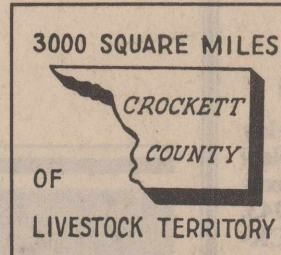


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"Out In The West, Where The Air Is Pure, The Climate Agreeable, And The People Friendly -- The Best Place On Earth To Call Home."

## Trash baler considered by Commissioners Court

Ozona has two options for trash disposal according to Perry Dean of Miner and Associates of San Antonio. Dean told commissioners Monday night their choices include arranging for a private firm to come in and haul trash, or baling trash locally and hauling to a landfill.

A suggestion that San Angelo, Odessa or Midland might haul Ozona's waste was discounted by Judge Kathryn Mayfield. "They're not willing to come; I've already checked on it," she said.

At a meeting with EPA representatives last week in Washington, Judge Mayfield and other West Texans were told to expect regional landfills in the future.

Dean presented information on a baler his firm sells which is manufactured by Harris Corporation. A concrete pad for the 18,000 pound machine, a drain system and shelter

requirements were discussed.

The court asked for additional information to be available before the next meeting.

Later in the evening, Eddie Moore, road supervisor, commented that the 4,000 ton estimate for annual trash hauling in the community pertained only to trash hauled by the water district. Moore believes the addition of trash hauled by individuals, the county and Circle Bar could up the amount to as much as 20,000 tons annually.

In other matters, commissioners voted to advertise bids for liability insurance for law enforcement and county officials. The bids are to be opened in April.

A report from the chamber of commerce on use of 1989 hotel/motel occupancy tax funds was examined by the court and accepted to be placed in the minutes.

Commissioners voted to accept and

place in the minutes two applications for permits to construct, maintain and operate a pipeline across a public road in Pct. 3.

Penn Baggett spoke briefly to the court in support of a revised contract

Baggett said a contract presented to the hospital by Owensby in January was not identical to Dr. Sims' contract. The contract does not contain the provision that Owensby be paid 85 percent above his guarantee, Baggett said.

He suggested that "the numbers really need to be scrutinized. You need to know what the man's income is in addition to expenses."

Commissioners went into executive session to discuss personnel. No action was taken when they resumed regular session.

Court members devoted approximately half the meeting time to a continued review and revision of a proposed personnel policy.



All-district Lady Lion basketball players are (l-r) Tammy Arrott, Teena Tambunga, Haley Carson, Stacy Berry and Kim Coy. Stacy Berry and Haley Carson were named to the All-district first team and Kimberly Coy was named to the All-district second team. Teena Tambunga and Tammy Arrott were recognized as honorable mention.

## Band students receive top ratings at contest

by Sarah Pullen  
STOCKMAN SPORTS

On Saturday, Feb. 17, several Ozona High School and Junior High School band students participated in

### Lions end basketball season in Bi-District play

By Charles Wood  
STOCKMAN SPORTS

Ozona Varsity Lions' playoff hopes have finally come to an end last week in Odessa. In their bi-district match against Van Horn Feb. 23, the Lions were defeated 46-41.

The team "controlled the tempo and played a good defensive game," Coach John Curry said, but "had trouble scoring during the fourth quarter."

High scorers for Ozona were George Ybarra with 14 points and Danny DeHoyos with 8.

The Lions finished with a second place ranking in district behind Eldorado. The Lions have a 17-14 record for the year and a 9-2 record in district play.

district play.

"Overall, I though our kids played very well throughout the season," Coach Curry said. "I'm proud that we got into the playoffs. It was a good accomplishment."

the UIL Solo/Ensemble Contest at Angelo State University.

In high school, four individuals and one ensemble received division I ratings, and three individuals received division II ratings.

A flute trio, consisting of Tricia Etheridge, Leesa Haire and Melissa Wooten received a one. Leesa Haire also received a I on her flute solo. Martha Mayfield's clarinet solo, Billy Trammel's trumpet solo and Stacey Grendhal's french horn solo all received I's as well.

Aaron Carroll received a II with his trombone solo, as Tricia Etheridge and Melissa Wooten each received a II on their flute solos.

"I think our flute trio did really well," said senior Tricia Etheridge. "This contest is what I'm going to

## Airport receives grant for improvement study

The Federal Aviation Administration has awarded a grant of \$37,800 to Crockett County for Ozona Municipal Airport, U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm of Texas has announced.

The funding is for the conducting of a master plan update.

"I believe in assuring that Texans get a fair return on the tax dollars we send to Washington," Sen. Gramm said in announcing the grant.

"So I am pleased that the federal

miss the very most about high school and band."

In the junior high division, Mindy Coates received a I with her flute solo. A trumpet solo performed by Jami Dalby and a french horn solo performed by Crista Chalmers also received division I ratings.

Rene Tambunga's trombone solo earned a II, as did April Graham's clarinet solo.

Accompanists for the local band members were Mrs. Barbara Burger, Mrs. Patty Coates, Mrs. Chalmers and Mrs. Williams.

"The kids did just a super job," said assistant band director Norman Carroll. "It's a dedicated effort because they do it on their own - they work above and beyond the call of duty."

government is sending this money in order to make permanent air safety improvements which will benefit Texans."

The FAA, established in 1958, is responsible for aviation safety within the United States.

The agency administers this grant program under its mandate of assuring safety at public-use airports and of assisting in the development of airports to meet current and future demand for service by the public.

## Five Lady Lions named All-District

by Sarah Pullen  
STOCKMAN SPORTS

Five members of the Lady Lions 89-90 basketball team were recently selected for the All-district Basketball Team for the season.

Senior Stacy Berry and sophomore Haley Carson were named to the All-district first team. Stacy is the 17-year-old daughter of Richard and Cynthia Berry. Stacy enjoys "shooting hoop", and hanging out with friends in her spare time.

"I feel that I tried to give 100% in all my games with hopes of being

named to the All-district team," Stacy said. "I want to congratulate all the others who share this honor with me. I'll miss them next year, and want to wish them all the luck in the world next year."

Haley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carson. Other than basketball, she is active on the OHS yearbook staff and in church activities such as MYF. "I feel very honored," Haley said, "and I want to extend my congratulations to the rest of the girls who receive these honors."

Kimberly Coy, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Coy, was named to

the All-district second team. Kim is a junior in high school. Other than basketball, she participates in activities such as track and cheerleading.

Teena Tambunga and Tammy Arrott were both recognized as being honorable mention. Tammy is a senior and upon graduation she plans to attend South West Texas State University in San Marcos. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Arrott.

Teena is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tambunga. She is classified as a junior. Extracurricular activities in Teena's life include UIL literary events, cheerleading and band.

## Judge Mayfield reports on Washington trip

Judge Kathryn Mayfield told commissioners "the bottom line is, we're still in limbo," when she reported on her trip to Washington last week for a meeting on landfills.

Mayfield was one of approximately 40 persons representing the 48 counties and 37 cities belonging to the Sparsely Populated Entities Coalition who met with representatives of the Environmental Protection Agency, Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, Sen. Phil Gramm and Rep. Lamar Smith.

Final EPA regulations regarding landfills are expected to be released in late May or early June, the judge said.

## Census taker applications, tests March 7

The Census Bureau will be testing March 7 at 1 p.m. at the county courthouse. Applicants need to bring driver's license and social security card.

Completion of the application and the test will take approximately two hours.

For more information, call 392-2022.

Closure regulations are expected to go into effect immediately; effective dates of other regulations may be spread over a period of months, the group was told.

A presentation prepared for SPEC by Parkhill, Smith and Cooper of Midland was given to Bruce Weddle, director of the Municipal Solid Waste Program of EPA. Points brought forth included the fact that the 48 member counties (more counties have joined SPEC since the Feb. 22 meeting in Washington) have a population of 378,000 over a 66,400 square mile area. This averages at 5.7 people per square mile, considerably more than in Crockett County.

The SPEC presentation asked the EPA to allow the state to grant variances based on unique West Texas climatic conditions, geology and the depth to potable groundwater. There

have been no documented cases of contamination of groundwater from landfills Judge Mayfield said.

Weddle told the group there would be no variances of Congress mandated groundwater monitoring and location sites. States will be responsible for enforcement of EPA regulations.

"They appeared to be ignorant of Texas rules for landfill management," Judge Mayfield said.

During a meeting with Rep. Lamar Smith, Mayfield learned that he is actively working with Rep. Charles Stenholm for House Bill 3734, Sec. 305 to allow states to grant variances. The Stenholm bill provides for regulation variances by state regulatory agencies if the can prove that human health or the environment are not damaged at and individual landfill.

"The EPA told us we might as well expect regional landfills. How long it will take to get these, we don't know," Judge Mayfield said.

## Ozonans named on unclaimed money list

State Treasurer Ann W. Richards said Feb. 23 that more than 120,000 Texans have \$99 million in lost or forgotten money coming to them this year - up 65 percent from last year's \$60 million.

The 120,000 are named in the 1990 version of the Texas Treasury Unclaimed Money Fund List. Ozona's section of the list contains 37 names. They are: Jewel Adkins, James Robert Bailey, Ray Boyd, George Bunger, Hugh/Rachel Childress Jr., Country Store, Loyce Young Davis, Chas. E. Davidson, F. Garza Construction Co.,

(Continued on page 13)



Fire fighters Felix Trujillo and Pop Wheeler fight a car and grass fire on Ave. O last Wednesday. Five hundred gallons were used to extinguish the blaze. It was not determined what caused the fire. photo by Susan Sheppard

## The Weather

THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE  
Compiled by James Pagan

	Hi	Lo	Rain
Feb. 21	55	41	.05
22	62	41	
23	59	26	
24	67	29	
25	69	35	
26	73	49	
27	71	55	.02

Total rainfall for year 1.04"

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**Wade Beasley**  
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**Roylan Sullivan**  
 (Pol. Adv. Pd. by Roylan Sullivan, Box 1951, Ozona, Texas 76943)

**NEWS REEL MARCH 17, 1932**

Dudley Motor Co., a familiar name in Ozona history, came into being again a few days ago when the big corner garage re-opened for business in the Dudley building following recent closing of the Crockett Motor Co.

From 1932 Town Gossip Column—"Have you tried Ethyl in your car?" somebody asked Jake Young. "No, I'm satisfied with Hester," he replied.

**James M. (Jim) Hearne**  
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# The Newsreel

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



To add interest to the weekly "Newsreel" column, an old picture will be printed here every week. Identities of subjects are not known. If you recognize anyone shown here, please notify The Ozona Stockman so that the information may be printed in next week's paper.

**Old photos identified**

The old school photo, published in the Feb. 21, 1990 issue of the Ozona Stockman has been identified as the 1927-28 Ozona 4th Grade Class.

Top row (l-r): Grace Butler Williams, Larene Schauer, Esther Kate Pierce (Jones), Rose Burton (teacher), Kid Williams, J. B. Sapp, J. W. Odom and Gladine Coates

Second row (l-r) Helen Adams, Vicky Pierce (Miller), Myrtle Evans, Gene Williams and Cleophas Cooke

First row (l-r): Willie V. Coose (Baggett), Sam Glover, Monte McKinney, Eda Robison, Walter Dudley, Dudley Ingam and Blake Brown

Terrie Kyle of San Antonio identified the Feb. 26th old photo as the class of 1926.

Top row (l-r): Edward Deland, Hugh Childress, Hilton North, Mr. McNeil, Elmer Sorrels and W. T. Childress

First row (l-r): Cole Langley, Glover, Elizabeth Davidson, Terrie Kyle, May Joslin and Anna Estes

Terrie stated in her letter that she may be the only living member of the class of 1926.

**NEWS REEL MARCH 16, 1961**

29 years ago  
 Funeral services were held from the Church of Christ in Ozona at 3 p.m. Wednesday for M. B. (Chief) Donaghey, 66, a former resident of Ozona.

29 years ago  
 Bill Hardberger of Lamesa, a brother of Mrs. Lowell Littleton and Mrs. Pleas Childress, suffered severe burns about the face and neck and hands when accumulated butane gas in his car exploded.

29 years ago  
 Jay Miller exhibited the reserve champion Junior Rambouillet Ram at the San Angelo Fat Stock Show last week.

29 years ago  
 Jack (Sleepy) Harris, former Ozona football coach, was a visitor in Ozona Tuesday and Wednesday in connection with his current work as assistant coach at West Texas State at Canyon, Texas.

29 years ago  
 Mrs. Jimmy Barbee, pilot, and Mrs. W. T. Goodson, co-pilot, plan to fly a Piper Colt in the High Sky Derby of the Midland Ninety Nines, women pilots organization, from the Midland airport Saturday, March 18.

29 years ago  
 James Neil Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams of Ozona, has been selected for membership in Circle K, national service club, at Baylor University.

29 years ago  
 No, there isn't a grizzly bear in school! It is just Reid Holmsley. He is growing a beard for the one-act play. Brought back to school this week were many moans and groans, and such exclamations as, "Don't you dare touch my sun-burned back!" Among those who had gone to the river were Janet Mason, Becky Cullins, Don Nell Carnes, Brent Moore, Pete Montgomery and Phillip Carnes. Sandra Whitaker also brought back a bright-pink face.

**Public Notices**

**NOTICE FOR BIDS**  
 The Commissioner of the General Land Office, the School Land Board, the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, and the Veterans Land Board will receive sealed bids at the General Land Office in Austin, Texas, until 10:00 a.m., April 3, 1990, for oil, gas and other mineral leases.

Lists and other details are available and may be obtained by writing Garry Mauro, Commissioner of the General Land Office, 1700 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, 78701-1495. 4c51

**REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION**  
 Sealed proposals for 13.091 miles of two asphaltic concrete pavement courses and pavement markings on IH 10 from 17.4 miles W. of Ozona to 9.07 miles W. of Ozona (Eureka Draw) and from US 290 at Bachler Hill to 17.4 miles W. of Ozona, covered by I 10-3(33)349 & I 10-3(77)344 in Crockett County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., March 6, 1990, and then publicly opened and read.

This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Joe W. Lane, Resident Engineer, Sonora, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D. C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder. Usual rights reserved. 2c52

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
 On July 15, 1983, KYXX(FM) was granted a license by the Federal Communications Commission to serve the public interest as a public trustee until August 1, 1990. Our license will expire on August 1, 1990. We must file an application for license renewal with the FCC by April 2, 1990. When filed, a copy of this application will be available for public inspection during our regular business hours. Our public file contains information concerning this station's performance during the last seven years.

Individuals who wish to advise the FCC of facts relating to our renewal application and to whether this station has operated in the public interest should file comments and petitions with the FCC by July 2, 1990.

Further information concerning the FCC's broadcast license renewal process is available at Crockett County Public Library, 705 12th, Ozona, Texas, or may be obtained from the FCC, Washington, D.C. 3c52

**Stockman classifieds mean business!**  
 392-2551

C. Greer Building, Austin, Texas 78701-2483, until 1:00 P.M., on March 7, 1990, and then publicly opened and read.

A list reflecting the highways and limits along with applicable specifications relative to this Contract is available for inspection at the office of Mr. Daniel Gower, District Maintenance Engineer, Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Rd., San Angelo, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Chief Engineer of Safety & Maintenance Operations (D-18M), a Costa Annex, 6400 US 290 E. t., Austin, Texas 78723, or the District Engineer, Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Rd., San Angelo, Texas 76904-1550.

All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bidders' conference which will be held at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation's District Office at Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Rd. San Angelo, Texas, at 10:00 A.M. on February 28, 1990. Usual rights reserved. 2c52

**CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK**  
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### Cowboy exhibit opening in Alpine museum

Gleaming silver and polished leather will shine alongside some of the West's most acclaimed western art this weekend and throughout March at the Museum of the Big Bend in Alpine.

Trappings of Texas 1990 opens Saturday, March 3, in conjunction with the Texas Cowboy Poetry Gathering. Since its beginnings four years ago, this exhibit has become well known among artists, craftsmen and visitors for its unique approach to the subject of cowboy art. The Trappings of Texas display combines fine arts with hand-crafted gear of the cowboy, which ordinarily is not shown in museums. Gear makers display saddles, spurs, rawhide, braiding, bits and silver. Artists show their best western sculpture, paintings, drawings and photography.

More than 60 artists and gearmakers are featured in this year's exhibit. Many of them will be on hand to meet the public at the museum from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Saturday, March 3, and refreshments will be served. The exhibit will remain on display through April 1.

The artists and craftsmen who participate are some of the best in the field of western art and cowboy gear making. Kenneth Perry, museum director, coordinated selection of the artists, and Gary Dunshee of Big Bend Saddlery, guest curator for the exhibit, coordinated selection of the gear makers. Many of the pieces on display will be for sale, and some craftsmen will be taking special orders.

On Friday, March 2, at 5 p.m. there will be a cowboy gear auction at Kokernot Park. Local auctioneer Henry Ogletree will present many fine items donated by craftsmen who are featured in the Trappings of Texas exhibit. High quality items will be auctioned, including a hand-tooled leather photo album, checkbook cover, breast collars, chaps, tapaderos and headstall, braided quirt and earrings, engraved buckles, bits, money clip, necklace and earrings. The auction will take place prior to the traditional cowboy chuckwagon supper and

campfire poetry session at the park.

Proceeds from the auction will benefit the Museum of the Big Bend.

The Museum of the Big Bend is on the Sul Ross State University campus. It is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays, 1 to 5 p.m. Sundays, and is closed Mondays. For more information about the Trappings of Texas exhibit, please call 915 837-8143.

### Freeport tax retained by majority of Texans

More than 60 percent of Texas' local taxing units that are eligible to retain taxes on "freeport" property through 1990 have elected to do so, according to the State Property Tax Board (SPTB).

Last November, Texas voters amended the state constitution to exempt freeport goods from property taxation, effective Jan. 1, 1990. These are inventories acquired or brought into the state by manufacturers, distributors, and other businesses and held temporarily (up to 175 days) before being shipped out of state. Counties, cities, school districts, and junior college districts were allowed to continue taxing freeport goods this year, but had to elect to do so by Jan. 1. Those taxing units must decide by April 1 whether to retain the tax beyond 1990, or they will lose the right to tax freeport goods in the future.

The SPTB's mid-January survey gathered information from Texas' 253 central appraisal districts, and in a few cases, from local chambers of commerce and tax offices. Overall, 1,414 of the 2,332 local taxing units surveyed — 61 percent — have kept the freeport tax this year.

Nearly three-quarters of all counties and school districts will continue taxing freeport property in 1990. On the other hand, more than half of the individual Texas cities have left freeport goods exempt.

"Local governments in Texas are proceeding cautiously on freeport tax policy," commented SPTB Executive Director Ron Patterson. "This is a period of great uncertainty about funding of public services, especially with regard to school finance. With taxable property values having declined recently, many local governments are reluctant to forgo a major source of tax revenues." He noted that many of the taxing units that have left freeport goods exempt have a relatively small base of business operations that would be subject to the tax.

### Public school week activities March 8

Crockett County Consolidated Common School District will be among 1,070 public school districts in the state observing Texas Public Schools Week March 5-9.

"Although parents and the public are invited to visit our schools throughout the year, a special invitation is being extended during Public Schools Week," said Garland Davis, superintendent of schools.

Texas Public Schools Week was organized in 1950 by the Masonic Lodges of Texas to recognize the state's free system of education. Each year it is held on the first full week of

March. The theme of this year's campaign is "Texas Schools: Building Brighter Futures".

Open house will be held at Ozona Primary School Thursday, March 8, from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m., and Ozona Intermediate School's open house will be from 7 p.m. until 8 p.m. that same day.

Although Ozona Junior High and Ozona High School will not have special nights for parental and public visitation, principals in these two schools are inviting everyone to visit their campuses during regular school hours.

### Vera DeHoyos crowned sweetheart

A sweetheart and two duchesses were selected Feb. 17 at the Knights of Columbus sweetheart dance.

Receiving the sweetheart crown was Vera DeHoyos. Selected as duchesses were Connie Arredondo of Ozona and Delia DeHoyos of San Angelo.

The three honorees received ban-

ners and lockets presented on behalf of the Knights by Jimmy and Janelle Tambunga.

The Tambungas, recently chosen Family of the Year by the Knights, also crowned the sweetheart.

Music for the dance was provided by Twin City Band of Midland.

### Ladies Golf Association meets

The Ladies Golf Association had its regular meeting at the home of Ella Clegg to start their new golf year. Donna Sanders won the trophies, low gross, low net and low putts.

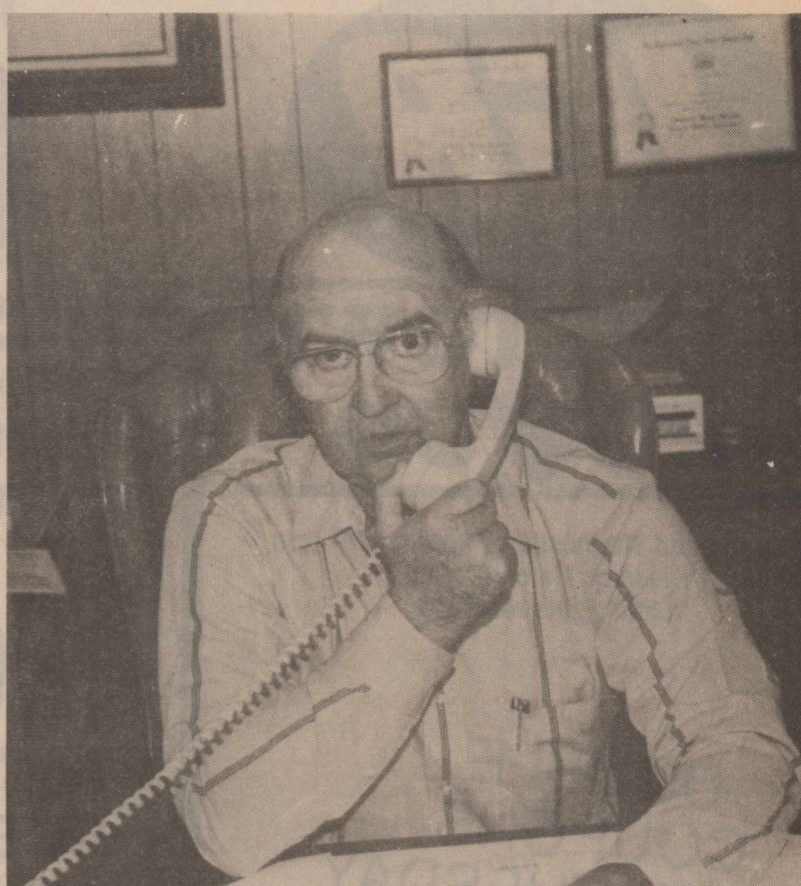
Mary Webster and Montie Sanker will serve as co-chairmen for the coming year, Debbie Glasscock will serve as secretary and treasurer for the Lady golfers.

Other members attending were Jonsey Williams, Susan Womack, Kim Caddel, Marilyn Cox, Jean Taylor, Jimmie Jacoby, Barbara Wallace, Jeanie Wellman, Nell Wester, Jo Anne Babbitt, Carol Yeager, Bobbie Fa-

tout, Wanda Stuart, Betty Koerth, Sally Oglesby and Katy Jones.

### Immunization clinic Thursday, March 1

The Texas Department of Health will be holding an Immunization Clinic Thursday, March 1, at the Texas Department of Health at 908 1st Street. Immunizations provided will be DTP, Td, polio, MMR, and Hib. Clinic hours will be from 9:00 a.m. to noon, and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. For more information call 392-2996.



Jerry Kemp

### Kemp named general manger of Cecil Atkission Motors in Sonora

Jerry Kemp has recently been appointed general manager of Cecil Atkission Motors in Sonora. The dealership currently handles Chevrolet cars and trucks as well as Oldsmobile, Buick and Pontiac cars.

Jerry has been associated with the Sonora dealership since August of 1988. He was previously owner/operator of Quick Stop Oil and Lube Service in Sonora. He and his wife, Joy, have been Sonora residents since 1974.

"This is a challenge I had not anticipated, but it is one I am proud to accept", Jerry said of his appointment. In the short time I have been

associated with Cecil Atkission Motors, I have met so many nice people and have made many new friends—not only in Sonora, but Eldorado and Ozona as well."

"I hope that everyone in Ozona, Eldorado and Sonora will continue to support us and remember Cecil Atkission Motors as a dealership that cares about its customers," Jerry said.

"It is my sincere hope that our relationship with Sonora and surrounding communities continues to grow, and I'll do everything in my power to make you, the customer, feel good about doing business with our dealership," he added.

### Meals on Wheels Menu

**Monday, March 5...** Beef Stew, Cheese Sticks, Corn Bread, Cole Slaw and Peanut Butter Cookies

**Tuesday, March 6...** Pork Chops with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Cucumber Slices and Oatmeal Cake

**Wednesday, March 7...** Chicken with Rice, Green Peas, Sliced Beets, Hot Rolls and Pink Panther Salad

**Thursday, March 8...** German Sausage, Pinto Beans, Potato Salad, Corn Bread and Peach Cobbler

**Friday, March 9...** Tuna Casserole, Black Eye Peas, Buttered Beets, Rolls and Fruit and Jello

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Tuesday, March 6... Hamburger, Salad, French Fries, Milk and Cobbler	Tuesday, March 6... Chick Burger, Salad, French Fries, Milk and Cobbler
Wednesday, March 7... Fried Chicken, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Whole Wheat Rolls and Milk	Wednesday, March 7... Hamburger, Salad, Tator Tots and Milk
Thursday, March 8... Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, Golden Corn, Tossed Salad, Cornbread, Milk and Cookie	Thursday, March 8... Pizza, Golden Corn, Tossed Salad, Milk and Cookie
Friday, March 9... Fish, Macaroni and Cheese, Cole Slaw, Hushpuppies, Chilled Peaches and Milk	Friday, March 9... Ham and Cheese Sandwich, Chips, Salad, Chilled Peaches and Milk

BREAKFAST MENU ALL SCHOOLS  
Cereal, Muffins, Toast, Juice and Milk

*Tis the Season of Love*

By Rayford Harris  
First Baptist Church

"Let us love one another" is not the starry-eyed statement of young lovers but rather the candid expression of an all-wise and loving Saviour. So important was it to Him that He several times repeated the value of loving one another. It seemed to be the very central thought of daily living for Him. So concerned was God about us that He demonstrated His love in the giving of His Son to die for our sins. It was this love that reminds us anew of how important God feels we are. It is no secret that God in His infinite love seeks to provide for us the very best in life, and as we depart this world, a home eternally with Him. Could we expect more from one who loves and cares for us? Love changes outlook on life from one of confrontation and fear to a spirit of optimism and hope. Love motivates us to attempt great things and to trust each other to accomplish things we never thought possible. Unhappy lives are lives where love has been crowded out and in love's place has come a bitter spirit and a view of life with the eyes of suspicion and defeat. Such living is never comfortable or happy. History records many acts of love that today inspire us to reach for higher and nobler goals. Sacrifice and energy spent to lift mankind is a refreshing breeze across our lives to urge us on to better things. Love portrayed serves to challenge the very best within us. Because we love, we delight to serve and because we display our love for others, they respond in like manner. When we need a pattern for living, remember, "for God so loved the world".

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✳ Visiting ✳

Happiness was a key word when Armando "Sub" Fierro arrived in town on a 30 day leave from basic training in San Diego, California. Upon hearing of his arrival, grandmother Anita Fierro gathered family members and made preparations for a welcome home supper, "Sub" is stationed in San Diego with the Marines. Out-of-town visitor was Oscar Galindo of Dallas.

Juan and Elvira Vasquez celebrated 19 years of marriage Feb. 27. Happy anniversary you two!

Surprising a few and amusing others with a stopover visit last week was Bill Watson of Arlington. Bill, a former long-time resident of Ozona, was wearing his big smile and talking about the grandchildren. Some things never change. Come back soon, Bill!

Gene and Kaye Morris of Rock Ford, Alabama, spent a few unplanned

days in Ozona due to an RV breakdown. The two thought that since their last week breakdown in Dweed, California was a disaster, Ozona, being a small town, would be even worse. By mid-week Kaye knew the girls at the coffee shop and recognized cashiers at the local grocery stores. Next year the Morris's stated that Ozona, not Junction, would be the resting stop before hitting the west coast.

Grace Arredondo and Mr. and Mrs. Juan Vasquez had the pleasure of a visit from parents Mr. and Mrs. Raul Ruiz. The Ruiz's are from Rock-springs.

Taking advantage of husband's trip out of town found Sarah, Donny and Sondra Gillis of San Angelo roaming the streets of Ozona last weekend. Sarah remarked, "I like San Angelo, but I miss Ozona like I would miss my front teeth!"

Support group aids area families of ill and disabled children

The Parent/Case Management Program at West Texas Rehabilitation Center of San Angelo, entering its second year of service to Concho Valley parents, already has established an enviable track record.

Implemented to provide training and support to caregivers of chronically and/or catastrophically ill or disabled children, the program currently is serving 300 families by sharing the skills needed to locate and access the maze of health, financial, social and educational services vital to their children.

Other accomplishments include organizing "We the Parents", a support group which meets monthly, establishing a network of 125 agencies and professionals who are potential sources of service, publishing "For Parents on Call", a monthly newsletter, and developing a resource library for client and professional use.

Funded through a grant from the Texas Department of Health, the program is available to parents and caregivers in Tom Green, Runnels, Coke, Sterling, Reagan, Irion, Crockett, Schleicher, Sutton, Kimble, Mason, Menard, McCullough and Concho.

"Among the many feelings experienced by parents are confusion and isolation," said program director Eula Arnett, who herself is the parent of a chronically ill child. "This can best be understood by someone who has 'been there,' someone who can provide specific guidance in the day to day coping and care of their child.

"For example, we can help caregivers seek funding sources, locate necessary equipment or serve as a

liaison to ensure proper understanding of condition and home care," she continued.

Assisting Ms. Arnett are parent/training specialists Mary Calhoun, Lisa Stubblefield, Lisa Cox, Lorri Ferguson, Kay Wojtek and Shereen Glasscock, and program secretary Kim Tanner.

"Our parent specialists work with clients not only in the office, but in hospitals, doctors' offices, schools and homes," Ms. Arnett added. "We try to be as flexible as possible because concerns of special families can't always be addressed during 'regular' working hours."

Referrals to or information about parent/case management services may be made by contacting WTRC at 915 949-9535 or 3001 South Jackson, San Angelo, TX 76904.

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Crockett County Public Library News



by Louise Ledoux

FREE TAX HELP

Do you need help preparing your tax return? Then the public library is the place for you. Rolando Vasques from the IRS office in San Angelo will be in the library March 1 and 22, 1990, to help with any tax preparation questions you might have. The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program provide free tax help with basic tax returns. This program is for elderly, handicapped, and non-English speaking taxpayers. There is no charge for this service. Mr. Vasquez will be in the library Thursday night, March 1 and 22, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. We urge everyone with a tax problem to take advantage of this free program.

FRIENDS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Friends of the Library are now conducting their annual membership drive. It is going very well, and we welcome new members. If you have

not joined or renewed your membership, please do so. The Friends are the biggest supporters of the library, and we urge everyone to get involved. In 1989, the Friends donated a laminating machine, a color TV and a new vacuum cleaner that was badly needed. They also held their annual book sale that sold hundreds of new and used books.

This year, the Friends are donating a VCR to go with the TV for video programs, and we want to welcome our new children's chairman, Mrs. Jeannine Henderson. She will be organizing and planning our summer children's programs, and I know it will be a FUN summer.

If you don't care to be an active member of the Friends, you can still support the library with an associate membership. Remember, libraries are not made, they grow with love and interest. Join the Friends today.

Louise P. Ledoux  
Crockett County Librarian

Genealogical library now open

The San Angelo family History Center, located at 2815 Christoval Rd., San Angelo, is in operation. It will be open from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, and from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. Although modest in size, this library will offer some unique services to genealogists. It is a branch of the Genealogical Society Library in Salt Lake City. This affiliation enables patrons to have access to many of the microfilm copies of genealogical records stored in Salt Lake City. More than one million rolls of microfilm are available containing birth, death, marriage and other records of many countries throughout the world.

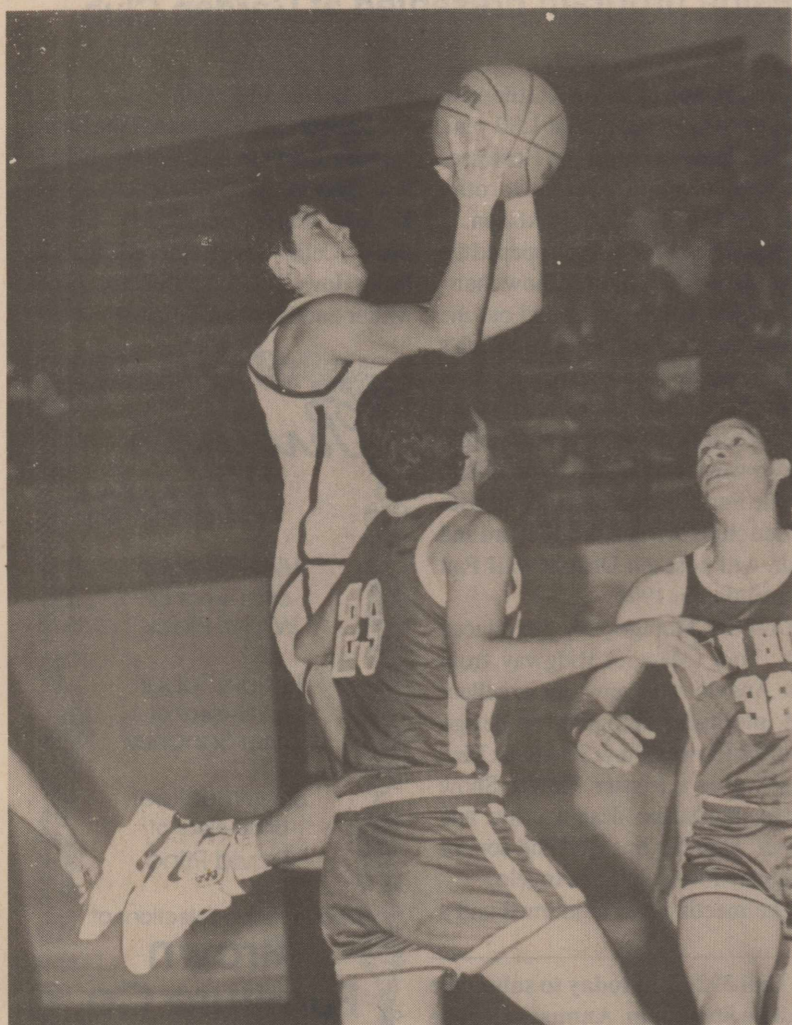
An extensive index of the Genealogical Society's Collection is available at the library to aid patrons in determining the particular microfilm rolls desired. An excellent collection of reference materials is also avail-

able to aid genealogists. Initially, four microfilm readers and twelve microfiche readers will be available in the library.

There is no charge for using the library, but a charge is required for mailing and handling microfilm rolls. Interested parties are invited to contact the head librarian, Brenda Sanders, during library hours at (915)658-2882.

An open house is planned on Saturday, February 24, from 2:00 - 6:00 p.m., at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 2815 Christoval Rd., San Angelo. Parking is available in back of the building. Those persons interested in genealogical research are invited to attend.

**Stockman deadline: Monday at 5 p.m.**



Danny DeHoyos takes to the air to fire off a shot against Van Horn in the Bi-District playoff game last Friday. Danny played an excellent game, contributing eight points for the Lions.

Statewide TEAMS test results look good

AUSTIN — Preliminary results of the statewide Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills exit level test administered in October showed increases in the percentage of high school juniors and seniors passing the tests.

Seventy-seven percent of the 181,236 juniors who took the exit level test in October passed all tests taken, compared to 75 percent last year. Fifty-nine percent of the 24,359 seniors taking the test also mastered all tests taken, compared to 55 percent in 1988.

Among juniors, 80 percent passed the mathematic section of the test, up from 78 percent last year, while passing rates on the English language arts section of the examination remained at 90 percent, the same as last year.

Most seniors taking the examination were students who had failed to pass one or both sections of the examination in two previous attempts last year. Sixty-two percent of these students passed the mathematics part of the examination, compared to 57

percent last year, while 68 percent passed the English language arts section, the same as last year.

"I am pleased to see that passing rates of our high school juniors on the mathematics portion of the TEAMS improved slightly," said Commissioner of Education W. N. Kirby. "Mastering mathematics skills is critical to the future success of our students. I am also pleased that the passing rates of juniors on the English language arts section of the examination remained high.

"At the same time I am concerned about the number of seniors who did not pass the test and must pass it in May in order to receive their high school diploma," Kirby said. "Local school districts must ensure that these students get the remediation they need to enable them to master the minimum skill level. We must improve our instructional programs so that all students meet our current standards. In the future, our students will have to be better prepared and the emphasis will be on increasing these standards."

Think about it

"The ancient people who desired to have a clear moral harmony in the world would first order their national life; those who desired to order their national life would first regulate their home life; those who desired to regulate their home life would first cultivate their personal lives; those who desired to cultivate personal lives would first set their hearts right; those who desired to set their hearts right, would first make their wills sincere; those who desired to make their wills sincere would first arrive at understanding; understanding comes from the exploration of knowledge of things.

"When the knowledge of things is gained, then understanding is reached; when understanding is reached, then the will is sincere; when the will is

sincere, then the heart is set right; when the heart is set right, then the personal life is cultivated; when the personal life is cultivated, then the home life is regulated; when the home life is regulated, then the national life is orderly; and when the national life is orderly, then the world is at peace. From the Emperor down to the common man, the cultivation of the personal life is the foundation for all. It is impossible that when the foundation is disorderly, the superstructure can be orderly. There has never been a tree whose trunk is slender and whose top branches are heavy and strong. There is a cause and a sequence in things, and a beginning and end in human affairs. To know the order of precedence is to have the beginning of wisdom."

-Confucius

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Franco's Special (Ribeye, rice, beans, enchilada and guacamole)  
Emma's Special (2 boneless, skinless chicken breasts, cheese sauce, rice, beans and salad)  
Beef or Bean Chalupas Cinco Cinco Nachos  
Acapulco Special (Two beef or bean chalupas w/ dip of guacamole lettuce & tomato)

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# Sheriff's Report

WEEK ENDING 2-7-90

**Arrests:**

2-20 45-year-old Arturo Sanchez Lara of San Antonio surrendered to the Sheriff's Office to begin serving a 5-day sentence out of county court on the charge of assault.

2-22 34-year-old Jesse Uriegas Caldera of Ozona was arrested by THP on charges of driving while intoxicated. He was released later in the day after sobering up and posting bond.

2-23 34-year-old Jesse Uriegas Caldera of Ozona was arrested on a warrant charging him with assault, resulting from a family disturbance. He was released after he posted a bond on the charge.

2-3 19-year-old Moses Coy of Ozona was arrested on charges of disorderly conduct following a family disturbance. He is in county jail laying out his fine.

2-25 Irma Sosa, age 23, of Austin

was arrested by THP on warrants out of Travis County charging theft by check. She was released on 2-27 after posting bond.

2-26 33-year-old Jerry Wayne Torbert of Fort Worth was arrested by THP on warrants charging him with probation violation. Tarrant County officers will pick him up on 2-27.

**Incidents:**

2-23 Janet McClung of El Paso reported the theft of a .22 rifle. The rifle was missed following a wreck at mile marker 378 in the east part of Crockett County. Sheriff's deputies are investigating the theft.

2-24 Jose Martinez reported damage to a fence at a residence that he owns in the 500 block of Heraclio Street. Several pickets were torn out of the fence and a political poster was torn down.

## Bentsen decries hospital closings

Not too long ago a woman in a Texas town suffered a gunshot wound. She was rushed to the hospital only to find it had closed down earlier that day. Luckily, an ambulance crew was still there. She was treated in the parking lot and later driven the 25 miles to a hospital in Austin.

Communities have been losing their hospitals all across Texas.

Cameron, Lubbock, Teague, Comfort, Grand Prairie, Shiner, Denton, Borger, Bastrop and the list goes on - all towns in Texas that have lost hospitals. In 1989 Texas led the nation in the number of hospital closures with 13. In fact, for four straight years, more hospitals have closed in Texas than in any other state. Most of these were in rural areas - right now, 54 counties in Texas are without a hospital.

Many other places in America are experiencing similar situations. In 1989, 44 rural hospitals closed in America, and one survey predicts hundreds more may close in the next five years.

People relied on those hospitals for basic health care services, especially the elderly. Senior citizens comprise 25 percent of our rural population.

Why are we losing these hospitals? Part of the problem comes from a change in the way Medicare reimburses hospitals for the care they distribute. Since 1984, hospitals have not been reimbursed for actual costs of treating each patient, but on a formula of average costs. Because larger, big city hospitals have more specialists than their counterparts in smaller towns, their average costs are higher and they receive a higher reimbursement rate. Consequently, many rural

hospitals now lose money on Medicare patients.

In early 1989, I introduced legislation to correct the inequity in Medicare reimbursement rates for rural hospitals. That proposal has now been signed into law.

Basic Medicare payment rates to rural hospitals have been 12 to 13 percent lower than those in cities. Under the Bentsen bill that difference will immediately decrease to eight percent. The new law also authorizes a single national Medicare reimbursement rate to be phased in beginning in 1991. During the interim, Medicare payments will increase for rural hospitals that have large numbers of elderly patients and 100 beds or fewer.

The differential in Medicare reimbursement isn't the only problem facing Texas hospitals, but it has been a significant factor in the shutdown of community hospitals.

I am also concerned about the Medicare cuts proposed in the President's new budget. Of \$5.5 billion in cuts - 75 percent would come from hospitals. Cuts of this magnitude are way out of line at a time when over half of our hospitals are losing money on their Medicare patients and many rural hospitals are struggling just to stay open. As a Senator from Texas, which has lost 77 hospitals since 1984, I'll be fighting hard to make sure our hospitals aren't unfairly gouged.

Communities depend on their hospitals for everything from basic health care services to the treatment of emergency gun shot wounds. For many Texans, especially in the wide open spaces, the health of their hospital is a matter of life or death.

## Allergic to bee stings? avoid "Africanized" bees

Perhaps as early as March, the first arrivals of the so-called "killer" bees are expected to cross the Rio Grande into Texas. But according to the Texas Department of Health (TDH), their migration to the U.S. will probably be much less dramatic than some media and fiction writers have depicted.

Bobby Davis, an entomologist and director of the TDH General Sanitation Division, explained that the insects may pose an increased danger to individuals who are highly allergic to bee stings, but should not be considered a hazard to most people.

"We want the public to know what makes the AHB (Africanized honeybee) different from other bees. We also want to caution people who are allergic to insect stings that bee stings can be fatal," Davis said. Two or three Texans, stung by common honeybees, die each year.

Davis explained that the AHB is a hybrid species, a cross-breed between common European honeybees and a more aggressive African species. The African bees were accidentally released in Brazil about 30 years ago. Even to scientist, the hybrids look almost identical to common honeybees, but their behavior can be drastically different.

"What concerns us most about AHB is that it is more likely than other bees to attack and sting in large numbers if anyone threatens its colony or swarm. Although the venom of Africanized bees is no more toxic than that of other honeybees, the number of stings a person might suffer may be much greater. If the person is already allergic to bee stings, or if he is stung by large numbers of bees in a swarm, it can be fatal." Hence the name, "killer" bees.

Davis said he thinks the name "killer" bee is a misnomer. "They are hard-working honeybees, and if you don't disturb their colonies, chances are they won't bother you."

As many as 10 deaths in Mexico may have resulted from AHB stings in the past four years. Other Central and South American countries have recorded increased bee sting deaths as the AHB swarms have spread northward from Brazil.

Another characteristic of AHB is its tendency to abscond—to separate into new swarms to start new colonies. "Whereas most common honey-

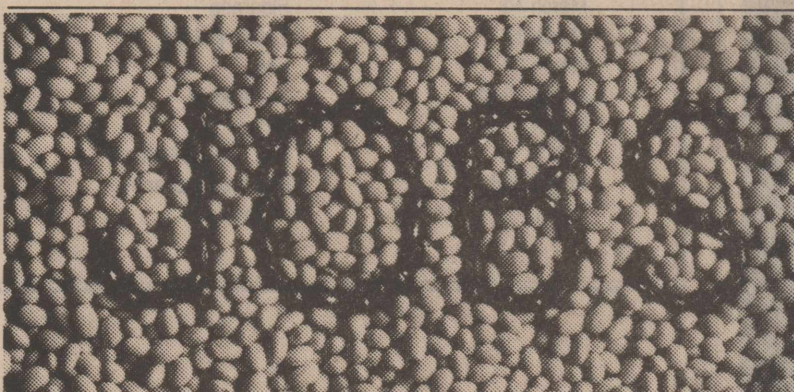
bees are content in beekeepers' hives, the AHB swarms sometimes seek more unlikely places to hide, such as old barrels, vacant buildings—nearly anything that offers shelter. That creates the danger that someone might stumble upon them," Davis said.

Davis said that the most likely persons to have serious problems with the Africanized bees are beekeepers and farmers, particularly in the Valley, where nearly all crops are dependent upon bee pollination. "Beekeepers are going to have to be wary of having their hives taken over by AHB, and some of them who may be lax in wearing protective clothing are going to have to be more careful. Farm workers are going to have to watch for wild swarms, and take care not to provoke them."

Davis added that young children and the elderly, who might not be able to move quickly, especially should avoid these bees. "We advise that anyone who finds a wild bee colony should contact the local health authority or an experienced beekeeper to make sure they are removed or destroyed safely."



George Ybrarra #22 evades Van Horn defender to make 2 points during the Ozona-VanHorn Bi-District game played in Odessa Friday, Feb. 23. Van Horn defeated the Lions 46-41. photo by Scotty Moore



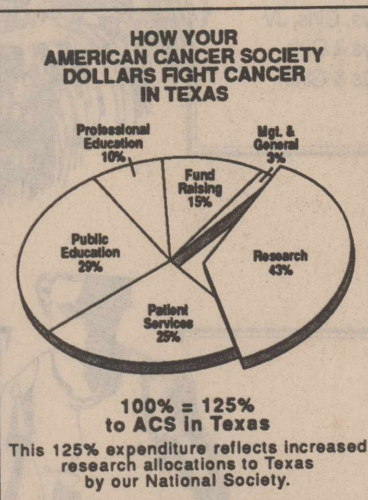
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## Lion Varsity Basketball Team

### Bi-District Qualifiers

#### Ozona High School Track Schedule

Date	Location	Event
Feb. 23-24	Ft. Stockton	Boys & Girls
March 3	Rankin	Boys & Girls
March 10	Eldorado	Boys, Girls, JV
March 17	Ozona Relays	Boys, Girls, JV
March 23	Iraan	Boys, Girls, JV
March 30-31	San Angelo	Boys
March 31	McCamey	Girls, JV Boys
April 6	Dist. Track (Stanton)	Boys, Girls, JV
April 27-28	Regional (Abilene)	Boys & Girls
May 11-12	State Austin	Boys & Girls



#### Ozona High School Tennis Schedule

Day	Date	Tournament
Fri/Sat	Feb. 23-24	Garden City
Fri/Sat	March 2-3	Sonora
Fri/Sat	March 9-10	Reagan County (Open)
Fri/Sat	March 16-17	Sonora
Fri/Sat	March 23-24	Mason
Fri/Sat	March 30-31	District (Big Lake)
Mon/Tues	April 2-3	

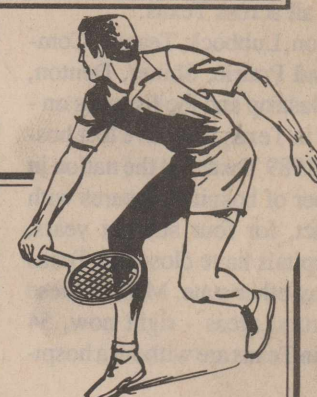
#### Ozona Junior High School Track Schedule

Date	Location	Event
March 2	Iraan	7-8 Boys/Girls
March 9	Eldorado	7-8 Boys/Girls
March 16	Ozona	7-8 Boys/Girls
March 24	Big Lake	7-8 Boys/Girls
March 30	McCamey	7-8 Boys/Girls
April 7	District (Stanton)	7-8 Boys/Girls



#### Ozona High School District Golf Schedule

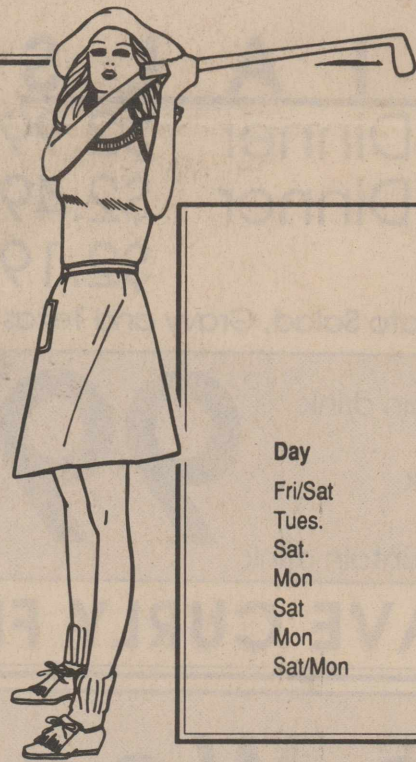
Date	Girls	Boys
Sat., March 3	Stanton	McCamey
Sat., March 10	McCamey	Big Lake
Sat., March 24	Big Lake	Eldorado
Fri., March 30	Eldorado	Ozona



District teams: Big Lake, Eldorado, Forsan, McCamey, Ozona and Stanton  
Tee off time: 9 a.m.

#### Ozona Junior High Tennis Schedule

Day	Date	Tournament
Fri/Sat	Feb. 23-24	Ozona Tournament
Tues.	March 13	Dual Sonora(There)
Sat.	March 24	Eldorado Tournament
Mon	March 26	Dual Big Lake (There)
Sat	April 7	Sonora Tournament
Mon	April 9	Dual Big Lake (Here)
Sat/Mon	Apr. 21-23	District at Big Lake



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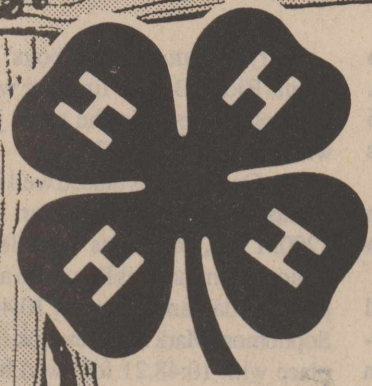
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