giving the disease a doughnut shaped appearance. The entire spot may eventually become green during a long growing season.

Disease development occurs most rapidly when air temperatures are between 75 and 85 degrees when free moisture is present. Fungal activity stops when air tem-

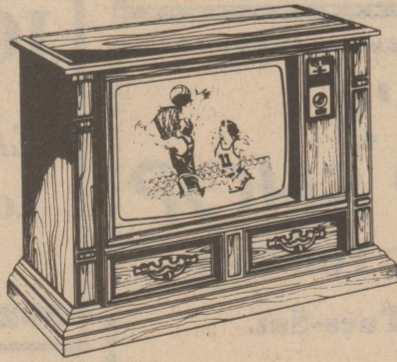
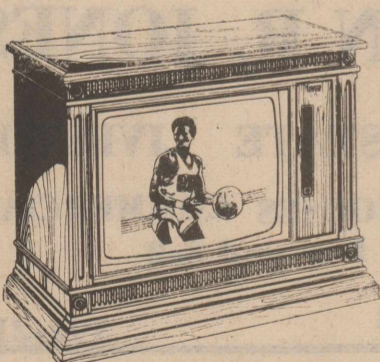
peratures reach 90 degrees F. which explains seasonal development of the disease.

Some lawns are affected almost every year while others are damaged only occasionally. Fungicide applications which will effectively prevent brown patch development should be made in areas where brown patch is a chronic problem. In other areas where the disease occurs occasionally, apply fungicides when the disease first appears.

Several fungicides are cleared for use in controlling brown patch, according to Billy Reagor, County Agent. These include Benomyl and Terraclor PCNB which is available in liquid, granular or wettable powder form. PCNB which is available at Terraclor has a half life of 30 days and generally is effective throughout the growing season. The other available materials need to be applied on a regular schedule, generally from 10 to 14 day intervals.

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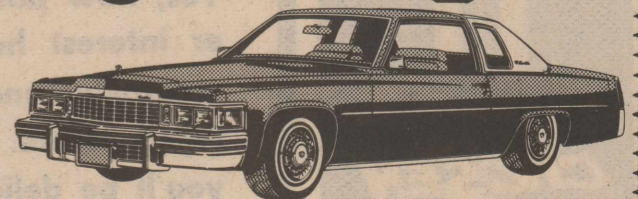
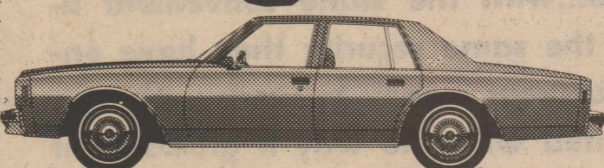
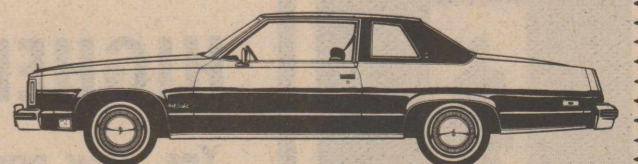


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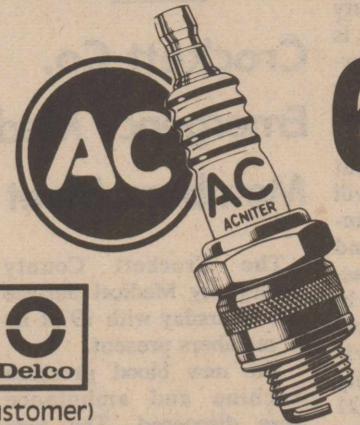
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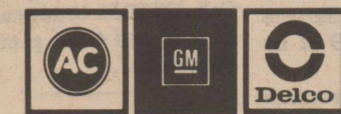
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The six letters feature topics on selecting and installing insulations, caulking, weatherstripping, treatment of windows and glass areas, ventilation and moisture control, heating and cooling, and the energy situation. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

## Social Security Visit Set

Garland Gregg, representative of the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his September visit to Ozona. He will be at the County Courthouse on Wednesday, September 20 between 2:00 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time. Persons who are unable to meet with him are encouraged to call the office in San Angelo. Residents of Ozona may call toll free by dialing "Operator" and asking for "Enterprise 2058."

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## Crockett Co. Emergency Med. Members Meet

The Crockett County Emergency Medical Service met Thursday with 19 of its 32 members present.

The new blood pressure machine and ambulance were discussed. The new ambulance will be a boon to the county as when the one ambulance is on a run to San Angelo or Odessa, citizens are without service for up to four hours.

The new paging system was explained to members. Schedules of the Emergency Medical Technician class which begins Sept. 11 were passed out.

Visitors were Harold Taylor Hospital Administrator, Steve Sessom and Dr. Don Carlisle.

Mrs. Jake Short is in St. Johns Hospital in San Angelo recovering from surgery performed following a broken hip two weeks ago here. She is reported making good progress.

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Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Nichols and son, Clifford of Houston were here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Applewhite last week.

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