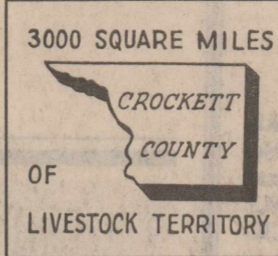


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"Out In The West, Where The Air Is Pure, The Climate Agreeable, And The People Friendly -- The Best Place On Earth To Call Home."

Owensby to continue private practice

Dr. Robert Owensby said Monday night he will conduct a "limited practice" at his office. The statement came during a discussion involving the hospital board, citizens and the doctor after a joint meeting between the board and court. The limited practice will exclude Medicare.

The doctor met with the two groups in an executive session to discuss his contract with Crockett County Hospital.

The contract for medical services between Dr. Owensby and Crockett County Hospital has been a topic of discussion at hospital board and court meetings since January when he presented a revised contract at a hospital board meeting. At that time, the board and Owensby had already signed a contract to become effective beginning in March.

"I was offered a contract I wasn't happy with, but I signed it," Owensby said Monday night.

"I want this thing to work," Owensby said.

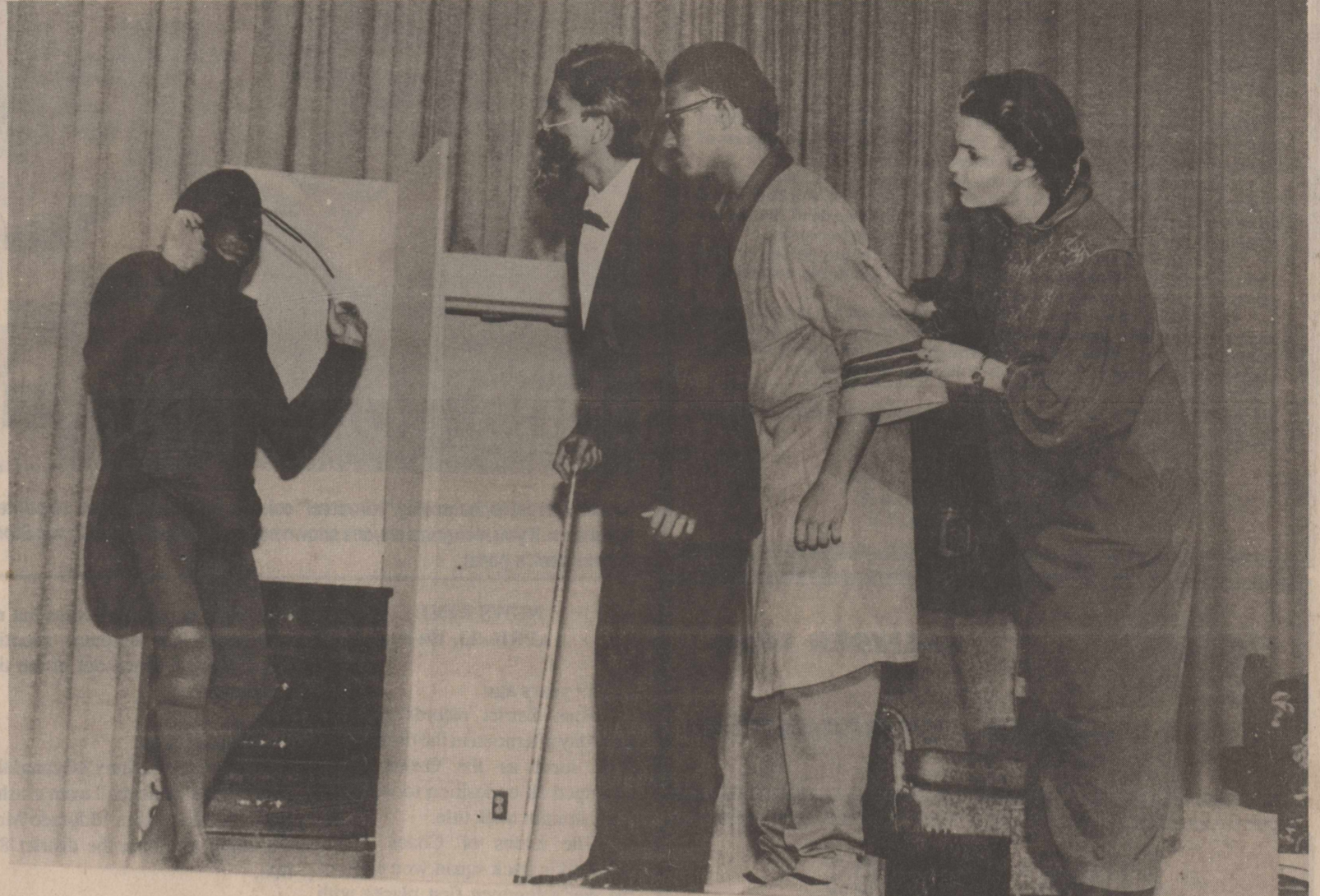
"I told them I would accept it as it is, and I did accept it, and I'll go along with it," Owensby told a group of supporters who attended the meeting.

"I'll do the next best thing. I'll have a limited practice at the office."

During executive session the hospital board offered to hire Owensby's clerical assistant back to train someone, but "he doesn't want to deal with Medicare," said board member John Daniels. The doctor's request for a revised contract and the subsequent closing of his private practice in February to all except scheduled life insurance exams, F.A.A. certifications and eye refractions followed the announced resignation of his assistant.

Daniels thanked Owensby for his statements to the audience and assured him the board would help him in any way that is "legal and moral".

A new contract will be discussed when the annual budget is prepared in July and August, said Armando Arredondo, board president.



David Cox, Michael Vasquez, Bruce Beasley and Margaret Jones act out a scene in their dress rehearsal performance of the U.I.L. one-act play, "The Metamorphosis" Thursday night, March 22.

David Cox was named best actor in District one-act play competition Monday in Big Lake. Cox plays the lead character. Margaret Jones

was named to the all star cast. Bruce Beasley and Amy Graham received honorable mention. The play was chosen alternate.

Other actors performing were Marissa Cordova and Tammy Davee. Stockman photo by Scotty Moore

Court approves new mowing shreader

Commissioners accepted a recommendation on Monday from the Crockett County Hospital and Care Center Board to replace hot and cold water pipes under the care center. The recommendation includes installation of shut-off valves so that water can be turned off in a section at a time if needed.

Preparation of bid specifications was tabled until the April regular meeting.

The court voted to purchase a mowing shreader for the Road Department instead of a used dump truck provided for in the 1990 budget. The mower will be more useful and economical than the truck according to Eddie Moore, road supervisor.

Also approved was the purchase of 200 joint of 2 7/8 inch pipe for cattle-guard construction.

Commissioners okayed issuing a request for bids on scrap tires the county needs to sell.

Moore told the court of an opportunity to receive use of water from a well on the Shannon Estate to be used on road work in that part of the county. The well could provide a convenient

source of water needed for work on nine miles of road according to Moore. Action on the matter was tabled until the next meeting.

A request by the Shannon Estate that Crockett County lane a one mile stretch of Road 208 which is to be paved this year was tabled. Shannon has offered to give the right of way to the county in preparation for dedication of the highway to the state, Moore said.

Delivery of paving rock began Monday. The entire supply should be delivered by the first of next week.

Court members received drafts of a countywide personnel policy to study before their April 9 meeting. Vacation time and the possible addition of a safety meeting requirement were discussed. Retirement policy remains to be set.

Judge Mayfield has received word that variances in landfill requirements now look promising. The information came from Upton County Judge Peggy Garner who recently met again in Washington with Environmental Protection Agency representatives.

Early morning accident fatal to Chris Haire

Christina Louise Haire died Sunday morning in a one-car accident 1.8 miles south of Ozona on Taylor Box Road. The 17-year-old Ozona High School junior was dead at the scene of the 2 a.m. rollover.

Four other persons were injured in the accident. Jason Montgomery, 19, and Jodi Richmond, 17, both of Ozona, and Kenneth Sessoms, 21, of San Angelo, were taken to Crockett County Hospital for treatment.

The 1990 Plymouth driven by Montgomery was southbound when it entered a left curve and went into a

skid on wet pavement according to DPS Trooper Ben English. The car left the roadway, went through a fence and turned end over end. Miss Haire was thrown from the car which landed on its wheels over her.

Screening clinic to test pre-school kids

A free screening clinic sponsored by the Ozona schools and the Ozona Community Center will be held April 4 and 5 for children ages 4 and 5.

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April 1 is census day, fill out those forms

Every resident of the United States should become a full fledged partner in the 1990 Census, said the head of the Census Bureau for this area, as 106,000,000 questionnaires were mailed to every household in America.

"If the people join in, by answering the questionnaire and encouraging

their friends and neighbors to do so, we will have the most complete and accurate census in our 200-year history," according to John E. Bell, Regional Director of the Census for Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas, and we will all be better off for it."

Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi and the communities within them have literally hundreds of millions of dol-

lars in federal funding to gain by encouraging everyone to answer the census questionnaire.

"Conservatively, we estimate that communities could lose about \$150 in federal funds for every individual who fails to complete their census form," Bell said.

He also emphasized the total secrecy of the information people write down on the questionnaire.

"The IRS can't see it," he said. "The immigration people can't see it. The police can't see it. Not even the President of the United States can get a look at that personal data until it is thoroughly de-personalized and combined with the data of millions. That's the law."

The questionnaire is easy to fill out, and there is help available to those who need it, both from volunteer assistance centers, and via 800 telephone numbers in nine different languages, including 1-800-999-1990 for English and 1-800-283-6826 for Spanish.

Statistics show Crockett County with a 1980 land area of 2,806 square miles. The census count that year was 4,608, or 1.6 people per square mile. Population figures in a U. S. Department of Commerce bulletin are 3,885 - 1970, 4,209 - 1960, 3,981 - 1950, 2,809 - 1940, and 2,590 - 1930.

During the 1960 to 1970 period, population declined 7.7 percent. From 1970-1980, it increased 18.6 percent.

John Curry new high school principal

Members of the Ozona School Board, meeting in special session on Wednesday, March 21, approved the employment of John Curry, Ozona's head boys basketball coach/athletic director, as principal of Ozona High school, effective June 1. He will take the place of Jim Payne, who has re-

cently hired as Ozona's new superintendent of schools.

Mr. Curry is a 1967 graduate of McMurry College and received his master's degree from Sul Ross State University in 1979. Prior to coming to Ozona in 1982, he had previously taught and coached in Van Horn and Levelland.

Filing period ends

March 21 was the final date for candidates to file for a place on the ballot in school board and water district director elections.

Ozona schools report four candidates on the ballot for two places. Trustees whose terms are expiring are Jeffrey Sutton and Gary Vannoy. Both have filed for re-election.

Filing on the final day were Alfred Enriquez and Frank Tambunga.

The three water district directors

whose terms expire, Harold Shaw, Pon Seahorn and Dan Davidson, have filed for re-election. They have no opposition.

Absentee voting begins April 16 and continues through May 1. Absentee votes will be cast at the Main Building on the Ozona High School campus in the trustee election. The water district office is the location for that absentee election.

The May 5 election will be held at the courthouse for both entities.

Absentee voting begins Monday in runoff election

Absentee voting in the April 10 Democratic Primary Runoff Election begins Monday, April 2 and continues through Friday, April 6.

The absentee ballots will be cast at the courthouse. The April 10 voting will be done at regular precinct locations.

Four state races and one local race are on the ballot. Locally, Hector De La Garza Jr. and James M. (Jim) Hearne are asking for the justice of

the peace slot in the November general election.

State level races are: Governor, Ann W. Richards and Jim Mattox; State Treasurer, Nikki Van Hightower and Tom Bowden;

Justice, Supreme Court, Pl. 2, Ross Sears and Bob Gammage; Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Pl. 1, Morris L. Overstreet and Frank Maloney.

Tambunga announces for school board

Frank Tambunga is seeking and would appreciate your support in the upcoming Crockett County School-Board election. Frank is concerned about the future of our youths' education and believes that by listening to our teachers, parents and youths, our school district could have all the proper and modern facilities to provide our youths with the best education possible.

If elected, Frank will dedicate his time in representing the community in our educational decision-making to the best of his abilities.

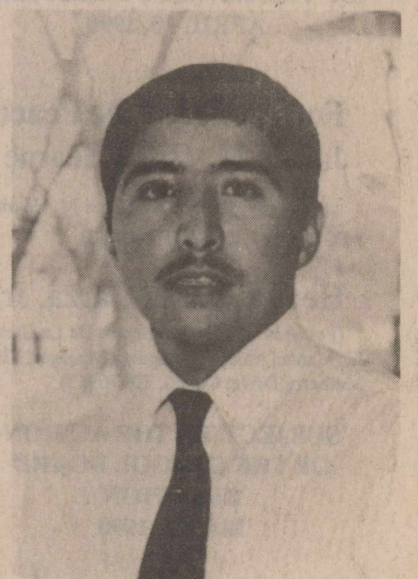
Frank was born and raised in Ozona. He is a 1980 graduate of Ozona High School. Frank volunteered into the U. S. Marine Corps following graduation. He was given an honorable discharge in 1984 after serving in the States and abroad. Frank is currently employed by Ozona National Bank where he has worked for the past four years.

Frank is married to Irma Perez, also a native of Ozona. Frank and Irma have one daughter, Michelle, and two sons, Manuel and Roman.

He is presently president for Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church's pastoral council. He is a Fourth Degree Knight of Columbus and the financial secretary for the local Knight's chapter, Council #8572. Frank is also currently serving in the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve in Abilene as a Staff Non-Commission Officer.

Frank would appreciate your consideration and vote on May 5, elec-

tion day.
Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Frank Tambunga, Box 1231, Ozona, Texas 76943.



Frank Tambunga

The Weather

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Compiled by James Pagan

	Hi	Lo	Rain
Mar 21	68	44	
22	74	56	
23	82	59	
24	72	32	
25	45	39	.03
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Political Announcements

SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF THE RUN-OFF ELECTION APRIL 10, 1990

**For Justice of the Peace:
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(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By James M. Heame, P.O. Box 354, Ozona, TX 76943)

Hector De La Garza, Jr.

(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Hector De La Garza, Jr., Manuel Munoz, Campaign Manager, 1709 Mulberry Drive, Ozona, TX 76943)

SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF THE SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION MAY 5, 1990

Jeffrey Sutton (Re-election)

(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Jeffrey Sutton, Box 1534, Ozona, TX 76943)

Gary Vannoy (Re-election)

(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Dr. Gary Vannoy, Box 769, Ozona, TX 76943)

Frank Tambunga

(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Frank Tambunga, Box 1231, Ozona, Texas 76943)

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(2) County Officials Liability Insurance

All bids to be sent to John Stokes, County Auditor Box 989 Ozona, Texas 76943 2c5

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT CROCKETT COUNTY

Applications will be received until 10:30 April 9, 1990 for one (1) employee for Crockett County. Applicants must be willing to do common labor or any job that supervisor assigns.

Interested persons should submit applications to the County Judge or County Auditors office. Application forms may be obtained at the County Judge or County Auditors office or at the County Road Department.

Crockett County is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 2c5

*Clinic (Continued from page 1)

The clinic tests hearing, vision, speech and communication, fine motor, gross motor and learning abilities.

This screening clinic will help parents see how well a child is growing and will help them know how to help the child get ready for school.

If your child will be five on or before Sept. 1, 1990, take him to the Ozona Primary School between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Wednesday, April 4. If your child will be four on or before Sept. 1, take him between 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 5.

Please bring your child's birth certificate, shot records and social security number. These will be needed before he can begin school next fall.

Ranch residents are urged to bring their children in for testing. Attending the testing session will also help school officials determine how many students will be enrolled next year.

At the time of the screening, the Crockett County Sheriff's Department and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will offer free finger printing for each child. A photo of your child may be purchased for \$1.25 if you would like to have one. These services are not required, but are offered as a service to the parents.

The Classifieds
Work & Work
& Work

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.

NEWS REEL APRIL 13, 1961

29 years ago
Four district records fell last Saturday afternoon in the district 8-A track meet as the Ozona Lions swamped all opposition to win their third straight track title.

The Lions of Coach Chick Womack's track squad won eight of the day's fourteen first places with Phillip Carnes as the day's high point man with 40 points picked up with four first places.

29 years ago
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., of Ozona, announced the engagement and the approaching wedding date of their daughter, Carol, and F. H. Whitehead, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Whitehead of Del Rio.

29 years ago
Parents and friends of Wayne Albers and Richard Sikes, high school boys, spent some anxious hours Sunday night and Monday while a mammoth hunt was in progress throughout Sunday night and Monday morning for the two boys when they failed to return from a fishing trip on the Ted White Ranch.

The boys were later found at the West Ranch after they had walked 16 miles to the highway after sticking their jeep in the river and hitching a ride to the West Ranch.

29 years ago
Ozona Golfers T. J. Bailey and J. W. Scott shot good golf in Ft. Stockton last Saturday to top the champion-

ship flight qualifying scores but ran into some less fortunate shooting Sunday and finished out of the title contention.

29 years ago
Miss Geneva Knox's Ozona High School girls' volleyball team crushed the Eldorado girls in Eldorado Monday night to clinch the district 8-A title.

29 years ago
The proposal of Troy Williams, Ozona rancher and businessman, to construct a new post office building for Ozona has been accepted by the Post Office Department in Washington.

29 years ago
Six Ozona track men, Phillip Carnes, Carl Montgomery, Tony Parker, Jim Doran, Van Miller and Pete Montgomery, qualified for the regional meet to be held in Lubbock next week.

29 years ago
After serving the past year as vice president, Dr. Lloyd H. Sherrill of Ozona was named president of the West Texas Chapter of the Texas Academy of General Practice at a business meeting of the chapter in San Angelo.

29 years ago
J. Gual, formerly of Dallas, has accepted the position as manager of the Joseph's Department Store here succeeding J. E. (Slim) Davidson.

29 years ago
Mrs. J. M. Baggett entertained the Friday Bridge Club last week in her home. Club high was won by Mrs. O. D. West, club low Mrs. Hudson Mayes, guest high Mrs. Sherman Taylor, guest low Mrs. J. S. Pierce, III.

29 years ago
A daughter, Lavonda Deniese, was born Tuesday, April 11, in the Crockett County Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil F. Hedrick.

29 years ago
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vitela and children, former Ozonans, now living in San Diego, Calif., were visiting friends and relatives here this week.

NEWS REEL APRIL 14, 1932

Ozona High School athletes were easy winners in the senior division of the four-way track and field meet held at the fair grounds here Saturday.

Mrs. F. T. McIntire and Mrs. V. I. Pierce provided an excellent entertainment program for the Lions Club Monday.

In a game featured by a deluge of hits and errors on both sides, the Ozona Giants nosed out the Big Lake Oilers 15-14 in the opening game of the new baseball season on the Powell Field diamond Sunday afternoon.

Organization of the Ozona Junior Woman's Club was perfected at a meeting in the home of Mrs. N. W. Graham Friday.

Disposition of cases heard in criminal court Jan. 30, 1990

Cause No. 2361* John Daniel Ramirez, DWI/Probation Violation, State's Motion to Dismiss Granted
Cause No. 2391 Omero Flores, Criminal Mischief, Arraigned - reset for Pre-Trial 2-20-90
Cause No. 2492 Charles Moore, Theft of Property by Check, Capias issued for failure to appear
Cause No. 2540* David Ramirez, Unlawfully Carrying a Weapon, Plea entered - \$120.50 Court Costs and \$300 fine
Cause No. 2591* Edward Pacheco Cervantez, Probation Violation, State to file Motion to Dismiss
Cause No. 2612 Wolv Bert Rutherford, Probation Violation, Defendant advised to consult an attorney-Reset for 2-20-90
Cause No. 2629 Jesus Ricardo Perez, Possession of Marijuana, Attorney not present - reset for pre-trial 2-20-90
Cause No. 2650* Roy Tambunga, Assault/Bodily Injury, Plea entered-\$171.25 restitution to hospital, \$30 restitution to doctor, \$75 fine, \$120.50 court costs
Cause No. 2657 Ricardo S. Rodriguez, Possession of Prohibited Weapon, Attorney appointed, reset for pre-trial 2-20-90
Cause No. 2674 Mario Alberto Flores, Resisting Arrest, Reset for plea

on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2675 Mario Alberto Flores, DWI-Second Offense, Reset for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2677 Arthur Allen Hull, DWI, Counsel's motion to withdraw as attorney of record granted-capias issued for defendant for failure to appear
Cause No. 2681 Jesus Constante Yruegas Jr., DWI, Reset for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2682 Jose Carlos Lozano, DWI, Rest for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2688 Troy Campbell Koen, Driving While License Suspended, Agreed pass reset for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2689 Juan Lugo, Traffic Violation, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90
Cause No. 2690 James Ward, Theft of Property by Check, Capias issued for failure to appear
Cause No. 2691 Michael Kenneth York, DWI-Second Offense, Reset for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2693 Federico Veloz, DWI, Reset for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2696 Robert Ybarra, Assault/Bodily Injury, Reset for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2698 Armando G. Trevino, DWI, Agreed pass-re-set for

plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2699 Armando G. Trevino, DWI, Agreed pass-re-set for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2700* Juan Manuel Garcia, DWI, Pleaded guilty to lesser offense of Public Intoxication-\$129.50 court costs, \$200 fine
Cause No. 2701 Ejinio L. Martinez, DWI-Second Offense, Capias issued for failure to appear
Cause No. 2702 Noe G. Guerra, Possession of Marijuana, Agreed pass-reset for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2703 Marvin George, Assault/Bodily Injury, Capias issued for failure to appear
Cause No. 2704 Juan Manuel Sanchez, DWI, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2705* William Melvin Curtis, DWI, Plea entered-\$129.50 court costs, \$300 fine, 7 days in county jail
Cause No. 2706 Jacquelyn Weddle, Theft of Property, Reset for plea on 2-20-90
Cause No. 2707 Bobby Gene Wallace of Kerrville, Assault/Bodily Injury, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90
Cause No. 2708 Adam Alba, Assault/Bodily Injury, Reset for plea on 2-20-90

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Snips, Quips, & Lifts

By Lottie Lee Baker

Superior to a kind thought is a kind word, better than both is a kind deed.

The highway of fear is the shortest route to defeat.

Dentists are often driven to extraction.

A diet is the only thing that shows a gain by showing a loss.

Have you ever noticed how extremely difficult it is for a person to keep an open mind and his mouth shut at the same time?

The person who is always looking for trouble may someday discover he's it.

To avoid trouble and ensure safety, breathe through your nose. It keeps your mouth shut.

The fellow who stands on his dignity will find he has poor footing.

Disappointments should be cremated, not embalmed.

Sometimes we get the feeling that

swine flu was thought up by somebody who couldn't spell pneumonia.

Some people are fat because they have hand-to-mouth disease.

Americans have always been willing to pay any price for freedom. If you don't believe it, look at the divorce statistics.

Don't be unhappy if your dreams don't come true - just be thankful your nightmares don't.

Give some motorist an inch and he will take off one of your fenders.

The reason some people drink booze is they don't know what else to do with it.

A good traffic warning sign would be: "Heads you win - cocktails you lose."

A book titled "The Short Story of Money" has only seven words: "Here it is, and there it goes."

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK

Of all the troubles great or small, the greatest are those that don't happen at all.

Vickie Reagor honored at coffee in Stokes home

Miss Vickie Reagor, bride-elect of Will M. Black, was honored at a gift coffee Saturday morning, March 17, at the home of JoNel Stokes.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Stokes. Those in the receiving line were: the honoree, Judy Reagor, mother of the bride-elect, and Susie Black, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Jena Allen and Tamie Reagor, sister of the honoree, attended the bride's book. Guests were served by Beth Boyd, Toots Williams, aunt of the prospective bridegroom, and his sister, Sue Ellen Wilson.

Honored guests were: Pauline Johnson of Austin, Blanche Reagor of Llano, both grandmothers of the honoree, and Jane Black, grandmother of the prospective bridegroom.

About 75 guests called during coffee hours.

Hostesses were: JoNel Stokes, Terry Adams, Debbie Arrott, Tina Bean, Marilyn Chalmers, Lou Deaton, Maridel Dudley, Colleen Everett, Janis Graham, Jill House, Mary Huf-

elder, Jimmie Jacoby, Darla Jones, Shirley Kirby, Mary Jo Mason, Dorothy Montgomery, Judy Probst, Jane Richardson, Patsy Schroeder and Nikki Sewell.

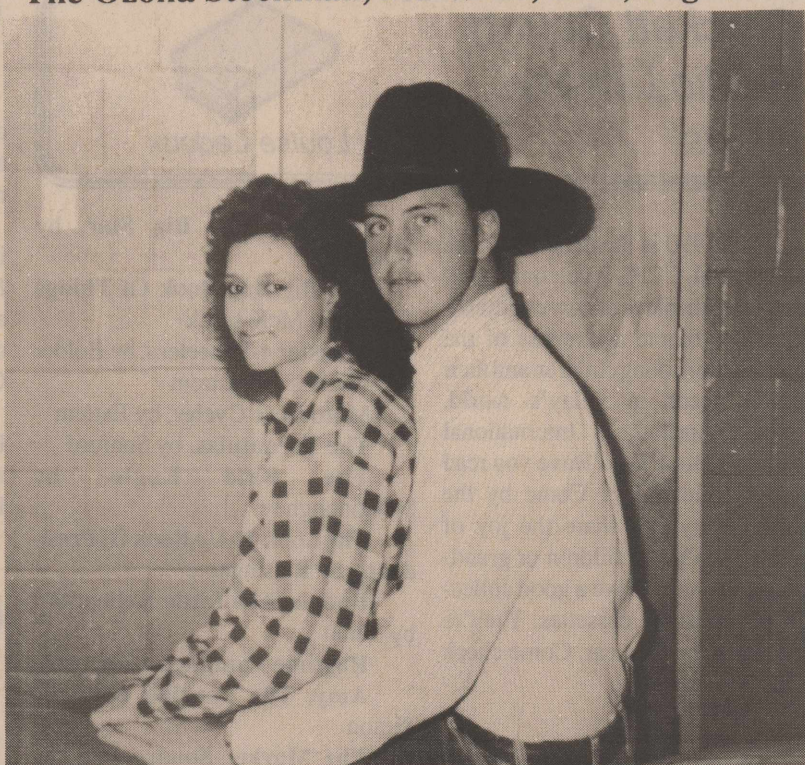
Winters arts and crafts show slated for May 5

Booth reservations for the Winters Arts and Crafts Show on May 5 are now being accepted by the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce. Booths are \$20.00 and will be inside.

This annual celebration in Winters has become a popular event with its fiddler's contest, food booths, volleyball and softball tournaments, games for the children and a great day for the entire family.

Happy Birthday!

March 29 - Scott Moore Jr.
March 31 - Mark Gonzales
April 2 - Frank White



Sanchez-Melton engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ramon F. Sanchez of Ozona would like to announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Maria Teresa Sanchez, to Gordon Brian Melton, son of Billy and Doris Melton of Huntington.

A June 16 wedding is planned at Dyess Chapel in Abilene.

The bride-elect is presently attending American Commercial College in Abilene. The prospective bridegroom is stationed at Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene.

Blood donors wanted

Representatives of United Blood Services will be at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce office today, March 28, to welcome donors. Hours will be noon until 5:30.

It's a boy!

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Pearl are the proud parents of a baby boy, Aaron Tyler, born March 7, 1990, at 3:14 a.m. in Angelo Community Hospital.

Aaron weighed in at six pounds, nine ounces, and was 20 inches long.

Helping make him welcome is big brother Ryan.

New hours for museum

Crockett County Museum is now open from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The facility does remain open during the noon hour.

The extended hours have been made possible by funds from the motel/hotel occupancy tax.

Country Club Bridge news

Mrs. Hugh Childress was hostess four four tables of Country Club Bridge March 22. Winning high for the afternoon was Mrs. Evert White. Second high score went to Mrs. Jess Marley. Mrs. George Bunger won bingo.

Others playing were: Mmes. Clay Adams, John Childress, Joe Couch, Joe Friend, W. E. Friend, Arthur Kyle, Bill Mason, Sherman Taylor, Charles Williams Byron Williams, Gene Williams and Lowell Littleton.

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Forum meeting in Crockett Room

The Woman's Forum met in regular session Tuesday, March 20, 1990, at the Ozona National Bank Crockett Room with Madye Jo Humphreys and Georgia Kirby as hostesses.

The president, Arlene Clayton, called the meeting to order. Bonnie Warth led the group in reading the club collect.

Members answered roll call with "An Idea for a Community Project".

Mrs. Clayton announced that the League will help host the fall convention. She also announced that the League Guest Day will be March 27 at the Crockett Room with Jimmy Cahill as speaker.

The March 20 meeting was the Forum's annual craft auction sale with Lu Ingram as auctioneer. Club members brought items such as crafts, baked goods, horticulture, ceramics, books or hobbies to be auctioned. The money will be used for a community project.

Members attending were: Louise Bunger, Crystelle Childress, Arlene Clayton, Elizabeth Dudley, Maridel Dudley, Totsy Hagelstein, Glenda

Henderson, Madye Jo Humphreys, Lu Ingram, Shirley Kirby, Georgia Kirby, Lucille Littleton, Marcille Long, Joyce Maness, Velma Marley, Ethel Miller, Bernice Phillips, Madeline Stokes, Blanche Walker, Mary Agnes Ward, Bonnie Warth, Modene Whitaker, Lillian Brown, Sophie Kyle, Lois Lock and Pauline Montgomery. A guest, Mary Daniels, was also present.

Happy anniversary to Judy and Billy Reagor whose special day is March 28.

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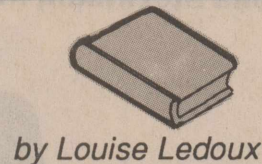
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**Crockett County
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News**



April 1990 is the Month Of The Young Child. CCPL is celebrating all month with displays of new children's books to promote awareness of the importance of young children and their specific needs in today's world. Monday, April 2, is International Children's Book Day. Have you read to your child today? Come by the public library and share the joy of reading with your children or grandchildren. We also have a good collection of books and cassettes. They're great on trips in the car. Come check it out.

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New pastor at Templo Bautista

Templo Bautista Jeruslen would like to present a new family to the community of Ozona: our pastor and his family, Rev. Fernando Charles, his wife, Rose, and three children, Fernando II, Roxanne and Rene.

Originally from Yoakum, the Charles family has lived in San Antonio for the last six years. "Templo Bautista Jeruslen invites you to come and worship with us and meet our new family," says a spokesperson for the church.

Nancy Moore to address Lions Club

Nancy Moore, the Ozona Chamber of Commerce coordinator, will address the Lions Club meeting at noon on Thursday, March 29, at the La Cocina Restaurant. Nancy will tell the club of the many activities in which the chamber is currently involved. She will also cover some of the services and information they can provide. The chamber is very active; this will be an interesting program.

range of competitions. It was good to hear a success story.

Great Texas Trash-off March 31

Ozona organizations participating in the Texas Adopt-a-Highway program will join thousands of other volunteers across the State Saturday in the Great Texas Trash-Off. The largest one-day cleanup effort in the nation involves nine states. The trash-off is the annual culmination of Texas' Adopt-a-Highway program, developed and sponsored by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. Civic, community and business groups "adopt" two mile stretches of Texas highways and take responsibility for keeping them clean.

Southside Lions Club members are the early birds with a 7 a.m. starting time. The Great Texas Trash-Off is part of the highway department's tough-talking "Don't Mess With Texas" program aimed at convincing "habitual" litterers to put their trash where it belongs. Don't Mess With Texas is credited with a 64 percent reduction in litter after just four years.

Stockman deadline: Monday at 5 p.m.

Ozona services for Christina Louise Haire

Christina Louise Haire of Ozona died as a result of an automobile accident in Crockett County early Sunday morning, March 25, 1990.

Chris was born March 21, 1973, in Big Lake. She was a junior at Ozona High School, participating in the band and the golf team. She was a member of the Ozona United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her parents, Lou Cox Whitley of Ozona and Norris B. Haire of Pearsall; her sister, Leesa, her brother Lynne, and her

maternal grandparents, L. B. (Bud) and Marilyn Cox all of Ozona; her paternal grandparents, Norris W. and Louella Haire of Pearsall; and aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral service was held at 3:00 p.m. Monday at the Ozona United Methodist Church with the Rev. Ken Harrison officiating. Burial followed in Cedar Hill cemetery directed by Preddy Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Pon Seahorn, Ted Cotton, Hank Sellers, Dan Pullen, Jessie Fierro and Fred Jones.

Chamber to sponsor heartsaver course

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a three to four hour adult CPR and obstructed airway course beginning April 12, 1990 with the next class to be set in May. The course is restricted to six people and early registration is recommended so that workbooks can be ordered.

The course will be held once a month through June or until further notice according to course instructor Doug Meador.

A fee of \$10.00 will be charged payable to the American Heart Association which covers study material and small donation to the AHA.

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- Thursday, April 5...** Beef Steaks, Tasty Taters, Glazed Carrots, Hot Rolls and Sugar Cookies
- Friday, April 6...** Chili with Beans, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad, Corn Bread and Peach Cobbler

Are things just not working out for you no matter what you do? You try, and you try, and you try, but things just won't get right. Jesus saith,.....I am the way, the truth and the life (John 14:6) Give God a chance. Just ask him to come into your life.

Spring is in the air

Rev. Rayford Harris
Interim Pastor, First Baptist Church

Spring is in the air; flowers are in bloom; trees are getting dressed in blossoms and greenery, and human hearts are beating faster in anticipation of all the good things to come. All of us share in this hope of the future because "God so loved the world that He sent His Son". We stand on the threshold of one of the greatest summers in memory of most of us. Freedom is coming to some who have never know political freedom. Hope and soul searching, faith in God's Son brings a new outlook on life and a freedom from the bondage of sin in many lives. This is a year when many of God's people are saying to the world - "Here's Hope, Jesus Cares", and are willing to share their own faith experience, and their hope, with others. The sharing of political freedoms, economic advances, and Christian outlook has had a wonderful effect on our world. As the trees put on their spring garments and the flowers unfold their beauty, may each of us blossom with the inner beauty and divine reflection that is contagious and uplifting. As the victory of the open tomb is celebrated in just a few weeks, may we ever give praise to the Risen Saviour, Whose death for our sins and His resurrection gives us Christian Hope for each day, and Eternal Life with Him. Let us make this our greatest year, and let us share our HOPE with all mankind.

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- Friday, April 6...** Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Tator Tots, Fruit Bar and Milk

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Group defines critical issues

Identifying issues critical to Crockett County for the next four years was the task of four study groups Monday, March 19, at a meeting in the civic center.

The meeting was the beginning step in developing a long-range program plan by the Texas Extension Service.

Progress reports on issues of concern for the past three years were given by Dan Pullen, Kathryn Mayfield and Pleas Childress.

Pullen provided economic data showing a positive trend. 1988 taxes generated \$6,440,000 compared to the \$7,890,883 generated by lower taxes in 1989. He cited a \$4,000,000 increase in bank deposits, increased oil and gas drilling and the new AMAX facility.

New businesses, Hillcrest room additions remodeling of Daystop and marketing of wool and mohair here from as far away as Oklahoma and California were positive economic factors.

On the down side, Pullen commented that many of Ozona's new jobs are minimum wage jobs.

He urged use of I-10 to promote the economy and challenged the community to develop ways to keep local money at home.

Judge Kathryn Mayfield presented a gloomy picture during her report on social data. Unemployment at a rate qualifying the county for Federal grant money, increasing driving while intoxicated charges, the opening of an Aid to Families with Dependent Children office here were mentioned by Judge Mayfield.

An environmental report presented by Pleas Childress focused on the Emerald Underground Water District awaiting election approval by the Justice Department. The entire county will benefit from the protection of



Ozona Chamber of Commerce secretary Nancy Moore applauds as Texas Highway Department workers attach the David Crockett Monument message to the I-10 sign east of town. This addition was made possible by a formal request to the Texas Highway Department. The exit on the west side of town was also added to.



Erma Muñoz library artist of the month

by Susan Sheppard

Erma Munoz is the artist of the month at the Crockett County Public Library. Born in Corpus Christi Erma was raised in central California where her family still resides.

Marriage to her husband Manuel brought her to Texas. Employment with Enron Corp. moved the Munoz family all over Texas until they were transferred to Ozona four years ago.

"I like Ozona, but miss my family in California," commented Erma. Small town living has agreed with the Munoz children. Manny is a freshman at OHS, Mikie a fourth grader and Marc is two years old.

Erma's formal art training is limited to a six-week class in oil painting taken in Ft. Stockton five years ago.

Although motherhood takes most of her time, this talented artist has created a variety of works, each different painting was usually a first attempt at a particular subject. "The Indian chief was my first person," says Erma. She has done another Indian chief but finds different features in one or the other her favorite. Sometimes she paints in the middle of the night after the children are asleep so she can enjoy the privacy and silence as she creates.

*Grand Jury

(Continued from page 2)

Cause No. 2709 Albert Borrego, DWI, Reset for plea on 2-20-90

Cause No. 2710, Omero Flores, Assault/Bodily Injury, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2711 Ricardo Borrego, DWI, Agreed pass-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2712 David Lopez Gonzalez, DWI, Reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2713* Stephen R. Day, DWI Plea entered - \$129.50 court costs, 300 fine, 2 years probation

Cause No. 2714* Isaac Leal, Jr., DWI, Plea entered-\$129.50 court costs, \$300 fine, 2 years probation

Cause No. 2715 Samuel Ortiz Quiroz, DWI, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2717 Isaac Leal Jr., Unlawfully Carrying a Weapon, Reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2718 Diron Holt, DWI/ Probation Violation, Capias issued for failure to appear

Cause No. 2726 Juan Regino Elizondo, Driving While License Suspended, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial, 2-20-90

Cause No. 2727 Tracy L Kirby, Theft of Service by Check, Agreed pass-reset for arraignment 2-20-90

Cause No. 2728 Kirby Lynn Kirby, DWI, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2733 Arturo Lara, Assault/Bodily Injury, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2737 Edmundo Borrego Vargas, Assault/Bodily Injury, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial, 2-20-90

Cause No. 2738 Romulo Lozano Jr., DWI-Second Offense, Agreed pass-reset for pre-trial on 2-20-90

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Cause No. 2740* Ramon Lucero Aleman, DWI, Reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2741* Ramon Lucero Aleman, Possession of Marijuana, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2742 Felipe Flores Castro Jr., Possession of Marijuana, Agreed pass-reset for arraignment 2-20-90

Cause No. 2743 Steven Mac Dixon, Invalid/Irregular Registration, Capias issued for failure to appear

Cause No. 2744 George Henry Moran Jr., Driving While Under the Influence of Drugs, Capias issued for failure to appear

Cause No. 2745 Pedro Rodriguez Grimaldo, DWI, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2746 Roberto Dias Perez, DWI-Second Offense, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90

Cause No. 2747 Henry Ralph Fay, DWI, Arraigned-reset for pre-trial 2-20-90.

*Indicates cases disposed of on Jan. 30, 1990.

The touch of spring

By Eleanor Lucile Bohannon

Yesterday a cold wind blew,
And Winter lingered on.
Today a tree bursts into bloom
Beneath a warm bright sun.

Today, there's beauty all around.
I see the touch of Spring -
Bright flowers, grasses on the ground,
And, in a tree, a robin sings.

All this I view, with ecstasy,
Yet, I wonder, in the night,
Is Winter gone - or could he be
Just lurking, out of sight?

And, suddenly, he could appear,
With hands of ice and snow,
To seize Spring's tender living things
And harm them - as he goes.

But gentle Spring he can't defeat.
With warm and blissful days,
She will dispel old Winter's blow
And send him far away.

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underground water, our most valuable resource, Childress said.

Livestock market, range conditions, fires and ranch thefts were also discussed by Childress.

After the reports, moderator Elliott Barrera charged four task forces with identifying new issues to be addressed in the coming year.

Reports were then presented from each group for consideration by the committee to develop the 1991-1994 Long-Range Program.

Water quality and conservation, agriculture profitability and diversification of livestock enterprises were the three areas addressed in an agriculture report given by Wade Richardson.

In the home economics field, Judge Mayfield reported a need for health

care and maintenance and mental health care for all ages. The need for volunteers for different programs was also expressed.

Gary Vannoy reported for the committee dealing with youth concerns. Substance abuse, teen promiscuity, juvenile crime and cult activity were prominent concerns for this group. Development of parental groups for establishing rules and parental involvement within the families was also considered priorities.

The group dealing with community development focused on attract-

ing small businesses to fill local needs, the importance of shopping in Ozona, quality entertainment on a regular basis, light industry to utilize the local labor force, and ways to employ our young people after they have received their higher education.

Capitalizing on resources we have such as I-10 and Hwy. 163 and diversification of the economy were emphasized by Dan Pullen in giving this report.

The various suggestions will be studied by the committee for the long-range plan.

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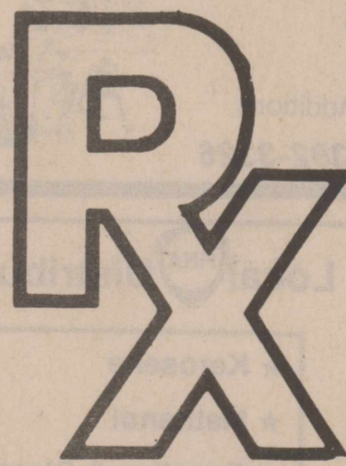
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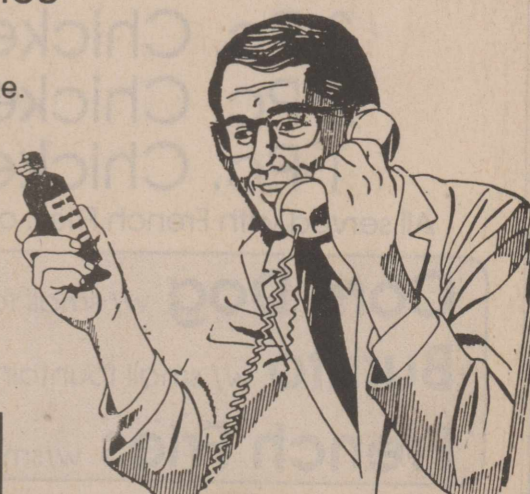
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Extension Connection

By Tedra Ulmer, County Extension Agent
"Texas Agricultural Extension Service."

Is weight really a problem?

Oh, to be back in the year 1921—when the first Miss America was 5'4" tall and weighed 137 pounds. Unfortunately for some of us, we live in an age where 1987's beauty queen was 5'8 1/2" and weighed 116 pounds.

Society's preoccupation with body image and weight has been the subject of much discussion in the past few years. How important is our weight?

Health disadvantages aside, weight affects our own image as well as the image others have of us. However, too much preoccupation with being thin can have bad connotations as well.

For example, only two percent of American women can have the figure associated with fashion models—without resorting to anorectic or bulimic behavior. And since bulimics are rarely overweight to begin with, this eating disorder is really meaningless.

According to a new Public Broadcasting System educational film called "FoodFright," there were so many bulimics in a major New York ballet company that the school's plumbing system was ruined.

And anorexics are putting themselves in danger. Anorexia has one of the highest death rates of any psychiatric illness. Many anorexics die of starvation, cardiac arrest or suicide.

On the other side of the scale, however, fifty percent of all women are overweight by insurance company standards; and when *Cosmopolitan* magazine surveyed its readers about which they feared most—death or being fat—the majority (54 percent) said they feared being fat.

Are adults the only ones affected? Certainly not! Three out of four fifth-grade girls will tell you they're on a diet.

So where does this all lead us? There are several conclusions we can draw:

1) A person's weight is determined by his or her body structure, heredity and environment. Each person has a weight that is ideal for him or her and which may not be that of a fashion model!

2. Weight is not as important as diet. Trying to starve oneself rarely works—it's more important to eat a balanced diet, with less fat and more fiber, with servings of the correct size. In fact, if more of us would do this, we'd probably find our weight problems would vanish (along with extra pounds).

3) Exercise on a regular basis is just as important in maintaining or reaching one's ideal weight as is good diet. It also contributes to a healthy cardiovascular system and has other benefits.

4) Doing something about long-term behavioral change is more effective in reducing weight than "crash" diets or questionable weight-loss products.

5) We all have to re-educate ourselves about body image and the connotations we give it. Do you know a recent study of businessmen showed they'd prefer an employee who has been in jail or mental ward to one who is fat? Heaven help us!

If you're concerned about your weight and would like to make long-term changes in behavior related to eating and exercise—with a little moral support along the way—call the Crockett County extension office at 392-2721. We'll be starting a support group soon and we'd like for you to join us. Cost will be minimal.

Or, if you're just interested in educational materials that can give you research-based information on diet and health, give us a call or come by. Educational programs and information provided by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages, regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, national origin or handicap.



Texas A&M judging teams take high honors

Two teams representing Texas A&M University captured first and fifth place honors at the 1990 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Collegiate Wool Judging Contest held March 2. The first place team, consisting of Wheless Baker, Sonora, Cody Sutton, Ozona, Misty Pfeiffer, Comfort, and Mary Ross, Sonora, also won the placings and reasons and grading categories of the contest and took home the second place mohair grading award.

Wheless Baker won the coveted overall high individual award, as well as winning first place in placings and reasons and third place in grading. Misty Pfeiffer won high individual honors in the mohair grading contest.

The fifth place team, consisting of Tessa Howell, Premont, Clay Mathis, New Braunfels, Kirk Grynwald, Sherman, and Jessica Oman, Stamford, placed fifth in

placings and reasons, third in grading, and third in mohair grading.

Individual winners on the Texas A&M Wool Judging teams were: Placings and reasons—Wheless Baker, first, Tessa Howell, second, Misty Pfeiffer, eighth, and Cody Sutton, tenth; Grading—Jessica Oman, second, Wheless Baker, third, Cody Sutton, fifth, Clay Mathis, eighth, and Misty Pfeiffer, ninth; Overall—Wheless Baker, first, Cody Sutton, fourth, Jessica Oman, fifth, and Misty Pfeiffer, sixth; Mohair Grading—Misty Pfeiffer, first, Tessa Howell, fourth, Wheless Baker, sixth, Cody Sutton, seventh, and Kirk Grynwald, tenth. The team is coached by Bryan McMurry.



The FFA range-pasture team did well at the Tarleton State University State-wide Invitational Judging Field Day this past weekend. Team members are: (left to right) Randal Wilson, Matthew Marshall, Angie Marshall and Martha Mayfield.

Ozona FFA competes in judging field day

The Ozona FFA went to Stephenville Friday, March 23, to the Tarleton State University State-wide Invitational Judging Field Day. At this contest there were seven events with about 2,900 students judging.

The range-pasture team did very well with Mathew Marshall placing second high individual, Martha Mayfield sixth high individual, Randal Wilson twelfth high individual and Angie Marshall fourteenth. The team scores at this contest was not calculated, but looking at the individual scores the team would have placed

first at this contest.

Brent Pool, Ozona agriculture teacher, said he was "pleased with the scores, but there are a few little things that we need to work on." The team goes to Abilene on April 3, and to Lubbock April 7 to judge. The team will also go to the state judging contest on April 19 in Stephenville. If the team places 1-5 they will go to the national contest in Oklahoma, City in May. Ozona's other judging team is the agriculture mechanics team which has its first contest April 7.

Locals receive photography awards

Ozona photographers received awards earlier this month in the creative arts competition held in conjunction with the San Angelo Stockshow and Rodeo.

Gary Thompson, an eighth grader at Ozona Junior High, placed first in the youth black and white print division with his picture of the family cat, Stickers, sitting on an aquarium. Gary placed third in the special events division of the contest in 1989.

A previous creative arts contest winner, Randi Thompson, placed third with her entry in the special adult class titled hats, boots or belts. This was her third year to enter. She holds a best of show award from a previous year.

Randi is a student at Angelo State University. She is employed at Service Merchandise where she was named Employee of the Year.

Gary and Randi are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson.

Tedra Ulmer received a first place ribbon for her adult division color photograph taken of a child at the



Gary Thompson

Eldorado Pasture Roping last summer.

Mrs. Ulmer is a Crockett County Extension agent.

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Gonzales completes recruit training

Navy Seaman Recruit Vanessa M. Gonzales, daughter of Aldo M. Gonzales and Lydia Escobar, both of Ozona, has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, Orlando, Florida.

During Gonzales' eight-week training cycle, she studied general military subjects designed to prepare her for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields.

Gonzales' studies included seamanship, close order drill, Naval his-

tory and first aid. Personnel who complete this course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in physical education and hygiene.

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Southwestern Bell Telephone Company hereby gives notice that it has filed an application requesting the PUC to declare Southwestern Bell's intrastate Billing and Collection market subject to significant competition and to authorize the following form of pricing flexibility: detariffing of the rates, terms and conditions of the Billing and Collection services now offered in Section 8 of Southwestern Bell's intrastate Access Service Tariff. Approval of the application as filed would result in all tariff sheets in Section 8 (Billing and Collection) of Southwestern Bell's Intrastate Access Service Tariff being cancelled, and the service thereafter being provided on a contract basis. Through this application, using procedures established by P.U.C. SUBST. R. 23.27, Southwestern Bell seeks to obtain uniformity of rates, rules and regulations for intrastate and interstate Billing and Collection services.

Approval of this application would remove all rates, terms and conditions applicable to billing and collection from Southwestern Bell's Intrastate Access Service Tariff. Intrastate billing and collection service would continue to be subject to PUC regulatory oversight only to the extent that (1) Southwestern Bell would be required to maintain current price lists at the Commission for the service, and (2) the revenues or losses from the service would be subject to the regulatory treatment specified in P.U.C. SUBST. R. 23.27(p). Further, under procedures established by P.U.C. SUBST. R. 23.27, the PUC's General Counsel, the Public Utility Counsel or any affected person could seek a subsequent review of the rates, terms and conditions of this service.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings, or who would like further information, should call or contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, (512) 458-0100. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Information Office at (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.

The PUC has assigned this matter to Docket No. 9224. A prehearing conference will be held on April 19, 1990, at 9:00 a.m. at the Commission's offices at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard in Austin, Texas. The deadline for filing motions to intervene is April 26, 1990.

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The Public Utility Commission of Texas approved a generic tariff for CentraNet® service up to 100 lines in Docket No. 7652. The proposed tariff revision would establish specific rates for CentraNet® service involving 101 to 400 lines. Other proposed revisions involve the rate applicable to changes, additions, or deletions to the data bases and a new rate is proposed for additional trunks.

The names of the three CentraNet® packages have changed from Standard, Premium, and Deluxe to CentraNet® 1000, CentraNet® 2000, and CentraNet® 3000, respectively. Direct Call Pickup has been added to the three CentraNet® packages while Multiple Call Park and Shared Speed Call 30 have been added to CentraNet® 2000, and Speed Call 30 and Call Forward Busy/No Answer Split have been added to CentraNet® 3000. Flexible Night Answer and Automatic Route Selection also have been added as new optional features.

The proposed changes and new service offerings have been assigned Docket No. 9251, and pursuant to Section 43(d) of the Public Utility Regulatory Act will become effective June 23, 1990. Rates for service will be applicable to customers who subscribe to the service as well as existing customers. Therefore, there will be no effect on any other rates of the company. The company's gross annual revenues will increase by approximately \$399,600, or less than one percent annually.

The proposed rates are on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and are available for public inspection at the offices of GTE Southwest Incorporated. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission. The deadline to intervene in this docket is 3:00 p.m., April 9, 1990.

A request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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State Department of Highways employees recognized



Winston Koerth Hector T. DeHoyos

Two employees of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation were recently recognized for their service to the department.

Receiving certificates of service were Winston A. Koerth, Roadway Maintenance Supervisor IV, 35 years, and Hector T. DeHoyos, Jr., Maintenance Technician III, 10 years.

Koerth was first employed as a Rodman in the Llano Residency in September 1954. In April 1965 he transferred to the Ozona Residency, where he worked until that residency was closed in June 1984. At that time, he transferred to the Sonora Residency, and in June 1987, was named Maintenance Construction Supervisor of the Ozona Maintenance Section.

DeHoyos began his career as a Maintenance Technician I in November 1979. He is a skilled herbicide operator and crew leader for the section under the supervision of Winston Koerth.

District Engineer Walter McCullough, P.E. expressed his appreciation

Sheriff's Report

Week ending March 26, 1990

ARRESTS

03-20-90...Moses Rodriguez Coy, Jr., age 19, of Ozona, was arrested by sheriff's deputies on charges of disorderly conduct and minor in possession. He was released on 03-22-90 after laying out his fines.

03-20-90...Twenty-four year-old Phillip Estrada Vargas, of Ozona, was arrested by sheriff's deputies on charges of disorderly conduct. He was released on 03-22-90 after laying out his fine.

03-20-90...David Joseph Sanders, age 26, of California, was arrested by sheriff's deputies on warrants out of California charging weapons offenses. Sanders was released to California officers on 03-25-90.

03-24-90...Thirty-seven year-old Robert William King, of Arizona, was

arrested by THP on charges of DWI. He is still in county jail awaiting trial in county court.

03-24-90...THP investigated a report of an accident and arrested Johnny B. Villarreal, age 22, of Ozona, on DWI and traffic offenses. He was released on 03-25-90 after posting bond.

INCIDENTS

03-24-90...Sheriff's deputies found a stolen 1985 Honda car abandoned in town near the I-10 Exxon station. The car was reported stolen from Atlanta, Georgia. The vehicle was stored at a local wrecker company and the owner was notified.

03-25-90...Sheriff's deputies are investigating the reported theft of two ceramic planters from Flint Henderson's residence on Avenue A.

To the Editor
c/o The Ozona Stockman

A wise man once said, "When you fight, whether you are right or wrong or win or lose, you are going to get dirty!"

Well, folks, Dr. Owensby is tired of fighting. The way it stands now, until budget time rolls around again, is that if you want to see Dr. Owensby

as a clinic patient, be sure go get sick every other Saturday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon or be prepared to pay all the extra emergency room fees at any other time.

This is not fair to either doctor or to the public but, so it stands.!!?!?
Nancy Whitehead

Childress represents county at Land Bank meeting

Representatives of the Federal Land Bank Association of Sonora were among more than 600 attendees at the 1990 Farm Credit Bank of Texas Annual Meeting for FLBAs, according to Association president Jack B. Smith Jr.

The annual stockholders event was held March 15-16 at the Stouffer Hotel in Austin.

Area FLBA directors and staff who attended included A. E. Prugel and Jack B. Smith Jr. of Sonora, Otis Deal and James T. Williams Jr. of Eldorado and Pleas L. Childress Jr. of Ozona.

"Last year, the Farm Credit Bank of Texas purchased 17,000 long-term loans valued at \$1.1 billion in Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi and received charters for six new FLBAs in those three states," Smith said.

"This was the first annual meeting attended by stockholders and staff of the new associations, and it provided an opportunity to meet other shareholders and staff and to discuss dis-

trict operations," he said.

The program included reports from bank management and directors on 1989 operations and 1990 plans and programs. Henry Edelman, president and chief executive officer of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation, known as Farmer Mac, updated stockholders on the new secondary market for agricultural financing.

A net profit of \$28.4 million in 1989 by the Texas Farm Credit District enabled the bank to make a patronage distribution of \$13.7 million to its Texas FLBAs at year-end.

The FLBA of Sonora has \$37,396.75 in long-term agricultural loans to farmers and ranchers in the counties of Sutton, Schleicher, Crockett and Edwards. The association office is located in Sonora.

The association is one of 50 FLBAs through which the Farm Credit Bank of Texas makes agricultural loans in Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas.

Stamford hosts garden club district convention, April 6-7

Texas Garden Clubs Inc. District VIII Spring Convention will be held in Stamford April 6-7. Hosted by Hamlin, Haskell, Rule and Stamford garden clubs, the theme of the meeting is "Aloha...Makamaka OLa."

A design program by Mrs. Jimmie H. Courtney of Arlington will highlight the luncheon on April 7. Mrs. Courtney is currently serving as a

vice-president of the National Chrysanthemum Society and has served as director of District II, Texas Garden Clubs Inc.

The convention will be attended by Mrs. Ben Denman, state president of Texas Garden Clubs Inc.

Pre-convention activities will feature a tour and Dutch treat dinner at the Hendrick Boys Ranch.

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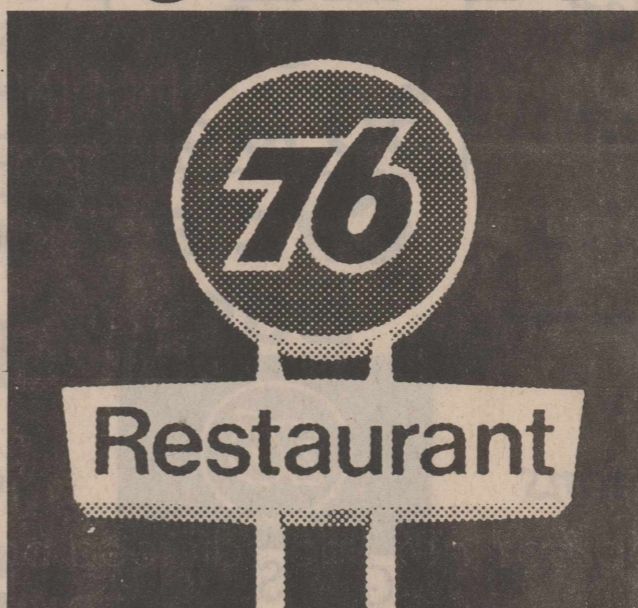
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Ozona's 1954 Bank Robbery

by Charles Wood

Thirty-six years ago, on Tuesday, March 16, 1954, two restless 21-year-olds from Junction entered the Ozona National Bank shortly before closing time. "This is a stick-up," one of the robbers announced, brandishing a .22 caliber pistol. All eight bank employees and one customer were ordered into the back office. The men then obtained a key from one of the workers and locked the front door. While one man held the gun on the people inside the office, his partner busily emptied cash into a suitcase. Thus began one of the most dramatic events in Ozona history—the Great Ozona Bank Robbery.

When the robbers' work had barely begun, a stir began to grow outside, as the town became aware of what was happening. Mrs. Royce Ballinger, bookkeeper for West Texas Utilities, was the first to notice that something was amiss. When she arrived at the bank shortly before three with the day's deposit, Mrs. Ballinger was surprised to find the door locked. When she peered into the bank, she noticed that the bank employees were nowhere in sight—and then she saw one of the men, emptying the cash drawers. Mrs. Ballinger immediately entered the Ratliff Hardware store and told Mr. Ratliff, who called the sheriff.

Soon afterward, Byron Williams, an Ozona oil broker, also looked inside the bank and saw one of the robbers. Mr. Williams stopped Deputy Sheriff Billy Mills, who was cruising by in his car, and informed him of the robbery. In a recent interview, former sheriff Billy Mills related the following: "Mister Williams stopped me on the street and said 'there's something goin' on. I think they're robbing the bank.' So I parked my car and went across the street. And I looked in and I could see the men in there with gloves on.

"I kept bangin' on the door and motioned for them to come over there. One of them came over and unlocked the door. I could just see the butt end of that pistol coming out of his belt. I jumped back to the other side of the door and waited for him to stick his head out."

It was at this point that the robbers' plans began to break down. According to the bank employees, the men became quite disturbed when they saw Deputy Mills standing at the door. When they asked if there was a back way out, they were informed that there was, and that the key was in the door. After threatening the bank employees and warning them to stay in the office, the robbers cut the telephone cords and headed for the back of the building. When they got outside, the robbers found a dead end. The only available escape routes were: over the low wall and back to the front of the bank (where armed citizens were already gathering), or over the top of the Kersey building. Using a light meter for a handhold, the two men climbed on top of the building and ran along the roof.

Meanwhile, Deputy Mills, worried about what might be happening inside, ran back to his car and grabbed a Thompson sub machine gun, which belonged to the county. When he returned to the front of the bank, the robbers had already fled to the top of the Kersey building. Deputy Mills raced up the Masonic Hall steps and onto the roof, but the fugitives were no longer in sight. The robbers jumped onto an awning at the front of the building and leapt to the ground. One broke his foot in the jump, but kept on running.

The robbers never made it out of the bank with the money. Inside the bank was the cash-filled suitcase, abandoned in haste. Also left behind was a bundle of ropes, which the men had intended to tie hostages with. As Billy Mills pointed out, when they

saw him knocking on the front door, "it changed their plans quite a bit." The robbers had fully expected to walk out the front door with the money and drive away. As they fled on foot, their car remained unreachable at the front of the bank, its engine idling uselessly.

Bryon Williams, and rancher Dick Henderson caught the suspects in the draw, behind the D. C. Ratliff home. Dismayed by the size of the .45 pistol, which Sheriff V. O. Earnest had loaned Mr. Williams, the men surrendered their .22 without a fight. When law officers arrived, the robbers were transported to the Ozona jail. Fortunately, though so many people had been armed, not a single shot was fired. "I will never know how we kept from getting somebody killed," Billy Mills remarked. "It's a wonder that they didn't shoot somebody, or that somebody didn't shoot them."

Deputy Mills fed the prisoners during their extended stay in Ozona and got to know them pretty well. In his analysis, they were definitely not hardened criminals. "They were about as scared as everybody else was," he commented. "If they had been professionals, I believe they would've had something besides a .22. And somebody probably would've been shot." The two men were tried in Rankin, and according to Billy Mills' recollection, they got fairly light sentences, about five years. "They realized they'd flubbed up," he noted, "They had just been riding around in Junction drinking a few beers, and got to talking about how they'd heard there was a lot of money in Ozona and how there ought to be quite a bit of money in the bank. They talked it over and revved themselves up until they finally did it.

"As far as I know," he said, "there was never any trouble from those two after that." In fact, after the men were released from prison, they gave Billy Mills a phone call. They asked him to breakfast, and the three went out and drank a cup of coffee together.

"There was a lot of excitement that day," the former sheriff noted. "I guess that's the most exciting thing that ever happened in Ozona. Now, looking back, I'm glad I was part of it."

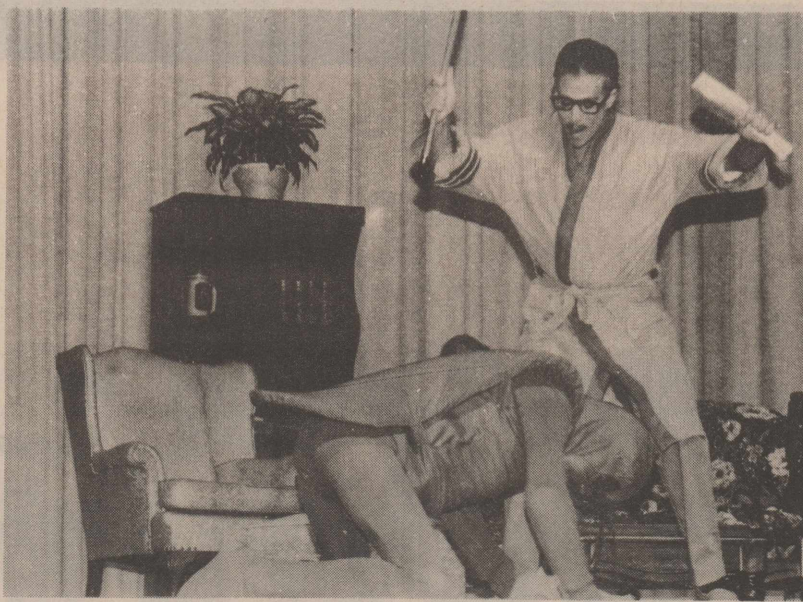
WTU among largest ad valorem taxpayers in West Texas

West Texas Utilities Company's share of support to the taxing entities within the company's 52-county service area amounts to \$8,869,225 million for 1989, making the electric utility one of West Texas' largest ad valorem taxpayers, according to Mark Morrow, WTU's property tax representative.

Approximately 56 percent of that total went to school districts with the balance distributed among other taxing entities such as city and county governments and water, fire, hospital, drainage and road districts.

Steve Williams, WTU local manager in Ozona, said WTU paid \$198,943 in ad valorem taxes in Crockett county. Major recipients include one school district's dividing \$124,016, and county government which received \$74,927.

In addition to ad valorem taxes, WTU supports local governments by payment of gross receipts tax and sales tax where applicable.



David Cox Bruce Beasley



David Cox, Michael Vasquez, Bruce Beasley, Marissa Cordova, Margaret Jones, Amy Graham and Tammy Davee take a bow after the dress rehearsal of their U.L.L. one-act play, "The Metamorphosis".

Stockman photo by Scotty Moore



David Cox, Tammy Davee and Bruce Beasley

Helicopter exercise based at Fort Stockton

It's been more than 100 years since the cavalry of the U. S. Army left Fort Stockton. But in April, modern day cavalrymen will return to their former home with the most modern helicopters in the world.

The 6th Cavalry Brigade (Air Combat) from Fort Hood will conduct an exercise called Sabers West III in Pecos, Brewster and Terrell counties between April 16 and April 29. Fort Stockton's airport will be the hub of this exercise.

The 6th Cavalry Brigade is the main aviation unit supporting III Corps at Fort Hood. The exercise will include participation by more than 2,000 soldiers, 100 aircraft and more than 600 wheeled vehicles.

West Texas is the best location for Sabers West because Fort Hood's air space isn't large enough to support an exercise of this size. The brigade's mission is to fight deep in the enemy's rear areas. In order to train like it'll fight, the brigade must practice over distances it expects to encounter during any future conflict.

This is the second time that the 6th Cavalry Brigade has conducted a major exercise in this part of Texas. In November 1988 the brigade ran its first Sabers West exercise in the vicinity of Dryden.

The exercise boundaries will generally be from Sanderson in the east to Alpine in the west and from the Fort Stockton area in the north to the Rio Grande in the south.

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Donors must weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and may not donate more frequently than every eight weeks.

You may not donate blood if you have or have had: hepatitis, internal malignancy (cancer) within the past 10 years, diabetes requiring insulin, intravenous drug use not prescribed by a physician, belonged to a group at high risk of contracting AIDS, sexual contact with an AIDS patient, unexplained night sweating, skin eruptions, fevers, weight loss, swollen lymph glands or persistent diarrhea.

Heart, lung, kidney, liver or stomach disease may or may not prevent you from donating blood. Contact your blood center for more information.

You may be temporarily deferred if you have or had: recent flu, cold, sore throat or fever, close contact with hepatitis in the past six months, tattoos in the past six months, active infection or disease presently requiring prescribed medication, vaccinations in the past 24 hours (some vaccinations have longer deferral periods), major surgery or blood transfusion in the past six months, dental surgery in the past three days, pregnancy in the past six weeks, in the past

three years lived in, or in the past six months visited a malaria area.

It is recommended that you eat a meal before donating, preferably one low in fats. Fasting is not recommended.

If you are taking vitamins, hormones (estrogen, thyroid, etc.), birth control pills, diet pills or medications for high blood pressure, you may donate unless otherwise deferred.

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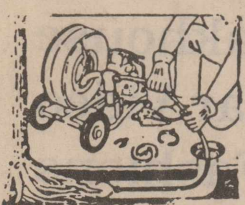
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1990 Ozona Lions Varsity track team are: (front row, left to rt.) Ray Rivera, Luis Rico, Cipriano Perez, Mingo Perez, Danny DeHoyos, David Longoria, Gilbert Rico, Steven Leal, Lee Galan and Jacob Lara. Middle row: Alonzo Hernandez, Mike Kenison, Mark Ramirez, Albert Talamantez, George Ybarra, Isaac Leal, Adam Alba, Jamie Parker and Coach Pete Maldonado. Back row: James Tambunga, Jacob Marroquin, Ricky Burger, Adrian Vargas, Jason Tumlinson, Toga Sausan, Martin Urbina, Marcos Quiroz, Ruben Borrego, Angel Hernandez and coach Glenn Graham.



1990 Ozona Lady Lions varsity track team are: (front row, left to r) Belia Vasquez, Mikki Ramirez, Claudia Avila, Tricia Etheridge, Kim Coy, Carri Chandler and Tricia Maldonado. Second row: Cullen Curry, Elizabeth Esmerado, Melissa Mitchell, Tamel West and Hollie Williams. Back row: Coach David McWilliams, Tricia Hartnet, Susan Pullen, Myra Sanchez, Tess Worthington, Gloria Veloz and Coach Frank Hughey.

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County workers busily prepare the foundations for the picnic tables on the square. This project is a joint effort of the Ozona Chamber of Commerce, Crockett County and the Texas Parks Department to encourage visitors to stop in Ozona and see what our fine town has to offer.

High school boys and girls compete in Sonora tennis tournament Friday and Saturday

The Ozona boys and girls high school tennis teams competed in the Sonora tennis tournament Friday and Saturday, March 23-24.

Tabulated results of the matches

Boys doubles: Cody Morris and Scotty Burks defeated Heiddleston and Hester of Crane 6-2, 6-0 and lost in the quarter finals to Knippa 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.

Larry Sanchez and Billy Tramel defeated Vanveer and Weis of Crane

6-3, 6-4 and lost to Hodges and Woodard of Sonora 6-4, 6-1.

Girls Doubles: Ami Sewell and Jennifer Jolin (third place) defeated the teams of Ketchum and Settle 6-3, 6-1; Chalk and Fields of Sonora 7-6, 6-2; and Cassidy and Watson of Junction 6-1, 7-6. They lost in the semi-finals to Eldorado 7-5, 6-4.

Julie Childress and C. J. McKinney (seventh place) lost first round to Junction 7-5, 7-5 and won in consolation

rounds defeating Carrasco and Ramirez of Sonora 9-8; McDonnell and Vidler of Wall 8-2 and Sutton and Roper of Big Lake 8-2.

Boys singles: Alex Sanchez lost to Plumlee of Junction 6-4, 6-2 and Cuba of Big Lake 8-3.

Kenneth Borrell defeated Alfaro of Eldorado 6-7, 6-4, 6-4 and lost to Patterson of McCamey 6-0, 7-6.

Girls singles: Katy Sellers defeated Henderson of Big Lake 2-6, 6-2, 7-6 and lost in the quarter finals to Hardy of Eldorado 6-3, 6-2.

Stacey Grendahl defeated McMurtrey of Irion County 6-1, 6-1 and lost to Hardy of Eldorado 6-1, 6-0.

Coach Renee Schulz commented "This tournament was a big step for all the players. Their level of playing improved and reached nearer to their goals."

The next tournament is Mason, March 30-31 and followed by District at Big Lake on April 2-3.

Weather limits junior high sports this week

by J. L. Tucker
STOCKMAN SPORTS

Even though the Ozona Junior High tennis players played in 32 degree weather last Saturday in Eldorado some still came home with consolation wins.

EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS SINGLES: Jennifer Evans consolation.

EIGHTH GRADE BOYS DOUBLES: Tony Webb and Golden Meek consolation.

SEVENTH GRADE BOYS DOUBLES: Juan Trujillo and Mickey White consolation.

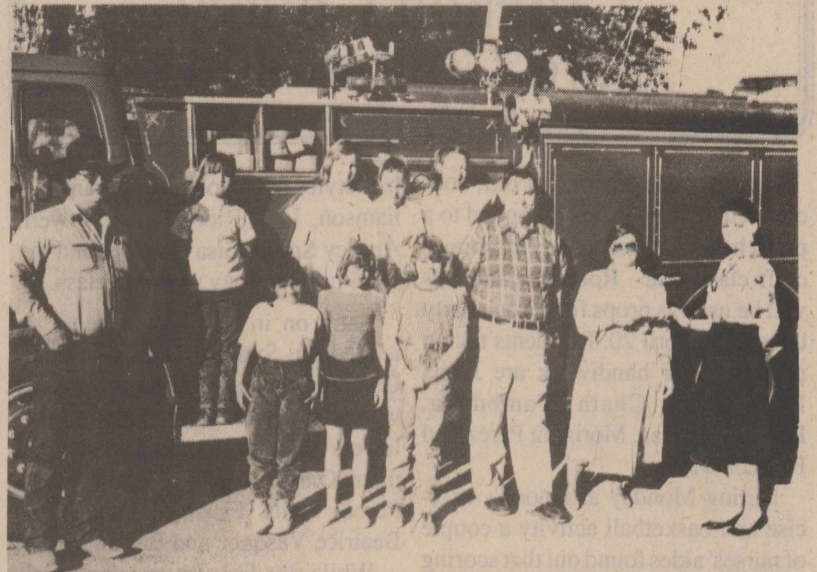
The tennis players will compete with Big Lake in a dual Thursday, March 29. The Cubs and Cubettes will compete in the Sonora tennis meet April 7 and then another Big Lake dual here April 9.

The Big Lake track meet was canceled last weekend due to wet and cold weather. They will travel to McCamey next Friday for their next meet.

Winters garage sale flea market slated April 21

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce is accepting booth reservations for a City-wide Flea Market and Garage sale Day to be held April 21 beginning at 8:00. Booths are \$5.00 and should be sent to P.O. Box 698, Winters, Texas 79567.

Also, on that day a carnival will be in town and the Commemorative Stamp Cancellation will be available for the first time.



The Girl Scout Troop #36 donated the money they earned from last years cookie and calendar sales to the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department. Pictured are: (back row lt. to rt.) Sara Mayfield, Lindsay Flanagan, Camelia Williams and Helena Williams. Front row: Eddie Moore, Nicole Perez, Audrey Young, Angela Branch, Bob Faulkner, Della Moore and troop leader Vonda Flanagan.

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Pol. Adv. Pd For by Manuel Muñoz, Campaign Manager,
1709 Mulberry Drive, Ozona, TX 76943

Junction Stockyard Report

Junction Stockyards sold 178 head of cattle Friday, March 16. Heavy calves and yearlings were steady to \$1 higher. Lighter calves mostly \$2-\$3 higher. Packer cows and bulls were \$2-\$3 higher. Stocker cows and pairs \$15.00-\$25.00 higher.

Choice light steer calves: 1.05-1.45#

Choice medium steer calves: .92-1.20#

Choice heavy steer calves: .88-1.03#

Medium quality steer calves: .85-.94#

Choice steer yearlings: .80-.90#

Mixed steer & bull calves & yearlings: .80-.88#

Choice light heifer calves: .95-1.29#

Choice medium heifer calves: .90-1.07#

Choice heavy heifer calves: .83-.95#

Medium quality heifer calves .78-.85#

Choice heifer yearlings: .78-.86#

Mixed heifer calves & yearlings: .72-.80#

Commercial & utility cows: .54-62.50#

Canners & cutters: .48-.56#

Low yielding canners: .38-.45#

Bulls .58-.7450#

Stocker cows: \$475.00-\$700.00

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Stocker pairs: \$575.00-\$800.00

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Junction Stockyards sold 5,027 goats and sheep Monday, March 19. Lambs were steady and weighting ewes \$1-\$2 lower. Ewes and lambs were steady. Stocker Angoras and fat weighting Angoras were steady. Thin weighting Angoras were \$1-\$2 lower. Spanish goats were steady except Spanish nannies which were \$1-\$2 lower.

Choice spring lambs: .82-.8250#

Choice old crop lambs: .70-.76#

Heavy lambs: .60-.68#

Fat ewes: .32-.37#

Thin ewes: .21-.28#

Bucks: .20-.27#

Ewe & lamb pairs: \$27-\$35 counting noses

Choice young Angoras (shorn): \$33-\$44 hd

Medium Angoras (shorn): \$28-\$35 hd

Choice aged muttons (shorn): \$34-\$37 hd

Weighing Angoras shorn: Thin .22-.28# Thin muttons .33-.40#, Fat .39-.44#

Big fat Spanish muttons: \$47-\$80 few up to \$100

Big fat Spanish nannies: \$45-\$56 hd

Stocker nannies: \$37-\$45 hd

Fat kids: \$30-\$40 hd

Fat yearlings: \$45-\$55 hd

Small kids: \$18-\$31 hd few baby kids & thin goats \$7.50-\$20

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H.R. and F.R.

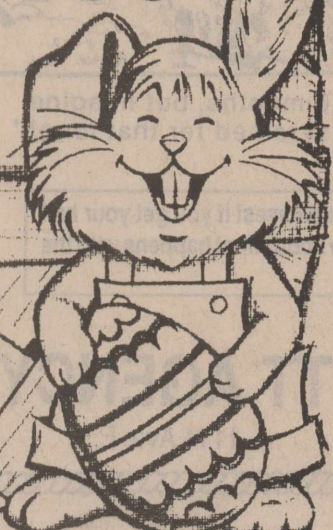
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\$20.00	222	1 in 5,523	1 in 425	1 in 212
\$10.00	413	1 in 2,969	1 in 228	1 in 114
\$5.00	886	1 in 1,384	1 in 106	1 in 53
\$1.00	32,742	1 in 37	1 in 3	1 in 1
TOTALS	34,539	1 in 36	1 in 3	1 in 1

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