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Government Views Brought To Crockett County Residents

Washington came to Ozona Friday in the form of a U. S. representative and U. S. senator

Rep. Henry Bonilla and Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison brought their campaigns and their comments on recent Washington happenings to the people in separate meetings Friday afternoon.

Both talked of the passage of the crime bill the night before and their opposition to it. Bonilla described the bill as "a terrible piece of legislation", saying congressmen were forced to vote within an hour of final consideration of the bill. Provisions in the bill to provide more law enforcement for states will also pass increased responsibility for funding to the states once the federal funding period is over, Bonilla explained. He commented that 180 weapons were affected in the assault weapons ban portion of the bill.

In response to a question about President Clinton, Bonilla told the listeners gathered on the town square that "he is the most resilient person I have ever seen. We thought we had him down and out (on the crime bill) but he came out and forced another vote on it."

At a reception for Sen. Hutchison later in the afternoon in the Crockett Room, she called the crime bill "a terrible disappointment", saying it is not a crime bill but a 13 billion dollar deficit.

"You don't do anything about crime by taking guns from law abid-

ing citizens," said Sen. Hutchison.

The government is encroaching little by little on many of our rights in the Constitution, she commented, adding that the passage of the crime bill was a "tough loss".

Both Bonilla and Hutchison were given banners by Sheriff Jim Wilson bearing the image of a cannon and the words "Come And Take It", the battle cry of the Americans who fought for Texas' independence at Goliad. Wilson also sent a banner with the local group going to Austin for a property rights march and rally. The Crockett County emblem was on each banner.

Bonilla, who is a co-sponsor of the Private Property Owner's Bill of Rights, thanked those in the audience who were on their way to Austin to the march and rally Saturday. "Every county I've traveled to (on this trip) is going to be represented," he said.

The rally, which drew hundreds of Texans, grew from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's proposed plans to designate 20.5 million acres in 33 counties as critical habitat for the golden-cheeked warbler, an endangered songbird.

"That's a disaster waiting to happen," Bonilla said of the proposal to designate the area as critical habitat.

Hutchison referred to the Endangered Species Act as a means of taking private property without compensation. She advocates the putting aside of public, not private land for protection of fish and wildlife and is a staunch

supporter of private property rights.

The health care bill was another item of strong interest to those meeting with both politicians. Bonilla maintained that there is a health care bill in existence that most congressmen agree on but said that they "are almost going to have to start from scratch in September" when the legislature reconvenes.

Hutchison emphasized that she was against the Mitchell health care bill which contained 177 new mandates, and create 55 new federal bureaucracies.

The Senator, who is a member of the Armed Services Committee, said she is "very concerned about the armed services. I'm worried that they are tearing them down too fast." She also said she is against the invasion of Haiti.

Citing strong families, a spirit of entrepreneurship and patriotism as things that made the country great, she said she wants the country to have a government "that knows when it's our fight".

In response to a question about senate ratification of the Convention on Biological Diversity, Sen. Hutchison said that Vice-President Al Gore is pushing the treaty. "I don't think they'll do it; we just don't have the time."

The treaty, based on a doctrine of sustainable use, has already been passed by the House of Representatives.



REP. HENRY BONILLA accepts a banner from Sheriff Jim Wilson to take back to Washington in the wake of the passage of the crime bill Thursday night. The two stand before a float prepared by Ginger and Paul Perner which was on its way to Austin for the property rights march and rally held Saturday. Photo by Penn Baggett

Career Day Planned At OHS

By Tara Wilkins
OHS Journalism Student

A Career Day will be held at Ozona High School Friday, October 21. The Career Day, sponsored by the Gifted and Talented/Advanced Placement English class and the National Honor Society, will incorporate a variety of occupational fields.

"Sometimes in small towns you see few careers at work," said David

McWilliams, student liaison at OHS.

"What we want to do is to present the students with a broader view of career opportunities."

Sponsoring students feel that this day will help fellow classmates set goals for the future.

Senior Doug Meador, student coordinator for the Career Day, said, "It's hard to know what you want to do after high school. Many of us will

have to make that decision soon, and hopefully the career day will give us a few options."

Between 20 and 25 speakers will present 30 minute sessions on educational requirements, job opportunities, salaries and other aspects of their careers. These particular fields were chosen based on a survey of OHS students conducted last spring. In addition to the sessions, there will be three motivational speakers and information booths set up by colleges, the armed services, and local and area businesses.

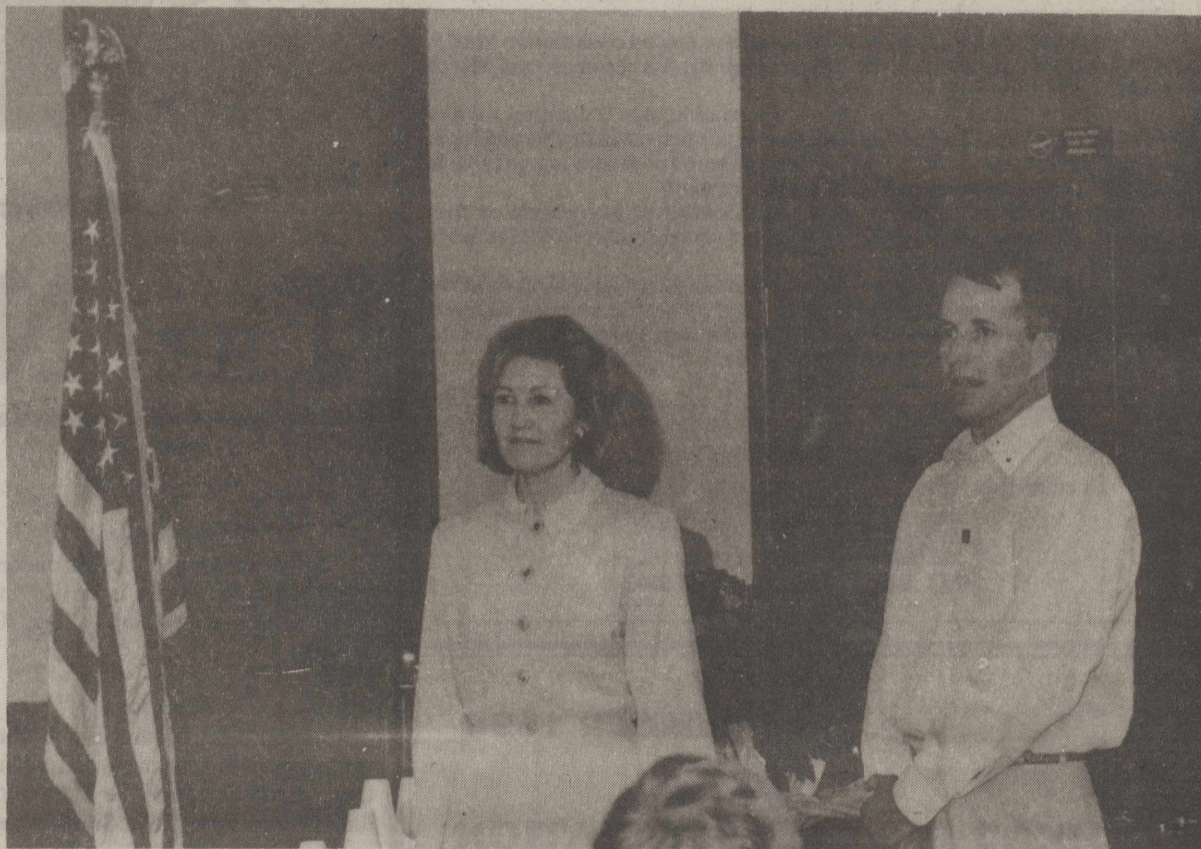
All presenters, other than the motivational speakers, are donating their time. The Ozona Women's League is providing financial support. However, sponsors are needed to help compensate the motivational speakers and offset expenses for a luncheon for the presenters. Please contact David McWilliams at the high school if you would like to help with the Career Day.

Former Students May Take Exit Tests

Former students who have completed all high school graduation requirements but who have not yet passed one or more of the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) exit tests or the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) tests are eligible to take these exams this fall. The TAAS writing exam will be given on Oct. 18. The TAAS and TEAMS reading tests will be given on

Oct. 19, while the TAAS and TEAMS mathematics exams will be administered on Oct. 20.

Qualified individuals interested in taking these exams need to register in advance, and completed registration forms must be received in Iowa City, Iowa, before Sept. 27. Registration forms and information may be picked up at the high school counselor's office.



SEN. KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON is introduced to some 100 Crockett County residents Friday by Wade Richardson. Sen. Hutchison was in town on behalf of her campaign and brought news of the passage of the crime bill which she opposed. Photo by Penn Baggett

Lions Blow Lights Out Of Crane

By Neal Ulmer
Stockman Sportswriter

The Ozona Lions knocked the lights out of the Crane Golden Cranes in a controlled scrimmage Aug. 25 in Lion Stadium. The Lions' scored two touchdowns, and the defense did a great job in holding the Golden Cranes scoreless.

Both teams had a chance to look at all their players with each team using a first and second team on offense and defense. The Lions' first and second team defenses did a great job of preventing Crane from getting across the goal line. Great effort by the second team offense resulted in two touchdowns scored in their set of 20 plays.

Both coaches decided to play a full one quarter exactly like a normal game with the exception of rushing the punter and tackling the receiver. An electric power outage with 4:22 minutes left in the quarter caused the scrimmage to end. Neither team scored during the quarter of play.

Coaches Don Payne and Pete Maldonado had high praises for the Lions' defense. "Our defense dominated their team," said Coach Maldonado. "The defense looked extremely good - the best since I've been here. Our conditioning is paying off."

Coach Payne had many compliments for the whole team. He was very pleased with their effort and how solid they played. "Again, our kids hustled real well, particularly the defense - it paid off." The first team defense caused four fumbles, recovered three of those and Tony Valencia intercepted a pass. The second team defense recovered a fumble by Elliott Barrera, and a pass was intercepted by Joe Esparza.

Other defensive players making tackles include: Julio Martinez, Juan Trujillo, Travis Davidson, Adam Carroll, Eddie DeLuna, Jesse Garza,

Bryan Mendez, Lance Jamerson, J. J. Lozano and Patrick Sanchez.

Offensively, the Lions had their fair share of problems at the start by losing three fumbles, recovering one and having several incomplete passes. Quarterbacking the first team, junior David Browne completed an 8-yard pass to Chris Sanchez, an 11-yard pass to Jesse Garza, a 10-yard pass to Julio Martinez and scrambled for 15 yards. Good blocking by the linemen set up an 18-yard run by Anthony Sanchez, and seven and 10-yard runs by Matthew Ortiz.

The second team offense fared better with Chris Sanchez at the helm. He hurled a 40-yard pass to Julio Martinez and ran 13 yards on a pass option and ran 38 yards for a touchdown. The linemen opened up good holes as J. J. Lozano ran 43 yards for a score.

In the regular quarter of play, the ball was tossed around and essentially the game became a defensive one. In Crane's three possessions of the ball,

they were only able to penetrate the 50-yard line once and got to the Ozona 39-yard line before fumbling the ball to Ozona.

Ozona recovered the ball on their own 43-yard line and started their march there. The Lions completed a 5-yard pass to Tony Valencia, and Matthew Ortiz picked up runs of two and five yards. An incomplete pass fell to the ground, and a few moments later the stadium lights went out, ending the scrimmage.

"We overall improved three times over last week," said Coach Ronnie Casey of the scrimmage. "The defense played great, and the offense improved a whole lot."

The coaches were pleased with the junior varsity in their scrimmage. Coach Payne was very proud of the junior varsity, noticing they were outsize and outmanned. "I thought they really had a great scrimmage," Payne said. "I saw lots of improvement over last week. We're still making progress daily."

Commissioners Vote On Proposed Tax Rate

At a called meeting Aug. 26, Crockett County commissioners voted for a proposed tax rate of .68306 per \$100 valuation for the 1995 budget. This is a drop of .05562 from the 1994 tax rate of .73868. Increased valuations due to oil and gas tax revenue are enabling the lowered tax rate.

The proposed budget of \$6,766,716.00 for 1995 will be voted on at the September meeting of the court. It includes five percent salary increases for county employees and elected officials and 10 percent salary increases for sheriff's department

employees. Jailers and deputies have not received raises in a number of years.

A required notice of proposed increase for elected officials is printed elsewhere in this issue of The Stockman.

No increases are planned for hospital and care center staff. These employees are paid according to position, and longevity and merit pay determines their salary increases.

Estimated expenditures for the hospital in 1995 are \$1,500,544 of which \$624,044.00 will come from the county's general fund, \$627,000.00 from cash receipts, \$34,500.00 from feeding jail prisoners, \$207,000.00 from feeding care center patients and \$8,000.00 from miscellaneous sources.

Care center expenditures are estimated at \$1,053,004.00 for 1995. Sources for these funds are expected to be general fund for \$181,004.00 and cash receipts for \$872,000.00.

Trustees Approve Proposed Tax Rate

Trustees of Ozona schools approved a proposed 1995 tax rate of \$1.23 per \$100 valuation at a meeting Aug. 23. The 1994 tax rate is \$1.21 per \$100. Sept. 6 was set as the date for a public hearing on the tax increase. The tax rate will be adopted at a meeting on Sept. 20.

The board also voted to reaffirm their action taken at the July 12 regular meeting to pay McCamey I.S.D. a student transfer tuition amount equivalent to the district's Weighted Average Daily Attendance (WADA) with the provision that McCamey I.S.D. provide transportation for the students. If McCamey refuses to provide transportation, the district will deduct transportation costs from the WADA. McCamey I.S.D. has the option to accept a \$3,500 per transfer student tuition fee according to the terms of a 1993-94 school year contract between

the two school districts. The tuition amounts are for students who live in the far northwest corner of Crockett County and who have traditionally transferred to McCamey because of distance.

The school board also voted to raise rental and utility fees, effective Jan. 1 of next year, on school-owned housing. Increases ranging from \$45 per month to \$75 per month were approved for apartments and houses belonging to the school district, and the fee for utilities was raised by \$15 per month to \$35. This will include \$15 for gas, \$10 for trash hauling and \$10 for sewer service.

Members voted to approve a 1994-95 school year agreement to purchase attendance credits from the state. This is the district's method for complying with S.B. 7 regarding education funding.

TDHS In New Location

Effective Monday, Aug. 29, 1994, the Texas Department of Human Services will be located at 616 Ave. H. This new location is on the corner of Ave. H and 9th Street.

"We will not be closed for business while moving, so please contact us if you are in need of assistance," said Janet Wilson.

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Public Notices

BIDS NOTICE

Bids are being accepted through September 13, 1994 for a 1992 Chevrolet S-10 Four Wheel Drive Pickup with approximately 87,000 miles. This pickup has a cracked frame. May be seen at the Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative's Eldorado Yard. Bids can be mailed to Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative, Box 677, Eldorado, Texas 76936, Attention: Pickup Bid. Phone 915-853-2544. 2c29

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Ozona Public Schools will receive sealed bids for basketball and all spring sports supplies until 1:00 P.M., September 15th, 1994. Bids will be opened and tabulated at that time. Bids received after that date will be returned unopened. Bids received without a signature will not be accepted.

Please mail or deliver your bids to Don Payne, Ozona Public Schools, P.O. Box 400, Ozona, Texas 76943. Mark your envelope "Bids For Athletic Supplies".

A copy of the specifications may be obtained from Don Payne, Athletic Director, at the same address, telephone 915-392-5501.

The district has the right to accept or reject any and all bids and to make purchases as they may appear advantageous to the district and to waive all formalities in bidding. 2c29

BID NOTICE

Crockett County Consolidated C.S.D. is accepting bids for the purchase of two mid-size automobiles.

To request bid specifications call Pete Maldonado, Ozona Public Schools, 915-392-5501 at 797 Avenue D, Ozona, Texas 76943. Sealed bids will be accepted until September 20, 1994. No bids will be accepted via facsimile machine. 2c29

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 152.013 of the Local Government Code of Vernon's Texas Statutes, the Com-

missioners Court of Crockett County, Texas are proposing the following increases in the annual salaries of the following Elected Officials of Crockett County, Texas effective January 1, 1995:

	1994	1995
County Judge	\$30,000	\$31,500
Justice of the Peace	30,000	31,500
County Attorney	30,000	31,500
Constable	2,400	2,520
Sheriff	30,000	31,500
County Treasurer	25,800	31,500
Co. and District Clerk	30,000	31,500
Tax Assessor Collector	30,000	31,500
Co. Commissioners (4)	9,000	9,450

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Honorable Brock Jones, District Judge of the 112th Judicial District of Texas, will hold a public hearing on proposed compensation for the County Auditor, Assistant Auditors and Court Reporter of Crockett County, Texas for 1995. The hearing will be held at 9:30 A.M. on September 19, 1994 in the District Judge's office, Courthouse, Ozona, Texas. 2c29

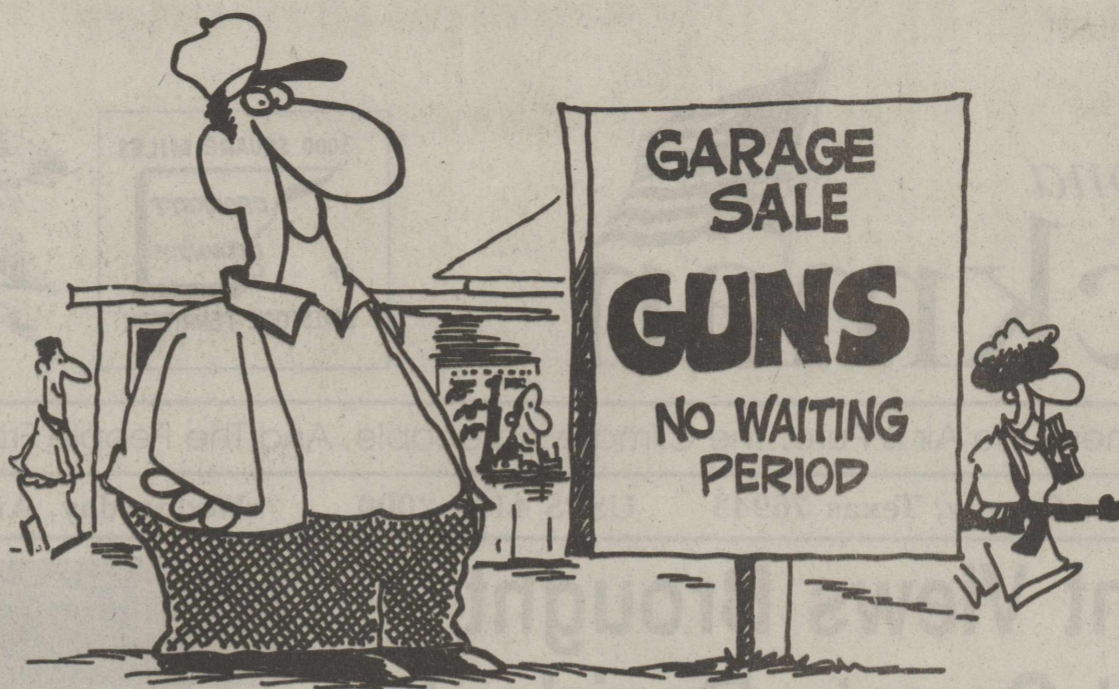
BIDS NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Crockett County, Texas will accept sealed bids for the sale of a 1991 Chevrolet Caprice, used by the Crockett County Sheriff's Department. The bids will be opened at 11:00 A.M. at the Courthouse in Ozona, Texas, Sept. 12. Bids will be accepted at either the Crockett County Judge's or the Auditor's office. 2c29

Commodity Distribution Sept. 1

Commodities will be distributed on Sept. 1 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Senior Citizens' Building located at 903 12th Street.

People who are eligible to participate in the program must not be discriminated against because of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or political belief.



THE NEWSREEL

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

NEWS REEL AUG. 26, 1965

News Reel
Miller Bowling Lanes announces plans for opening the lanes for the winter season next Monday, Aug. 30, at 2 p.m.

News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Smith were in Oklahoma over the weekend, where they helped celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. Smith's parents.

News Reel
A spectacular early morning fire of undetermined origin, completely gutted and left the Ranch Theatre in smoldering ruins Tuesday morning.

News Reel
Would-be robbers were thwarted late Friday night or early Sunday morning when they were unable to open the safe in the United Department Store.

News Reel
A net rate of only 2 cents on the \$100 valuation in the county school tax rate will result from approval by voters early this year of a \$320,000 bond issue for the purpose of financing a school plant expansion program.

now under way.

News Reel
Funeral services for John Thomas Cooke, 81, were held Wednesday at Fort Stockton. Mr. Cooke, an early day Ozona resident, died in his home at Fort Stockton last Monday.

News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. George Olson and sons, Donald and Gerald, returned last week from a vacation trip to Corpus and Stamford.

News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Mahon returned Sunday from a trip to Brownsville where Mr. Mahon went on business.

News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wendland both completed work for their degrees from Southwest Texas State Teachers College at San Marcos and have moved to Las Cruces, NM. Mrs. Wendland is the former Nancy Friend.

News Reel
Georgeanne Janes is at home after a visit with Susan Boyd in Big Spring.

News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Boyd and

daughters, Susan, Carol and Emily, were here from Big Spring for a week-end visit with friends.

NEWS REEL AUG. 27, 1936

News Reel
Mrs. Joe Davidson, Joe T. Davidson, Jr., and Mrs. Charles E. Davidson, Jr., are back from a visit to the centennial celebrations in Dallas and Ft. Worth.

News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Flowers left the end of the week on a vacation trip that will take them to New Orleans and other points of interest en route.

News Reel
J. W. Owens recently sold 1,400 head of mutton lambs to a Kansas City buyer.

News Reel
Ira Carson is loading out 6,000 lambs at Comstock this week for California. The muttons were sold at 1/2 cents and the ewes at 7 cents.

News Reel
Dr. McCarty will be back in Ozona first of the week fitting glasses and doing watch work.

News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. D. K. McMullan are the parents of a son born last night in a San Angelo hospital.

News Reel
Ann West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Massie West, was hostess to a number of her friends at a birthday party arranged by her mother Wednesday afternoon.

Political Announcements

SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF THE NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION

For County Judge:

Jeffrey Sutton
(Pol. adv. pd. by Jeffrey Sutton, Box 1534, Ozona, Texas 76943)

Troy Williams
(Pol. adv. pd. by Troy Williams, Box 130, Ozona, Texas 76943)

For County Clerk:

Debbi Puckett
(Pol. adv. pd. by Debbi Puckett, Box 75, Ozona, Texas 76943)

For Justice of the Peace:

James M. (Jim) Hearne
(Pol. adv. pd. by James M. Hearne, Box 354, Ozona, Texas 76943)

For 112th District Judge:

M. Brock Jones Jr.
(Pol. adv. pd. by M. Brock Jones Jr., H.C. 69, Box 35, Ozona, Texas 76943)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 2

Fred Deaton
(Pol. adv. pd. by Fred Deaton, Box 1087, Ozona, Texas 76943)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 4

Rudy Martinez Jr.
(Pol. adv. pd. by Rudy Martinez Jr., Box 314, Ozona, Texas 76943)

For County Treasurer, Unexpired Term

Burl Myers
(Pol. adv. pd. by Burl Myers, Box 3060, Ozona, Texas 76943)

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,
This past Friday a shooting took place in Ozona. To my surprise nobody was arrested. Not even the person who discharged the firearm in city limits. I had friends arrested on New Year's Eve for discharging a firearm in public. Yet they were just shooting in the air. This person not only discharged his firearm but intentionally wanted to hurt someone and was not arrested. I ask Ozona's finest why wasn't anyone arrested and are you just going to wait til someone gets killed and then come in and pick the dead up. If you call that "To Protect and Serve" we might as well pack ourselves to protect and serve ourselves.
Randy Ramos

Dear Sir,
While looking through the Dallas Morning News last week, I saw the attached write-up describing the "Ozona Westex Grill". Ozona holds many fond memories for my wife, Sunnye, and me. We spent our first six years of marriage there, (1962-1968) teaching and coaching a fine group of young people. Especially dear to our hearts are the families of Bud Coates, Beecher Montgomery, H. O. Hoover, just to name a few!
On Saturday, we drove to Dallas to have dinner at this place called "Ozona Westex Grill". As we walked

in, a road sign indicating Barnhart - 23 miles/Ozona - 3 miles greeted us. Pictures of the Ozona High School graduation class of 1966 brought smiles to our faces, remembering those special students in my classes. A framed Stockman clipping depicted Beecher Montgomery and Bryan buying Bryan a pair of boots. Our waiter informed us that the owner was not a native Ozonan, but had many friends there.

The food was good, the atmosphere reflective of Ozona country, warm and friendly, and the memories of good times and good friends made the evening enjoyable. We thought you and your readers might like to know that a little bit of Ozona flavor has come to "Big D"!
Sincerely,
Ron H. Murdock

Visiting Cleman Sniffen this week were Rudy Sniffen, his sons Don and Mark Sniffen, grandson Rodney Sniffen and Baby Noah. Also making the trip were his two daughters, Marva Sniffen and Terry Sniffen Carter; her two daughters, Sha'net and Lynita, and two of their friends, DaShawn Stewart and Telesha Baratta. They enjoyed being in Texas again visiting friends in Del Rio and Brackettville. All returned home to Aladena, Los Angeles and Canoga Park, CA.

COUNTY OF CROCKETT SUMMARY OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS CHANGES IN CASH BALANCES FOR THREE MONTHS ENDING JUNE 30, 1994

	4-1-94 CASH BALANCE	CASH RECEIPTS	TRANSFER IN	CASH DISBURSEMENTS	TRANSFER OUT	6-30-94 CASH BALANCE
GENERAL	\$2,689,742.83	\$139,191.48		\$727,646.38	\$192,962.61	\$1,908,325.32
ROAD & BRIDGE	464,402.03	88,976.61		204,926.42		348,452.22
HOSPITAL	1,445.33	226,662.55	154,213.86	412,273.53		(29,951.79)
CARE CENTER	(4,192.39)	223,719.91	38,748.75	269,938.85		(11,662.58)
	\$3,151,397.80	\$678,550.55	\$192,962.61	\$1,614,785.18	\$192,962.61	\$2,215,163.17

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Crockett County Public Library News

By Louise Ledoux

Crockett County Public Library subscribes to 35 magazines and newspapers for our patrons to use. We have a very comfortable reading room where patrons can sit and enjoy a quiet time with current issues or do some research in our back files to 1983 on microfiche.

In the October *E: The Environmental magazine* the cover story is on smoking "The Burning Issue of Passive Smoke". Alice Horrigan examines how the politics of passive smoke are creating a hot new environmental issue, with conflicting studies, massive lobbying and last-minute legislative maneuvering. Smokers are becoming the new pariahs. Also in this issue is an interview with Surgeon General Jocelyn Elders. Elders, a three-star admiral, doesn't mince words when taking on the tobacco lobby and other obstacles to American health. She has lambasted the tobacco industry for aiming advertising at teenagers. "Tobacco kills," she says. "It's that simple. It's the leading cause of preventable death in the United States today...My first order of business is to share these alarming facts with every parent."

The September *Conde Nast Traveler* is a special issue on 20 new ways to see the U.S.A. It's full of great stories like Colorado safaris, primal trips back in time to the Florida everglades, endless summer at cool, cool Palm Springs, native Hawaiians getting back to their Polynesian roots and even an inner-self journey to a monastery in California. A very interesting story on the new civil war raging in Virginia is covered by Andrew Cock-

burn. A Disney theme park called Disney America is in the works at Manassas, VA, right next to the Manassas National Battlefield. The park would include a complete urban center and town to go along with the rides and shows. The northern Virginia Piedmont, with scores of Civil War battlefields, historic homes, national parks, and two-lane country roads, currently serves as a buffer zone between Washington, DC, and the tranquil Shenandoah region. Historians and their allies want to keep it that way and are rallying against Disney. It's a classic struggle of authentic history vs. commercialism.

In the August issue of *Agricultural Research* published by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, there's a great story on a new way to identify Africanized honey bees. The current test to verify that the bees are Africanized requires capturing specimens and shipping them to state and federal laboratories. There, experts measure minute differences in body parts sizes. It has been discovered that Africanized bees beat their wings faster than domestic European bees. Identification by wingbeat frequency could prove faster and cheaper and - best of all - wouldn't require handling bees that might suddenly mount an attack. A detector would help identify potentially dangerous bee colonies near schools and playgrounds so they could be removed safely.

Parents September issue has some great articles entitled "As They Grow". It's an age-by-age guide to a child's development, from pregnancy, infancy, toddlers, up to teens. There is also a whole section of great birthday ideas. Plan for the perfect party, gifts and games.

CCPL's collection of magazines and newspapers covers a whole range of interests and information. We have one for you. Come read and relax at your public library.

Louise P. Ledoux
Crockett County Librarian

Owens Honored On 71st Anniversary

Jeff and Laura Owens celebrated their 71st wedding anniversary Aug. 19, 1994, at their old ranch home where their granddaughter Linda and her husband Bill Gage now live. They celebrated with their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Also celebrating anniversaries were their daughter Wanda and her husband Jim Watts, Aug. 20, and Linda and Bill, Aug. 24.

Attending from Iraan were: Amos and Jean Owens, James, Cindy and Dawson Owens, Bill, Linda and Chey-Anne Gage, Justin Elkins, Sandra Sconiers, Jim and Wanda Watts and Candy and La Kota Everett. From San Angelo was Brandi Gage and from Wink were Maxie, Sharon, Jeffrey and Alan Watts.

All enjoyed cake and ice cream.

Square Dance Lessons Begin Soon

Levi and Lace Square Dance Club squared up at the civic center for an enjoyable evening of dancing Saturday night. Members present were: Raul and Maria De La Rosa, J. D. and Lillian Brown, Ruthy, Tabitha and Andrea Ewen, Leroy and Carol Adcock, Sue Spoons and Gwin Jamerson. Dale and Sandra Beebe also danced several "tips" with the club. Special guests were Dolores and Bill Bell from St. Petersburg, FL, who were passing through Ozona after a vacation in New Mexico and Judy Hutchison, the Browns' daughter from San Antonio. Caller for the night was Tommy White from Odessa. Tommy also brought his wife, Beverly.

Club president Leroy Adcock announced that lessons are being planned to begin Sept. 19 at the Comfort Inn. Lesson are open to anyone who would like to learn to square dance. Square dancing offers good exercise and fun. For more information, call Gwin Jamerson at 392-3029. The next dance will be Sept. 10 with Tracey Dau from McCauley calling.



JUDY REAGOR MAKES A DONATION to the Helping Hands and Senior Citizens' Center Building project. Len Hillman, member of the Helping Hands Board and AARP president, says the two organizations are working toward establishing a mutually supported structure.

Hors d'oeuvres have always a pathetic interest for me: they remind me of one's childhood that one goes through, wondering what the next course is going to be like—and during the rest of the menu one wishes one had eaten more of the hors d'oeuvres.

—Saki

Card of Thanks

On the behalf of the Gonzalez family, we would like to give a special thanks to Dairy Queen of Ozona and the Parker and Parsley Co. for the food and flowers. We would also like to thank our friends for their prayers in our time of grief. Good Bless You!

Avila Family

Jeanie Cooper
bride-elect of
Christopher Michael
Trolinger

has made selections at
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Country Club Bridge News

Hostess Mary Jo Mason entertained four tables of bridge Aug. 25 at Ozona Country Club. Marolyn Bean won high score for the afternoon. Winnie Williams was second high and Katharine Russell won bingo.

Others enjoying the afternoon of bridge were: Emma Adams, Jane Black, Louise Bunger, Eileen Childress, Rachael Childress, Sophie Kyle, Dorothy Montgomery, Jean North, Brenda Smith, Blanche Walker, Jonesy Williams and Benny Gail Hunnicutt.

Meals On Wheels Menu

Monday, Sept. 5

No meals, holiday

Tuesday, Sept. 6

Meat Loaf with Tomato Sauce, Barbecue Beans, Steamed Carrots, Cornbread, Fruit Cup

Wednesday, Sept 7

Baked Chicken Quarters with White Rice, Mixed Vegetables, Bread, Vanilla Pudding

Thursday, Sept. 8

Tuna Casserole, Pickled Beets, Cut Broccoli, Bread, Cherry Jello

Friday, Sept. 9

Roast Beef au jus, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Peach Cobbler

Tedford Jewelry

Bridal Gift Registry

- Jeanie Cooper, bride-elect of Christopher Michael Trolinger
- Mrs. Thomas R. De Hoyos IV, née Lisa Herring
- Mrs. A. B. Kimble, née Robin Myers
- Mrs. Ty McKinney, née Lesly Mize
- Mrs. John Ponsetti, née Cathlyne Wojack
- Mrs. William G. Truitt, née Jessica Deaton
- Mrs. Ted Mark White III, née Jobeth Thompson
- Mrs. Michael Ybarra, née Maria Ramos

392-5537

In the Village

Card of Thanks

I would like to say thank you to all who helped us have a wonderful and beautiful wedding. A special thanks to our parents Albert, Estela, Pete and Elma. To all who helped with the showers and parties, to all who made an effort to come to our wedding, especially all from out of town, and to everyone for all the wonderful wedding gifts and money. Thanks to all the Padrinos, Madrinas and all the wedding party. Thanks to all and you are all greatly appreciated. May God Bless You All!

Michael and Maria Ybarra
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Pete and Elma Ybarra

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- Kindergarten . . . 3:15-4:00 p.m.
- 1st Grade . . . 4:00-4:45 p.m.
- 2nd & 3rd Grades . . . 4:45-5:30 p.m.
- 4th & 5th Grades . . . 5:30-6:15 p.m.
- Junior High . . . 6:15-7:00 p.m.

Rhonda's School of Dance

At dance building behind Village Drug

392-3554

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née
Jessica Deaton

Mrs. John Ponsetti
née
Cathlyne Wojack

Nelda Eddy
bride-elect of
Raul Delgado

Mrs. Ty McKinney
née
Lesly Mize

Mrs. Tommy De Hoyos
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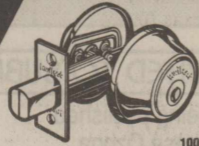
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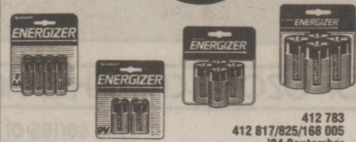


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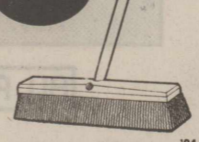
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OUTSTANDING 4-H LEADERS FOR 1994 Donnie Laughlin (r) and JoNel Stokes (l) are shown accepting their certificates from District 4-H Adult Leaders' Association president Karen Stone at Saturday's district meeting in Fort Stockton. Photo by Neal Ulmer

County 4-H Leaders Honored At District Meeting

Adult 4-H Volunteer Leaders JoNel Stokes and Donnie Laughlin were recognized along with outstanding leaders from 22 other counties in Extension District VI at the annual meeting Saturday, Aug. 27, in Fort Stockton at the Butz Community Center.

Stokes and Laughlin were nominated for their service to 4-H. Stokes has served as a club manager, livestock project leader and has kept the county program's 4-H financial records and served as treasurer for the past several years.

Laughlin has served as adult leader in the livestock and wool judging projects, and has given much of his time as auctioneer and in other roles to assist the 4-H program.

Also attending Saturday's adult leader meeting were County Extension Agent Billy Reagor and adult leaders Nancy Vannoy, Neal Ulmer and Len Hillman. Ulmer was selected as district delegate to the Texas 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Association.

Stefny Sutton, daughter of Jeffrey and Carmen Sutton, was recognized as District VI Outstanding Senior Girl by the District Adult Leaders' Association. A plaque was presented

during the district meeting luncheon, which was accepted by County Council Chairman JoLynn Vannoy on Sutton's behalf.

Attending the fall District 4-H Council meeting in a different Fort Stockton location were council officers JoLynn Vannoy and Casey Upham. They were accompanied by District Council Advisor Tedra Ulmer. The 4-H group planned the 1995 District Council Conference for June and revised the district bylaws. Vannoy is secretary of the District Council and Upham is parliamentarian. Justin Moran, district delegate-at-large, was unable to attend due to a sports injury.

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Christian Health First Place Celebrate With Party

Having a Potato Party is the way the victorious group of First Place members have chosen to celebrate on this Wednesday evening, Aug. 31, at 5:30 p.m. Members will weigh in upstairs in their usual place in the sanctuary building of First Baptist Church before proceeding to the parlor for their meal of baked potato with suitable toppings for those who are conscious of their health. Some of these toppings will be picante sauce, grated low-fat cheese, steamed broccoli, chopped turkey breast, yogurt flavored with dry Ranch Dressing mix, butter substitute and chopped green onions. Now you know one of their strategies for successful weight loss.

Any who are thinking of becoming a part of this Christian health program are invited to meet with this group for the Potato Party. There will be other interesting happenings at this meeting, also.

The first orientation meeting for new members will be on Wednesday evening, Sept. 7, at 5:30 upstairs in the sanctuary building of First Baptist Church. Cost for new members for the 13-week program of Bible study, prayer time, study of nutrition and group support is \$62.00 and may be paid in two installments. For continuing members, the cost is \$16.00. New members will be issued a cookbook, looseleaf workbook and prayer journal. Continuing members will be issued new workbook pages and prayer journal.

Lion Band Prepared For Show

The Ozona Lion Marching Band kicked off the 1994-95 season with its summer rehearsal schedule on Monday, Aug. 8. Field director this year is drum major Melanie Lozano. Melanie is a sophomore and was selected through competition by a panel of five judges.

The Lion Band is under the musical direction of Mr. Kelly Glaze who is assisted by Mr. Norman Carroll.

Members of the Flag Corps were also chosen through competition using the five judge panel. Corps members are: coordinator Erica Moran, junior; Melissa Porras, senior; Stephanie Madris, junior; Jessie Turner, junior; Vanessa Tobar, junior; and Sandra Tijerina, junior.

The first public performance of the Lion Marching Band will be Friday, Sept. 2, at Lion Stadium when the Reagan County Owls meet the Ozona Lions in a pre-district varsity football game. The band's halftime show will open with the number "Mustang". The Flag Corps will perform a feature number to the music "Proud Mary".

Members of the 1994-95 Lion Marching Band are: Flutes - Sandra Perez, Shelley Sullivan, Dana Bishop, Jessie Turner, Amanda Ortiz, Melanie Lozano, Amy DeHoyos, Kristen Shurley, Maria Quiroz; Clarinets - Dora Garcia, Vanessa Tobar, Sandra Tijerina, Connie Fielder, Leigh Chandler, Christy Vasquez, Jackie Lara,

Sylvia Yruegas, Melissa Porras, Stephanie Franco, Camelia Williams, Leslie Avila, Michelle Santana, Abby Maldonado; Alto Saxophones - Stephanie Madris, Veronica Vasquez, Autumn McWilliams, Traci Screws, Carla Sandate, Gabriel Tambunga, Misty Gomez, Aracali Tijerina; Trumpets - Adam Carroll, JoLynn Vannoy, Johnny Porras, Charles Villarreal, Stephen Perez, Efran Ramirez, O. J. Ortiz, Luis Longoria, Jamie Porter, Amanda Maldonado, Paul Perner, Erica Moran, Eric Ramos, Stephanie Castro, George Hernandez; French Horns - Emily Stuart, Slate Williams; Trombones - Rene Tambunga, Eric McCall, Marty Martinez, John D. Jurado, Ruby Tambunga, Jeff Ybarra,

Amber McWilliams, Jose Barbosa, Pete Castaneda; Baritone - John Baker, Maribel Vasquez; Tubas - Joe Esparza, Cody Porras, Jason Hignight, David Martinez; Percussion - Hiram Carrizales, Chuck Preddy, Michael Nicks, Lando Peña-Alfaro, Ronnie Bennett, Eli Hernandez, Dennis Vargas, Brandon Parlow, Jamie Ramos, Jason Baker, Mallets - Jessica Fuller.

Left Behind

"Left Behind" is the title of the video to be shown at Harvest Time Christian Center Sunday, Sept. 4, at 6:30 p.m.

The Bible likens the coming of Jesus for His church to a thief in the night. It will catch unbelievers completely by surprise. Although they may have heard many times about the coming of Jesus, they really didn't believe it would happen. Now the true believers are gone. The world is in shock. They are asking, "Where has everybody gone?" It would like to get some idea of how it will be for those left behind, you are welcome to come and view this video at 604 11th in Ozona. If you have questions about this event of the ages which could be very near, chances will be given for your questions.

For more information you may call 392-3533 or 392-3540. Refreshments will be served after the service.

4-H Shooting And Field And Stream Meeting Set

All adult leaders and parents interested in programs of youth training in shooting and wildlife are urged to attend a combined 4-H shooting and field and stream meeting. Be at the civic center small meeting room at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 6.

For further information, call the Extension Office at 392-2721 or call 392-5431.

Your news is always welcome at The Stockman. 392-2551.

Pictures Thursday

Pictures of children attending Ozona Community Center will be made Thursday beginning at 8 a.m.

God's Promise
 12 What man is he that feareth the Lord? Him shall he teach in the way that he shall choose.
 13 His soul shall dwell at ease; and his seed shall inherit the earth.
 Psalm 25:12-13
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 Jim Carter, Pastor
 392-3060

America! Where Are You Headed?
 By Pastor Wayne Woody Harvest Time Christian Center
 Every American should have a deep concern for the direction that our nation has been headed for the past several years. A liberal agenda is running roughshod over the basic principles of ethics and morality that we have treasured throughout our history. This encroachment is affecting in a dreadful way every fabric of our society, especially our homes, schools and churches.
 Lifestyles that only a few years ago would hardly have been mentioned in private are openly flaunted today with social prestige and political backing. Symptoms of a people who have lost their purpose and direction are on every front. Fear grips the hearts of so many. Substance abuse reflects a people trying to find a relief for the pain they feel. Other symptoms of a sharp moral decline in our land are the increase of violence, disregard for human life, sexual promiscuity and the breakup of homes.
 Can America turn around? Is there hope? Can our land be healed?
 If we believe God's Word and obey it, then an answer can be found. God said: "If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and forgive their sin and heal their land." 2 Chron. 7:14.
 The Psalmist asked, "When the foundations are being destroyed, what can the righteous do?" Psa. 11:3 NIV. The verse we gave you defines well what we can do. Look closely at the verse. Consider each phrase, then say, "As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord" Josh. 24:15.
 God's people have changed the direction of nations before. God's sword has many records of this. If God responded to the cries of His people then, He will surely do it again. Let's don't wait. Time is running out. America needs the healing hand of God once again.

First Baptist Church Rev. Bill Fuller	Ozona Church of Christ Mr. Rodney Hamon	Ozona United Methodist Church Rev. James Carter
Mt. Zion Baptist Church Rev. Norvell Allen	Faith Lutheran Church Charles Huffman, Pastor	Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church Rev. Matilde Ortega
Templo Bautista	Church of God of Prophecy Pastor Onofre Rodriguez	Our Lady of Perpetual Help Rev. Bill DuBuisson
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Alaska Trip Is Dream Come True

By Cynthia Harrell Hodges

An interest in breeding rabbits fostered by several years of 4-H rabbit projects and a smidgen of good luck meant a trip to Alaska for Ozona sophomore Jason Hignight recently.

The opportunity to visit the picturesque 49th state came about during an October 1993 trip to the National American Rabbit Breeders' Association National Convention in Tacoma, WA. Because of the high cost to attend this convention, Hignight was the only Texan to attend this convention. The industrious 16-year-old worked throughout the summer to raise the necessary capital, and thanks to the contributions of his labor and many individuals, he was able to realize his goal.

During the convention, Hignight met the vice-president of the convention, Judy Paris, and another rabbit breeder, Amber Brasher, from Alaska. A friendship between the two breeders developed, and Brasher invited Hignight to attend the Tanana State Fair in Alaska.

Financial constraints plotted to put the trip out of reach for Hignight initially. Limited job opportunities here for the honor roll student and the high cost of the plane ticket caused the trip to be put on hold.

In Alaska, wheels were turning to ensure that Hignight could attend the fair. The airlines based in Alaska started offering free tickets to encourage travel to the state. The Brashers entered several of these contests, and won one of the free tickets, which they gave to Jason.

The northern journey began with a 13-hour evening flight from Dallas-Fort Worth airport July 30 and ended with a night return flight Aug. 11.

Hignight proudly showed off his Texas heritage at the fair. "I wore Dallas Cowboys, Texas Rangers, and Texas A&M shirts so everyone would know where I was from."

"I could not ship my rabbits to the fair due to the fact the airlines do not ship rabbits until late September due to the heat." Two rabbits were entered in the state contest by the Brashers in "my name so I could be a contestant. One of the rabbits received a first

place ribbon."

The land of the midnight sun lived up to its name, as daylight peppered the landscape until 3 a.m. The temperatures were sweltering, with daytime heat ranging from 75 to 99 degrees and nighttime coolness dipping to the low 50s.

The two-day fair sported many events. "Rabbit judging, showmanship and rabbit show round robin (the judging of four breeds of animals - chickens, guinea pigs, rabbits and ducks/turkeys) were the events for the rabbit portion." Also in evidence at the fair was a 38.7 pound cabbage and a two-foot long ear of corn. A hypnotist, country-western singer Tim McGraw, and a puppet show provided entertainment at the state fair.

Sidetrips in Alaska provided a glimpse of other parts of the state for Hignight. One fascinating place was Knotty Shop. The store "had pieces of diseased wood which were sculpted into animal shapes." A visit to Santa Claus Village at the North Pole featured a 100 foot tall Santa.

The museum at the University of Alaska at Fairbanks was interesting with its Inana Eskimo ancient games exhibit and totem poles.

A three-day trip to the Chia Lakes featured chilly dips in 40 degree water, which "took some getting used to".

"Alaska was not as expensive as I thought it would be (gasoline retailed for \$1.19 per gallon, sodas were \$1.00 per can, hamburgers cost \$3.00). The school, homes and stores were a lot like ours. Other than the beautiful green land, great lakes and fantastic trees, you could say it looked just like Ozona. People were friendly and I had a great time." ****

Here for a recent visit with Thelma Janes and Catherine Coates, other family and friends, were John L. and Stephanie Coates and son Tyler of Kerrville.

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From Laurie Hale

Producers who have not completed their 1994 ACP practices are reminded that Sept. 28 is the last day to report completion of the practice. Oct. 1, 1994, will begin a new ACP year. The office will not be taking applications until November. We are working on guidelines for practices that we hope will help producers understand the ACP program more clearly. Producers are reminded that participation in ACP programs is on a voluntary basis. In other words, if your lease says do conservation work you are not eligible for cost-share assistance. If you have questions, stop by the office for more information.

Sign-up for LTA's (Long Term Agreements) should be sometime in December. The office will let you know the exact dates when we have more information. If you signed up in 1994 you will have to re-apply in 1995.

Starting Sept. 7, 1994, we will be setting up appointments for producers to complete their 1994 Payment Limitation and Highly Erodible Land certifications. Please keep your appointment. We have until Dec. 1, 1994, to complete these, and we have a long way to go. The office will be moving at the end of October, and we'd like to have most if not all of the pay limits done by then.

If you have had a fire on your ranch caused by lightning, please contact the office with the date and number of acres burned. We need to keep a record of all natural disasters that occur in the county.

If you have questions concerning any of the above, or need other information, please contact the ASCS office at 392-3702 or come by.

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50-240 (Rev. 5-94/2)

1994 Property Tax Rates in Crockett County Consolidated Common School District #1

This notice concerns 1994 property tax rates for C.C.C.C.S.D. #1. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes	\$ 6,518,965.00
Last year's debt taxes	\$.00
Last year's total taxes	\$ 6,518,965.00
Last year's tax base	\$ 538,028,530
Last year's total tax rate	\$ 1.21 /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 6,502,705.00
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 603,194,289
= This year's effective tax rate	\$ 1.07804/\$100

x 1.03 = maximum rate unless the school district publishes notices and holds hearing

\$ 1.11038/\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:

School maintenance and operations component	\$ 7,168,898.00
+ This year's tax base	\$ 606,382,029
= This year's local maintenance and operating rate	\$ 1.18224/\$100
+ \$.06 cents = this year's maximum operating rate	\$ 1.24224/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ -0- /\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$ 1.24224/\$100

For a school district with additional rollback rate for pollution control, insert the following lines:

+ Additional rate for pollution control	\$ -0- /\$100
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50-179 (Rev. 5-94/3)

Schedule A Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
General Fund	\$637,164.00

Schedule B 1994 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Certificates of Obligation Series, 1992	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 14,700.00	\$	\$ 114,700.00
(expand as needed)				
Total required for 1994 debt service				\$ 114,700.00
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A				\$.00
- Excess collections last year				\$ 3,600.00
= Total to be paid from taxes in 1994				\$ 111,100.00
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 98 % of its taxes in 1994				\$ 2,267.00
= Total Debt Levy				\$ 113,367.00

Schedule C Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For hospital districts, cities and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes) In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ -0- in additional sales and use tax revenues.

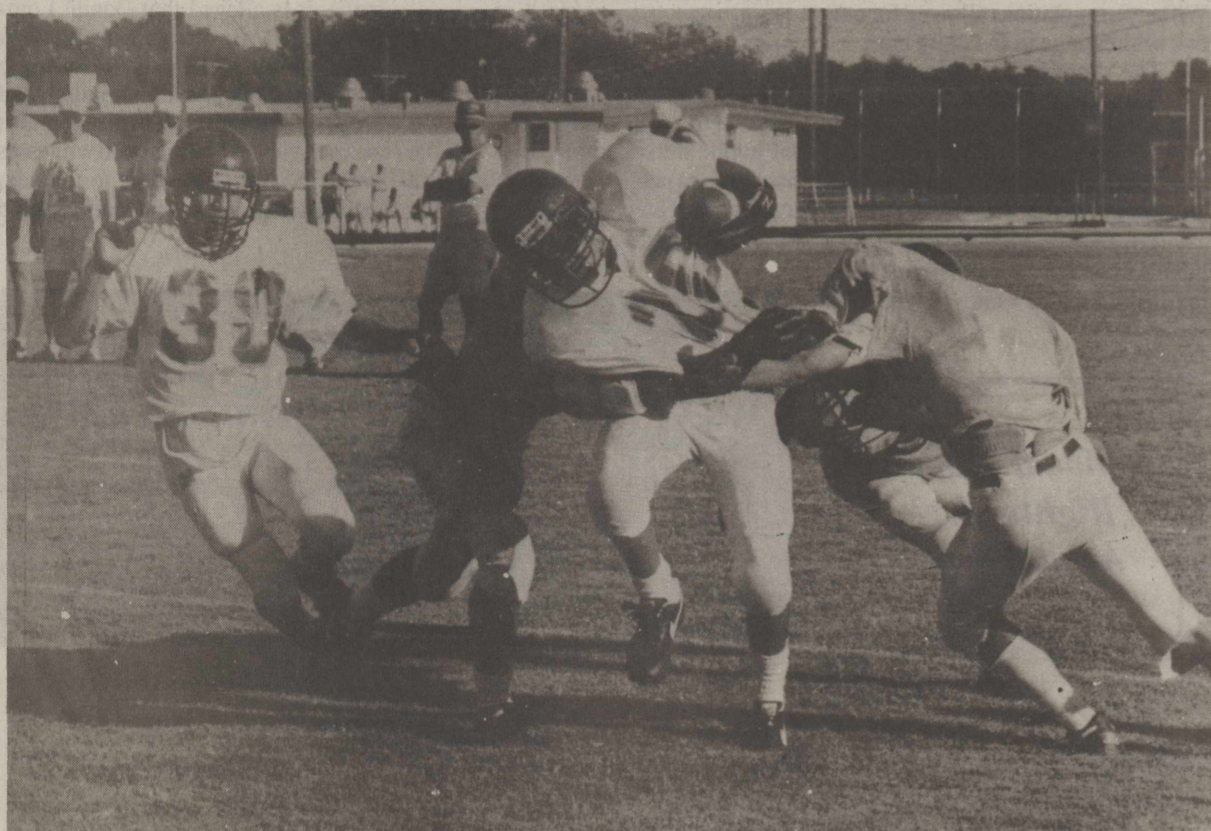
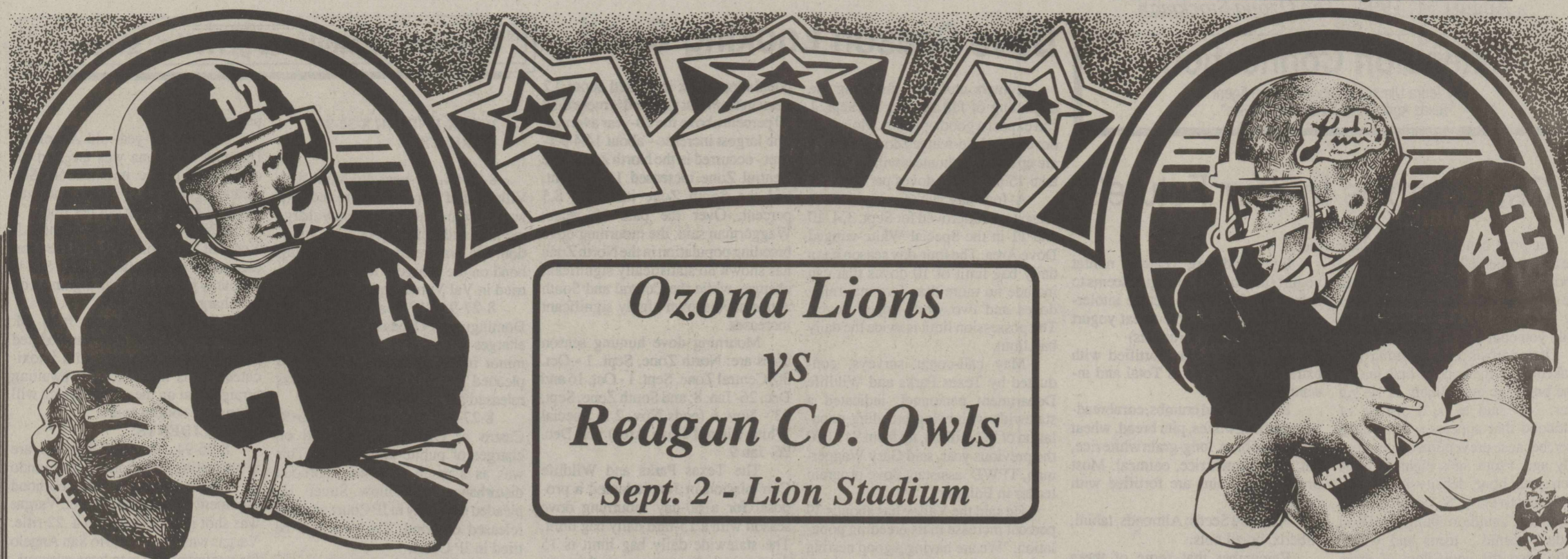
Schedule D State Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties)

The Crockett County Auditor certifies that Crockett County has spent \$ 5,594.00 in the previous 12 months beginning January 1, 1993, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Crockett County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

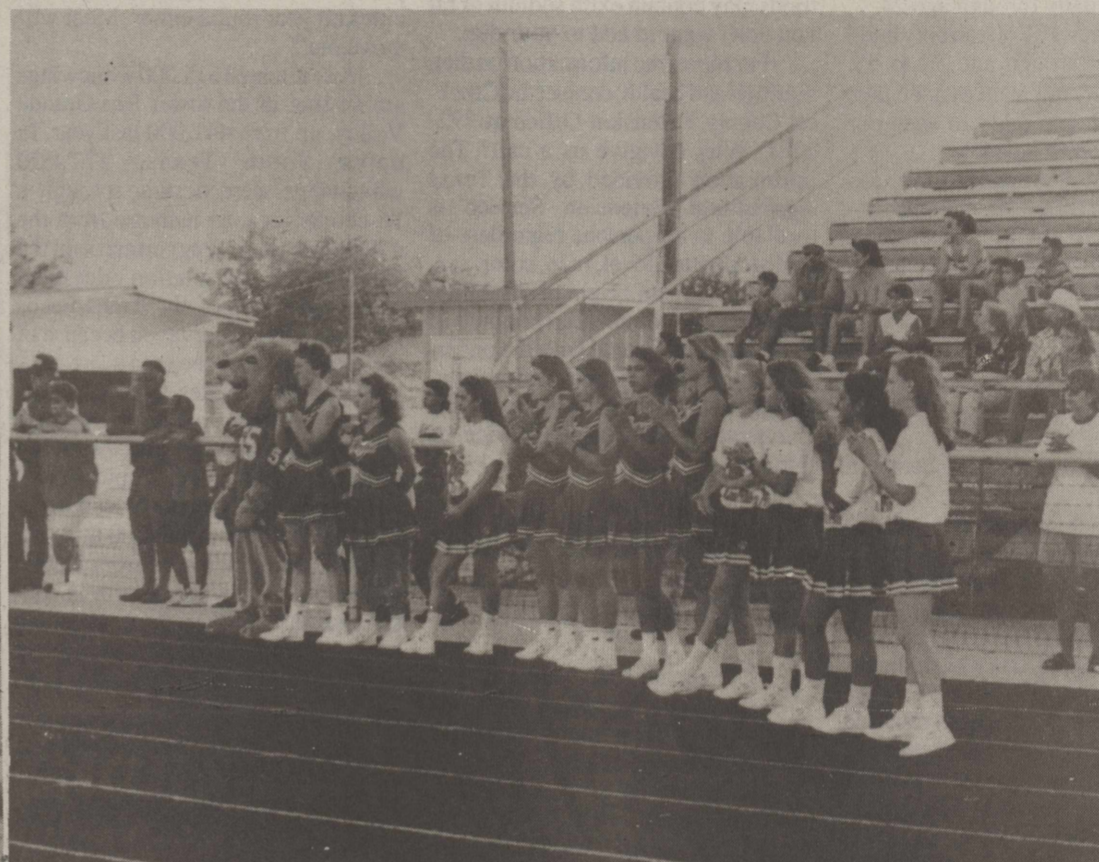
Schedule E Transfer of Department, Function or Activity

The _____ spent \$ -0- from _____ to _____ on the _____. The _____ operates this function in all or a majority of the _____.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at Crockett County Tax Office
Name of person preparing this notice Tom Stokes
Title Tax Assessor-Collector
Date prepared 8/25/94



THREE UNIDENTIFIED OZONA JUNIOR VARSITY players tackle a Crane running back in last Thursday's scrimmage. *photo by Scotty Moore*



THE OZONA 1994-95 VARSITY & JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS applaud the Ozona Junior High football players as they were announced at the Crane scrimmage last Thursday night. *photo by Neal Ulmer*



#33 MATTHEW ORTIZ is carrying the ball for a five-yard gain as #77 Patrick Sanchez is looking for a block downfield in the Ozona and Crane scrimmage last Thursday evening. *photo by Neal Ulmer*



LIONS' QUARTERBACK DAVID BROWNE is scrambling to set up for a pass as lineman Clay Westmoreland gets a block on a Crane player. *photo by Neal Ulmer*

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 Ozona National Bank
 Pioneer IV Oilfield Electric
 and Wrecker Service
 South Texas Lumber
 Village Drug
 Wool Growers Central Storage
 Baskets and More
 Ozona Sports & Supply
 Hero's Pizza

Bryan's Poco Taco
 Circle Bar Motel
 Dairy Queen
 Elma's Grocery
 Knox Floor Covering
 Cafe Next Door
 Ozona Veterinary Clinic
 Preddy Chevron
 Shot's #2
 T & T Village Supermarket
 West Texas Utilities
 Troy Williams
 R & L Bar-B-Q
 La Unica Tortilla Factory
 Rye Supply
 Circle Bar 76



Extension Connection

By Tedra Ulmer, County Extension Agent
Texas Agricultural Extension Service

Is Osteoporosis In Your Future?

Are your bones destined to look like Swiss Cheese? Will you be prone to bone fractures in later life? If you're like many Americans, you may someday wish you'd built stronger bones while you could.

Osteoporosis is a thinning and weakening of the bones which makes bone breakage more likely as we get older. It's said to be a disease of childhood that appears when you're older, because prevention begins at an early age. From ages eight to 16 is when your bone density is formed. According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture's guide to eating - the Food Guide Pyramid - teens and young adults need the equivalent of three cups of milk daily through age 24.

The bad news? You can only build bone density through age 30 to 35. After that time, it is vital that we take in enough calcium daily to keep our bones as strong as possible.

Many women begin to lose too much calcium following menopause - but even before that time, it's important to eat enough calcium, get enough Vitamin D, and get enough exercise to keep bones strong. Major factors causing bone loss are:

- *Little physical exercise or activity
- *Drinking alcohol
- *Decrease in estrogen with menopause

*Too much phosphorus in foods and beverages like colas which are not balanced with enough calcium

*Excessive salt and caffeine
Hispanics and blacks in particular have been noted in recent studies as being at risk for osteoporosis because their calcium intake has been reported as being lower than other population groups. Part of the problem may be that many Hispanics and Blacks have a problem digesting the lactose (milk sugar) in milk, called "Lactose Intolerance". This causes digestive disturbances which often make eating or drinking milk products quite uncomfortable.

If you are Hispanic or Black, it's important to recognize other non-milk sources of calcium. In a typical Hispanic diet, some of these have been identified as corn tortillas, flour tortillas and refried beans. However, there are other even better sources such as collard greens and other foods which might be easy to add to the diet and contribute substantial amounts of calcium. Here is a list of calcium-rich foods other than milk, cheese and ice cream.

Vegetables: canned Fava beans (Remember "Silence of the lambs?"), broccoli, collard greens, spinach, tofu, okra, peas, sauerkraut, pumpkin, sweet potato, tomato, pork and beans, navy beans, pinto beans, kidney beans

Fruits and Juices: papaya, orange, mixed fruit cups, seedless raisins, avocados, cantaloupes, dates, figs, tangerine juice, pineapple juice, lemonade (homemade), prune juice, orange juice, vegetable juice cocktail. Some juices have been fortified with calcium.

cium.

Eggs and egg beaters, nonfat yogurt (the enzyme in yogurt seems to help some folks with lactose intolerance - you may be able to eat yogurt but not other dairy products)

Some cereals are fortified with extra calcium, such as Total and instant oatmeal.

Breads: bread crumbs, cornbread-type stuffing mixes, pita bread, wheat bread, rice bran, long-grain white rice, oat bran, brown rice, oatmeal. Most breads and grains are fortified with calcium.

Nuts and Seeds: Almonds, tahini, filberts, brazil nuts.

Remember that some of these foods may contain extra sodium or fat you don't want to add to your diet.

For more free information on diet, nutrition and health, contact the Crockett County Extension Office at 392-2721. Why not give us a call? The information provided by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is available to all persons regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, national origin or disability. References to commercial products or trade names are made with the understanding that no discrimination is intended and no endorsement by the Cooperative Extension Service is implied.

Sheep And Goat Field Day Sept. 1

The annual sheep and goat field day sponsored jointly by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will be held in San Angelo on Thursday, Sept. 1. The event will be held at the TAMU Agricultural Research and Extension Center at 7887 N. Hwy. 87.

Registration will begin at 9 a.m. with the morning programs scheduled from 9:45 to 11:30. Outside tours will cover meat goat research, heavy muscled sheep, mesquite control and the Pasture to Packer program. A catered lunch will be served from 11:45 to 12:45.

The afternoon program is scheduled from 1 to 3 p.m. with sessions on what is known about heavy muscled sheep, comments from new TAMU Animal Science Sheep & Goat specialist, juniper management, making artificial insemination and embryo transfers work for goats and a panel discussion on meat goat update.

All programs and information of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Texas Agricultural Extension Service are available to everyone regardless of race, color, religion, sex, age, disability or national origin.

Becky Madray of Owings Mills, MD, has been in Ozona for a visit with her mother, Donna Beth Davidson, other relatives and friends.

Dove Season Looking Good

Hunters anxiously awaiting the beginning of fall hunting on Sept. 1 can expect a good opening. Mourning dove and white-winged dove numbers are up and dove hunters will be able to take 15 mourning doves per day.

A four-day white-winged dove season was approved for Sept. 3, 4, 10 and 11 in the Special White-winged Dove Area. The four-day season has a daily bag limit of 10 doves that can include no more than five mourning doves and two white-tipped doves. The possession limit is twice the daily bag limit.

May call-count surveys, conducted by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department personnel, indicated a statewide whitewing breeding population of 1.2 million, up from 941,000 the previous year, said Gary Waggenerman, TPWD assistant dove program leader in Edinburg.

He said the Valley has about a 39 percent increase in its breeding population. "We are having a good nesting year in the cities. They don't stay in the cities all year round either. Most will move out."

An estimated 615,000 whitewings are nesting in the lower Rio Grande Valley, up from 441,000 last year. In upper South Texas, 577,000 whitewings were nesting through a 16-county area, an increase from the 479,000 in 1993. Waggenerman said the Trans-Pecos population declined some, but much of the Trans-Pecos population is not surveyed because of the remoteness of the area.

Nesting densities in San Antonio, Austin and other areas of the state continue to increase. San Antonio's estimated whitewing population - within Loop 410 - increased from 216,000 last year to 244,000 this year while Austin's increased from 21,000 to 79,000. Dallas/Fort Worth is considered the northernmost breeding range, although more whitewings are being reported each year near Lubbock and Amarillo. Whitewings also are being found in Houston and several towns in West Texas.

The statewide mourning dove

population index increased about 7.2 percent from last year and is more than 30 percent above the 20-year average. The largest increase - about 14.4 percent - occurred in the North Zone. The Central Zone increased 1.6 percent, and the South Zone increased 8.5 percent. Over the past 15 years, Waggenerman said, the mourning dove breeding population in the North Zone has shown no statistically significant changes while the Central and South zones have shown highly significant increases.

Mourning dove hunting season dates are: North Zone, Sept. 1 - Oct. 30; Central Zone, Sept. 1 - Oct. 16 and Dec. 26 - Jan. 8; and South Zone, Sept. 23 - Nov. 6 (ends Nov. 2 in Special White-winged Dove Area) and Dec. 26 - Jan. 9.

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission in June adopted a proposal for a 60-day mourning dove season with a 15-bird daily bag limit. The statewide daily bag limit is 15 doves, including no more than six whitewings and two whitetips. Previously, the season was 70 days long and had a 12-bird daily bag limit, and, in the four traditional whitewing counties (Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr and Willacy), regulations allowed for only two whitewings in the daily bag.

The shooting hours for all early season migratory game birds is one-half hour before sunrise to sunset, except during the special white-winged dove season when the shooting hours are noon to sunset.

To hunt white-winged doves, hunters must have a valid Texas hunting license and a white-winged dove stamp (\$7).

Crockett County Sheriff's Report

WEEK ENDING 8-30-94
ARRESTS:

8-24-94...47-year-old Manuel T. Villarreal of Ozona was arrested on a warrant from Val Verde County charging him with felony probation violation. He was released after posting bond on the charge. The case will be tried in Val Verde County.

8-27-94...19-year-old Jose I. Dominguez of Ozona was arrested on charges of public intoxication and minor in possession of alcohol. He pleaded guilty in JP Court and was released after paying his fine.

8-27-94...37-year-old Eginio R. Castro of Ozona was arrested on charges of public intoxication. This was a result of a neighborhood disturbance on Willow Street. He pleaded not guilty in JP Court and was released on bond. The case will be tried in JP Court.

8-27-94...17-year-old Fernando Sifuentes of Ozona was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated. This was a result of a report of someone racing in the draw and up Santa Rosa Street. He was later released on bond. The case will be tried in county court.

8-28-94...35-year-old Norma G. Perez of Ozona was arrested on charges of public intoxication. This was the result of the neighborhood disturbance on Willow Street. She pleaded guilty in JP Court and was later released after

paying her fine.

8-28-94...21-year-old Angela D. Drennan of Ozona was arrested on charges of public intoxication. She pleaded guilty in JP Court and was released after laying out her fine.

8-29-94...23-year-old Lynda J. York of Mission was arrested on charges of public intoxication. She is in county jail awaiting arraignment on the charge.

8-29-94...30-year-old John M. Mewborn of California was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated. He is in county jail awaiting arraignment on the charge which will be tried in county court.

INCIDENTS:

8-26-94...Sheriff's deputies are investigating the shooting of Edmundo B. Vargas during a neighborhood argument on Mulberry Street. Vargas was shot in the thigh with a .22 rifle. Vargas was transferred to San Angelo for treatment and was later released.

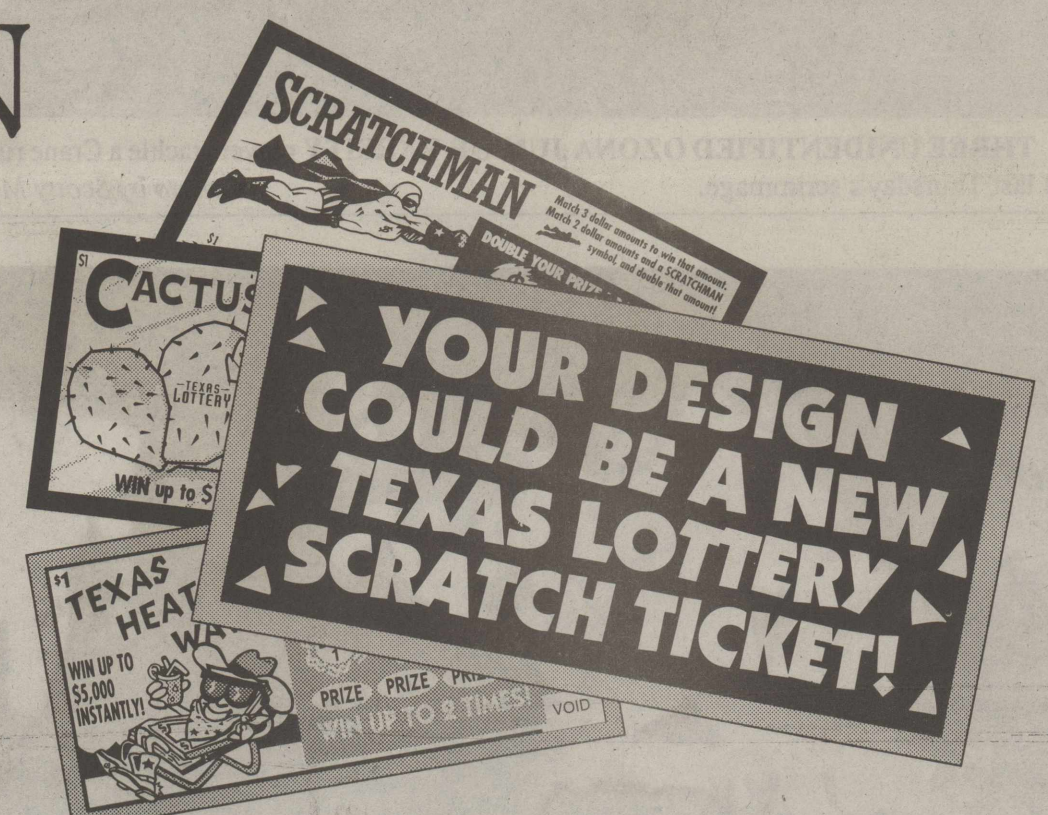
Witnesses report that Vargas argued with Daniel Lombrano over a fence that separated their property. During the argument, it is alleged that a club was pulled and threats were made. It is alleged that Daniel Lombrano shot Vargas during the fight. At least two other persons are alleging that they were assaulted and/or had property damage. Sheriff's deputies are interviewing victims and witnesses and will present the case to the next setting of the Crockett County Grand Jury.

National Property
Rights Week
Aug. 27-Sept. 3

NEEDED:
LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS INTERESTED IN PROVIDING GAMES AND BOOTHS FOR HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL. CALL OZONA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

392-3737

DESIGN the ultimate, FUN Scratch ticket—and WIN CASH!



YOUR DESIGN COULD BE A NEW TEXAS LOTTERY SCRATCH TICKET!

WHAT?

Enter the Texas Lottery's Scratch Contest. The winning ticket design could be produced as a new Texas Lottery ticket. The winning entry will be awarded \$3,000 with four runner-up prizes of \$1,000 each!

WHO?

The public, Lottery players, and retailers are eligible to enter. You don't need to be an artist to enter and win.

WHEN?

Entries must be received at Lottery Headquarters by 5:00 P.M. Monday, September 26, 1994. All entries must be submitted on an official entry form or facsimile of the form. The top 20 finalists will be notified by Friday, October 14, 1994.

WHERE?

You can pick up an official entry form at Lottery Claim Centers, Lottery retail outlets or at Lottery Headquarters. An entry form can also be found in the Texas Lottery Winner's Gazette.

Mail your entry to:

Texas Lottery
Scratch Contest
PO Box 149170
Austin TX 78714-9170

or bring it in person to:

Texas Lottery Headquarters
6937 IH 35N
Austin TX 78752

HOW?

Be creative. Be artistic. Be original.

JUDGING CRITERIA

1. Game Theme

Examples of theme are:

- Money (anything with money, dough, cash, etc. in the name).
- Special (including holiday, seasonal and environmental).
- Fun (misc. such as Heat Wave).

To see examples of themes or play styles refer to current Texas Lottery Scratch tickets at your local retailer.

2. Play Style (How to Play)

Examples of play style are:

- Match 3 dollars amounts and win that amount.
- Match 3 symbols to win the prize in the legend.
- Your number(s) beat or match the ticket's number(s) to win.
- Tic-Tac-Toe, match 3 in a row to win.
- Optional: Special features can also be added such as bonus squares, doublers or wild cards.

3. Graphics

Attractiveness of the design.

An enlarged template is provided on the entry form. Computer-generated graphics are welcome—however a print out should be submitted, please do not provide a disc.

4. Originality

Copy of an existing Scratch ticket from Texas or any other lottery will not be accepted. Ideas and graphics must be original.

Complete details and contest rule information are available by calling the Lottery's toll-free Customer Service Line at 1-800-37-LOTTO.



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Call early for best selection of Homecoming Mums and Garters.

Come in and let Debra design your own mum.

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6" Garden Mums Assorted Colors \$2⁹⁹

5" Cossandra \$2⁹⁵

4" Mums \$1³⁹

4" Marigolds 75c

5" Snap Dragons \$1⁶⁹

5 Gallon Shrubs \$12⁹⁵

5" Ornamental Peppers \$2⁹⁵

One Gallon Shrubs \$3⁹⁹

Petunias 99c

6 Packs of Snap-Dragons \$2⁴⁹

4" Dianthus 99c

6 Packs of Pansies \$2⁴⁹

Baskets and More

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JAIME RAMOS is pictured with the second place trophy won in the Knights of Columbus volleyball tournament held last weekend. Teammates not pictured are Steven Martinez and John Esparza.

Volleyball Tournament Attracts Three Teams

On Saturday, Aug. 20, the Knights of Columbus held their second annual volleyball tournament, but due to a lack of participants, the format was changed to a three on three round robin with only three teams entered.

Team one consisted of Julian Sifuentes, Jose Dominguez and Antonio Ufate. Team two members were: Steven Martinez, John Esparza and Jaime Ramos. Team three was made up of Eli Hernandez, Efran Ramirez and Eric Ramos.

Ultimately team one went undefeated 4-0 and captured the first place trophy. After a two out of three series the team led by Steven Martinez captured the second place trophy and third went to the team of Eli Hernandez, Efran Ramirez and Eric Ramos.

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank these teams for participating and look forward to sponsoring more events in the future.

Happy Birthday

Aug. 31 - Brenda Newton, Betty Castro, Julian Ramirez Jr., Yvette Martinez, Olga Perez, Jerry Fatout, Veronica Vasquez, Lalo G. Guadarrama, Derrick Delgado

Sept. 1 - Lucille Littleton, Jesus Borrego, Kelly Glaze, Skip Carroll, Norma Hines

Sept. 2 - Sandy Montgomery

Sept. 3 - Margaret Tabb, Mikki Ramirez

Sept. 4 - Jimmy Lott

Sept. 5 - J. D. Brown

Sept. 6 - Santos Longoria, Zachary Beasley



TAKING THE THIRD PLACE HONORS in the second annual Knights of Columbus volleyball tournament held Aug. 20 are: Eric Ramos, Efran Ramirez and Eli Hernandez.

It's Spaghetti Time.

Meals on Wheels will have their annual fund raising, all you can eat spaghetti supper, on Sept. 2, just prior to the Ozona - Big Lake football game.

Serving will start at 5:30 p.m. in the civic center at First and Ave. H, and end when all are fed.

You can eat in or carry out for only \$3.00 per person.

The menu will consist of spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, homemade bread, dessert and tea.

The proceeds from this go directly into the meals program.

"We appreciate your continued support," said Janet Hill McDaniel. "See you there."

1994 Property Tax Rates in Crockett County

This notice concerns 1994 property tax rates for Crockett County. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

	General Fund	Farm to Market/ Flood Control Fund	Special Road/ Bridge Fund
Last year's tax rate:			
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 3,213,443	\$ 774,154	\$ 56,275
Last year's debt taxes	\$ 109,687	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
Last year's total taxes	\$ 3,323,130	\$ 774,154	\$ 56,275
Last year's tax base	\$562,758,410	\$560,290,190	\$ 562,758,410
Last year's total tax rate	\$.5905 /\$100	\$.13817 /\$100	\$.0100 /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:			
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 3,320,781	\$ 773,448	\$ 56,359
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$626,334,859	\$623,802,129	\$ 626,334,859
= This year's effective tax rate for each fund	\$.53019 /\$100	\$.12398 /\$100	\$.00900 /\$100
Total effective tax rate	\$.66317 /\$100		

In the first year a county collects the additional sales tax to reduce property taxes, it must insert the following lines unless its first adjustment was made last year.

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ -0- /\$100
= Effective tax rate	\$.66317 /\$100
x 1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing	\$.68307 /\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:			
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and including taxes for state criminal justice mandate.)	\$ 3,210,578	\$ 773,448	\$ 54,527
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 626,334,859	\$ 623,802,129	\$ 626,334,859
= This year's effective operating rate	\$.51260 /\$100	\$.12398 /\$100	\$.00871 /\$100
x 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$.55360 /\$100	\$.13389 /\$100	\$.00940 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$.01800 /\$100	\$ -0- /\$100	\$ -0- /\$100
= This year's rollback rate for each fund	\$.57160 /\$100	\$.13389 /\$100	\$.00940 /\$100
This year's total rollback rate	\$.71500 /\$100		

A county that collects the additional sales tax to reduce property taxes, including one that collects the tax for the first time this year, must insert the following lines:

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ -0- /\$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$.71500 /\$100

For a county with additional rollback rate for pollution control, insert the following lines:

+ Additional rate for pollution control	\$ -0- /\$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$.71500 /\$100

Schedule A Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
Local Maintenance	\$1,900,000.00

Schedule B 1994 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
(expand as needed)				
Total required for 1994 debt service			\$ -0-	
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A			\$ -0-	
- Excess collections last year			\$ -0-	
= Total to be paid from taxes in 1994			\$ -0-	
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only _____ % of its taxes in 1994			\$ -0-	
= Total Debt Levy			\$ -0-	

Schedule C Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For hospital districts, cities and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes) In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ -0- in additional sales and use tax revenues.

Schedule D State Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties)

The _____ County Auditor certifies that _____ County has spent \$ -0- in the previous 12 months beginning _____, 19____, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. _____ County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

Schedule E Transfer of Department, Function or Activity

The _____ spent \$ -0- from _____ to _____ on the _____. The _____ operates this function in all or a majority of the _____.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at _____ Crockett County Tax Office
Name of person preparing this notice _____ Tom Stokes
Title _____ Tax Assessor-Collector
Date prepared _____ 08/25/94

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A LARGE PECAN LIMB fell across the sidewalk on the square late Wednesday evening. Pecan trees are said to prune themselves, and fortunately this one chose to do so when the park was empty. Preparing to cut the limb into manageable lengths for disposal are Stanley Najjar and Melvin White.

***Public School**

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ested parties, (i. e. individuals interested in the voucher system). Your School Board, along with the Sterling City ISD School Board, has also challenged the constitutionality of SB 7. There are still many questions unanswered as to the future of SB 7 but many are predicting that it will be ruled constitutional.

We know the Legislature's actions were in response to court rulings declaring the state's school funding system unconstitutional. Sometime in the near future we will know if SB 7 is constitutional, based on a ruling by the Texas Supreme Court. Currently we have no choice but to continue to implement SB 7 because it is law. Last year the State Legislature through SB 7 gave property wealthy districts five (5) forced options on how to share their property wealth. Voters in all property wealthy districts were forced to decide on which option or options they felt was best even though none of the five supposedly voluntary options to achieve equalized wealth were very beneficial to them. The five options were: 1.) consolidating with another district; 2.) detaching and annexing territory; 3.) purchasing WADA credit from the state; 4.) contracting for the education of nonresident students; and 5.) agreeing to consolidate tax bases with another district. The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District voters approved only option 3.

The consequences for not approving one of the above options was that the Commissioner of Education would detach identified types of property from the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District and give it to other school districts to reduce our wealth to \$280,000.00 taxable wealth behind each student, and the hold harmless provision would not apply. By voluntarily reducing property wealth through option 3 above, the Crockett County Consolidated CSD was allowed three (3) transition years at a tax base that, at the greater of either a tax rate set in statute or their current 1992-1993 rate, will generate Maintenance and Operation revenue per Weighted Average Daily Atten-

dance (WADA) equal to that of the 1992-1993 school year. The rate set in statute is \$1.375 for 1993-1994 and \$1.50 for 1994-1995 and 1995-1996.

What the average citizen and tax payer does not know or understand is that after the three (3) hold harmless years, a property wealthy district will be limited to levying taxes on only the equalized wealth level of \$280,000.00 per student. It makes no difference how much wealth a district has because it will be limited to \$280,000.00. During the three year transitional period or the hold harmless period, a property wealthy district truly has only three choices: cut back its operating expenses, raise its taxes or do a combination of both. The rate set in statute for wealthy districts was \$1.375 for 1993-1994 and \$1.50 for 1994-1995 and 1995-1996.

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District tax rate for 1993-1994 was \$1.21. We are significantly below what is needed to address what SB 7 has dictated for our district. The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District Board of Trustees has proposed a \$1.23 tax rate to operate the district for the 1994-1995 School Year. Each and every tax payer in our district will pay slightly more in school taxes than they paid last year and yet the district will not have to hold a rollback election. The district does not have to hold a rollback election because of the hold harm-

less feature which set the benchmark tax rate in statute of \$1.375 for the 1993-1994 school year and \$1.50 for the 1994-1995 and 1995-1996 school years. This holds true even though our district has gained taxable wealth. The tax rate of \$1.23 is a long way from the recommended \$1.50 rate set in statute by SB 7 and we are still much lower than the wealthy district's tax rates in

the graph I have researched on other districts' tax rates which will be published later.

The Crockett County Consolidated CSD Board of Trustees and I can assure you of three things concerning your school district. First, tax payers in the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District will have one of the lowest tax rates in the state. Second, we will not need to be at the \$1.50 to operate an efficient and effective district because we will do everything we can to cut operating expenses. Thirdly, if we do not raise our tax rate, there will be severe and devastating changes in our district when the hold harmless provision ends in two years.

Is our state over-relying on the local property tax? Can the property tax bring equity to school funding? Do we need state tax reform? Is our state and local tax system out of balance? Can a meaningful tax reform attract new industries to Texas, provide more jobs, relieve pressure on local taxpayers, and increase the availability of revenue for basic governmental services such as public education? What can you and I do?

Many of us feel that state government is too large, and what we think does not seem to count. Texas taxes is everybody's business. You need to make your opinions known to our state leaders. I will admit up front. I have strong convictions when it comes to paying for the education of our children. No price is too high. In fact, if we don't pay the needed price to educate our children, I don't think you and I can afford the consequences.

During the 73rd Legislative ses-

sion there were more than 4,000 bills filed. Many of these affected public education. Now that the dust has settled at our State Capitol and we have had one year to study SB 7, we are attempting to provide you, the Crockett County tax payer, with a brief rundown of SB 7 and its implications on the operation of our district. It is very difficult indeed for me to attempt to give you a comprehensive summary

of all the many facets of SB 7 and how it is affecting you and your school district. If you have any questions, let me encourage you to visit with one of your elected school board members or me.

The information in this article is based on publications prepared by the Texas Education Agency and the Texas Association of School Boards.

**National Property Rights Week
Aug. 27-Sept. 3, 1994**

512 9th St. - Ozona Location
392-2444



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Second Pizza \$6⁰⁰



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Cafeteria Menu
Sept. 1... Tacos, Cheese, Salad, Ranch Style Beans, Chocolate Pudding and Milk
Sept. 2... Chicken Fried Steak, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Peach Slices, Rolls and Milk
Sept. 5... Holiday
Sept. 6... Hamburger, Salad, Tator Tots, Sugar Cookie and Milk
Sept. 7... Pizza, Nachos, Salad, Applesauce and Milk
Sept. 8... Frito Pie, Salad, Com, Breadsticks, Jello and Milk
Sept. 9... Pork Chopette, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls and Milk

Fast Food Menu
Sept. 1... Taco Salad, Ranch Style Beans, Chocolate Pudding and Milk
Sept. 2... Cheese Burger, Salad, Tator Tots and Milk
Sept. 5... Holiday
Sept. 6... Pizza, Tator Tots, Salad, Sugar Cookie and Milk
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The public hearing will be held on September 6, 1994, at the School Administration Board Room at 797 Avenue D, Ozona, Texas.

FOR the proposal: Elliott Barrera, David Bean, Becky Childress, Wade C. Richardson, Marcus Sims, Veronica Tijerina and George Ybarra

AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: None

ABSENT: None

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the rollback tax rate that the unit published on August 31, 1994. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	Last Year	This Year
Average home value	\$28,743	\$28,743
General exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	\$ 5,748	\$5,748
Average taxable value	\$22,995	\$22,995
Tax rate	\$1.21/\$100	\$1.23/\$100
Tax	\$278.24	\$282.84

Under this proposal, taxes on the average home would increase by \$4.60 or 1.6 percent compared with last year's taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by \$.02 per \$100 of taxable value or 1.6 percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

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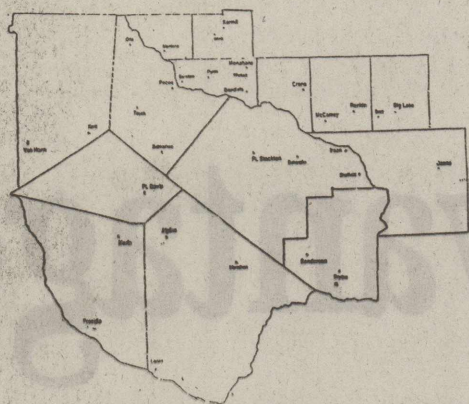
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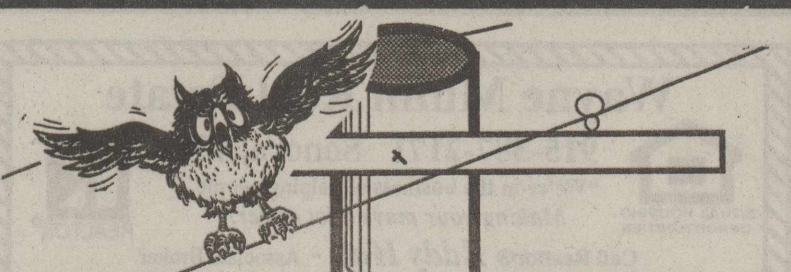
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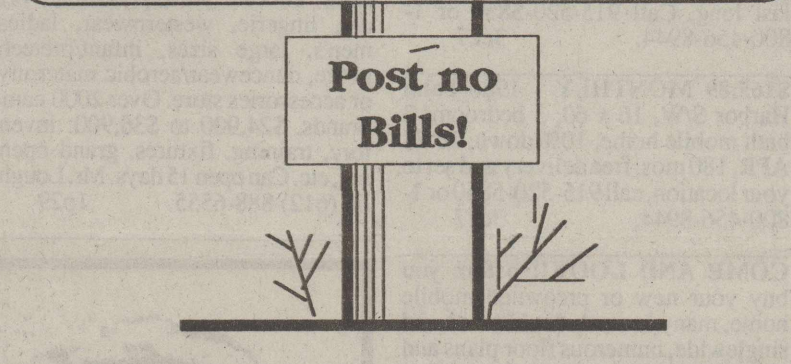
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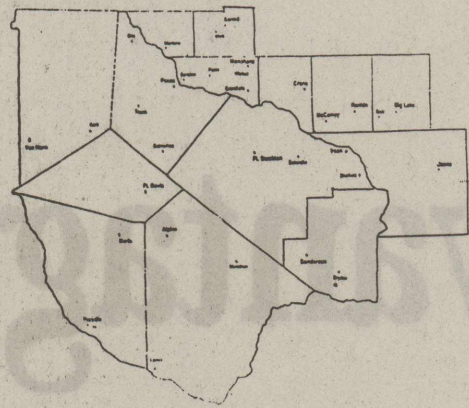
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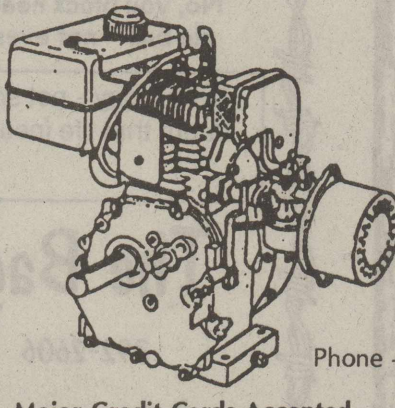
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