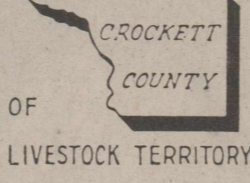


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His and Hers

By Scotty and Linda Moore

His

Please forgive me for my absence in writing the HIS portion of this column, but I think if excuses are in order, mine should be considered.

Back in September, if I am not mistaken, time passes so fast, we purchased a newspaper offset printing press to print *The Stockman*. The reason for the purchase was to release ourselves from the clutches of having to carry the paper to San Angelo every week. 3:30 comes mighty early in the morning, especially if bedtime is around 11:30 or 12:00.

The move of the machinery from Idaho to Texas took its toll on all of the rollers. To cap it short, it knocked them all out of whack. I have been spending every available hour trying to put them back in line, and I think I have finally succeeded.

For the next few weeks, try to overlook any smudges or smears that might appear and even a few misfolds. We are mighty proud of our accomplishment because there are very few weekly newspapers in the nation that have the capability of printing their own product.

Thursday will be a happy day for us, and we hope that it will be for you, too! Our two sons will be here, and we can hardly wait for their arrival.

I know you won't eat too much dressing or watch too much football, but I'll tell you before you do, I'm going to!

Happy Thanksgiving from the Moores.

Sale benefits Lions

The cookie jar is empty, and Ozona Lions Club cannot continue with its civic works without having a fund raiser. A garage sale has been planned for Dec. 11 and 12 to benefit the organization. Anyone with items to donate is asked to take them to Sonny's or Happy Hands. The sale will be held in the warehouse there beginning at 8 a.m. both days.

Santa needs help

Santa Claus will be coming to Ozona this year as usual. In order to have candy for him to distribute when he arrives, Ozona Volunteer Fire Department needs your donation. Anyone wishing to help may mail their donation to the department at Box 1569 or take it by the fire station.

Boyd donates

third gallon

Beth Boyd was the sole gallon donor when Blood Services was in town last week. This donation makes three gallons donated by Mrs. Boyd.

The Nov. Blood Services donations amounted to 25 pints with several deferrals.

Blood Services will be in Ozona again on Feb. 10.

Boys bag big game

The third annual Texas Game Warden's Association/West Texas Boys' Ranch Youth Hunt was held last weekend at the Gene Perry Ranch in Crockett County. Assigned to adult sponsors, the 10 boys on the hunt accounted for 14 bucks, two doe and five turkey during their hunt which began with their arrival Friday night and ended Sunday afternoon.

The Crockett County deer hunt for the youth was one of nine such hunts being sponsored in Texas by the Game Warden's Association this fall.

Event organizer Rod Chalmers gave credit for the work to a group of local men and three game wardens who were weekend partners to the youths.

Providing rifles, ammunition, on ranch transportation and a weekend of fun were: W. D. Haire, Bob Harris, Lane Scott, Ed Martin, Vance Worthington, Armando Arredondo, David Tijerina and Jack Probst of Ozona, Marfa game warden Bob Newman, El Paso game warden Mike Legarretta and Lt. Royce Wells of Austin.

Royce Ivey of Boys Ranch drove the boys to Ozona and shared in the excitement of the weekend.

Other helpers included Dee Keilers, Randy Branch, Joe Shereck and Bobby Ogle. Cooking up fine meals for the hunters were Harvey Hill, Fred Fierro and Humpy Rivera. Contributions of supplies or funds for supplies were made by: Ozona National Bank, Thornton's, West Texas Utilities, T & T, Joe Tobar, Billy Mills and the Sheriff's Department, V.F.W., Energas and Crockett County National Bank.

Donations for the non-profit event are tax deductible, reminds Chalmers. Anyone wishing to help sponsor future hunts should contact him.

This year boys took a trip to the rifle range before beginning their hunt, which improved marksmanship and enabled them to get more deer according to Dorris Haire.

Pete Mendoza was the champion hunter of the weekend with two deer and a turkey to his credit.

New at the Perry Ranch camp this year was a cookhouse which had been brought to the property as an addition to the boys' weekend. A comfortable bunkhouse next door made camping even easier for the group.

Just Say No

plans contest

The Ozona Junior High School Just Say No Club is having a poster contest to raise money for club activities. All members will make posters by working in teams of two.

The posters must focus on saying "NO" to drugs, alcohol or tobacco. Each team will solicit a sponsor for their poster from local businesses. However, anyone may sponsor a poster.

The judging will be held in the Ozona Junior High School Cafeteria on Tuesday, Dec. 1, 1987. Prizes will be awarded to the winners.

After the contest, members will present the posters to their sponsor for display in the sponsor's business.



Chad Guerra wears the marks of a successful hunter on his face. The young man killed his buck last weekend on the Perry Ranch. The hunt was under the supervision of the West Texas Game Warden's Association.

Doctor's contract considered

No vote was taken by commissioners Monday night at a called meeting to discuss a doctor's contract. During the joint meeting of the court and hospital board members, points of the contract were discussed with questions raised by both groups and by spectators.

Crockett County Hospital Board members have been working for a year to acquire an additional doctor for the staff. During the past six months, they have been in contact with a doctor who is interested in moving to Ozona. The prospective doctor and the board have come to an agreement which must also be approved by the court.

One point of contention between the court and board was the amount of professional component fee for the doctor. Professional component fee is that amount earned by the physician for what he does as a doctor, not what he earns for the hospital through lab, x-ray, room charges and such.

The contract, as written, provides for a monthly payment of \$8,500 to the physician plus whatever above that is billed out of his office. All fees earned by the doctor would be put into an account and he would be paid from that account. He would be paid

for everything billed, whether the amount was collected or not.

Bad debts from the professional component fees generated by relief doctors at CCH on weekends and Wednesdays are 6.22 percent for the 10 months to date said Bill Boswell, hospital administrator.

Expressing concern over the economy, Judge A. O. Fields suggested a non-collectable amount of 15-20 percent might be on the horizon.

Boswell emphasized, as he had at the regular November court meeting, that the amount the county would be out for a contract doctor would be that of bad debts with the remainder of the physician's pay being earned by that physician.

The contract does provide office space and staff and billing service. Boswell expects that one more staff person might be necessary as a receptionist.

Staff doctors are required to rotate weekends and Wednesdays, thereby eliminating the need for most of the extra \$35 per hour coverage now being required to maintain 24-hour service. Projected cost for 12 months of outside coverage this year is

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Oldest resident dies at 100

Zilla Miller succumbs

Mrs. Zilla Miller died at 11:45 a.m. Nov. 23, 1987 at Crockett County Hospital at the age of 100. Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 25, at Ozona Church of Christ.

Burial will follow at Cedar Hill Cemetery directed by Waggoner Funeral Home.

Mrs. Zilla was born April 6, 1887 to Ellis W. Bennett and Hugh Ann Carroll in Burnet. She later moved to Chappel with her parents. The family arrived in Ozona in the year 1900.

In 1909 her father built the first telephone company in Ozona. Her love for visiting over the telephone was instilled in her at an early age when she helped run the switchboard.

She was married to Rob Miller April 25, 1911, and he passed away March 9, 1966. They were pioneer ranchers of Crockett County and lived most of their lives in Ozona.

She celebrated her 100th birthday April 6, 1987. The party was hosted by her children and was attended by a host of friends and relatives, locally and statewide.

She received congratulations from the President of the United States and the Governor of Texas. She was Ozona's oldest citizen.

She will long be remembered by her kind deeds and sense of humor and her love for her children and grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Zilla was a member of the Ozona Church of Christ and was known for her generosity of keeping and feeding visiting preachers for many years.

Her survivors include J. B. Miller and wife Ethel, Eugene Miller and wife Vicky, a sister, Mrs. Karl Butz of Fort Stockton, seven grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Noma Miller Wiet.

Pallbearers will be great-grandsons Roy Miller of Los Angeles, CA; Rod Miller of San Angelo, Kevin Miller of Navasota, Miles Miller of Sonora, Matthew Miller of Sonora, Rhett Miller of San Angelo, Keith Miller of Ozona and Walt Miller of San Antonio.

The family requests that the memorials be sent to their favorite charities.

Museum sponsors

homes tour

Crockett County Museum will sponsor a Christmas tour of homes Dec. 12 from 2-6 p.m.

Homes on the tour are those of Richard Berry, Mick Clayton, Oscar Tumlinson, Jeffrey Sutton and Emerald House. Part of the Berry home was moved in from the old Emerald settlement.

Refreshments will be served at Emerald House where a door prize drawing will be held.

Tickets for the tour will be available at Emerald House for \$5.00 each.

School to show

film on AIDS

On Thursday, December 3, at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium, the Ozona Public School will be showing a video designed for educating children about AIDS.

This program will be open to all adults in the community; however, parents of secondary students are especially encouraged to attend.

It is requested that students not attend this program in order that ample seating will be available for all interested adults.

The purpose of this preview is to inform the public about the approach the school will be using to educate students about the dangers of catching AIDS.

Toy drive planned

The Crockett County Child Welfare Board announces its second annual toy drive. As last year, toys collected will be distributed to children in Crockett County who might otherwise receive none. Unlike last year, the board requests that donations be restricted to new toys.

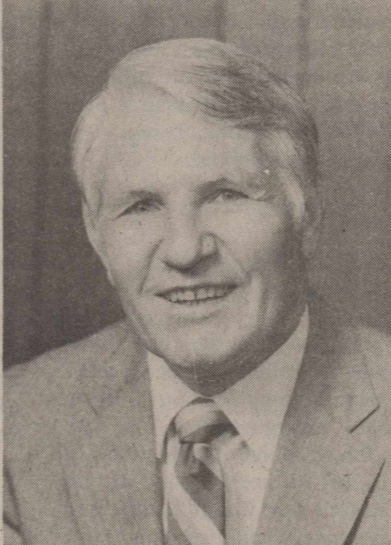
On behalf of the board, Chairman Jim Gray would like to thank you for your generous response to last year's

drive. The board also expressed appreciation to the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department and the McCalebs for allowing the toys to be collected and stored at the fire station.

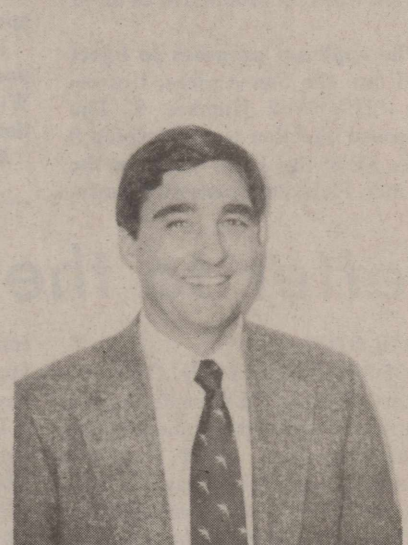
Thanks to Chief W. D. Haire and the volunteer fire department, toys will again be collected at the fire station. Cash donations may also be left at the fire station.

Donations may be dropped off beginning Nov. 27 through Dec. 15.

CCNB names directors



Myrle Greathouse



Norman W. Smith

Crockett County National Bank is pleased to announce the appointment of two new directors-Myrle Greathouse from Abilene, Texas and Norman W. Smith from Dallas, Texas.

Greathouse, longtime Abilene resident, has been president of the Abilene-based Wes-Tex Drilling Company since the death of Robert B. Cockrell, founder, in 1979. Prior to that, Greathouse had been executive vice-president of Wes-Tex for 24 years.

The company was organized in 1954 by Cockrell and his brother, Clarence. During its three decades, it has grown from a two rig company to its current level of owning 19 rigs, all operating at the present time.

In addition to drilling operations in Ozona, Sonora, Big Spring, Abilene and the Fort Worth basin, Wes-Tex has production in the Dakotas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and other sections of Texas.

Greathouse is a native of Amarillo and graduate of Amarillo High School where he was an all-state schoolboy football player in 1940. He was a four-year letterman at the University of Oklahoma, where he played part of his career under Bud Wilkinson and roomed with Darrell Royal, then the Oklahoma quarterback, for three years.

Greathouse is a director of Chap-

arral Airlines, First National Bank of Abilene, West Central Texas Oil and Gas Association, and the West Texas Rehabilitation Center of Abilene and San Angelo. He is a member of A.I.M.E., West Central

Texas Oil and Gas Association A.I.D.C., Abilene Country Club, Fairway Oaks Country Club, Dallas Petroleum Club and Abilene Petroleum Club, of which he is a past president. He and his wife, Marcella, reside at #5 Glen Abbey in Abilene with their son, Micah. They are members of Brook Hollow Christian Church.

Norman W. Smith was born October 7, 1942 in Jennings, Louisiana. He graduated from high school in Monahans, Texas in 1961. He received a BBA in 1965 from the University of Oklahoma and graduated from Law School at Southern Methodist University in 1968.

He was a practicing attorney and vice-president for OKC Corporation in Dallas, Texas from 1968-1981. He also served the company as a director. From 1981 until the present, he has served as president and owner of Express Air Drilling, Inc. of Ozona, Texas. His company provides air drilling equipment to oilfield locations. He is also chairman and owner of Ozark Explorations, Inc. His company is involved in oil and gas exploration primarily in Crockett, Reagan, Sutton, Irion and Edwards counties.



Trooper Ben English writes the report on a truck accident 18 miles north of Ozona Nov. 20. Driver Jimmie

Darnell of Denison was northbound at the time of the accident.

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Public Notices

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS will receive sealed bids until 11:00 a.m. December 14, 1987, for the purchase of Liability Insurance on Cars, Trucks and Ambulances, at which time bids will be opened and read at the Courthouse, Ozona, Texas.

Bid Specifications may be obtained by contacting Dick Kirby, County Auditor.

Bids should be given or mailed to Dick Kirby, County Auditor, Box 266, Ozona, Texas 76943.

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

Dick Kirby
County Auditor

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

Unocal, P.O. Box 671, Midland, Texas 79702 has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the San Andres, University "JJ", Well Number 5. The proposed injection well is located 8 miles SE of Big Lake, Texas in the Farmer Field, in Crockett County.

Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2275 to 2584 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 [Telephone 512/445-1373].

BIDS NOTICE

Sealed proposals for maintenance service contract for the Picnic Area and Litter Barrel Maintenance in Crockett County will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, San Angelo, Texas on December 9, 1987, until 10:00 a.m. and then publicly opened and read.

Plans, specifications and proposals are available at the office of Winston Koerth, Maintenance Section Supervisor, Ozona, Texas.

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Letter to the editor

DEAR OZONA:
MY OPINION IS AS FOLLOWS:

Last night at the Commissioner's Court vs Hospital Board meeting the court won again, or at least two members had their way. If you weren't at the meeting last night you should have been. The doctor's contract was put off for a vote, because Mr. Fields wanted the court to study it further.

The Hospital Board has been working on this contract for 8 months. It was quite obvious from the onset that at least two members of the court had no intention of voting on the contract.

You see, people of Crockett County, if this hospital dies of natural causes, then it can be said that it was nobody's fault. So, if we put things off, like this contract, that will help keep it open. It may be forced to close, and it is nobody's fault.

Last night I said that if I were the Hospital Board I would resign. Please don't. This is probably what some people would like for you do do.

I want the people of Crockett County to know that I, as a resident of this town, I want the best for my family. I do not want to cause trouble, but when things happen that happened last night at the meeting are allowed to go on without being questioned then it will continue to happen to us.

I think every citizen of this county should be at the next court meeting and listen to the reasons why the contract should be delayed any further.

We need another doctor in this town. We have one that wants to

come. If the contract had been approved last night the doctor could have been here by January 1, 1988.

Ladies and gentlemen, we are being forced to live in a yesterday's world. You do not have to put up with it. Call your County Judge and Commissioners and tell them you want them to act on this contract. This is your chance to change a few things. Do not let a couple of people, who do not use the medical facilities in this town dictate to you as to how it will be administered.

I would like to thank Mr. Hill for making some of the Hospital Board meetings.

I would like to thank Mr. DeHoyos for his constructive, intelligent comments about the contract. I would like to thank Mr. Castro for expressing to me, in private, that he wants the best for this county, and that he thinks we need this doctor.

In closing, I would like to thank Mr. Fields and Mr. Williams for a very predictable and entertaining evening.

Clay Robinson

David Adams of College Station will celebrate his birthday Dec. 1.

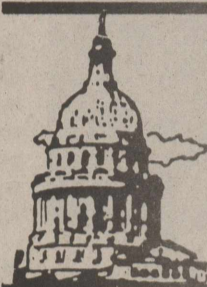
Dean Tambunga has enrolled in combination welding classes at Concho Career Institute in San Angelo.

Happy birthday to Alma Wilson on Nov. 26.

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STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Gov. Bill Clements surprised Capitol watchers last week by naming his new chief justice of the Texas Supreme Court, a relatively unknown state judge with high marks for judicial excellence.

The governor tapped Thomas R. Phillips of Houston to replace outgoing John Hill in January. Phillips will be the first Republican chief justice in modern times and is expected to run for election next year.

Phillips has family and philosophical ties to the conservative, pro-business side of the bench, and his record of excellence and fair play will help the high court at a time when several sitting justices, all Democrats, are faulted for taking questionable political contributions.

He is also regarded somewhat as an example of the merit selection process, since Hill himself urged the appointment. Clements took recommendations from a wide array of sources.

How About Elections?

Phillips is relatively unknown in Capitol halls, and some wonder how he will stand up on the non-academic, rough-and-tumble statewide campaign trail.

He will have to deal with two sitting justices who months ago threw their hats into the ring for his new job. The Texas Democratic Party has already vowed to retire him.

Many have never learned that the judicial system is an electoral world all its own, a couple of plateaus above partisan party politics. Phillips is probably better equipped politically than they realize, having dabbled in GOP politics and contributed to books on Texas elections and presidential campaign biographies.

Thus, the student will become a player, but Phillips is recognized as a pretty good student. He holds degrees from Baylor University and Harvard Law School, and is well-regarded where he is known.

Holding Bond Funds
State Auditor Lawrence F.

Lamesa rites for Mr. Byrd

Clyde Leon Byrd of Ozona died Nov. 19, 1987 in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo after a lengthy illness. He was 69.

Services were held Saturday, Nov. 21, at 10 a.m. in Branon Funeral Home in Lamesa. Rev. Jim Gray officiated with burial in Lamesa Memorial Park.

Byrd was born Aug. 3, 1918 in Elberta. He married Dorothy Gray March 6, 1940 in Crane.

Prior to his retirement in 1976, Byrd had been employed by Texas New Mexico Pipeline in Lamesa.

He is survived by his wife of Ozona, two daughters, Jaenette Cline of Lamesa and Ann Taschen of Gainesville; two sisters, Gladys Crownover of Port Lavaca and Hazel Mayte of California; one brother, Wayne Byrd of Vernon and four grandchildren.

CORRECTION, PLEASE

Out of the Woodwork, new crafts store in the Village, will be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Hours were incorrectly given in the Nov. 18 issue of The Stockman as 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Alwin says 19 state universities are holding funds from bond issues, and on occasion using them to pay salaries and for unauthorized purchases, instead of proceeding with construction projects or library improvements.

Higher Education Chairman Ken Ashworth says the Higher Education Coordinating board has been blocking the schools on building projects while it reviews needs and plans.

Federal Tornado Aid

Governor Clements wants federal disaster aid for the Texas towns ravaged by tornadoes last week.

The two-day storms killed 11, injured 160 and caused millions in damage. The damage estimate will be consolidated into his plea for disaster aid, Clements said.

Seeking New Voters

Secretary of State Jack Rains will enlist the help of hotels, airlines and businesses to register a million new voters.

Rains, a Republican, said it was a new technique to reach mobile Texans who are inaccessible to traditional registration methods.

Others say, warmly and coldly, it's a way to bring more conservatives and independents into the electoral process.

Some contend this method is the pro-business response to the strategy of going door-to-door in the barrio or slum districts to garner liberal voters.

Rains is considered by some to be a likely candidate for some office, perhaps governor, in 1990.

Other Highlights

• Campaigning in Dallas, GOP presidential aspirant Sen. Bob Dole said he would support a tariff on imported oil if it would help lower the deficit and balance the budget.

• Comptroller Bob Bullock asked Attorney General Jim Mattox for a legal opinion on whether Texas' new "tax snitch" law is constitutional.

Bullock disagrees and is reluctant to comply with the new law which allows his office to pay up to a five percent finder's fee for information leading to the recovery of taxes owed to the state.

• Mattox explained for lawmakers his opinion on unconstitutional Bible courses at state universities. He said religious groups should not pick and pay professors at a state school.

• Workers' compensation insurance rates will increase by 25 percent next year after last week's vote by the State Insurance Board. Texas employers are not legally required to carry the insurance.

• Gov. Clements appointed his legislative liaison, former House member Jim Kaster, to the Texas Industrial Accident Board.

• 58 Texas Department of Community Affairs employees were laid off by Clements. Some who were hired by former Gov. Mark White called it a political purge.

The Newsreel

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

THURSDAY, NOV. 27, 1958

29 years ago

The Ozona Lions had to come from behind with a last quarter 66 yard drive and then break up a serious Fabens threat with a pass interception before they could ek out a 15 to 8 win and advance into regional play last Saturday afternoon.

29 years ago

Ozona FFA Chapter teams brought back two first places, one second place, two third places and one fifth place in the Concho District contests held in Eldorado.

The first place winning senior chapter conducting team is composed of Jim Williams, Deeny Holden, Kenneth Deland, Reid Holmsley, Weldon Day, Bob Cooke and Jim Doran.

29 years ago

Four years as a scoutmaster at Hugo, Colo., paid off recently for Dock Lee, former Ozonan, son of Mrs. Pat Lee of Ozona, when five of his Scouts received the high-ranking Eagle Bronze Palm and four others received Eagles badges.

29 years ago

The Williams brothers, Jack and Joe, traded businesses the past week. Jack, who has been operating the Flying W Lodge at the east edge of Ozona, sold the motel to Joe and Joe sold his livestock and ranching interest to Jack.

29 years ago

Mr. and Mrs. Ted M. White will have as guests at the ranch this week Mr. White's brother John

White, and Dr. Neal Foster, head of the department of education at Texas Western College.

29 years ago

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. Lin Hicks of Ozona will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Bank Stocks on their ranch near Pecos.

29 years ago

Sheriff Billy Mills is at the bedside of his father, Frank Mills, in Harlingen this week.

29 years ago

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pierce, 4th spent the past week-end in Vernon where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Pierce's aunt.

29 years ago

The Montgomery Grocery, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Montgomery, has moved into its new building, adjoining the old location on west Highway 290.

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Miss Katherine Baggett, a student at Southwestern University, Georgetown, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baggett.

The Ozona Lions, Coach Lewis' 1929 grid squad, finished the season with a 25-7 win over the Eldorado Eagles.

Boyd Clayton, Pecos county ranchman and former Ozonan, was seriously injured Sunday night when a car which he was driving collided with another car 20 miles east of Fort Stockton.

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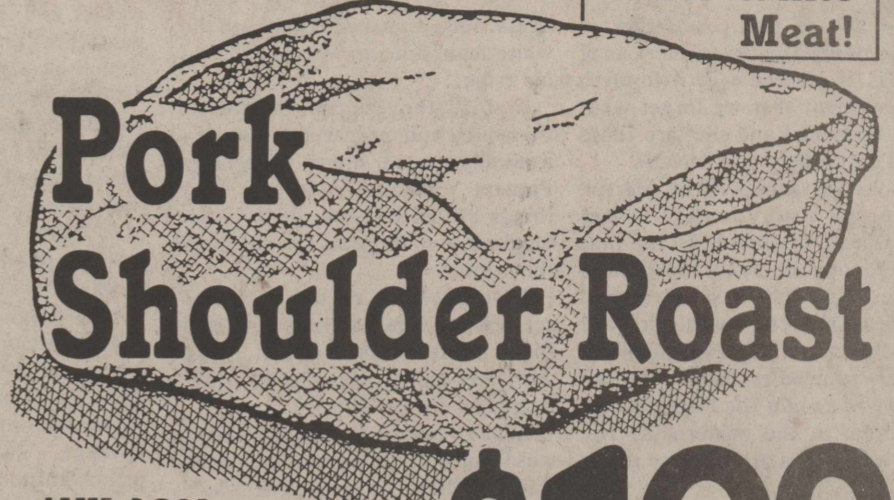
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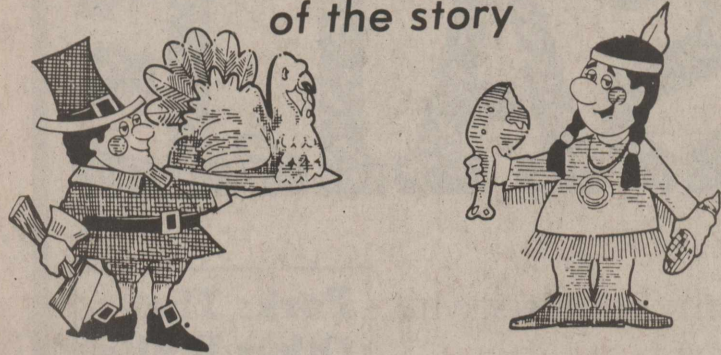
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Thanksgiving: the other side of the story



So much of our celebration of Thanksgiving, the most American of holidays, is gravied over with myth and sentiment that we forget what really happened and the fate those first Turkey Day participants.

For, as Dr. James Kirby Martin, professor of history at the University of Houston, reminds us, the first Thanksgiving of 1621 ended in a disaster. The Pilgrims had such a large feast that they nearly starved to death in the winter that followed.

And, remember Squanto, the Indian who taught the Pilgrims how to survive in the wilderness? He, too, was a victim of the white men's greed.

Born in the 1590s, Squanto grew to manhood in the eastern woodland homes of the Patuxet tribe where he came into contact with European fishermen and hunters who explored the area.

In 1614, an English exploring party led by Captain John Smith (Pochontas' old friend) sailed into Cape Cod Bay and set about making contact with the Indians, including Squanto's tribe, for fishing, hunting and trading purposes.

Smith moved on but left behind a captain who invited the curious Indians to "visit" his ship. Once onboard, he trapped them and set sail for Spain where he sold them into slavery.

Upon his arrival, Squanto found his village gone, wiped out in an epidemic of disease brought here from Europe, probably chicken pox. Where once had lived 2,000 Pat-

uxets, none remained. Thanks to the white man, Squanto was the last of his tribe.

In 1620 the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth and prepared to settle-ironically, on the site of the former Patuxet village. By spring, 1621 things looked bad-only half of the hundred or so Pilgrims had survived the winter.

Then in March, an Indian, Samoset, visited the settlers and told them about another Indian living with his tribe who spoke their language very well.

It was Squanto, and an agreement was forged for Squanto to stay in the Pilgrim village and teach them how to grow native foods, such as maize, to catch fish, and to live off the land.

Thus, Squanto was profoundly responsible for the abundant harvest the Pilgrims produced in the fall of 1621 which was the basis for the first Thanksgiving celebration.

Unfortunately, temperance was not one of the things squanto taught. The Pilgrims put on a three-day feast inviting all the local Indians, and the gathering ate up nearly all supplies of food.

Squanto's tale has a sad end, too, Martin relates. His head turned by the ways of the white man, Squanto tried to get the other tribes to pay him tribute to be their go-between with the Europeans. This embarrassed the Pilgrims and angered the Indians.

Then, in the spring of 1622 Squanto, too was stricken with a foreign ailment and suddenly died.

"His fate was like that of so many North American Indians," says Martin. "As for the Pilgrims, they survived the food shortages caused by their first Thanksgiving and prospered.

November garden checklist

1. Place orders for seeds this month so you will have them available when you are ready to plant. By ordering early, you will be more certain of getting the varieties you want.

2. There is still time to plant pansies, if you have not already done so. If planted soon, they will be in bloom by Christmas and will continue to bloom for you through the winter and into spring. Set out pansies in rich, well-drained soil in a sunny location. Try some of the solid-colored pansies in masses, as well as the giant mixed colors. You'll like pansies, and so do the slugs, snails and pill bugs. Be prepared for these winter visitors with bug bait.

3. Don't get in a hurry to prune woody plants. Late December through February is usually the best time to prune them.

4. In areas where ice and snow may cover the ground for extended periods, you had better protect young trees and shrubs from rodent damage. Rabbits girdle young plants, stripping the bark as high as they can reach.

5. Reduce the fertilization of indoor plants from late October to mid-March. An exception would be plants in an atrium or a well-lighted window.

6. Plant pansies, calendulas, flowering kale and larkspur for early

spring color. Best to use started plants at this time. Select short, stocky plants with good green color.

7. Drain gasoline from power tools and run the engine until fuel in the carburetor is used.

8. Drain and store garden hoses and watering equipment in a readily accessible location. The lawn and plants may need water during a prolonged dry spell.

9. November through February is a good time to plant trees and shrubs. In the Panhandle, planting is often delayed until February or early March.

10. Christmas poinsettias will soon be available. Don't be misled by the scare stories about the poisonous qualities of these beautiful plants. Plant scientists at Ohio State University have proven through extensive testing that they are not poisonous. There is always the possibility that some individuals may be allergic to certain plants including the poinsettia.

11. Bare spots under trees or other heavily shaded areas? Consider using shade-tolerant ground cover in those areas. English ivy, Algerian ivy or vinca are excellent choices.

12. Encourage strong root growth of chrysanthemums by cutting stems close to the ground. In North Texas, protect mums with a heavy mulch.



The home of Mike and Arlene Clayton will be one of several on a Dec. 12 tour of homes to benefit Crockett County Museum. On this same corner lot in 1935, Boyd and Vivian Clayton moved from the ranch in Fort Stockton to Ozona into a one story wood frame house. In 1947, Boyd and Vivian decided to tear down the old house and build a two story, 12 room brick home with a guest house. This is the home you now see. But to your surprise, it contains nearly all the lumber from the old wood frame that was built in the 1920's.



The Richard Berry home on 11th Street will be one of several on a Christmas tour of homes to benefit Crockett County Museum Dec. 12. Known as the Graham house, it was built in 1892 and is believed to be the oldest occupied house in Ozona. The original house was the two story part on the west side. The one story part was added later. From 1906 to the present, the house has been owned by three families, each having three daughters. During the years 1984-1987, the house was owned and operated as a gift shop. The original owner was a man named Berry. The house has come full circle and is presently owned by the Berry family.

KayCees celebrate Thanksgiving

The Kay Cee Ladies' monthly meal Nov. 20 consisted of turkey and dressing with all the trimmings and delicious desserts.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Tambunga, Mr. and Mrs. Hector De La Garza and Tres, Elma Buckner, Nina and Roger Martinez, Stela, Penny, and Amanda Ramirez, Andraita, Esmie, Olga, and Randall Borrego, Michelle Ganda, Santiaga and Alice Borrego, Mr. and Mrs. Elpidio Martinez and Donika and Cassey, Mr. and Mrs. Filbert Sanchez, Mr. and Mrs. Pepe Tambunga and Lori, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Munoz, Manie, Mark and Mikki, Mr. and Mrs. Johan y Rodriguez, Johnny Jr. and Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Romaldo Cervantez and Ruth Helen,

Isabel, Jennifer, Amice and Daniel Ybarra, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tambunga, Michelle and Manuel, Mr. and Mrs. Armando Ybarra, Mrs. Josephine Fierro, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tambunga, Ruby, Prissy and Johnny Jr.

CORRECTION, PLEASE

The coffee shop at Bayou Landing will be open from 5 a.m. to 10 p.m. during hunting season, not from 5 a.m. to 10 a.m. as incorrectly stated in the Nov. 18 issue of The Stockman.

Happy belated anniversary wishes to Frank and Marisella Paradez of Midland who celebrated Nov. 10, 1987.

Co-op earns safety award

Southwest Texas Electric Co-operative Inc. is the recipient of a Gold Seal Certificate of Excellence from the Safety Accreditation Program sponsored by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association (NRECA) announced A. T. "Sonny" Turner, general manager.

NRECA is the Washington, D.C. based service organization which represents 1,000 rural electric systems serving 25 million consumer-members in 46 states.

"In order to qualify for the accreditation program, a rural electric system must undergo a safety audit conducted by several outside observers who use a checklist of 160 items that have bearing on accident prevention and job performance," Manager Turner said. The results of the audit are submitted to the seven-member National Safety Ac-

creditation Committee which meets twice a year to review approximately 150 applications.

Since the inception of the safety program in 1967, 349 rural electric systems throughout the nation have received accreditation. Manager Turner explained that the program was started to establish effective self-policing of safety activities by rural electric systems, to set standards for reducing disabling injuries, to encourage on-the-job system training programs, and to provide national recognition for all rural electric systems which achieve these goals.

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Snips, Quips & Lifts

by Lottie Lee Baker



Don't be color blind when opportunity shows a green light.

Good habits are usually formed, bad habits are what we fall into.

The dictionary is the only place where success comes before work.

People catch opinions as they catch colds. If one is going around, they take it.

The darkest hour that comes only lasts 60 minutes.

Taking back what you have just said is like taking back vinegar that you've just spilled in your drinking water.

Some people rave, some people save. Funny how different some people behave.

He who would rate and be thought great must use his mind and try to find a life that's helpful to mankind.

"Ouch" goes with grouch.

We are sometimes so interested in creating the machinery of the church that we let the fire go out of the boiler.

When a head lacks brains, nature fills it with deceit.

Many people have trained their conscience to roll over and play dead.

Following the line of least resistance is what makes rivers and men crooked.

Many a man labors under the delusion that standing on his dignity will enable him to see over the heads of the crowd.

Love your enemies - it will drive them nuts.

Settin' in the church house won't make you a Christian anymore than settin' in a hen house will make you a chicken.

Home should be more than a filling station.

We cannot expect people to see eye to eye with us if we look down on them.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
Your greatest influence is your example.

Fund started for Jonda Pineda

Friends of cancer patient Jonda Pineda have started a fund for her at Ozona National Bank. Anyone wishing to help defray the cost of her treatments, which are being taken five days a week in San Angelo, may donate at ONB.

Ladies plan Christmas festivities

When KayCee Ladies met Nov. 23 they began planning a Christmas party and holiday events.

A benefit dance sponsored by the KC's Nov. 28 will help Penny Lee Ramirez. From 7-12, music will be by J. R. and Band and Boy y Los Unicos.

Attending the Monday meeting were: Janell Tambunga, Jill De La Garza, Nina Martinez, Stela Ramirez, Patsy Gutierrez, Armenta Sanchez, Yolanda Tambunga, Irma Tambunga, Elen Ybarra, Isabel Ybarra, Mary Ybarra, Andreita Borrego and Santiago Borrego.

Mrs. Harris hostess for bridge

Mrs. Tommy Harris was hostess for Country Club Bridge on Nov. 19. High score for the afternoon went to Mrs. Hugh Childress.

Mrs. Joe Friend won second high and Mrs. John Hunnicutt and Mrs. Tom Montgomery won bingos.

Also playing were: Mmes. Clay Adams, Joe Bean, George Bunker, Joe Couch, Oscar Kost, Arthur Kyle, Bill Mason, Buddy Phillips, Sherman Taylor, C. O. Walker, Evert White, Charles Williams, Byron Williams, Gene Williams and guest Mrs. Eddie Bower of Dallas.

Vickie Reagar will be a birthday girl on Nov. 27.

Thursday, Nov. 26, will mark the 10th anniversary for Carmen and Charlie Ramos.

The 27th is a special day for Elma and Pete Ybarra. They will celebrate their 16th anniversary.

Happy first birthday to Jessica Moreno on Nov. 21. She was one-year-old.



The kindergarten classes of Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Childress, under direction of Mrs. Williams, music teacher, presented the Thanksgiving story through music and narration. The play was enacted for all

primary classes and parents. A special presentation was viewed by the Ozona Woman's Forum in the primary music room at 3 p.m. Nov. 17.

Sheriff's report

Week ending Nov. 24, 1987

ARRESTS

11-17-87 Sheriff's deputies responded to a theft report from Pecos County and arrested a 27 year old Arizona man. The suspect was charged in Crockett county with possession of cocaine and possession of marijuana. He was released on bond on 11-21-87.

11-19-87 A 23 year old Big Lake man was arrested by THP on charges of DWI and possession of cocaine. He was released on 11-20-87 after posting bond.

11-19-87 A 41 year old Ozona man was arrested by THP on charges of DWI. He was later released after posting bond.

11-20-87 A 26 year old Odessa man was arrested by THP on charges of DWI and traffic warrants. He was released the next day after posting bond and paying his traffic fines.

11-22-87 A 34 year old man was arrested for theft of gasoline by Sheriff's deputies. He was released later in the day after making restitution and the case was dismissed.

INCIDENTS

11-17-87 Sheriff's deputies received

a call of a theft of gasoline in Pecos County. A roadblock was set up and a 27 year old Arizona man was arrested. In addition to the theft, the suspect was charged with possession of cocaine and possession of marijuana. The suspect was released on 11-20-87 after posting bond.

11-21-87 An Ozona citizen reported that someone shot one of their sheep. This offense occurred in the west part of the county. Sheriff's deputies are investigating the offense.

11-22-87 An Ozona citizen reported a slashed tire on her car. This occurred at her place of business. The case is still under investigation.

11-23-87 A citizen on 12th street reported the theft of a socket wrench set out of his garage.

11-23-87 Sheriff's deputies are investigating damage to county road equipment that was parked in the north part of the county. Tire tracks of a suspect vehicle were located at the scene of the offense. The investigation is continuing.

Symphony holds Christmas pops concert Dec. 5

The 120 member San Angelo Symphony Corale and soloist Charlotte Phillely of New Jersey will join the orchestra in presenting the 1987 Christmas Pops Concert Dec. 5 at 8:00 p.m. and Dec. 6 at 2:00 p.m. A variety of classics, old fashioned carols and special renditions of holiday favorites will be performed.

Dancers from the San Angelo Ballet will add another Christmas touch with excerpts from Tchaikovsky's NUTCRACKER Ballet. The festive spirit will be escalated with the appearance of Santa Claus and a Sleigh Bell Sign-A-Long featuring traditional songs of the season.

The Chorale will be lead by James Queen who is currently in his third year as the director. They have performed at past Christmas concerts, Spring Pops Concerts, the Beethoven NINTH SYMPHONY, I

PADLIACCI, and the Fourth of July Pops. The Chorale will be joined by guest artist, Charlotte Phillely, a native of Texas who performs extensively throughout the eastern United States. Her appearances include musical comedy, operatic and concert works.

Symphony goers will be delightfully enticed into the Christmas spirit with the beautiful sounds of Handel's MESSIAH, O HOLY NIGHT, A FEAST OF CAROLS, JINGLE BELL FANTASY, and A CLASSICAL CHRISTMAS featuring familiar songs that Ed George has adapted to the style of the great musical masters. These and more! The Sleigh Bell Sing-A-Long, always enthusiastically received, will conclude the program but not before the audience is visited by Santa Claus. Tickets are \$7.50 for adults, \$3.00 for students.

Thanksgiving program entertains Woman's Forum

The Ozona Woman's Forum met Nov. 17 in the Crockett County Primary School for a Thanksgiving program. Rosalind Williams, music teacher, and Katharine Russell presented some of the kindergarten classes in a musical, "Return of the Pilgrims".

The children were served punch and cookies after the program by hostesses Bobbie Fatout, Mary Agnes Ward and Blanche Walker.

Alleane Jones, president, presided at the business meeting that followed.

Madeline Stokes' committee moved the Forum by a cassette carousel for the library in memory of Bernice Jones.

Geniece Childress thanked the

Forum for a Kodak Eklagraphic Audio Viewer Projector for the museum to help present programs.

The business meeting adjourned with these present: Jewel Bailey, Louise Bunker, Geniece Childress, Bobbie Fatout, Glenda Henderson, Lu Ingram, Alleane Jones, Sophie Kyle, Lucille Littleton, Lois Locke, Velma Marley, Bernice Phillips, Katharine Russell, Blanche Walker, Barbara Wallace, Mary Agnes Ward, Alice Couch, Pauline Montgomery and Madeline Stokes.

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Crockett County Care Center News

by JoAnne Marshall

Tomas Ramos, Consuelo Sarabia, Juana Hernandez, Doris Robnett and Moriama Perez worked together to finish the last of the yarn dolls in Monday morning's craft class. Volunteer Doris Karr was there to lend a helping hand.

Residents limbered up Monday afternoon, while participating in a short wheel chair exercise routine. They also tested their hand and eye coordination in a game of basketball. Although the scores were very close, Juana Hernandez came in first.

The Bob Bell Band entertained residents with old time favorites Monday evening. We would like to thank band members Bob Bell, George Hester, Jamie Knox, Jim and Janet Wilson, Diane and Hal Sykes, and Bill Dane for starting our week off right.

Tuesday morning's bingo winners were: Samuel Martinez, Nellie Harp, Theo Burns, Rebekah West, Consuelo Sarabia and Emma Taylor. Emma had the luck of the Irish, so it seems. She won three games. Helpful volunteers were: Sophie Kyle, Georgia Kirby and Yolanda Avila.

A delightful film, compliments of the Crockett County Library, titled "Peanuts and the Pinto Horse" was shown Tuesday afternoon. Residents enjoyed watching the colt, Peanuts, get ready for a county fair. It placed first in several events. A second film was shown titled "A Quilt Maker". It was very colorful and educational.

We welcomed a new volunteer, Tasha Nowell, Wednesday morning during the ceramic workshop. We hope she had a little fun and will join us again next week along with regular volunteers Ruth Hester, Beth Stallings and Jerri McCarley. Residents attending the workshop were: Theo Burns, Hazel McDaniel, Ethel Youngblood, Consuelo Sarabia, Moriama Perez, Doris Robnett, Tomas Ramos and Juana Hernandez.

Charles Huffman of the Faith Lutheran Church presented a short Bible lesson Wednesday afternoon. Ruby Olson played the piano. Homemade cookies made by Phyllis Harms were served afterward. We would like to thank Phyllis for the cookies and the visitors who accompanied Charles for the friendly fellowship.

Thursday was a busy day for activities indeed. It started with a visit to the beauty shop and a much awaited chat with volunteers Vivian Hughes, Clara Byrd, Lola Rios and

Audry Smith. Next Clara tickled the ivories while Miss Pinkie from McCamey sang. This was followed by an afternoon of spiritual uplifting.

First, Jim Gray of First Baptist Church conducted this week's mid-week Bible study and Marlys Thurmond played the piano while David McCarley led residents and visitors in singing. Then, Fr. Alberto Tijerina of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church conducted Mass. Herberto Gutierrez played guitar while visitors and Spanish speaking residents sang hymns.

A performance by the Knox Band ended the day's activities on a pleasant note. Band members present were: Jamie Knox, Don and J. D. Kilgore. We would like to thank the Knox Band for the fine music and bits of humor. You brightened our day.

Friday morning's bingo volunteers were Mattie Cooper and Yolanda Avila. Prize winners included: Juana Hernandez, Tomas Ramos, Nellie Harp, Lucia Rios, Minnie Karr and Lucy Mae Meinecke.

Wheel of Fortune was played Friday afternoon with Vanna White being portrayed by Jimmie Jacoby. Puzzles were solved by Doris Robnett and Theo Burns. Theo was the grand prize winner of a porcelain cockatoo.

Sunday's worship service was presented by the Church of Christ. We would like to thank the large number of visitors who sang for us.

Deer cause two accidents

Ray Dean Patrick of New Braunfels received minor injuries Nov. 13 in a one vehicle accident five miles east of Ozona. The 7:30 p.m. accident on I-10 was a roll over which occurred when Patrick took his eyes off the road to check the time and a map. The 1986 Chevrolet Astro van Patrick was driving ran off the road to the left, back across the road to the right where it went off the right shoulder and overturned.

Trooper Richard Barton investigated.

Deer caused two of the recently investigated accidents in the county. On Nov. 16, Juan Domingo Gonzales of San Antonio was 33 miles west of Ozona on I-10. Westbound on I-10, Gonzales swerved to the right shoulder to avoid a deer, then ran into the median where his 1981 Chevrolet Camaro overturned at 5:45 a.m.

Trooper Dale Taylor investigated.

When a deer ran in front of Adalberto De Hoyos of Big Lake Nov. 19 on Texas Hwy. 137 36 miles north of Ozona, he pulled to the right, struck the deer, a telephone pole and small trees in the one vehicle roll over. DeHoyos was driving a 1977 Dodge van at the time of the 12:30 a.m. accident.

Investigating was Dale Taylor.

A 1981 Kenworth truck trailer driven by Jimmie Harold Darnell of Denison overturned Nov. 20 18 miles north of Ozona on Hwy. 137. The 12:30 p.m. accident happened when the truck went onto the shoulder as it started to make a left turn. The truck overturned onto its right side.

Trooper Ben English was the investigating officer.



AFTER THE HUNT at Perry Ranch last weekend - back row, Lane Scott, Jack Probst, Royce Ivey, Bob Harris, David Tijerina, Mike Legarretta, Robert Newman, Harvey Hill, Armando Arredondo, Vance Worthington, Tom Martin, Lt. Royce Wells, Freddy

Fierro; front row, Darrel Sharp, Ward Hendricks, Eric Brackett, Chad Guerra, Matt Young, Jason Harmsberger, Patrick Vela, Bradley Bishop, Dorris Haire, Donnie Howell and Pete Mendoza.

Al-Anon meets needs of non-drinkers

Just as Alcoholics Anonymous offers a new way of life for the alcoholic, Al-Anon offers a new way of life to any person who loves an alcoholic. It is a worldwide fellowship of men, women and teenagers who have friends or family members with a drinking problem. Members of this unusual program meet locally to help themselves and others in their group to deal with the frustrations and feelings of helplessness caused by living with the disease of alcoholism.

It is a fact that only an alcoholic can fully understand another alcoholic and equally true that only a person who lives with an alcoholic can understand someone who, also, lives in a drinking environment.

The aim of the Al-Anon program is to offer hope, comfort and friendship to the families of compulsive drinkers; to learn to grow spiritually through living by the Twelve Steps adopted from Alcoholics Anonymous and to give understanding and encouragement to the alcoholic. Al-Anons learn to achieve peace of mind by accepting alcoholism as a disease and thus reduce family tension - whether the alcoholic is still drinking or has found sobriety.

Members offer neither advice nor pity but a supportive atmosphere in which the individual is encouraged to

make an honest self-appraisal and recognize faulty attitudes.

By regular attendance at the informal meetings and participation in the program, the family is able to receive continuous therapy to fulfill many of their immediate needs and eventually, return them to stability. Once one comes to realize and admit that they, too, are powerless over alcohol, they are freed from a staggering burden.

Al-Anon is anonymous. Everything said in group meetings and member to member is in strict confidence. It does not endanger the anonymity of the alcoholic. As in AA, only first names are used.

Al-Anon does not give specific advice to members and does not intrude on the religious beliefs or lack of them of its members. It is a spiritual program - not religious. It concentrates on principles rather than personalities and does not

gossip.

Teenaged children of alcoholics realized that their problems differed from adult members of Al-Anon. In 1957, Alateen grew out of this need.

The Alcoholics Anonymous program of recovery was founded in 1937. Soon it was realized that the families of compulsive drinkers also needed a program of recovery. In 1951, this program came to be known as Al-Anon. In the 36 years since, over 25,000 groups, worldwide, have been added to the original 50.

Al-Anon has no affiliation with AA or with any other organization, is not allied with any sect, denomination or political organization, but does cooperate with all agencies, individuals and groups involved in the rehabilitation of alcoholics and their families.

Al-Anon meetings are held in Ozona at Lilly Construction on Tuesday nights at 8 p.m.



To prevent leftover poultry stuffing from being too dry, add 1 1/2 eggs to 1 cup of milk before baking a second time.

Editor's Note:

The following well-known poem was brought in by a proud supporter of Ozona students.

THE MAN WHO THINKS HE CAN

by Walter D. Wintle

If you think you are beaten, you are;
If you think you dare not, you don't;
If you'd like to win but you think you can't,
It's almost a cinch you won't.

If you think you'll lose, you're lost;
For out of the world we find
Success begins with a fellow's will,
It's all in the state of mind.

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To stronger or faster men,
But sooner or later the man who wins
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Thursday
Swiss Steak, Rice Pilaff, Buttered Carrots, Applesauce, Hot Rolls, Oatmeal Cake

Friday
Liver and Onions, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Beets, Hot Rolls, Peanut Butter Cookies

You Are Cordially Invited to Attend 16TH ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, November 28, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
Sunday, November 29, 1 p.m.-4 p.m.

Day in...day out...for 16 years the artists at the Art Center have worked to bring the best of the visual arts to San Angelo and share them with you...but this weekend is special.

It's our 16th annual Thanksgiving Open House. This year we are proud to introduce several new artists and have a fantastic style show of handwoven wearables, presented by Concho Weavers Guild...artists that would like to meet you and demonstrate their work...and exhibits of their artwork.

We are especially thankful this weekend and appreciative of your past support...and hope you can visit us during Open House and make new friends...visit old ones...and have coffee and refreshments with us.

Art Center Gallery - 653-4936 - Tue. - Sat. 10-5 On display are pottery, weavings, folk painting, enamels, bronze sculpture, pottery, jewelry & metalsmithing, blown glass and paintings.

Roger Allen - Allen Stoneware - 653-4936 - Tues. - Sat. 10-5 Functional and decorative high-fire stoneware as well as raku and sculptural clay works. Clays, lessons and information.

Lavina Allen - Weavers Lighthouse - 653-4936 - Spinning wheel, looms, beginning classes, weavings in stock and commissions accepted.

Tommy Taylor - Western & Wildlife Art - 658-8794 - Tues. - Sat. 10-5 Bronzes and paintings with a Western or wildlife theme are on display. Works in progress give a glimpse of the process from inception to the finished piece. Scheduled in early 1988 are glasses in painting and sculpture

Jenny Duncan - Duncan Artworks - Stained Glass - 657-0081 - Tues. - Sat. 1-5:30. Custom stained glass, etching with sandblasting, classes and supplies. A belated grand opening will be Open House weekend with a drawing for lessons and personalized glasswares. Supplies will be discounted 15% for the Open House.

Fibre Faire - 655-1437 - Fri. - 1-5:30, Sat. 10-5:30.

Cherry Jacquier, Lisa Shell, Kathy Roland and Karen Mayfield share the fiber studio. They offer some supplies, classes in phases of spinning and weaving, demonstrations for groups and commissions accepted.

Pat Cheatham & Joe Jay
Creative Blacksmithing - Tues. - Thur. 5-7, Sat. - 10-5.
Pat and Joe, using traditional equipment and forge, create one-of-a-kind decorative and functional wrought iron work. Their work is displayed in Duncan Artworks.

David Smith - Concho Leather Works - 655-0618
David is a fine saddlemaker and also creates notebooks, belts, holsters and sundry leather goods. Open by appointment, David will do custom tooling and special orders. His work is displayed in Duncan Artworks.

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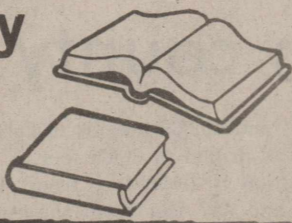
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Crockett County Public Library

by Louise Ledoux



The Library will be closed Nov. 26 and 27 for Thanksgiving.
New books at the Library are: **It's All In The Playing** by Maclaine, **Time Flies** by Cosby, **Postcards From The Edge** by Fisher, **Fantastic Voyage II** by Asimov, **Bluebeard** by Vonnegut, **Grace**, **The Secret Lives** by Kelly, **Treasures From The Kremlin** by Sizer, **Murder On The Orient Express** by Christie, **Almost Human** by Strum, **The Flame Trees of Thinka** by Huxley, **Heaven And Hell** by Jakes, **Diamonds In The**

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Ricky Ramirez brings Christmas to Ozona as he places decorations around the square. Several men worked to get the decorations in place Nov. 19.

Getting most from dollar

When you use the classes of mail, you want to get the best possible service for your money and the service that meets your particular need.

When customers are unsure of what postal option best suits their needs, they may spend money for services they don't really need. The solution is to know what delivery services are available and the differences between them. Below are descriptions of products and services sometimes misused because they are not properly understood. All fees listed are in addition to postage:

CERTIFIED MAIL - Available only for First-Class Mail, it provides the sender with a receipt showing when and where the item was mailed. The fee is 75 cents per piece. In addition, a record of delivery is kept at the recipient's post office. This service is not available for international mail.

RETURN RECEIPT - This is the sender's proof of delivery. It is available on mail insured for more than \$25 and on certified, registered, Collect-on-Delivery (COD) and Express Mail articles. For a 70-cent fee, the return receipt identifies who signed for the item and the date it was delivered. For an additional 20 cents the sender can get a receipt showing the exact address of delivery.

RESTRICTED DELIVERY - Except for Express Mail service, the sender can also request restricted delivery (\$1.25 per piece additional), which means delivery is made only to the addressee or to someone who is authorized in writing to receive mail for the addressee.

REGISTERED MAIL - The most secure option offered by the Postal Service, it is designed to provide added protection for valuable and important mail. Postal insurance may be purchased at the option of the mailer to cover articles valued up to \$25,000 at the time of mailing. As an example, an item valued up to \$100 would cost \$3.60 to go registered mail if it is covered by insurance and \$3.55 if it is not. Through a system of receipts, registered articles are monitored from the point of mailing to delivery.

Prepaid First-Class postage is required to send any item via registered mail.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING - This is the answer if the sender needs only a receipt to prove something was mailed. A certificate of mailing does not provide insurance coverage, no record is maintained at the post office and it does not verify the contents of what was mailed. A certificate of mailing costs 45 cents and may be used for all classes of ordinary mail.

COLLECT-ON-DELIVERY (COD) - COD service is best when the sender wants to collect for merchandise when it is delivered to addressee. It may be used for merchandise - which must have been ordered by the addressee - sent by parcel post, First-Class mail or Third-Class mail. Fees charged for this service include insurance protection against loss or damage. Items sent via COD may also be sent as registered mail. Insurance coverage is available up to \$500. COD service is not available for international mail.

PRIORITY MAIL - This is simply First-Class mail weighing more than 12 ounces and any other mail which, at the option of the mailer, is sent in this manner. There is no minimum weight limitation for Priority Mail; however, the minimum cost is \$2.40 up to two pounds. Mail piece must be marked "Priority" or "Priority Mail". It's faster than Fourth-Class mail or parcel post, but cheaper than overnight Express Mail Service. Use it when two-to-three day service is desired. Maximum weight is 70 pounds. Maximum size is 108 inches in length and girth (measurement around item).

SPECIAL DELIVERY - This should be your choice when you have limited funds but want to get your mail to its destination as quickly as possible, even on Sunday and holidays. This service is available to all customers served by city carriers and to other customers within a one-mile radius of their post office. There is one exception: there is no special delivery for Third-Class bulk-rate mail.



The left foot is just a little bit larger than the right foot on most people.



Jack Probst helps Boys' Rancher Ward Hendrics improve his shooting during the annual Game Warden/Boys' Ranch hunt at Perry Ranch.

December 1987



events: Convention & Visitors Bureau, Box 2277, San Antonio 78298 (1-800-292-1010 or 512-270-8700).

Dec. -- Holiday Events, San Antonio. Pasco del Rio will be ablaze with lighting in the trees all month, and carolers aboard river barges will sing Christmas favorites. Decorated homes will be open Dec. 5-6 for the Christmas Pilgrimage. On Dec. 7-12, Fiesta Navidena in El Mercado offers dance, drama, music and holiday foods, highlighted by pinata parties, blessing of the pets and a visit from Pancho Claus. Las Posadas on Dec. 13 dramatizes with song and candlelight procession the Holy Family's search for lodging. For details on these and other holiday

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Plan Christmas spending wisely

As the number of shopping days until Christmas decreases, it's easy to run out of money, as well as time.

"Christmas is the biggest spending season of the year, yet few families plan ahead for the added burden on their income," says Bonnie Piernot, a family economics specialist.

"A common strategy is to resort to credit spending for holiday expenses, although that may just postpone the financial problem until after the first of the year."

But it's not too late to evaluate your financial situation and gain some control over holiday spending, according to the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economist.

"Figure out the amount of money you have available for holiday expenses, including money from paychecks you will receive between now and Christmas," she advises. "Then estimate your remaining expenses, including holiday food and entertaining, cards, decorations, party clothes, gifts and other costs."

If your estimated costs exceed available funds, Piernot suggests

enlisting the entire family's help in curbing costs. Some options include establishing dollar limits for entertainment, clothing and holiday foods.

Since gifts are a major expense, she also advises setting dollar limits for each gift, making gifts and giving services, limiting gifts to certain members of the family or exchanging names to reduce the number of gifts.

"Once you know what gifts you plan to buy, go shopping with a list," says the specialist. "That will allow you to comparison shop for items at a specific amount and will reduce im-

pulse buying."

"If you decide to use your credit cards, set limits on how much you'll charge, and keep track of credit purchases so you won't run up large bills that are difficult to pay off in a reasonable amount of time," cautions Piernot.

"Remember too, that the finance charges on any unpaid charge card balances will actually add to the cost of your gifts."

The home economist suggests keeping accurate records of all holiday expenses this year, so you'll have a good estimate of expenses for planning ahead next year.

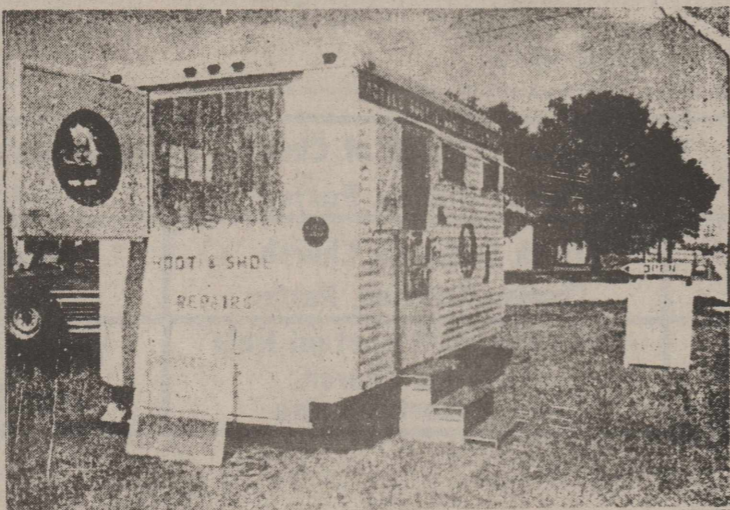
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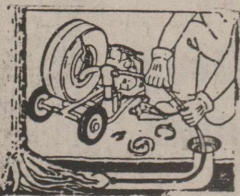
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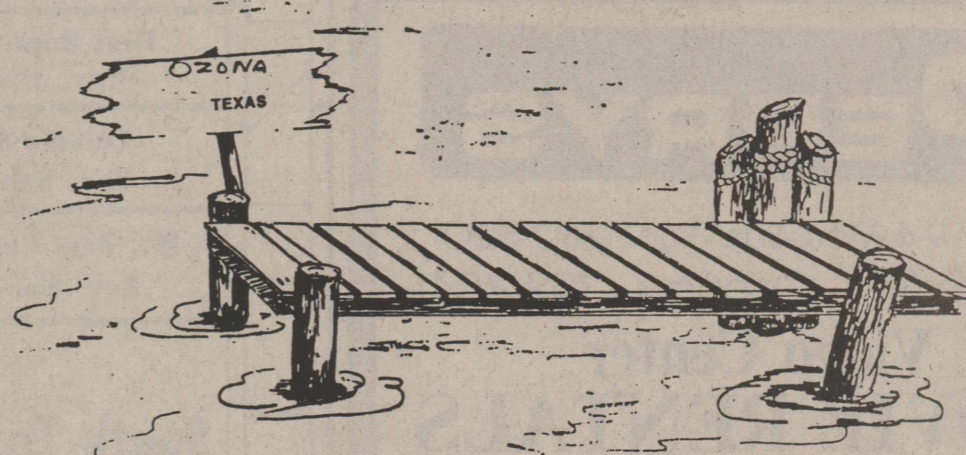
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Letter from Taiwan

Dearest Family and Friends,
Greetings from Taiwan, The Republic of China! We are finally getting our newsletter off to you. We have been so busy. It all started when our plane touched down in Taipei the 19th of Sept. We hit the ground running. We spent the first two weeks anxiously awaiting our household goods, getting our Alien Resident Certificates, registering with the American Counsel, making lesson plans, getting familiar with our surroundings, and we could go on and on.

After some delay clearing customs, our household goods were delivered the first week of Oct. We had to come up with an additional \$350.00 for duty tax. Then came the job of figuring out what to do with all this stuff! We thought we sold everything we could not live without. We are certain now that we could have gotten rid of a bunch more. We started off with two rooms, the school gave us two more rooms. Patti will be using our home to teach Home Economics in the spring.

Last week was a very tense week for us. Typhoon Lynn took its toll on the island. Its devastating winds brought a mass of destruction that killed 42 people and injured hundreds of others. We made it through just fine. All we had was wind and rain, kinda like West Texas storms.

This has been an exciting month, and the most exciting thing was meeting all these wonderful students. They are so respectful, gracious and eager to learn. They have a very high respect for teachers, and it's a humbling experience to be around them. We minister to over 550 of them. All but about 10 of them live here on campus, so we're around them 24 hrs. a day, and we love it. Before we came here we thought this was a school where Christians came to study Bible and English. That's not true at all. Only about 10 percent of them are Christians. Most of them came here to learn English, and their parents like the strict rules of the college. What an opportunity to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ. I don't know of any other missionary effort that is so effective and con-

centrated. These students are required to take at least three Bible courses each semester, they must attend chapel services every day except Sat. and Sun., and church services twice a month and have written proof.

Many seeds are being planted in the minds of these students every day, and our Lord will reap His harvest from it. Two girls were saved just last week, and I know the Lord will give us many more before school is over. Please pray for the salvation of these students, and for us as teachers, that we might live our lives before them in such a way that it will draw them into the Family of God through Christ our Savior.

I want to share just a little bit of our work here before I run out of room. I am teaching 19 classroom hrs. six days a week, directing a 50 voice choir for Sunday morning services, I speak in Chapel at least once a month, and preach on Sunday mornings occasionally. Patti is Dorm Mother to 75 students, supervises night study once a week, and is developing a Home Economics course for the Spring Semester, plus her household chores.

I must bring this letter to a close. There is so much more I wanted to say, but I guess it will wait till our next newsletter. Again, we want to thank you for your continued prayers and financial support to our ministry here. Without them, we would not have this privilege of serving our Lord on this foreign field. God bless you all.

In Christ forever,
Terry and Patti Racher

P.S. There is a slight change in our mailing address that will help our mail arrive sooner. Our address is: Terry and Patti Racher, c/o Sheng-te Christian College, P. O. Box 22, Chungli, Taiwan 32099 R.O.C.

Be sure to make your letters AIRMAIL, and put R.O.C. (Republic of China) on them and NO street address. Postage is 44c per ounce. Please write, we'd love to hear from you. We love you.
Romans 15:13

Call toll free

Mary Scott Nabers, Commissioner Representing Employers at the Texas Employment Commission, has announced the installation of a statewide toll free line in her office. The number, 1-800-TEC-MARY, is the first free access to be made available for people wanting to directly contact her state office. Commissioner Nabers represents 336,000 Texas employers.

"With these tough economic times business men and women need and want assistance more than ever", Commissioner Nabers said. "I believe this will be a much appreciated service." Commissioner Nabers receives more than 100 calls a day from employers and/or employees. Many are responding to her weekly column, *Texas Business Today*, which appears weekly in 207 Texas newspapers. Most are seeking answers to employment law issues and tax questions or want information on statewide services that are available.

Belated birthday wishes to Janet McDaniel who was 14 on Tuesday.

Affairs of Life



OUR GRATITUDE FOR THIS THANKSGIVING SEASON

We express our sincere thanks to the Heavenly Father, who is the Creator of "ALL." He is omnipresent, omnipotent, and omniscient! Rev. 19:6

Courtesy of
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Completions scheduled in county

Grayburg oil production has been reopened in the Condo multipay field of Crockett County with completion of Manhattan Operating, Midland, No. 34-4 Shannon Estate "B", 5/8-mile southeast of the depleted opener and 14 miles east northeast of Iraan, to pump 24 barrels of 23 gravity oil, no water.

Production was from open hole between 2,247 feet, where 4 1/2-inch casing was set, and 2,268 feet, total depth. The producing interval was acidized with 1,000 gallons.

The following tops were picked on ground elevation of 2,470 feet: Yates, 1,200 feet; Seven Rivers, 1,330 feet; and Grayburg, 2,098 feet.

It was drilled to 2,268 feet with 4 1/2-inch casing set at 2,247 feet.

Location is 1,787 feet from the south and 2,173 feet from the west lines of 34-1-GC&SF Survey, Abst. 2450.

The field opener, The Superior Oil Co., Midland, No. 34-2 Shannon Estate "B", was finished Aug. 8, 1985, to pump 23 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio at 43-1, through perforations at 2,324-52 feet.

Forest Oil Corp., Midland, has filed application to drill the No. 1 Forest University "9-45", a 10,000-foot wildcat in Crockett County, with no nearby comparable production, six miles northwest of the depleted one-well Tom T (Ellenburger oil) field, eight miles north of 7,897-foot Ellenburger oil production in the Holt Ranch Multipay field and 12 miles southwest of Barnhart.

Location spots 788 feet from the south and 2,578 feet from the east lines of 9-45-ULS Survey. Ground

elevation is 2,664 feet.

The Tom T opener, Cummings Oil Co., Oklahoma City, No. 1 West, was finished June 27, 1978, for 90.39 barrels of 40 gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 2334-1, from open hole section between 8,151-175 feet.

J. Cleo Thompson, Dallas, completed two producers in the Simpson oil field of Crockett County, approximately 25 miles west of Ozona.

The No. 1 Big State "18-2" was completed to pump 45 barrels of 35 gravity oil, plus 10 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of 578-1, through perforations at 1,873-2,239 feet, which had been acidized with 1,500 gallons and fractured with 30,000

gallons and 60,000 pounds of sand.

It was drilled to 2,304 feet. Location is 1,650 feet from the south and 467 feet from the east lines of 2-FF-B&B Survey.

The No. 2 Big State "7-10" was finished to pump 35 barrels of 36.5 gravity oil, plus 10 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of 1143-1, through perforations at 2,129-380 feet, which had been acidized with 1,500 gallons and fractured with 30,000 gallons and 60,000 pounds of sand.

Casing (4 1/2-inch) was set at 2,520 feet, the total depth.

Location is 660 feet from the south and 2,326 feet from the west lines of 10-1-GC&SF Survey.



Hazel Allen has been named Employee of the Month for November at Canterbury Villa in Baird. She has been employed there since June of this year.

Hazel has made many friends and has an excellent rapport with her co-workers and the residents.

Canterbury Villa is very proud to have her with them according to a spokesperson for the facility.

Pipeline permits approved

Railroad Commission Chairman John Sharp announced earlier this month that 17 permits to operate new pipelines in Texas were granted by the RRC in September. In August, the Commission approved 14 permits.

Nine of new permits were for gathering pipelines, three were for trunk transmission lines, two were for distribution lines, one was for a gas plant line and two were for other lines. Gathering lines bring oil and gas from production leases, while trunk lines are larger diameter lines into which smaller pipelines connect. At gas plants, natural gas is stripped of the liquid hydrocarbons usually present in gas as it is produced from a well.

In September, one operating per-

mit was approved for a pipeline in the San Angelo area (District 7C) and one in the Midland area (District 8).

Included as distribution and other lines approved included Ozona Residue Systems Company, Dallas, gas, Crockett County.

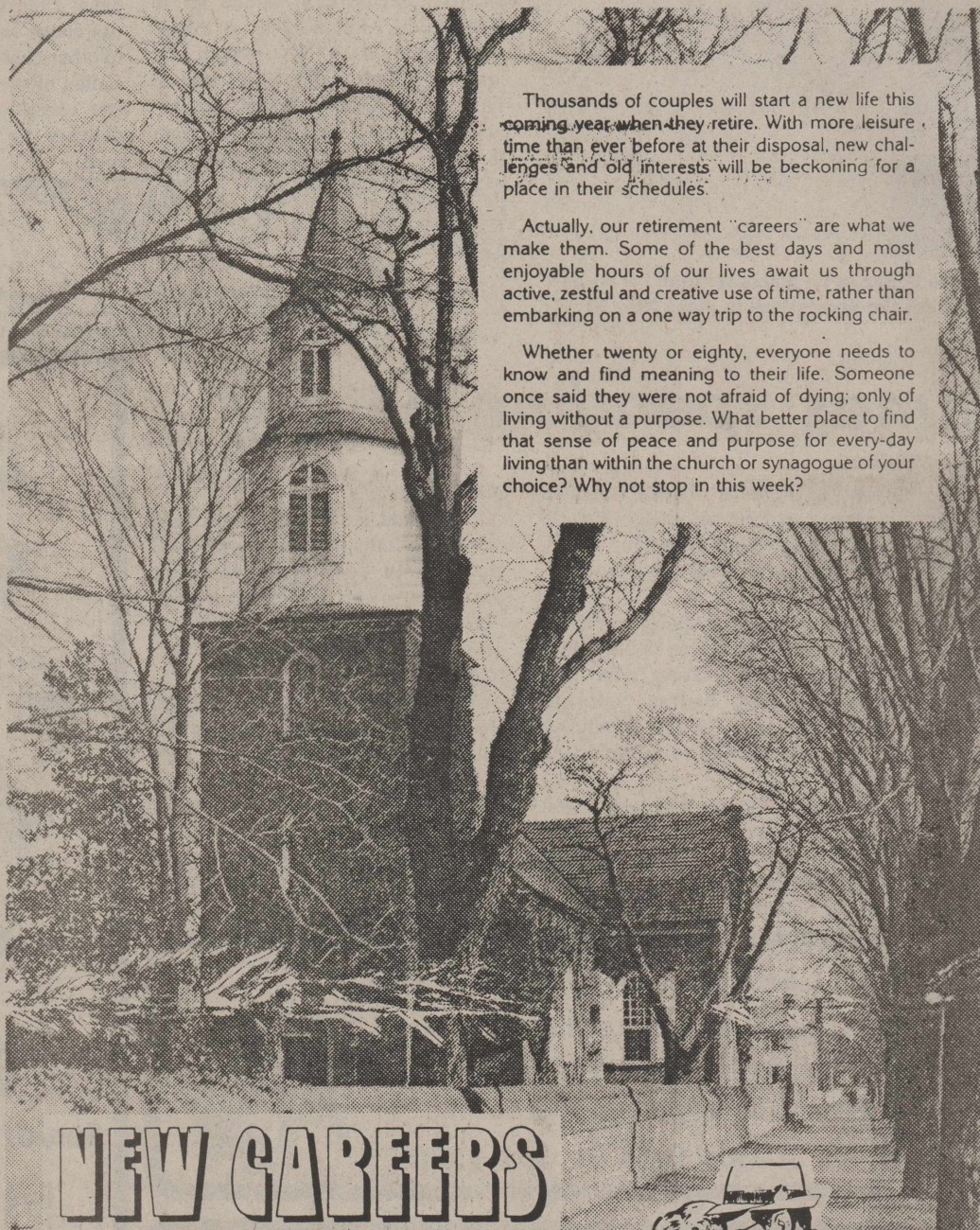
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Whether twenty or eighty, everyone needs to know and find meaning to their life. Someone once said they were not afraid of dying; only of living without a purpose. What better place to find that sense of peace and purpose for every-day living than within the church or synagogue of your choice? Why not stop in this week?

NEW CAREERS

Sunday Isaiah 34:1-17
Monday Isaiah 54:1-10
Tuesday Luke 1:57-80
Wednesday Thessalonians 5:12-28

Thursday James 5:7-20
Friday Phillipians 4:1-9
Saturday Isaiah 7:10-25

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