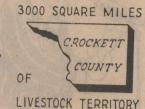


	Weather By James Pagan			
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	Nov. 20	65	35	-n-
	Nov. 21	73	43	-n-
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Winters	Nov. 23	56	38	-n-
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Christmas **Coloring Contest** for those under 12



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Kittu's Korner

Kitty Montgomery

The holiday season is upon us and Ozonans will celebrate Thanksgiving Thursday. Most will celebrate with huge meals and a lot of football watching on the tube. The kids will be entertained with the parades on television Thursday morning. Pat Sazak and Stephani Kramer will narrate the 60th annual Macys Parade, while Larry Hagman and Linda Gray will play host to the 27th annual All-American parade. Traditionally, the females in the family are in the kitchen cooking. Not so at my house

I've taken advantage of my condition, being crippled in one arm, to have everything done I could think of. While I am thankful for many things, I am really thankful for the Womans League members who made my chicken spaghetti, pecan pie, Italian Creme Cake, and asparagus casserole. Involved were Becky Childress, Elizabeth Upham and Paula Bailey, all better cooks than I am. I am thankful to Charlie Frazier, who is cooking my turkey and saving the broth. I am thankful to Sherry Holt who is chopping my celery and onions. Above all, I am thankful God saw fit to let me live through this year.

All I have to do is make the dressing and giblet gravy, and my daughter-in law. Debbie, who is bringing her cranberry salad, will probably lift it in and out of the oven for me. How pampered can one get.

I have been as helpless as the Cowboys were when they played the Indians last Sunday. Only mine has lasted longer. Believe me, there is no place like Ozona to be helpless in and I

am thankful I make my home here. There are millions of things to be thankful for if you live in America. I could name more than space would permit. I just hope all Americans take a moment to be thankful on this very special day and pray for the traditions which have made this great nation what it is. Freedom is so precious, it should never be taken for granted.

The weather has been fickle lately and furnaces have been used in the mornings with air conditioning in the afternoons. One hardly knows how to dress for the weather. However, Monday was one of those days the mercury hovered around freezing all day. I think 36 was about as high as it got, in spite of what the weather bureau forecast. Tuesday dawned bright and clear and by 3 o'clock in the afternoon, it had climbed to 62

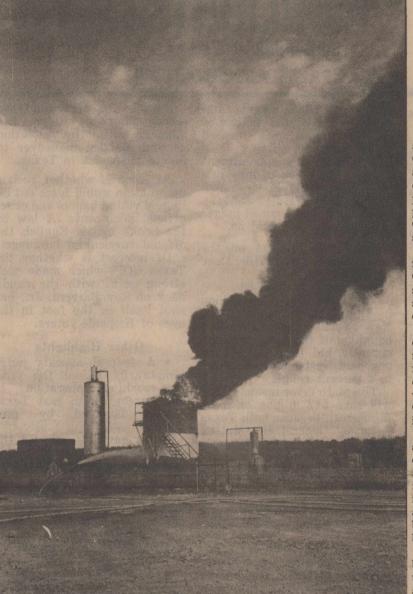
We had every kind of weather Monday except warm weather. It began with peppery rain drops, turned to sleet, then to snow and back to sleet. Fortunately a freeze failed to materialize Monday night and the roads were relatively safe. A brisk wind gave us a below freezing chill factor and it was thoroughly uncomfortable all day long.

As of this writing Tuesday afternoon we have resorted to the air-conditioner.

Christmas decorations are already going up and to get into the spirit of things, we are having a Christmas coloring contest this year for the younger set. We will have four different prints for kids under the age of 12 to color and turn in to a participating merchant. Prizes will be given when the contest is judged by a local artist and winners announced in the Christmas edition Dec. 24. The first entry may be found in this week's

Honor Society officers elected

On November 14, the National Honor Society members elected officers for the school year. The officers elected are Marcos Gonzales, president; Mark Sellers, vice-president; Janet Diaz, secretary; and Peggy Knox, treasurer. All of the officers elected are seniors this year.



Bean ranch sent firemen to this and the fire was out at 10:15. Some blazing tank. The cause was lightning, personnel stood by in case of a unofficially. Gary Adcock, pumper, flare-up. Damage was limited to assumed lightning started the fire, replacing a stock tank and the amount since there is no heater unit at the of oil burned. scene. It was discovered by a ranch

A TANK BATTERY FIRE at the Joe employee. Trucks arrived at 10 a.m.

Lions and Lady Lions Friday for open the season

Basketball season has started again and the Ozona Lions and Lady Lions have started their hard work, long practices, and tough games once more. Their dedication will hopefully bring a very successful season to

This year the boys varsity consists of twelve members, six of which are returning to the varsity 'team for another year. These six include seniors Chi Flores, Roger Flores, Sam Hightower, and Abel Lara. Juniors include Mike Morrow and Scott Denman. Other team members are juniors Jim Ethridge, Oscar Payne, Danny Sanchez, Will Seahorn, and Derold Vargas. The only sophomore on the

team is Wolv Rutherford. The boys varsity has played the first two games of the season, one against San Angelo Lakeview, and the other against Coahoma. With their first opposition of the season, Ozona suffered a loss of 38-37 in a very close game against Lakeview. High points Pullen and Lanessa Porter. for the game were Sam Hightower with eleven, and Roger Flores with eight. Ozona's second game against Coahoma proved successful, and they were victorious 48-43. High points for this game were Scott Denman and Sam Hightower both with fourteen

The Lady Lions have also started their season. They consist of eight members, four returning lettermen, and four new recruits. Returning for the varsity girls are seniors Janet Diaz and Vickie Reagor, Junior Lydia Pena, and sophomore Stacy Lay. Other team members include Vickie Flores, Regina Cervantez, Stacy Winkley and Kelly Williams.

The girls varsity has also played two games so far this season. In their first game of the season, the Lady Lions suffered a 63-40 loss against San Angelo Lakeview. They also suffered a loss in their second game against Coahoma with the score being 64-38. Also playing basketball for Ozona

are the juniors, sophomores, and freshmen on junior varsity teams. The J.V. teams are made up fifteen boys and seven girls.

Playing for the Lion JV team are seven sophomores. They are Copie Davis, Jose Gutierrez, Oscar Galindo, Robby Tambunga, Javier Martinez, Tommy Tucker, and Richard Vargas. Eight freshmen make up the re-

mainder of the team. They include George Ybarra, Roger Martinez, Chris Denman, Lalo Rodriquez, Sotero Fuentes, Pete Ramirez, Guadalupe Porras, and Jason Tumlinson.

The seven girls playing for the JV are as follows; Shannon Curry, soph.; Kriss Corely, soph.; Adrianne Wilson, sop.; Dottie Gonzales, soph.; Griselda Hernandez, jr.; Eileen Moran, jr.; and Lacy Miller, jr.

There are also seven girls playing freshman basketball. They are Missy Bishop, Polly Villarreal, Stacy Berry, Tammy Arrott, Terel Seahorn, Sarah

Graveside services for Smith infant

Graveside services for Bobby Wayne Smitn, one-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Smith, were held Monday at 11 a.m. in Cedar Hill Cemetery under the direction of Sizemore Funeral Home.

The infant died at 8:45 p.m. Friday in Santa Rosa Childrens' Hospital in San Antonio. He was born Oct. 10,

Other survivors include a sister, Crystal Bell Smith of Ozona: a brother, Dwayne Smith Jr. of Ozona, and his grandmother, Belia Rodriquez of

Plans submitted for hospital district vote

The Texas Legislature has been 5 years, the Act expires. asked to enact a law which would allow Crockett County voters to vote for or against the creation of a hospital district for the Crockett County Hospital. This came about as a result of a petition from the hospital board to the Crockett County Commissioners Court several months ago.

After the bill becomes law, a date for the election will be set. The Commissioners Court must appoint seven temporary directors, who will serve until seven directors can be elected through due process.

If the voters decide "for" the creation of a hospital district, all responsibilities and powers will pass from the county to the hospital district. The district board will have vast powers and the Commissioners Court will be relieved of the responsibility of the hospital.

Under a hospital district, directors and officers will serve without compensation, but will be reimbursed actual expenses incurred in performance of duties. However, the administrator, assistant administrator and attorney will be appointed by the board at whatever compensation the board directs.

The election date does not need to be specific, but must be set not less than 35 days nor more than 60 days after the date on which the election is ordered. The temporary directors must canvass the election within 10 days. If the election fails, 12 months must pass before another election can be called. If a district is not formed for

Services here Mrs. Baker

Eva Martin Baker (Mrs. Sterling Baker), 94, of Sonora, died in the Crockett County Hospital in Ozona, Nov. 19. Graveside services were held in the Cedar Hill Cemetary with the Rev. Monte Jones of St. John's Episcopal Church of Sonora officiating and directed by the Sizemore Funeral Home at 3:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 21.

Mrs. Baker was born May 3, 1892. She married Sterling Price Baker Jan. 1, 1911 in Junction where she grew up. Mr. Baker held ranching interests in Sutton County where they made their home on his ranch until he preceded her in death in 1981.

Mrs. Baker was actively involved in helping the Sonora Woman's Club establish the first public reading library in Sonora where she served on the library committee for about 50 years thereafter. Eva received her lifetime membership from the Sonora chapter of the Eastern Star, #575 Order, after 64 years of membership. She was also actively involved in St. John's Episcopal Church, as an early teacher of Sunday school services.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Sidney (Dorothy) Millspaugh, of Ozona and three grandchildren, Linda Millspaugh Andersen, of New Canaan, CT., Mrs. Jim (Marilyn Millspaugh) West and her husband Jim of Colorado Springs, CO. and Sidney Sanderson Millspaugh, III and his wife Judy of San Antonio, Tx., and four great grandchildren, Elizabeth and Eric Andersen, Ryan West, and Sidney Sanderson Millspaugh, Iv, also two sisters and one brother, and several nieces and nephews.

Community Calendar

Dec. 5-Knights of Columbus dance. 8 p.m. Parish Hall

Nov. 27- HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

district. A district is financed by residents. property taxes and the ballot must state the amount for the maximum County Auditor Dick Kirby and tax. In this case they are asking 35 County Judge A.O. Fields indicates cents per \$100 valuation tax on all the hospital and care center pay 25 property in the district which will percent more in salaries than comencompass all of Crockett County. parable facilities, and do not charge This tax may be collected by the higher rates charged by other such district, or may be contracted out to facilities, also the cost of services, the county. This will in effect be the such as meals, runs much higher here. creation of a new taxing entity. The present tax rate is 40 cents per \$100 operated by a board appointed by the valuation for the county. Twenty-five Commissioners Court. Each member percent of this goes toward the upkeep is appointed for a two-year term and of the hospital. The tax rate for the terms are staggered. Board members schools is 78 cents per \$100, also do not receive compensation and serve collected by the county, and the road only one term.

orial Hospital has never been financed sicians.

ated on tax monies for many years. district could improve this situation. However, the past few years have In the end, unless costs become

not. Rising costs and vacancies have The ballot will be simply "for" or altered the center's finances since it 'against'' the creation of a hospital first opened with a waiting list for

A recent survey of area hospitals by

The hospital and care center is

tax is .075, for a total of \$1.255 per Proponents of the creation of a \$100 valuation for the property owner. hospital district say it is needed to A hospital district was recently update facilities and needs to be formed in Sonora, with the maximum removed from the Commissioners tax rate set at 10 cents per \$100 Court. They also feel an elected board valuation. The Lillian Hudspeth Mem- would be able to attract more phy-

by tax money, and an attempt to turn Opponents say tax money is tax it over to the county failed. The money and it all comes out of the same hospital was financed by the Lillian pocket. They prefer having the board Hudspeth estate, but with new regu- responsible to the court as a checks lations and a turn-over in physicians, and balance measure. If the hospital is plus lack of use by the public, the not being utilized by the community, hospital was more deeply in debt than most of those against the creation of a the Hudspeth Ranch could take care of district, feel it would be an exercise in with annual grass lease and mineral futility to create another taxing entity. resources. The present hospital board Although the town boasts two phywill manage the ranch until the some sicians, one doctor has resigned from \$400,000 in debt is retired, and it will the hospital staff and one continues to then become the property of the use it when his patients allow. Those opposed to the creation of a hospital Crockett County Hospital has oper- district fail to see how the creation of a

seen a drop in use of the hospital by more reasonable and federal and state the community. That, along with regulations eased, most small hossevere government regulations and pitals seem to be doomed. The local turn-over in personnel has run the hospital is required to operate under hospital in the red to the tune of about the same regulations as large hosa half million dollars a year. The pitals in Houston and Dallas. Sevencounty budget for this year was teen small rural hospitals have closed \$840,000 to be transferred from the their doors this year. Half of these general fund for the hospital and the were operating under a hospital care center. The hospital at this point district.



had been in a battle before the game was over. As the two Lady Lions battle

Dec. 8-Alpha Alpha Mu Christmas THE LADY LIONS failed to win the for the ball it looks like there might be game, but their opponents knew they a couple of fingers in the ballhandler's eye.

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BEING JUDGMENTAL

By Edwin Feulner

The gall of this guy Edwin Meese. Sometimes the attorney general talks so much sense that liberals, or "progressives," as most now prefer to be called, seem to get about as upset as they do contemplating those outrageous folks who aid anti-Communist freedom-fighters.

Remember when Attorney General Meese galled the Left by saying it was too easy for criminals to escape justice? Or, a few months ago, when the report by his commission on pornography seemed, well, too anti-pornography?

Such cases cue the progressive chorus into the familiar chants. Meese and his henchmen, they say, are censors out to ride roughshod over the First Amendment and send book-burners into libraries.

This is the "slippery-slope theory" so dear to the American Civil Liberties Union. Give a conservative A, according to the theory, and in no time he'll be trying to get Z. Today he'll censor Hustler, tomorrow Homer. (Rarely does the ACLU apply that logic against the Left, which has moved, for example, from championing equal rights to championing state-enforced preferential treatment based on race and gender.)

And now, just when the outrage was cooling over Meese's antipornography campaign, the attorney general has popped off against the Supreme Court, the sacred cow of sacred cows. As the front-page headline in The New York Times said, "Meese Says Court Doesn't Make Law," followed by the misleading subhead "Asserts Rulings of Top Justices Bind

Maybe you, too, think Congress, not the Supreme Court, is supposed to make law, and that all Meese has done is restate what everyone knows. Then you haven't kept up with progressive thought over the last generation, hence aren't aware that to a huge extent ours has become a government of, by, and for the judges and the bureaucrats, both of whom enjoy the privilege of being beyond accountability to the lowly electorate. Remember when liberalism used to be about, or so said liberals, "power to the people'"?

Now, what did Meese actually say? Simply that a Supreme Court decision "does not establish a 'supreme law of the land' (as the Court wrote of its own powers in a 1958 decision) that is binding on all persons and parts of government, henceforth and forevermore." The executive branch, Meese also said, is bound "for whatever enforcement is necessary."

Meese's point, indeed, is so fundamental that to reject it would seem to imply acquiescence is a form of tyranny, if tyranny is a form of government that doesn't depend on the consent of the governed.

Meese also noted that the Court itself is not bound by its own decisions, which it has overruled from time to time. Besides, those who disagree with a Court ruling can work for a constitutional amendment, as have those who oppose the abortion rulings. Or they can simply back legislation that the Court could later rule is constitutional even though it thus overturns a previous ruling. This is all Meese meant when he said Court rulings "do not necessarily determine future public policy.

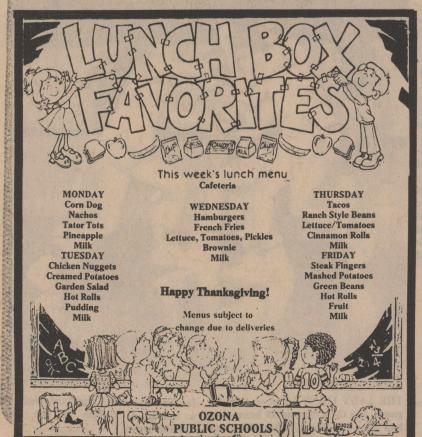
The real source of the latest outcry against Meese is the frustration of those whose positions have been rejected at the polls and who are therefore determined to impose them by judicial fiat.

The common will, of course, is not always the commonweal. But (1) neither is the will of the Court, and (2) the Constitution's arrangement of checks and balances offers ways to work against Court decisions

The Bill of Rights protects individual rights from being trampled by the majority. But it is an irresponsible leap from there to the view that the decisions of nine unelected persons should forever be hailed as infallible and unchallengeable. This is especially so when you consider that so many of today's progressive judges "interpret" the Constitution not according to the intent of its authors, but rather in whatever ways further the judges' policy goals. It's called lawmaking, and it's supposed to be the province of Congress.

Even with the best judges, judicial tyranny is not a good way to govern. The tyranny of today's judges, as we have witnessed again and again, is quite a dangerous way to govern.

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







STATE CAPITAL By Lyndell Williams

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AUSTIN—Last week Texas was served "the unusual":

• With the first cash management notes issued by the Treasury, Texas made an extra \$12 million or more because a Wall Street bidder made a

math error. Ours to keep.

• In a rare display of outspokenness from the high court, Texas Supreme Court Justice Franklin Spears criti-cized Chief Justice John Hill of grabbing for power and ignoring other members of the court. Hill denied it.

 And a new twist on lobbying was added when a Houston lobbyist offered to pay some legislators for attending a cocktail party. Some were incensed.

Spears' beef is not with Hill's integrity or legal ability, but with his treatment of other justices as assistants instead

Meals on wheels menu

MONDAY **Meat Loaf Buttered Macaroni** Greens **Tossed Salad** Whole Wheat Rolls Applesauce TUESDAY Lemon Baked Fish **Mashed Potatoes Buttered Carrots Cornmeal Muffins Blushing Pears** WEDNESDAY **Baked Beef Hash Brussel Sprouts** Vegetable Salad Biscuits

Steamed Pudding THURSDAY Cheese Enchiladas Spanish Rice **Harvard Beets** Crackers **Lazy Daisy Cake** FRIDAY **Creamed Turkey Spaghetti**

Spinach **Autumn Salad Hot Rolls** Custard

Museum Memorials

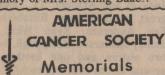
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Mr. and Mrs. Tuffy Whitehead, Pierce, Louise Caruthers, Pacal North- houses properly numbered.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Graham in memory of Glynda Ellison. Mrs. Rufus Ward in memory of

of equals. Hill's recent campaign for appointed instead of elected judges has caused Spears to speak out.

Hill is for the appointment system, but seven of nine justices oppose it, Spears said. "I think he (Hill) wants a voice in who gets named judges at all levels." Hill said no.

Spears has served on the court since 1969, Hill since

Break On Interest The state sold \$600 million in short-term notes and the New York syndicate which bought half the bond issue apparently bid 0.03 percent on one part, instead of the 3.75to-4 percent range.

The math error means Texas will save \$12 million or more in interest, because both Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox and Treasurer Ann Richards say the bond sale is final

Some 19 firms bid on the notes which provide cash for state government that used to be borrowed from other state funds at higher interest rates.

"Outright Attempt

A lobbyist for the Houston transit authority invited 13 legislators to two receptions and said money raised there will be divided among their officeholder accounts, perhaps as much as \$500 each, if they attend.

The Common Cause group and some legislators reacted negatively and state Rep. Randy Pennington said lawmakers "should be incensed at the outright attempt to buy special interest."

A transit authority spokesman said it did not consider the money payment for attendence.

Official Language

The resolution may cause a revolution after top officials in the Texas Republican Party called for constitutional amendments to make English the official language.

But Mexican-American Democrats chairman Ruben Bonilla, Jr. called the resolution an underhanded maneuver to isolate Hispanics in Texas.

At issue is whether such a designation would force out bilingual voting ballots and other official documents. A law on the books makes English the official curriculum language.

Of interest is whether the Texas GOP, which made such strong gains with the candidacy of Roy Barrera, Jr., has shot itself in the foot in the eyes of Hispanic voters.

Other Highlights

· A federal appeals judge temporarily halted the feds' tree-crushing operation to clear areas of an east Texas forest damaged by pine

Rains have also slowed the controversial clearing, which opponents say needlessly destroys plants and wildlife.

 Texas A&M University officials opened a \$4.5 million center to house the Ocean Drilling Program, a multinational project to study the sub-ocean core.

· A recount has been sought in state representative District 32, which includes Victoria, where a Republican won for the first time this century by a 19-vote margin.

• Clive Cussler, the famous author of "Raise the Titanic" and other books of naval intrigue, led a team which found what they think is the longlost Texas navy warship "Zavala" buried under a Galveston parking lot.

They failed to locate the schooner "Invincible," which sank in Galveston Bay in 1837 after fighting the Mexican navy at Yucatan.

Cussler was aided by divers from Texas A&M and the Texas Antiquities Committee. His operation finds wrecks and turns over the salvage operations to proper authorities.

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

Thursday, Nov. 28, 1957

A wet blanket of snow covered Crockett county and most of West Texas in a surprise fall Saturday night. Ozonans were greeted Sunday morning with three inches of the white

29 yrs. ago The approaching marriage of Miss Vivian Trotter to Ronnie McMullan was announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Trotter of Barnhart.

29 yrs. ago The Ozona Lions closed their 1957 football season when they tied the Alpine Bucks of District 7-A 13 to 13. Despite the fact that the Lions played good, the Alpine team advanced to the next round of play with a win on penetrations. The game was brought by telephone hook-up broadcast to Ozonans unable to attend the game in Alpine.

29 yrs. ago

Pipe posts are being installed at intersections throughout Ozona for the installation of street signs. This is the Amy and Clay in memory of Dorothy first step in a campaign to get all

29 yrs. ago

Mrs. Ashby McMullan was elected President of the Ladies Golf Assoc. at the Country Club. Other officers are Vice Pres.-Mrs. W.E. Friend, Jr., Memorials Chair. Sec./Treas.-Mrs. Lloyd Sherrill; Cor-Jane. M. Black responding Sec.-Mrs. Byron Stuart;

Reporter-Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr.; Golf Chairman-Mrs. V.I. Pierce; Bridge Chairman-Mrs. Sherman Taylor; Hostess Chairman-Mrs. Dempster Jones; Membership Chairman-Mrs. H.B. Tandy. 29 yrs. ago

Bridge hostess at the Country Club was Mrs. John Childress. High score went to Mrs. Lee Fawcett of Sonora. 29 yrs. ago

Girl Scout Troop 6 had a dinner at the Sombrero Cafe. Fourteen girls were in attendance. 29 yrs. ago

The Ozona Woman's Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. S.M. Harvick with Mrs. Taylor Word assisting as hostess. 29 yrs. ago

Golfers of the Ladies Golf Assoc. met at the Country Club Monday for golf play. Balls were won by Mrs. Dempster Jones and Mrs. Jess Mar-

29 yrs. ago Girl Scout Troop No. 1 met last week

at the Scout House. Those present were Linda Miller, Ann Long, Carol Harrison, Linda Leath, Vicki Applewhite, Joleen Butterfield, Janis Walker, Linda Huff, Mary Jane Dunlap, Sheron German, Mary Frances Goolsby, Jan Paulk, Annie Ruth Wallace, Carmen Childress, Diana Couch and Cheryl Lyles.

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Students perform

A MUSICAL ON THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION was presented by Mrs. Glasscock's and Mrs. Stokes' fifth grades Monday at the Intermediate School. The play was directed by Sara

Hignight. A morning performance was presented for students and an evening performance for parents and other interested persons.

Southwest Party Spread

One 9-inch cake

2 packages (8 oz. each) cream

2 cups (8 oz.) shredded Cheddar

2 cups dairy sour cream, divided.

2/3 cup mild or hot salsa.

1 package (1.25 oz.) taco seasoning

Appetizing cheesecake adds spice to the Holiday Party

Americans have a big appetite these salsa, that spicy tomato relish created days for cheese and Mexican-style foods. In the last 15 years, cheese consumption has nearly doubled from 12 to 23 pounds per person, while Mexican food, once thought by some to be just a fad, continues to be a favorite in the ethnic category.

Another more recent trend in American eating is a taste for hot, spicy foods. Witness the popularity of Creole and Cajun foods as well as the variety and number of peppers available at the local produce counter.

Southwest Party Spread combines all three eating trends in an appetizer well suited for a large holiday gathering. The recipe combines Cheddar and cream cheese, taco seasonings and mild green chilies in a cheesecake-like mixture. A topping of sour cream and

in Mexico, is added during the final stages of baking. Once chilled, the spread is garnished with avocado slices and red peppers, and served with an endless supply of tortilla

During the holidays, it's not a bad idea to keep a supply of cheese on hand for both planned and impromptu entertaining. Cream cheese is a popular base not only for cakes but for a number of holiday dips and spreads. It can be blended with Cheddar and blue-veined cheese varieties to make a cheese log or ball, then garnished with chopped nuts or fresh chopped parsley. Or simpler yet, spread cream cheese with one's favorite chutney and serve with crackers.

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portions of their shares to the Okla-

homa Municipal Power Authority and

Tortilla chips Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Beat cream cheese and Cheddar cheese until light and fluffy. Stir in one cup sour cream and taco seasoning mix. Beat in eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Fold in chilies. Pour into 9-inch springform pan. Bake 35 to 40 minutes, or until center of cake is just firm. Remove from oven. Cool 10 minutes. Combine remaining sour cream and salsa. Spoon over top of cake. Return to oven The Okaunion Power Station is by and bake 5 minutes. Cool completely far the largest in the WTU system. on wire rack. Refrigerate, covered,

cheese, softened.

chilies, drained.

Cilantro

Avocado slices

Hot red peppers

Construction began in 1982 and all several hours or overnight. To serve, place on large serving platter. Loosen sides of cake with a spatula. Carefully remove sides of pan. Garnish with avocado slices, red peppers and cilantro. Serve with

> Serving size: 1/16 of recipe Calories per serving: 240

majority owner and operator of the mg.

equipment is the most modern available, including state-of-the-art pollution control facilities. From the beginning, ownership was shared by two other companies in the Central and Southwest Corp. - Public tortilla chips. Service Co. of Oklahoma and Central

Protein 8 g, fat 22 g, carbohydrate 4

the City of Brownsville. WTU remains Calcium 169 mg, riboflavin (B2) .19

Land Bank reduces interest rates Ozona -- Farmers and ranchers who finance with the Federal Land Bank of Texas will pay lower interest rates beginning December 1.

Variable interest rates on long-term farm and ranch land loans will be 10.75 percent, down from 11 percent. Rural residence and farm-related business loans will decrease to 11.25 percent, down from 11.50 percent.

According to Don Rogge, president of the Federal Land Bank of Texas, the reduction, due to the drop in money cost, will save Texas farmers and ranchers more than \$6 million a year

The bank and its 44 Federal Land Bank Associations have more than \$2.5 billion outstanding to 40,000 Texas farmers and ranchers for terms of up to 30 years.

'Lower interest rates will give Land Bank borrowers some financial relief," says Rogge. "We feel that each time we bring interest rates down even a few basis points, we are helping stabilize the overall farm economy and Texas land prices, in particular.'

Since August 1 the bank has lowered interest rates 3/4 of 1 percent. This represents almost \$19 million a year less in interest rates for farmers, according to Rogge.

"The Texas Land Bank mortgage loan portfolio continues to earn mon-Rogge said. "Almost 98 percent of our loans are current. Only 2 percent or about \$14 million of our loans are delinquent. We view this as acceptable considering the bank has \$Lion Cheeseburger - \$215 100% Beef \$2.5 billion in loans outstanding."

Rogge warned that even though the Land Bank continues to make money, third quarter earnings will be negative because of aid to other ailing Farm Credit districts. He emphasized, however, that recent legislation passed for the Farm Credit System would alter these figures. Special accounting methods and spreading losses over a 1 can (4 oz.) mild chopped green 20-year period will allow the bank to reverse some payables to other districts, changing year-end earnings for the bank significantly, the association president said.

The Land Bank, this year, has averaged almost \$2 million a month in net earnings, before aid to other districts and loan loss reserves.

The local association has \$37,693,219.42 in loans outstanding to 356 borrowers in Sutton, Schleicher, Crockett and Edwards counties.

Daniel and Katy North are spending the week in Arlington with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis

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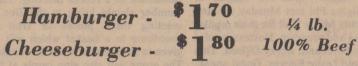
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WTU's new coal-fired plant in operation

Start-up operations at West Texas Utilities Co.'s Olkaunion Power Station are proceeding normally, and the new coal-fired generating plant is expected to be in commercial opera-

tion before the end of the year. The huge plant eight miles southeast of Vernon produced its first electricity in a test run this past week, with 22 megawatts going out over transmission lines for a short time. When it is brought on line, the plant will have a net generating capacity of 665 megawatts.

The first test run was fueled by oil, but coal will be burned on future tests as the boilers are brought up to full load. An on-site supply of low-sulphur coal has been building up since July, when the first coal train arrived from Gillette, Wyo.

The Oklaunion station is WTU's first coal-fired plant. The company's other eight plants use natural gas as

"We're glad that we'll no longer depend on just one source of fuel," said Walter Meller of Abilene, WTU's Manager of System Production.

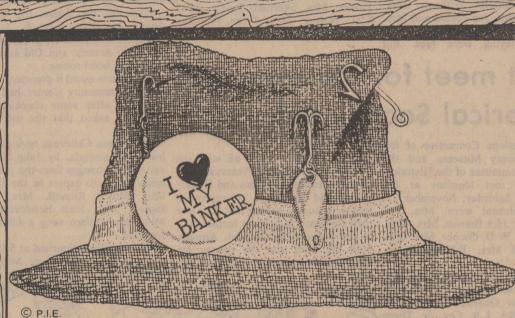
"This new fuel mix means cheaper energy for all our customers in the long run," he said. "and in the short run, the more stable fuel costs will help offset higher base rates that will be necessary to pay for the new

WTU officials say an application for an increase in base rates will be filed after the plant becomes commercial, although details have not been worked out. WTU has not raised its base rates in over two years, and has lowered its fuel charges and made fuel cost refunds four times to its retail cus-

Martin Harvick is in Humana Hospital in San Antonio were he underwent by-pass surgery last week. He lapsed into a coma Friday, and here has been no news about him since.

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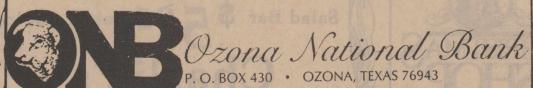
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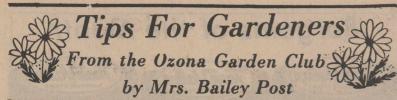
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Again another year is about to be in garden to be turned. Composting the past - what can we look forward to make pile early, turn it regularly, put for the next five months? One writer on the garden when the soil is turned. says, "The South will be at it's fickle best. November can be shirtsleeve or by March 15, winter flowering shrubs, overcoat; December cold and white, wet or like early spring. January by March 1. Evergreens - shaping by frigid, or even mild. February wet and cold or wet and almost balmy; and March. March, the most fickle of all, may be anything from beach weather to ski conditions."

groom their gardens and yards, it is a lias, azaleas and other evergreens by good time to make your list of goals Feb. 1 - fruits by Feb. 15. Propagating and plans for next year. Jot them root dormant wood cuttings by Feb. 1, down so you will have the whole list evergreen cuttings by March 1. Dorwhen you are ready for spring jobs. mant spraying - Fruits, flowering fruit Maybe these suggestions will help; trees, roses by Feb. 1. planting fruits, nuts, fruiting vines, bush fruits shrubs, trees, English dening. You may have only one or two peas, asparagus, strawberries, early days in January dry enough to prepare vegetables - Thanksgiving to Easter. soil. These things need to be done in Soil preparation and care - November sequence before plants start producto January, Late winter and spring - ing next year.

Pruning fruits by February 15; roses after bloom; summer flowering shrubs mid-March, heavy pruning during

Fertilizing - manure on vegetable and flower gardens, asparagus beds, rosebeds, and strawberries by Feb. 1. Now that everyone is beginning to Cottonseed meal on boxwood, camel-

Weather is very important in gar-

Rachel Hall shares holiday recipes with sorority

Beta Sigma Phi met Monday evening member should bring to the Dec. 8 at Granny Miller Hall for their regular meeting three pieces of fruit to meeting and program. Hostesses were contribute to a basket which will be Bean and Leslie Reeves. Guest speak- The group will also sing carols at the Extension Agent Rachel Hall.

including sugarfree recipe ideas. The hostesses, while listening.

A regular business meeting was the organization. called to order following the program. ive board to make Leslie Reeves gifts were exchanged. chairman of the service committee Mrs. Reeves presented upcoming members and their guests. projects decided on by the service

The Alpha Alpha Mu chapter of committee at a recent meeting. Each Sharon Forehand, Becky Dillard, Tina given to residents of the Care Center. will purchase a six-quart deep fryer for place December 20, at 2 p.m. in the and teacher at Lake View High School.

ported on the decision by the execu- Christmas wish lists, and Secret Sister

Leslie Wilson. Vice-president Marcy hosted by Lisa Branch, Renee' Pearl, Williams read a letter from Mrs. Billie Renfro and Barbara Glosson. An Wilson requesting a leave-of-absence Italian Thanksgiving dinner, prepared due to a current conflicting schedule. by hostesses, was served to club

Mrs. White is hostess for Country Club Bridge

were Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Gene Lilly, Mrs. Joe Friend and Mrs. C.O. Walker, Mrs. Byron Williams

Others playing were Mrs. Bill

Mrs. Evart White was hostess for Cooper, Mrs. Charlie Black, Mrs. pridge at the Country Club Thursday. John Childress, Mrs. High Childress, High score went to Mrs. Gene Mrs. Joe Couch, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Williams with Mrs. George Bunger Mrs. W.E. Friend, Mrs. Tommy and Mrs. Jack Williams winning Harris, Mrs. Arthur Kyle, Mrs. Jake second and third high. Bingo winners Short, Mrs. J.J. Marley, Mrs. J.B. and Mrs. John R. Hunnicutt.

Historical Preservation have received

Joint meet for Museum and Historical Society Sat.

The Assissions Committee of the Nov. 23, 1987 Crockett County Museum and the Mrs. Childress urged all who are Executive Committee of the Historical interested in Historical Preservation to Commission met together at the write to Senator Bill Sims and Honor-Museum on Saturday, November 22., able Gerald Geistweidt, our represen-Members present were; Mrs. Lee tatives in Austin, asking that they use Graves, Mrs. Jack Brewer, Mrs. W.E. their influence to prevent further cuts Friend, Mrs. W.D. Cooper, Mrs. R.A. in the Preservation Budget. Already Harrell and Mrs. P.L. Childress, both the Staff and the money for chairman.

New items approved for the Mu-large cuts. seum included a large collection of Southwestern Quarterlies from the Library of Mrs. L.B. Cox, Jr. These will be added to the Wanda Watson Memorial Library in the Museum. Other items accepted included an historical quilt from the C.O. Spencer family; a hand-embroidered linen blouse and skirt, and a pair of dainty high-topped laced shoes from the collection of the late Mrs. Max

The Museum is grateful for all items which are, or were, a part of the history of Crockett County citizens.

Mrs. Childress announced that future meetings of the Commission will be held in The Emerald House at 5:00 p.m. on Jan. 26, April 27, July 27 and

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Mrs. Carl North and Mrs. Gene Williams tied with Mrs. Byron Williams and Mrs. Jack Williams for the, top spot in Duplicate Bridge Club play Saturday afternoon at the Country

In play Sunday, Mrs. Truba Kaplan and Mrs. Metha Trainer of Sonora tied with Mrs. Evart White and Mrs. Clay



er for the evening was County center that evening. Members may ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED - Mr. Johnson Street Church of Christ in San also bring packaged food which will be and Mrs. Bill Cozart of Midland, Angelo. The bride elect is a graduate Mrs. Hall shared holiday cooking distributed to local families in need of announce the engagement and ap- of Midland High School and Angelo and safety tips with the women, assistance. The committee voted to proaching marriage of their daughter, State University. She is a teacher in furnish a 25-pound turkey to Helping Kelly Ann, to Ronnie B. Schneider, women enjoyed samples of the des- Hands for the Elderly for their son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schneidserts, which were prepared by the Christmas feast, and Alpha Alpha Mu er of Ozona. The wedding will take School and Angelo State. He is a coach

After the business discussion was

Granny Miller Hall was also the site

upon the leave of present chairman Nov. 17 of a Couples Dinner Party Metatrends for Forum The Ozona Woman's Forum met Bunger, Mrs. Bill Carson, Mrs. James Nov. 18 in Mrs. George Bunger's Childress, Mrs. Pleas Childress, Mrs. home with Mrs. Allie Lock assisting as Hugh Childress, Mrs. Mike Clayton,

white and blue.'

February if anybody is interested in Mrs. Arthur Kyle. sponsoring them.

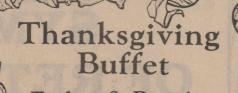
Mrs. T.J. Bailey moved the Forum endorse Marie Ward for a State Life membership. The motion carried. Plans for the Forum trip to San

Angelo on Dec. 5,6, & 7 were signed for hotel rooms.

Ozona Community Center had been paid and after some checking, the president asked that the money be

Mrs. Pleas Childress reviewed the book, Megatrends, by John Naisbitt and told of changes from the past and some things to expect in the future. Mrs. Buddy Russell, Mrs. Huey Ingram, Mrs. John Henderson and Mrs. Bob Wallace sang a Litany for

The meeting adjourned at 5:00.



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Charlie's Hiway Cafe



the Paint Rock school system. Mr. Schneider is a graduate of Ozona High

President Jeannine Henderson recompleted, members shared their Mrs. Childress reviews

discussed and members going paid for tickets to Arsenic and Old Lace and Mrs. Jones asked if donations to the

Members present were Mrs. T.J. Bailey, Mrs. J.D. Brown, Mrs. Geo.

Mrs. Roger Dudley, Mrs. John Hen-

Mrs. Taylor Jones, President, pre- derson, Mrs. Huey Ingram, Mrs. sided and after the treasurer's report, Taylor Jones, Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. Mrs. Roger Dudley read a prayer L.D. Kirby, Mrs. Allie Lock, Mrs. Jess poem and Mrs. Jones led the Pledge Marley, Mrs. Roy Pearson, Mrs. of Allegiance. Members answered roll Arthur Phillips, Mrs. Buddy Russell, call with "What makes my heart red, Mrs. W.T. Stokes, Mrs. C.O. Walker, Mrs. Bob Wallace, Mrs. Rufus Ward, Mrs. Allie Lock told of an all brass Mrs. Bonnie Warth, Mrs. W.H.

band that would come to Ozona in Whitaker, Mrs. Fred Hagelstein and

Author's reception is successful event Thurs.

Over 100 persons attended the tied with "Gymnastics." The kids Crockett County Library reception named "Wrestling" as the worst honoring local authors Thursday even-book. ing at the library.

Winners of door prizes, the selection of a book from a varied selection provided by the library, included Lou Whitley, Janet Wilson, Cathy Carson, Kay Gray, Jackie Shacklette, John E. Bohannon, Priscilla Pakkila, Todd Sudduth, Paul Perner, and Judy

Results of a survey conducted by the library were also released. The survey asked adults and children to name the Oscar Kost as hosts. best book read in 1986 and the worst.

In the adult category, "Lonesome down for best book; adults named "Fit Mrs. Bill Ivy won bingo. for Life," by Harvey Diamond as the

For children, the best book ended in a tie. "Super Fudge," by Judy Blume Kirby and Jean North.

Kosts host Supper Bridge Club

The Supper Bridge Club met Thursday night, Nov. 20, with Mr. and Mrs.

High winners were Sophie Kyle and Georgia Kirby. Winning low was Mr. Dove," by Larry McMurtry won hands and Mrs. Buster Miller and Mr. and

Others playing were Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Walker, Mr. Lane Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Dick



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A NICE BUCK BAGGED - last week

here with his guide, T.C. Conner, the canyon, the men did not know how the by Billy Simmons, right, pastor of the Ozona Full Gospel Church. Shown eight-pointer was shot on the Allison animal field dressed, but said it felt like it weighed 400 pounds by the time

Whitetail deer population on the rise in West Texas

By Ray Bronk

The whitetail deer population in 3,500,000. Although an annual harvest is permitted, with about 383,500 animals bagged last year, this census figure has slowly continued to rise, mainly through the management efforts of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

tail deer found in Texas.

subspecies is the Texas whitetail, "Odocoileus virginuanus texanus." smaller in body than the northern Mexico. whitetail deer subspecies.) The Texas western, southwestern and south Texas. It is the famous brush country

Kansas whitetail is found in smaller field-dressed bucks averaging 72

The Avery Island whitetail deer, they averaged a full 32 pounds more "o.v. mcilhennyi," is the third sub- than their former neighbors! species found in Texas. It is found in

The last of the Texas whitetail deer disease, parasites, and starvation. Texas has slowly risen to just over subspecies is the Carmen Mountains whitetail deer, "o.v. carminis." This small deer is only found in the Big Bend country of the Lone Star State, and because of terrain, has not interbred with the other subspecies. It is a smaller animal than the other Texas subspecies. The Big Bend There are four subspecies of white- national park covers a large part of the Carmen Mountains whitetail deer The most populous of these four range, and gives it a natural sort of protection, since hunting is not per- logists and game management exmitted in the park. Because its range perts. This subspecies is one of the largest of extends on either side of the Rio the southern subspecies (but it is quite Grande, some hunting is possible in

The whitetail deer is a very adapwhitetail is found in northwestern, table creature. It co-exists with man a long as proper habitat is available. Texas has varied types of habitat. whitetail deer. The antlers of this Some areas, like the Brush Country, animal are widespreading, and this the Big Thicket and the Piney Woods subspecies has made entry into the area, are well matched to the number Boone and Crockett record books, of deer living there, versus the amount among the top 25 largest scored of available habitat. The result is typical and non-typical antlers. The large-bodied, healthy deer, although rette, son of Jesse S. and Ninfa Navar-take bobcats, but a hunting license is. former world's record whitetail deer fewer in number. Some of these deer's antlers, (non-typical) were on a deer field-dressed weights were more than found dead in 1892, near Brady, 180 pounds. Conditions in the Ed-Texas. This record remained until wards Plateau area are exactly the about 1980, when a new unofficial opposite. The number of deer living NC. record was claimed by a whitetail deer there is tremendous, as many as 120 found dead near St. Louis, Missouri. per square mile in the Llano Basin. The Kansas whitetail deer "o.v. These deer have been allowed to macrourus," is another subspecies propogate well out of proportion to the amount of proper h with large antler formation. It is found available. The resulting malnutrition in northeast and east Texas. The has resulted in much smaller deer; numbers than the Texas whitetail. pounds, and field-dressed does aver-Kansas whitetail trophies are also aging 55 pounds. Some of these included in the Boone and Crockett Edwards plateau deer were moved to prime habitat. Within a short time,

Many ranchers prefer to see lots of for Thanksgiving Wednesday. the extreme east-southeast portion of deer, thinking that large deer numthe state, in an area generally hugging bers mean prosperity in the form of

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department experts are becoming very skilled in deer management. Their studies have shown that a properly managed deer herd can increase body weight and antler size when proper food, habitat, buck/doe ratios and controlled harvesting methods are used. The future of Texas' whitetail deer population rides on the decisions of ranchers, hunters, bio-

Navartte promoted to Lance Cpl.

Marine Lance Cpl. Ismael Naver-Air Station New River Jacksonville,

daughter of Susie Moreno, also of to tag it for you!

Pam and Robert Cox and children, Kristen, Chad and Corey spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. Robert Cox. Pam and three-year-old Corey stayed the week and will accompany Mrs. Cox to Georgetown

Jan Ramsey and her son, Jacob, of



CROCKETT COUNTY OUTDOORS

by Rod Chalmers

Fur season opens at 12:01 a.m. on be taken or possessed until Dec. 1, Monday, December 1. It's the time of and commercial trapping must cease year that leg-hold traps and varmint Jan. 31, with Feb. 5 being the last date calling tapes come out of mothballs a licensed trapper can possess a and many .270's and 30-06's get traded for .22 Hornet's and .22 Mag's. Being basically a commercial better prices. activity, there are some very specific regulations pertaining to the taking of fur-bearing animals, and a lack of attention thereto could result in some costly mistakes... in the form of fines something about a fur hunt with a

confiscated pelts. License. Makes no difference if the animal is trapped, called up and shot, or picked up on the side of the road auto. Also you gotta have a current animals are wild animals, and you are bidden. hunting 'em. And everyone 17 or over must have a drivers license or official identification card while hunting critters. These licensing requirements apply to everyone engaged in the taking of fur-bearing animals. That means the person setting the traps lations - just the ones most often school counselor. and the person checking the traps and misunderstood. taking out the animals. In the case of hunting with a light and a gun and a call, it applies to the caller, the shooter, the driver, the light handler, and anyone handling (possessing) the

pelts and/or the carcasses. If the wife wants to go along to watch, tell her don't touch anything, just watch. Then she can apply her \$10.75 on a hairdo instead of a Resident Trapper's License. And while we're on the subject of wives, please don't send her off to sell your furs for you unless she's got her own Trapper's License. Animals that fall into the category of

fur-bearing animals are the following beaver, otter, mink, ring-tailed cat badger, skunk, racoon, muskrat, opossum, fox, weasel, nutria and civet cat. Bobcats are not subject to fur regulations - they're considered predators. But there is a legal "season" for taking the pelt of a bobcat for sale, and that's the period from Nov. 15 through Feb. 15 of the following year. A Trapper's License isn't required to rette, has been promoted to his By the way, most fur buyers are present rank while serving with 2nd designated bobcat pelt taggers, and Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps they have to tag a legally taken bobcat pelt whether you're going to sell to that buyer or some other. If you don't A 1984 graduate of Ozona High like the price they offer, have them School, he joined the Marine Corps in issue you a tag and take it to another January 1985. His wife, Marta, is the buyer. And let me know if they refuse

"green" pelt. Can't legally hold 'em natural science and social studies. over until next season waiting for

with a spotlight in deer country was not directed at varmint hunting, but things could get sticky if there's to the Justice of the Peace and loss of light that would make a Game Warden think that the hunter is really after So let's cover licenses first. The law that 12 point buck instead of gray fox! requires that any person taking a A call to the Sheriff's Office before a fur-bearing animal have a Trapper's night in the hills with a spotlight might prove beneficial for the hunter and the Warden alike. But this does not exempt the hunter from being checkafter losing a game of chicken with an ed, just to keep the honest people honest. Needless to say, hunting or Hunting License, because fur-bearing trapping from a public road is for-

> Still nothing firm on this year's fur prices. Some say same as last year, SAT and ACT, you must code in our others say things are looking up for

The law which prohibits hunting In order to register to take a test, you must complete and mail a regi-stration form by the set deadline (the postmark date can be no later than the deadline date). Ozona Test Center will give the SAT on Jan. 24, 1987 and the ACT on Feb. 7, 1987. Pick up the application forms in the counselor's office: read it thoroughly; answer carefully; include a check or money order for the fee; and mail it. Within 2-4 weeks, you should

this year's Christmas money. This synopsis doesn't come close to covering all the fur-bearing regu- and deadlines, contact your high

high school code - Ozona High School Code is - 445290.

cense).

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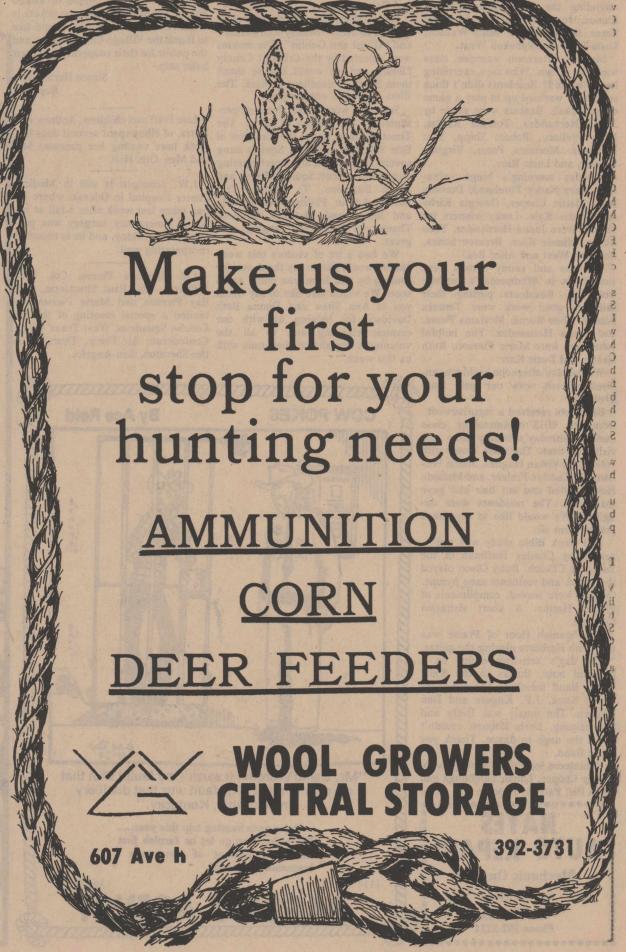
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After Alleane Jones let her new litter for this tree and no amount of coaxing fire department. Shaking the kitten

of kittens out to play one day last could get it down. As a last resort and

down into a sheet failed, but there was ASCS election

Take care in preparing turkey

what the cook does-or doesn't do-to ning water are also safe thawing the bird can literally make you sick.

harbor food poisoning bacteria, such as samonella," says food safety expert ia to grow. Marilyn Haggard. "Because it's a large, dense food that requires several steps in preparation, bacteria have and outside areas. Drain the body even more opportunity to grow if proper precautions aren't taken."

While food-borne illnesses are rarey fatal, they can cause unpleasant symptoms that can last for several hours or even days, she adds. Medical experts estimate that a high percentage of symptoms attributed to overeating or flu are actually food-borne

cultural Extension Service specialist refrigerator. Then combine ingreadvises the following precautions in dients just before stuffing the turkey. preparing a stuffed turkey:

as recommended on the package 200 to 250 degrees is not recomdirection. Thawing the bird in a mended. Because of the low tempermicrowave oven or by putting it in a ature, the turkey and stuffing could

methods. But don't thaw the turkey by "Like all protein foods, turkey can letting it sit on the kitchen counter, since room temperatures allow bacter-

> *Wash the defrosted turkey thoroughly, running water over its inside cavity and wipe the turkey fairly dry. *Stuff the turkey right before you

> cook it. Warm, moist dressing is an ideal medium in which bacteria can

You can prepare the dry stuffing ingredients the day before; cover them tightly and leave at room temperature. But keep the perishable ingredients, such as butter, mushrooms, oysters, The Texas A&M University Agri- cooked celery, onions and broth in the

*Cook the turkey in a 325 degree *Thaw the turkey in the refrigerator oven. Cooking in a very slow oven at

Friday afternoon was spent watch-

Sunday's worship service was pre-

us this week.

Paper bonnets trimmed with lace and served by Anna Bell. Winners were made in Monday morning's craft included Jesus Hernandez, Tomasa class. The bonnets were designed to Ramos, Theo Burns, Manuela Perez, resemble Pilgrim bonnets. Residents Lucia Rios, Ola Mills, Sam Martinez, attending the class were; Tomasa and Braxton Sones. Ramos, Juana Hernandez, Moriama Perez, Doris Robnett, Edna Wallace, ing two movies. "Mandy's Grandma"

Lucia Rios, and Rebekah West. Monday afternoon exercise class were selected by the Crockett County was a lot of fun. Who says exercising Library and we would like to thank them for their excellent choices. The has to be dull? Residents didn't think so as they warmed up to play a game films were very entertaining of basketball. Baskets were made by Juana Hernandez, Tomasa Ramos, Edna Wallace, Robert Shipp, Sam Martinez, Moriama Perez, Virginia Eric Wharton and Kim Squires sang week here visiting her parents, Mr. Hoover, and Lucia Rios.

Tuesday morning's bingo volun- were Joe and Scott Squires, Byran and teers were Nancy Forehand, Dorothy Jason Simmons, Ty Porter, Trip Doll, Mattie Cooper, Georgia Kirby Farris, Adrian Phillips, Michel Nix Center Hospital in Odessa, where he and Sophie Kyle. Lucky winners for and Ronny and Matthew Bennett. was taken last week after a fall at his the day were Juana Hernandez, Theo Thank you boys, the singing was home. Emergency surgery was per-Burns, Minnie Karr, Braxton Sones, great. Rebekah West and Alice Ros.

Unicorns and candy dishes were and we would like to say thank you for worked on in Wednesday's ceramic coming by and hope you come again workshop. Residents putting their soon. We would also like to say thank skills to good work were Tomasa you to Ann Shaw and Donna Beth Ramos, Theo Burns, Moriama Perez, Davidson for helping us with our tended a special meeting of the Ft. and Juana Hernandez. The helpful ceramic cleaning and to all the Concho Squadron, West Texas Wing, volunteers were Marie Pierson, Ruth volunteers who shared their time with Hester and Doris Karr.

Wednesday afternoon residents enoyed a visit with our pet, Lady Bretany.

Residents received a surprise visit from the OHS Cosmetology class during Thursday's beauty shop and visitation time. The class along with volunteers Vivian Hughes, Joann Williamson, Carolyn Fraizer, and Melinda Hokit, styled and cut hair and gave manicures. The residents were delighted. We would like to say thank you to them all.

Mid week Bible study was presented by Charles Huffman of the Lutheran Church. Ruby Olson played the piano, and residents sang hymns. Cookies were served, compliments of Phyllis Harms. A short visitation followed.

The Spanish Hour of Praise was next with Herberto playing the guitar. The day's activities ended on a pleasant note, thanks to the Knox Band. Band members present were Jamie Knox, J.F. Kilgore and Don Kilgore. The music was lively and entertaining. Doris Robnett couldn't resist the urge to dance. Thank you Knox Band.

Volunteers for Friday's bingo were Mattie Cooper, Lillian Tambunga and Anna Bell Patrick. Popcorn was made

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K of C plan dance for December 5

Knights of Columbus council # 8572 are proud to bring another well-known band throughout the United States to Ozona. 1986 Tejano Music Awards recipient "Roberto Pulido y los Clasicos" will perform on Friday, Dec. 5th, 8-12 p.m. at the Parish Hall.

Advance tickets on sale by any K.C. single. Deadline for advance tickets is 392-2551. Wed., Dec. 3. Also K of C would like and "Ghost and Goblin". The movies to thank the Village Center stores and the public for their cooperation in their

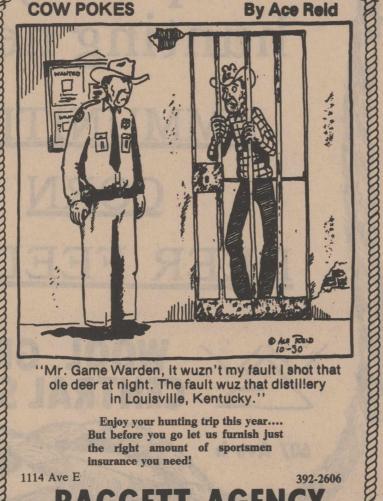
Simon Hernandez

Lisa Pfaff and children, Andrew and sented by the Church of Christ. The Timothy Class, under the direction of Laura, of Hunt spent several days last several hymns. The boys participating and Mrs. Otis Holt.

J.W. Johnigan is still in Medical formed late Friday, and he is reported We had a lot of visitors this week recuperating well.

> Col. Sammye Pierce, Col. Billy Williams, Col. Paul Shacklette, Col. Ray Pierson and Marie Pierson at-Confederate Air Force, Thursday at the Sheraton, San Angelo.

COW POKES By Ace Reid



ole deer at night. The fault wuz that distillery in Louisville, Kentucky.'

> Enjoy your hunting trip this year.... But before you go let us furnish just the right amount of sportsmen insurance you need!

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Fire Dept. honored with fish fry Sat.

The Ozona Fire Department was honored with a fish fry provided by the Ozona Inn of the West, Saturday, Nov.

Attending the fish fry were the following members and their families; W.D. Haire, Bob Harris, Perry Hubbard, Elliott Barrera, Robert Tambunga, Frank Galvan, Raymond Borrego, Eddie Moore, Della Moore, Doug Meador, Kerry Thompson, Randy Branch, David Cooke, John L. Henderson and his guests Mrs. Jewel Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. John Howell.

After the meal, a special toast was given by John L. Henderson honoring newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Moore and Mrs. Moore, in particular, as Ozona's first female firefighter.

Nominees are

The slate of nominees for the 1986 ASC County Committee Election will consist of: Worth E. Allen, Jr., Dan Davidson and John Foley. Only one of the nominees will be appointed to the Committee, the other 2 candidates will serve as 1st and 2nd alternates respectively. Ballots have been mailed enough temperature to destroy bac- have not received a ballot you can come by the ASCS office and vote.

You can vote in person at the office cooked. Insert a meat thermometer or you can mail in your ballot. The into the thickest part of the thigh County Committee is responsible for muscle without touching the bone. administering programs and setting degrees farenheit to destroy salmon- County. Everyone who receives a ballot is urged to vote for the

Ballots must be postmarked by the bird after cooking. counted in the Crockett County ASCS
*After dinner, refrigerate the turkey office on December 4, at 1:30 p.m. and

honored with baby shower

Karen Huffman was honored with a pink and blue shower Tuesday, Nov. 18, at the home of Mrs. David Bean.

Other hostesses were Tina Bean, Tammy Bunger, Wanda Bunger, Karen Bebee, Cathy Carson, Becky Childress, Laurie Hale, Jeannine Henderson, Patti May, Susan McMullan, Judy Probst, Lisa Wagoner, and Belinda Wilkins.

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them. All enjoyed the refreshments . mvq 7 nd Edmund Spencer, provided by the Friends. Mr. qpeial . mvq 7 nd Edmund Spencer. Carlisle Clinic Association Number One North Place Ozona - 392-2549





THE TRAGEDY ENDS WITH TRI. that ends well. Alleane does not plan UMPH - Doug Meador climbed to the to let the kittens out again until they top of the tall pecan tree and rescued become more used to the great the frightened kitten and all's well outdoors.

Crockett County Library Notes By Louise Ledoux

I am happy to report that our First Anniversary Celebration was a great success. I want to thank the Friends of the Library for all their hard work putting on the library birthday party. We had about 100 children attend to hear Mrs. Lucille Bohannon's program on poetry and to enjoy cake and favors handed out by Teri the won the best costume in the 6-12 yr. Duck) won in the 3-5 yr. age group. Congratulations!

The local Authors reception was very nice. About 50 people came to see the authors' exhibit and visit with them. All enjoyed the refreshments provided by the Friends. Our special thanks goes to Mrs. C.E. Light and

birthday party were very rowdy and ing specialist. ill-mannered. They were old enough to know better, but even when asked by should be cleaned before the first for heat damage and deterioration. Friends volunteers' and myself to get quiet and mind their manners, they would not. I was so disappointed, and cleaning again during the winter, I want to apologize to the parents of the younger children who took them not been air-dried or seasoned." home early because of the rowdiness Clown. Paul Perner IV (Davy Crockett) of the older kids. There is no excuse for bad manners, especially in a public flue needs cleaning. age group and Ray Ramos (Donald of behavior turns what should be a by hanging a flashlight from the top of happy and fun experience into a very upsetting occasion for everyone.

"For manners are not idle, but the an estimate of the buildup. fruit of loyal nature, and of noble mind." And Edmund Spencer, "For a home improvement stores sell wire man (or child, in this case) by nothing and plastic cleaning brushes that fit

by Rachel Hall

For years large food and drug companies have been pursuing the perfect substitute for sucrose - or sugar. Most of their efforts have gone into artificial sweeteners, such as saccharin, cyclamate and aspartame. But the companies are also experimenting with other types of sugar, including xylitol, sorbitol and fructose, as a replacement for sucrose.

Every sweetener so far has some disadvantage. Saccharin has a bitter aftertaste and its safety has not been firmly established. Aspartame cannot be heated and is very expensive. Cyclamate may pose health risks. And the sugar alcohols are poorly absorbed

Dieters and diabetics are the most likely candidates to use artificial sweeteners. Diabetics should check with a physician to see which artificial sweeteners fit into their diet plan.

Since nearly everybody diets from time to time, artificially sweetened foods are growing in popularity. But according to the Food and Drug Administration, there is no evidence that drinking diet soft drinks or eating artificially sweetened foods will help a person lose weight. Consumption of diet sodas and other artificially sweetened products have dramatically increased, and yet Americans are heavier than ever.

The only proven way to lose weight is to reduce caloric intake from all sources and to increase physical activity. Even for diabetics the need to

avoid all sugar is open to question, since diabetic diets have been liberalized to allow a controlled amount of

The sugar substitutes on the market of these are relatives of the couple. are not harmful, but probably should be kept used in moderation. To be safe, children and pregnant women should avoid saccharin.

Some advance planning and a good deal of will power may help you keep off extra pounds and still enjoy the holidays. The key is moderation. Think about the temptation to overeat before and after eating. Decide when you can eat less. Knowing ahead of time what and how much you will eat can make it possible for you to enjoy sweets and desserts without guilt.

Try these ideas for staying in control of your holiday eating:

*Allow yourself to enjoy holiday foods, but make it a rule to turn down

second helpings. *If you have the will-power, avoid

rich desserts and eat fresh fruits. *When you can't avoid rich desserts, ask for half a serving instead of a whole one or eat only the filling of the pie and not the crust.

*At parties, carry on your conversation away from the snack table. *Look for fresh fruits and vege-

tables rather than nuts and chips. *Plan ahead to limit what you eat at home so you can enjoy holiday eating with your friends.

Check chimney before using the fireplace

Preventative measures can help reduce dangerous creosote and tar allow a small quantity of dry wood to buildup in your fireplace chimney and burn hot for at least 20 minutes before flue, says a Texas A&M University adding more fuel, she advises. This Agricultural Extension Service hous-

Both flue and chimney units fireplace fire of the season," says Dr. Susan Quiring. "It also may require especially if you burn wood that has ist

The specialist says a fourth-inch accumulation of creosote indicates the

the flue to a third of the way down the flue. Then, look up the lighted flue As Alfred, Lord Tennyson said, from the fireplace with a mirror to get

Wood stove distributors and some you can hire a professional chimney

small, hot fire will burn off some of the creosote, reducing buildup.

Also check the chimney regularly Repair any cracks in the mortar and places where the mortar has broken loose and fallen out, says the special-

'Adequate maintenance may not make much difference in how it looks on the outside, but a clean chimney and flue will make your fireplace less She suggests checking the fireplace of a home fire hazard," Quiring says.

> Tim Ogilvy of Odessa, spent several days here last week visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Evart White.

Bobbie and Jerry Fatout spent the weekend in Odessa visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Blakney and sister, Ginger Johnson and her son, Chad.

Geniece and Pleas Childress will have 22 guests for Thanksgiving. Most

Lowell Littleton is receiving therapy in Baptist Memorials Hospital in San Angelo, where he has been for several weeks. He is in room 245. He will be home two days for Thanksgiving before returning for more therapy.

Happy Anniversary wishes go out to Tommy and Leslie Wilson. Their day is November 28.



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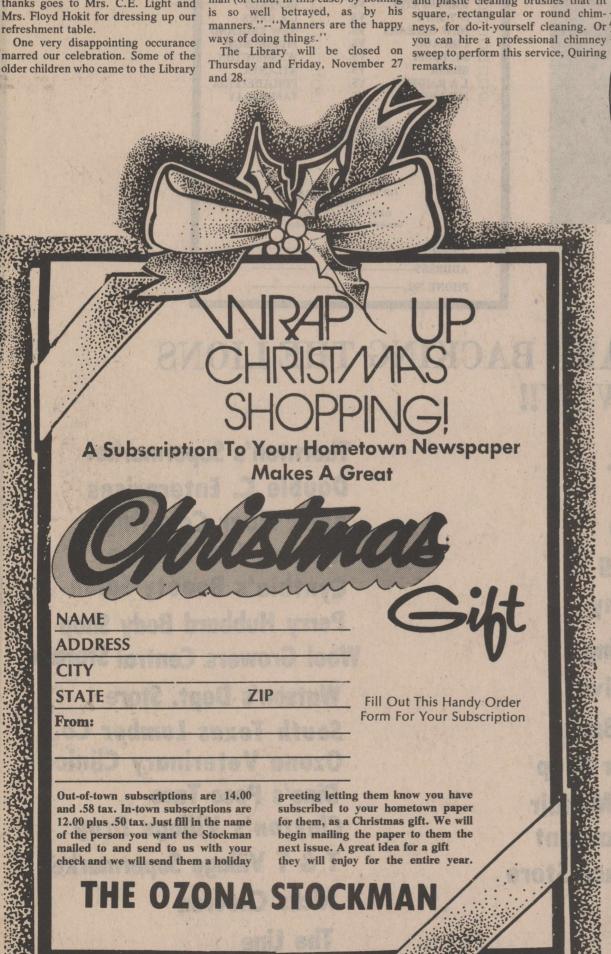
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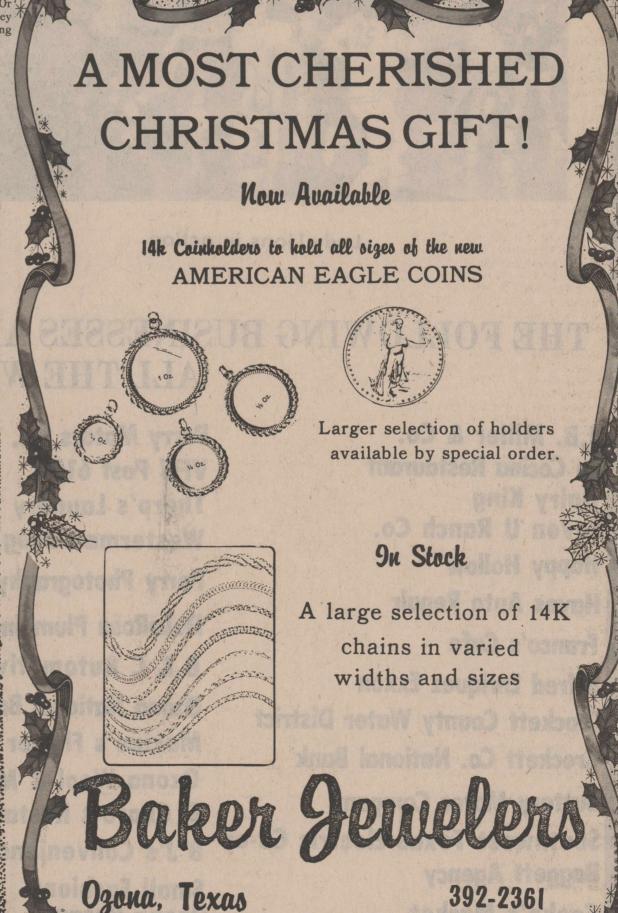
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BANK EMPLOYEE AWARDED - Don Long, president of Ozona National Bank, presents Mel DeHoyos with the Presidential Citation from the Ameri-

can Banking Association in behalf of ONB. This award is given in recognition of her efforts to enhance the image of banking in 1986.

Sheriff's Report

The following is the activity report theft and entered the rifle's serial for the Crockett County Sheriff's number in the national computor as a Office for the week ending Nov. 25. ARRESTS

Nov. 18-A 36 year old Ozona man surrendered to sheriff's deputies on a of services. He was released after posting a \$200 bond.

A 37 year old Florida man was arrested by sheriff's deputies on felony theft warrants out of Florida. He was released after posting a \$1000 about 10 a.m. Saturday morning,

Nov. 20 - A 24 year old Houston man Houston. He was released to Houston

Nov. 21-A 22 year old Ozona man from the Sutton County jail. was arrested by THP and sheriff's

bond and paying his fines.

Florida, man was arrested for auto Miami, Florida during the weekend. theft out of Miami Florida. He was The search continued until about 2:45 arrested after a search on Taylor Box p.m., when the 20 year old suspect Road where the stolen car was found was found and arrested. The Sheriff's

arrested by THP in possession of a aircraft, THP, Texas Rangers stolen car. He is in jail awaiting transfer to Nacogdoches.

INCIDENTS

Nov. 18-An Ozona resident reported ities to extradite. the theft of a rifle from her pickup truck. The theft could have occured at several locations around town while the citizen was doing some shopping.

stolen item.

Nov. 21-The Crockett County Sheriff's office was advised of a jail break at the Sutton county jail in Sonora. At warrant out of Crane county for theft approximately 10:30 a.m., Sutton county requested that a roadblock be set up on I-10 in Crockett county. A roadblock was immediately set up by Sheriff's deputies, THP, and border Patrol. The manhunt continued until when it was called off by Sutton County authorities. Crockett county was arrested on traffic warrants out of deputies, THP, Texas Rangers, Game Wardens, and Border Patrolmen asauthorities to be returned to face the sisted throughout the day and night, searching for the escaped prisoner

Nov. 23-Several citizens reported a deputies on charges of DWI. He was damaged, and abandoned, automobile released, the next day, after posting a on Taylor Box Road north of the truck stop. At daylight, on Nov. 24, the A 33 year old Del Rio man was Crockett County Sheriff's office began arrested by THP and Sheriff's depu- a search of adjoining ranches for the ties on charges of DWI and traffic missing driver. It was believed that warrants out of Del Rio. He was the driver was either lost, or suffering released the next day, after posting from emotional problems. Just before noon, on Nov. 24, it was determined Nov. 24-A 20 year old Miami, that the vehicle had been stolen from department was assisted in the search A 20 year old East Texas man was by U.S. Border Patrol, Border Patrol Texas Game Wardens. The suspect is being held in the Crockett County jail awaiting a decision by Florida author-

Levis and Lace Square Dance Club Sheriff's deputies investigated the Crockett County Care Center Tuesday taxable income.

Plan tax reform strategies now

With the 1986 tax reform bill now *Take a close look at tax shelters: before the year draws to a close.

Extension Service, The Texas A&M that do not generate passive income. University System.

breaks," says Hayenga. He recom- shelters left. mends visiting a broker or accountant

According to Hayenga, certain steps should be taken in conjunction with the new tax situation:

*Defer income: Since tax rates will be dropping to either 15 to 28 percent, possible until next year so you will be income if you plan to use income averaging since this is the last year that method will be available.

*Establish a 401(k): This is a salary reduction plan to which you can contribute up to \$30,000 during 1986. That amount drops to only \$7,000 a year starting in 1987.

now to take advantage of the favorable larly if you feel they won't move up much in price.

*Seek high dividend investments: Select securities that offer high dividends since dividends and capital gains will be taxed the same under the new law. Many investors believe there will be more corporate pressure to increase dividends because long-term appreciation will become less important than immediate income.

*Stay clear of investments with immediately reportable income: Think about investments that should offer a sizeable payoff next year--U.S. Trea- ship Hall. suries, Savings Bonds and annuities. Again, income next year will be taxed at a lower rate.

*Increase deductions for this year: Increasing your deductions in 1986 will offer a greater tax benefit. The cost of items still deductible in 1987 after party at their home. will increase from a tax-savings standpoint. Currently a \$1 deduction at the maximum tax rate of 50 percent provides a 50-cent tax savings. That same deduction will provide only a 28 cent savings in the future. However, be cautious about prepaying on your home mortgage. Once paid, the money can't be borrowed back for other uses.

*Buy big-ticket items now: Buy items such as cars and boats before Jan. 1 when the sales tax deduction disappears. Also, pay for investment advice and tax preparations before the end of the year so that those costs can entertained residents and guests of still be deducted from your 1986

signed into law, individuals need to Tax shelters, set up to generate big be doing some serious thinking and losses in their early years, have been planning regarding tax strategies hard hit by tax reform. Under the old law, these losses could be used to 'Since many provisions of the new offset income from salary, stocks and tax bill become effective on Jan. 1, bonds. Beginning in 1987, tax shelters individuals need to become familiar will be considered passive investwith the tax consequences of the ments and any losses they generate legislation and consider certain ac- can be applied only to offset losses tions before Dec. 31," points out Dr. from other passive investments. Look Wayne Hayenga, an economist and for reliable shelters that make econoattorney with the Texas Agricultural mic sense and dispose of investments

*Consider municipal bonds: Muni-'Individuals need to take advantage cipal bonds and bond funds offer tax of the new tax code and to capitalize exempt earnings and good yields; they on existing as well as future tax are one of the few legitimate tax

*Take another look at childrens' as soon as possible to look at tax accounts: When transferring assets to children, select those that will mature either when the child is more than 14 years of age or when the money is needed for college or some other specific reasons.

*Don't toss out the IRA: Keep your try to defer as much income as IRA, even if it doesn't qualify for the tax deduction. An IRA is still a taxed at lower rates. But don't defer tax-free investment; furthermore, a penalty must be paid on early withdrawals.

*Remember the alternative minimum tax: This tax is computed in high income returns when the initial computation indicates there is no tax liability. If this tax exceeds the regular tax, then it may pay to delay *Review your portfolio: Sell stocks deductions until next year since the alternative minimum tax rate will long-term capital gains rate, particu- increase from 20 percent in 1986 to 28 percent next year.

Ted Young is caller for square dance

Ted Young of Ft. Stockton called for the semi-monthly Levis and Lace Square Dance Club Saturday night in the United Methodist Church Fellow-

Verna and Willie Raphelt were hosts for an evening of fun and fellowship. Guests from San Angelo, Sonora, Crane and Ft. Stockton enjoyed the dancing, music and food. Ray and Marie Pierson hosted the

Kenny and Glenda McMullan and children, Shawn and Mecca, of Iraan will spend the Thanksgiving holiday here with her mother, Mrs. Joe

M.E. Nicholas was in Shannon Hospital over the weekend and the early part of this week being treated for a heart condition. He was expected home Tuesday.

Oscar Kost was honored on his birthday Saturday with a hamburger supper at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Shirley and Dick









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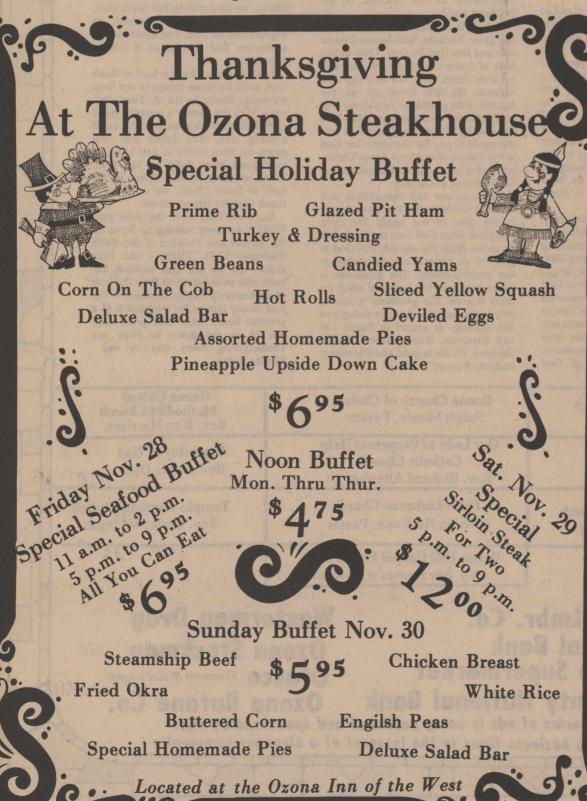
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A View of the World' Through The Word

By Ralph O. Moore, Minister **Ozona Church of Christ**

The Fall of 1621 followed a beautiful productive summer, and the Pilgrims, eting upon a declaration of Governor Bradford, enjoyed a day of Thanksgiving in October. That day was marked by several things: food supplied from a yielding ground, peace and friendly gestures between the Pilgrims and the Indians, games and contests, and a joyous display of dependence upon God. There was such jubilation that the festival was extended for three days.

From the annals of history, there comes a note that the one thing that stood out in the Pilgrim's memory of the event was the prayer offered by one William Brewster. God's providential help, His provisions, and His promises were remembered and honored at this first Thanksgiving.

From this early experience of the nation's forerunners has arisen the holiday we now enjoy and call Thanksiving. It did come from a national origin, but the occasion is linked to those who had an undying faith in

Tomorrow people will gather for such a time of celebration. Families will be united, food will be in abundance, football games and paades will be watched - it will be a time of joy. Lets be reminded as we celebrate this day to let our fondest memories be those of prayer. It doesn't take long to be thankful and

the joy of it makes the day.

The word "thanksgiving" is a biblical word, but it is not used in the sense of a holiday. Only one day emerges from the Word as a day to remember, the first day of each week when Christians honor and worship the Lord. The thought of "Thanksgiving" is expressed in "to give freely." Real thanksgiving is an expression of joy that is both sent toward, and stimulated by, the presence of the Creator.

Many passages in the Scriptures mention "thanksgiving", but it's in the act of showing gratitude for the blessings of God. Being able to be in His presence, having the privilege of petition, and understanding God's love and grace initiates that feeling of thanksgiving.

It's easy to get caught up in the festivity of the day and forget our real source of blessing. While there is a tremendous joy in freedom, family, food, fellowship, and fun - these things are not the source of our blessings. These and all blessings come from God.

Let us wish for you and yours a Happy Thanksgiving. At the early part of the day, or maybe as you gather for your meal, try to remember those early Pilgrims and their devotion to God. Let your day of Thanksgiving be written in your hearts and minds as a day that you were thankful to God.

What God requires of children

By Rev. Jim Gray

Before we consider what God reuires of children, let's consider a few things the Bible says about children. In Genesis 33:5, we are told that children are a gracious gift from God. Rsalm 127:3 tells us that "children are a heritage from the Lord." Proverbs even speaks of grandchildren when we are told that "children's children are the crown of old men." (Prov. 17:6) esus said "suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of God."

Who are children? At first, the answer seems quite simple but maybe not. Children as used in Ephesians, the sixth chapter as more a matter of relationship than age. The word "dependent" perhaps best captures the meaning. So as we consider children in this context we are considering those who are dependent upon their parents for shelter, food, and clothing among other things.

obey your parents in the Lord, for this means straight, level, or true. But I is right. honor your father and mother, can promise you happiness and a which is the first commandment with straight, level, and true life. What can promise; that it may be well with you and you may live long on earth."

to hold costs down

from both from the heat and high air conditioning bills. But another kind of be on the verge of total ruin. eat -- from the furnace -- will begin to drive utility costs up again.

Susan Quiring, a housing specialist thank Him and receive the promise of with the Texas A&M University God. Agricultural Extension Service.

Gas heating systems should be checked and cleaned at least every other year, she explains.

Dirt accumulation inside the furnace difficult to remove and reduces heating efficiency, she adds.

Electric furnaces don't need much naintenance, but heat pumps require periodic servicing. A trained service technician can clean and adjust your ystem to assure maximum efficiency. "With a forced air system, simply eeping the filters clean will help save noney," Quiring says.

The specialist says that the entire olume of air in a house is circulated through the furnace three to four times in a single hour of operation.

The furnace filter traps airborne lint and dirt, preventing it from coating he fan and furnace heat exchanger. But when the filter accumulates dirt, it begins to restrict the air flow and eating efficiency.

Quiring recommends checking filters every four to six weeks during the heating season, and replacing dirty filters promptly.

Disposable fiber glass filters cost 50 sents to a dollar each, so you may find it easier to buy a season's supply and keep them on hand.

Metallic or plastic filters can be deaned and reused, Quiring says, but they must be sprayed after each cleaning with a special coating that allows them to attract small dust

What does God require of children? Obedience and honor. The sentence structure of "children obey your parents" tells us that this is a commandment not a suggestion. It's not optional. You can't take it or leave it. Why should children obey? Because "parents in the Lord" tells us that parents are God's representatives, and it is "right" or well-pleas-

To honor someone is to hold them in high esteem, to value as precious. Children are to value their parents as precious because Exodus 20:12 tells us that this is a commandment of God. In fact, "honor thy father and thy mother is the fifth commandment, but it is the first commandment relating man to man. This particular commandment has a promise attached to it - "that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth." Children. I can't promise that you will live to a ripe old ige if you honor your parents because Ephesians 6:1-3 tells us; "Children the word translated "long" actually you expect if you reject the nurture and admonition of parents? We are told in Proverbs 5:12-14, "I have Fine tune furnace hated instruction, and my heart despised reproof! I have not obeyed the voice of my teachers, nor inclined my ear to those who instructed me! I was on the verge of total ruin!" If you fail Cooler weather has brought relief to honor and obey your parents or others in authority over you, you will

During this season of Thanksgiving, parents, let us remember that chil-Fine-tuning your heating system dren are a gracious gift from the Lord may help hold utility costs down by and thank Him for this gift. Children, increasing its efficiency, says Dr. let us value our parents as precious,

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Flu season requires two vaccines this year

The good news about the coming flu season is that it may not be severe in terms of deaths; the bad news is that protection against influenza will mean getting two vaccines.

Dr. Thomas Cate, a researcher at Baylor College of Medicine's Influenza Research Center, said A/Taiwan is likely to be the dominant flu virus this year. Because A/Taiwan affects mainly people under age 35, who are usually healthy, the flu season should not be severe in terms of deaths.

But since A/Taiwan is not the only flu virus that may be around this winter, people in all age groups should be vaccinated, Cate said.

The U.S. Centers for disease Control in Atlanta decides on the composition of the coming year's flu vaccine in late winter, based on viruses circulating world-wide. This year, the causing epidemics after the trivalent vaccine was made.

The trivalent vaccine, so called because it protects against three viruses--A/Chile, A/Mississippi and B/Ann Arbor, is available now. The monovalent vaccine, which protects only against the A/Taiwan virus, will not be available before mid-Nov-

Cate, advisor to the American Lung Association's medical division, recommended that people get the trivalent vaccine now and the monovalent vaccine when it becomes available. He said the monovalent is particularly important for people under age 35, but can also enhance the protection of older individuals.

'The danger is that people will say: 'Gee, if I have to get both, I'll wait until the second vaccine becomes available.' By then it's conceivable that we could already be in the midst of an outbreak and high-risk people would not be protected at all," Cate

People in high risk groups are more prone to life-threatening infections, such as pneumonia, after a cast of influenza. They include people with chronic diseases and those over 65.

The vaccine is also recommended for health care workers, nursing home residents, anyone regularly exposed to chronically ill or elderly persons and children taking aspirin regularly for such problems as rheumatoid arth-

Children taking aspirin are more likely to develop Reye's Syndrome after a flu infection. Reye's Syndrome is a viral disease that can cause coma and death. Symptons include vomiting and hallucinations.

Influenza usually strikes suddenly and causes fever, generalized aches, weakness, and a dry, hacking cough. It is caused by variants of the two common influenza viruses, types A and B. Variants are identified accord-

ing to where they were first isolated. A/Taiwan is a variant of an influenza/A virus that circulated throughout the world from 1918 to 1957. Since the virus reappeared in epidemic form in 1977, it has affected mainly young adults and children.

"If A/Taiwan comes, it is likely to cause a fairly strong epidemic in terms of school absenteeism and college A/Taiwan virus appeared and began campus outbreaks," Cate said. "But it may not be such a major epidemic in terms of death rate."

The American Lung Association's goal is to have 80 percent of those in high risk groups vaccinated against the flu this year. Only about 20 percent of high risk individuals are usually vaccinated annually.

BOY TO JACOBY'S

Dr. and Mrs. David J. Jacoby are the parents of a boy born November 18, 1986 at Breckenridge Hospital in Austin, Texas. The little boy weighed 8 lbs, 4 1/2 oz, was 21 in. long and was named Brandon Dale.

He is welcomed by his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Pete W. Jacobyof Ozona, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wilucky of Palm Springs, CA. He is also welcomed by a Great-grandmother, Mrs. Hazel McDaniel, Crockett Co. Care Center, Ozona.

NOTICE

The Crockett County Museum will be closed Thursday, Nov. 27 and Friday, Nov. 28.

Any special group wanting to tour the museum can call Kay Gray at 392-3986 or Geniece Childress at 392-2123, for an appointment.

Mark Thompson wins football contest this week

Mark Thompson was winner of the football contest this week. Four entrants missed only one game, but Thompson won on the tie-breaker.

The contest continues this week. Entries may be found on the sports page sponsored by local merchants. Entry blanks must have been clipped from the Stockman and be in the office or in the mail by 5 p.m. on Friday.



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By Charles Huffman, Pastor **Faith Lutheran Church**

"With thankful hearts sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs to God. And everything you say or do, do it in the name of the Lord Jesus, and by Him give thanks to God the Father". -Colossians 3:16-17.

Each Thanksgiving we are urged to look back over the past year and sort out the many good things that we have received. Then we are told that if we add them all up we will find plenty of reasons to thank God. While there may be some merit in that, it still leaves a lot to be desired. You see, in that way we still 'evaluate' God because we measure what God has done and still does for us by our own standards. And that brings us to this question: 'If the gifts and blessings of God are perfectly obvious to us, then what need is there of faith in Jesus Christ'?

We cannot know God apart from faith in Jesus Christ, who reminds us Himself in John 17:3 that everlasting life is to know God, the only true God, through His Son whom He sent. When we think of God or try to come to God apart from Jesus Christ, we come on our own to God as we imagine Him to be. This is how we are constantly tempted to create God in our own image, instead of knowing ourselves as created in the image of God

(Genesis 1:26). You see, God is not some higher reflection of ourselves. Because of the Fall into Sin, we are but very poor and distorted reflections of God. But Jesus Christ is the FULL reflection of God, as the Holy Spirit testifies in Colossians 2:9, because in Him dwells all the fullness of the Godhead bodily.

Only faith in Jesus Christ gives God His glory, because faith knows God as true and lets God be God. Only in the faith of Jesus Christ can we, and will we truly thank God. We love our God because He first loves us, as the Apostle John proclaims in chapter 4 of his first letter, and has shown His love by sending His only-begotten Son into the world to pay for our sins. Our God is the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who loved us and gave Himself for us on the Cross at Calvary.

Often we are like thoughtless and careless children. We run to God only in the time of our need. We even complain when God does not deal with us as we think He should. But God is good to us beyond our deserving or our understanding. His goodness is never known in the terms of what we think is good. His goodness is known only in the fact that it is His doing and His dealing, as stated in Psalm 136 and numerous other places: "Thank the Lord, for He is good and His mercy endures forever"

We cannot pray if we're not humble, and we'll never give thanks if

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we're self-sufficient because in either case we still do not know God through Jesus Christ. But when we take the time to think in terms of our faith and knowledge of God THROUGH Jesus Christ, we cannot help but thank God. Prayer is our acknowledgement of dependence on God, and thanks is our admission that God alone is utterly dependable.

Faith in Jesus Christ is bold to thank God, even for those things in our lives we would like to be rid of. They, too, come from the Father's merciful hand - and therefore must be good for us. If nothing else, they knock our own props out from under us and bring us to depend more fully on our God. When we think on ALL things in the faith of Jesus Christ, we will always thank God for His goodness.

So, if we look over the year past WHILE we keep looking to Jesus as the Author and Finisher of our Faith (Hebrews 12:2), THEN - and then alone - do we see that nothing has been able to separate us from the love of our heavenly Father (Romans 8:39). And to say that is the expression of a grateful heart. May God grant each one of us the grace to show our Thanksgiving every day by our Thanks-living.

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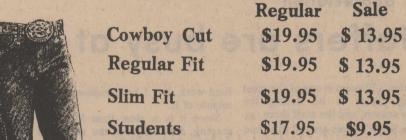


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Business appreciation BUSINESS OF THE WEEK STAFF. a busy place this time of year. L. to R. Maxine's Flowers, selected this week they are Nelda Wagoner, Frances in the business appreciation series, is Denman, Billy and Lisa Wagoner.

said, "It is made to go on top of a

Christmas tree, and I just couldn't

resist it. It's for sale if someone wants

when unexpected things come up such

there are more than one. Friends and

these occasions. It is not unusual to be

Flowers come in by bus, and Lisa or

Things get hectic around the shop

Staffers are busy at Maxine's

Maxine's Flowers is one of the most hard work, but I have enjoyed every exciting places to be during the minute of it." holiday season, and the staff there as busy as Santa's elves around this time

Monday they were busy with Thanksgiving orders and taking care of fresh flowers that had just arrived. The flower shop has served Ozona's needs for many years. Originally built would take on such jobs as large swing and operated by Maxine Henderson, set, etc. he said "heck yes, we have a the name has remained the same through many owners. Lisa Wagoner anything up to a full size car." bought the shop three years ago and Package wrapping will also be a part has operated it with the help of of the Santa Helper service, Wagoner Frances Denman and her mother-in- said. law Nelda Wagoner. Frances is a floral stylist and has been in the shop off and florist shows around the nation and on during other ownerships. She is have come up with some up-to-thewell-known for her original and lovely minute ideas. One of the most arrangements. Nelda came in to help outstanding was a purple and gold Lisa out in a pinch and stayed on to arch made of balloons for the homebecome a competent helper and coming game this year. Some unusual assistant. Lisa's husband, Billy, oper- plants and flowers have also been ates a landscape service out of the added to their inventory.

angel, one of the most georgeous we Lisa finds time for work in her sorority

Since it is a slow time for landscaping, Billy helps in the shop and with deliveries and he plans a Santa to buy it, if not, I plan to keep it." Helper service this year. Since so many toys come unassembled, he will take on the job and deliver the toy as funerals, and especially hectic if whenever it is wanted. Asked if he relatives are pressed into service for flat-bed truck that will deliver almost up all night on these occasions.

Lisa and Billy have attended several

Along with being the mother of two While showing off a Christmas boys, Wylie, 2, and Austin, 6 months, had ever seen, Lisa said "It's a lot of and to take aerobic lessons. Showing

paying less Residential customers of West Texas Utilities Co. are paying less for

times at Maxine's Flowers.

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electricity during November than the average price being paid by customers of other investor-owned utilities in Texas.

some of her crew must be on hand when they arrive to pick them up and

Hours are spent each Christmas on fresh green wreaths for the cemetery. They are made and decorated to the customer's order and delivered to the designated plot at the cemetary. So, a knowledge of the complete cemetary is necessary. One year following a high wind, the entire staff spent hours replacing wreaths and damaged

Lisa spends hours on the telephone ordering for the shop. Besides placing out-of-town orders, fresh flowers must be ordered by telephone. It's easy to see why holiday times are the busiest

give them the proper care.

The monthly report by the Public Utility Commission of Texas shows that WTU's standard residential rates are \$36.80 for 500 kilowatt-hours. compared to an average of \$38.53 among the state's eight investor-owned companies, and \$64.09 for 1,000 KWh, compared to an average of \$70.

Highest rates in the state arecharged by El Paso Electric, whose customers are paying \$49.69 for 500 KWh and off her Christmas angel creation, she \$92.86 for 1,000 KWh.

The PUC report shows that WTU's rates have declined 11.4 per cent since November 1985, while the average decline among all utilities in the survey, including rural electric cooperatives and municipals, was 8.8

Natalie Montgomery of San Angelo spent several days and the weekend here last week with her grandmother, Flowers for Christmas. The exquisite Mrs. Tom Montgomery.



CHRISTMAS ANGEL - Lisa Mitchell angel fits atop a large Christmas tree. Wagoner, shows off one of the art Many other unusual items are being objects she acquired for Maxine's unpacked and will be on display.

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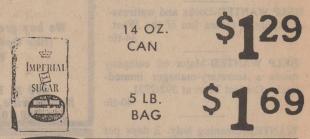


EVERY TUESDAY



Granulated

Sugar









LB. 79¢

JALAPENO OR SERRANO

Peppers

ASSORTED MEXICAN STYLE **EL CHARRITO DINNERS** IMPERIAL MARGARINE SHEDD'S SPREAD Country Crock HALFMOON Cheese COLBY OR CHEDDAR 8-OZ. **\$1 Whipping Cream**

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