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Whitaker services held Sun.

Funeral services for Winston H. Whitaker, 65, were held Sunday at 2 p.m. in Ozona United Methodist Church, with graveside services Monday in Fairfield.

Mr. Whitaker died at 8:12 a.m. Friday in Crockett County Hospital.

He was born May 11, 1916 in Dallas. He was married to Modene Lancaster February 14, 1941. Whitaker was manager of South Texas Lumber Company of Ozona and was a member of Ozona United Methodist Church. He was Past Worshipful Master of the Ozona Masonic Lodge #747 A.F. and A.M. and also past District Deputy Grand Master. Whitaker served in the Air Corp in WWII.

Survivors include his wife of Ozona, one daughter, Sandra Warren of Carona Del Mor, Calif.; one brother, Steward Whitaker of Fairfield; and one sister, Bess May of Dallas.

GTE excise dropped a percent

Telephone users throughout the country got at least one gift for Christmas that isn't the wrong size or the wrong color.

On Jan. 1, 1982, the federal excise tax on telephone service dropped from two percent to one percent.

Nationwide, the one percent reduction should save telephone customers approximately \$516 million, according to estimates by the U.S. Independent Telephone Association.

The tax was imposed by Congress as a "temporary" measure during World War II. Congress voted in 1970 to gradually eliminate the tax, reducing it one percent per year beginning in 1973 and continuing until 1982 when the tax would be eliminated.

However, the Fiscal Year 1981 Budget Reconciliation Bill, signed by former President Jimmy Carter on Dec. 5, 1980, contained a provision maintaining the excise tax on telephone and typewriter service at the two percent level during 1980. And this year's tax bill further postpones the phase out, keeping the tax at one percent until Jan. 1, 1985.

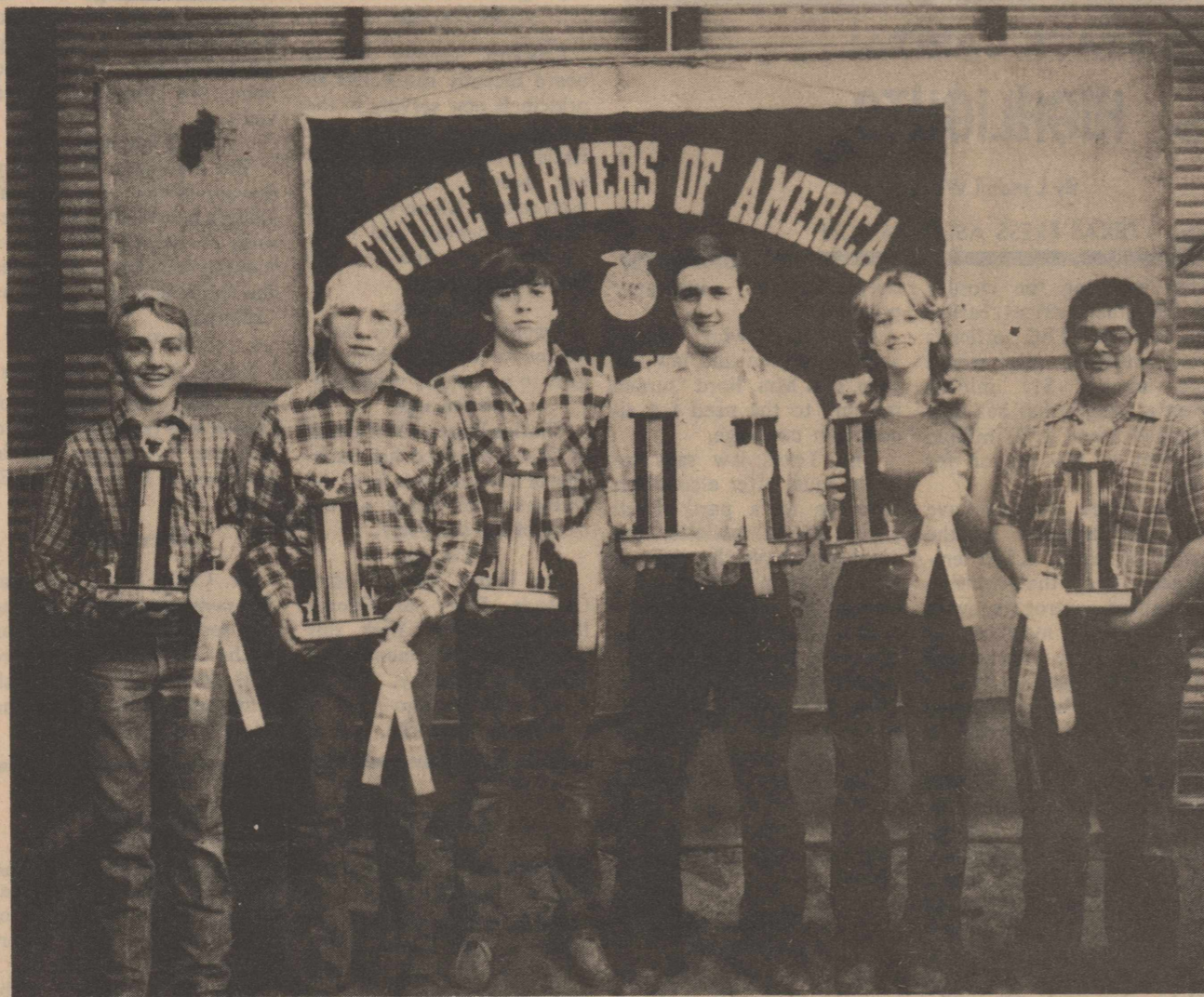
Three wells slated for drilling

Cities Service Co., Midland, will drill three wildcats in Crockett County, surrounded by Strawn detrital gas production in the University 31 (Strawn detrital and Queen gas) field, and 11 miles west of Ozona.

The No. 1 University "CH", an 8,850-foot wildcat, is 1,537 feet from the north and 1,320 feet from the west lines of 20-31-University Lands.

The No. 1 University "CG", an 8,615-foot wildcat, is 1,980 feet from the south and 2,042 feet from the east lines of 16-31-University Lands.

The No. 1 University "CF", an 8,400-foot wildcat, is 1,320 feet from the north and west lines of the same section.



FFA LIVESTOCK SHOW WINNERS Saturday were these pleased chapter members. From left to right they are Ira Childress, Dale Perry, Allen Dews, Mike Couch, Cindy

Reavis and Jack Moody. The show was held Saturday at the 4-H barn under ideal weather conditions. [For places, see story.]

FFA show fields 53 lamb entries

The annual Ozona FFA Show was held at the 4-H barn Saturday under ideal weather conditions. There were 53 livestock entries competing for the seven trophies donated by Nathan's Jewelers.

Mrs. Hull makes TJC dean's list

Mrs. Doris Hull, LVN, formerly training coordinator at Crockett Co. Care Center, has been named to the Dean's List at Tyler Junior College in Tyler, Texas.

Mrs. Hull is majoring in Nursing Home Administration and is a candidate for 1983 graduation with an Associate Degree in Applied Science.

To qualify for the honor roll at TJC, a student must complete a minimum of 12 semester hours with a 2.3 grade point average from a possible 3.0. Mrs. Hull's average is 2.6.

Ms. Sinclair named to dean's list

Kim Sinclair of Ozona has been named to the Dean's List at McMurry College for the 1981 fall semester, according to Dr. Paul Jangmeyer, academic dean of the college.

The Dean's List is the academic honor roll made up each semester of those students who have carried a minimum of twelve semester hours and have achieved a grade point average of 3.5 or above for that semester.

McMurry College is a four-year liberal arts institution located in Abilene, Texas. It is jointly owned by the Northwest Texas and New Mexico Conferences of the United Methodist Church.

Ms. Sinclair, a Pre-Law major at McMurry, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sinclair.

The warm weather brought a host of spectators to the show and the barbecue dinner at noon.

Dale Perry and Allen Dews took top honors in the show. Perry showed the Grand Champion Finewool lamb and Dews had the Grand Champion Crossbred.

Reserve champions in these categories went to Ira Childress and Mike Couch.

Ira Childress had the champion pair of finewool lambs and Perry, the reserve champion. Cindy Reavis had the champion pair of crossbred lambs and Dews showed the reserve champion.

Jack Moody had the champion finewool weight gain, also the reserve champion. Mike Couch had the

champion cross weight gain and Capp Covington the reserve champion.

Champion showmanship award went to Mike Couch and reserve to Cindy Reavis.

Fred Igo, Ag. teacher from Eldorado judged livestock and Randy Dusek, of the A&M Range Station at Barnhart, judged showmanship.

Donating goats for the barbecue were Bill Hoover, Bob Childress, Joe Bean and Pon Seahorn.

Assisting with the barbecue and working in the concession were Sid Hoover, Tot Holmsley, Wanda Dews, Mary Jo Mason, Willa Perry and Dottie Searcy.

Documents nonessential for benefits

The Veterans Administration is reminding veterans and their dependents that they shouldn't let a lost document prevent them from applying for VA benefits.

Officials in VA's nationwide regional offices often report that some veterans who can't locate a birth or marriage certificate do not apply for benefits because they think these documents are essential.

VA will accept certified statements from applicants in instances where documents needed to establish eligibility for benefits are lost.

In the case of a marriage, this policy applies only to the first marriage for each partner, and there must be no contradictory information on file with the agency.

In years past, VA has required formal documentation to support claims for compensation and education benefits for veterans, widows and orphaned children.

More recently, however, the agency has accepted a certified statement regarding the birth of a child or as proof of age and relationship in disability cases.

Veterans or dependents with questions about eligibility for benefits are urged to contact the nearest VA regional office.

18th Annual Chamber of Commerce banquet

The 18th Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet will get under way tomorrow night at the Civic Center with registration in the foyer from 7:00 until 7:30 p.m.

A barbecue dinner, catered by the Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be served following the invocation by Larry Bailey.

Lee Carlisle, outgoing president and the only woman to serve in that capacity, will give the welcome address and introduce out of town guests.

Ozona Girl Scouts get Gold Award

Five Ozona Senior Girl Scouts received the highest award in Girl Scouting at the annual meeting of the El Camino Girl Scout Council held Saturday at the Houston Hart University Center at ASU in San Angelo.

The Girl Scout Gold Award went to Tammy Adams, Lisa Hohertz, Tilly Kramer, Kimberly Sinclair and Molly Womack. The girls participated in Ozona Troop 189.

A drawing will be held for the "hunter's prize," a hunting knife, and the rifle raffle will be held, along with a drawing for three door prizes, before Mrs. Carlisle introduces the outgoing directors and turns the gavel over to the new president, Dr. Steve Sessom. Dr. Sessom will introduce the new board of directors and guest speaker Cactus Pryor.

Pryor, well known after dinner speaker, will share his wit with the audience. Pryor is billed as one of the most convincing impersonators of our time. He has exhibited his skill and wit over and over again to the delight of thousands across the country. As a toastmaster, Pryor has mirrored the actions and follies of the high and mighty—the presidents of three nations, the chancellors of two and the combined ambassadors of the United Nations. In his role as a visiting dignitary, the audience is overtaken with laughter at his impressions of the American way of life. Chamber officials are pleased to have the opportunity to present this outstanding wit to the people of Ozona.

New officers were elected

Tuesday, Jan. 12, when the board met to canvass the ballots for new directors. New board members include Dr. Sessom, Peggy Wellman, Jack Baggett, Jr., David Weant and Ronald Shaw.

Davises celebrate anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. (Bill) Davis were honored with an open house at their home here Sunday on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

They were married January 21, 1932 in Coleman. The couple's four sons hosted the open house, Billy W. Davis of Abilene, Grady A. Davis of Ozona, Douglas E. Davis of Blackwell, and Kenneth J. Davis of Midland.

Around 30 persons were served cake and punch during the celebration. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Lillian Preas of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Davis of Abilene and Larry Davis of Abilene.

who will serve out the unexpired term of E. F. Sharp, who resigned and has moved to San Angelo.

New officers were elected as follows: Dr. Sessom, president; Lane Scott, vice president; Burl Myers, second vice president; Charles Sizemore, third vice president; Don Sessom, activities director; Becky Childress, secretary-treasurer.

Holdover board members are Charles Sizemore, Becky Childress, Don Sessom, Tom Cameron, Sandy Stokes, Lane Scott and Burl Myers. Out-going directors include Mrs. Carlisle, Clayton Robinson, Johnny Jones and Jeffrey Sutton.

Beth Boyd is chamber manager and has coordinated the banquet.

Arrests made in arson and break-in crimes

Two burglaries were cleared up and arrests were made in connection with the fires at the Boy Scout house and the Emerald House by Sheriff's Department personnel last week.

Checking on a prowler at the Everett apartments on Ave. J, officers discovered several new shirts and a vest along with a billfold containing a large sum of money. Deputies linked the items to the burglary of Wool Growers the night before. An arrest was made and almost all of the stolen items were

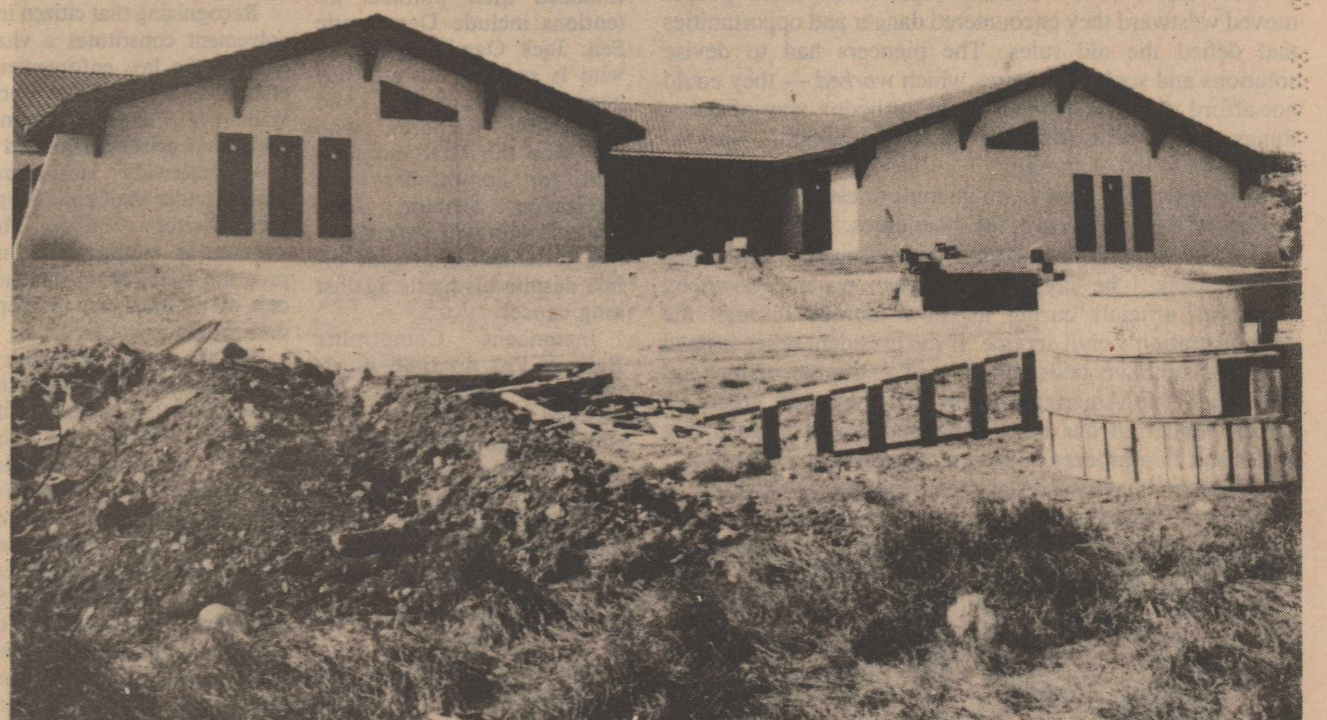
recovered.

A break-in at the Joe Tobar residence was believed solved when a subject was arrested January 18. An undetermined amount of money was taken in the break-in.

Officers have been investigating the fires which heavily damaged the Boy Scout house the end of last month and caused some damage to the Emerald House. Both fires were deemed arson. In an unexpected development last week the culprits were apprehended and statements were taken. The juveniles were turned over to the juvenile officer.

Officers are still trying to match a fingerprint lifted at the scene of the burglary of the McCartney residence after a daylight break-in last week with possible suspects. Investigation is continuing at this time.

Several stolen cars were recovered by department personnel during this month. Both state and federal computer networks enable local law enforcement officers to check on a suspicious car or person. Most of the time officers only have to wait a few seconds for the return.



CONSTRUCTION NEARS completion on the spacious new home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lilly. The home is under construction on the Lilly Farm about a mile south of Ozona. Other construction sites include massive enlarging of the

Ozona National Bank, a bakery shop going up on Hwy 163 near Thornton's Supermarket and a building for Permian Communications on Ave. D a block from Hwy 163.

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ENTERPRISE ZONES GET WHITE HOUSE OKAY

By Edwin Feulner

After a year of delays and internal bickering, the Reagan Administration finally has decided to move ahead with plans to establish a number of experimental "enterprise zones" in decaying urban centers across the country.

Preliminary plans, discussed in the State of the Union message and to be fleshed out further in the President's budget message, call for the identification of as many as 75 such pockets of decay.

In a nutshell, the idea is to select some of America's most disgracefully run-down urban areas, places like New York's South Bronx and sections of Miami's Liberty City, and see if a good dose of free enterprise might be able to accomplish what years of government planning and billions of government dollars have been unable to accomplish: start the urban areas on the road to economic recovery.

In order to help promote the desired effect, government taxes, red tape, and regulations will be held to a minimum in the "enterprise zones." Theoretically, there is to be no direct government aid to small businessmen willing to take a shot at making an economic miracle happen within a zone — success and failure will be determined largely by their inventiveness and their willingness to take a chance with their own money and sweat.

In order to get these entrepreneurs to hire the chronically unemployed from within the zone, various employment taxes will likely be reduced. Purists, like Dr. Stuart Butler, the well-known urban economist and author of *Enterprise Zones: Greenlining the Inner Cities* (Universe Books, New York, 1981) would also like to see the minimum wage knocked down a peg within the zone, but Congressional liberals and Big Labor have apparently exerted enough pressure to kill the idea.

As Dr. Butler has noted, when the enterprise zones concept was first introduced to this country in 1979 in a study by The Heritage Foundation, it was thought of primarily as a tax reduction scheme designed to make places like the South Bronx more attractive to would-be businessmen. Yet, it is much more than that, he says.

"The enterprise zone constitutes an attempt to establish an entire process of adaptation and innovation in the inner cities, much more in keeping with the trial-and-error tradition of problem-solving which characterized the American frontier communities than the European-style emphasis on careful urban planning."

Historian Daniel Boorstin, in his book *The Americans*, noted that many unique aspects of American society are a direct result of the frontier experience. When people moved westward they encountered danger and opportunities that defied the old rules. The pioneers had to devise solutions and social structures which worked — they could not afford to be held back by the orthodox way of doing things. And fortunately for them Washington was far enough away to be ignored.

The enterprise zone is an attempt to establish the same process of inventiveness in the inner cities.

Dr. Butler cautions about over-optimism. "Like most radical ideas," he says, "it has been watered down by numerous officials during its slow journey through the Administration's civil service. If the president relies instead on his instinctive understanding of entrepreneurship and remembers his American history, he may well create an urban frontier in our most depressed neighborhoods that will result in a process of sustained growth and adaptation."

(Feulner is president of The Heritage Foundation, a Washington-based public policy research institute.)



Millard Fillmore's wife, Abigail, found no books in the White House after he took office as the 13th president. She set aside a room for a library and got an appropriation of \$250 from Congress to buy books.



'My, you've grown, Sam. Why, it seems like only a few months ago you were a harmless little guy talking about trust and non-aggression.'

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

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AUSTIN—As if the state didn't have enough problems trying to defend its new redistricting plans from a barrage of court challenges, the Legislative Redistricting Board now has had to reconvene to correct a clerical error in the plan it adopted for reapportioning the State Senate.

Meeting over the objection of Comptroller Bob Bullock, one of five state officials on the LRB, the board adopted an order correcting a flaw that was discovered in the redistricting plan for Williamson County. Under the plan, Williamson County is split between the senatorial districts represented by Democratic Sens. Kent Caperton of Bryan and John Wilson of LaGrange. The error, which involved seven "enumeration districts," created two areas that were non-contiguous with their intended districts, and Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong said the mistake could have disenfranchised the residents of those areas.

Bullock claimed the board had no authority to act in the matter because it had dissolved itself after adopting the plan in October, but the other members adopted the correction anyway. Attorney General Mark White said the action would at least show the board's intent if the matter is brought up in court.

Political Races

While state officials were bickering over the redistricting plan, many of the state's political hopefuls were practically lining up to announce their campaign intentions.

Leading the group was U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen who came to Austin to announce that he will seek a third term.

Bentsen opened his campaign by blasting his two Republican opponents—U.S. Rep. Jim Collins of Dallas and State Sen. Walter Mengden of Houston—for running "nasty" campaigns.

Collins has been tagging Bentsen as a liberal even though a comparison of their voting records has shown that the Democratic senator has voted in favor of Reagan administration policies almost as often as Collins.

"I've always said nice things about Jim Collins," Bentsen said. "He's saying all these bad things about me. I guess we could both be wrong."

Others who have announced their political intentions include Democratic Sen. Jack Ogg of Houston, who is seeking the attorney general's post; Sugar Land Sen. Mike Richards, who will seek the GOP nomination for comptroller; and LaGrange Senator John Wilson, who will seek a second term in his present office despite his battle against lung cancer.

Incumbent Comptroller Bullock lost no time in attacking Richards. He charged the senator with soliciting contributions before naming a campaign chairman. Two Houston representatives also have jumped into the Democratic race for Ogg's present seat.

More Employment Agency Cuts

The Texas Employment Commission has announced that it will have to shut down another dozen of its local job placement offices because of the Reagan Administration budget cuts.

After ordering the closure of 59 other offices earlier this month, TEC officials were informed they would lose another \$11 million from a budget that has now dropped from \$120 million in 1981 to \$89 million for 1982.

The office closings have been accompanied by the firing of some 1,300 employees. Even that decision has caused controversy, with two minority members of the Legislature threatening to sue the agency over a policy that the employees with the least seniority be laid off.

State Rep. Paul Moreno of El Paso, chairman of the Mexican American Legislative Caucus, and Democratic Rep. Paul Ragsdale, a black lawmaker from Dallas, say the seniority policy discriminates against minorities and violates the Civil Rights Act and affirmative action programs.

Malpractice Clarification

A recent report in Capital Highlights erroneously identified the Medical Practices Act passed in 1981 as legislation, some medical and insurance experts say it might be unconstitutional because of provisions limiting a doctor's liability for malpractice to \$500,000.

The legislation actually in question was a malpractice bill passed by the Legislature in 1977.

Texas Medical Association officials say the constitutionality of the 1981 act has not been questioned.

Former First Lady

Former First Lady Betty Ford made a visit to Austin and was lauded by Gov. Clements for helping push legislation to require alcoholism coverage in group

hospitalization insurance policies.

Clements, who signed such legislation into law last year, said Mrs. Ford "turned me on" to the need for alcoholism coverage. The Texas law says insurers must offer alcoholism coverage as a part of all group health policies, but employers have the right to reject it when buying group policies for their workers.

Mrs. Ford, a recovering alcoholic, has been a strong supporter of legislation to bring alcoholism treatment within the financial reach of the average person.

Blue Cross has received approval from the State Board of Insurance to provide the new coverage in Texas.

Gubernatorial Appointments

Former state senator and long-time Texas Water Commission member Dorsey Hardeman, 79, of San Angelo has resigned from the water panel. Gov. Clements has appointed Lufkin attorney John D. Stover to replace Hardeman.

Hardeman has served as mayor of San Angelo, state representative and state senator during a political career that began before World War II.

Hardeman has been a controversial figure in Austin, most recently criticized for conflict of interest in voting for construction of the proposed Stacy Reservoir in West Texas.

Stover, 36, is a former Dow Chemical Co. chemist. He was named to a term extending to August 1987.

Meanwhile, Clements moved to shore up the batting line-up of his Governor's Commission on Physical Fitness.



Drug trafficking in Texas is bad and getting worse every day. The drug pushers reap more than \$5 billion every year in illegal profits — at the expense of men, women, and children in our state. The drug dealers are a destructive element in Texas and they must be stopped. It's time to blow the whistle on them, and the people of Texas now have a way to do just that.

Recognizing that citizen involvement constitutes a vital part of the law enforcement effort in Texas, Governor William P. Clements, Jr. and the Texas Legislature created a new statewide anti-crime hotline under the Crime Stoppers Advisory Council. The unanimous support of this program stems from the success of 44 local Crime Stoppers programs across Texas.

For the month of January, 1982, the Crime Stoppers Advisory Council is focusing its statewide "Crime of the Month" program on drug trafficking. Any citizen having information about major drug trafficking should call the Texas Crime Stoppers Council at 1-800-252-TIPS.

Cash rewards are available for information leading to the arrest and indictment of drug traffickers. Citizens do not have to reveal their name, just their information, and they will be given a unique code number for identification purposes.

The Crime Stoppers Advisory Council, created within the Criminal Justice Division of the Governor's Office, is charged with four responsibilities: (1) advising and assisting in the creation of local Crime Stoppers programs, (2) encouraging citizens with knowledge of a crime to come forward — without revealing their identity — with their information, (3) promoting the program through Texas' news media, and (4) assisting in channeling information about crime to the appropriate Texas law enforcement agency for follow-up investigation.

The 1981 Texas Legislature provided the state's criminal justice system with important new tools to find the top drug traffickers in Texas and stiff laws with which to prosecute them. Through the new statewide Crime Stoppers program, the Legislature also provided a mechanism for the citizens of Texas to help stop this menace in our state.

The Crime Stoppers Advisory Council will work with local Crime Stoppers programs to help shut down drug trafficking in Texas. Call 1-800-252-TIPS today with your information on major drug traffickers in our state, to protect you and your family from these organized criminals.

The Newsreel

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

Thursday, Jan. 29, 1953

Members of the Ozona Woman's Forum, met in the home of Mrs. Pete Jacoby, voted a donation of \$50 to the 1953 March of Dimes drive in Crockett county.

29 Yrs. ago
Automobile and truck license plates for 1953 have been received by the sheriff's department and will go on sale in February, sheriff V.O. Earnest announced.

29 Yrs. ago
Rankin's Red Devils beat the Ozona Lions 47-46 to win the 22nd annual Ozona tournament which closed Saturday night.

29 Yrs. ago
Crockett County school board recently re-elected all principals now serving in the system. These include P.O. Hatley, high school principal; Johnny Clark, Junior high school; Glenn P. Hicks, North elementary and W.H. Stockard, principal of the South Elementary.

29 Yrs. ago
Tryouts began for Mrs. Mayes to choose about 16 girls to go out for volleyball.

29 Yrs. ago
Charles Eugene McDonald of Ozona received his Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of Texas at the close of the semester.

29 Yrs. ago
Joe Perry, son of Mrs. Getrude Perry of Ozona, landed in New York this week after 12 months of service in Germany.

29 Yrs. ago
William Meinecke, son of

Mrs. Coralie Meinecke and a student at the University of Texas, is home for a between terms visit.

29 Yrs. ago
The Ozona Lion cagers coasted to an easy victory 56-18 over the Sonora Bronchos on the Sonora court to chalk up their third straight district win of the current season.

29 Yrs. ago
Tom Kincaid, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Kincaid, Jr., a student at Schreiner Institute in Kerrville spent the weekend with his parents at their ranch home.

29 Yrs. ago
Misses June Perner and Kay Kirby, both attending T.C.U. in Fort Worth, are home for between terms visits.

29 Yrs. ago
The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday morning at the Church for its monthly mission study under the leadership of Mrs. Pleas Childress.

29 Yrs. ago
Tommy Laxson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Laxson of Ozona, was recently inducted into the U.S. Army and is stationed at Fort Bliss in El Paso.

29 Yrs. ago
Lt. Clyde Sikes, who has just completed flight training and received his commission in the U.S. Air Force, is here with Mrs. Sikes, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Schneemann.

Public Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS will receive sealed bids until 11:00 AM, February 8, 1982, at which time bids will be opened and read at the County Courthouse, Ozona, Texas, for the purchase of the following equipment:

Two (2) New 1982 Sheriff Automobiles

Two (2) New 1982 Road Department Trucks (Cab & Chassis)

Two (2) New 1982 Road Department 1/2 Ton Pickup Trucks

One (1) New Radar Unit

One (1) New 1982 Crew Cab Pickup Truck 3/4 Ton

Interested bidders may obtain specifications on the above equipment at the office of the County Auditor, County Courthouse Annex, Ozona, Texas.

The net cost to Crockett County should be shown on the bid and also approximate delivery date. The bid envelope should be plainly marked with name of the equipment.

Any bid received after stated opening time will not be considered and will be returned unopened.

All equipment FOB Ozona, Texas, and will be paid for at the time of delivery and acceptance by Crockett County.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted.

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CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

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Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of W. F. Dixon, Resident Engineer, Ozona, Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin.

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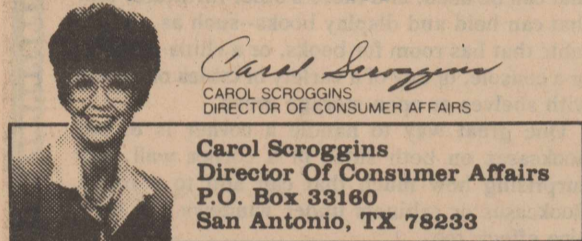
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Tips For Gardeners

From The Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

Let me remind you again that this and next month are very important to preparing for spring plant changes or new beds for the garden. Our weather is so unpredictable that you have to be ready for chores when beautiful days come.

Spray dormant oil to control scale on fruit, nut and landscape trees when temperature will be above 40 F for 12 hours.

Pruning can be started now on established shrubs and trees. Large shrubs that rub the house or roof and obscure the lines of architecture should be severely pruned. The old limbs may be cut near the ground and other limbs pruned irregularly to enhance the beauty of the plants. They will put out new growth and cover the severe pruning. Examples are the Photinia, which grows very fast, wax leaf ligustrum, pyracantha and pittosporum.

Most pyracanthas purchased at the nursery have a tall main stem. If you want a hedge plant or a sturdy

compact base-branching plant, cut this stem back halfway. New growth will appear in the spring, so when 8 to 10 inches long, cut out tips to encourage further branching. During the summer growing season, tip prune all new growth.

Deciduous (bare-root) shrubs and trees may be purchased at a more reasonable price than balled and burlapped plants. They should do well if planted carefully. Inspect for bruises, tears, or breaks and prune back beyond the injured point. Remove excessively long and unwieldy roots. Also spread roots and gently fill in about them with top or mixed soil. Set plants at same depth as they were in the nursery or yard if just moving them. Apply water while planting to drive air pockets out. After soil has been filled in around the roots, tamp down surface to stabilize plant. Leave a space six inches around the trunk or stem of the plants to catch water. This can be filled in later.

If you are planting balled and burlapped shrubs, the burlap need not be removed unless it has been treated with a preservation. It may be loosened around the trunk and rolled back so that you can see how deep to set the plant. Balled plants should never be lifted by the trunk or top growth as there is danger of the weight of the soil damaging the roots. Always place one hand under the ball, being careful not to break the soil.

February planting dates:
Above-ground crops; 1, 2, 5, 6, 24, 25, 28
Root Crops; 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Mrs. Robert Cox and Mrs. Sherman Taylor were winners in Duplicate Bridge Club play Saturday at the Country Club. Mrs. Robert Cox and Mrs. Sherman Taylor were winners in Duplicate Bridge Club play Saturday at the Country Club. Mrs. Gene Williams and Mrs. Sidney Millspaugh were second.

Texas spinach plentiful

Because spinach can withstand freezing weather fairly well, last week's frigid conditions caused little damage to the crop which is a mainstay in the Texas Winter Garden area.

Spinach supplies from this area (from Uvalde to Crystal City) should be adequate over the next 60 to 90 days, says Tom Longbrake, horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. The Texas spinach season generally runs from November through April.

Spinach is currently a bargain in supermarkets when compared with head lettuce, so Longbrake suggests using spinach in fresh tossed salads or in combination with grated carrots and celery

Ms. Childress is bridge club hostess

Mrs. James Childress was hostess for the Country Club Bridge Club Thursday.

High score went to Mrs. Buddy Phillips and second high to Mrs. Jack Williams. Mrs. Lowell Littleton won the bingo.

Others playing were Mrs. John Childress, Mrs. Gene Williams, Mrs. George Bunker, Mrs. Billy Carson, Mrs. Gene Perry, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Byron Williams, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery, Mrs. B.W. Stuart, Mrs. Cuatro Davidson, Mrs. Bob Bailey, Mrs. Jake Short, Mrs. Evert White, Mrs. Kirby Moore, Mrs. Charlie Black, Mrs. Jess Marley, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Clay Adams and Mrs. Hugh Childress.

LADIES GOLF DAY

Winners in ladies golf play last week at the Country Club were Marie White, low gross; Wanda Stuart and Liz Williams, tied for low net. The three women were tied for low putts. Blind bogey play winners were Ella Clegg and Mrs. Stuart.

The club will have a one-day partnership Saturday, April 24, and their invitational partnership will be the weekend of May 22, and July 4, has been set for the Annual Country Club Ladies Golf tournament.

chips. It can also be chopped and blended into a snack-dip.

"Weight watchers will be interested to know that spinach has more vitamins (25 times more vitamin A) than lettuce," notes Longbrake.

The horticulturist suggests selecting spinach that is crisp dark green and fully savoyed (curled) and has thick, pliable leaves. Store spinach in plastic bags inside the crisper of your refrigerator.

"Regarding Texas' spinach crop, it may be a little-known fact that the state leads the nation in spinach production," says Longbrake. "Some 6,400 acres are grown for the fresh market and another 2,000 acres for canning and freezing."

And the Winter Garden is spinach country. In fact, a statue of Poyeye (the fictional character who gets his "go power" from spinach) stands near the City Hall in Crystal City in tribute to the economic importance of the crop. Texas' spinach crop had a farm value of \$10.4 million in 1980.

Women attend meeting

Roberta Schoenhals, Liz Mary Pipes, and Debra Price attended a training meeting on the Extension Club organization, Thursday in Wickett.

Mary Evelyn Bryant, District 6 Director of the Texas Extension Homemakers Association presided at the day's meeting. The 1982 district meeting will be April 14, in Big Spring. Speakers for the district meeting will focus on "Today's Family."

Homeowners thinking of converting single-family homes to two-family dwellings, investigate the legalities first. Some cities and towns prohibit modifying homes to take in renters. On the other hand, if this arrangement is legal, it's a good means of coping with home ownership's rising costs.

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Debra Says

By Debra Price

After attending a training meeting in Odessa this week there are two meetings in Odessa that families in our community may want to attend. On February 11, 7:00 p.m., there will be an Arthritis Forum at the Ector County Library. Mrs. Hazel Wallace will speak on "Arthritis Quackery". Dr. Ken Scholz on bone replacement, and Dr. William Rely on medicine for arthritis. The program is sponsored by the Ector County Family Living Committee and will be free.

On April 28, 1:00 p.m., a program on "Preserving Grandma's Treasures" will be conducted at the Ector County Library. Becky Saunders, clothing specialist with Texas A&M will present the program. She will demonstrate how to preserve clothes, photos, furniture, quilts, etc. This program is also free.

Spinach is one of many green leafy vegetables grown in abundance in Texas. Texas supplies 80% of the spinach for the United States. Most of the canned spinach is processed at a plant in Crystal City, Texas.

Fresh spinach is usually available from November through April. Fresh spinach cannot be stored very long, so select quality greens before buying. Spinach is rich in blood-building iron. It has an abundance of A, C, and K, and is a good source of fiber. Spinach is a good way to add variety to an everyday meal. Use it for salads, quiche, casseroles, dips, souffles, or crepes.

To cook spinach, remove the damaged leaves and stems. Wash thoroughly. Heat the leaves in a saucepan with a small amount of water. To retain the emer-

ald green color, remove the lid briefly during the first few cooking minutes to allow steam to escape. This releases chemicals that turn spinach a dull, olive green. Do not add soda to preserve the color. Soda will change the flavor. Cook greens until the leaves are tender.

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spinach, well drained
1/4 cup cracker crumbs
1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese
1 tablespoon instant minced onion
1 can condensed cream of chicken soup
8 to 10 crepes
1/2 cup milk
1/4 cup slivered almonds or chopped pecans

Mix turkey, spinach, cracker crumbs, cheese and onion with half of the soup. Fill cooked crepes with turkey mixture and roll them up. Arrange crepes, folded edge down, in a shallow baking dish. Combine remaining soup with milk and pour over crepes. Sprinkle with almonds or pecans. Heat at 350 degrees F for 15 to 20 minutes. Serves 4 or 5.

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VA burial benefits available

The Veterans Administration today reminded former servicemen and women that awareness of VA burial benefits can often spare the family of a deceased veteran anxiety and financial hardship immediately following the veteran's death.

Interment in a national cemetery is available, for example, to veterans discharged under conditions other than dishonorable. The eligible veteran's spouse and minor children, and, under certain conditions, unmarried adult children, are eligible also. Some national cemeteries have no remaining

space, however. VA will furnish a headstone or marker to memorialize a veteran or mark the grave of a veteran buried in a national, state or private cemetery. VA will also provide markers to eligible dependents interred in a national or state veterans' cemetery.

Recent legislation broadened eligibility for memorial headstones or markers. Under the new authority, VA may provide these services to all veterans whose remains have not been recovered or identified. This includes those who were buried at sea—whether by the veteran's own choice or otherwise, those whose bodies were donated to science, and those who were cremated and the ashes scattered without burying any portion of the ashes.

Raising crawfish a booming business

Raising crawfish is becoming a booming business in Texas as the demand for the tasty morsels continues to grow.

Crawfish are now available at markets and in restaurants over a longer period of time because they are being raised in farm ponds. This also produces a better product than those raised in the wild.

With the mild weather early this winter, farm-raised crawfish have been in good supply since November, and this supply should continue into June or July," points out Dr. Jimmy Davis, fisheries specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

What started as a meager 67-acre crawfish business in Texas about five years ago has now grown into an industry of more than 5,000 acres, notes Davis. Most crawfish farms are found along the Upper Coast from Orange to Wharton County.

"Farm-raised crawfish have an excellent flavor," contends Davis. "They differ greatly from those caught in ditches and marshes because they are grown in good quality water and then purged in fresh water. They feed on rice plants or other green vegetation which develops harder tail meat and a firmer fat which has a preferred taste."

Farm-raised crawfish also are generally cleaner than those living in the wild, he adds.

"Crawfish, with their unique taste, are finding their way to more and more dining tables in Texas. A longtime cooking favorite in Louisiana, crawfish lend themselves to many tasty dishes," says Davis.

Many non-profit civic and social welfare organizations can have their tax-exempt status recognized by the Internal Revenue Service by filing an application for recognition with the IRS.

An organization with subordinate chapters can apply for a group exemption letter, rather than having each affiliate apply.

Exempt organizations that normally have gross receipts above \$10,000 are required to file an annual Form 990, "Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax." In addition, organizations that have at least \$1,000 in gross income from an unrelated business must file Form 990-T, "Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return."

Effective October 1, 1981, the burial allowance, previously available to all wartime veterans, was limited by public law to veterans eligi-

ble for VA pension or compensation and to those who die in VA medical facilities. The plot allowance, not affected by the new law, is available to all veterans who served during war periods.

If the veteran's death is service connected, VA will pay an amount not to exceed \$1,000 in lieu of the usual burial and plot allowance.

VA will also provide: an American flag upon request for use in covering a casket; a reimbursement for part of the cost of a headstone or marker bought and placed on the grave of a veteran. The current amount is \$63.00, the average cost of headstones purchased by VA; and, Presidential memorial certificates expressing our nation's grateful recognition of the deceased veteran's service which bear the signature of the President.

VA will also provide: In addition to VA burial benefits, veterans and their dependents may be eligible for a lump sum monetary death benefit provided by the Social Security Administration. Local SSA offices have details.

For more information on VA burial benefits, contact any VA office or national cemetery. Toll-free numbers to VA regional offices are listed in the white pages under "U.S. Government" of telephone directories.

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Depression in children not uncommon ailment

Childhood is a time of carefree happiness for most, yet some children suffer from depression just as adults do, says Diane Welch, a family life education specialist.

In fact, estimates show that one percent of all children suffer from depression, she adds.

Child depression is often linked to relationships with adults, the specialist explains.

Adult depression has been carefully studied, but researchers are just beginning to recognize childhood depression, she adds. Studies show that some children have the same depressive symptoms as adults about being loved—hopelessness, worthlessness, guilt and anxiety.

Such children report feeling abandoned and unloved as a result of family events, such as death, divorce, desertion or any other major changes affecting the family unit, she continues.

The family's economic level doesn't, however, seem to influence children's depression, but "emotional poverty" has a significant influence, Welch reports.

Some signs of "emotional poverty" in a family are family violence, lack of attention to each other and outright unconcern, Welch says. When the family recognizes and tries to solve their own problems, the child's depressive state is more likely to disappear, the specialist says.

At the other extreme are families in which parents over-criticize or over-protect the children.

Children in these families are likely to become discouraged or depressed, the specialist says.

Depression may be masked by temper tantrums, disobedience, truancy, running away, delinquent behavior, school phobia, accident proneness, cruelty to others or self-destructive thoughts and behaviors, Welch says.

Parents can learn to prevent these children-at-risk situations.

Parents' "need" to criticize their child vanishes

when they learn to carefully listen to the child and provide support and encouragement, she notes.

On the other hand, over-protected children easily become discouraged when, once outside of the protected environment, they are faced with having to learn many new skills, Welch says.

Children need to learn about life, to explore and experience it and to adjust to mistakes they make, she encourages.

Parents can help by urging their children to become independent and confident, the specialist advises.

Of course, there are times when any child will suffer temporary depression, Welch says.

Children naturally feel worried when their families suffer crises, she points out.

New situations, such as a new school, new teacher or new surroundings, can trigger depression.

Children can be helped through these temporary depressive states by adults who are understanding, the specialist explains.

As children learn to deal constructively with their problems and feelings, they are strengthened against future depression and its effects, she adds.

Ms. Kilpatrick served as demonstrator

Mrs. Randy Kilpatrick (Retha) served as a Result Demonstrator in Home Economics during 1981. Retha's husband is manager of Foxworth-Galbraith. The Kilpatricks have two sons, Clay, 4 years, and Cole, 1 year old.

Debra Price, County Extension Agent, assisted Retha with various projects throughout the year. The projects included making blue jeans, home decorating, food preservation, constructing a sports coat, and menu planning. Retha would be happy to share project ideas and publications that are available through the Extension Service.

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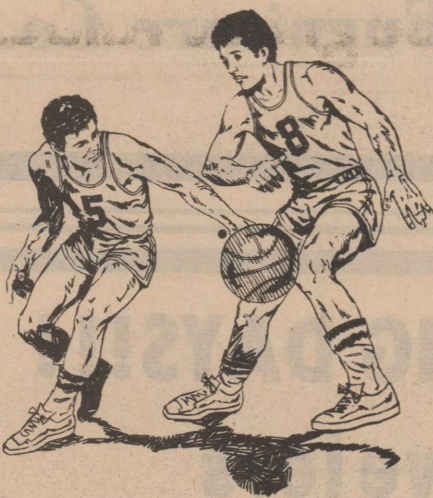
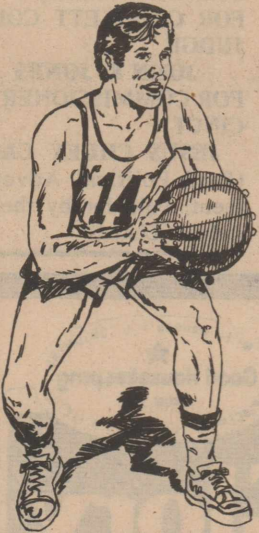
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Jan. 7-9	Big Lake Tournament	Eldorado Tournament	Junction Tournament	Junction Tourney	
Mon., Jan. 11					
Tues., Jan. 12	Wall Here* 8:00	Wall Here* 6:30	Wall Here 5:00	Wall Here 5:00	Ft. Stockton Here 5:30
Fri., Jan. 15		Iran There 6:30	Iran There 5:00		
Mon., Jan. 18					
Tues., Jan. 19	Junction Here* 8:00	Junction Here 6:30*	Junction Here 5:00	Junction Here 5:00	Big Lake There 5:30
Fri., Jan. 22	Menard There* 8:00	Menard There 6:30*	Menard There 5:00		
Mon., Jan. 25					
Tues., Jan. 26	Mason There 8:00 *	Mason There 6:30*	Mason There 4:00	Mason There 5:15	Ft. Stockton There 5:30
Fri., Jan. 29	Big Lake Here 8:00*	Big Lake Here 6:30*	Big Lake Here 5:00	Big Lake Here 5:00	McCamey Here 6:30
Mon., Feb. 1					
Tues., Feb. 2	Eldorado There 8:00*	Eldorado There 6:30*	Eldorado There 4:00	Eldorado There 5:15	Stockton Here 5:30
Fri., Feb. 5	Wall There 8:00*	Wall There 6:30*	Wall There 4:00	Wall There 5:00	McCamey There 5:00
Mon., Feb. 8					
Tues., Feb. 9	McCamey There 8:00			McCamey There 6:30	Big Lake Here 5:30
Fri., Feb. 12	Junction There 8:00*	Junction There 6:30*	Junction There 4:00	Junction There 5:15	Big Lake There 5:30
Mon., Feb. 15					
Tues., Feb. 16	Menard Here 8:00*	Menard Here 6:30*		Menard Here 5:00	
Thurs., Feb. 18					
Fri., Feb. 19	Mason Here 8:00*			Mason Here 6:30	Big Lake There 5:30
Tues., Feb. 23	Big Lake There 8:00*			Big Lake There 6:30	

* DISTRICT GAMES



DATE	OPPONENT	TEAM
Nov. 18	Mertzon, There	7G, 8G, 4:30
Nov. 23	Mertzon, Here	7G, 8G, 7B, 8B, 4:30
Nov. 30	Eldorado, Here	7G, 7G, 8G, 8B, 4:30
Dec. 3, 4, 5	7th Grade Tournament, Here	7G, 7B
Dec. 7	Big Lake, There	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B, 4:30
Dec. 14	Wall, Here	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B, 4:00
Dec. 17	Big Lake, Here	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
Jan. 4	Open	
Jan. 8, 9	Sonora 8th Grade Tournament	8G, 8B
Jan. 11	Junction, Here	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B, 4:30
Jan. 14, 15, 16	Big Lake Tournament	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
Jan. 18	Eldorado, There	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B, 4:30
Jan. 21	Sonora, Here	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B, 4:30
*Jan. 25	Sonora, There	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
Jan. 28, 29, 30	Iran 8th Grade Tournament	
Feb. 1	Wall, There	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B, 4:00
Feb. 4, 5, 6	Dist. 9-AA Tournament in Ozona	



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PBPA energy report

The Petroleum Information Corporation of Denver reports that the number of wells drilled, rotary rigs working, well completions, wildcats drilled, total footage, and deep wells all reached new plateaus in the year just finished.

The number of wells drilled for oil and gas was up almost twenty-nine percent from the 1980 record setting year. 78,884 holes were punched in the ground last year compared to 62,704 in '80 according to Petroleum Information.

Rotary rigs working in 1981 finished at 4,530 versus 3,337 at the end of 1980 reports Hughes Tool Company. More rotary rigs were added to the national fleet last year than were working in 1971. Completions totaled 39,101 and broke the old 1955 record of 31,567.

Wildcat wells drilled jumped 27 percent to 9,331. This compares to 7,317 the previous year. The wildcat success rate in 1981 was 18.4 percent.

The total footage drilled last year amounted to 364.4 million feet...up 76 million from a year ago.

And, wells drilled below 15,000 feet were just under 1,000 at 988. That was 285 more than 1980.

In the Permian Basin our rig count for last week was 499. One year ago it was 374.

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MIDLAND ARCHAEOLOGIST Jane Schweitzer, center, presented an interesting program in her field to members of the Woman's Forum at their meeting last week. Mrs. Brock Jones, left, introduced Mrs. Schweitzer. Forum President Mrs. James Childress, right.

Archaeologist presents Woman's Forum program

Mrs. Dave Schweitzer of Midland presented an interesting archaeological program entitled, "Exploring the Past," when the Ozona Woman's Forum met Tuesday, Jan. 19, at the Civic Center. Hostesses were Mrs. Worth Allen and Mrs. Fred Hagelstein.

Mrs. Brock Jones introduced Mrs. Schweitzer, who is the former Jane Augustine of Ozona. Mrs. Schweitzer, an avocational archaeologist, has been active in this field for the past 17 years and has worked on projects in 13 counties in Texas, New Mexico and Wyoming. She is a past regional vice-president of the Texas Archaeological Society of region 10, an 18-county area of which Crockett County is a part.

In 1980 Mrs. Schweitzer served on the Board of Trustees of the Archaeological Society of New Mexico, and is presently serving as a director of the Texas Archaeological Society.

Among the interesting projects she has been involved in was an experimental project conducted by Dr. Eileen Johnson near Cache, Okla., "Bison Butchering using Flint and Bone Tools." She participated in archaeological investigations under the first State Antiquities Permit ever issued,

and worked for a contract archaeological company in Rawlins, Wyoming for 51 days.

Mrs. Schweitzer's interests are not limited to archaeology. For the past 12 years she has been a 4-H Club leader and trained range and plant identification teams. She is presently serving on the board of directors of the Midland Livestock Association.

The program was a lecture and slide presentation of some of the sites and projects Mrs. Schweitzer has been engaged in, plus a viewing of some of the artifacts from her personal collection. Two of the sites were in Crockett County on the Basil Dunlap ranch and the Jeff Owens ranch on Live Oak Creek. The slides shown attested to the fact that Jane is not only an expert archaeologist, but an accomplished photographer as well.

At a business meeting following the program, officers were elected for two-year terms. Heading up the slate as president will be Mrs. Gene Perry. Other officers include Mrs. Huey Ingram, vice-president; Madye Jo Humphreys, second vice-president; Mrs. W. T. Stokes recording secretary; Mrs. Ralph Jones, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jess J. Mar-

ley, treasurer and Mrs. James Childress, parliamentarian.

Others present were Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Terry Gries, Mrs. Charlie Black, Mrs. J. D. Brown, Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. Bill Carson, Mrs. Pleas Childress, Mrs. James Childress, Madye Jo Humphreys, Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. Huey Ingram, Mrs. L. D. Kirby, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Mrs. Allie Lock, Mrs. J. J. Marley, Mrs. J. McCartney, Mrs. J. B. Miller, Mrs. Marshall Montgomery, Mrs. Kirby Moore, Mrs. Roy Pearson, Mrs. Gene Perry, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Mrs. W. T. Stokes, Mrs. C. O. Walker and Mrs. Bonnie Warth.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients receiving treatment in the Crockett County Hospital last week were: Gordon Smith, Katherine St Clair, Earle Chandler, Louise Cox

Supper bridge club meets

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Couch hosted the Supper Bridge Club at the Walker home Monday night.

Winning high were Mr. and Mrs. Ted White. Second high went to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dudley and bingo to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wester. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kirby won low score prize.

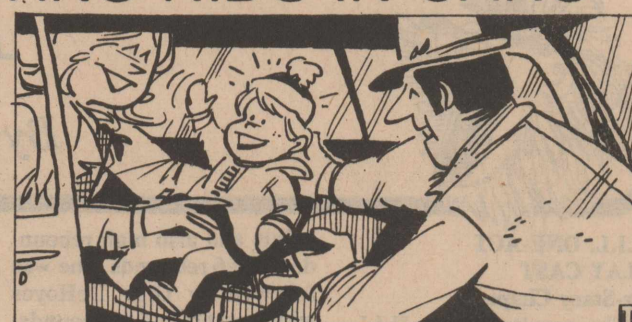
Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Pancho McMullan, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kost.

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Pinto Beans
German Sausage
Spoon Tomato Salad
Fruit Cobbler
Cornbread
- Thursday**
Hamburger Steak
Mashed Potatoes
Green Beans
Fruit Cup
White Cake
Hot Rolls
- Friday**
Ham & Cheese
Pork & Beans
Lettuce Salad
Fruit Cup
Bread

PROTECTING KIDS IN CARS

In 1981, 4,500 children were killed in auto crashes and thousands more were disabled. The reason according to Phillip Ben-Zvi, senior vice president and actuary of The Continental Insurance Companies, is failure to use proper safety restraints.



"The real tragedy," says Ben-Zvi, "is that these fatalities are preventable. Statistics show that 95 percent of the deaths and 32 percent of the injuries would not occur if seat belts and other safety devices were used."

Ben-Zvi says that following some simple safety tips can prevent tragedy in your family.

1. The best protection for a child under five is a specifically designed child restraint device or infant carrier. To give an infant extra support, a rolled-up blanket can be used to cushion head and shoulders. Anchorage straps must al-

ways be fastened.

2. If no child restraint device is available, small children should be made to use regular lap seat belts placed across the tops of their thighs.

3. Depending on height and weight, older children can be restrained by a 3-point adult belt system. Special care must be taken to position shoulder portion firmly across chest and shoulders.

4. Adults, even if they are wearing seat belts, should never travel with children on their laps.

5. Only one person should be strapped into a safety device; a child and an adult should never be strapped together.

6. The safest place for a child is in the middle of the back seat. Children should never be allowed to ride in the back of a station-wagon or truck.

"The most important thing to remember," notes Ben-Zvi, "is that parents can never relax their concern for their children's safety. Set a good example by using safety belts when you drive."

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U.L.L. ONE-ACT PLAY CAST

By-Stacy Chapman

The results of the U.L.L. One-Act Play try-outs have been released by David Porter, speech teacher. The practices started Wednesday in the auditorium. Making up the cast for "Lily Daw and the Three Ladies" are Jack Thompson as Ed Newton, Stacy Chapman as Lily Daw, Gail Hunnicutt as Aimee Slocum, Allen Dews as Bill Casey, Darla Lovell as Mrs. Etta Watts, Kathy Weant as Mrs. Carson, Jacinda Marley as Mrs. Benson, Sarah Falkner as Miss Lind, Jill Sanchez as Estelle Mabers, and Harvey Huereca as the young man. The stage crew includes Randy De Hoyos, Marcia Moran, and Monica Sanchez. The play will be presented for the school sometime before the District meet which will be held in Big Lake on March 23.

TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS

By-Marilyn Wester

January 8-9 the eighth grade girls played in a tournament in Sonora. Their first game was with Sonora. The Cubs won 81-2. Radene Flores was high point scorer with 13 points, followed by Donna Sanchez with 12 points and Shelley Rumley with 11 points. Everybody scored and Coach Kemp thought they played a good game. The leading rebounder was Kim Williams with 6 rebounds. The team had a total of 39 rebounds and 34 steals.

The second game, they played in Del Rio and also won this game by the score of 34-31. The high point scorer for this game was also Radene Flores with 10 points, followed by Kim Williams, Donna Sanchez, and Zelda Munoz all with 6 points. Olga DeHoyos had an important free throw at the end of the game that put them ahead 2 points. Coach Kemp said it was a close game all the way. With just six seconds left on the clock, Vanessa Miller put it away with a free throw.

The championship game was played between Ozona and Ballinger. Ozona won this game too by the score of 28-27. The leading scorers were Radene Flores and Vanessa Miller with 8 points each and Donna Sanchez with 6 and Zelda Munoz with 5. Coach Kemp said it was a very close game. Ballinger was ahead 27-26 with 9 seconds left. Vanessa Miller got the rebound from a free shot and made a score to make the final score 28-27. This was the first tournament for this group of girls to win. They played tough and never stopped trying and it paid off by winning the championship.

Monday night the seventh and eighth grade girls played Eldorado. The seventh grade lost by one point. The score was 11-12. The high point scorer was Diana Sanchez with 4 points. Vicky Reagor, Janet Diaz, and Vicky Flores all scored 2 points.

The eighth grade won this game 23-7. Vanessa Miller was high point scorer with 11

points and also high rebounder with 6 rebounds. She was followed by Olga DeHoyos with 6 points and 5 rebounds. Coach Kemp said Donna Sanchez did an excellent job running offense and on defense too. Vanessa Miller played an overall good game her best of the year. Everyone got to play and they all played well.

Their next game will be in the Big Lake Tournament January 21, 22, and 23. Come on out and give these girls a little support.

MAKING TRACKS

By-Sue Ellen Black

It's time to break out your track shoes and warm-ups everybody. Track season is just around the corner, and pre-track training is already underway.

At the present, twenty-six boys are working out and about twenty more are expected as soon as basketball is over. The boys are practicing three times a week right now, but soon they will start a 5 day work-out.

The purpose of pre-track training is to get those boys that are not in basketball into shape in order to prevent injuries when competition starts.

Coach Sewell has high hopes for our super track team this year. He thinks this team may be the best we have ever had, and that they could possibly be state champs. Next week, we will have a schedule of all of their track meets.

CUBS MEET EAGLES

By-Jana Harris

The Ozona Cubs have records of 1-8 in the 7th grade and 7-1 in the 8th grade after recent games with the Eldorado Eagles.

The Eagles defeated the 7th grade Cubs 29-21. Abel Lara was high point player with 6 points and 6 rebounds for a very good defensive game. Roger and Isaias Flores also contributed 4 points a piece. According to the Cub Coach, the Cubs had a 7 point lead at the half, but couldn't withstand the dramatic comeback by Eldorado. In the 8th grade, Ozona stomped the Eagles 38-18. David Lovell played a tremendous defensive game having 5 steals while Steve Sanchez had 2 block shots and 4 steals. Sanchez also burned the net for high scorer with 20 points for the night.

"It was our victory from the very beginning," said Coach Don Payne.

LIONETTES EDGE EAGLES

By-Vicky Vargas

The Varsity girls defeated Junction Tuesday night, with a score of 42-40. The Lionettes now hold a 1-4 district record for the season.

Tracy Cole led the Lionettes with a total of 16 points; Lana Cole scored 9 points, while Mercy Stratis, Elsa Fierro, Kim Buie, Jana Lilly, Sherri Buckner, and Krystal Williams also scored. Eight of the eleven girls scored which was really good.

Coach Deaton stated that all the girls played really well, the only problem was too many turnovers. Besides that it was a really good defensive game. The Lionettes will play Menard for their next game which will wind up the first half of district

play.

DRIBBLING IN A DISTRICT DUAL

By-Gail Hunnicutt

The most exciting basketball games of the year were played against Junction Tuesday night here in Davidson gym. All four Ozona teams, the girls Varsity and J.V. as well as the boys Varsity and J.V., won their games.

J.V. Coach Johnny Bradshaw says that he was very pleased with his player's performance. There has been a lot of improvement since the Wall game. The score was 45-38. The J.V. boys high point scorer was Robert "Bullet Bob" Flores with 26 points. Their record is 2 wins and 1 loss in district play. They play Mason there on January 26.

In the Varsity boys game Tuesday night, Ozona ran past Junction 59-45. High point men were Zeke Martinez with 22 points and Ernie Borrego with 18 points. The Lions were lagging behind at halftime 25-20. They broke out in the third quarter and went anywhere from 6 points to 20 points ahead of the Junction Eagles. The Lions record for district play is 2 wins and 1 loss. They are tied for second place and are still in the contention.

Some comments from Coach Wilson and his team were excellent. Coach Wilson said that the Lions played their best game of the year. Jack Thompson and Varlyn Aldridge, both senior players, said that they played team ball well. They were looking for each other and everyone was doing his job. Ernie Borrego, senior, was quoted as saying "We got it down and got together." "This way it's fun and exciting-our kind of ball playing!"

Everyone get out and support the Ozona Lions all the way to a District victory. Way to go Guys!!!

VICTORIOUS CUBS COME HOME

By-Jana Harris

The mighty 8th grade Cubs came home from the Reagan County Tournament last weekend with the consolation trophy. The Cubs have suffered their only losses in the season to the Boys Ranch

who they played Thursday night and were defeated 37-29.

Chuy Hernandez did an excellent job of containing their big man, they had one outstanding player and he finally came alive in the fourth quarter with 12 points. The game was tied at the two minute mark, but they just took it away," said Coach Don Payne.

The Cubs faced McCamey in the second game winning 27-24 with David Lovell having 10 points. In the third game Ozona defeated Iraan to win consolation with a score of 29-22. Steve Sanchez was high point having 12 points.

"I'm very proud of the boys, they're doing a wonderful job, they never quit," stated Coach Payne.

The 8th grade record is 9-2.

In the Reagan County Tournament, the 7th grade lost their first game to McCamey 30-12. Chayo Flores was high point with 6 points. In the 2nd game, they defeated the Boys Ranch 22-16. Roger Flores was high point having 8 points. In the consolation game, Iraan defeated the Cubs 31-24. Roger Flores contributed 14 points to the score.

The Cubs traveled to Sonora Monday night and then to the Iraan Tournament this weekend.

INTERVIEW WITH A COACH

By-Wendy Hood

Don Sessom is the head football coach at Ozona High. He also coaches track and his favorite colors are purple and gold. Mr. Sessom was born in Brady, Texas, where he attended high school. He attended two different colleges, Southwest Texas State, in San Marcos and West Texas State where he received his masters degree.

Coach Sessom's favorite food is fish and his hobby is hunting and fishing. Fall is his favorite time of the year. Carol Sessom is his wife and he has two daughters, Tracey, a senior at Tivy High in Kerville, and Candie, who is 4 years old.

Coach Sessom says he really enjoys West Texas, and the young people of Ozona.

BAD HABITS

"Johnny, how many times do I have to tell you? Pick your clothes up, turn out the light, and shut the door!!" screamed little Johnny's mother. Forgetfulness is little Johnny's bad habit, what is yours?

Kerry B.-picking on freshmen

Ken S.-Reckless driving

Cathy C.-singing (All the time)

Neto B.-losing control in Civics

Mr. Bradshaw-spending too much money

Mr. Scott-feeling good all the time

Varlyn-drinking too many cokes

Jack T.-eating too many boiled peanuts

Kim B.-eating too fast

Lana C.-biting my nails

Elsa F.-biting my nails when I'm nervous

Rod M.-getting mad too easily

Dugan O.-driving too fast!

Mr. Hoover-forgetting people's names

Mr. Spiller-I don't have any bad habits

Joe V.-I can't think good

Kim Baker-walking crooked

Dennis Y.-Spending too much money

Darren W.-Procrastinating

Dale P.-eating

Kelly B.-driving too fast

Santiago-sinning

Stacy-saying Huh!!!

Stanley-biting my nails

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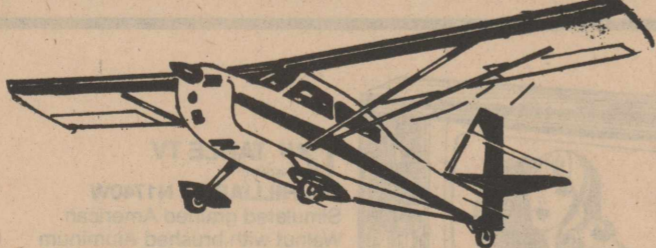
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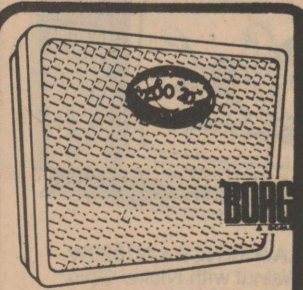
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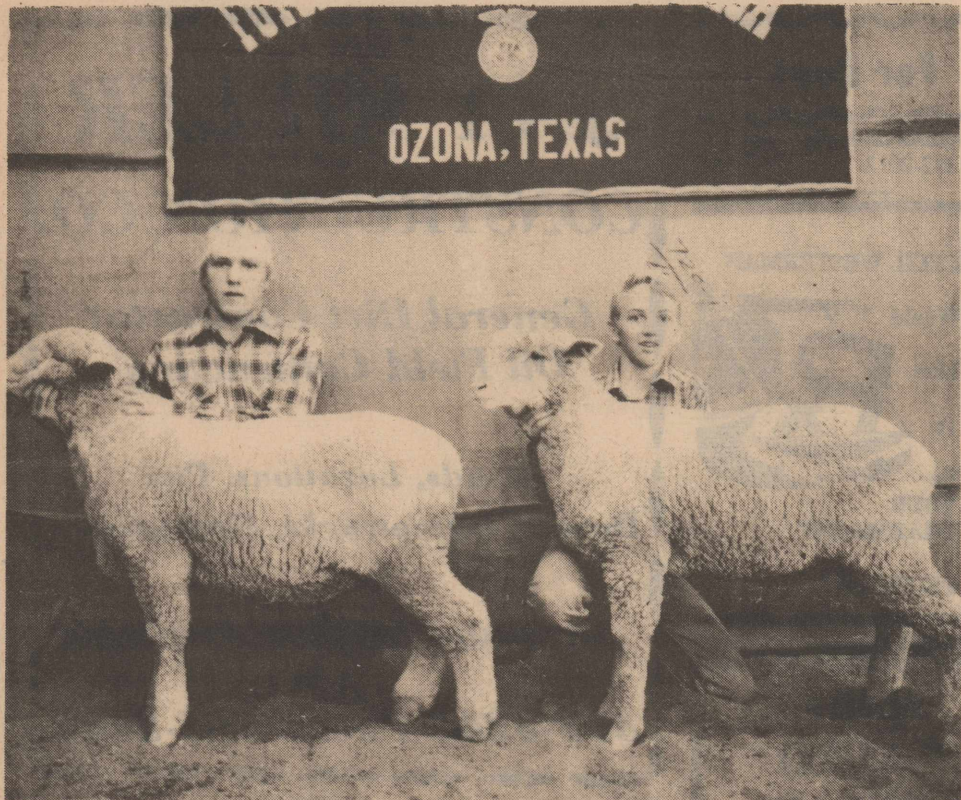
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GRAND CHAMPION CROSSBRED lamb was shown by Allen Dews at the FFA Livestock Show Saturday. Mike Couch, right, shows the reserve champion.

Phillips art group meeting

The Charlotte Phillips Art Group met Tuesday, Jan. 19, at the Methodist Church at 9 a.m.

Those painting were Polly Perner, Louisa Pearson, Joyce Maness, Mozelle Meiers, Johnnie Johnson, Ruth Dorris, Donna Johnson, Joan Nicholas and Bobbie Fawcett of Sonora.

The members of the group paint together until about 4 p.m. each week. An artist is being contacted about giving a workshop this spring and it is hoped that an art association will be formed this year.

Charlotte Phillips was a faithful leader over the years and her family has graciously consented to naming the group in her memory.

Crockett County Care Center News

BY ANN McCARTNEY
DIRECTOR OF ACTIVITIES & SOCIAL CARE

Church services the third Sunday of the month are always presented by the Baptist Church. Our residents look forward to their church services and appreciate the effort put forth by all church volunteers.

Monday morning dominoes were played by the usual group. Ceramics were enjoyed in the afternoon by our ladies. Thanks goes to volunteers Grace Dorsey and Doris Karr for helping.

Tuesday and Friday bingo was won by Grace Cotter. She received a gift certificate from Westernman Drug. Second prize went to Alice Locke and third went to Nila Turnell. Jesus Hernandez won the dinner for two from

El Chato's.

Reading and discussion time on Wednesday found the group enjoying some of the ideas, thoughts, and wit of Art Linkletter. In the afternoon, Maude Pettit and Ola Mills helped in decorating our showcase which included two ceramic leprechauns they had painted.

Thursday morning beauty shop got residents all prepared for afternoon Bible study and our third Thursday night party with the Jamie Knox band.

Other games of dominoes and walks in the afternoon as well as our daily exercises and T.V. viewing rounded out the week of activities.

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- 1/2 C. sliced green onions
- 1 C. diced, cooked shrimp, pork or chicken
- 1/8 tsp. powdered ginger
- 1/4 C. soy sauce
- 1 tsp. brown sugar
- Salt and pepper to taste
- Spring roll skins
- 1 beaten egg white

Stir fry vegetables in oil about 3 minutes. Stir in shrimp or meat, soy sauce, ginger, brown sugar and salt and pepper. Separate spring roll skins, paper thin sheets of flour, water and salt available in some supermarkets and oriental specialty shops. Place 3 tablespoons filling in one corner of skin. Roll diagonally from corner, turning in side flaps envelope-style about midway through roll. Continue rolling, folding last corner envelope-style and sealing with beaten egg white. Fry egg rolls 2-3 minutes in 3 inches deep fat heated to 375 degrees. Drain rolls on rack covered with paper towels. Serve immediately with Sweet and Sour Sauce. Makes 12 egg rolls.

- Sweet-Sour Sauce
- 1 C. crushed pineapple
- 1 T. brown sugar
- 1 T. Teriyaki sauce

Heat ingredients over low heat, stirring to blend.
For additional recipes, write: Commissioner Reagan V. Brovin, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

Install wood stoves properly for safety

With more and more homeowners turning to wood stoves to fight rising fuel costs, home fires have taken a sharp climb.

National Fire Protection Association figures show nearly 200 people died in the U.S. in 1978 due to wood or coal stove fires.

Improper installation is the major cause of these fires, points out Chuck Stayton of Overton, a wood products specialist.

Wood burning units and chimney connectors often are installed too close to combustible materials such as walls and furniture, Stayton says. The distance a wood-burning stove must be from combustible materials depends on the stove design and whether or not protective coverings are used.

Radiant stoves must be at least 36 inches from unprotected combustible materials whereas a circulating stove only requires 12 inches, says the specialist. A one-quarter inch asbestos millboard, spaced out one inch from a wall, allows placing a radiant stove only 18 inches from the protected wall and a circulating stove within 6 inches of the wall. Twenty-eight gauge sheet metal spaced out one inch from a wall further reduces the distances radiant and circulating stoves must be from the wall to 12 inches and 4 inches, respectively.

Floor protection standards are different, says Stayton. Stove bottoms are almost always cooler than stove

sides but must be 18 inches above the floor to prevent a fire due to radiation heat. However, Stayton recommends a floor protector due to the danger of glowing embers falling from the stove and starting a fire. Such a protector should extend at least 18 inches beyond the stove on the sides with doors or other openings.

Suitable materials for floor protection are 24 gauge or thicker sheet metal, one-quarter inch or thicker asbestos millboard covered with 24 gauge sheet metal, mortared bricks or stone, and concrete. With this kind of floor protection, a stove only needs 4 inches of clearance from the floor to meet standards to prevent a radiant heat fire, Stayton points out.

Chimney connectors--stovepipe used to connect the stove to the chimney--also require safe distances from combustible materials. These should be 18 inches from unprotected walls and ceilings. However, this distance can be reduced to 12 inches with one-quarter inch asbestos millboard spaced out one inch from the ceiling or wall or with 28 gauge sheet metal on one-quarter inch asbestos millboard. Using 28 gauge sheet metal one inch from the ceiling or wall will reduce this distance to 9 inches.

If steel stovepipe is used for a chimney connector, it should be at least 24 gauge, with each stovepipe joint secured with a minimum of

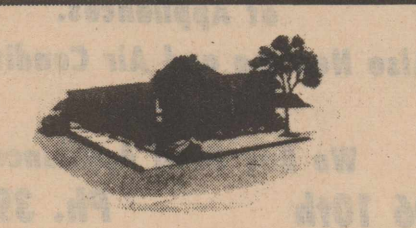
three sheet metal screws.

Stayton also points out the need for outside mechanical support for a connector more than 6 feet long and a metal ventilated thimble with a diameter at least 12 inches larger than the stovepipe diameter when a connector passes through a wall. Chimney connectors should not pass through a ceiling, he cautions.

Prefabricated (factory-built) metal chimneys require minimum clearance from combustible materials. They may be insulated, but this does not mean their outer surfaces remain cool, Stayton warns. Install prefabricated chimneys according to the manufacturer's instructions, which often call for a two-inch clearance from any combustible material.

To make sure your stove is safely installed, ask a local fire department official to inspect it before starting your first fire.

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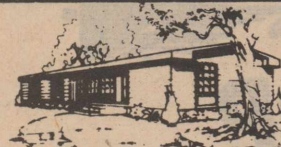
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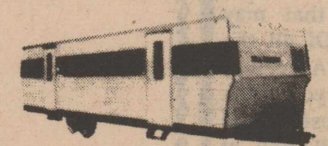
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By Jerry Lay

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Here's one hard to believe in these days when National Football League teams take in millions of dollars a year. In one 6-year period, 14 NFL teams went out of business. There were 22 teams in the NFL in 1926 but 14 of those teams failed financially by 1932, and the league was down to only 8 teams that year.

Here's one that may surprise you. Of all the colleges in America, which one do you think has sent the most men to the pro football Hall of Fame? Answer is the University of Illinois. 5 men who went to Illinois are in the NFL Hall of Fame-Red Grange, George Halas, Shorty Ray, Dick Butkus and Ray Nitschke. No other college has that many.

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