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Kitty's Korner By Kitty Montgomery

I hope God doesn't take this personally, but it's just been too cold to live in this country lately. I mention this due to the fact that last week's column complaining about the gas and utility bills caused some employees of these companies to take it personally. I certainly didn't mean it that way. However, I feel about bills like I feel about voting. If you vote, you have a right to gripe, and if you pay your bills you have the same right.

I always thought I liked cold weather, but lately I have ceased to enjoy it. It's just been too cold. I'm tired of slipping and sliding on ice everytime I back my car out of the garage. I barely got home last Friday at noon, and that was after two tries. It was 25 minutes from the office until I finally got the car in the garage, normally a seven-minute drive. If it had not been for Oscar Kost and his snow chains and Jerry Perry with his 4-wheel-drive, this office would have been closed Friday afternoon.

We almost called off the bridge game Saturday, but suddenly the sun came out and most everything melted. This includes the water in the frozen pipes in my yard. I thought I had the water cut off to that section, but it wasn't and I spent thirty minutes trying to find the cut-off. It was under a pile of snow.

I went out Saturday evening late to gather some wood, leaving some good clean footprints in the snow. When I went out to get the paper Sunday morning, I very carefully stepped off into one of the footprints, and really took a tumble. It never entered my mind that the overnight low made ice of my prints and they were anything but safe. I finally got the paper and made some new footprints.

The streets were safe Saturday, but it was Monday before it all melted, and there were still patches here and there where there was no direct sun Tuesday.

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We enjoyed the banquet speaker at the Chamber's 21st banquet last week. It's a small world, as I knew Don Newbury when he was a kid going to Howard Payne. I thought I recognized his smile, but when he recognized me and came over to visit it was clear that energetic kid was still there under the gray hair and a few lines. He graciously said we grew up together, but I know I have a few years on him.

His humor has become fine-tuned and he kept the audience's attention with his quick wit and down-to-earth philosophy. Some of the funnier jokes were on the home-town folks. He said he was visiting with Debbie Lambert before the program and she told him she had to slap Stan three times on their very first date. Seriously he asked her, did he try to kiss you, get fresh or out of the way? Oh no, I thought he was dead, Debbie said. Of course, everybody who knows energetic Stan knew that was a joke.

He told about Gary Vannoy going to a costume party when he was at A&M. He said Gary wrapped himself in foil, painted his head blue and went as a roll-on deodorant.

Dr. Newbury drew howls of laughter, when a phone rang and he pulled it from under his coat and took a message. When he hung up he asked for Jack Baggett, Jr. He then informed Jack that it was Mabel's Massage Parlor in San Angelo calling and he had left a pair of suspenders there on his last visit.

He was full of stories, but the one I liked best was when speaking of Ozona, he said this was a town when someone cut their finger, there were 399 people waiting with a bandaid. That was no joke.

Services at graveside for Mrs. Hoover

Graveside services for Mrs. Almeda Hoover will be held this afternoon in Cedar Hill Cemetery. She died around 6 p.m. Monday in Crockett County Hospital. Time of the service was unknown at press time.

Survivors include one son, Armond Hoover, Jr.; two grandchildren and one great grandchild.



Height of the storm

Just before noon Friday this was the scene in Ozona. Blizzard conditions existed for most of the day, bringing 3 inches of snow to the area. Here the noon-time temperature at Ozona National Bank was 13 degrees where it

stayed for most of the day. Snow, mixed with sleet snarled noon-time traffic and created hazardous driving conditions through the night and into Saturday.

Named at Chamber of Commerce Banquet

Jonesy Williams is outstanding citizen

Outstanding citizen award went to Mrs. Charles (Jonesy) Williams at the 21st Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet held at the Civic Center January 22.

Mrs. Williams, a registered nurse, has become well-known in Ozona, for her service to the community. Jonesy came to Ozona in 1948. She became director of nursing at Crockett County Hospital in 1954, conducting schools for LVNs, and generally overseeing the needs of hospital patients. Many of the young people present at the banquet were assisted into the world by Mrs. Williams.

Jonesy is never too busy to help with an illness, assist with Meals on Wheels, and give her personal attention to the senior citizens of Ozona. Active in the Ozona United Methodist Church, she is involved in several civic groups and is well-known in garden club circles, having recently been presented her national flower show judge accreditation.

She is well-known also for her good cooking, which many Ozonans have sampled through the years. Probably the most active member of the community, she still finds time to relax with bridge and golf.

The award was presented by C of C president Stan Lambert, who also presented several other awards. Out-

standing Young Citizen award ended with a tie between Susan Scott and Gary Davis, who were both named. Due to a basketball game Gary was involved in, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Davis, accepted his award. Receiving President's awards were David Young for special service; Buster Miller for his work with West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and George Ybarra for donating so much time and energy in several areas of activities, including cooking for Meals on Wheels.

Outstanding organization of the Year award went to the Emergency Medical Services with Dub O'Bryant accepting on behalf of the service. The Unsung Hero of the year went to Sam Martinez for his many years of public service to the community and the youth of Ozona.

Rev. Ken Harrison, pastor of Ozona Methodist Church and a new director on the chamber board, gave the invocation.

Stan Lambert welcomed guests to the annual affair, where over 300 persons were present. He also recognized out of town guests along with extending appreciation to the various individuals and groups who helped with the banquet. Lambert introduced Dr. Newbury, and he kept the audience in stitches with numerous funny

Continental Singers return to Ozona at First Baptist

The Continental Singers and Orchestra, directed by Jim Johnson, currently on a 75-day international tour, will present a live concert of contemporary Christian music on Friday, Feb. 15, at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

Johnson will direct the 25 vocalists and 11-piece orchestra plus technical crew as they appear throughout the United States and the Orient.

Now in his fourth year with Continental Ministries, Johnson has just completed a tour to Australia, New Zealand and Fiji as Associate Director. He was assistant director in 1983 for the Bahamas tour and in the summer of 1984 for the tour to Great Britain, Belgium and Holland. He traveled as a vocalist in 1981 and '82 with the tours to England, Scotland, Wales, Holland and West Germany. Born in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, John-

son was graduated from Taylor University in Upland, Indiana, with a Bachelor's Degree in English Education in 1982. While in college he recorded an album, appeared with Johnny Mann in concert and served as a music minister for a church in Rushville, Indiana.

Johnson will direct this year's presentation entitled, We Will Stand. The program will feature some of the outstanding songs of the last few years including "People Need The Lord", "Kingdom of Love," "You're The Only Jesus," "There is No Other Name," "Fighter" and our theme, "We Will Stand," which declares, "you're my brother, you're my sister, so I'll take you by the hand...and together we will stand."

The Continental Singers and Orchestra is a presentation of Continental Ministries, Thousand Oaks, California with Cam Floria, president.

Again!!!!

Winter storm freezes Ozona

After a high of 75 degrees Thursday, an arctic front hit the area plunging temperatures to below zero and paralyzing Ozona again with an ice and snow storm Friday.

Frigid weather was the order of the day for the entire weekend.

Snow and sleet fell intermittently throughout the day Friday, with the height of the storm occurring during the noon hour. Motorists were stranded on the hills as they made an attempt to go home for lunch and traffic came to a halt except for vehicles equipped with snow chains or four-wheel-drive.

Schools were dismissed at noon and some businesses closed their doors.

Below zero temperatures during the early hours Saturday created many problems with water and electricity-outage in some areas of town. Water pipes froze and burst in the care center during the early hours Saturday, flooding the facility and confining residents to their beds. The community and conference rooms of Crockett County National Bank were also flooded from broken water pipes. Several homes had heavy water damage from frozen pipes.

Electricity failed about 5:30 Saturday morning on the east side of town. Repairs were found two trouble areas, and service was restored around 8 a.m.

Shortly after noon Saturday many homeowners found broken sprinkler systems and broken pipes outside their houses. An upstairs apartment at the Holiday Terrace was heavily damaged by water from broken pipes. The resident was away at the time, and as water flooded the apartment, the downstairs apartment was also damaged. The resident of the lower unit reported the flooding around 10

p.m. Saturday, and water to the entire facility was cut off while the premises were put in order.

The sun peaked out Saturday and by Sunday afternoon the snow and ice had melted, but frigid temperatures held on with overnight lows in the 20s and highs in the upper 40s.

More snow and cold was forecast for Tuesday, but failed to materialize, and at 2 p.m. Tuesday, under sunny skies, the mercury had climbed to 48 degrees.

Services held Tuesday for John Mayo

Funeral services for John Irvin Mayo, 77, were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 p.m. in Ozona Church of Christ with Mr. Ralph Anderson, minister, officiating. Burial followed in Cedar Hill Cemetery under the direction of Sizemore Funeral Home.

Mr. Mayo died Sunday in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo following an illness.

He had been a resident of Ozona for the past 24 years. He was a mechanic and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Ann Mayo of Ozona, and a daughter, Jan Robertson of Ozona.

Blood drive this afternoon at CofC office

The community blood drive is being held today at the Chamber of Commerce building. Blood is being taken by United Blood Services of San Angelo to fill the needs of area hospital patients.

If you are in good health, you are urged to go by the chamber office and take the time to donate blood between the hours of 3 and 8 p.m.

Immunization clinic set for tomorrow

A free immunization clinic will be held Thursday, Feb. 7, at the Ozona Civic Center under the direction of the Texas Department of Health.

The clinic will be open from 10 a.m. until noon, and from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m.

Community Chorus to rehearse Thurs.

The Ozona Community Chorus will begin rehearsals for its Spring Concert tomorrow night, Thursday, Feb. 7. The Spring Concert will be presented in mid-April. The rehearsal will begin at 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall of Ozona Methodist Church.

Anyone interested in rehearsing and performing fine choral music and who has not yet joined the chorus is welcome to join at this first rehearsal. The chorus will again be conducted by Henry Sellers.

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Chamber of Commerce award winners

This group was presented various awards for public service at the 21st Annual Chamber of Commerce banquet last week at the Civic Center. Mrs. Charles Williams, center, front, was awarded the outstanding citizen

award for the year. Other award winners were, front, left to right, Sam Martinez, Mrs. Williams, George Ybarra, back, l. to r., David Young, Dub O'Bryant, J.B. Miller and Susan Scott. [See story for places]

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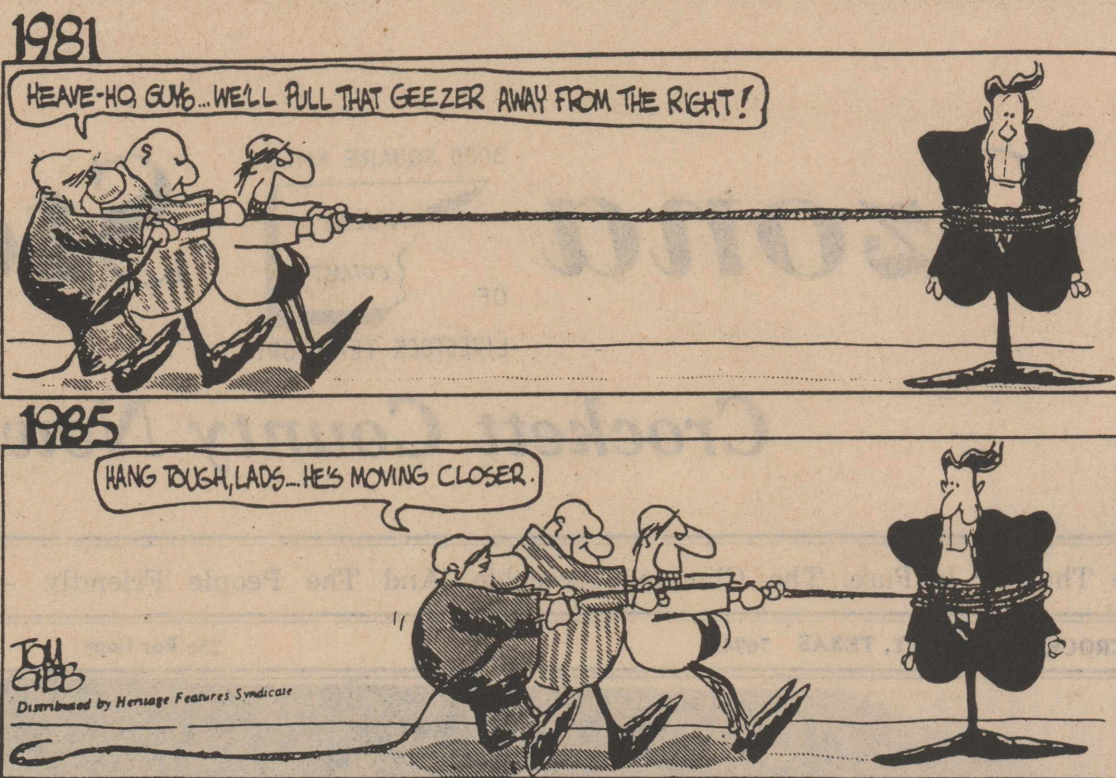
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Public Notice

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONDUCT WEATHER MODIFICATION OPERATIONS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

Date of the first of three weekly publications of this notice: February 6, 1985

1. Notice is hereby given that North American Weather Consultants, a professional weather consulting company, 1521 East 3900 South, Suite 103, Salt Lake City, Utah 84124 intends to file an application with the Texas Department of Water Resources for a State Permit to conduct weather modification operations to change or attempt to change the natural development of clouds for the purpose, objective, period, and by the methods summarized below.

2. North American Weather consultants submitted an application for a Texas Weather Modification license on December 11, 1984.

3. The purpose of the weather modification operation is to increase rainfall. The objective is to affect the water resources of the City of San Angelo. The period of the proposed permit is April 15 through October 15 for a four year period beginning in 1985.

4. The proposed weather modification operation is to be conducted for and on behalf of the City of San Angelo, P.O. Box 1751, San Angelo, Texas 76902.

5. The proposed weather modification operation is to be carried out in an "operational area" and a "target area" to cause the intended effects to occur only in the target area. The operational area includes all of Irion, Tom Green, Reagan, and Glasscock Counties and portions of Sterling, Coke, Schleicher, Crockett, Upton, and Midland Counties. This area is bounded by the following points: a

point on the Martin-Midland County line four miles east of Interstate 20, south to a point on the Upton-Crockett County line four miles west of the Reagan County line, southeast to the City of Ozona; east to the intersection of Sutton-Schleicher-Crockett County lines, east along entire Schleicher-Sutton County line, north along Schleicher-Menard and Tom Green-Concho County lines, west along Tom Green-Runnels County line, northwest to the intersection of highway 163 with the Sterling-Mitchell County line, west along Sterling-Mitchell and Glasscock-Howard County lines, then west to starting point.

6. The area to be affected by the proposed weather modification operation is the target area. The target area includes all of Irion County and portions of Glasscock, Sterling, Tom Green, Schleicher, Crockett, and Reagan Counties. This area is bounded by the following points: a point at the intersection of highway 87 with the Glasscock-Sterling County line; due west for 20 miles to a point in Glasscock County; due south to the City of Best; southeast to a point on highway 163, 10 miles south of the City of Barnhart; due east to a point on highway 2084, 8 miles north of highway 190; due north to a point on highway 380, 8 miles east of City of San Angelo; northwest to a point 10 miles due east of the intersection of highway 87 with the Glasscock-Sterling County line; due west back to the starting point.

7. The methods and materials to be used in conducting this operation are summarized herein: a licensed meteorologist will select cumuliform clouds for cloud-seeding using a dedicated weather radar display, standard meteorological data, and forecast techniques to direct seeding aircraft

equipped to dispense the seeding particles, silver iodide crystals, into cloud tops or into updraft air at cloud base.

8. The Texas Water Commission shall, if requested by at least 25 persons, hold a public hearing in the area where the operation is to be conducted prior to the issuance of a permit. No public hearing will be held on this application unless a request for a hearing is made within 30 days of the date of the first publication of this Notice. Requests for a hearing should be made in writing to the Office of General Counsel, Texas Department of Water Resources, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Telephone (512) 475-7836.

9. Requests for further information about the proposed weather modification operation should be made to the Weather and Climate Section, Texas Department of Water Resources, same mailing address as above. Telephone (512)475-6318.
Don A. Griffith
Vice President
North American
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed proposals for contract mowing in various counties will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, San Angelo, Texas, on the date and time indicated below; and then publicly opened and read.

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Contract #075XXM1006 Tom Green Co.
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Plans, specifications and proposals are available at the office of Charlie F. Low, District Maintenance Engineer, San Angelo, Texas. Prebidder Conference for all contracts will be held at the State Department of Highways & Public Transportation, San Angelo, Texas on February 13, 1985 at 10:00 a.m.
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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Victor I. Pierce were issued on December 7, 1984, in Cause No. 660, pending in the County Court of Crockett County, Texas, to:

MILES PIERCE
The residence of such Independent Executor is 554 Hwy. 287E, Midlothian, Ellis County, Texas 76065. The post office address is P.O. Box 2540, San Angelo, Tom Green County, Texas 76902.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

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SETTING THE TABLE IN GENEVA

By Edwin Feulner

With the Shultz-Gromyko arms talks in Geneva behind us, and the media swarms back in their homelands, we can sit back and with all due respect ask, "Why all the hype?"

The January 7-8 talks were, in reality, nothing more than talks about future talks. Even the *New York Times* disdainfully described the first day of talks as one of "jokes and no comment."

CBS-TV veteran Bill Moyers — an ardent critic of the Reagan administration — noted on the morning of the second day of talks that the media were being criticized for bringing unnecessary attention to the talks. In defense of his presence in Geneva, he went on to give a somber television soliloquy on how the future of the world rested on the outcome.

Give us a break!

Arms control talks are not the essence of national security policy. While prancing around in the cold in Geneva gives Bill Moyers an opportunity to pontificate and sharpen his dramatic skills, the security of the Free World rests on U.S. and allied strength, not on the theatrics and media hype about arms control.

Geneva would be a safer place if the nuclear nations would destroy their weapons. But as Arms Control and Disarmament Agency (ACDA) Director Kenneth Adelman has warned, "Even with good faith and Herculean efforts on both sides, it will be difficult to bridge the wide disparities (and) balance systems that are comparable and to make trade-offs between systems that are not."

Moreover, is it overly cynical to wonder aloud why we even bother? After all, the Soviet Union has not lived up to earlier arms-control agreements. Is any useful purpose served by going through another period of agonizing negotiations, presided over by the television industry, if there's no reason to believe the Soviets will live up to the terms of the pact?

Washington arms control expert James T. Hackett, former acting director of ACDA, asks many of the same questions in the January issue of *National Security Record*, a monthly newsletter. The U.S. must enter into future negotiations with its own agenda, he advises.

"First," he says, "make clear that there can be no progress on new agreements until Moscow stops violating existing ones." This would require, at a minimum, that the Soviets "dismantle the illegal ABM radar they are building at Krasnoyarsk; cease testing and making preparations for deployment of the new SS-25 ballistic missile; stop encrypting essential telemetry data from missile tests; and remove from service their dual-capable air defense missiles."

Hackett also urges the U.S. to make an issue of Soviet behavior in Afghanistan, Eastern Europe, Central America and elsewhere. People murdered by Soviet-backed terrorists or by Communist armies using rifles and mortars are just as surely dead as those who lost their lives at Hiroshima.

Of course, Hackett says, the U.S. should have no illusions that the Soviets will want to discuss such matters. But broadening the discussions could lead to another item: the need to amend the 1972 ABM Treaty to permit the testing and deployment of anti-ballistic missile defenses.

As the Committee on the Next Agenda — a joint study-team involving the Hudson Institute, Heritage Foundation, Brookings Institution, Hoover Institution and American Enterprise Institute — argued in a recent study, with or without the Kremlin's blessing, the United States should vigorously move ahead with research on strategic defense.

The study-panel said a ballistic missile defense system (BMD) would: 1) "enhance the survivability of our missiles, making our deterrent capability even more credible than it is at the moment"; 2) reinforce "our existing nuclear guarantee to Western Europe"; and 3) "serve as an incentive for the Soviet Union to enter into serious arms-control negotiations."

"It provides the public with a 'vision of the future' in which an alternative to the arms race or nuclear blackmail is presented.... By reducing the effectiveness of first-strike weapons, BMD could also be used to encourage significant reductions in nuclear stockpiles."

Moyers and many of his cronies, of course, are skeptical. Perhaps that's because a real end to the nuclear arms race would be "bad TV."

Tom Loeffler Congressman 21st District - Texas
Reports from Washington

The Upcoming Arms Talks

President Reagan believes that there is no more important goal to be achieved during his second term than to reduce and ultimately eliminate nuclear weapons.

To underscore the importance he places on this issue, the President chose to meet early on the first official working day of his second term with the three Americans he has charged with pursuing the goal of true arms control.

The negotiating team, which begins discussions with the Soviet Union in Geneva on March 12, is composed of individuals who bring a unique blend of substantive diplomatic and political acumen to the bargaining table. It is a bipartisan team which offers the skills necessary to achieve their goal.

Heading the team is Max Kampelman, noted lawyer and seasoned negotiator, who will lead discussions on space weaponry. Senior Foreign Service Officer Maynard Glitman will lead the talks on reducing intermediate range weapons. And, leading negotiations on the reduction of strategic weapons is the former senior Senator from our own State of Texas, John Tower, who chaired the Senate Armed Services Committee until his retirement in January.

As one who first came to Washington to work for Senator Tower — and who considers him both a mentor and close friend — I know personally of the unique and exceptional strength he brings to the team.

John Tower's intimate knowledge of weapon systems, his firm determination to protect our nation's military strength, and his much-recognized military expertise, honed over 24 years in the Senate, will prove invaluable assets in the months ahead. More than any other negotiator, John Tower's name sends a clear signal to the Soviet Union — and to the world — that the United States, while seeking genuine reductions in arms, will grant no concessions that might jeopardize our nation's security. Furthermore, as a realistic skeptic on arms control agreements of the past, John Tower's support of any final agreement would be a clear indication that the President's goals are attainable.

As we proceed, it must be with the clear understanding that the negotiating process will be lengthy. Due to today's increasingly-sophisticated weapons technologies, the problem confronting the negotiators is how to accurately verify that both sides are in compliance with agreed-upon reductions. Additionally, I do not believe that it is in our nation's best interests to even consider unilaterally abandoning such systems as the MX or our research into the Strategic Defense Initiative — as some suggest.

These weapons advances are what brought the Soviets to the bargaining table. To abandon them now would give the Soviets what they want and would give us nothing in return. Only by negotiating from a position of strength can we ensure that it is in the Soviet's best interests to reduce — and eventually eliminate — their nuclear arsenals.



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Tips For Gardeners

From the
Ozona Garden Club
by Mrs. Bailey Post

This is the month of preparation for outdoor planting. "The February sunshine steeps your boughs and tints the buds and swells the leaves within". William Cullen Bryant.

After this last cold spell don't delay longer those tasks that could have been done in January and that must be done now if your garden is not to suffer.

Continue to check regularly all bulbs that are being stored. Remove any that show signs of rot promptly, or cut out the decayed part and dust the cut surfaces with sulphur.

Apply fertilizer to perennials, including bulbs that have been planted a year or more and new growth appears above the ground.

If you want early blooms, plant seed indoors or where they can be protected. To apply moisture without disturbing the seeds, use pots or flats that can be set in large containers of water. Placing a piece of glass over the top of the seed container will keep enough moisture in the soil for seed

germination, provided the soil was thoroughly wet before planting. Remove the glass when growth starts, first removing it halfway, then altogether.

In our area you should wait until after the middle of this month to prune your roses and maybe safer the last of the month. Cut back top growth to within 12 to 15 inches of the ground. Remove all but 4 to 6 canes from the bud graft at the base of the plant. Prune climbing roses after spring blooming unless they bloom throughout the summer.

This month's Southern Living is full of interesting articles on how to grow the beautiful primroses for indoors or in your garden. Also interesting dish gardens, home grown fruit-vines for shade, shape and fruit. Shrubs and ground covers for beauty and berries. For many gardeners, ripe peaches, apples and pears are enjoyed throughout the summer. Also berries can be grown and enjoyed in our area.

Sensible dieting is the best way to lose weight

"Lose weight while you sleep." "Amazing diets lets you eat all you want!" "Lose 20 pounds in one week!"

These advertisements, in magazines, newspapers or television, all offer a magic, new way to lose weight without even trying. But weight control specialists at Baylor College of Medicine say over the long run, "fad diets" are not safe.

These specialists say that safe weight loss requires a sensible plan based on three elements: a lower calorie intake, an increase in exercise and other changes in lifestyle.

The first step in the sensible weight control plan is taking control over the

appetite. Appetite is not hunger--it's seeing, smelling and thinking about food. Many overweight people unfortunately give in regularly to their appetite impulses, the Baylor specialists said.

The next step is to compare daily caloric intake with daily need and cut down. The Baylor specialist say the best way to cut calories is by eating smaller portions of food during meals.

While an important part of the weight control plan is exercise, there is no need for rigorous calisthenics.

People on this plan can expect to lose only a pound or two per week, but the specialists stress that a slow and steady weight loss is safer and more likely to be permanent.

The specialists also suggest the following buying, storing and serving tips to help a weight reduction plan. Plan meals for the week. Shop right after eating. Cook enough for only one serving per person. Broil and bake instead of frying. Eat meals at regular times. Serve smaller portions and prepare servings in the kitchen, not at the table.

For more helpful tips on losing weight and exercise, write Baylor College of Medicine for a free brochure. Send to: Sensible Weight Control, We Care For You, P.O. Box 13567, Houston, Tx. 77219.

Wool fashions are an investment for long wear

The combination of unusually cold weather and traditional winter sales have made this an excellent time to buy wool clothes, says a Texas A&M University consumer information specialist.

"Often when you buy wool items on sale in south Texas, you can look forward to months of storing them in a closet until winter sets in again," says Beverly Rhoades. But this year looks like it will provide a longer wearing season, she adds.

Wool fashions are an investment in quality and long life, Rhoades maintains. When buying wool clothes--even on sale--consider the cost per wearing. Simply divide the total cost by the number of times you estimate you will wear the garment.

Because wool clothing is durable, resists tearing and often doesn't show wear, it can generally be worn for several seasons, she explains. So the per wearing cost of buying "investment" clothing such as a wool suit may be lower than the cost of less expensive clothing worn over a shorter period of time.

When shopping for wool clothes, look for the woolmark, which may be on the label or a hang tag, says the specialist. In addition, certain descriptive terms on the label may indicate wool quality origin or quality:

"Virgin" wool has never been used before. The term indicates use only and not quality.

"Reprocessed" wool has never been worn but is remanufactured from fabric scraps and is usually of lower quality than virgin wool.

"Reused" wool has been remanufactured from items used before and is usually of lower quality than reprocessed wool. It is often used in blends.

Wool is often blended with other

fibers to produce fabrics which cost less than pure wool or to enhance care, appearance or wearability features for a particular type of clothing, Rhoades says. But if a garment contains at least 50 percent wool fiber, it will behave much like pure wool, she adds.

While consumers are out looking for a bargain at the winter sales, they could be contributing to the Texas wool industry, Rhoades observes. Texas is the number one wool producing state and it provides almost 50 percent of the nation's fine grade wool, she says.

According to the specialist, the \$120 million dollar industry also employs about 10,000 Texans in fiber production warehousing and some processing.

Use herbs and spices in cooking

Many people think that herb and spices belong only in gourmet dishes or ethnic meals. But liberal use of herbs and spices in everyday cooking can have many advantages.

First of all, they offer a way to cut or save calories in cooking. The calories in herbs and spices are far less than in breadings, batters, gravies, sauces and fried foods. Second, you can save money by reducing the number of ingredients in preparation and or by dressing up inexpensive foods for a special meal. Third, many people are looking for flavors to substitute for salt or sodium. Herbs and spices add zest and flavor to unsalted foods.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone for the visits, flowers, prayers and memorials at the time of our shock and loss of Alton. Words can not express our appreciation. We could not have made it without all of your concern and prayers.

God Bless You All for being so nice to us.

The Ivy Smith Family

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Mrs. Baggett is hostess for bridge club

Mrs. Bill Baggett was hostess for bridge at the Country Club Thursday.

High score went to Mrs. Charles Williams and second high to Mrs. Jake Short. Mrs. Bill Mason won the bingo.

Others playing were Mrs. Clay Adams, Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Joe Friend, Mrs. J. J. Marley, Mrs. Kirby Moore, Mrs. Buddy Phillips, Mrs. C. O. Walker, and Mrs. Gene Williams.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

In Duplicate Bridge Club play Saturday afternoon at the Ozona Country Club. Kitty Montgomery and Leota Cox tied with Mrs. Joe Clayton and Mrs. Joe Friend for the top spot.

Winners Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Montgomery and Mrs. Cox. In second place were Mrs. Jack Williams and Mrs. Byron Williams and Mrs. Clayton and Mrs. Friend were third.

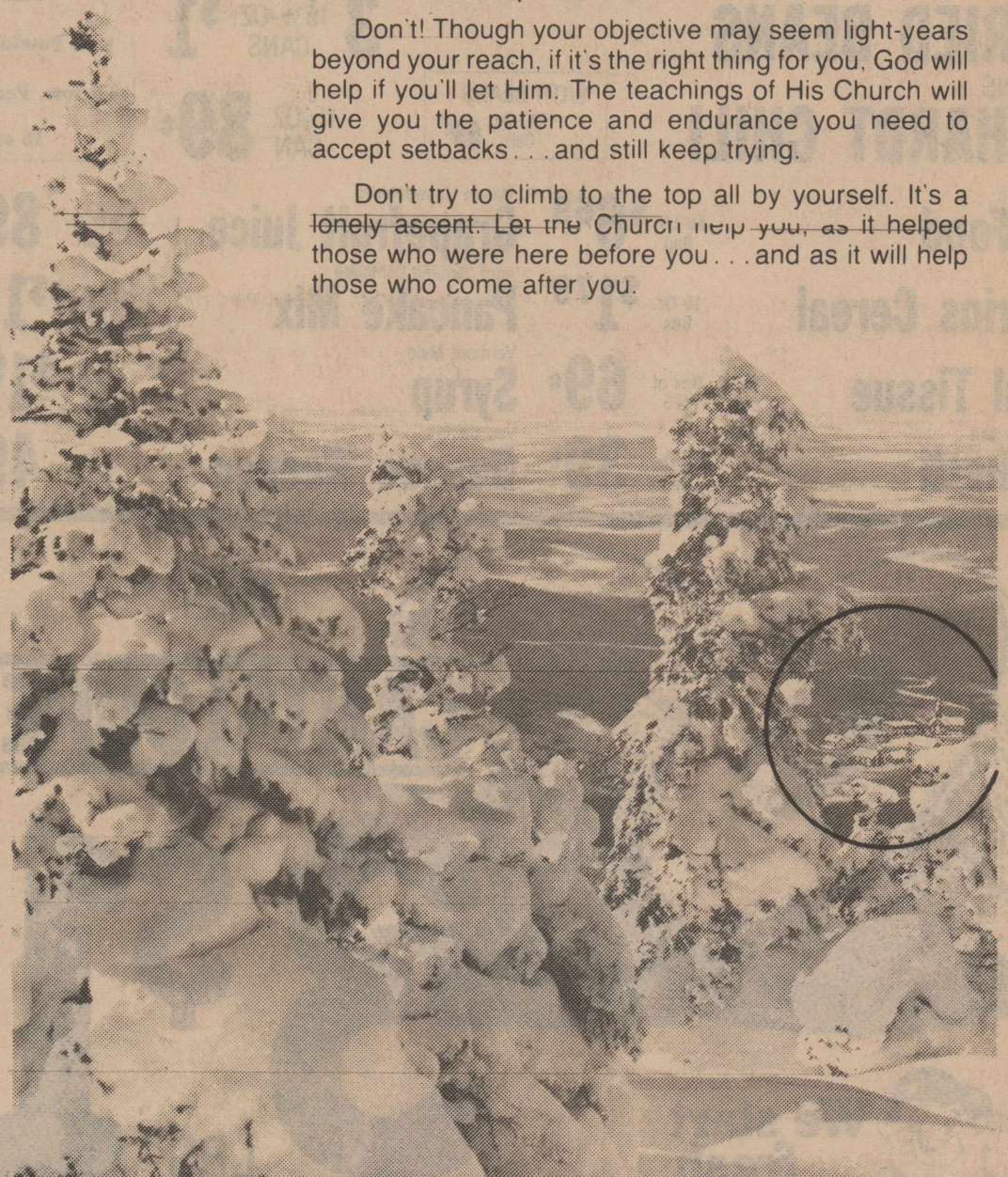
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Don't try to climb to the top all by yourself. It's a lonely ascent. Let the Church help you, as it helped those who were here before you... and as it will help those who come after you.



	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Corinthians	Psalms	Jeremiah	Luke	Galatians	Mark	Psalms
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Supplemental feeding will maintain condition of herds

A systematic approach to supplemental feeding can help cattlemen maintain the condition of their beef herds while keeping a handle on costs.

Supplemental feeding is necessary since cattle can only store protein and minerals in limited amounts, points out Billy Reagor, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University System. However, he suggests supplementing only if increased performance will more than offset the cost or if it's necessary for humane treatment of cattle.

Reagor offers the following general guidelines:

Allow cows to graze selectively. The forage they actually consume will be slightly more digestible and contain more protein than the average of all forage in the pasture. Overstocking eliminates the potential for selective grazing and greatly increases the need for, and the expense of, supplementation. On the other hand, many pastures must be supplemented regardless of the amount of forage, for satisfactory animal performance.

Keep out year-round a good salt plus 8-12 percent phosphorus and calcium mineral mix. An exception might be where phosphorus is supplied by protein and energy supplements.

Begin protein supplementation before cows lose a lot of weight and condition. A killing frost is a definite signal to start in the fall. Protein would also be beneficial during drought periods when grass is dry and tough. It's cheaper to save condition in late summer and fall than it is to feed poor cow back into shape during late winter.

Adequate protein is essential for normal feed or energy intake and digestion. Adding 1 to 3 lbs. of a 30 to 40 percent protein supplement to low quality forages—those with less than 6 percent crude protein—can increase

forage intake as much as 30 to 60 percent and digestion to 6 to 12 percent. Such supplementation where forage quantity is plentiful can turn a drastic weight loss into an acceptable loss or maintenance situation.

Energy in 1 to 2 lbs. of high-energy supplement may slightly stimulate digestibility (1 to 3 percent) and intake (5 to 10 percent) of poor forages. However, levels above 10 to 12 percent of the diet (2-3 lbs. per 1,000-lb of live weight) will generally slightly depress forage digestibility and have a substitution rather than a supplementary effect on total energy intake.

The best way to handle energy-deficient situations is to manage to stay away from them. Improve hay quality. Control calving seasons so quality forage is available when cows and calves need it most. Use fertilization and limited supplementation to be sure cows are in good condition starting the winter, thus greatly reducing heavy seasonal supplementation.

If cows are getting too poor, feed higher levels of supplement or get ready to pay the price of a reduced calf crop and lower weaning weights.

This same substitution effect exists where hay is used to supplement pasture. Use 1 to 3 lbs. of a high-protein, high-energy supplement to help cattle clean up dead grass in the fall before it rots. Then really haul out hay as the total feed. Don't tease them with a third to half feed of hay as it will depress pasture use. Remember that pasture is used up long before the last bite is gone.

Look ahead! Try to stay out of situations calling for high levels of supplementation—it's seldom profitable. On the other hand, a little supplement (even a lot) at the right time can be a profitable management tool.

The Newsreel

A rerun of "The Ozona Story" as gleaned from the files of the "The Ozona Stockman"

Thursday, Feb. 9, 1956

Crockett Co. ranchers will try turkey raising to overcome drought loss. Paymaster Feed Co. will finance and market the turkeys with the grower furnishing his own labor and feeders. Between May 1 and 15th James Baggett, Pat Cooper and C. O. Walker will take delivery on 17,000 turkeys, eight weeks old and care for them for 28 weeks.

29 yrs. ago

Governor Allen Shivers designated March 5-10, 1956 as public school week.

29 yrs. ago

For the first time since its operation as a county hospital began in 1953 the Crockett Co. Hospital showed a profit on its January operation. The change from the red to the black side of the ledger was revealed in the January operation report made by Hospital Manager J. Bailey Post.

29 yrs. ago

The hospital board which supervises operation of the hospital on behalf of the County Commissioners Court is headed by Charles Ratliff, chairman; C.O. Walker, vice chairman; Mrs. Evert White, secretary and other members Mrs. Frank James, Mrs. Max Schneemann and Martin Harvick.

29 yrs. ago

1359 poll taxes were paid in

Crockett Co.

29 yrs. ago Mrs. Arthur Phillips, president of the Ozona Band Boosters Club presided over a meeting at the Band Hall.

29 yrs. ago

Mrs. Early Baggett was hostess to bridge in her home. High went to Mrs. Marshall Montgomery.

29 yrs. ago

Mrs. L. B. Cox III was leader for a study when WSCS met at the home of Mrs. Floyd Henderson.

29 yrs. ago

Mrs. Jess Marley and Mrs. Vic Montgomery were hostesses to the Ozona Womans Forum.

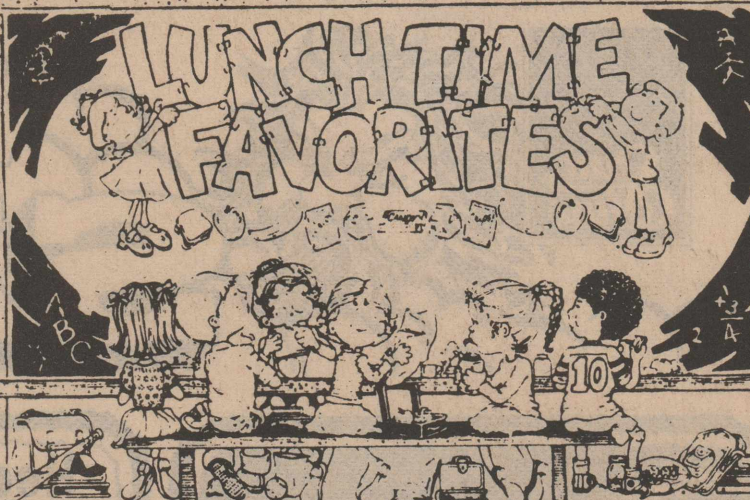
29 yrs. ago

Joe Bailey returned to University of Texas after a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Bailey and Martha.

29 yrs. ago

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LUNCH TIME FAVORITES



This week's lunch menu

Monday Hamburger Steak Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Hot Rolls	Wednesday Corn Dogs Macaroni & Cheese French Fries Combination Salad Sliced Peaches	Thursday Hamburger on Bun Tater Tots Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles Applesauce Hot Rolls
Tuesday Tacos Ranch Style Beans Lettuce & Tomatoes Mixed Fruit Cookies	OZONA PUBLIC SCHOOLS	
Friday Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes Buttered Peas Applesauce Cake Hot Rolls		

Serious weed problem is expected on ranges in '85

Last year's drought followed by abundant fall rains has set the stage for a serious weed problem on Texas ranges in 1985.

Loss of grass cover during the extended drought provided an opening for many weed species, points out Dr. Tommy Welch, range brush and weed control specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. The rains that followed will provide sufficient moisture for weed germination and growth. Winter annuals already have germinated and are currently in the rosette stage.

A dense infestation of weeds will significantly reduce production of desirable forage on rangeland, notes Welch. In addition to loss in forage production, some weedy plants are poisonous and cause considerable livestock losses.

Although poisonous plants are found throughout the state, some of the most serious problems occur in the Trans-Pecos region of Texas. Poisonous plants are more abundant this year because of the weather-drought followed by rains.

Most weeds can be controlled with herbicides, a practice that will produce substantial returns, Welch points out. Results from research and weed control result demonstrations have shown that grass production will increase substantially when unwanted broadleaf plants are controlled. In most cases, a pound of grass has been produced for every pound of weeds controlled. Also, control of poisonous plants will reduce livestock losses.

If a weed problem is identified early in the season, herbicides can be applied when control will be most efficient and economical.

Annual weeds easy to control with properly timed herbicides include annual or common broomweed, campweed and bitter sneezeweed. The

herbicide 2, 4-D will easily control these plants when they are small and growth conditions are good, Welch explains.

Herbicide mixtures are available for plants that are more difficult to control, including many poisonous plants. These mixtures are available as the commercial formulations Weedmaster (1:3 mixture of dicamba and 2, 4-D) and Grazon P plus D (1:4 mixture of picloram and 2, 4-D). Also, Banvel (dicamba) or Grazon PC (picloram) may be tank mixed with 2,4-D). Also, Banvel (dicamba) or Grazon PC (picloram) may be tank mixed with 2,4-D). Also, Banvel (dicamba) or Grazon PC (picloram) may be tank mixed with 2,4-D).

If ranchers are concerned about having weed seeds as food for wildlife, they can use herbicides with this objective in mind. An early application of 2, 4-D will control early germinating annuals such as annual broomweed but will allow later germinating croton and snow-on-the-mountain to survive.

Permian Basin Energy Assn.

Everyone is wondering when oil prices, the rig count and the tax ax will quit falling.

Too many have forgotten when crude oil was \$2.75 a barrel, the rig count was less than a hundred, and still the tax man cometh. Right now, except for a sudden, giant spurt in demand, there is little the independent can do about crude oil pricing. The country fooled around and missed an opportunity to become energy independent, when crude oil was decontrolled, but the Windfall Profits Excise Tax was added on.

The government figured that, with oil at \$40.00 per barrel and apparently going to \$100.00, the Excise Tax would raise some \$227 billion dollars in ten years, and that would take care

of our overspending plus any increase in the national debt and deficit. They set up an Energy Department, costing about 12 billion dollars a year, and did real good for the first couple of years. Since then, like the wellhead price controls on both crude oil and natural gas, it's been all downhill.

In addition to the Windfall Profits Excise Tax, they cut the top tax rate from 70% to 50% at the same time, and suddenly it was time to pay the piper. Some folks, especially in foreign operations, got a might greedy and, with the tremendous increase in conservation, produced more than they should have. Suddenly the bottom dropped out of the market, investors took their funds elsewhere, taxes had to be paid and the rigs quit running.

But, with the price of crude finally settling at about \$30.00 per barrel, drilling cost coming down, better deals being put together, and a pick-up in the economy, a light could be seen at the end of the tunnel. Unfortunately, some of our foreign "friends" decided to start overproducing while cutting prices again and the Treasury Department came up with their brilliant tax proposal. The light at the end of the tunnel turned out to be a railroad locomotive coming our way. (To be continued--we hope).

Applications available for Marshals

The U.S. Department of Justice and the U.S. Marshals Service are recruiting men and women to work as Deputy U.S. Marshals—with posts of duty located throughout the United States.

The Office of Personnel Management (OPM) will accept applications between February 4, 1985 and February 22, 1985. Applications cannot be accepted before or after these dates.

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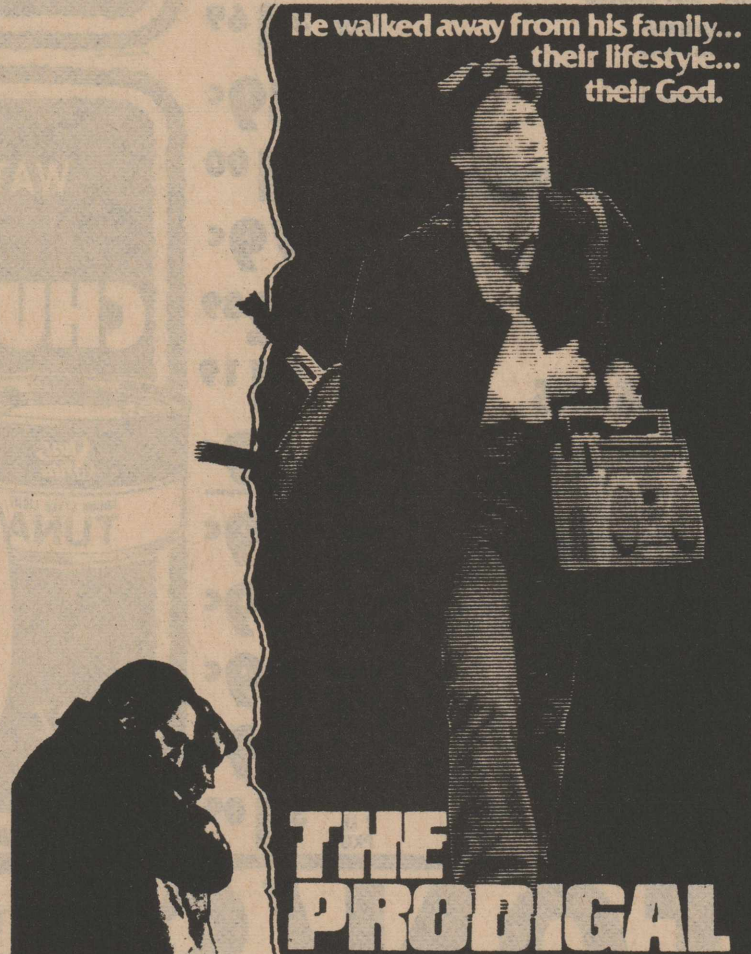
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Cancer: The Good News

Scientists make progress in this decade

Cancer dates to the days of the dinosaurs. Yet only during the past decade have scientists made the discoveries that demonstrate this dreaded disease can be conquered.

sive chemotherapy, usually containing high doses of three potent drugs, sometimes is sufficient to cure these cancers. In other cases, the drug-reduced bone tumors are removed and an artificial metal bone takes the place

tumors of the eyes and kidneys. Increasingly successful combination chemotherapy for many childhood cancers has paved the way for curing more malignancies in adults, too. Almost 50 anti-cancer drugs are now

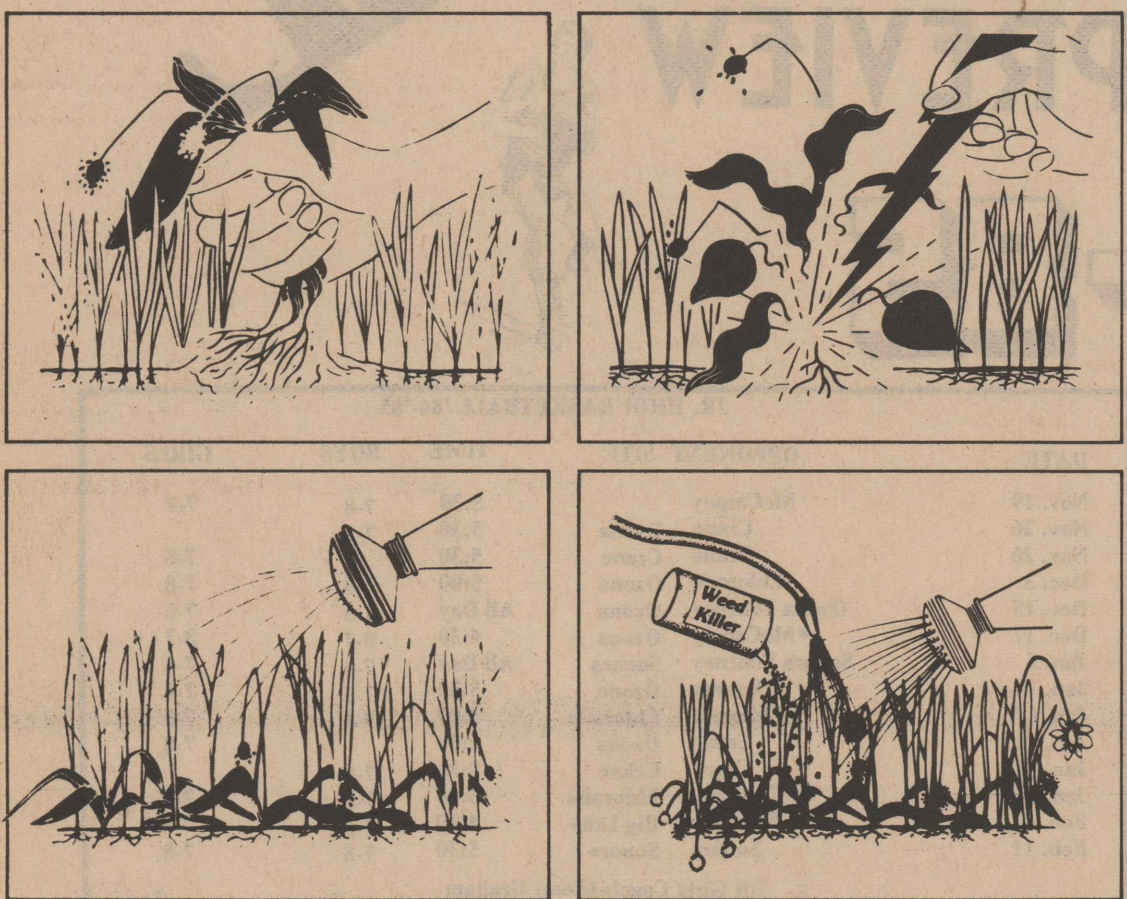
just before her first birthday," recalls Nicole's mother, Tammy Wilson. "We were devastated. She's our only child, and we'd been through so much... Nicole was born with a serious congenital heart defect. We could have lost her then, only she had corrective surgery at seven weeks and seemed to be fine until..."

Mrs. Wilson said she and her husband, Joe, who live in the Aldine area near Houston, were advised there probably was nothing to do for Nicole's brain tumor. But after the child was referred to M.D. Anderson, a team of specialists devised a treatment plan that included using a new type of surgical laser to remove the large tumor. Nicole has been taking combination chemotherapy for several months now and has a favorable prognosis for cure.

The overall survival rate for all cancer patients across the age spectrum has risen to the point where many health experts contend cancer now is among the most curable of all chronic diseases. Yet physicians and scientists stress they could do so much better if more people worked at preventing cancer.

The major message about malignant diseases, they say, is not the advances in biotechnology and molecular biology, although these have enormous potential for eventually eradicating cancer as a human health threat.

No, the all-important aim is to motivate every person to take preventive actions that will make the difference in determining their individual cancer destinies.



Treating cancer is like weeding a garden. Through surgery, some tumors are cut out like the weed at top left. Radiation therapy is similar to lightning striking at top right, while drugs can be used against cancers that have spread as shown at bottom left. Combined therapies for metastatic cancers might be illustrated as the multiple methods for getting rid of weeds which have invaded the whole flower bed at bottom right.

No longer does curing cancer equate to an elusive, seemingly impossible dream. Achievements are reported with regularity as researchers patiently pry cancer's secrets out of the complex components within a single living cell.

Cure rates have greatly improved for such cancers as childhood leukemia, Hodgkin's disease, melanoma and bone cancer, which were usually fatal just 20 years ago. Today, those types, along with testicular, cervical and thyroid cancers, are largely curable.

The one big cloud marring the overall outlook involves cancers caused by smoking--and that's an estimated 30 percent of all malignant diseases.

Smoking-linked lung cancer remains the chief cancer killer of American men and women combined, but tobacco products also contribute to at least six other kinds of cancer along with a variety of other diseases.

Cancer is this country's second major medical killer. Almost 1 million people will learn they have cancer this year. Estimates are that one in every four Americans will be affected by cancer during their lives. Stated another way, cancer will touch about three out of every four families.

"With the exception of lung cancer, which is mainly preventable, there is a lot of appropriate optimism about current cancer therapy and some of the newer treatment techniques on the immediate horizon," notes Dr. Irwin H. Krakoff, head of the Division of Medicine at The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute at Houston.

"We must be realistic in our anticipations, however. Because cancer is more than 100 different diseases, it is highly unlikely we will find a single cure for all types," he says.

Surgery remains the cornerstone of initial treatment for most tumors that have not spread beyond the point of origin. Many operations are combined with radiation therapy and drugs, and sometimes all three types of treatment are used. Newer techniques that depend on biologic agents to boost individuals' cancer-fighting abilities and such selective procedures as bone marrow transplants also are helping extend survival for many patients.

The current trend among cancer surgeons is toward less-radical operations, particularly for saving limbs, sparing breasts and preserving vital functions of the head and neck area. More conservative surgical procedures are not for all patients, but may be possible when tumors are relatively small and localized.

The approach to treating osteosarcoma, a type of bone cancer most common among teenagers, has altered dramatically in the last few years so that now amputating an arm or leg can be avoided in many cases. Aggres-

sive chemotherapy, usually containing high doses of three potent drugs, sometimes is sufficient to cure these cancers. In other cases, the drug-reduced bone tumors are removed and an artificial metal bone takes the place

of the diseased one. In early breast cancer, limited surgery to take out small tumors is being combined with follow-up radiation in many cases and producing treatment results equal to the more common radical operations. For those women with more extensive disease, reconstructive breast surgery can be offered to many after mastectomies, thereby enhancing functional and emotional recovery.

Even for advanced oral cavity cancers, refined surgical techniques in concert with radiation and chemotherapy can spare some vital tissues, and newer artificial face parts are available to improve patients' appearances.

As many as one-half of all cancer patients in some centers get radiation therapy, the majority on an outpatient basis. High-energy cobalt units are the mainstay of many radiotherapy programs.

No place has progress been more spectacular than against cancers that strike children, including childhood leukemia and lymphoma, and rarer

being used.

"We are steadily improving our cure rate for childhood leukemia--now more than 60 percent in some places--through better classification and target therapy. Understanding that there are seven or eight different classes of leukemia in children and planning treatments tailored to each sub-set and age group can mean a big difference in the outcomes," explains Dr. Jan van Eys, head of M.D. Anderson's Division of Pediatrics.

Dr. van Eys is especially excited about progress in treating brain cancers, which account for one in three childhood malignancies, and he wants to clear up "that awful misconception that nothing can be done for these patients." Intense chemotherapy, radiation for some older children and highly selective surgery mean about 40 percent of childhood brain cancers can be cured today.

Two-year-old Nicole Wilson is just one active example of why he is encouraged by the steady therapy improvements.

"We learned she had a brain tumor

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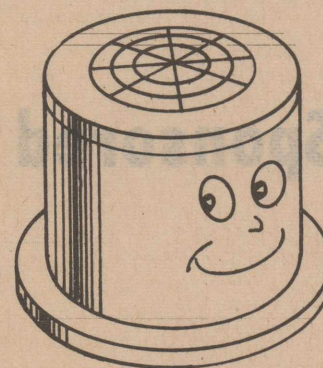
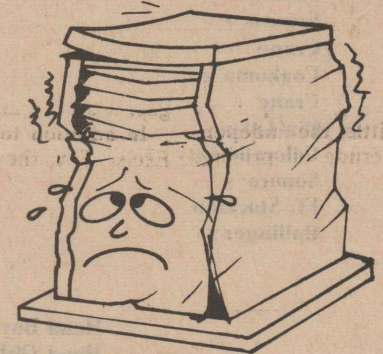
7:30 p.m.

BOY TO GARZAS

Mr. and Mrs. Lalo Garza are the parents of a son born at 2:36 p.m. January 31, in Angelo Community Hospital. He weighed 7 lb. 12 oz. and has been named Lalo Jr. He has a brother, Jesse Lee, 7 years.

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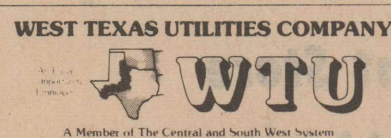
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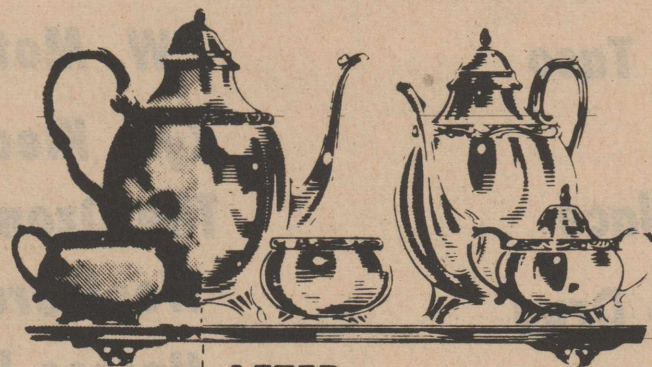
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BASKETBALL PREVIEW

1984-85



Ozona High School

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1984-1985

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME	BOYS	GIRLS
Nov. 5	Iraan & Scrimmage	Iraan	4:30		A&B
Nov. 15	Ft. Stockton [Scrimmage] & Del Rio	Ozona	5:30		A&B
Nov. 19	Big Lake	Big Lake	5:00	A&B	A&B
Nov. 27	Rankin	Ozona	5:30	A&B	A&B
Nov. 29, 30 Dec. 1	Crane Tournament	Crane		A	
	Big Lake Tournament	Big Lake			A
Nov. 30, Dec. 1	Ft. Stockton Tournament	Ft. Stockton		9th	
Dec. 3	Sonora	Sonora	5:30	9th	9th
Dec. 4	Big Lake	Ozona	5:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 6, 7, 8	Ozona Tournament	Ozona		A	A
Dec. 6, 7, 8	Ft. Stockton Tourn.	Ft. Stockton			9th
Dec. 10	McCamey	Ozona	5:30	9th	9th
Dec. 11	Rankin	Rankin	5:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 13	Crane	Crane	5:30		9th
Dec. 13-15	Greenwood Tourn.	Greenwood			A
Dec. 14	McCamey	Ozona	6:15	A&B	
Dec. 17	Big Lake	Ozona	5:30	9th	9th
Dec. 17	Iraan	Iraan	4:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 29	Greenwood	Greenwood	3:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 3, 4, 5	Big Lake Tourn.	Big Lake		A	
Jan. 4	Ballinger *	Ozona	6:30		A&B
Jan. 7	McCamey	McCamey	5:30	9th	
Jan. 8	Sonora *	Sonora	6:30		A&B
Jan. 8	Iraan	Ozona	6:15	A&B	
Jan. 11	Coahoma *	Coahoma	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 14	Ft. Stockton	Ozona	5:30	9th	
Jan. 15	Crane *	Ozona	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 18	Colorado City *	Ozona	5:30	A&B	A&B
Jan. 21	Ft. Stockton	Ft. Stockton	5:30		9th
Jan. 22	Open				
Jan. 24	Iraan	Iraan	5:30	9th	
Jan. 25	Ballinger *	Ballinger	6:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 28	Sonora	Ozona	5:30	9th	
Jan. 29	Sonora *	Ozona	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 31	Crane	Ozona	5:30		9th
Feb. 1	Coahoma *	Ozona	5:00	A&B	A&B
Feb. 5	Crane *	Crane	5:00	A&B	A&B
Feb. 7	Big Lake	Big Lake	4:30	9th	
Feb. 8	Colorado City *	Colorado City	5:30	A&B	A&B
Feb. 12	Sonora *	Sonora	6:30	A&B	
Feb. 14	Ft. Stockton	Ft. Stockton	5:30	9th	
Feb. 15	Ballinger *	Ozona	6:30	A&B	

*Dist. 7-AAA games

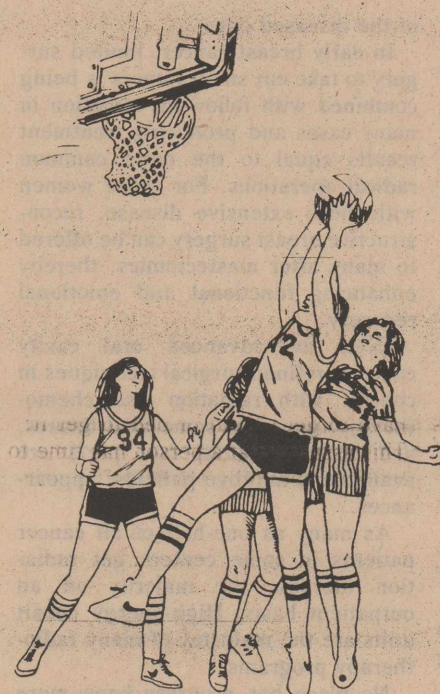
Head Boys Coach-John Curry
Head Girls Coach-Terri McColloch

JR. HIGH BASKETBALL '84-'85

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	BOYS	GIRLS
Nov. 19	McCamey		5:30	7-8	7-8
Nov. 26	Crane	Ozona	5:30	7-8	
Nov. 26	Crane	Crane	5:30		7-8
Dec. 3	Eldorado	Ozona	5:00	7-8	7-8
Dec. 15	Ozona Tourney	Ozona	All Day	7-8	7-8
Dec. 17	*McCamey	Ozona	4:30	8-7	8-7
Jan. 5	Sonora Tourney	Sonora	All Day	7-8	7-8
Jan. 10	Sonora	Ozona	5:30	7-8	7-8
Jan. 17	Eldorado	Eldorado	5:00	7-8	7-8
Jan. 21	Crane	Ozona	5:30		7-8
Jan. 21	Crane	Crane	5:30	7-8	
Jan. 31	Eldorado	Eldorado	5:00	7-8	7-8
Feb. 4	Big Lake	Big Lake	4:30	7-8	7-8
Feb. 11	Sonora	Sonora	5:30	7-8	7-8

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8th Girls Coach-Renee Schultze
8th Boys Coach-Don Payne

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For 20 years service with the ASC county committee, Sam Perner was presented a plaque of appreciation at a meeting last week at the ASC office. David Bean presents the plaque while Tom Egan, district director, looks on.

Prevent head injuries in children

Every year many children are brought to the emergency room with head injuries which could have been prevented, according to Dr. Kenneth U. Hackney, Chairman of the Department of Emergency Medicine at Scott and White in Temple.

One of the ways parents can help prevent head injuries in children is by assessing their home for potential accidents.

Dr. Hackney suggests parents "get down on the floor and crawl around the eye level of a small child." Some things to look for are plant hangers, unprotected electrical outlets, and protruding nails or screws from underneath cabinets.

"The parent should test the stability of tables and chairs by pulling themselves up on them, checking for wobbly legs or sharp cornered surfaces," explains Dr. Hackney.

Dangling cords and tablecloths are also tempting for small children to pull up on, says Dr. Hackney. "Check the home for dangling cords such as those from an iron, hair dryer, telephone, or other appliances. Make sure they are placed out of reach of small children."

Many injuries, including scalds, burns, and falls, are caused by children pulling on electrical cords. "Even tablecloths are a problem," says Dr. Hackney, "and perhaps it is best not to use tablecloths with young children around."

A child's crib should be checked to see that the side rails are high enough to prevent the child from falling out and should be able to withstand at least 10 pounds of pressure to pull up or push down.

Dr. Hackney suggests that the distance between the top of the side rail and the top of the mattress should be at least three-quarters of the child's height to provide the most protection from falling.

"Of course, a child should never be left unattended in the bath tub," Dr. Hackney emphasizes. "It takes only seconds for a child to slip and fall in or out of the tub."

Many falls occur from windows, especially in apartments, according to Dr. Hackney. "Make sure the windows have secure screens. If not, make sure there are window guards or that the window stays closed and latched."

Scatter or throw rugs frequently cause slips or trips as infants begin to stand and walk. Also, stairwells should be properly guarded, preferably with a locked door or a federally-approved gate. Rugs or torn carpeting along stairs should be removed or repaired as a further safety precaution.

"Make sure firearms, if kept in the house, are kept out of reach, preferably under lock and key with guns and ammunition stored separately," says Dr. Hackney. "If you have a gun in the house, make sure it is not by the bedside, but in a place where you will have to get up out of bed to get it." This assures that a person has time to become more fully awake before using a weapon.

Instructions on toys should be checked carefully for the appropriate age group. "A child who rides a bicycle which is too small or too large for his size may lose control of the vehicle easily, and is in danger of having an accident," says Dr. Hackney. "Bicycle safety also includes the use of reflectors and helmets in some cases."

In discussing precautions to safeguard children during outside play, Dr. Hackney noted that "three and four-year-olds should be watched very carefully while playing outside. This age group easily forgets to look for

cars before running into the street." Dr. Hackney emphasizes that "We're here to help you in an emergency, but can help your child avoid head injuries by assessing your home environment for potential accidents that may be prevented."

GIRL TO PRATTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Pratt of Ozona are the parents of a daughter, born Jan. 28, at 12:03 p.m. in Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital in San Angelo. The little girl weighed 8 pounds and 1 ounce and has been named Courtne Taylor. She has one brother, Levi, 3.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pratt of Ferron, Utah and Mr. and Mrs. Gerold Mahan of Tuttle, Okla. and Sue Mahan of Ozona.

BOY TO GARDNERS

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Gardner are the parents of a boy born January 29 in Fort Worth at 1:50 p.m. The little boy weighed 7 lb. and has been named Paul Eugene.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Light and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stroud.

GIRL TO SANCHEZES

Mr. and Mrs. David Sanchez of Sonora are the parents of a daughter born in Angelo Community Hospital Jan. 25. The little girl weighed 6 pounds and 7/8 ounces and has been named Amanda Marie.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Azael Villarreal of Ozona, and Mr. and Mrs. Enrique Sanchez of Sonora. Great grandmother is Mrs. Soledad Guitierrez of Ozona.

EXTENSION OFFICE NEWS

By Rachel Hall

Upcoming Events

February 12-The Crockett Heights Extension Homemaker Club will be meeting at 9:30 a.m. at Goldia Kilgore's home. I will be presenting the program on "Strip Quilting".

February 14-The Progressive Extension Homemaker Club will be meeting at 12:00 Noon, at the Civic Center. Hostesses are Lois Lock, Luetta Kost, and Estelle Williams. The program will be presented by Irene Page, County Liaison For Family Shelter and Referral Service, on "child and family" abuse.

February 16-There will be a 4-H Clothing Workshop, 8:00 a.m. at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

All 4-Hers registered in the 4-H clothing projects are encouraged to attend. See next week's paper for more details.

For many people "dieting," means giving up all their familiar foods and living on "rabbit food." Many of our favorite recipes are concentrated sources of fat, sugar, and calories. Recipes don't need to be followed exactly, since a number of substitutions can be made without affecting the basic dish.

A basic technique for reducing the calories in many recipes includes changing the cooking technique. Prepare soups and stews in advance; let cool, then remove the accumulated fat from the top before reheating. Instead of frying meats or other foods, steam or broil them.

Reducing the amount of high calorie ingredients is essential to modifying recipes. Many recipes call for more fat or sugar to improve taste. By experimenting, you can learn how much you actually need. Often times sugar and fat can be reduced by 1/2 without affecting the recipe. Spices may be added to increase flavor.

Ingredient substitution may be utilized in reducing calories. Try the following substitutions: yogurt for sour cream, lite cheese for processed cheese, ground chuck for hamburger, skim milk cheese for whole milk cheese, and evaporated milk for cream. Read labels to determine the caloric content of ingredients.

Modified Baked Custard [98 calories per serving]

3 eggs, slightly beaten
1/4 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
2 cups skim milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
ground nutmeg
Combine eggs, sugar, and salt. Slowly add milk and vanilla, blending

BOY TO MARMOLEJOS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marmolejo are the parents of a son born January 27, at 7:06 p.m. in Angelo Community Hospital. The little boy weighed 7 pounds and 8 ounces and has been named Joseph Brandon.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rodriguez of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Tomas Alvarado of San Antonio. Carmen A. Vargas of Ozona and Esther Galindo of Big Lake are great-grandmothers.

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CROCKETT COUNTY CARE CENTER NEWS

By Ann McCartney
Director Of Activities & Social Care

This season seems to be filled with sunshine and snow. Most of the time we are proud to be in a warm place.

Reading and down memory lane sessions were held last week. We also had a good resident's council meeting where our residents helped make plans for February.

Bonnie Warth called bingo on Tuesday. Mattie Cooper, Alleane Jones, and Dorothy Doll, were our volunteers. On Friday the weather was so bad that Dorothy Doll was our only volunteer. Resident winners included Ipez Biggs, first place winner of the certificate from Claytons Village Drug, Rebekah West, second place winner; Ola Mills, winner of the certificate for two dinners from El Chato's, and Hilda Dysart, winner of the Baker Jewelers certificate.

Ceramics were conducted on Wednesday by volunteer Lynette Davidson. Alice Ross also assisted as a volunteer. Residents participating included Juana Hernandez, Tomasa Ramoz, Hilda Dysart, Nina Mayfield, Ola Mills, Jean Beardmore, Billie Whatley and Moriama Perez. Mary Simpson came down as an observer.

Thursday morning beauty shop volunteers included Clara Babb and Mary Jo Lipham.

Bible study was conducted on Thursday afternoon by Ted Turnley of the First Baptist Church. Glenda Henderson came to play the piano.

The Catholic ladies have been faithful to serve their membership communion every since I have been writing, which is three and one-half years now. This event has not been mentioned, but their faithfulness has continued. We want them to know we appreciate their good works.

Mary Lee Jones helped repair some clothes last week and so did Maudie

Couch. In fact, Maudie has spent several sessions with us lately doing some sewing repair work.

Eighteen members of the United Methodist Church came for church services Sunday afternoon. Nine members were from the children's choir, led by Frances Curry with Lou Haire playing the piano. Following some good group singing plus the performance by the children's choir, pastor Ken Harrison gave a fine sermon and communion service.

Our staff and residents all feel a sense of sadness following the death of John Mayo, our Ann's husband. Sincerely sympathy is extended to the whole family.

Chamber of Commerce

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Lambert recognized the outgoing directors, Jack Baggett, Jr., Peggy Crider and Ronald Shaw. He also introduced the new directors and officers along with holdover directors. Lambert has been elected to another term as president; Dr. Steve Sessom, a former president, will serve as first vice president; Johnny Childress, second vice president; Sandra Childress, secretary-treasurer. Holdover and new directors include Bobby Aycock, Garland Davis, Fred Deaton, Ken Harrison, Vince Huffman, Brock Jones, Jim Marks, Betty Perry, Frank White and David Young.

Lambert gave longtime chamber-of-commerce manager Beth Boyd much of the credit for the success of the banquet as well as for her work during the years for the chamber, before turning the program over to Mrs. Boyd to hold a drawing for the door prizes, which were two free meals at Charlie's Restaurant. Winning the drawing were Sandra Childress, Richard Preston and Joann Babbitt.

Charlie Frazier and his crew catered the food at the banquet and John Parks gave the invocation before the crowd dispersed.

MEMBERSHIP BREAKFAST POSTPONED

The Chamber of Commerce membership breakfast which was to have been held Wednesday, February 13, at 7 a.m. at Charlie's Place has been postponed. A date for the annual event will be set at another time.

Mexican supper set for benefit of Helping Hands

Ozonans are cordially invited to a "Take Your Valentine to a Mexican Supper," dinner Feb. 14 from 6 until 8 p.m. at the Civic Center. Adults will be charged \$5 and children under the age of 12, \$3.

All proceeds will be used for the senior citizens center.

Tickets may be purchased from any board member. Board members are Kathy Reavis, Helen Wall, Elma Buckner, Beth Boyd, Savannah Wright, Rachel Hall, Louis Hall or Frank Reavis.

Tickets may also be purchased from Western Auto, Clayton's Village Drug or Elma's Grocery, or at the door the night of the dinner.

Services in Fort Worth for Mrs. Jessie Kersey Austin

Funeral services for Jessie Lou Kersey Austin, 79, were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in First Methodist Church in Fort Worth with burial in Greenwood Cemetery there.

Mrs. Austin died in Dallas, at 4 a.m. Sunday.

Mrs. Austin was a native of Ozona. Her father, J.R. Kersey, was postmaster here for many years. She attended Ozona schools and graduated from Ozona High School in 1922. She graduated from TWC in Fort Worth in 1926 and married Robert E. Austin the same year. Surviving are four children Robert E. Austin, Jr., James Austin and Harry T. Austin, and Patricia Ann Austin of Dallas; eight grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Basketball games are rescheduled

Basketball games cancelled due to last Friday's bad weather have been rescheduled and will be played Thursday, February 7. The Ozona High School Lions will be playing the Coahoma Bulldogs, and court action will begin at 5:00 p.m. with the boys junior varsity game. The varsity girls will play at 6:30 p.m. and will be followed by the varsity boys at 8:00 p.m.

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OHS Lions claim victory over Sonora

By Gary Davis

The Ozona Lions claimed the I-10 basketball championship over the Sonora Broncos last Tuesday night, 57-38. The Lions never trailed the Sonora lads, as the halftime score was 31-16. The win gave the Lions and the Broncos a tie for 5th place in the district's first half race. The Lady Lions could not manage to keep up with Sonora and lost to the Lady Broncos, 29-63.

In boys action, Harvey Fierro led his team, once again, in the scoring department with 18 points. Al Ramirez netted 12 points, while Steve Sanchez put 11 through the hoop. Scott Denman made 3 points. Other scorers were J.B. Green-3, Bret Thompson-2, Brad Thompson-2, Mario Arredondo-5 and Gary Davis-1.

The Junior Varsity boys lost a close, 44-36 contest to the Sonora team.

Vickie Reagor led the girls in scoring, despite their loss. Reagor tallied 14 points. Vanessa Miller shot for 5, while Donna Sanchez hit for 4, Raedene Flores for 3, Christy Parks for 2, and Olga Borrego for 1. The Lady Lions stayed with Sonora throughout the first and second periods, but turned the ball over to the opposition too many times in the latter part of the game, and only scored 13 points in the second half.

The Lady Lion J.V. team lost by one point to Sonora in a disappointing loss.

Due to the inclement weather, the Lions and Lady Lions were forced to reschedule their games with Coahoma. The Bulldogs were due in Ozona on Friday night last week, but the recent snow arrived first. The games have been set for tomorrow night in Davidson Memorial Gymnasium. Friday night, both teams will be playing in Colorado City. The Lions must win the remainder of their games in order to have a chance at the 1985 state basketball playoffs.

Tambunga named to TSTI list

Paul Tambunga of Ozona has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the Winter Quarter at Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater, according to Dr. Herbert C. Robbins, Campus President.

A student in the Autobody Repair program, Tambunga maintained a 3.5 to 3.99 grade point average in all classes for the quarter.

Three Ozonans named to Sul Ross list

Three students from Ozona have been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at Sul Ross State University.

According to Dr. Earl Elam, vice president for Academic Affairs, undergraduate students who have been enrolled for as many as 12 semester hours during the previous semester and earned a grade point average of at least 3.3 on a 4.0 scale are named to the list each semester.

Named to the list were Leslie J. Hale, 3.4; Marcelo O. Hernandez, 3.5; and Kimberley Padilla, 4.0.

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SS base earnings increase

The 1985 Social Security earnings base, the maximum amount of earnings that count for Social Security will increase to \$39,600, up from the 1984 maximum of \$37,800, Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager in San Angelo, said recently.

In addition, Social Security tax rates will also increase, Upp said. The tax rate for employees and their employers will be 7.05 percent each, up from the 1984 effective rate of 6.7 percent for employees and 7.0 percent for employers. The tax rate for self-employed people will be 14.10 percent in 1985; but self-employed people will have a tax credit of 2.3 percent in 1985.

Other amounts will also increase in 1985, Upp said. The amount of annual earnings required to earn one quarter of coverage, the measure of Social Security protection, will increase to \$410, up from the \$390 figure for 1984. People will earn a maximum of four quarters if their annual earnings are \$1,640 or more.

The annual exempt amounts for the annual earnings test, the measure used to decide if a person is eligible for benefits, will increase to \$7,320 for people 65 or older in 1985 and to

\$5,400 for people under 65 all of 1985. The 1984 amounts were \$6,960 for people 65 and over and \$5,160 for people under 65.

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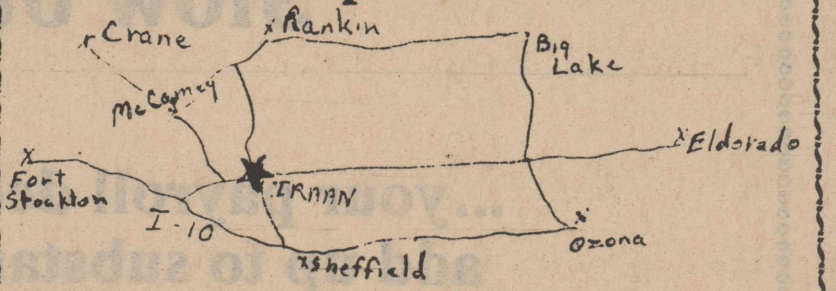
Whitehead services held in Fredricksburg

Funeral services for Joe Whitehead, 63, were held Tuesday, January 22, in Fredricksburg. He died at his home in Fredricksburg January 19.

Among his survivors are W.M. (Dub) Whitehead of Ozona and Mrs. Dan (Ann) Murrah of Del Rio, formerly of Ozona.

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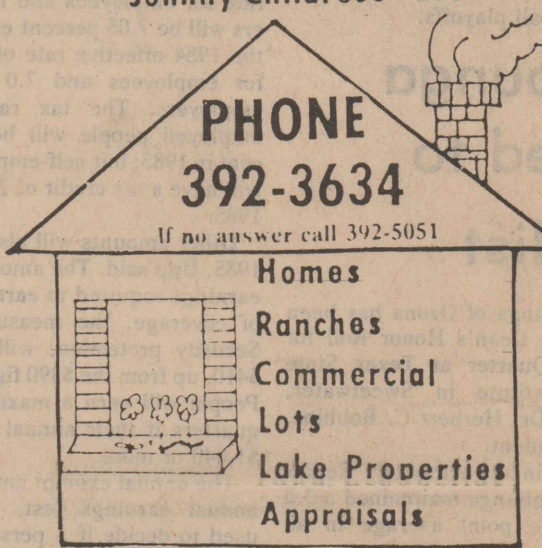
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