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Kitty's Korner

by
Kitty Montgomery

The Thanksgiving holidays sped by and thoughts quickly turned to Christmas. Where has the year gone? For that matter, where have the 70's gone? It's been a speedy ten years and an earth-shaking decade for the United States. Not as bad as the 60's but hopefully worse than the 80's. If recent events in Iran have done nothing else, they have managed to unite the American people, and that has to be on the plus side.

Locally Christmas decorations have gone up and merchants are planning the best Christmas business ever. The high price of gasoline should keep people at home to shop and the gift selection has never been better in Ozona. They may be having a recession elsewhere, but Ozonans are definitely not joining in.

Our congratulations to Steve Kenley. He is no longer a L&T in emergency medical circles. He passed his Emergency Medical Technician course with flying colors Monday night and has become a genuine EMT. (For those who are not familiar with the lingo, an L&T is a load and tote person.)

Rosa Montes, manager of C.G. Morrison Co., got a pleasant surprise Tuesday when she picked up the mail for the store.

On opening a letter addressed only to "The Manager," a dime fell out and she read:

"Dear Manager: Twenty-one years ago as a youngster, a friend and I, on a dare, took a dark and a light fudge candy bar from the candy display at the front of the store. To this day I have remembered and felt bad. Please accept the price of the two candy bars and forgive two foolish kids—I remember the act but not the person with me. God bless you."

That goes to show what the Christmas season does for people. However, the candy bars are now 20c or 25c. Rosa said she couldn't remember when candy bars were a nickel, but I do.

One Lion makes All-Dist. team

Ozona only placed one player on the 7AA All-District Football team, but picked up several honorable mention awards.

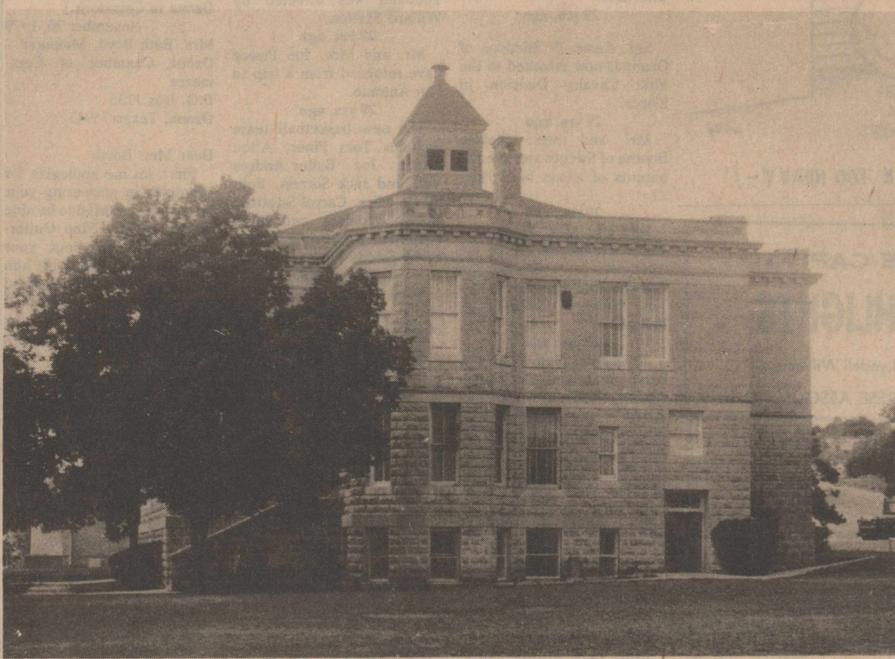
Ernie Borrego, the Lions' 45-pound sophomore linebacker, was named to the defensive first team.

Receiving honorable mention from Ozona were Felix Flores at receiver position, Jeffrey Young and Randy Ramos as linemen, Will M. Black at center, and Freddy Garza at running back.

Lions named to the defensive team, honorable mention, included Rudy Martinez and Danny Crawford, interior linemen, and Louis Bunker at linebacker. R.J. Everett, Randy Ramos, Aldo Delgado and Freddy Garza were named as defensive backs.

ORDINATION OF BISHOP FIORENZA FRIDAY

The ordination and installation of Bishop Joseph A. Fiorenza, a one-hour television presentation on KCTV, Channel 8, in San Angelo will take place from 10:30 to 11:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 30.



OZONA'S FIRST PERMANENT SCHOOL BUILDING built in 1912 and abandoned this year when the school improvement program moved the junior high students out of the building, was the subject of discussion Monday night at

a joint meeting of the Crockett County Historical Society and Historical Commission. A resolution was passed, asking the school board to allow the establishment of public library and museum in the building.

Ozona man killed in Pecos crash

An Ozona man was killed and another injured in a grinding two-car collision south of Pecos late Friday night. The crash also took the life of a Marfa teacher and injured his companion.

Pascual N. Yruegas, 23, was pronounced dead at the scene by Pecos Justice of the Peace Cliff Presler. Manuel Santiago Prieto of Marfa, died early Saturday morning in Reeves County Hospital.

Juan Fierro, 17, also of Ozona, was hospitalized with lacerations and a shoulder injury, but was listed in stable condition.

The collision occurred 3.7 miles south of Pecos on

Highway 17, according to DPS officials in Pecos.

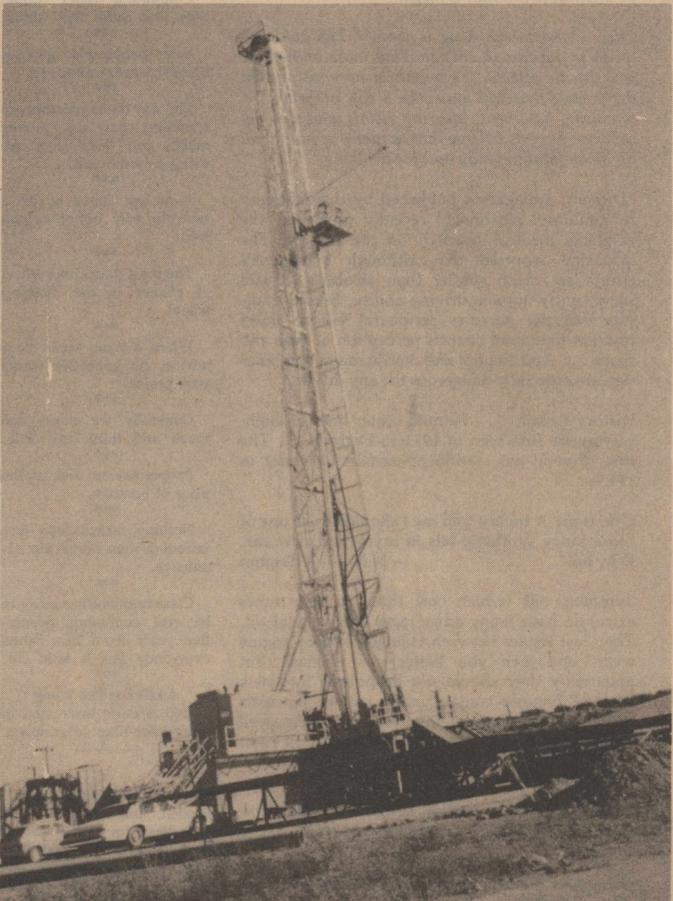
Yruegas was the driver and Fierro a passenger in a 1974 model sports car northbound on Highway 17, DPS reports said. Prieto was the driver of the southbound 1976 model pickup when the two vehicles collided head-on at a curve.

Yruegas was killed instantly, dying of massive head and chest injuries. Prieto was pinned in the wreckage for more than one-half hour.

Services for Yruegas were held Monday at 3 p.m. in Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial in Lima Cemetery.

He was born April 24, 1956, in Ozona. He attended Ozona High School and was married to Nancy Lara, Oct. 22, 1978 in Ozona. He was an oilfield worker.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Kenneth Yruegas and Marcus Yruegas, both of the home; six sisters, Mrs. Ofelia Jenkins of Midland, Jususita Ybarra and Mrs. Basilia Castillo, both of Ozona, Mrs. Juanita Morado, Mrs. Carolina Galindo and Mrs. Cuca Castillo, all of Crane; two brothers, Jesus Yruegas Jr. of Ozona and Albino Yruegas of Tucson, Ariz.; and his mother, Maria Yruegas of Ozona.



THE PARKING LOT AT THE RODEO arena was turned into an oilfield last week when this large rig was set up directly behind the grandstand. The drilling log calls for 18 days. Meanwhile 4-H members and FFA members who are feeding animals at the show barn are finding it rough going.

Historical group eyes old school-

Building wanted for museum site

A movement to bring about the dedication of the historic first permanent school building in Ozona, now abandoned, to use as a public library and museum was launched at a well attended meeting of the Crockett County Historical Society and the Historical Commission Monday night at the Civic Center.

The building, made of native rock and erected in 1912, stands on school grounds just north of the present high school building. It was the town's first permanent construction of a school building. Before, children had attended classes in wooden frame buildings. So well constructed is the building that a recent inspection by state preservation and restoration officials pronounced it one of the soundest buildings in the state for its age. In fact, so well built and arranged these inspectors declared it ready for occupancy with a minimum of restoration and change.

Library and museum advocates have long eyed the building since it has been replaced with more modern buildings and see in it adequate quarters for a modern public library and expanded quarters for the county's museum. Opening discussion on the project at the Monday night meeting, Mrs. R.A. Harrell, chairman of the Historical Commission, pointed out that numerous grants were available from federal and state sources to provide ample capital for converting the building to the proposed use.

A resolution, presented by Mrs. Pleas Childress, chairman of the museum, asking the school board to deed the building to the public for use as a public library and museum, was unanimously and enthusiastically approved by the gathering. The resolution is as follows:

Whereas, we the members of the Crockett County Historical Society, Crockett County Historical Commission and concerned friends of the Museum desire the preservation of the 1912 Ozona School Building.

Whereas, we desire to collect, preserve and exhibit artifacts of the prehistoric people found in Crockett County and surrounding area.

Whereas, we desire to preserve and display the

artifacts of the historic Indians of this area.

Whereas, we desire to preserve and tell the story of the early adventurers and soldiers who passed through this county.

Whereas, we desire to preserve the relics of the early pioneer settlers of this county and to tell their story for future generations.

Whereas, we desire to collect and exhibit geological and botanical specimen of this county.

Whereas, we desire to

function as an educational tool in the above areas to all age levels for their enlightenment and enjoyment.

Whereas there is a need for a library that is both accessible to the public and adequate in size.

Now, therefore, we request the members of the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District Board of Trustees to deed this historic school building to the public for a Museum and Public Library.

Rash of fires during holiday

Ozona firemen spent a busy holiday period putting out fires, grass fires for the most part.

Last Wednesday firemen were called to Whitley Welding where a grass fire was burning in the draw behind the building. The call came in at 1:55 p.m. They had no more than extinguished the fire when a report of a motor home on fire at the James Childress Ranch west of Ozona came in. Units were

dispatched, but the motor home was totally destroyed when they arrived. They did manage to prevent a grass fire as a result. The motor home belonged to hunters from Louisiana.

On Thanksgiving Day about 6 p.m. firemen were called to a grass fire on the Arthur Phillips ranch south of Ozona. A hunter's jeep caught fire and in turn ignited the grass. The jeep was a total loss, but firemen were able to bring the grass fire under control.

As they were returning to town a motorist reported another fire in the area of Eugene Miller's gate. Firemen checked out the report but found it was the same fire they had extinguished just minutes earlier.

Saturday around 3 p.m. Ozona firemen responded to a call from Eldorado where a large grass fire was in progress. Fanned by high winds, it took the effort of fire units from several area towns to bring the fire under control.



GREG PERRY won the Veterans of Foreign Wars sponsored Voice of Democracy Contest this year. Greg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Perry and a senior student at Ozona High School, won out over 25 participants in the script-writing broadcast program. Gary Smith was second and Peri Pennington, third. Greg wrote and taped his winning speech. His recording will compete with those of other area town winners at the district contest.

CRUSE FAMILY IN OZONA DECEMBER 12

The ever popular Cruse Family will be back in Ozona December 12 for a concert at the First Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m.

The closely knit family of ten persons, presents an exciting, yet comfortable, contemporary gospel music sound that manifests itself in a variety of solo, group and instrumental styles.

The public is invited to attend. A nursery will be provided.

Services today for Mrs. Dorris

Funeral services for Mrs. Leonard (Lightening) Dorris, 75, will be held this afternoon, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock in the First Baptist Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery under the direction of Sheppard Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dorris died at 10:06 Sunday, Nov. 25, in Crockett County Hospital after collapsing at her home here. She was born Ella Floy Harris, Nov. 10, 1904 in Moulton. She had recently retired from employment at Crockett County Hospital. She had been a resident of Ozona 28 years and was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Leonard Dorris of Ozona; two sons, Lonnie Dorris of Ozona and Kenneth Dorris of Bay City; one brother, Jim Harris of Francitas; three grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Miller services Tuesday

Graveside services for Mrs. Richard (Mary) Miller, 81, were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 p.m. in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Miller died Friday in St. Anthony's Hospital in Oklahoma City, Okla.

She was born January 31, 1898 in Indiana. She resided in Ozona 44 years before moving to Oklahoma in 1976.

Survivors include one brother, E.D. Zenor of Ojia, Calif.; and one sister, Mrs. Louise Shea of Midway, Okla.

Armadillos in regional play

The San Saba Armadillos, coached by former Ozonan Gary Sutton, will play China Springs in a Class A regional playoff game Saturday night in Brownwood.

Sutton's team won its district last year and repeated again this year. They beat Junction in a bi-district play off game last week. China Springs is rated #1 in Class A football polls.



TROPHY BUCK bagged last week by John Parks on the Rocker B Ranch near Barnhart. The 13-pointer field dressed at 120 pounds and the rack had a spread of 19 inches. The deer harvest in this area continued to be up over that of last year.

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you and the LAW
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Q: I know that when a couple live together and hold themselves out as being married, they are, in fact, married, according to Texas Law. Can you define what the law means when it describes a couple as "holding themselves out as married"?

A: "Holding out" is the "acid test" of a common law marriage and is merely the outward public acknowledgment by the parties that they are in fact husband and wife. This does not require any particular actions or statements, but may be demonstrated by any consistent actions or representations of the general public that they are in fact married. They may perhaps introduce themselves, or may enter into contracts as husband and wife, such as leases or purchase agreements.

Q: I received money from my father's estate after his death and I put the money into a savings account. If I marry, will this savings account be considered community property to be shared by my wife and me?

A: All property you owned at the moment of your marriage is your separate property, so the entire savings account would be separate on that date. Under state law, however, interest earned during marriage is community, even interest from separate property savings. To preserve the account as your separate money, to keep it entirely under your control, you would need to withdraw all interest automatically and to put no community money into it. You should consult a lawyer before marriage to consider an ante-nuptial agreement and to learn how to keep your funds separate.

Q: My daughter and her husband both have children by previous marriages. The children are all over 18 and do not live with them. Her husband has had several recent heart attacks. If he should die leaving no will, what should he leave to his community property? Would their children receive a share?

A: Community property is governed by Section 45 of the Texas Probate Code. The husband's community estate would pass entirely to his children. No share would go to children of his wife, because they are not his children. The wife would, therefore, retain her one-half of the community property and her step-children their father's half. Separate property is treated differently, but under the facts of your question, neither your daughter nor her children would receive the husband's property if he died without a will.

Q: Because of his financial situation, it looks as if my husband will fall behind on his child support payments. What could his ex-wife do about this, and what could happen to us?

A: The child support ordered by the court in the divorce decree is a binding order. Violation of it subjects the father to contempt of court charges. Punishment can be a fine and/or a jail term. If the circumstances have changed, the father should petition the court to abate or reduce the child support payments rather than wait until he is brought into court on contempt charges.

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.

IT'S YOUR HEALTH
answers to your questions from the Texas Department of Health

Deaths from carbon monoxide poisoning increase each winter in Texas along with the arrival of cold weather and the lighting of furnaces and space heaters. Here are some tips from the Texas Department of Health on how to avoid this subtle killer.

QUESTION: Just how serious a problem is carbon monoxide poisoning in the state?

ANSWER: Carbon monoxide is an odorless, colorless gas. Last year in Texas 149 persons died from carbon monoxide poisoning. There's no estimate, however, of how many victims died in automobile accidents caused by carbon monoxide escaping from faulty mufflers or exhaust manifolds.

QUESTION: What causes carbon monoxide poisoning?

ANSWER: Anything that burns puts out some carbon monoxide in the

combustion process. Carbon monoxide poisoning is especially dangerous when there is incomplete combustion of fuel and lack of a steady supply of fresh air.

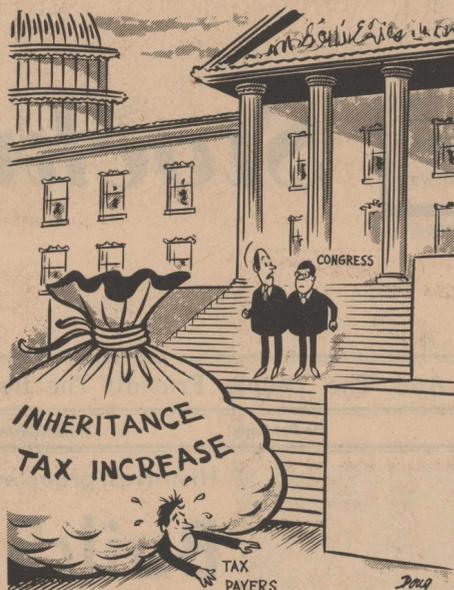
The leading contributors to illness and death are space heaters, range ovens, floor furnaces and automobiles, with other fuel-burning appliances following close behind.

QUESTION: Are there any warning signs of carbon monoxide poisoning?

ANSWER: Poisoning is very subtle. There are, however, some warning signs. If the heat is on, be alert for yawning, headache, nausea, dizziness, ringing in the ears and even abdominal pain.

QUESTION: What are some of the things you can do to prevent carbon monoxide poisoning?

ANSWER: Leave a window or door open a few inches, especially at night, if you are using a fireplace, wooden stove



STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Gov. Bill Clements last week accused Attorney General Mark White of overstepping his authority when White met with 34 oil company representatives to discuss oil spills. Clements charged that White was "politicizing the oil spill issue" and was misrepresenting his authority to the companies. White is suing SEDCO, Inc., a Dallas-based oil drilling firm founded by Clements, in connection with the Campeche Bay oil well blowout. Clements placed his holdings in the firm in a blind trust headed by his son before he took office.

White told reporters he met with the oil companies to discuss how more effective action could be taken in response to future oil spills. He said the Campeche Bay blowout and the tanker accident near Galveston this month caught authorities by surprise.

The meeting was a "free exchange of ideas concerning oil-spill damage control," according to White, but Clements took hot exception to White's refusal to allow the governor's general counsel to sit in on the discussion.

The governor's staff was not invited because "they don't respond to me, they don't answer me," said White.

A footnote to SEDCO's oil woes: the firm has filed suits in federal district court to recover \$60 million from the National Iran Oil Co. for failure to make payments and return oil drilling equipment. Most of the company's assets still in Iran are drilling rigs.

Clements Busy Week

The governor could still take delight in his role as host to the Republican Governors Association meeting last week in Austin.

Following first day addresses by several presidential hopefuls, including John Connally, Howard Baker and Gerald Ford, the GOP governors blasted President Jimmy Carter's energy policies and later approved Clements' resolution calling for more production of oil, natural gas and coal.

At one point during the gathering Clements told reporters he "might" become a favorite son presidential candidate if Connally and George Bush drop out of the race before the GOP Texas primary in May. However, he was careful to stress that as long as the "two Texans" were in the race, he would not take sides or an active role.

More Clements Quotes

Speaking to other issues throughout the week, Clements said: "A recent White House briefing on energy policy was a waste of energy. 'Really, it was just warming over yesterday's scrambled eggs.'"

—President Carter was responding effectively to the Iranian crisis and "everyone" should refrain from making political hay of the tense situation. Clements, himself, "has not reached a conclu-

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

Thursday, Nov. 30, 1950
Ozona Methodists reported \$46,965 of the \$60,000 goal has been paid on the church debt.

29 yrs. ago
B.B. Ingham, Jr., has been chosen to head the Crockett County Agricultural Conservation Committee of the P.M.A., Jess J. Marley was elected vice chairman and Brock Jones, regular member. W.P. Seahorn, Jr., was named first alternate and Jack Wilkins, second alternate.

29 yrs. ago
Sgt. Aaron D. Bledsoe of Ozona is now attached to the First Cavalry Division in Korea.

29 yrs. ago
Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Boothe of Sweetwater are the parents of a son born Nov. 23.

29 yrs. ago
Mr. and Mrs. Dempster Jones left the middle of the week for a visit to San Antonio and to witness the Tex. University-A&M football game.

29 yrs. ago
The Ladies Golf Assn. has been organized at Ozona Country Club. Mrs. Sherman Taylor is new president with other officers Mrs. W.E. Friend, Jr., Mrs. Doug Kirby, Mrs. W.B. Stuart, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery, Mrs. Joe Tom Davidson and Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson, Jr.

29 yrs. ago
75 attended the first of a new series of Methodist Family Night services.

29 yrs. ago
Mrs. Ezra Trotter entertained with a party to honor her daughter Mary Sue on her ninth birthday.

29 yrs. ago
The first section of the sixth grade of junior high here has organized a class club which meets each Monday during history class. Alan Boedeker, history instructor is club sponsor and the club will be studying parliamentary procedure.

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Debaters have been selected for season contests in the Forensic Club at the school. Named to the teams were Jeannene Thompson, Jane Adams, Wayne Kuykendall, Scott Hickman, Wanda Carden and Lois McDale.

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Letter to the editor

[The following letter was received here this week from Rep. Susan Gurley McBee in response to a request from the Ozona Chamber of Commerce for a report on work at Devil's River Crossing and Hwy 163 in Val Verde County. According to chamber manager Beth Boyd, this is the first positive response in the chamber's continuing effort for improvements on the dangerous low water crossings on Hwy 163 south of Ozona to Comstock.]
November 20, 1979
Mrs. Beth Boyd, Manager
Ozona Chamber of Commerce
P. O. Box 1135
Ozona, Texas 76943

Dear Mrs. Boyd:
First, let me apologize for the delay in answering your letter, but I wanted to be able to talk to Mr. Nino Gutierrez in person about your concern. I did visit with him yesterday, and he assured me that work will be started soon on the bridge across Devil's River at Baker's Crossing.
Mr. Gutierrez also explained to me a warning device that is going to be installed along the low water crossing on State Highway 163. It will probably be very effective in alerting the traveling public when hazards exist on the road and hopefully will save lives in the future. Mr. Gutierrez thinks the warning system will be operational in the spring of 1980.
I hope this answers the questions you raised. Please call on me when I can be of further assistance. Sincerely,
Susan G. McBee
Del Rio, Texas

Snips, Quips and Lifts
By Lottie Lee Baker

A pessimist expects nothing on a silver platter but tarnish.

Beware of those who are falling at your feet. They may be reaching for the corner of the rug.

Taking a tranquilizer may not relax you, but it will make you enjoy being tense.

The first thing to remember in money matters is that it does.

Patience is the ability to count down before blasting off.

Computers don't think, they just think they think.

Some people play golf religiously—every Sunday.

The way the legislators are spending our tax money makes you think they are using a credit card.

A protest march is like a tantrum only better organized.

The most dangerous wheel of chance is the steering wheel.

When a man seeks your advice, he generally wants your praise.

Generally we study too much and think too little.

People seldom kick at the price of luxuries.

Nothing makes food less fattening than being too expensive.

Class reunions are going to be real confusing twenty-five years from now when everybody has a hair cut.

A Lift For The Weak
God is more interested in innergrace than outer space.

Divorce, Swedish Style
Sweden, that lovely land that made it illegal for parents to spank their children, has outdone itself. Its latest brainstorm seeks to give children the right to divorce their parents. Once divorce proceedings are initiated, according to the proposed bill, a court would decide on whether or not to grant the separation.

DRIVELINE

Marijuana or alcohol — which is more dangerous for drivers?

Both booze and pot are mind altering drugs. Both affect your perception and motor reflexes, and neither should be consumed before or during driving. A myth grew up in the 60's that marijuana actually improved some persons' ability at the wheel, but that's not true. No less an expert than Keith Stroup, founder of the National Organization for Reform of Marijuana Laws (NORML), has publicly warned that it is not safe to drive while stoned. (Not to mention that possession of the stuff is illegal.)

O.K. . . . so which drug is worse? The evidence seems to indicate that alcohol has more immediate and drastic effects. It's a central nervous system depressant that hits you like a ton of bricks — impairing judgment, blurring vision, and slowing reflexes. Experts believe that as many as half of all highway fatalities may involve drinking.

"Driver", a magazine published by the Pentagon for military personnel, recently surveyed the available medical research on the subject. The magazine reported that although marijuana's effects are much subtler than alcohol's, it still significantly impairs driving ability. Studies indicate that pot narrows peripheral vision, slows reaction time, and distorts perception of time and space. . . . And alcohol and marijuana in combination are especially dangerous for any driver.

History Lesson . . . Painted center lines on highways were first seen in 1911 in Detroit . . . The first drive-in gas station opened in Pittsburg in 1913 . . .

Question: A buddy told me I shouldn't use one of those fancy synthetic oils in my brand new car. Why not?
— N.M. — Arlington

Synthetic oils (which cost three to four times extra) do have many advantages over regular oil. They last longer between changes, reduce engine wear, and give you better gas mileage. But apparently they should not be poured into new engines. Engines contain many rubber-like seals which need regular mineral oil to make them swell and fit tightly. If you put in synthetic oil right away, then the seal won't "cure" correctly, and it could lead to some leaking.

There are over five million licensed CB operators on the road today . . . Sometimes it seems like a lot more . . .

Share your questions, anecdotes and observations with us. Write to:
Texas Office of Traffic Safety
State Department of Highways and Public Transportation
Austin, Texas 78701

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Montgomery spent Thanksgiving in Dallas with their son, Jim.

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Tips for Gardeners

From the Ozona Garden Club
by Mrs. Baily Post

Now that the days grow shorter in November and December, the importance of timely chores increases. Many have the task of raking leaves that have fallen the last few weeks, and preparing new beds or working over old ones to be ready for new plants now, or in the spring.

If you haven't noticed the beautiful Spanish Oaks between the hospital and the doctors clinic, do drive by before they fall. Also, there are a number of trees that present a yellow-golden glow. Some of the other colorful ones are the red oaks, Tallow, Sumac, Crepe Myrtle, fruit trees and the Boston Ivy Vine.

Peonies should be cut back to a few inches above the ground when the tops have browned. Add a cup of bone-meal to soil around the plant and mound with soil for the winter.

Next spring you can have masses of color if you plant sweet peas now or early December. Climbing types recommended for fall planting include Royal Family and Cuthbertson's Floribunda; for beds and borders, choose dwarf bush selections, such as Knee Hi or Little Elf.

Before planting, soak seeds for 24 hours, then sow 2 inches deep, making sure all are well covered.

If you plan to add some trees to your landscape this winter, try planting native types. Two distinct advantages are high adaptability and minimum maintenance. Prized for its finely textured evergreen foliage and splendid berry display is the tree-form yapon (Ilex Vomitoria). This tree is especially attractive when pruned into a tree like form. With its lower branches removed, its interesting branching habit and light gray bark are revealed. In the late fall on the female plant, the translucent red berries are especially striking against the light gray stems. Youpon prefers slightly acid, well drained soil, and does well in full sun or partial shade. Fertilize only once a year around mid-March. One cup of 5-10-10 is

recommended for every 3 feet in height. Some form of iron may be added if color needs to be a darker green. To be sure of a good fruit display be sure a male yapon holly is nearby for pollination. A good example is in the front planting of the L.B. Cox home on Angus Street.

A new tree to me that hasn't been tried here that I know of is the Curly Filbert (Corylus Avellana Contorta). It is especially spectacular in the winter garden. It is not grown for flowers or foliage, but rather for the twisted growth habit of its trunks and branches. Aside from its interesting role in the garden, Curly Filbert is also unusual for twig and dried-flower arrangements. It will grow best where soil has been improved by addition of organic matter, such as compost, peat moss or pine bark. Plant in either full sun or partial shade. Little pruning is necessary, and you can propagate by digging up suckers and letting them grow in containers a year. Someone do try one. The native dusty miller or (artemesia) is just right to gather now for filler in your dried arrangements. Hang upside down.

December Planting Days
Above-ground crops: 1, 2, 20, 21, 24, 25, 28, 29
Root Crops: 5, 6, 7, 13, 14, 15, 16

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MRS. JOMIE TEBBETTS
...nee Veronica Tijerina

Miss Tijerina and Mr. Tebbetts wed

Miss Veronica Tijerina became the bride of Jomie Tebbetts in a 3 p.m. ceremony Saturday, Nov. 17, at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with Fr. Larry Droll, pastor, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Villarreal served as witnesses.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Desi Tijerina, wore a white Chantilly lace gown with roses and pearls applied on the bodice and carried over to the chapel length veil. The veil was held by Gerald Jerome Tijerina and Judy Tijerina.

Flower girls were Lydia Riveria, Michelle Ramirez, Regina Cervantez and Bianca Cervantez. Maid of honor was Anna Delia Martinez. Bridesmaids were Lupe Villarreal, Sandra Tambunga, Elizabeth Huereca, Belinda Rodriguez, Diane Tijerina and Debbie Whitley.

Best man was David Garza. Groomsmen were David Tijerina, Kim Tambunga, Howard Huereca Jr., Dwayne Smith, Sammy Ri-

vera and Desi Tijerina, Jr. Adrian Tijerina served as usher.

Following the ceremony a reception, hosted by friends and relatives, was held in the Catholic Hall. Dance music by Alfonso Ramos of Austin, was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Desi Tijerina, Mr. and Mrs. Juan Tijerina, Jr. and Mr. Luis Tijerina.

PINK AND BLUE TEA HONORS MRS. MOORE

Mrs. Douglas Moore was honored with a baby shower Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Dwight Childress.

Other hostesses were Mrs. Duane Childress, Mrs. Pleas Childress III, Mrs. Randy Upham, Mrs. Jim Bob Bailey, Mrs. Larry Braden, Mrs. Billy Carson and Mrs. Deene Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Madray and children, Meridith and David, of Shreveport, La. spent Thanksgiving here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tom Davidson.

Debra Says

BY DEBRA PRICE

Use the following "tips" to reduce the threat of accidental burns and fires:

Never use flammable liquids to start the fire. Avoid excessive amounts of newspaper to build roaring fires in the fireplace. It's possible to ignite soot deposits inside the chimney by over-building a fire.

Charcoal is great for steaks, but never burn it in a fireplace. Burning charcoal gives off deadly amounts of carbon monoxide, so use it outdoors--never in a fireplace.

Keep a metal or glass screen in front of the fireplace to catch flying embers. Flying embers can easily ignite carpet, furniture and other combustible items in the room.

Make sure no flammable materials hang down from or decorate the mantel. A spark from the fireplace can ignite such materials and cause a fire.

Always make sure the fireplace fire is out before retiring at night. And, never, never close the damper with hot ashes in the fireplace. With the damper closed, hot ashes build up heat and may flare up and ignite the room while the family sleeps.

Use man-made logs according to directions on the package. Never break apart a man-made log as a means of quickening a fire.

Check both the chimney and the fireplace for defects and potential problems every couple of years, especially if the fireplace receives constant use during the winter.

Loose or fallen brick, cracked or broken flue lining, excessive soot accumulation and obstructions in or near the chimney are among the defects commonly found.

Cafeteria Menu

Monday

Beef Stew
Buttered Corn
Vegetable Salad
Fruit Cup
Cinnamon Rolls
Crackers

Tuesday

Tacos
Ranch Style Beans
Lettuce & Tomatoes
Fruit Cup

Wednesday

Pinto Beans
Weiners
Cabbage Salad
Cookies
Cornbread

Thursday

Fried Chicken
Buttered Peas
Vegetable Salad
Fruit Cup
Hot Rolls

Friday

Fish
Creamed Potatoes
Green Beans
Fruit Cup
Hot Rolls

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evert White were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ogilvy, Tim, Mike and Judy Ann, of Odessa; Lt. and Mrs. Danny Wade of Del Rio, and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Moughon of Nacogdoches.

GIRL TO CASTROS

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Castro are the parents of a daughter born Nov. 18 in the Sonora hospital. The little girl weighed 7 pounds and 4 ounces and has been named Stephanie Jo.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Felipe Castro and Mr. and Mrs. Jose Gonzales.



SAUSAGE CON QUESO provides an easy, make-ahead hors d'oeuvre just right for the upcoming Holiday party season, notes the Texas Department of Agriculture home economist. And with pork production expected to reach record levels during November, pork should be a bargain for shoppers. For additional recipes using pork, write to the Texas Department of Agriculture, P. O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

SAUSAGE CON QUESO

2 lb. pork sausage
1 lb. processed cheese
1/4 C. picante sauce
Milk to thin sauce

Roll sausage into 3/4-inch balls. Broil until done. (The sausage balls can be made ahead of time and frozen for later use.) Place sausage balls in casserole dish. Melt cheese over very low heat. Stir in picante sauce. More or less picante can be added according to the amount of hotness desired. It is sometimes desirable to thin the sauce with milk. Pour sauce over balls, being sure all sides are coated. May be served with toothpicks as hors d'oeuvres. Makes about 64 sausage balls.

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Thursday Luke 5:17-19	Friday Luke 5:20-23	Saturday Luke 5:24-26	

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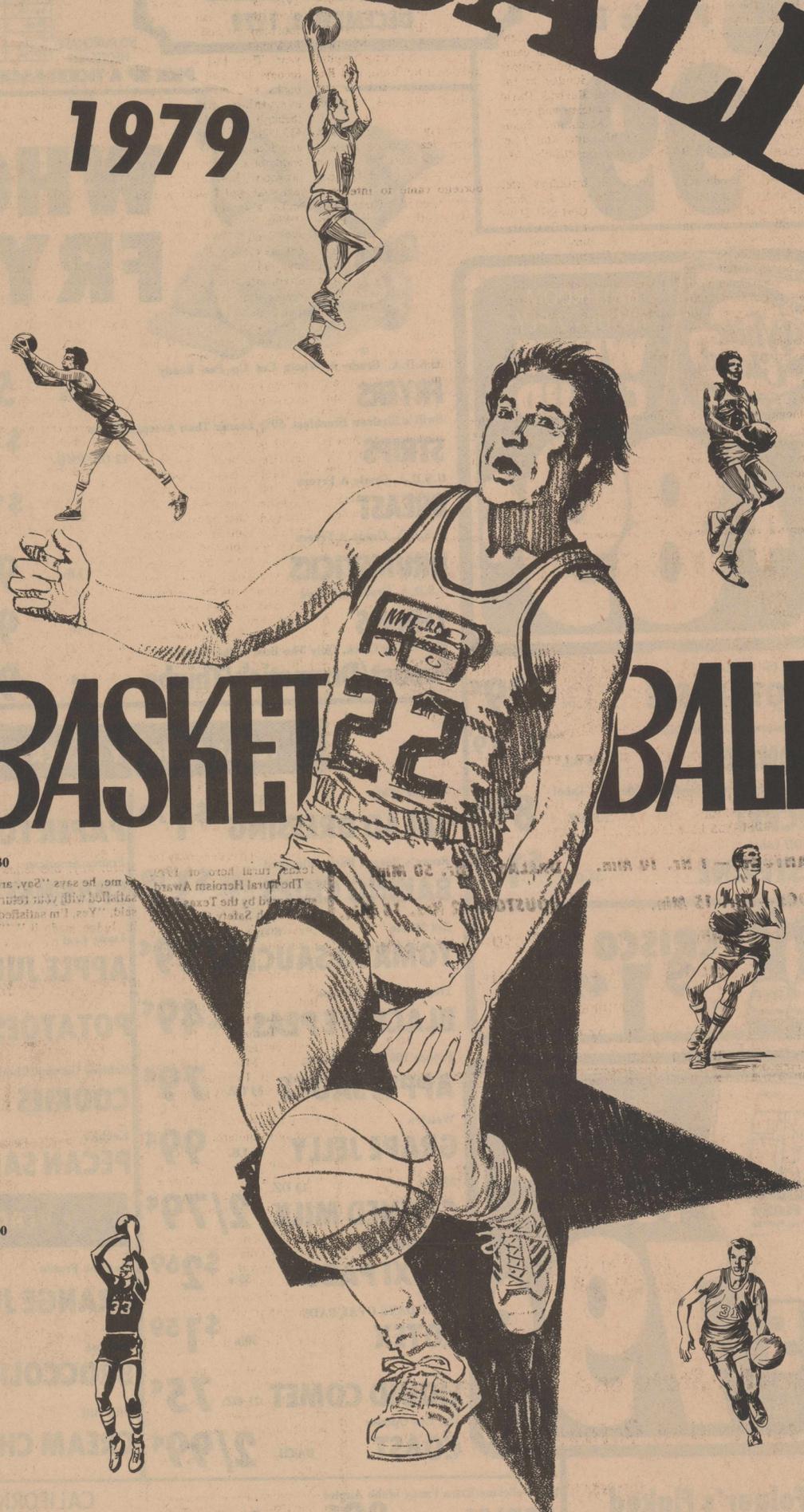
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1979-80 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

OZONA HIGH SCHOOL

DATE	TEAM	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Nov. 20	Boys A	Menard	Ozona	A-8:00
	Girls A-B	Menard	Ozona	A-6:30--B-5:00
Nov. 27	Boys A-B	Big Lake	Big Lake	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Big Lake	Big Lake	A-6:30--B-5:00
Nov. 29,30,Dec.1	Girls A-B	SONORA TOURNAMENT		
Nov. 30	Boys A-B-F	Wall	Ozona	A-7:30-B-6:00-F-4:30
Dec. 3	Boys A-B	Junction	Junction	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Junction	Junction	A-6:30--B-4:00
Dec. 4	Boys F	Ft. Stockton	Ft. Stockton	F-5:30
Dec. 6,7,8	Boys A-B-F	OZONA TOURNAMENT		
	Girls A-B	MCCAMEY TOURNAMENT		
Dec. 11	Boys A-B	Junction	Ozona	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Junction	Ozona	A-6:30--B-5:00
Dec. 13	Boys A-B	Iraan	Ozona	A-8:00--B-6:30
Dec. 15	Boys F	MCCAMEY TOURNAMENT		
Dec. 17	Boys F	Wall	Wall	F-6:30
	Girls F	Wall	Wall	F-5:30
Dec. 18	Boys A-B	Lakeview	Lakeview	A-7:30--B-6:00
Dec. 20	Boys A-B	Wall	Wall	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Wall	Wall	A-6:30--B-5:00
	Boys F	Big Lake	Ozona	F-5:00
	Girls F	Big Lake	Ozona	F-3:30
Jan. 3,4,5	Boys A	BIG LAKE TOURNAMENT		
Jan. 3,4,5	Girls A	ELDORADO TOURNAMENT		
Jan. 8	Boys A-B-F	Big Lake	Ozona	A-8:00--B-5:00--F-3:30
	Girls A-B	Big Lake	Ozona	
Jan. 11,12,13	Boys A-B	Crane	Crane	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Crane	Crane	A-6:30--B-5:00
Jan. 14	Boys F	Big Lake	Big Lake	F-5:30
	Girls F	Big Lake	Big Lake	F-4:30
Jan. 15	Boys A-B	Lakeview	Ozona	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Lakeview	Ozona	A-6:30--B-5:00
	Boys F	McCamey	McCamey	F-5:30
Jan. 18	Boys A-B	Kermit	Ozona	A-7:15--B-5:15
	Girls A-B	Iraan	Iraan	A-8:00--B-6:30
Jan. 21	Boys F	Big Lake	Big Lake	F-5:30
	Girls F	Big Lake	Big Lake	F-4:30
Jan. 22	Boys A-B	Greenwood	Greenwood	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Greenwood	Greenwood	A-6:30--B-5:00
Jan. 24	Boys F	Ft. Stockton	Ozona	F-5:30
Jan. 25	Boys A-B	Sonora	Sonora	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Sonora	Sonora	A-6:30--B-5:00
Jan. 24,25,26	Boys F	ELDORADO TOURNAMENT		
Jan. 29	Boys A	Rankin	Rankin	A-8:00
	Girls A-B	Rankin	Rankin	A-6:30--B-5:00
	Boys B-F	McCamey	Ozona	B-6:30--F-5:00
Feb. 1	Boys A-B	Crane	Ozona	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Crane	Ozona	A-6:30--B-5:00
Feb. 5	Boys A-B	Iraan	Iraan	A-8:00--B-6:15
	Girls A-B-F	McCamey	McCamey	A-8:00--B-6:30-F-5:00
Feb. 8	Boys A-B	Kermit	Kermit	A-7:15--B-5:15
	Girls A-B	Greenwood	Ozona	A-8:00--B-6:30
Feb. 12	Boys A-B	Sonora	Ozona	A-8:00--B-5:00
	Girls A-B	Sonora	Ozona	A-6:30--B-5:00

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Crockett County Care Center News

by Joan Nicholas — Director of Activities & Social Care

Thanksgiving came in, and about half of our population went out!

We are happy for those who were able to go to families in Ozona, Iraan, Big Lake, Odessa, and other places. Those who remained at the Center enjoyed a traditional turkey (smoked) and dressing dinner, with fruit salad, pumpkin pie and all the rest. Elvira Farris brought the table centerpiece, Ann Mayo read a Thanksgiving poem, and Vera Miller gave the blessing. Everyone agreed that it was a good dinner. Our family was in Eldorado for the day, and I was lazy.

We had a small group for reading and discussion on Friday afternoon as many members were still out, but we had lots of input. The week's bingo winner was Verna Talley who was happy to receive a gift certificate donated by the Teacher Store. Second prize winner was Tomasa Ramos. Toss-Across winner was Juana Hernandez and dominoes winner was Paul Cavin.

The movie last week, shown by Ann on Wednesday afternoon, was entitled "Jade Snow" and was about a Chinese family where the young daughter wanted to follow the modern ways, while being opposed by par-

ents of the old culture. All ended happily, of course. Would like to say a word of appreciation for Earline Jones, high school librarian, who arranges for us to receive these films through the Abilene Library System each week.

I did want to make mention of the group that came from Calvary Baptist Church a week ago Sunday at the time of their Revival. David Garrett, musician and evangelist of Mesquite, Texas brought his guitar and, I am told, sang beautifully. We thank you all.

December birthdays are: Grace Cotter, 3rd; Mary Seelye, 15th; Gertrude Daniels, 16th; and Delina Lara, 21st. The party will be Monday, December 10th at 3:30 p.m.

We thank Lockie Sue Bissett for bringing by a box of cornshucks and other materials to make the dolls. We should get around to making these after Christmas, if not before. We have several projects lined up.

The Lillian Henderson Sunday School Class of the Ozona United Methodist Church has kindly bought us a portable 8-track stereo and we will be ordering some tapes which they are also donating. In addition, for our record player in the lobby,

they have given us three Christmas long-play records. I had been carrying my personal stereo and tapes back and forth, and it has come in very handy for bedfast or sick patients, and for our exercise program in the Day Room.

Leona Harris is presently in San Angelo, Mauricio Hernandez is having hospital treatment up there, and Ramona Lugo is sick in our hospital. We wish them all well.

Monday afternoon Juana Hernandez, Tomasa Ramos, and I got together for an English lesson and Frances Borrego came to interpret, when needed. These sessions together will be fruitful for me, as well, as they are helping me with Spanish. I could kick myself, when I think of the years spent learning French and German, but how was I to know I would end up practically on the Rio Grande?

Another musical evening is planned for Thursday when Jamie Knox and others will be coming to entertain. Everyone looks forward to this.

Our latest new resident is Jewel Beaird, mother of Charlie Beaird who brings his band from Big Lake to play for us. Jewel is sharing a room with Della Tinsley, and we welcome her.

Amusing story about early day judge-

Judge Davidson story

By V.I. Pierce

I have a little story or two about Judge Davidson that I don't think I have ever told before.

This happened along about 1913 or 1914, somewhere along there-I had just gone into business and was lucky I had made some money that year. They had started the income tax and I kept my books and my checks and everything, when I got through, why, I had made \$13,000.00 I went to Judge and I said, "Now, Judge, I want you to make my income tax report, I made \$13,000.00 last year and I want you to make a report." He said, "Well, where is the money?" I said, "Well, I haven't got the money, I've put it on my indebtedness, what I owed, and I still owe a lot of money, but my books show that I made it." He said, "Just what I thought, you don't owe them a cent, just leave your books here and I'll fix it up for you." So he made out the return and I signed it and went off and in about 6 months or a year a fellow wrote me a letter that he would be here at a certain day. He wanted to examine my Income Tax. So I met him and told him that Judge Davidson was over at his office and that he would explain it to him. So we went in there, probably about 9 a.m., and this fellow was a nice, neatest dressed fellow I ever saw. It was in the summer time and he had on white shoes and white socks, Panama hat and white suit, and oh, he was dressed fit to kill, a young fellow, just as clean as a pin. Judge was just awful busy, just as busy as he could be, course he was

always busy. After we had set there about an hour the Judge came close enough by to stop him, and I introduced him to this fellow and told him what he wanted. He told us he would be with us in just a minute, to keep our seats. So another hour passed, finally he came down there and said, "Well, I have everything back here in the office, I can get it up, course I don't have the checks, but we can secure them." He asked the fellow his name again and repeated it over 2 or 3 times. He sat there and talked an hour or longer, if he had talked 10 minutes longer he would have dug up kinfolks with him. He would lead that fellow out, and he knew people everywhere. He just kept him in conversation and just about 12 the judge pulled out his watch and said, "Aw, let's go eat lunch and when we come back I'll have all that." All the time Judge was sitting there he had a spittoon there and one over here, he'd spit that tobacco juice, and course it would splatter and hit that fellow. He would move over this way and the Judge would spit over here and the fellow would move back over the other way. Well, we got to the restaurant, all the way up there the Judge would spit and some of it would bounce on that fellow. When we got up there and we ordered something to eat. Judge said just bring me a cup of coffee right quick. They brought his cup of coffee so the Judge got that tobacco out and put it down on the edge of his saucer and he would drink some coffee and he would chew some tobacco and he would spit over this way and over that way. After we ate, we started back and got down there-he spit all the way back, and just got it on this fellows suit. Judge said, "Well, I'll go on back here. I knew what he was figuring on doing, he was going to send me after those checks. But while he was gone back in his office there, why, this fellow says to me, he says "Say, are you satisfied with your return?" I said, "Yes, I'm satisfied with it, Judge made it." "Well, he said, I am too, you know I wouldn't spend another 30

minutes with that old tobacco-chewing devil for anything." And he got up and left.

The Judge was always equal to the occasion. He came back and sat down by me and had a good laugh about it.

Ms. Warren receives honor

Nancy Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Womack of Ozona, has been elected President of the Texas Student Education Association at Tarleton State University for the 1979-80 academic year. She is a Junior Elementary Education major.

Nancy is very active at Tarleton; she is Vice President of the Spanish Club, in Alpha Chi Honor Society,

listed on "A" honor roll, is a Distinguished Student (77-79), and is a recipient of the C.J. "Red" Davidson Scholarship and the Higgs Scholarship.

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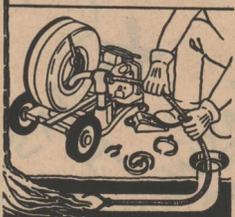
The search is underway for Texas' rural hero of 1979. The Rural Heroism Award, sponsored by the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, is presented annually to some deserving person who has performed an act of exceptional bravery during a time of crisis, according to Ben Bullard, Council president and assistant safety director of the Texas Farm Bureau. All entries must be submitted by March 1, 1980, to the Rural Heroism Award Committee, Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, P.O. Box 489, Waco, 76703, according to Bullard.

The heroic act or human-life-saving deed must have occurred within Texas during 1979 and should be related to farming or ranching operations.

Nominations should include a written account of the incident and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of all persons involved. Newspaper clippings and pictures should also accompany the nominations if available.

The award will be presented at the Monday morning opening general session of the 41st Annual Texas Safety Conference and Exposition, March 16-19, 1980, at the Sheraton-Dallas Hotel in Dallas.

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First, consider the tree species, says Dr. Michael Walterscheid, forestry specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Common species grown in Michigan, Minnesota and Oregon and sold in Texas include Scotch pine and Douglas fir. There are also some spruce, noble fir and concolor fir. All make acceptable Christmas trees. They are cut in October, then stored and shipped south as Christmas approaches. Generally, these trees are in good condition when they arrive in Texas.

Recently, producers in southern states have started growing Virginia pines in plantations for Christmas trees. According to Walterscheid, Virginia pines make desirable Christmas trees because they have a pleasing fragrance, relatively short needles and can be pruned readily to a desirable shape. Texas growers, too, have established plantations of Virginia pines, but only limited supplies are available in certain areas. More Virginia pines will be available within two to three years and will have an advantage of freshness over trees shipped in from other states.

Buy your Christmas tree early so you can select the type of tree you want, advises the specialist. Check for signs of needle shedding and brittleness which indicate that the tree has become too dry. If a tree is too dry when purchased, it will continue to dry out even though it is set in water. Generally, trees available on retail lots in Texas are fresh and can be expected to remain usable in the home throughout the Christmas season.

When you get the tree home, cut one to two inches off its base on a slant. Stand the tree in water and store in a shaded area until you're ready to bring it inside. Keep water in the stand at all times and your tree will remain fresh.

In the home, place the tree away from all heat sources,

such as a fireplace or heating unit. Check the water level often; a tree may use as much as a pint of water a day. Keep your lighting system in good order by inspecting and discarding wires with frayed insulation,

broken sockets and loose connections. Use only lights and cords that carry the safety seal of Underwriters Laboratory.

As a final reminder, Walterscheid advises removing gift wrappings and packing

materials from around the tree once you have opened Christmas packages.

By selecting a fresh tree and following a few safety rules, everyone can have a safe and happy holiday season.

Annual Pecan Show entries due Monday

Pecan enthusiasts and owners of pecan trees are gathering and sorting pecans for the annual show which will be held Monday, Dec. 3, at the Civic Center. Homemakers and youngsters are selecting recipes for the food division of the show.

To enter the pecan show, a person must have 45 large, heavy, uniform nuts off the same tree. Place them in a paper bag and bring them to the County Extension Office by December 3, or bring them to the Civic Center before 9:00 a.m. on December 3.

The chairman of this year's show is Alena Faye Hokit. Processing Chairman is Buster Deaton, Finance Chairman is John Parks, and Food Chairman is Marie DeLaRosa and Allene Sutton.

Last year's winners were: Grand Champion, Herb Kunkel, Western Variety; Reserve Champion was Susie Childress, Burkett Variety;

Runner-up was L.D. Kirby, John Garner variety. Food Champions were Betty Allen, cakes; Suzie Everett, pies; Kaleta Shepperson, cookies; Mrs. Kirby Moore, candies; Suzie Everett, breads, and Nancy Hale, miscellaneous.

In the pecan division \$50.00 cash prize will be presented to the Grand Champion Pecan winner. Reserve Champion will receive \$25.00 cash and runner-up will receive \$15.00 and Most Entries will receive \$10.00. Plaques will be presented to Champion Native, Champion Shelling Division and Champion In-Shell Division.

Both youth and adults are welcome to enter the food division of the Crockett County Pecan Show. Bring food entries to the Civic Center on Monday, December 3, from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The food categories are Cakes, Pies, Cookies, Candy, Bread, and Miscellaneous.

Pecans must be in each recipe that is entered. The entire recipe must be entered for judging, or in case of cookies, bring 3 dozen. Cover food with clear plastic wrap and place your name and food category entered on bottom of container. Entry recipe must be turned in with food.

There is no limit on the number of entries. The person with the most entries will receive \$10.00. A \$10.00 award will be presented to the champion and \$5.00 award to the runner-up in each food category.

The Pecan Show will open to the public from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Pick your food entries up at 7:00 p.m. after the show.

The Pecan Show is sponsored by the Crockett County Program Building Committee and everyone is welcome to enter. For further information, call the County Extension Office at 392-2721.

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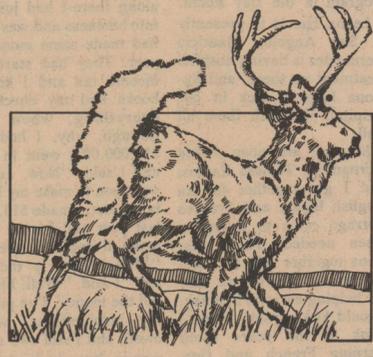
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Sports Fans



By Jerry Lay

Here's a football quiz for you. We're going to list the teams that won the national championship in college football 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 years ago this season... and see if you name the coaches of those teams... The national champion in 1969 was Texas... In 1959, it was Syracuse... In 1949, Notre Dame... In 1939, Texas A&M... and in 1929, Notre Dame... Who were their coaches?... '69 Texas was Darrell Royal... '59 Syracuse, Ben Schwartzwalder... '49 Notre Dame, Frank Leahy... '39 Texas A&M, Homer Norton... '29 Notre Dame, Knute Rockne.

Here's an amazing National Football League record that no one has ever come close to topping... John Unitas threw at least one touchdown pass in 47 straight games between 1956 and 1960... and to show how unbeatable that record is, the closest any other pro quarterback has ever come is Daryle Lamoni-ca who threw touchdown passes in 25 straight games.

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Christmas foods with 'Old Country' flavors

"Old Country" flavors add a special Christmas magic to New World holiday foods—especially those with the unique touch of Germany, Austria or Czechoslovakia, says Dr. Rose Tindall, a food nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

In fact, holiday foods and traditions throughout the United States owe much to those countries for the rich heritage of celebration they've influenced, she says.

German homemakers pride themselves on their baked-goods creations. Specialties include springle, lebkuchen, pfeffernusse and Christollen. Springle are "picture" cookies.

Carved rolling pins (usually with animal patterns) press over rolled-out dough to make the pictures.

Then they're cut into separate rectangles and baked. Anise is the traditional licorice-flavored spice for this German treat.

Lebkuchen are ginger-snaps-or gingerbread cookies—trimmed in white frosting.

Pfeffernusse (pepper nuts) are baked as little balls of dough. They're spicy with cloves and cinnamon and hot with black pepper.

Christollen is a real artist's delight, since it's an oblong, yeast-raised cake filled with raisins, currants, candied fruits, and nuts.

A glaze of fruit sauce or a sprinkling of white sugar tops this festive delicacy.

In addition to sharing its foods, Germany also gave us

our legendary Santa Claus—from their Kriss Kringle inspired by Saint Nicholas, who lived in Asia Minor during the 4th century and was known as the bestower of gifts to children on Christmas Eve.

PFEFFERNUSSE

Shortening or margarine 4 cups all-purpose flour 1 teaspoon double-action baking powder 1 teaspoon ground cloves ½ teaspoon ground allspice ½ teaspoon black pepper ½ teaspoon ground cinnamon ¼ cup honey 1 cup medium or dark corn syrup ¾ cup granulated sugar 3 tablespoons butter or margarine

Preheat oven to 400° F. Lightly grease a baking sheet with shortening or margarine.

Bring honey, corn syrup and sugar to a boil over moderate heat in a heavy 4- to 6-quart saucepan.

Stir until sugar dissolves. Reduce heat to low; simmer 5 minutes.

Remove from heat and add butter or margarine and mix well.

Combine flour, baking powder, cloves, allspice, pepper and cinnamon in a bowl.

Add flour mixture to syrup mixture approximately 1 cup at a time and blend until smooth.

Drop by teaspoonfuls onto baking sheet (1" apart). Bake until firm to touch

(approximately 15 minutes). Cool on cake rack. Makes approximately 3 dozen.

CHRISTOLLEN

½ cup raisins ½ cup dried currants 1 cup mixed candied fruit peel ¾ cup candied cherries (both red and green) ½ cup rum ½ tablespoons all-purpose flour

Combine above ingredients and soak 1 hour. Drain fruit (save rum) and sprinkle fruit with 2 tablespoons flour. Toss with a fork until fruit is covered.

¼ cup lukewarm water 2 packages dry yeast ¼ teaspoon sugar Combine water, yeast and sugar; blend, set in warm area for at least 8-10 minutes.

5½ cups all-purpose flour 1 cup milk ½ teaspoon salt ½ teaspoon almond extract ½ teaspoon grated lemon peel

2 eggs ¼ cup butter (cut into ¼" bits) 8 tablespoons melted butter

1 cup slivered almonds ¼ cup confectioners sugar Combine milk, ½ cup sugar and the salt in a heavy 2-quart saucepan.

Heat to lukewarm, stirring constantly, until sugar dissolves.

Remove from heat; add rum, almond extract, lemon peel and the yeast mixture.

In a large bowl, place 5 cups flour and stir in the yeast mixture, a cup or so at a time.

Stir in beaten eggs; then beat in the bits of softened butter.

Knead the dough on a lightly floured surface for approximately 15 minutes until dough is smooth and elastic.

Divide the combined fruit and almonds into 3 portions and press each portion into the dough, being careful to not over-knead.

Place the dough in a deep bowl that has been coated with 1 teaspoon melted butter.

Brush the surface of the dough with 2 teaspoons melted butter, cover with a towel and set in a warm area to rise until double in bulk (approximately 2 hours).

Punch down and divide the dough into 2 loaves. Each loaf should be about 4" wide and 12" long.

Place the loaves on a greased jelly roll pan, brush the loaves with the remaining 2 tablespoons melted butter.

Let rise until double in bulk; then bake in an oven preheated to 375° F. (ap-

proximately 45 minutes). After cooling, sprinkle with confectioners sugar.

FROM AUSTRIA

Austria gave us ausgezogener (pulled out) strudel dough, which they adapted from the Hungarians.

Ausgezogener features fruit fillings laced with cinnamon, sugar, nuts and butter all wrapped in numerous tissue-thin layers of dough and baked to make a moist, flaky, delicate dessert.

Austria also gave us the Christmas Carol, "Silent Night," composed by the priest and the choirmaster of the church at Oberndorf as "emergency" music for a Christmas Eve service.

FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA

From Czechoslovakia are dinner traditions for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

For the Christmas Eve meal a perfectly fresh carp (fish) is a necessity.

It's such a necessity that the menu includes carp soup in carp sauce, along with another "family favorite" dish containing carp.

Stewed or fresh fruits served with spicy cookies complete the menu.

Dinner on Christmas Day is a festive meal of soup, roast goose, bread dump-

Calvary church sets concert

"The Followers," an evangelistic music team, will be in concert at the Calvary Baptist Church Monday evening, Dec. 3, at 7:30.

The group has traveled throughout the United States with their gospel in song.

Everyone in the community is cordially invited for an evening of song and fellowship. A nursery will be provided.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Smith were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Smith and Jeff of McCamey, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Graves and Chad of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Smith, Samantha, Frank and Joshua, of San Angelo.

Arlene Hill of Ozona and Sandra Bentley of Wimberly, Texas, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of Bertha Cullpepper in Konawa, Oklahoma. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Adams of El Reno, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Lorenzen of Amos, Oklahoma.

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Sire selection key to increased beef profits

Beef producers can improve their herd in one year through knowledgeable sire selection and selection breeding programs, believes Dr. Larry L. Boleman.

Boleman, a beef cattle specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, points out that cattlemen can select from more than 50 breeds to develop the type of beef herd they desire.

"It all boils down to one point, though," contends the specialist. "Cattlemen should strive to efficiently produce economically affordable beef for the consumer while insuring a profit for themselves."

One way to accomplish this is to keep the calf crop as close to 100 percent as possible. A high percentage calf crop can best be insured by only purchasing bulls passing a complete breeding soundness evaluation consisting of a physical examination, scrotal size determination and a semen evaluation. However, Boleman advises the owner to still watch the bull for changes in libido (desire and ability to breed).

Another profitable practice is to raise heavy calves at weaning. This is where a performance-tested bull comes in. Average weaning weights may be increased from 25 to 40 pounds per calf by selecting a bull with a heavy weaning and yearling weight.

"Insist on records containing exact weights and ratios measured at weaning and yearling periods," urges the specialist. "Other data such as average daily gain or weight per day of age is helpful since the ability to grow is transmitted to offspring."

In addition to a larger calf crop and heavier weaning weights, cattlemen should produce calves that fit market needs that will demand the highest prices per pound, contends Boleman. A thorough knowledge of the market and factors affecting productivity is mandatory. Oftentimes, color and conformation may actually determine a calf's average price per pound.

"Today, beef bulls must sire calves capable of producing carcasses of the weight, shape, grade and fat cover demanded by the market. Important considerations are size and earliness of maturity," says the specialist. "Given cattle that meet carcass specifications, those which grow fastest are likely to be most profitable because they achieve production targets faster and usually on less feed," notes Boleman.

However, calving difficulty may result from increased birth weights of heavier cattle. Losses at calving could

easily offset any overall calf performance gains.

"Selection for growth rate may delay maturity," reminds the specialist. "Early maturing cattle produce marketable carcasses at relatively young ages on high forage diets. In turn, late maturing cattle grow fast on high grain diets without getting too fat, but can also be used in forage systems to produce heavy carcasses."

Boleman believes there is room in beef production for both early and late maturity types, depending on the management system used.

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When Interior Secretary Cecil Andrus last Friday (Nov. 9) announced his official policy on the federal predator control program, a lot of stockmen took to comparing him somewhat unfavorably with Iran's flaky Ayatollah. Not that they operate anything alike, but the two of them would have run a close race for unpopular man of the year in sheep country.

It wasn't exactly what Andrus' announcement said that caused so much uncharitable feeling, but more what everyone assumed he had yet to say. His announcement was such a skimpy affair that it was generally taken as no more than a skeleton outline—the bulk of the policy was undoubtedly still to come and would surely cover several pages of fairly specific program components.

It was anticipation of what those specifics would be based on the unmistakable environmentalist flavor of the original statement—that had the sheep camp up in arms. The "skeleton" statement had called for a phase-out of lethal preventative predator control, for instance, which it was feared would prove to be rapid and ruthless when the "rest of the story" was revealed. The statement also called for de-emphasis of lethal corrective controls, a strong hint that effective and proven measures were to be scrapped in favor of the untried and unlikely "avoidance" schemes of anti-control activists.

Vague references to tightening aerial hunting and steel trap restrictions were likewise expected to be fleshed out in alarming detail, as were other equally vague but unsettling elements in Andrus' announcement.

This time, however, the old admonition to read between the lines may not have proven out. The general policy will, of course, have to be fleshed out, but Andrus' own public affairs officer says the fleshing out will be done somewhere else along the line. Andrus' "skeleton" outline was actually the whole announcement—there

will be no more. In other words, "what you see is what you get."

The Interior spokesman also calmed certain specific fears about what will be done with the policy elsewhere. For instance, there will be no government-dictated livestock management procedure imposed as a condition for receiving predator control assistance, nor will the m-44 be prohibited, nor is there any sort of timetable for the "phaseout" of lethal preventative control. Interior is also not considering the idea of forcing livestock off public land areas where predator problems are severe, or of forcing a change in those areas to types of stock less susceptible to predation than sheep.

The Andrus policy does call for emphasis on non-lethal control and for "avoiding conflicts" between livestock and predators, but the emphasis is apparently mostly philosophical. According to the Interior spokesman, the actual program will be pretty much business as usual with a long range goal of someday killing fewer predators while at the same time protecting livestock. As for the announced "phaseout" of lethal controls, it is to be accomplished as non-lethal methods are developed and proven.

There is even one particularly bright spot in the policy, though it stands so

close to an exceedingly dark one that it's been overlooked by most reviewers. The dark spot is Andrus' insistence on halting all further research into 1080. The bright spot is his flat assurance that research into other toxicants will continue, and at a stepped-up pace. This marks the first time in nearly two decades that official policy has actually supported and affirmed toxicant research—until now it's generally been a case of "we'll keep on plugging at it until someone gets around to calling our hand."

There's still a chance that whoever translates the policy into practice will be of the environmental ilk and manage to weaken the program unreasonably, but for the time being at least, we may be permitted a certain measure of optimism. Now that would be a refreshing feeling!

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Fur buyer will be in Ozona at South Texas Lumber Co. each Tuesday, from 12:15 p.m. till 12:45 p.m., beginning Dec. 4. We buy green and dry furs of all kinds. Skin case all furs, (like opossums), not open up the middle. We also buy deer hides. Well handled furs bring TOP PRICES!
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History comes alive with slide program

History came alive again Monday night through the eye of the camera in the skilled hands of Mrs. Charles Black, Jr. who charmed members of the Crockett County Historical Society, meeting jointly with the Crockett County Historical Commission, in a pictorial essay on points of historical interest in Crockett County.

Volunteering a Commission assignment to photograph all the historical markers erected in the county through the committee's efforts, Mrs. Black went far beyond in compiling an interesting collection of pictures showing not only the markers themselves but in many cases the historical spot itself.

Little known except thru written history and seldom seen spots of historical interest like Escondido water hole, Howard's well, petroglyphs north of Ozona, and dim but still visible ruts pounded out by wagon wheels of the pioneer adventurers who crossed this county a hundred years and more, were flashed on the slide screen and made live by the graphic descriptive comments of Mrs. Black.

To add to the charm of her presentation, Mrs. Black included shots of the flora and fauna of Crockett County, some pictured desert flowers of almost unbelievable beauty. Markers pictured included those at Escondido water hole, Howard's well, Emerald townsite, the county's first oil well, completed in 1925 and still producing, the Chihuahua trail, the Ozona-San Angelo stage line and stage stops along its line, the O-B Trap Co. traps along which ranchers drove their livestock to the Barnhart shipping pens, Fort Lancaster site in west Crockett County, "waterworks hill" source of Ozona's dependable water supply, the site of the first water well under the First Baptist Church, and a number of historically marked buildings in the county, the first permanent school building, the Ozona National Bank's original building, the early-day Ozona Hotel, the historic Perner home and others.

Public Notice

ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT

The Rio Grande Electric Cooperative, Inc., P.O. Box 125, Brackettville, Texas 78832, announces that it is making application for a loan from the Rural Electrification Administration which will provide for the construction of a 69,000 volt transmission line.

This facility will consist of approximately 21 miles of single pole electrical transmission line, commencing at a point approximately five miles southeast of Sheffield in Pecos County, Texas, adjacent to I.H. 10 and continuing in a southwesterly direction 21 miles more or less to a point of termination approximately two miles east of State Highway 349 in Terrell County, Texas. This facility will require a transmission switching station at the point of beginning, which normally requires less than a one-acre site.

The terminal substation will be a 69,000 to 24,000 volt, 7500KVA substation, which normally requires one acre or less.

These facilities will make it possible to provide service to new consumers in the area and to meet the increasing electrical needs of existing consumers.

It is contemplated that these facilities will be engineered and constructed to minimize any disturbance to the environment.

If there are any comments on the environmental aspects of the proposed construction, they should be submitted to the Cooperative within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Additional information may be obtained at the Cooperative office at the above address.

An unusually large crowd was on hand to enjoy Mrs. Black's picture presentation.

Sanchez promoted to Capt.

Richard A. Sanchez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jose M. Sanchez was recently promoted to the rank of captain in the U.S. Air Force. Capt. Sanchez is currently stationed at Kadena Air Force Base on Okinawa, as an instructor navigator.

He is a 1970 honor graduate of Ozona High School and a 1974 graduate of the University of Texas at Arlington. He is married to the former Norma Valdez of Fort Worth. The couple has two daughters.

Capt. Sanchez visited his parents in Ozona during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Checklist for buying waterbeds

In buying today's waterbed, remember that flotation-sleep systems have different qualities, just as conventional mattresses do, says a housing and home furnishings specialist.

Quality will affect price and performance, however, so seek out the best you can afford with this type of major investment, Dr. Jane Berry advises.

Before buying, be sure to check five major points:

The mattress containing the waterbag or bladder should be made of heavy-duty 20 gauge vinyl with only a few seams. The contour fitted liner should completely surround the frame and be permanently attached to the frame, so it will reduce dangers of damage if a leak occurs.

Make sure the liner will hold all the water from the mattress in case of a leak. The heater should be an Underwriters Lab (UL)-approved unit.

Decide whether you need a preset or a variable-control thermostat.

The frame should be sized for the mattress and the liner. A frame may have high-density foam around the perimeter for easy access.

Deck and pedestal should be the right size and design to support a filled mattress in use.

For king-and queen-size units, be sure there are center supports to prevent sag.

For best performance, place waterbeds on heavy-duty bed frames or specially made wood frames. Remember to use extra center supports for larger sizes.

Also, during installation, be sure to place the heater under the liner.

Mail-order dentures can cost more

Mail-order dentures may "cost you" much more in the long run, although they appear to cost less at first glance, says a health education specialist.

Dentures must be fitted to your own mouth—for best results, says Carla Shearer.

Mail-order dentures that do not fit can cause damage to mouth tissues, and that can lead to other complications, including open mouth sores and other serious lesions, she warns.

Also, ill-fitting dentures tempt some people not to wear them—so any money spent in buying them is wasted, no matter how "economical" they were.

In addition, without proper fit of dentures, problems with eating and speaking can arise—along with the possibility of destroying the bone which supports dentures.

There is help available for persons who cannot afford custom-fitted dentures, Ms. Shearer says.

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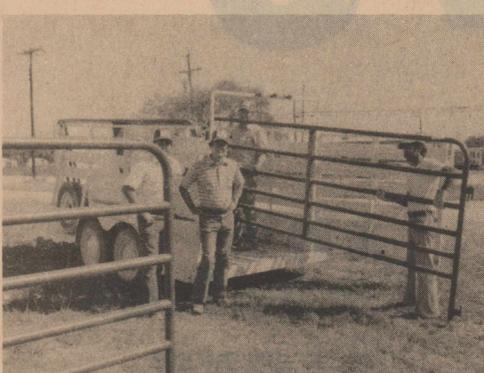
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Three discoveries finalized in county

Three discoveries were finalized in Crockett County and a confirmer scheduled.

Dameron Petroleum Corp., Midland, completed to lower Clearfork oil discoveries in the vicinity of the American multipay gas field of Crockett County, approximately 32 miles southwest of Ozona.

The No. 2-11A W.P. Hoover, two miles west of the upper Clearfork gas opener and lone producer from that pay and three miles west-southwest of the three-well Clearfork gas area in the American field, was finalized for 275 barrels of 40.5 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio of 154-1.

Production was through a 14-64-inch choke and perforations at 3,921-939 feet, which had been acidized with 2,200 gallons.

It topped the lower Clearfork at 3,814 feet on kelly bushing elevation of 2,452 feet.

Scheduled to 8,000 feet as a wildcat and also to test the Canyon and Wolfcamp in the American field, it was drilled only to 3,978 feet, where 5 1/2-inch casing was set, and plugged back to 3,966 feet.

Location is 894 feet from the north and 786 feet from the west lines of 11-NN-GC&SF.

County fields designated

The Texas Railroad Commission, Oil & Gas Division has announced designations for two fields in District 7-C.

The CORVO (Clearfork) field of Crockett County was opened Oct. 11 with completion of Henderson & Erickson, Midland, No. 1 Thompson, et al, two miles west of Ozona, for a calculated, absolute open flow of 70,000 cubic feet daily, through perforations at 3,379-3,425 feet.

Location is 660 feet from the south and west lines of 47-OP-GC&SF.

The No. 1-3 Laura Hoover Estate, 3 3/8 miles to the northeast of the No. 2 Hoover "11A," but separated by a 15,003-foot failure, and 7/8-mile southwest dual Clearfork and Strawn gas production in the American field, was finalized for 190 barrels of 39.2 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio of 459-1.

Production was through a 12-64-inch choke and perforations at 4,173-182 feet, which had been acidized with 1,000 gallons.

How to appeal an I.R.S. audit

[Part II] What happens if the IRS appeals system does not work out? Your next step is the federal courts.

You have the choice of taking your appeal to the U.S. Tax Court, the U.S. District Court or a U.S. District Court. If you don't want to pay the tax before going to court use the Tax Court, since it hears only cases where taxes have not been assessed. Once you decide to go to Tax Court and you've received your examination report from the IRS, ask IRS to issue a Notice of Deficiency. You'll have 90-days from the date the notice is mailed to file a petition with the Tax Court (or, if you decide to settle, to pay the tax). It's important to act within 90-days; otherwise, the IRS will automatically assess the tax against you, taking your case out of the Tax Court's jurisdiction. If you filed your petition on a timely basis, the Tax Court will schedule your case for trial at a location convenient to you. You may represent yourself before the Tax Court or you may be represented by anyone admitted to practice before that Court.

Incidentally, the Tax Court has a Small Case Procedure for disputes of \$5,000 or less for any taxable year. If you choose this procedure, and if the Tax Court approves, you may represent yourself be-

fore the court. However, under the Small Case Procedure the decision of the Tax Court cannot be appealed. Information on the Small Case Procedure is available from the U.S. Tax Court, 400 Second St., N.W., Washington, DC 20217.

Generally, the District Courts and Court of Claims will hear your suit only after you have paid the disputed tax and filed for a refund. You choose which of these courts to petition. The Court of Claims is located in Washington, DC and cases before this court are decided by a judge. District courts are located in every state, the District of Columbia and some territories, and you have the choice of a jury trial there.

A claim for refund may be made by filing Form 1040X, "Amended U.S. Individual Income Tax Return," with the IRS Service Center where you mailed your original return. File a separate 1040X for each tax year involved and attach statements supporting your claims. Form 1040X must be filed within three years of the date of the original return, or two years from the date the tax was paid, whichever is later. If the IRS rejects your claim, or if they do not act on your claim within six months, you may then file suit for refund. But you must file your suit no later than two years after the IRS disallows your claim.

Anti-freeze threatens children and pets

From the Texas Medical Association

Anti-freeze may keep the car radiator from freezing solid, but anti-freeze can also mean death to children and pets, according to the Texas Veterinary Medical Association (TVMA) and Texas Medical Association (TMA). A chemical in anti-freeze called ethylene glycol has a sweet taste, much like a soft drink, and children and pets are attracted to it.

Before the first freeze Texans will be draining their radiators to make way for the new anti-freeze. This is where the trouble begins. Many people collect the old fluid by placing a pan underneath the car radiator. Since it usually contains old anti-freeze or coolant substance, the pan left out or in the garage offers children and animals a tasty treat—but a deadly one. Frequently, people let the radiator drain onto the driveway and run down the street curbing. This still leaves the old fluid for pets to lap up or kids to splash or dip their hands into—ready for a little sip of this deadly drink.

Dr. David Bechtol, TVMA president, states that a dog need only lap up two to three cc's per pound of weight and a cat even less for anti-freeze to bring about a painful death. Dr. Bechtol, a Canyon veterinarian, says the hard part about helping an animal that has ingested anti-freeze is that the owner doesn't realize what the pet has gotten into. The veterinarian then has to treat the symptoms without knowing what brought it on.

The ethylene glycol in the anti-freeze combines readily with the common minerals of human and animal bodies and results in kidney failure and death due to uremia. And a painful death, adds Dr. Mario Ramirez, TMA president. The same dangerous chemical is found in brake fluid, windshield de-

icer/cleaner and wallpaper remover.

Anti-freeze poisonings account for about 15 percent of reported animal poisonings, but most are probably never reported, Dr. Bechtol says.

Anti-freeze can be deadly for humans, too. Swallowing about an ounce can kill a child and about three ounces can kill an adult. In 1978 there were 239 human poisonings in the U.S. and the statistics this year seems to be increasing at an alarming rate, even before the real cold weather has arrived.

A human anti-freeze poisoning victim often appears drunk, has headaches and vomits, said Dr. Ramirez, a Rio Grande City family practitioner. A poison control center, hospital emergency room or physician should be called immediately if poisoning is suspected. Their advice could include making the victim vomit, if the person has not passed out, and getting professional medical help immediately.

Dr. Bechtol recommends that anti-freeze or coolant be flushed down the sewer system since it is biodegradable. Any spilled or drained onto the drive should be washed for 10 minutes toward the street drain. No puddles should be left for children or pets to get into. And no residue should be left behind since the dried crystals contain the poison. The drain pan should be washed thoroughly.

If you see your pet getting into anti-freeze you should rush it to the veterinarian immediately; treatment for anti-freeze poisoning can't wait, says Dr. Bechtol. The best medicine is to prevent it and you should encourage your neighbors to do the same, says Dr. Ramirez

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Word had as guests over the weekend Dr. and Mrs. Max Word and daughter, Tami, of Lubbock, also their son Jon David of College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harrell returned last week from an extended tour of China.



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Tighten or replace loose screws and fittings. Seal all exterior connections, and cover and seal openings underneath the home.

Clean rubber and vinyl moldings around windows and doors, and lubricate the operating mechanisms so that doors and windows close and seal completely.

Drain any exterior water faucets and lines, and disconnect hoses, and store them for the winter.

Consider the installment of storm windows since they prevent heat loss and will save considerably on the heat bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox and children, Chad and Kristen, of Friendswood, spent the holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Robert Cox.

Mike Clayton is home from an 8-week tour of Australia.

Crockett Co Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment in the Crockett County Hospital last week were:

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 - Christoval Villarreal
 - Lupe P. Gonzales
 - Antonia DeHoyos*
 - Luis Longoria*
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