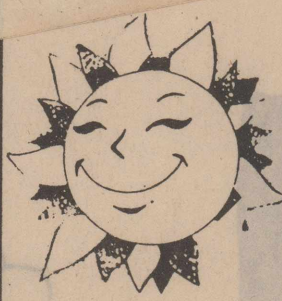


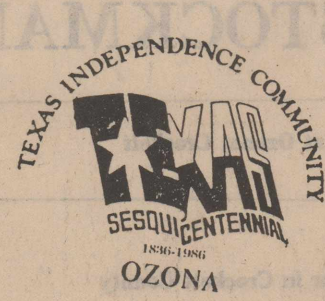
Friends say
goodbye to
Mr. White

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Weather
By James Pagan

DATE	HIGH	LOW	PRECP.
May 21	91	65	00
May 22	94	66	00
May 23	97	67	00
May 24	95	64	00
May 25	79	57	.46
May 26	86	55	1.64
May 27	69	53	00



Journey
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Highway murder near Sheffield

A 22-year old Florida man was murdered in cold blood about 4:30 Friday afternoon 10 miles west of Sheffield at mile marker 325. A subject is in custody in Pecos County Jail in Fort Stockton.

Mark Scott Ellis of Hollywood, Fla. and a companion were pulled over near the mile marker, talking with a motorcyclist, when suddenly, and for no apparent reason, the cyclist pulled a small caliber pistol from his pocket and shot Ellis three times, killing him instantly. The passenger jumped from the vehicle and ran, flagging down an oncoming car.

John M. Dayton was caught some time later and is charged with murder with bond set at \$50,000. Dayton is from Fort Walton Beach, Fla., but Sheriff Bruce Wilson said the two men apparently were not acquainted. The passenger who reported the shooting, said there was no argument no harsh words spoken between the two men.

Sheriff Wilson said the man in custody had no explanation for the incident. Ellis and his companion were on their way to California when the incident occurred. Investigation is continuing by the Pecos County Sheriff's Department.



The great orange give-away

At least half the town showed up at the park Monday morning to collect oranges that were being distributed after a truck wreck near here last week. It was several hours before the truck divested its cargo and the crowd left.

Thunderstorm brings welcome rainfall here

A roaring thunderstorm dumped an inch of rain on thirsty Ozona Tuesday morning and rain showers throughout the weekend brought a total of 1.48 inches of much needed rain to the town.

Almost all homes gauges held up to 1.5 inches for the rainy period, but the official gauge held 1.48 inches at noon Tuesday, and the beautiful part was intermittent drops still falling at press time.

Roger Dudley, located 35 miles southwest of Ozona, reported a total of 3.35 inches all over his ranch. He said he got 2 inches of rainfall Sunday, .6 of an inch Monday and another .75 of an inch during the Tuesday morning storm.

The Brock Jones ranch, 25 miles directly south of Ozona had 1.5 inches Tuesday morning and the same amount Monday for a two-day total of 3 inches.

Loreli McMullan reported 2.9 inches for the 2-day total at the McMullan ranch six miles south of Ozona.

Nancy Hale reported 2.4 inches at the Friend Headquarters ranch eighteen miles down Taylor Box Road. Four inches fell Tuesday morning at the Texas-New Mexico pump station 10 miles west of Ozona.

A report of 6 inches was received from Barnhart.

Funeral services Monday for Mrs. Longoria

Funeral services for Clara M. Longoria, 75, were held Monday at 4 p.m. in Templo Siloe Assemblies de Dios Church, with burial in Lima Cemetery under the direction of Sizemore Funeral Home.

Mrs. Longoria died Saturday in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. She was born Nov. 6, 1910, in Ozona. She was a lifetime resident and a homemaker.

She is survived by her husband, Juan Longoria of Ozona; three brothers, Serafin Maskill, Jr. of Ozona; Serafin Maskill, IV, of Lamesa, and Greg Maskill of Rosharon; four sisters, Mrs. Elias Soto of Sweetwater, Mrs. Goyo Martinez of Fredricksburg, Mrs. Jesse Hernandez of San Antonio and Mrs. Carlos Carranzo of Lamesa.

Graduation exercises on tap for 46 seniors

Forty-six Ozona High School seniors were honored at Baccalaureate services Sunday in the high school auditorium. A large crowd of friends and relatives was on hand in spite of inclement weather.

The graduates marched in to the auditorium in cap and gown to "Pomp and Circumstance," by Elgar, presented at the piano by Barbara Burger with the same music for the recession-al.

The invocation was given by Ken Harrison, pastor of Ozona United Methodist Church. "O Worship the King," was apresented with the audience standing before the sermon by Fr. Richard Altenbaugh, pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church. "Blest be the Tie," was given with audience participation before the

benediction by Jim Gray, pastor of Ozona First Baptist Church.

Commencement exercises will take place Friday at Lion Stadium at 8 p.m., weather permitting. The program will be presented by the honor graduates, with the invocation given by Raedene Flores, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flores.

The Welcome address will be given by salutatorium, David Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adams. Harvey Fierro, cum laude graduate and third ranking student in the class will entitle his speech "Memories." He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fierro.

Brad Thompson, fourth ranking student in the class, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thompson, will speak on "Striving for Excellence." The Valedictory address will be given by

Bonnie Cameron, top ranking student and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cameron.

Awards will be presented by James I. Payne, high school principal. Supt. Garland Davis will present the class and school board president Jeffrey Sutton will present diplomas.

Honor graduate Amy Scoggins will give the benediction. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Scoggins. The honor graduates are Ty McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Henderson, and Elida Tijerina, daughter of Mr. Luis Tijerina.

Other graduates include; Jesse Y. Castillo, Jr., Olga Marie DeHoyos, Andrew W. Dews, Vickie Rae Duncan, Valerie Ann Fierro, Arturo L. Gonzales, Jr., Rusty Harris, Jesus Ovalle

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Absentee voting is now underway

Absentee voting in the June 7 run-off election, or second Democratic Primary, begins today in the county clerk's office, and will continue through June 3.

In an unusual set of circumstances, Justice of the Peace Raymond Davee died recently. Davee was the incumbent for the office and polled 582 votes to his opposition's 366 and 350 respectively, throwing the election into a run-off between Davee and Jerry Lay.

The Crockett County Commissioners Court appointed Davee's widow, Christine, to the post, as has been traditional in the past. She has accepted and is presently working in the post.

The court did not consider appointing Lay to the post due to the fact he had 932 votes against him in the first primary. The other opponent, David Weant, got 350 votes.

Davee's name will appear on the ballot along with Lay's. Should he be declared the winner, Mrs. Davee would probably continue to serve. Should Lay win the election, he will take office January 1, 1987.

Voters in precinct 2, must choose incumbent commissioner B. W. Stuart

or his opponent Jerry Hill. Stuart led the ticket in the first primary, but failed to get a majority.

Another issue confronting local voters is that of Democratic County Chairman. In the first primary, space was left for a write-in candidate. Many people failed to write a name in or just wrote their name or that of an acquaintance. Longtime Democratic Chairman Steve Kenley got 19 votes and Robert Longoria got 17 votes, so both men will appear on the ballot for the June 7 election.

Two names will be on the ballot for Railroad Commissioner, P. S. Ervin and John Sharp. Oscar Mauzy will be up against Shirley Butts for Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1. Jim Brady will be pitted against Robert Campbell for Place 3, and Jay Gibson and Raul A. Gonzalez will vie for the unexpired term, Place 4. Rusty Duncan and George Martinez are the candidates for Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1.

Polls open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. Each voter must vote in his or her precinct. Precinct 1 voters will vote at the courthouse; Precinct 2, at the junior high school building; Precinct 3, at the Civic Center and Precinct 4, at the primary school.

Two killed in jet plane crash

Two Bergstrom AFB officers flying a reconnaissance training mission were killed Friday when their jet crashed in a remote area near Ozona. The RF-4C Phantom II crashed in an area about 30 miles west of Ozona on the Foley Ranch and ten miles south of Interstate 10.

Killed were Airman 1st Class Rusty Hunziker and the pilot Capt. Michael A. Kfoury. Airman Hunziker boarded the jet as a reward for distinguished service in his Bergstrom job as inspector of G-suits, emergency parachutes, first-aid kits and other crew equipment.

Hunziker's ride was similar to Phantom rides given to journalists, civic leaders and other important visitors to Bergstrom. Enlisted airmen are awarded such rides for high achievement on the job.

Both men were pronounced dead at the scene by Judge A. O. Fields, who said they were thrown several feet from the impact site with no apparent effort to eject. The last crash involving a Bergstrom jet near Ozona was June 17, 1983. Both the pilot and weapons

system operator safely ejected before the crash.

Although the Air Force refused to release any specifics on the crash, the Phantoms typically carry no guns or missiles. The two-member crew also usually includes the pilot and a back-seat navigator.

Ozona Volunteer firemen rushed to the scene, and controlled brush fires started by the crash until about midnight. No one was allowed in the perimeter of the crash except the investigators.

Officially there were no witnesses to the crash, however, an employee at the Foley ranch said three jets had been flying in the area all day. He said two were high flying planes, and the one that crashed was flying quite low. He said he saw the plane fly over a hill and knew it had crashed when he saw black smoke.

Air Force personnel from Bergstrom and Goodfellow AFB in San Angelo have been in the area investigating the crash since Friday.

Orange give-away draws large crowd

It was fresh squeezed orange juice instead of water running down the street to the draw here Friday morning when a truckload of oranges was distributed to the populace in front of the Davy Crockett Statue at the park.

The fruit was distributed courtesy of Perry Hubbard. This came about when a truck from California, headed to San Antonio with a load of oranges, overturned the previous Monday morning with fruit spreading all over I-10. The wreck occurred at 1:15. Apparently the drive went to sleep at the wheel.

Hubbard and his crew were called to the scene. They brought the wrecked truck in about 2:30 p.m. Monday. Hubbard said the clean-up crew took

13 1/2 hours. The oranges, were abandoned by the insurance company and instead of hauling them to the dump, Hubbard decided to give them to the community.

He loaded his 45-foot trailer and was in front of the park at 8 o'clock Friday morning. The word spread and within 30 minutes a large crowd had formed. Although an orderly distribution was planned, some over anxious helpers got in the truck stepping on loose fruit and creating quite a mess.

A Stockman reporter, who went over to get a picture, was forced to wash feet and shoes before getting back to work.

By 1 p.m. the rush was over. Ozona Volunteer Firemen hosed the street and the truck was taken to the dump and washed down.



BUSY FIREMEN! Ozona volunteer firemen had a busy Memorial Day weekend beginning with the RF-4C Phantom II jet crash near Sheffield on Live Oak Draw where they were out

until late Friday night controlling brush fires at the site. They were out again Sunday morning when a tank battery caught on fire north of Ozona. Firemen answered a call Sunday

evening shortly before dark to the scene [above] of an automobile fire 12 miles west of Ozona on I-10. The car, was being towed on a trailer. It was completely destroyed by fire before the firemen could reach the scene.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: MACEDONIA NAVAR

Defendant, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 16 day of June 1986, at or before ten o'clock A.M. before the Honorable 112th District Court of Crockett County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Ozona, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 5 day of May A.D. 1986, in this cause, numbered 4890 on the docket of said court, and styled, JOHN M. WILSON Plaintiff, vs. MACEDONIA NAVAR, HELEN T. HICKS, LEO VIGIL, AND NASH NAVAR Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows:

JOHN M. WILSON, Plaintiff and MACEDONIA NAVAR, HELEN T. HICKS, LEO VIGIL, AND NASH NAVAR are Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

PLAINTIFF AND DEFENDANTS ARE CO-OWNERS OF MINERAL INTERESTS IN CERTAIN REAL ESTATE SITUATED IN CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS, WHICH MAY BE FURTHER DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

SW/4 NW/4, SECTION 19, BLOCK 47 UNIVERSITY LANDS SURVEY, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS TO A DEPTH OF 2.269 FEET.

PLAINTIFF SEEKS A PARTICULAR OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED MINERAL INTERESTS AMONG THE CO-OWNERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THEIR RESPECTIVE INTERESTS, AS SET FORTH BELOW.

PLAINTIFF'S SHARE IN THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED TRACK CONSISTS OF AN UNDIVIDED 24/32 MINERAL INTEREST.

MACEDONIA NAVAR, AN UNDIVIDED 1/32 MINERAL INTEREST.

HELEN T. HICKS, AN UNDIVIDED 2/32 MINERAL INTEREST

LEO VIGIL, AN UNDIVIDED 2/32 MINERAL INTEREST

NASH NAVAR, AN UNDIVIDED 2/32 MINERAL INTEREST.

PLAINTIFF ALLEGES THAT THE ABOVE DESCRIBED AND OWNED INTERESTS COMPRISE THE TOTAL OWNERSHIP OF THE TRACK SOUGHT TO BE PARTITIONED AND SUCH TRACK IS SUBJECT TO NO OTHER CLAIM.

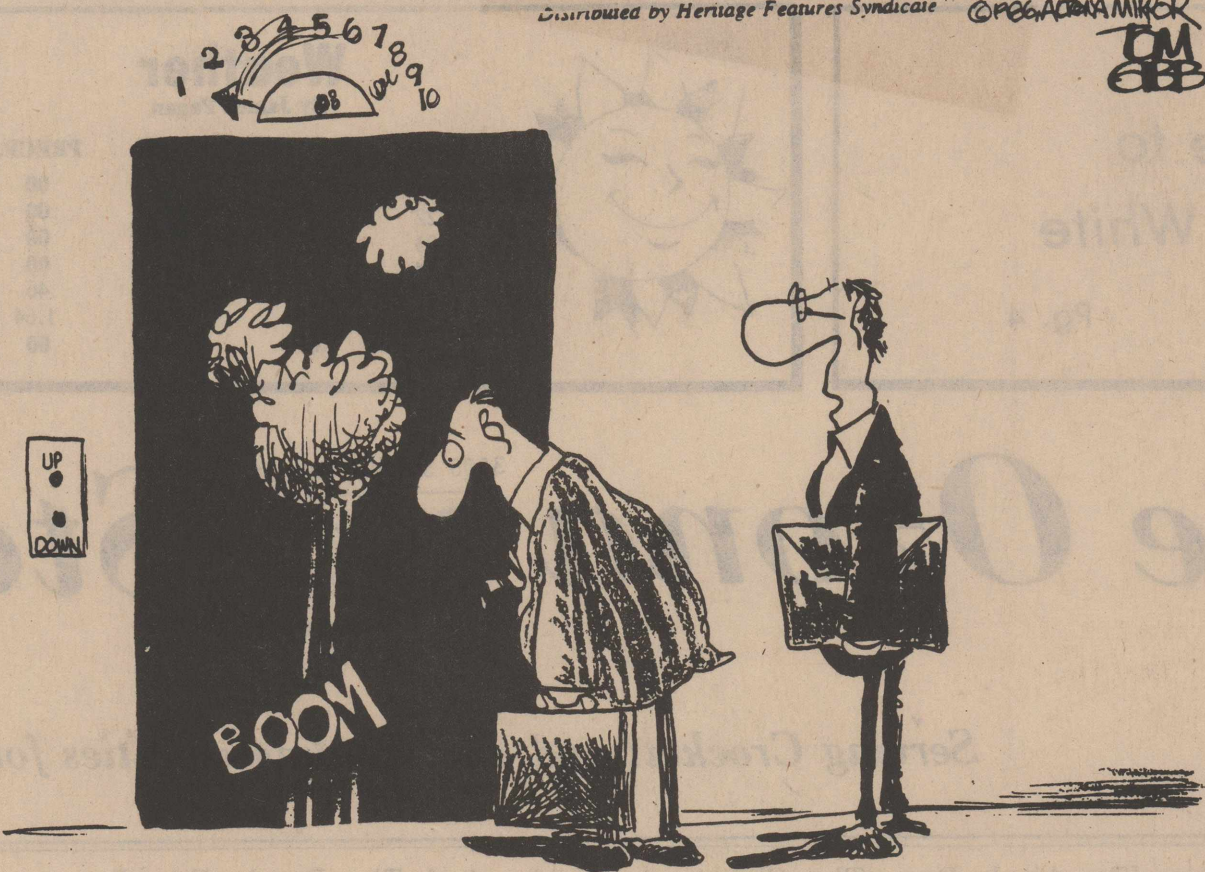
As is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

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AUSTIN—Only a few days after Gov. Mark White agreed to fine-tune his education reforms, a Texas A&M poll showed him trailing his GOP opponent, former Gov. Bill Clements, by a 47-33 percent margin.

Among independent voters, Clements leads White 52-21 percent with 27 percent undecided.

Respondents favored White over Clements in public education policy 37-32 percent, but preferred Clements 40-13 on the issue of state taxes.

A few days earlier, White announced he would alter some of his controversial education reforms, but vowed not to change the hottest topic: the no-pass, no-play rule.

What he will change is the policy towards teacher appraisal programs, incentive pay, and teacher paperwork.

He stopped short of saying he would abolish competency testing, a real sore point with career teachers.

Lawsuit Opposed
Last week, one of Texas'

largest Hispanic groups voted not to support a teachers' group lawsuit which seeks to have the tests struck down for racial discrimination.

Black and Hispanic teachers scored lower than whites, but the League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) blasted the lawsuit as a "form of racism" itself for asserting that minorities cannot compete equally.

Whether LULAC is promoting a new tact in fighting racism or simply sidestepping a political-legal fray is unclear. But LULAC is playing as a political insider, not an outsider.

"Twin Plants" Urged
Growing Hispanic clout and the obvious need for a new Rio Grande Valley economy are two reasons why Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby urges more "twin plants" on the border.

Hobby told a law conference audience that foreign companies are interested in locating "twin plants" on the border. The plants basically hire Mexican labor to assemble U.S.-made supplies.

Of the 250 twin plants on the Texas-Mexico border, only about a dozen are non-U.S. companies. Hobby said Texas should get aggressive about attracting the business.

Budget Cuts Sought
Knowing full well that Comptroller Bob Bullock is monitoring his progress on cutting state agency spending, Gov. White moved last week to renew the search for austerity.

The governor asked agency heads and university presidents to review their budgets and meet his earlier call for 13 percent reductions.

At the Capitol, observers watch a growing competition between White and Bullock over whether White's austerity program will resolve the projected \$1.3 billion deficit. No love is lost between the two rival staffs.

White, now on the campaign trail, says the austerity program will work, but Bullock won't let him make political hay without earning it. On the subject of state revenues, the expert Bullock is calling White's hand every step of the way.

Home Demo club meets at bank

The Crockett Heights Home Demonstration Club met May 13 at the Crockett County National Bank.

Rod Chalmers gave a slide presentation on Texas wildflowers. Those attending were: Polly Mayes, Kim Hager, Doris Karr, Roberta Schoenhals, Charlotte Trull, Marilyn Chalmers and Yvonne McPeak.

GED tests scheduled

GED tests will be given on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 3, 4 and 5, 1986, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The tests will be given in Room 111 of the main high school building. The cost of the entire test will be \$20.00. The fee for individual tests will be \$5.00.

Contact Jim Williams at 392-2494 to register for the test or for further information.

Library to offer special programs

The Friends of the Library will be offering Special Summer Programs for the kids. Story Hour will continue, but will move to a week day, probably Monday morning. Story Hour is for all 3 to 5 yr. olds. We will have a Celebrate Texas Reading Program with Certificates and Prizes for the number of books read for kids up to 10 yrs. old. Films, special programs, and projects will be offered for the older kids. It's going to be a fun Summer at the Library!

The Newsreel

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

May 30, 1957

More fine rains visited Crockett Co. and all West Texas again last Sunday to add to the already soaked range-land and to speed its recovery from the from 5 to 7 inches.

29 yrs. ago

James Petty, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Petty of Ozona, received a bachelor degree from Abilene Christian College this week.

29 yrs. ago

Members of the school cafeteria staff and their families and friends enjoyed ice cream and cake at the cafeteria to honor Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Cushing and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Maxwell. Mr. Cushing is a teacher in the Ozona schools and Mrs. Maxwell is cafeteria manager and both are leaving after the present school term.

29 yrs. ago

Staff Sergeant Alton Smith of the U.S. Air Force recruiting service was in Ozona Wednesday. He will be in Ozona weekly in the interest of the Air Force recruiting campaign. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Smith of Ozona.

29 yrs. ago

Ollie Whitley, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Hilton North of Ozona is a graduate of the University of Texas in Austin. Whitley is an honor graduate in engineering.

29 yrs. ago

A Jefferson, Texas contractor, E.W. Houst, was low bidder and will be awarded the contract for construction of the third dam in the series to be built on Johnson draw.

29 yrs. ago

Bill Black, president and Clayton Friend, vice president of the Ozona FFA Chapter will represent their chapter as official delegates to the Area II FFA Convention at Brownfield this weekend. Their V.A. instructor, M.A. Barber will accompany them.

29 yrs. ago

Mrs. Buddy Baker of San Angelo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Groff of Ozona received her B.S. degree from Sul Ross last week.

29 yrs. ago

59 million people have received Salk vaccine in the last two years in the U. S.

29 yrs. ago

Jeannene Thompson of Ozona was graduated from the Fashion Design Department of Parsons School of Design in New York City.

29 yrs. ago

It's Major Pelto now. Ozona basketball coach J.A. Pelto and commanding officer of the local Air Force unit last week received his promotion form the rank of Captain to Major in the Air Force Reserve.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ozona, Texas, this the 5 day of May A.D. 1986.

Attest:
Debbi Puckett, Clerk,
District Court,
Crockett County, Texas
By Alice M. Espino, Deputy
11-4tc

NOTICE

The Crockett Co. Cons. CSD will be considering proposals for a telephone communications system at a meeting of the Board of Trustees on Monday, June 9, 1986, at 7:30 p.m., in the School Administration Building. Proposals must produce operational cost savings in the system network. Information may be received at the Superintendent's office. 14-2tc

Letters to the Editor

OPEN LETTER TO THE SENIORS OF 1986

Dear Graduating Seniors,

Well, your big day has finally arrived, you are, at last, going to graduate from Ozona High School. Let me be one of many to offer my congratulations.

Although you have not had much time to think about it, with all the excitement going on, you are taking a big step in life. You are soon to be graduates, no longer high school students, and then you must go out into the world and make it on your own.

Don't let that discourage you, for those who have graduated before you have had to follow the same course. Let it be a challenge to each and every one of you, for you and thousands of other graduating seniors, across this great nation of ours, represent the hope of the future.

Why are you the hope of the future? Because you are the next doctors, lawyers, teachers and politicians. In your hands rests the fate of our great nation. By becoming successful in whatever vocation you choose, you will be doing your part to guarantee the future of our country.

Seniors, when your names are called on graduation night and you receive those well-deserved diplomas, I want you to remember four things, if you remember nothing else.

First: Thank the good Lord above for having been born and raised in America, where you are free to receive the education you have just completed and where you are privileged to choose your goal in life.

Second: If you see any of your teachers at graduation, go up to them and thank them for all their guidance, help and instruction, for they have been more responsible for your education than you realize.

Third: Of all the people in your young lives, so far, the two most important is your mom and dad. They have loved and cared for you since the day you were born, and have always wanted the best for you. You owe them so much, you will never be able to repay them, but, I believe that if you will tell them that you are as proud of them as they are of you, tell them, how much you love them and thank them for everything they have ever done for you; being the moms and dads they are, they will probably mark the debt "Paid in Full."

And Fourth: One last thing seniors, no matter what path you choose to follow, each and every one of you has

their hopes and dreams. Hang onto them, for they will take you far.

Sincerely yours,
Someone who cares about the future of our youth and of our country

James Pagan

May 23, 1986

Dear Kitty,

You are always wanting articles for your newspaper so I decided to send mine. I am Marla (Barbee) Condit. I'm sure you remember me.



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Ewart White beams with pride while Judge Johnny Jones unveils the historical marker dedicated to The Ozona Stockman in 1980. Ewart was at the helm of The Stockman for 45 years.

Vignettes . .

By EVART WHITE

I love this newspaper. I nursed it through its infancy. I changed its format from ultra country to modern journalistic style. I saw it from hand composition to machine cast hot type composition. I saw it from hot type to offset composition as it is today.

I nursed this newspaper through the drouth and deep depression of the thirties. I nursed it through the war years and I nursed it through the drouth years of the fifties, along with a herd of sheep, goats and cattle as well. I added and added equipment year after year and watched it grow and grow. I heard the sweet words of praise as readers saw the improvements develop, and merchants, bless 'em, were supportive in advertising appropriations. Together, we grew and prospered.

I still love this newspaper. It is even more virile, vital and viable today, more in tune to a still growing community, even more lively, comprehensive and complete as a community organ than even before. It has remained strong and a worthy representative of a sophisticated township. It had remained unchallenged by competition for over seventy years and because it enjoyed the full support of a supportive community it has served that community faithfully and well. In the newspaper business competition rarely wins, only weakens.

Those who benevolently support such a competitive thrust are to be commended for their benevolence but hardly for their constructive aid to the community.

The preceding is the last article Mr. White wrote for The Stockman.

TRIBUTE TO EVART--

I guess you might say he never retired. He was a constant visitor at the Stockman office. He never missed a day coming in unless he was out of town or sick. He met his coffee drinking buddies every morning and usually came by to visit later in the day. He stayed in the middle of everything because he loved his town.

"He was a beautiful person," Mary Lea Jones said to me a day or two after Ewart died. In looking back, that sums up Ewart's life. It is a sad time for all of us, but I can't help but be proud that I was his friend for so many years. I've lost my friend who was like a father to me. Without his support and encouragement, there would have been several times I just could not have carried on. He was always there for me. Ewart and Ruth have been father and mother to me for 25 years and I am just unable to describe the loss I feel at his passing...maybe later.

Kitty Montgomery

I can't believe "Blue Eyes" is not here laughing and cutting up with us here at the office. I hope he knew how special he was to each of us. His passing brings a tear, but the memories will always put a smile on my face.

Cathy Dawn Moore

PHONE NEWS TO THE STOCKMAN.

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Ewart White was always good for Ozona. He was a community builder with a true insight into what could make this a better town. He was a great writer, more prone than not to 'hide his light under a bushel', but always willing to use his talents and resources in support of good causes. The Ozona Stockman, under his ownership and guidance for many years, helped to promote numerous improvements: schools, hospital, flood control, churches--to name only a few. Ewart was a good Counselor. How many were the times we looked to him for guidance and encouragement. And how many volunteers heard him say: "We can do it!" when the going became rough. Then have him quietly give of his own resources and talents to make more than one effort a success. He was never too busy to attend tedious committee meetings if they were for the good of the town. We could ill afford to lose such a citizen but his legacy will live on as Ozona continues to become "the Best Place on Earth to call Home."

He was our personal friend and we shall always be grateful for that special gift. He was a rare individual and a true gentleman!

Mrs. R. A. (Lucile I.) Harrell

Memories...of special things about Ewart White. Although I have lived in Ozona for 30 years, I became acquainted with Ewart when I became a part of the Ozona Stockman, ten years ago. During that time he became a good friend of mine and I have many good memories.

When I think of Mr. White I think of gentleman. He loved the newspaper and always had a word of support for us, a pat on the back, encouragement. His praise always made us strive to do better.

Tribute to Ewart--

Ewart White was a well loved country editor and several Ozonans have contributed for the following commentary.

Easygoing--until wronged!
Vigorous advocate of fair play!
Always alert to the needs of Crockett County and its citizens!
Role-model for aspiring journalists!
True to his profession!

Wholesome!
Handsome!
Imaginative!
Trustworthy!
Endowed with many talents and used them well!

How fortunate for Ozona that Ruth found him and shared him with all of us so graciously!

Dilly Dockery

Friends are people who like to associate with while drinking a cup of coffee. I lost a friend, one whom I have drunk coffee with at least once a day during the week for the past 35 years. The group has changed over the years but Ewart White has always belonged. No two of us were in the same profession so the main topic was not business but on such subjects as weather, floods, drouth or food.

Friends are people who are always ready to lend a sympathetic ear, listen to your problems and then think twice before giving you an answer. One who comes to your aid in time of need, visits you in the hospital or lets you know he cares. I say that he has already been missed and not that he will be missed.

A. O. Fields

With the passing of Ewart White, a friend for many years was lost. Ewart was a dedicated small town newspaper editor. His time and thoughts were for a better paper, as well as a better Ozona.

Through the years we made a lot of trips to the coffee shop with A. W. Jones, T. J. Bailey, J. P. Pogue, L.B.T. Sikes, T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Judge Fields and many others. A lot of coffee was consumed during the fifty-three years of friendship.

Ewart was a true friend and would go all out for his friends. There is no way to thank him for the many things he helped me with advise and kindness. Ozona lost a real friend.

As fine a man as I ever met . . .

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ABOVE AND BEYOND the call of duty award goes to Hope Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Phillips. Hope, a secretary with Delta Airlines in San Antonio, assisted a teacher with necessary arrangements in order that she might visit her student, a seven year old boy, who was hospitalized as the lone survivor of a car accident near San Antonio.

The boy, whose mother, father and sister were killed in the accident, asked to see his teacher and Hope made the arrangements and was responsible for the reunion between the teacher and the boy. Hope was presented with a plaque, a Delta pin, and a \$100 savings bond. Hope recently returned from Rio de Janeiro, where she spent several days vacationing.

Mrs. Williams is hostess for Country Club Bridge

Mrs. Byron Williams was hostess for bridge at the Country Club Thursday.

High score went to Mrs. Clay Adams, and second high to Mrs. Sherman Taylor. Mrs. Buddy Phillips won the bingo.

Others playing were Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. Charlie Black, Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. John Childress, Mrs. James Dockery, Mrs. Tommy Harris, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. J. J. Marley, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery.

Mrs. Jake Short, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Gene Williams and Mrs. Jack Williams.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Winners in Duplicate Bridge Club play Saturday at the Country Club were Mrs. Carl North and Mrs. Gene Williams. Mrs. Byron Williams and Mrs. Jack Williams were second.

In play Sunday, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Williams topped play. Mrs. Robert Cox and Mrs. Tom Montgomery were second.

Tips For Gardeners

From the Ozona Garden Club
by Mrs. Bailey Post

After having been a little part of our weekly *Stockman* since May 29, 1969, I'm feeling a bit reluctant to continue my Garden Tips. It seems that each week and month is a repetition of the same month of the year before and after thinking it over and checking my clippings each week, I am urging you to water, prune, or plant something.

Too, since I am living in an apartment, I am not keeping up so well with the growing and experimenting I did previously.

Before moving to Ozona in July, 1955, I had become interested in Texas wildflowers and native shrubs and trees. I was thrilled to find so many beautiful plants of both down here; especially in years when there was ample rainfall. I have noticed many of you have chosen to use them in your native landscape or along with nursery plants.

We have never regretted moving to Ozona, for we came here to make it our home to retire in and have grown to love your city, and appreciate all the kindness you have shown these thirty years.

And to Kitty and her crew for being so understanding and patient with reading my long-hand in spelling

some of the botanical names of flowers and plants. For awhile I will continue to remind you of all the garden chores to do and when, and try to keep up with the new plants that will grow well in our area. Should you have a problem that I don't mention, give Kitty the request or call me.

Make successive plantings of gladiolas every two weeks through June to provide continuous blooms throughout the summer. One of the best ground covers that forms a dense, trailing habit is the carpet bugle-weed (*ajuga reptans*). It provides a show of bright-blue flower spikes in early summer. It can also be used for a garden border. The dark, glossy-green foliage, which is evergreen turns bronzy green in winter. It can be grown in almost any soil and spreads by means of creeping stolens.

Mrs. Post, you are very important to us gardeners. I for one read and take your advice on how to care for the different types of plants I have. We need to be reminded each year of when and how to plant and fertilize. I learn new things from each week's column. We love you. Keep up the good work.

Willa

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Montgomery-Sewell united in marriage

Martha Montgomery and Dan Sewell were united in marriage on Saturday at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Sewell. Judge Al Fields performed the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Montgomery of Junction.

Vickie Jackson was maid of honor and Cliff McMullan served as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Junction High School and is employed by the Methodist Day Care Center. The bridegroom graduated from Ozona High School and attended Sul Ross University. He is employed by Anderson Petroleum Company.

After a wedding trip to Fredericksburg, the couple will live in Ozona.

Ladies golf winners told

Winners at the Last weeks golf day at the Country Club were, Low Gross and Low Net, Marie White. Low Putts, Jean Taylor. Par Three's winner on the leg for the trophy, Jonesy Williams.

Team winning balls for the team putts were Liz Williams, Jean Taylor and Dorothy Montgomery.

Other golfers were Bobbie Fatout, Katy Jones, Wanda Stuart, Glenda Henderson, Donna Sanders, Jeannie Wellman, Jill Seahorn and Sherry Holt.

Mrs. Jones winner of Memorial Day bridge play

The annual Memorial Day bridge play was held Monday at the Country Club, with Mrs. Brock Jones the high score winner. Mrs. Carl North was second and Mrs. Charlie Black won the bingo. Mrs. Jake Short won the low score prize.

Others playing were Mrs. Bill Cooper, Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. W.E. Friend, Mrs. J.J. Marley, Mrs. Byron Williams, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Sidney Millsbaugh, Mrs. Billy Carson, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Clay Adams and Mrs. John R. Hunnicutt.

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From the Halls of Montezuma to the Shores of Tripoli; from Bunker Hill to Kings Mountain; from Bull Run to Gettysburg; from Pearl Harbor to Iwo Jima; from Seoul to Heart-Break Ridge, on to Saigon,

our grandfathers, fathers, brothers, sisters, sons and daughters have fought, shed crimson blood, and died that this nation and its system of freedom, its promise of liberty, shall not pass from the land.

But Memorial Day is more than laying flowers on graves of the war dead and loved ones who died without intrusion of wars' horrors. It is growing within our souls the living flowers of life's loves, liberties, freedoms and achievements so that all peoples shall know the beauty of life lived in peace.

The graves on which we lay flowers, the monuments we lean flowers against, are the soil that will enable the flowers of our lives to grow as we REMEMBER!

Sunday Isaiah 49:5-13
Monday Acts 10:30-48
Tuesday Acts 14:21-27
Wednesday Acts 16:6-15
Thursday Acts 16:16-34
Friday Romans 10:1-13
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THE WIND AND RAIN STORM that hit Ozona early Tuesday morning left this willow tree split, falling on top of the family car at the residence of Rosie Benson on Largo St. It was discovered when she left the house to take the children to school.

Ozona Royals take double-header over Angelo Astros

The Ozona Royals swept their second double-header in two weeks by blowing past the San Angelo Astros 14 to 3 and 14 to 1.

With no score in the second, the Royals scored six runs on singles by Pandi Garza and Steve Sanchez, doubles by John Galvan and Richard Sanchez, a base on balls, and a triple by Butch Gonzales. The Royals came back to score three runs in the third on singles by Willie Fierro and R. Sanchez and a double by P. Garza. The Astros scored their only runs in the top of the sixth by scoring three runs on three hits off S. Sanchez who allowed three runs on seven hits, four walks, and ten strikeouts. The Royals ended the all scoring in the bottom of the sixth by scoring five runs on six hits to

take the victory.

The Royals started slow in game two but came on strong to win their fourth straight game 14 to 1.

The Royals scored four runs on four hits to take the lead in the third. The Royals bats continued to look good as they came up with five more runs on four hits by Jeff Sanchez, Ruben Mendez, R. Sanchez, and Oscar Payne in the bottom of the fourth. The Astros scored their only run in the top of the fifth off Royals pitcher Abel Lara who allowed only one run, on four hits, one walk, and eight strikeouts. The Royals scored three more runs in the fifth and two in the sixth on a two run homerun by Abel Lara.

The Royals will travel to San Angelo Sunday to take on the Brewers at 1:30 p.m.

Fourth graders spelling bee held Friday

Fourth grade students gathered last Friday afternoon in the cafeteria for the third annual Fourth Grade Spelling Bee. Students had studied their lists and competed within their classrooms to qualify.

Spellers from Mrs. Dudley's room were Ryan Morris, Jamie Alexander, Toni Martinez, Brett Sawyer, and John Tijerina. Representing Mrs. Worthington's class was Sammy White, Thomas Galan, Gary Thompson, Joey Flores and Tony Lewis. Mrs. Jones's spellers were Crista Chalmers, Staci Sessom, Frankie Moran, Stephen Gray and Mindy Coates.

Tension mounted as contestants were required to spell words such as anthropologist to zoology. Gary Thompson was the third place winner. Frankie Moran won second place. The Grand Champion was Jamie Alexander who won the trophy. Other winners were awarded ribbons and certificates.

TENNIS ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING THURSDAY

An organizational meeting will be held for those interested in forming a tennis club in Ozona. The meeting will be Thursday night at 7:00 p.m. at the tennis courts, near the football field. Anyone interested is encouraged to attend. If enough are interested, a club will be organized. Please attend and bring your family.

Phone news to The Ozona Stockman, 392-2551.

BOY TO BAGGETTS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baggett Jr. are the parents of a son born Wednesday, May 21, at 7:30 p.m. in Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo. The little boy was 20½ inches long and weighed 7 pounds and 2 ounces. He has been named Philip Bright Baggett.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baggett and Mr. and Mrs. Van Hall of Fort Worth.

Library news

The Crockett County Library will be open all summer at our regular hours. Monday through Friday from 9 am to 5 p.m. and on Monday and Thursday nights from 6 pm to 9 pm.

Brown's Brides

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Little League baseball news

Being at practice everyday and really hustling has proved to this fine group of youngsters that that is what it takes to be good and win. El Chatos team, now under the excellent coaching techniques of Cliff Babbitt and his dad, R. B. Babbitt, has played 3 games and lost only one of those 3.

The team consists of players Justin Moran, Jeffrey Perez, John Ramirez, Matthew Marshall, Michael Sizek, Alonzo Quiroz, Diego Pena, Tim Wheeler, Mark Ramirez, Shane Hester, Art Vasquez, Joe Mendoza and J. J. Coy.

On Thursday, May 22, at 6:30 p.m., El Chatos met with Buttery Motors. The starting pitcher for El Chatos was Matthew Marshall who quickly struck out four of the opponent team members. Jeffery Perez had the first in the park homerun. At this time, much to

the painful surprise of Justin Moran, a fast pitch from Buttery Motors Beto Ramos found its mark. Wrong mark we should say as it struck little Moran in the left eye. Other than popping the lens out of his new glasses and a slightly red welt on his cheek, no serious injury was caused. John Ramirez replaced Justin as base runner.

During the 4th inning, 3 more runs were scored by El Chatos with Mark Ramirez scoring 1st, Michael Sizek 2nd, and John Ramirez, third.

During the 5th inning, Art Vasquez scored the 5th run and Mark Ramirez brought in the 6th and final run.

The time limit was called and this exciting game ended with a final score of El Chatos 6 and Buttery Motors 4.

Many thanks to David Cooke and Refugio Chipman for assisting with

this game. Also, thanks to our never tiring official record keeper, Diane Babbitt.

Most Valuable Player for El Chatos this game was Mark Ramirez.

Coaches James Nelson and Bob Hunter are very proud of their Buttery Motors team this week. The boys played an excellent game. They have played 3 and won 1.

Never pitched before Beto Ramos did an excellent job. He pitched 4 innings with 7 at bat. Beto struck out two of 5 bats.

Two very proud visiting grandparents J.L. and Wynelle Bishop of Kerrville had the pleasure of watching grandson Jason Coates hit two runs in. James Lee Nelson was walked and on the first pitch stole to second barely missing the pitch by sliding.

Other valuable players were Micky White who caught a pop fly and Martin Ramos.

Many thanks to Pam Coates for keeping an excellent record of this team's accomplishments.

Submitted by
Tina Moran

Martins place in San Angelo Horse Show

On Sunday, May 18, Bonnie and Tom Martin participated in the Tom Green County 4-H open horse show in San Angelo. They were in the Junior 13 and under age group.

Bonnie placed 5th with her 1985 Registered Yearling Filly.

In the Registered Youth Geldings, Tom placed 3rd and Bonnie was 4th. In the 1982 and before registered geldings Tom was 3rd and Bonnie placed 4th.

In the showmanship at halter, Bonnie was 2nd and Tom was 3rd. In western pleasure, Bonnie won 1st and Tom was 2nd. In the trail class, Bonnie was 2nd and Tom placed 3rd. In horsemanship, Bonnie won 1st and Tom placed 3rd. In reining, Tom was 2nd and Bonnie placed 3rd. In the barrel racing, Bonnie was 4th and Tom 5th. In the pole bending, Bonnie was 5th and Tom placed 6th.

Betty, their mother placed 1st and 2nd in the open reining and won the adult all around. Bonnie won a silver tray for being high point junior.

EXTENSION OFFICE NEWS

By Rachel Hall

A new diet book called Fit For Life has been confused with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service "Fit For Life" weight control program. There is absolutely no connection between the two. The Fit For Life book written by Harvey and Marilyn Diamond, published by Warner Books, is based on untested theory. Nutritional advice does not meet the RDA for calcium, and if followed, may damage the health of the dieter.

The authors base their advice on the concept of Natural Hygiene. According to this theory, the body has three natural cycles: appropriation, or eating and digesting (noon to 8 p.m.); assimilation, or absorption and use (8 p.m. to 4 a.m.) and elimination of body wastes (4 a.m. to noon). The authors attribute weight gain to the build up of toxins from eating foods in inappropriate combinations and at inappropriate times in the body's natural cycle. Conversely, one loses weight by eating foods in appropriate combinations during each of the body's three cycles so that the body's natural energy will remove excess weight.

The authors claim that since the body is 70 percent water, the appropriate diet must be 70 percent water, hence the best diet is one composed of 70 percent fruits and vegetables and 30 percent concentrated foods (every-

thing else). And since eating two concentrated foods together will neutralize stomach acid and cause the foods to rot in the stomach, protein and carbohydrate foods cannot be eaten together.

Based on this theory, the authors prescribe a diet as follows: only fruit and fruit juice before noon, fruit and salad for lunch, vegetables and either a starch or a protein food for dinner. Nuts and nut butters, pasta, bread and grains are allowed in the lunch and dinner meals, but all dairy products except butter are off limits.

The authors do state that approximately 10 percent of users of this diet will experience some initial discomfort (diarrhea, bloating, running nose, etc.) but this is ascribed to the body doing its job of removing toxins. But the most serious problem with this diet is the lack of a significant source of calcium.

Fortunately for the public, the restricted eating patterns and unrealistic calorie reductions proposed by this diet will prove to be too much to maintain. Contrary to the authors' claim, diet requires unrealistic changes in eating habits that will be difficult for most people to follow. This is fortunate since it is extremely unbalanced nutritionally and its use could increase the incidence of osteoporosis.

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Connors host 42 Club at Civic Center

The Thursday night 42 club met at the Civic Center last week with Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Conner as hosts.

Winning high were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lindsey. Low went to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Perry. Bingo was won by Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hubbard. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris were winners of the 84 prize.

Other playing were Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coates, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Johnigan, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Keilers, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kost, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Owens, and Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Walker.

Cains attend family reunion in Kerrville

Lonye and Pat Cain, along with her mother, Esther Ake, were in Kerrville over the Memorial Day weekend for a family reunion of the Schuster family, held at the Inn of the Hills.

Mrs. Ake enjoyed seeing family and friends she had not seen in 60 years and she and the Cains got to see lots of old photos those attending brought to share. Some of the photos included views of the farm house of the Schusters in Germany dating back to the 1700's.

While at the reunion, wedding vows were renewed between Curtis Green and Esther Schuster Green. The same preacher that performed the ceremony 50 years ago renewed their vows. A brunch followed in the Medallion Room. Centerpieces were made by "Schuster of Texas" of Goldthwaite. A barbecue served 138 adults Saturday night in the La Fuente Room. Family from as far away as Anchorage, Alaska and California also were there and many from Texas attended.

Bohannons celebrate 56th anniversary in Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. John Bohannon left by plane from San Antonio on May 12th for Waikiki, Hawaii.

While in Waikiki, the Bohannons attended the Don Ho Dinner Show in the Hilton Dome Showroom, at the Hilton Hawaiian Village. They were asked by Don Ho to appear on stage during the show. This occurred on May 14, the date of the Bohannon's 56th wedding anniversary.

On stage, they took part in a mock wedding ceremony and danced to the Hawaiian Wedding Song. Don Ho presented them with leis, champagne, and a copy of his gold record. They also received pictures of the occasion. The Bohannons returned to Ozona on May 21.

Willia Perry was in San Marcos this weekend to visit her son and his wife, Dale and Debbie Perry. The three attended the wedding of Jana Harris and Craig Scallan Saturday evening in University Church of Christ in San Marcos. At the wedding they enjoyed visiting with former Ozonans, Mrs. Terry (Linda) Lee and daughter, Teresa of Kermit. Also Erika and Jon Adams of San Marcos and all the bride's family.

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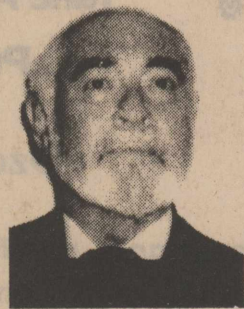
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May I have your vote on May 30th?

I promise to serve the needs of all senior citizens, regardless of race or creed.



Garden of the Month

The Ozona Garden Club has selected the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ottlist Pridemore as Garden of the Month. It is located at 301 Ave. J. Flower beds are bordered with red and white caladiums and fern. Large shade trees shade this beautiful yard.

Kiddie Klub graduation held Friday

Kiddie Klub graduation was held Friday night at the Ozona Community Center with 28 four-year olds receiving diplomas. Community Center director is Stella Valadez and Del Perez is teaching assistant.

Mrs. R. A. Harrell played the professional music. Virginia Cotton presented the diplomas to the children after they sang a number of musical selections and presented a play for parents and friends. Papa Bear was

played by Ricky Dominguez, Mama Bear was Misty Dawn James, Baby Bear was Mark Childress and Goldilocks, Taylor O'Neal.

Children receiving diplomas included: Leana Baggett, Matthew Bennett, Ryan Bean, Angela Branch, Mark Childress, Kayce Cooke, Trina Crockett, Ricky Dominguez, Linsy Flanagan, Joshua Gibson, Amber Gomez, Renata Higginbottom, Harrell Robert Hodges, Ashley Hubbard, Ellis Jackson, Misty Dawn James, Donika Martinez, Mitchell Martinez, Chad Ray Myers, Taylor O'Neal, Ryan Lee Ramos, Javier Rolando Reyes, Jena Sadler, Danna Rae Simmons, Bradley Cole Sullivan, Joe Squiers, Jomie Tebbetts and Audry Young.

The children concluded the program by singing "We Are The World."

Crockett County Care Center News

Monday's exercise class was attended by Jesus Hernandez, Pauline Clinton, Edna Wallace, Tomasa Ramos, Juana Hernandez, Ola Mills, Moriama Perez and Bertha Miller. A game of Ring Toss followed.

Tuesday's Bingo was assisted by volunteers, Lara DeHoyos, Lillian Tambunga, Mattie Cooper and Dorothy Doll. The 1st prize winner of an El Chatos gift certificate was Bertha Miller. Other winners included Grace Cotter, Jesus Hernandez, Juana Hernandez, Edna Wallace, Lucia Rios, Ola Mills, Moriama Perez, Minnie Karr and Bertha Miller.

Tuesday afternoon, Tiny Homsley joined residents for a game of dominos, while other residents competed in a game of horseshoes.

Wednesday's Ceramic Work Shop was assisted by Marie Pierson and Ruth Hester. Residents participating in the work shop were: Juana Hernandez, Ola Mills, Alice Ross, Manuela Perez, Moriama Perez, Pauline Clinton and Theo Burns. A few of the finished pieces included a pink pig, a bronze colored deer with fawn and a dry brushed blue jay.

Wednesday afternoon, residents enjoyed three movies shown by Ann Mayo. The films were entitled "Big Thicket", "Blue Jays" and "Buffy: Bored Raccoon".

Ruth Hester, Janet Henry and Vivian Hughes were the volunteers styling hair in our Thursday morning's Beauty Shop.

Thursday's mid week Bible Study was presented by the Lutheran Church with Charles Huffman teaching the lesson. Ruby Olson played the piano and led residents in the singing of hymns. Visitors included Betty Huffman, Marie Walker, Dorothy Doll, Mattie Cooper, Betty Bachman and Erik Bachman. Cookies were served after the Bible study, compliments of Betty Bachman. Thank you Betty. They were delicious.

The Spanish Hour of Praise completed Thursday's activities with Felipa Munoz, Mariana Hernandez, Cecilia Ramos, Norma Flores, Maria Vitela, Paulita Leal, Sulema Martinez, Marisella Cantu, Humberto Gutierrez and Florencia Gutierrez attending.

Emma Taylor won three of the games played in Friday's Bingo. Maggie Crawford was the lucky

winner of a gift certificate from Westerman's Drug, and Bertha Miller won the special game played for a snow cone from the Tropical Snow. Other winners included: Grace Cotter, Jesus Hernandez, Juana Hernandez, Pauline Clinton, Lucia Rios, Manuela Perez and Moriama Perez. Volunteers assisting were: Dorothy Doll and Mattie Cooper.

Friday afternoon a staff inservice was held in the Care Center lobby. Hospital and Care Center staff viewed a film entitled "Emergency Meds and I.V.'s." Some EMT's were also present for this inservice.

This week's Sunday Worship Service was presented by the Church of Christ, Ralph Moore preacher. Residents enjoyed a visitation with visitors after services.

We would like to thank all the visitors and volunteers who came by this week.

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Becky Davidson of Houston and Paula Davidson of San Angelo, spent the Memorial holiday here with Donna Beth Davidson.

Skylar Dawn Rose of Ballinger is in Ozona this week visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris.

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She is a charter member of Care Friends, the auxiliary of the Reagan County Care Center. Care Friends strive to ease the problems Senior Citizen Residents may have. Working with these organizations has given her an insight into the difficulties Senior Citizens have in trying to cope with new Laws passed in the "State Legislature."

As Vice President of her own Company, she is well aware of the need in all areas for a better understanding and interpretation of all Legislation.

Mrs. Sandel served as President of Western District TFWCGFWC and four years as State Trustee for the Historical Foundation of the organization.

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Volunteer firemen turn in a busy week

The Ozona Volunteer Fire Department answered three alarms beginning with Friday of the Memorial Day holiday.

Firemen were called to the site of a jet crash west of Ozona about 30 miles, near Sheffield. A RF-4C Phantom II jet crashed on the Foley Ranch. Firemen stayed at the scene to extinguish brush fires caused by the crash until late Friday night. Both occupants of the jet were killed in the crash.

Another alarm was answered Sunday morning around 9 a.m. Fireman John L. Henderson reported lightning struck a Wintershall tank battery on the Shannon Ranch 14 miles northwest of Ozona. Thirty gallons of high expansion foam was used on the petroleum fire. It took around 25 minutes to extinguish.

Sunday afternoon around 6 p.m., a car fire was reported on Interstate 10, 12 miles west of Ozona. A car, being towed on a trailer, caught fire. It was completely destroyed by fire before firemen could reach the scene.

Ozona's two public pools to open

Ozona's two public swimming pools will open this weekend. Sara and John Hignight will be managing the north pool and Maria and Joe Borrego will be managers of the south pool.

Kenneth Sessom will be lifeguarding at the north pool. This will be his third year as lifeguard. Mrs. Hignight announced that swimming classes will be scheduled later in the summer. A ladies morning group and mothers with small children group will begin June 1. Pool hours for all swimmers will be from 2 to 6 p.m. 7 days a week, beginning this Saturday.

Hours at the south pool will be 2 to 5:30 p.m., 7 days a week. The pool will be available for private rental by contacting the manager. The south pool will open Sunday.

Schools dismiss for summer

All students in Ozona Public Schools will be dismissed at their regular time on Thursday, May 29, for the beginning of summer vacation. Report cards will be given to Ozona Primary and Ozona Intermediate School students on that Thursday, while students in Ozona Middle and Ozona High School will come to school at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, May 30, to receive their report cards.

Eastern Star fetes Masons

Members of the Eastern Star Chapter #287 entertained members of the Masonic Lodge and their families with a supper Saturday, May 17, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Brown.

Around 40 attended the supper of hamburgers, homemade ice cream and cake in the Brown's back yard.



FIERCE WINDS hit Ozona early Tuesday morning with over an inch of rain reported in town. The park was scattered with broken limbs from the large pecan trees and county employees were busy hauling off loads of the limbs.

Cameron says money belongs to Crockett Co.

County Attorney Tom Cameron has hired an Austin law firm in an attempt to recover for the County the \$600,000 seized by the Texas Department of Public Safety on May 11.

Cameron said it is his understanding that abandoned or unclaimed money belongs to the county or city in which it is found.

The money was found when DPS troopers stopped a vehicle for speeding outside of Ozona on I-10 May 11. Before the county attorney or the district attorney were aware of the seizure, the money was sent to Austin.

The federal government has filed claim to it, alleging it was intended to

be used for narcotics. Cameron claims there is no evidence that narcotics was involved. Both the driver of the vehicle and the passenger denied knowledge of the money.

Cameron plans to appear before the Department of Public Safety and meet with State Attorney General Jim Mattox about the matter, although it will be a federal case.

4-H Family night scheduled

The Annual 4-H Family Night will be Thursday, May 29, 5:30 p.m. at the North Swimming Pool. All 4-H families are invited to attend and enjoy sandwiches, ice cream and swimming.

4-H families are also invited to attend a day of fun at Water Wonderland, at Midland/Odessa, on June 28. Admission to the park on 4-H day will be \$7.95 (which is a \$2.00 saving per ticket). An optional meal ticket may also be purchased. Any interested 4-H family or group should contact the County Extension Office by May 29 to make reservations.

4-H members who are at least 15 years of age may be eligible to attend the Texas 4-H Congress, July 13-16, in Austin. Delegates attending will be involved in writing bills, debating and voting on bills, and meeting in the Senate and House Chambers of the Capitol. Interested members should notify County Extension Office no later than May 29.

Sign up ends Friday for LTA's

The sign-up for Long Term Agreements (LTA's) ends Friday, May 30, 1986. The LTA is a contract that runs from 3 to 5 years and allows the producer to draw up to \$3500.00 each year of the contract.

Practices that can be cost-shared under the LTA are: brush work, pipelines, water storage, water wells and fences. The Soil Conservation Service is responsible for the technical assistance of the program. If you are interested in applying for an LTA or would like more information, contact the ASCS office by May 30, 1986.

Ranch hand brings suit against Ozona rancher

A suit has been filed in federal district court in San Angelo by a ranch hand who claims he was not paid for 13 months of work by an Ozona rancher.

Silver haired legislature voting Sat.

Voting for the Texas Silver Haired Legislature will be Friday, May 30, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., at the Crockett County Courthouse (west entrance).

The Texas Silver Haired Legislature will be an elected, non-partisan body of persons 60 plus years of age. The Silver Haired Legislature meets in the fall of 1986 at the State Capitol. The reasons for creating a Silver Haired Legislature are to: provide older Texans an opportunity to become knowledgeable about the legislative process, develop a forum for debating and establishing legislative priorities, and provide an avenue by which older citizens may serve as a resource to public and private sectors and boards.

Persons who are 60 plus years of age are eligible to vote for two candidates of their choice in Crockett County. Candidates include: Troy Williams of Ozona, Jack Conaway of Junction, Chuck Hubbard of Rochelle, Tom Ratliff of Eldorado, Bonnie Sandell of Big Lake, Bill Ray Dugan of Menard and Margaret Martin of Bronte.

Darla Judd to head up Lion Band

The Pride of Crockett County, the Ozona Lion Band, will march out this year lead by new and familiar faces. Drum Major, Sr., Darla Judd will head up the front lines along with returning head twirler, Jennifer Probst and Peggy Knox, both Seniors, along with Judy Flores and Sandra Ramirez, Juniors, all returning twirlers.

The flag corps once again will be led by Capt. Janette Diaz, and her troop of Seniors, Shauna McCary, Tonya Carter, Juniors, Shawna Newton, Eileen Moran, Triebie West, and Suzi King, and Sophomore JoAnn Hohertz.

Marion, Ind. alleges he was not paid and is seeking \$15,008 in back wages, according to a story in the San Angelo Standard.

Marley's attorney, William Ervine, said the allegations are groundless and expects Marley to be exonerated after the case has a full hearing.

The court petition stated Marley had a policy of not paying employees until their employment ended. The petition also stated when Contreras quit working on May 30, 1983, he was told that his expenses exceeded his wages and pay was refused. He alleges he began work on the ranch April 1, 1982.

According to the suit, it was agreed that Contreras be paid \$10 a day or \$300 a month plus housing and food. Contreras claims he worked more than 40 hours a week, sometimes up to 15 hours a day.

Board meets to discuss improvements

The Board of Trustees of Crockett County Consolidated Common School District, meeting in special session Wednesday, May 21, approved two improvement projects to be performed during the approaching summer.

A lighting project at Lion Stadium will replace the existing lighting system. This became necessary when tests made on existing wooden poles indicated that the poles were deteriorating beyond safe levels. The wiring system and the fixtures also have been giving operational problems for the past two years.

The system to be installed will produce a greater degree of illumination and will result in a 66% operational savings and decreased maintenance costs.

A gym project has been under study for over a year, and the decision to complete the project will put all-dressing facilities for basketball boys and girls inside the Davidson Gym.

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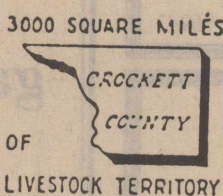
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