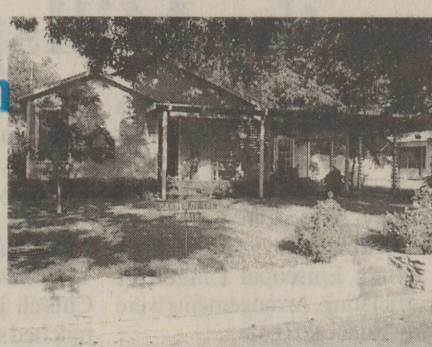


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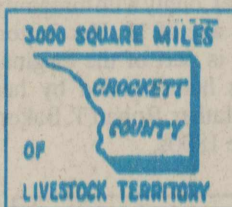
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THESE BORDER COLLIES BELONGING TO DWIGHT CHILDRESS died last week of multiple bee stings. Pictured with them in a Stockman file photo is Dwight's nephew, Whit Anderson of Fort Worth.

## Dogs die from bee stings

Three border collies belonging to Dwight Childress died Friday after being stung by bees. It had not been confirmed by Tuesday afternoon that the bees were Africanized, but County Agent Miles Dabovich said he was 99.9% sure that they were. Dabovich expected to have a report soon.

Childress had taken the dogs to the ranch nine miles north of Ozona where they were tied under a shed off the edge of the barn.

"Within 15 minutes of tying them, they were attacked," Childress said.

Bees took over two of the barns at the ranch, preventing Childress from reaching his sprayer. He had to come to town for a sprayer, then ran out of spray. "They were terrible," he said of the bees.

"We didn't know the bees were there," said Dwight's wife, Becky. "We don't know how we missed them, but there were obviously thousands." The bees covered the dogs and machinery, Becky said.

"Dwight couldn't get to his sprayer, so Pleas brought his. I don't know if the spray killed them (the bees) or just dispersed them."

One of the dogs was already dead from bee stings when the men were able to reach it, a second died shortly thereafter and the third that night.

"It's just devastating. They went

with me everywhere," Childress said.

The six or eight people helping were stung, but they're all right. "The men had knots the size of golf balls every where they (the bees) bit them," Childress said.

Dwight went on to tell about

another bee incident the same day on their ranch west of town. A man was out working when he heard something and ran and got in his pickup. In just a few minutes a swarm of bees the size of a barrel was on a nearby post.

## Bee facts

The Africanized honey bee (*Apis mellifera scutellata*), frequently called the "killer bee" by the popular media, poses a threat to Texas and the southern U. S. This bee could cause economic losses to the U. S. beekeeping industry ranging from \$29 to \$58 million annually, according to the Economic Research Service, USDA.

The bees could also be a danger to people, particularly in urban areas. Most of the problems with the Africanized honey bee stem from its behavioral characteristics, which are very different from those of domestic or European honey bees. These characteristics include excess swarming and defensiveness, and the fact that the bees often nest near people's homes. Beekeepers may have serious problems managing their hives in areas where Africanized bees occur.

Insect specialists are working to minimize the problems the bees may cause for beekeepers and the general public.

What is the Africanized honey bee?

The Africanized honey bee evolved from the same species as our domestic or European honey bees (*Apis mellifera*). Domestic honey bees have been managed by commercial and hobby beekeepers all over the world for many centuries. These bees have desirable traits such as gentleness, honey production, tendency not to swarm and winter hardiness.

The Africanized bees, on the other hand, are "wild". This bee can best be described as "a honey bee with a personality problem."

Where did the Africanized bee come from and where is it now?

In 1957, African queen bees were imported to Brazil to improve that country's honey production. As they bred with native Brazilian honey bees, the African bees passed on their aggressive traits. These Africanized bees

soon established wild colonies.

Africanized honey bee colonies have spread at the rate of 200 to 300 miles annually, depending on terrain and available resources. Colonies can now be found from central Argentina to southern Texas. The range of the Africanized bee will continue to expand into the warmer portions of the U. S.

How is the Africanized bee different from the domestic honey bee?

The physical differences between the European and Africanized honey bee are so slight that it is difficult even for an expert to make a positive visual identification. Complex testing procedures are used to distinguish between the two bees.

The most obvious characteristics of the Africanized bee have to do with its behavior. Africanized colonies are consistently more defensive, more apt to swarm and move, and are less selective in choosing a nesting site. The colonies also occur in greater numbers.

Defensive Behavior

Many people imagine Africanized bees as large swarms moving across the countryside in search of humans or animals to attack. This dramatic scenario does not occur. Although the bees are often described as aggressive, defensive is a more accurate description since they do not attack unless provoked. However, when their colony is threatened, intentionally or not, they do respond more quickly and in greater numbers than domestic honey bees. About ten times more stings will result from disturbing an Africanized colony. This intensity of attack is enough to impress even an experienced beekeeper.

Swarming and Absconding  
Swarming is the process by which social insects found new colonies.

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## Good things come from Menard scrimmage

By Neal Ulmer  
Stockman Sportswriter

The Ozona Lions showed persistence in becoming a good ball club for the 1997 football season as they scrimmaged the District 15-A Menard Yellowjackets in Lion Stadium Aug. 28. The Lions came out ahead in the scoring 3-2 except for the practicing of overtime situations where the Yellowjackets kicked a 20-yard field goal.

"We did well and we did a lot of good things," said Ozona head coach Walter Hargrove after the scrimmage. "We have improved physically (playing tougher). There were some pretty big hits out there on the field. The best

thing was, we got to the ball well."

Impressed with Menard, Coach Hargrove said, "We played real good against a good team. Menard is a real good football team."

He told his Ozona Lions team after the scrimmage, "I feel real good. We've gone through two-a-days, we are healthy, and you did a good job."

Each team ran 40 plays with the ball placed on the 30-yard line. Menard received the ball first and had a difficult time moving the ball as they fumbled on their first three possessions. Ozona came up with the last two of those fumbles. Next, the Yellowjackets took to the air with about 10-11 pass plays. Menard fumbled their next possession, and then Ozona took their first offensive possession.

"Defensively, we were hitting good and flying around the ball," said Coach Hargrove. "We did a good job. We weren't under control when we were tackling on the open field. We missed some tackles."

When the Lions went on offense, they took off running with quarterback Justin Browne. He scooted for a 12-yard run, but the Lions were flagged for several penalties, taking them back to their 27-yard line. The Lions started working together with Kenny Vargas picking up 14 yards on a pass from Browne and running back Wesley Flores getting loose for 21 yards and 15 yards. The Lions ended up scoring their first touchdown on a 12-yard pass to Brian Badillo from Browne.

On Menard's next possession,

they scored on a 62-yard run, but it was brought back due to a penalty. Tim Maldonado intercepted a Yellowjacket pass and about four plays later, they fumbled the ball again.

Ozona's Ross Crawford intercepted another Yellowjacket pass. Interceptions are not run back in scrimmages, but if they had been, the Lions would have scored on both. Quarterback Crawford led the second team offense with a couple of pass completions. Both went to Anthony Ortiz with one of those caught out of bounds and the other was good for 17 yards. Rick Hamon ran the ball with one play, gaining 21 yards, and Browne ran also, gaining 13 yards. The Lions

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## Students complete medication aide course

A 140 hour medication aide course offered through Midland College ended here last week according to instructor Peggy McWilliams, R.N. The class included 107 hours of classroom lecture, three hours of pharmacist lecture, 20 hours medication lab and 10 hours clinical experience.

In order to attend, students must be a high school graduate or have a G.E.D. and must be currently employed as a certified nurse's aide in a licensed long term care facility. Seven students were awarded scholarships by Crockett County, three additional students from Ozona paid their own way and two students attended from Sonora.

Attending were: Edward Chipman, Jimmie Griffith-Harris, Letty Martinez, Alice Borrego, Connie Gonzales, Griselda Tambunga, Mary Flores, Frances Davis, Janis St. Clair, Roxanne Rico, Connie Marshall and Ginny Everett.

The students will take their writ-

ten exam given by the Texas Department of Human Services on Sept. 11 in Ozona. Upon passing this exam, a permit will be issued to the medication aide which will allow them to work under the authority of a licensed nurse and to administer medications to residents in the long term care facility.

"This has been a very intense course and the students have put a lot of long hours and effort into it's completion," said Mrs. McWilliams.

The course covers medication rules and laws, how drugs affect all our body systems, responsibilities of the medication aide, as well as drugs that are used to treat skin conditions, the cardiovascular system, the respiratory system, the nervous system, gastrointestinal system, genitourinary system, endocrine system, reproductive system, musculoskeletal system and special needs that the elderly have in their medication therapy.



COMPLETING A MEDICATION AIDE COURSE through Midland College are: (back row, l. to r.) Connie Marshall; Connie Nelson, LVN, assistant D.O.N.; Gerald Creel, RN, Director of Nursing; Alice Borrego, Roxanne Rico, Frances Davis, Edward Chipman, Jimmie Sue Griffith-Harris and Griselda Tambunga. Front row: (l. to r.) Mary Flores, Letty Martinez, Janis St. Clair, Connie Gonzales, Ginny Everett and Peggy McWilliams, RN, instructor.

### The Weather



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Aug. 25	93	66	-0-
Aug. 26	93	67	-0-
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**Dorothy Millspaugh service Sept. 1**

Dorothy Millspaugh, 84, of Ozona died Saturday, Aug. 30, 1997, in her home.

Graveside service was held at 10 a.m. Monday, Sept. 1, in Cedar Hill Cemetery with the Rev. Monty Jones of St. John's Episcopal Church of Sonora officiating. Arrangements were by Preddy Funeral Home.

Born Dorothy Elizabeth Dec. 29, 1912, in Sutton County, she was the only child of Sterling Price Baker and Eva Martin Baker, who were both from pioneer families. Her maternal grandfather, John Rowland Martin, came to Kimble County with his family in 1878 at the age of 12. Her Sutton County ranch is part of the original land that was homesteaded by her paternal grandfather, Robert T. Baker, in the mid-late 1800s.

She attended TCU and the University of Texas at Austin, where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta fraternity.

She married Sidney Sanderson Millspaugh Jr. of San Angelo on Sept. 15, 1934, in St. John's Episcopal Church in Sonora. The Millspaughs ranch southwest of Ozona. After his death in 1952, Dorothy Millspaugh returned to college and received her bachelor of arts degree in education from Sul Ross University in Alpine. She taught school in Lamesa, Rankin, San Antonio and Big Lake. She also continued to manage her ranching interests in Sutton and Crockett counties.

Mrs. Millspaugh was a former member of the Ozona Woman's Forum, the Country Club Bridge Club

and the Duplicate Bridge Club. She was also a loyal supporter of the Crockett County Museum and Library. Her collection of historical books was outstanding.

Preceding her in death were her husband and her parents. Surviving her are two daughters and one son, Linda Aysseh, Marilyn West and Sidney Sanderson Millspaugh III.

Her daughter Linda is married to Charles Aysseh of New Canaan, CN. She has one son, Eric Brix Andersen of Denver, and one daughter and son-in-law, Elizabeth and Jack Ryder, and one granddaughter, Josephine Emily Ryder, all of Boulder, CO.

Her daughter Marilyn is married to James West of Colorado Springs, CO. Their children are Ryan Millspaugh West and Jessica Joelle West of Colorado Springs.

Her son Sidney and his wife, Judy, have one son, Sidney Sanderson Millspaugh IV, and they live in San Antonio.

The family requests that any memorials be made to the Sutton or Crockett County Libraries or the Crockett County Museum.



**HERS**

Some of you may remember from a few months back that Scotty was sure proud of our traveling to work car, Old Blue. He (Old Blue) never got stuck on the dirt road when it rained, etc.

Well, the very next week after that column, "she" got stuck following a half-inch rain.

It was a cool, damp morning with no jacket along when Scotty walked a mile and a half back to the house to get the pickup.

When we got back that night, she (Old Blue) was waiting for us right where we left her.

That was back during the time when it rained and often. Now Crockett County is coming out of a hot dry summer and moving toward hoped for fall rains.

William Reeder, Area Range Conservationist of Fredericksburg, has compiled 48 rain signs which Jr. Parker shared with us. Some of the ones Crockett County folks can relate to (I'm leaving out the ones that mention rivers and springs) are listed below.

When you hear a rain crow calling, it will rain within three days.

When there is a ring around the moon, it will rain soon. Count the stars within the ring, and it will tell you how many days of wet weather there will be.

If the sun sets behind the cloud on Sunday, it will rain by Wednesday.

When the cenizo bush blooms, it will rain within three days.

When the dogs sleep on their back in the yard, it is a sign of rain.

When you kill a snake and it rolls over on its back to die, it will rain. (If the snake flips, it will soon drop.)

If you hang a snake on its back on a fence, it will cause it to rain.

When you see a whirlwind unwinding, it will rain soon.

When you see pill bugs moving, it will rain soon.

When you see a lot of flies in the house or on the screen, it will soon rain.

Snails crawling up is a sign of rain.

Turtles crawling uphill means it is going to rain. Downhill it is going to be dry.

If the ants are extremely busy, it will rain soon.

If the small ants build mounds around their holes, it is to keep out the flood water.

When the live oaks turn the pale side of their leaves up, it will rain.

When the chickens run around in the rain, it will continue to rain.

When frogs croak at night, it will rain.

Cattle lying around in the midday sun, it will rain.

When the moon is tilted, it will pour.

Scorpions crawling with tails up, it will rain soon.

If the sun comes up red, it will rain. If the sun goes down red, it will be dry.

If the flies sting when they sit on your arm, it is going to rain.

When the wind blows hard for three days, it will blow up a rain.

If the first norther of the year is wet, the winter will be a wet one.

If the dew drips off the house three days in a row, it will rain.

If an east wind blows for three days, it will rain.

If tarantulas are moving, it will rain soon.

When gnats are swarming, it will rain soon.

Doves flying in bunches is a sign of rain.

When prickly pear plants put on a lot of apples, it is a sign of drought.

When you see wispy (mare tail clouds), it will rain within 72 hours.

Trees putting on new shoots is a sign of rain.

When cattle graze in tight patterns, it will rain soon.

When you see two layers of clouds, it will rain.

When the wood lice (termites) fly following a shower, the rainy spell is over.

If it rains on Easter Sunday, it will rain seven Sundays in a row.

When you see jackrabbits active and running around in the daytime, it will rain soon.

When the raindrops cause a lot of bubbles in puddles, it will continue to rain.

When crickets crawl up the wall, it will rain. The higher they crawl, the more it will rain.

When the rooster crows at noon, rain will come soon.

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Willa Perry--Cook-of-the-week

## Someone's in the kitchen

"Cream pies are what really got Jerry and me together," says cook of the week Willa Perry. "Mother used to let him think I was doing the pies and it was her.

"We always had a dessert at every meal," says Willa who grew up in a family with five children. Now that their parents are gone, they get together for a family trip every year.

Willa and Jerry have also discovered the fun of camping. "I had to talk Jerry into buying the trailer, but we both really enjoy it.

"I like to get my recipes from friends and family," says Willa. These are recipes she has already tasted and knows that are good.

"I don't cook much any more. I don't know how to cook for just two. When Willa and Jerry's children and grandchildren come home she does lots of cooking, however. Among their favorites are cream pies and fried deer steak. Ricky lives in the San Antonio area, Dale at Cedar Park and Jeannine in Ozona.

Willa and Jerry have been married 41 years. They cook for lots of church activities at First Baptist Church where Willa was a Sunday School teacher. She is also active as a 4-H leader through her grandchildren.

### Coconut Cream Pie

1 c sugar  
1/2 c flour  
1/4 tsp. salt  
3 c milk  
4 eggs  
3 T margarine  
1 1/2 tsp. vanilla  
Mix together dry ingredients in a pan. Gradually add milk and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Separate eggs and set aside whites for use later. Take a couple tablespoons of hot thickened filling and mix into egg yellow, then add this to rest of filling and continue cooking until yellow is done, just a minute or two. Remove from stove and add margarine and vanilla. Add about 1/3 can of angel flake coconut to filling, then pour into pie shell which has been baked.

Beat egg whites with electric mixer until stiff and add 1/2 cup of sugar and some vanilla. Continue beating stiff enough to stand in peaks. Spread over pie filling. Cover with remaining coconut and brown lightly in oven.

For a chocolate pie, increase sugar 1/4 cup, add 4 T cocoa and leave out coconut.

This cream pie recipe is the Perry family favorite.

### GUACAMOLE

3 avocados, mashed  
2 T picante  
2 tomatoes  
Small amount of chopped onions  
2 T mayonnaise or miracle whip  
Lg. pkg. cream cheese  
Soften cream cheese. Add to mayonnaise and avocados. Add 2 T picante. Chop 2 tomatoes and stir in. Add onion. Delicious dip or salad.

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1 can green beans  
1 can corn

In a cast iron skillet brown crumbled sausage then dump in soup (undiluted), and partially drained beans and corn. Leave some of the liquid. Mix cornbread mix as on package and pour over top. Bake in oven at 350 degrees until brown.

### Orange Slice Cookies

1 c sugar  
1 c brown sugar  
1 c margarine  
2 c flour  
2 c oatmeal  
1 c coconut  
1 lb. orange slices, cut in pieces  
2 eggs  
1 tsp. baking powder  
1 tsp. soda  
1 tsp. vanilla  
1 T milk  
1/2 c chopped nuts  
Add softened margarine to sug-

ars. Add eggs, then flour, baking powder and soda, vanilla and milk. Mix well with mixer. Stir in by hand the oatmeal, coconut, orange slices and nuts. Bake 12 minutes at 350 degrees on ungreased cookie sheet.

## Preceptor Mu Chi begins year

Members of the Preceptor Mu Chi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi kicked off their 1997-98 year Monday, Aug. 25, with a spaghetti supper at the home of Terry Adams. Delicious food and the fun of catching up after the summer break was enjoyed by all who attended.

Yearbooks were distributed, and the group had a great big thank you for Donna Sanders, Brenda Newton and Betty Koerth who worked so hard to produce a masterpiece this year.

Linda Wende and Cynthia Hokit were welcomed by chapter members as honored guests.

Members attending included: Terry Adams, Mavis Dunlap, Bobbie Fatout, Zoe Green, Nancy Hale, Donna Herring, Sonja Hoover, Betty Koerth, Carolyn Moore, Billie Morris, Barbie Myers, Brenda Newton, Donna Sanders, Jeanne Wellman and Lisa Branch (reporting).

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Julie Childress bride-elect of Matthew Harrison has made selections at  
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## Helping Hands spaghetti supper

The annual Helping Hands Spaghetti Supper will be held Sept. 12 at the civic center at the corner of First Street and Ave. H from 5 p.m. until all are fed. The price is the same, \$3 per person for all you can eat. Carry outs are welcome.

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

This is the annual fundraiser for Helping Hands before the first home football game.

"We express our thanks to those

that have supported us all these years and welcome all our newcomers," said Janet Hill McDaniel. "We are striving to make this the biggest one yet."

Tickets are available from board members Esmi Barrera, Helen Wall, Mack Richie, Janet Hill McDaniel, Virginia Bishop, Lee Oakes, Dan Fleming, Len Hillman, Marie Gerlach or Nancy Hale. Call 392-5026 before 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday to arrange for ticket delivery or come by Helping Hands.

## Xi Sigma Omega begins year with trip

Xi Sigma Omega Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi kicked off their new year with a Mexico day trip. Saturday, Aug. 23, members enjoyed a day of touring, shopping and dining.

The group hadn't traveled far when they stopped for lunch in Sonora and had their first encounter with a "friend of Susan's". Then it was on to Del Rio and the Val Verde Winery. After tasting the different types of wine, members enjoyed a tour of the oldest winery in Texas. Heading on south, the group made it to the Mexican border, and took a taxi to Ma

Crosby's where they met another "friend of Susan's". After cooling off and enjoying some refreshments, the shopping began. Many purchases were made, it rained a little, and of course, we ran into some "friends of Susan's". Back at Ma Crosby's, the happy shoppers enjoyed a delicious Mexican dinner before heading home to Ozona.

Those members making the trip included Shannon Hunnicutt, Janet Smith, Sherry Haggood, Susan Buchanan, Martha Weant and Pam Cunningham.

Sherry Haggood reporting

## Laurie English receives degree

An Ozona student at Angelo State University was among 201 students to receive degrees during the summer commencement at the university.

Laurie Kathleen Lay English received a bachelor of arts, with a major in English and government.

## It's a girl!

Renee and Luke McClanahan of San Antonio are the parents of a daughter, Maggi Lane, born Aug. 30, 1997. The baby arrived at Methodist Hospital in San Antonio weighing four pounds, 10 ounces.

Helping make her welcome are grandparents Muggs Stevenson of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Evans of Liberty.

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## Ozona Community Calendar

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- Sept. 3 - School Board In Administration Bldg. 7 p.m.
- Sept. 4 - Care Center/Health Services Board At EMS Bldg. 6 p.m.
- Sept. 6 - St. Jude Bike-A-Thon Rodeo Park 9:30 a.m.
- Sept. 8 - Commissioners Court. District Courtroom 8:30 a.m.
- Sept. 12 - Helping Hands Spaghetti Supper Civic Center 5 p.m.
- Sept. 13 - Festival Hispano de la Salud Health Fair At Parking Lot Between Ozona Primary And Community Center Noon To 6 p.m.
- Sept. 17 - Social Security Rep. At Courthouse Annex 1-2:30 p.m.
- Sept. 23 - Dedication Service For Heritage Sculpture On The Square 4 p.m.
- Sept. 26 - High School Homecoming
- Sept. 27-28 - Dan Bean Memorial Roping. Fairgrounds Arena.

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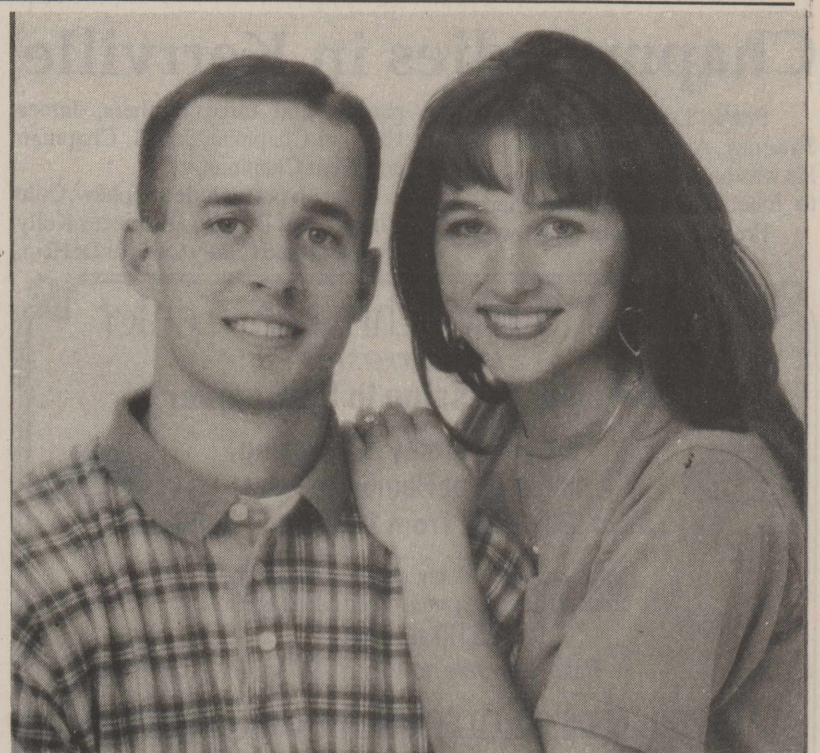
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## Miss Baldrige, Mr. Culbertson plan December wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Baldrige of Jayton announce the engagement of their daughter, Brook, to Justin Culbertson. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Culbertson of Frisco. Brook is a 1995 graduate of Jayton High School and is currently a junior at Hardin-Simmons University, majoring in accounting. Her fiance is a 1995 graduate of Wylie High School. As a junior at Hardin-Simmons University, Justin is a theology major. He is

employed as student minister at University Baptist Church of Abilene. A December wedding is planned.

Brook is the granddaughter of Margaret Baldrige of Lubbock and the late Joe Baldrige and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carson of Ozona. She is the great-granddaughter of Wilma Carson, also of Ozona. Justin is the grandson of Evelyn Shetley of Parsons, KS, and Juanita Clarkson of Plano.

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## Chapman dies in Kerrville

Frank "Lefty" Chapman, 64, died Saturday, Aug. 23, 1997, in Kerrville. He was born in Ozona in July of 1933 to Estelle and Joe Gurley Chapman. Preceding him in death were his parents and three brothers, James Hillman Chapman, Joe B. Chapman and Kent Chapman.

Survivors include a nephew, Cole Chapman of Del Rio and nieces Kelly Chapman and Candy Carta of Del Rio.

## You Can Rest Assured

By Linda Mae Casey

If you are trying to eat healthy, forget it. Meats are bad for you, fruit is sprayed, etc. But at least you'll lose weight.

Even if I don't like a food, the moment my doctor says I can't have it, I'll crave it.

Pretty is as pretty does shouldn't only apply to little girls.

The one dog I told my daughter wouldn't bite, bit my grandchild.

Having pets and plants means you still need a babysitter.

The strict rules your parents set, that you break, you'll someday wish you'd obeyed.

Babies are great, but not when

you must work two jobs to feed them and a third caring for them.

If more teenagers followed a mother of two or three babies around for two weeks, there would be less teenaged moms.

We all need to like ourselves, because sooner or later we all have to be alone with ourselves.

It would be a far better world to live in if everyone were color blind.

## Pastor schedule for the month of September

The following schedule has been set up to encourage pastors with churches in Ozona to submit articles for publication in *The Stockman*. This space is available to you and we hope you will choose to take advantage of this opportunity to reach many in the community with your message.

Sept. 3 - Mr. Johnnie Perkins - Ozona Church of Christ

Sept. 10 - Rev. Francisco Rojas - Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida

Sept. 17 - Rev. Sergio Arrellano - Templo Siloe

Sept. 24 - Rev. Bill Fuller - First Baptist Church.



PICTURED IN THE PIÑATA STORE IN SAN ANTONIO on August 11 are: (l. to r.) Marie and Laura Pierce with their grandmother Elizabeth Thornton.

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"Due to a drop in gasoline sales, the last four years I have been operating by myself. I will continue so long as the need is here and my health holds out." Mrs. Cervantez, Elidia, helps with the book work.

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## Elizabeth Pearson Thornton visits here

Elizabeth Thornton, a 1957 graduate of Ozona High School, was recently in town visiting her son, Joe Pierce, granddaughters Marie, Laura and Rebecca Pierce, and friends. While here she shared some of her experiences as an elected member of the Chesapeake, Virginia, City Council.

Elizabeth is coordinator of Graduate Programs in International Studies at Old Dominion University, Norfolk, Virginia, and had been active with the League of Women Voters for many years. She had been urged to run for city council by friends and colleagues and was finally persuaded when the mayor asked her to run. Elizabeth especially enjoyed meeting the many friendly people in her community's neighborhoods as she campaigned for her position.

She is also now serving as the city's legislative liaison, as its intermediary with Chesapeake General Hospital and is running its sister cities program, which this year is emphasizing links with Brazil.

Elizabeth's parents, Lovisa and Roy Pearson, formerly of Ozona, live in San Angelo. Her husband, Bill Spaur, is a retired Navy Pulmonologist and enthusiastic sailor.

**The Human Situation**

By Rev. Jim Carter  
Ozona United Methodist Church

One afternoon when he was a student at Harvard, Roosevelt left a late class, rushed back to his quarters for his suitcase, and boarded a streetcar for South Station, where he intended to take the train to New York. En route to the station, the streetcar developed trouble, and the motorman stopped to investigate. Roosevelt grabbed his bag, abandoned the car and started out on foot. His watch said he had four minutes to catch his train. He started to run. Just then he rammed into a little Italian boy coming out of an alley. They both went down, and the boy began bawling. The boy's mother stuck her head out of the window above and started screaming in Italian. Roosevelt tried to quiet the boy and explain to the woman what had happened, but utterly without success.

What to do? In desperation, he pulled a dollar bill out of his pocket and waved it toward the boy. It would, he thought, "create a diversion" ...instead, it was "like a red flag to a bull". The boy grabbed it, crumpled it up, and flung it in the gutter, yelling, "You great big jerk!" By this time, windows were going up and faces appearing everywhere looking into the street. Roosevelt bent over to pick up the dollar. Everyone started shouting at him; it looked as though he was taking the money away from the boy. Roosevelt then picked up his suitcase and started walking away. A police whistle shrilled. Two or three men came out on the street and began following him. He ran. They chased him. One person after another joined the chase until Roosevelt had a mob of people in pursuit.

Roosevelt finally reached South Station... "there he is," screamed one of his pursuers, running into the sta-

tion. "Stop him! Stop him!"...with a last frantic dash, he tossed his suitcase onto the rear platform, caught the handrail, and, with the help of the brakeman, dragged himself onto the car.

Afterward, Roosevelt reflected on his experience. "I had bumped into a human situation," he told a friend many years later, "and I had failed to play my part in it. I remember I said to myself, 'The whole trouble was that I didn't solve the problem. I tried to dodge it by creating a diversion. That doesn't work. I'll never try that again.'"

One of the things I need to remember is that I can create a diversion of one kind or another so that I become unaware of the needs of the people around me. Let us be sensitive, and open, that we might respond when we bump into a human situation. Read Mark 10:46-52 and see what Jesus did. Can we do any less?

<b>First Baptist Church</b> 901 Ave. D Rev. Bill Fuller Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.	<b>Ozona Church of Christ</b> 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.	<b>Ozona United Methodist Church</b> 12 - 11th St. Rev. James Carter Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
<b>Mt. Zion Baptist Church</b> Cenisa St. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m.	<b>Faith Lutheran Church</b> 802 1st St. Rev. Charles Huffman, Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m.	<b>Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church</b> 526 Santa Rosa St. - Rev. Sergio Arrellano Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Tues. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.
<b>Templo Bautista Jerusalem</b> 138 Blas St. Pastor Miguel Arjon Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.	<b>Church of God of Prophecy</b> 102 Man O' War St. Pastor Lupe Domoniquez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 4:30 p.m. Tues. & Thurs.: 6:00 p.m.	<b>Our Lady of Perpetual Help</b> 219 Martinez St. Rev. Henry Laenen Mass: 11:15, Sun., 7 p.m., Sat., 8:30 a.m. M. W. F.
<b>Calvary Baptist Church</b> 601 Ave. I Rev. Daniel C. Fleming Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Wed. & Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.	<b>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida</b> 601 Ave. I Pastor Francisco Rojas Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. service: 7:00 p.m.	<b>Apostolic Church</b> 307 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Hector De La Cruz Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 5 p.m. Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.
<b>Harvest Time Christian Center</b> 604 11th St. Rev. Mike Davis Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m. Wed.: Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m.	<b>Iglesia de Cristo</b> Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run. Sr. Manuel Suchil Sunday Bible Study: 9:45 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Worship: 10:45 a.m. Wed.: Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.	<b>Attend The Church Of Your Choice This Sunday</b>

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## St. Therese Parish Annual Festival Sept. 14

The St. Therese Parish Annual Festival will be held on Sunday, Sept. 14 at the Knights of Columbus Hall at 3636 N. Bryant Blvd., in San Angelo. Barbecued brisket and German sausage dinner will be served from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Adult tickets or plates to go will be \$5.00 and children under 12 - \$3.00 each.

An auction beginning at 1:15 p.m. will feature an autographed George Strait jacket, George Strait photo books, a handcrafted entertainment center plus many other items. There will also be a silent auction, a country store and games for all ages.

Drawings for a \$1,000 gift certificate to Sunset Mall, and a handquilted quilt. The general public is invited.

**Letter to the Editor**

August 26  
Hats off to the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department. On Thurs. August 21, the vehicle in which I was riding caught fire and was quickly engulfed in flames. The surrounding countryside and fence surrounding the area also caught fire. I turned in the alarm within fifteen minutes and the Fire Department arrived in 43 minutes, went over some very rough and difficult country to reach the fire. The fire was extinguished in about 90 min. These people know their jobs. They do them well. We all should be proud to live in an area which can and does beat the pants off big city full-time fire departments. These local people know that rangeland is valuable and that speed is vitally important in these matters.

Thanks - Ozona Fire Department for a job well done.  
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## \*Scrimmage (Continued from page 1)

When bees swarm, the old queen and the older bees leave the colony to establish a new colony elsewhere. Studies have shown that each Africanized colony usually swarms four to eight times each year, depending on available resources. European honey bees average less than one swarm per five colonies annually.

All adult bees (queen, workers and drones) abandon a hive, or abscond, when threatened by starvation, predators or other kinds of disturbances. This is a common occurrence with the Africanized bee, but rare in domestic honey bees. Africanized bees readily abandon their nests and may fly as far as 30 to 50 miles in search of nectar and pollen. During these absconding flights, the bees may stop several times to forage. Eventually they establish a new colony and begin comb building and reproduction.

### Nesting Site Selection

European honey bees are fairly particular in selecting a nesting site; they prefer clean, dry spaces such as hollow tree or a wall void in a building. Africanized honey bees are far less discriminating and nest in many different sites. They may be found in underground cavities, in relatively small spaces (such as flower pots, old tires or bird houses) and in sites with little protection from the weather.

### Wild Colonies

When Africanized honey bees become established in an area, there is a noticeable increase in the number of wild honey bee colonies. This characteristic is directly related to those previously discussed (greater reproduction potential, increased swarming rate, tendency to abscond and lack of selectivity in choosing nesting sites).

The above information is reprinted from Texas Agricultural Extension Service leaflet L-5045.

Information for the Extension Service's Africanized Honey Bee Alert says that swatting is probably the worst thing you can do if bees are attacking. When a bee's body is crushed by swatting, it produces an odor that incites bees to attack in greater numbers. The best thing to do is to run

away fast and seek cover in a house, car or in tall brush or trees.

All bees fly about 12 to 15 miles per hour. However, Africanized bees may chase a person farther than will a domestic bee. A domestic bee may chase you for 50 yards, but an Africanized bee may chase you for 100 to 150 yards.

Vibration and exhaust from mowers and other equipment can disturb the beehive, and bees will respond by attacking.

### If You Are Stung

If you encounter attacking bees and get stung here are some guidelines.

Remove the stinger quickly in a sideways motion with a fingernail, knife blade, credit card or similar material.

Don't let stingers remain in the skin, because venom can continue to pump into the body for up to 10 minutes. Don't tweeze or pinch stingers when removing. That will squirt more venom into the body. Don't cut the skin, try to suck venom out or use a meat tenderizer on the wound. That could lead to infection.

Ice packs may reduce swelling and a sting-kill ointment may reduce pain.

Seek medical attention if the person shows signs of a systemic allergy or if swelling extends beyond two joints (if you are stung on the finger and the swelling extends past the wrist and elbow). Less than one percent of the population has a systemic allergy to bee stings.

Symptoms of a systemic allergy, obvious within 20 minutes of the sting, may include swelling of tongue or throat, hives, dizziness or difficulty with breathing, loss of consciousness.

For a normal, healthy person to receive a deadly dose of bee venom, it would take about 10 stings for each pound of body weight, or 1,500 stings for a 150-pound person.

Regular honey bees will chase you about half the length of a football field. Africanized honey bees may pursue you three times that far.

## Levis and Lace square dance

By Dan Fleming

Levis and Lace Square Dance Club had its regular dance on Aug. 23 with Gary Bible from the Austin area calling. We all had a great time square dancing, line dancing, waltzing and two stepping and a little bit of dancing for every one and a lot of fun.

We had dancers from around the area: San Angelo's the Star Promenaders, Iraan's the Castle Gap Squares and Ozona's Levis and Lace. The San Angelo Star Promenaders took our club attendance banner, and now we have to go get it back.

Square dance is just clean fun - no drinking, no drugs, just fun. My wife and I wouldn't be in square dancing if it wasn't fun to do together. The atmosphere at the square dance and the courtesy of the dancers is something out of the past. Square dancing has also given us so many great friends.

Square dance and line dance lessons will start Sept. 8 at the Comfort Inn. All people ages 10 to 100 who would like to learn to square dance are welcome. The first two lessons are free. Yes, that word is free. Line dancing will be from 7 to 7:30 p.m. and square dancing will be from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Anyone interested in lesson may call 392-2912 for more information.

## Be on the lookout before serving fat-free foods

Parents should read the label carefully before buying "fat-free" foods for growing children.

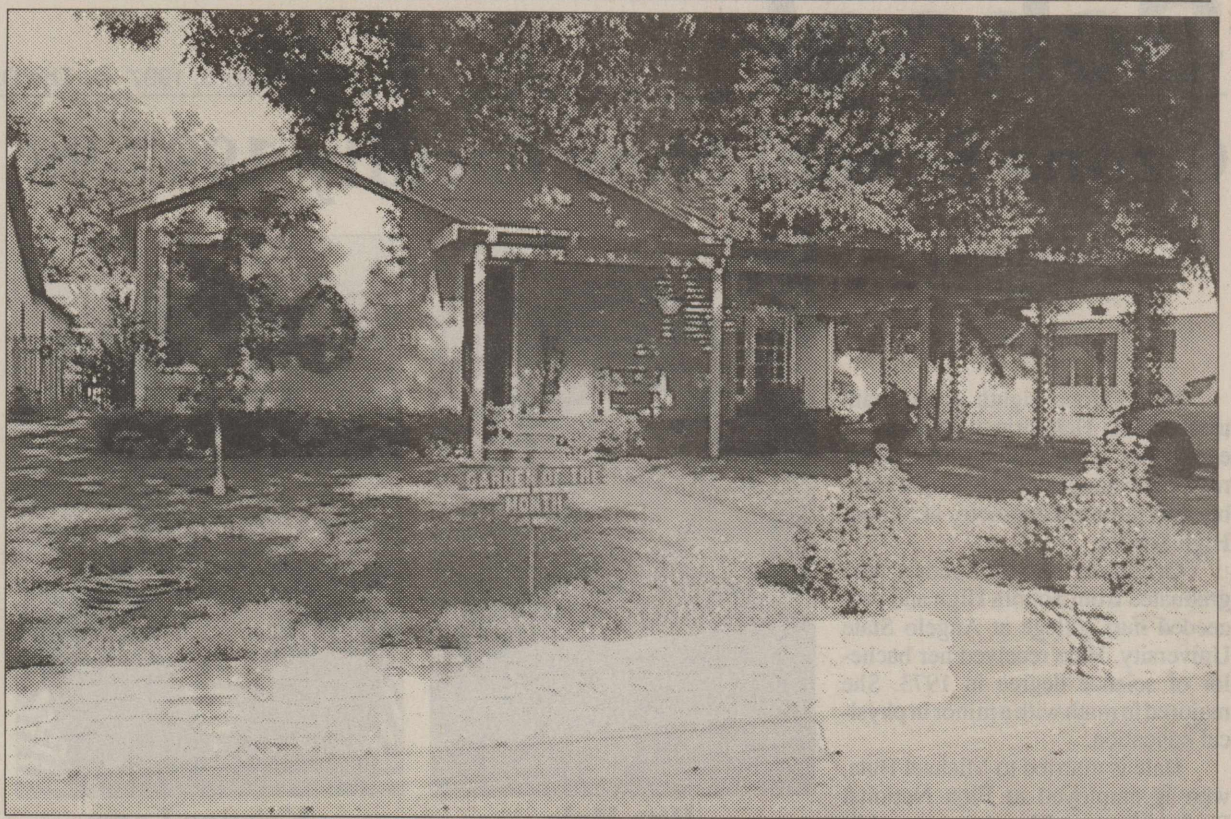
"Sometimes, even though the dietary fat has been reduced, each serving may have a high-calorie level," said Dr. Janice Stuff, at the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center. "Children may eat extra servings, which may cause them to gain weight."

Fruits and vegetables are fat-free snacks. Reduced-fat yogurt and skim and two percent milk are also good.

"Children need fat in their diets, especially during growth spurts," said Stuff, an assistant professor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine. "The energy fat provides helps them maintain normal bodily functions, and supports increased growth in muscle, skin, and bone."

Dietary fats also contain two essential fatty acids that children cannot make themselves, but that are necessary for brain development.

"Based on present knowledge, by the time a child enters kindergarten, about 30 percent of a child's caloric intake should come from fat," said Stuff.



THE HOME OF DAWN AND KYANN KOTHMAN at 612 Ave. J has been honored as Garden of the Month by Ozona Garden Club. The lovely manicured lawn is accented with zinnias, petunias, begonias, impatiens and caladiums.

DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway

## Crockett County Museum seeking new Muses

You are cordially invited to join Crockett County Museum Muses to perpetuate an interest in the history of Crockett County and to educate each new generation of children about their heritage. To ensure the continuation of this educational process, the museum needs the interest and financial support of all members of our community.

As a new member you will enjoy the following benefits: invitations to

all special programs; Notification of special exhibits and events; A 10% discount on all museum merchandise; Invitation to annual meeting and dinner; Quarterly newsletters and annual report.

The annual fee for membership categories are: Single - \$15.00; Family - \$25.00; Contributing - \$50.00-\$99.00; Pioneer - \$100.00-\$249.00; Patron - \$250.00-\$499.00; Benefactor - \$500.00-\$999.00; Emerald Club - \$1000.00-\$4,999.00 and David Crockett Club - \$5,000.00 and above.

The membership year will begin Oct. 1 annually. Your check should be payable to Crockett County Museum-Membership and sent to the following address, or brought to the museum office: Crockett County Museum, Attention: Barbara Malone, P.O. Box 1444, Ozona, Texas 76943.

The commissioners court will give the museum a long-term lease on the entire three-story old county annex building when the county offices move to the new courthouse annex. From that time forward, the museum must be self-sustaining, with no financial help from the county. The museum will depend on the hard work of its board and the generosity of all citizens of Crockett County who wish to perpetuate our pioneer heritage. Our museum building needs a complete interior renovation. Watch for more information regarding this project in the *Ozona Stockman*. All possible monies received through memberships and fund-raising activities will be earmarked for our Building Fund. For more information, please contact Charlotte Harrell, 392-2501. Please be as generous as possible.



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- Sept. 5 - Marlana Sanchez, Melissa Kinard
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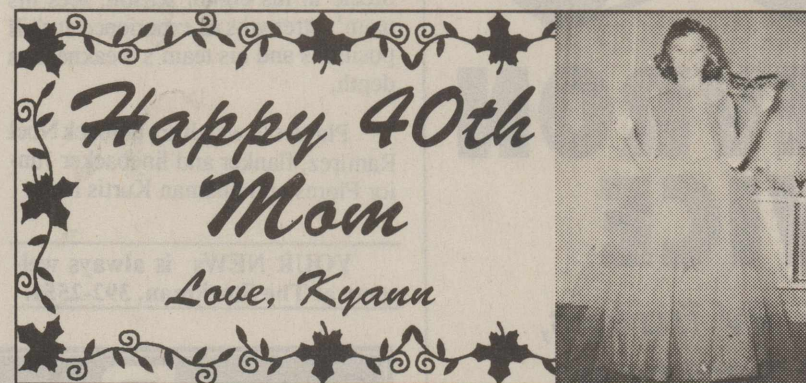
## It's A Girl

Julian and Dina Sifuentes of Ozona are happy to announce the arrival of their daughter, Diana Laura. She was born in San Angelo at Shannon Women's and Children's Center Aug. 29, 1997, weighing seven pounds and 15 ounces. She was 19 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Oliverio and Sandra Vega of Mexico. Paternal grandparents are Joe and Delia Sifuentes of Ozona.

Welcoming Diana Laura home were her aunts and uncles from Ozona.

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## Ozona School New Faculty 1997-98

By Neal Ulmer  
Stockman Reporter

Rita Hale

New Ozona eighth grade math teacher Rita Hale brings 15 years of experience in education to her classroom. She has previously taught algebra and informal geometry at Sonora High School.

Originally from Sonora, she graduated from Sonora High and proceeded into college at Angelo State University. Hale received her bachelor of science degree in 1973. She majored in math with a minor in physical education.

Hale is married to Michael Hale, who is employed at First National Bank of Sonora. They have two children, son Davis, 19, and Lora, 18. Both are students attending Angelo State University.



Rita Hale



Kristine Lane

Hobbies for Hale include sewing, fishing, gardening, snow skiing and camping.

She states, "I am looking forward to working at Ozona Middle School where the entire faculty has the students' interest as its main priority. I would like math to be enjoyable for eighth grade students, where their high school experience will be more positive."

Kristine Lane

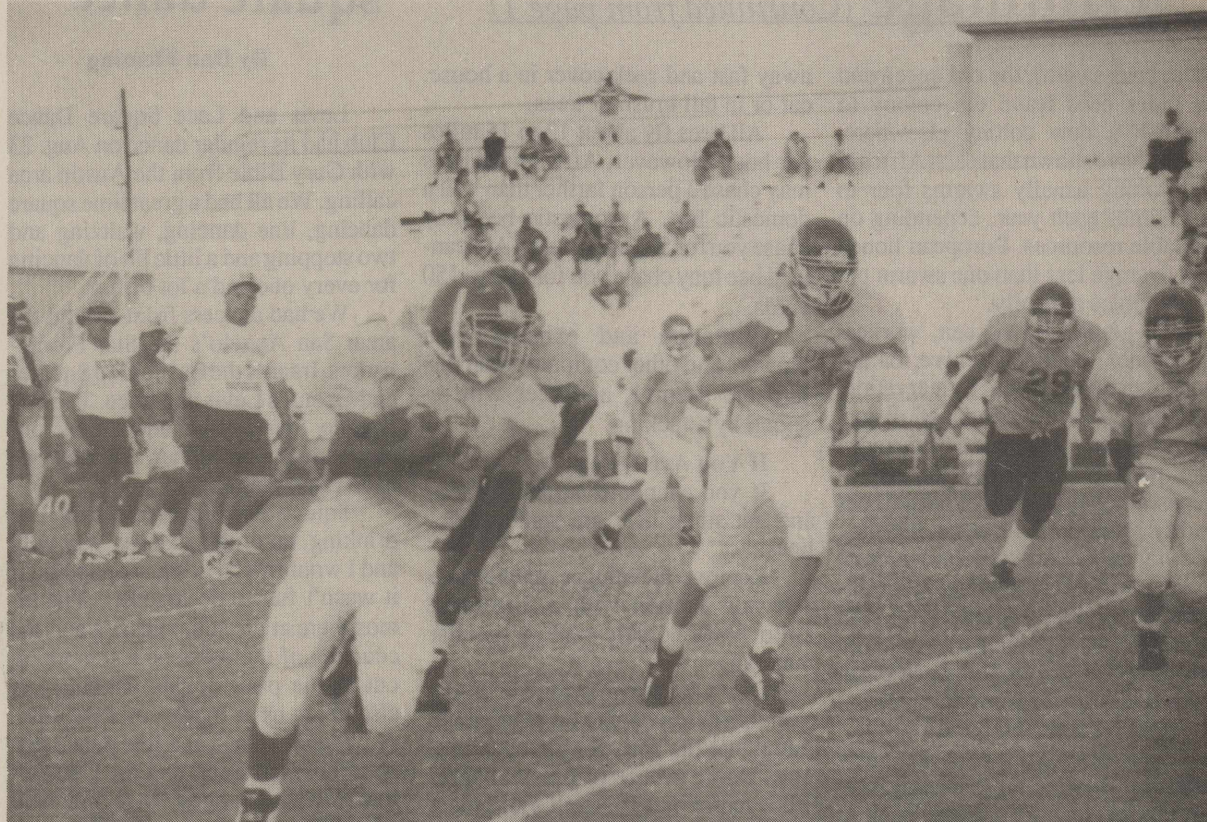
Beginning her first teaching position with Ozona's Middle School,

Kristine Lane said, "I'm excited of being part of the Ozona Middle School team." She hopes to carry this excitement over into teaching eighth grade English.

Lane is originally from Austin and a graduate of Austin High in 1989. She received a bachelor of science in interdisciplinary studies with a minor in psychology in 1994 from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches.

In her spare time, Lane enjoys tennis, hunting, fishing, all outdoor activities, and volunteering. To add a little extra excitement in her life, she sky dives.

Although she is single at the moment, Lane will be married at the end of January 1998 to Todd Ross, a Department of Public Safety trooper stationed in Sonora.



OZONA'S MATT CASTANEDA jogs to the right side of the Lion field followed closely by a Menard Yellowjacket as Castaneda's teammates Mack Lindsey (center) and Jed Roane look to block downfield. The Ozona JV Lions outscored the Menard JV Yellowjackets 3-1 in an Aug. 28 scrimmage held in Lion Stadium

Photo by Neal Ulmer

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Sept. 11 - Soft Taco, Lettuce & Tomato, Refried Beans, Cake, Milk

Sept. 12 - Chicken Nuggets, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Jello, Milk

**FAST FOOD**

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Sept. 9 - Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Salad, Peach Slices, Ice Cream, Milk

Sept. 10 - Chickburger, Salad, French Fries, Milk

Sept. 11 - Barbecue Beef On Bun, Salad, Refried Beans, Cake, Milk

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Sept. 12 - Potato & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal

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### \*Scrimmage Poetry Society announces annual contest

(Continued from page 1)

got the ball down to the Yellowjackets' 13-yard line, but the Lions fumbled and could not score.

Both teams did an overtime practice starting at the defensive team's 25-yard line. Ozona was not able to score, but Menard scored on a 2-yard run and a 20-yard field goal.

Coach Hargrove and his staff got a good look at both their offense and defense. "We didn't run all our offensive plays," Hargrove said. "We did not run all our offense, either."

According to Coach Hargrove, the staff will continue to look at their files. "We will change some personnel in ones and twos. They get a lot of reps (repetitions). We are always evaluating that."

Menard's coach Quinn Conley said after the scrimmage, "We just played hard. Defensively, they are going to run the ball and hit you. Our strength today was our aggressiveness and our weakness is that we need to be in better shape."

Starting at 8 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 5, the Lions will open their season in Big Lake against the District 4-3A Reagan County Owls. The Owls are returning 13 lettermen and 7-6 starters from a 1996 season record of 3-7.

The Owls, headed by Coach David Steele in his eighth season, sees his team's strengths as experience at skill positions and his team's weakness as depth.

Players to watch are tailback Noel Ramirez, flanker and linebacker Junior Flores and lineman Kurtis Neal.

YOUR NEWS is always welcome at The Stockman. 392-2551.

The Permian Basin Chapter of the Poetry Society of Texas has announced its annual World Day of Poetry competition, open to all Permian Basin Area residents. Entries must be received by mail on or before Sept. 20. There is no entry fee. Cash prizes will be awarded at the World Day of Poetry Festival to be held at the Center for Energy and Economic Diversification located on Hwy. 191 between Midland and Odessa on Oct. 18.

Poems entered must be the original work of contestants and not published, accepted for publication or read on radio or television. Complete contest rules and submission instructions are available at area libraries or by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to Contest Rules, 4609 Tanforan, Midland, TX 79707. Rules are also available at Crockett County Public Library.

Judge for this year's contest and visiting poet for the Oct. 18 festival is nationally acclaimed poet Dr. Walter McDonald, the Paul Whitfield Horn Professor of English, Director of Creative Writing, and Poet in Residence at Texas Tech University. During the festival he will conduct a workshop and present a reading of his poems. There will be a \$10 fee for the workshop. Admission to the reading is free.

Dr. McDonald is the author of 15 books of poetry and a book of short fiction. He has had more than 1500 poems published in numerous journals and collections, including *The American Poetry Review*, *The Atlantic Monthly*, *The New York Review of Books*, and *The Southern Poetry Review*. He has given more than a hundred workshops and readings at museums and universities, including The Smithsonian in Washington, DC, The Carnegie Museum, Pittsburgh,

Ohio State University, University of Mississippi, University of Cincinnati, Baylor University, Southern Methodist University and Texas Christian University.

The World Day of Poetry events are jointly sponsored by the UTPB Department of Humanities and Fine Arts and funded in part by the Odessa Cultural Council, the Arts Assembly of Midland and the Texas Commission on the Arts.

### Life's Baffling Enigmas

Why are there Interstate highways in Hawaii?

Why do airlines have flotation devices under the seats instead of parachutes?

Why are cigarettes sold in gasoline stations where smoking is prohibited?

If 7-11 stores are open 24 hours a day, why do they have locks on the door?

If a cow laughs, does milk come out her nose?

If nothing sticks to Teflon, how do they attach it to the pan?

If buttered toast always lands on the buttered side, and a cat always lands on his feet, what would happen if you tied a piece of buttered toast, butter-up, to the cat's back and dropped him?

Why put Braille dots on keyboards at drive-up windows?

Why do we drive on parkways and park on driveways?

Why is brassiere singular and panties plural?

Why when you transport by car it's called shipment, but when you transport by ship it's called cargo?

Why can't they make the airplane out of the same stuff as the indestructible "black box"?

Why don't sheep shrink when it rains?

What does Geronimo say when he goes skydiving?

Who does an atheist speak to when he smashes his finger with a hammer?

If fire-fighters fight fire and crime fighters fight crime, what do freedom fighters fight?

If "CON" is the opposite of "PRO", is Congress the opposite of progress?

Why is the alphabet in that order? Is it because of the song?

Why is a witness sworn to tell the "whole truth" and then ordered to answer "yes" or "no" only?

If the calendar year is based on Christ's death (A.D.) why doesn't New Year's fall on Good Friday?

From J. W. Cunningham, Sgt. Inv. Narcotics, Tyler, TX



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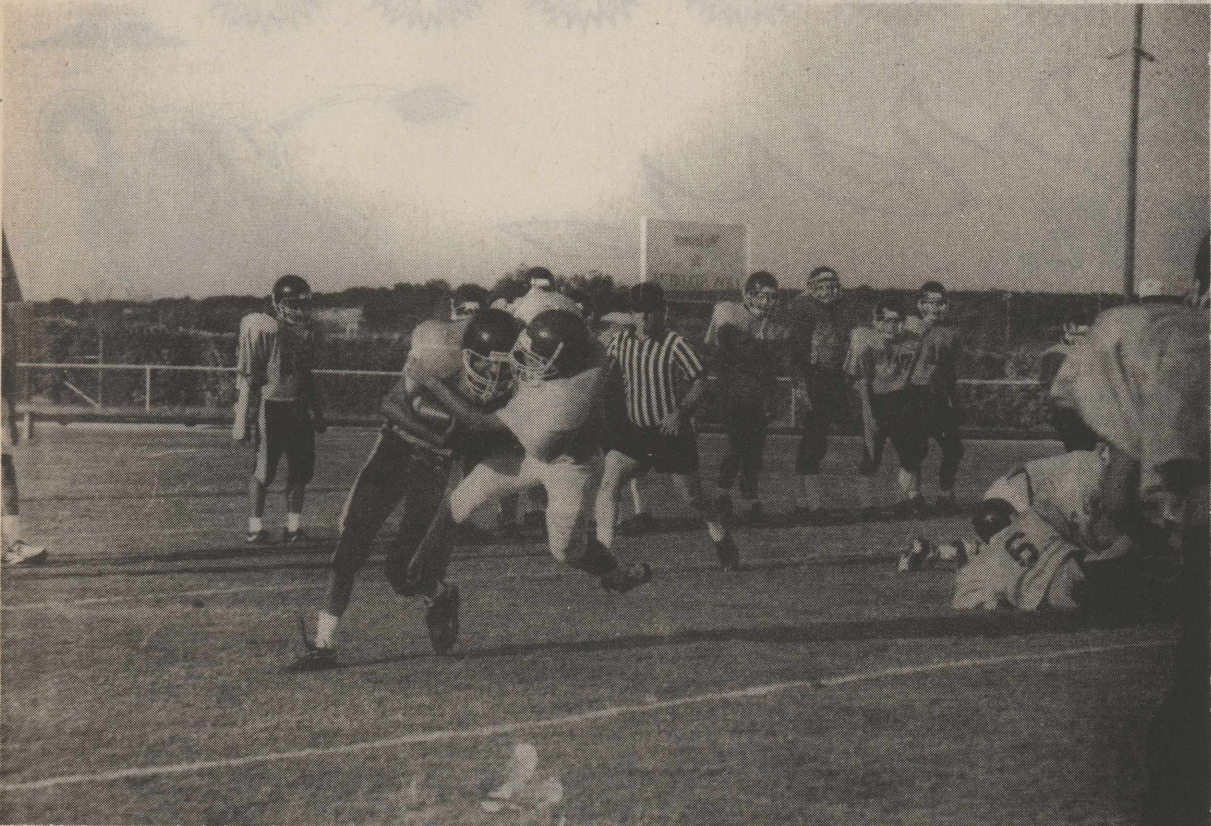
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"GOTCHA," as an Ozona JV Lion tries to bring down a Menard JV Yellowjacket in the Aug. 28 scrimmage held in Lion Stadium. The Lions won the scrimmage 3-1 and will be in action on Thurs., Sept. 4 in Lion Stadium. The JV Gold will play the Crane 9th grade at 5:00 p.m. and the JV Purple will play Reagan Co. at 6:30 p.m.  
Photo by Neal Ulmer

## TAAS examinations for out of school students

The registration packets are in for the fall exit level TAAS and TEAMS tests. During each regular exit level test administration, individuals who are no longer enrolled in school and who have not previously met minimum expectations on all sections of the TAAS test, but have met all other graduation requirements, may retake the necessary sections(s).  
Individuals who are no longer

enrolled in a Texas public school and who wish to register to retake the exit level TAAS test, and all individuals who wish to take the TEAMS test, may pick up a registration packet at the high school campus, in the counseling office. The test registration form must be completed and returned in the pre-addressed envelope and must be received in Iowa City, Iowa, no later than 5 p.m. Sept. 26, 1997.

## Join a winning team-join the Girl Scouts

Ask a Girl Scout what's the best part about being in Girl Scouts and you will get many different answers, depending on the ages of the girls — making new friends, learning how to do new things, helping in their communities, traveling, exploring and experiencing all types of new things — but you will almost always hear "Because it's fun!"

Using the Girl Scout Promise and Law as a foundation, Girl Scouting offers all girls ages 5-17, or Kindergarten - 12th grade, the opportunity to gain knowledge and skills, build their confidence and self-reliance, as well as improve the world we live in through volunteer service. Girls are introduced to the excitement in worlds of science, the arts, the out-of-doors and people. The Girl Scout program has a great deal to offer and a variety of ways to

share it, ranging from traditional troops to interest groups and six-week school programs.

Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. is the largest organization for girls in the world. It is also part of a worldwide family of girls and adults in 136 countries through its membership in the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts.

Membership recruitment for girls and adult volunteers is in full swing. Adult volunteers are needed to help in various positions with troops, training and events. If you would like more information on opportunities available, please contact the El Camino Girl Scout Council at 915-655-8961 or 1-800-688-2845. Watch for flyers and school rally information through area schools in August and September. Join the winning team-join the Girl Scouts!

## Plant Tips

from M&R Nursery  
by: Ronnie Winkler  
Fall Thoughts

Now that Labor Day is behind us, the thoughts of the truly dedicated green-thumbs turn to spring. That's right...spring. Fall is the time to begin planning for spring flowering bulbs. It's still too early to plant them, you must buy early for the best selection. Also, tulips must be refrigerated for 4-6 weeks prior to planting in late Nov. through Dec. for best results. Bulbs like good well draining soil, unlike most of ours. Early soil preparation using M&R's landscape mix will be beneficial for root growth. Also, the addition of bone meal will really pay off next spring.



Most people don't realize that we are coming on to one of the best times to plant most trees and shrubs...fall. What happens is the tops will stop growing but the root system will continue to grow and by spring the tree will start growing stronger with less transplant shock.

One last word. (or words). Take-all patch in St. Augustine is still with us. The fall season is a good time to treat with Bayleton granules. This disease has really taken our area by surprise because of the untrained eye the damage looks a lot like grubworm damage so they can be easily misdiagnosed and not treated properly.

That's all for this week. If you have any questions, please call, come by or e-mail us at Mglas0888@aol.com.

Thanks,  
Ronnie



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## Youth physical fitness declining

Chances are, when children return to school this fall, they will be among a growing population of physically unfit youths.

"Children and teenagers are increasingly obese and are not as physically active as their counterparts in previous decades," said Dr. Pat Vehrs, an adolescent health expert at Baylor College of Medicine and Texas Children's Hospital in Houston.

"National surveys show that since the 1960s, but especially in the last decade, there has been an increase in the percentage of body fat and a decrease in physical activity among youth," said Vehrs, who says 21 percent of children's ages 6 to 17 are obese.

Vehrs cites such probable causes as:

\*Parents who work asking their

kids to stay at home until they come home. This encourages inactivity by limiting them to indoor pursuits.

\*Little or no family physical activities. Often parents are too tired when they come home to walk, shoot baskets or bike with their kids.

\*Increased popularity of "entertainment-by-computer" or television versus old-fashioned playing outdoors.

\*Fear of neighborhood crime.

\*Lack of sidewalks, well-lit streets, access to parks, gyms or pools in suburban areas.

\*Age requirements or rules requiring a guardian's presence at health clubs.

"It's not surprising that kids find it difficult to remain physically active," said Vehrs. "They are not getting enough encouragement from their parents and society."

Neither may they be getting much help at school, he said, where physical education courses are increasingly considered an elective.

Vehrs states that 70 percent of high school students are physically active for less than 20 minutes during P.E. Enrollment in P.E. declines as grade levels increase. Only 10 percent of 12th graders are enrolled in daily P.E., says Vehrs.

Parents are the key to motivating children to become physically active.

"One of the best ways to get kids to exercise is to become involved yourself," he said. "Kids love to exercise with their parents. Whether it's walking, biking, swimming, tennis or just sharing time on the treadmill—if you are enthused, they will become enthused."

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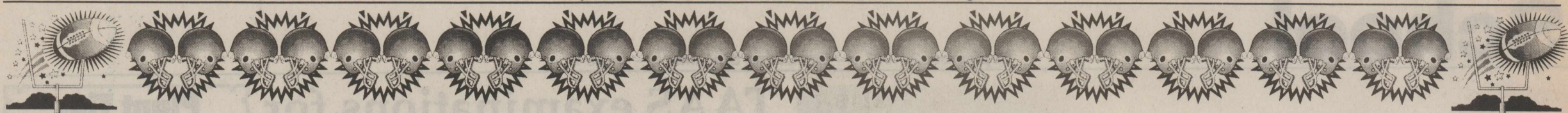
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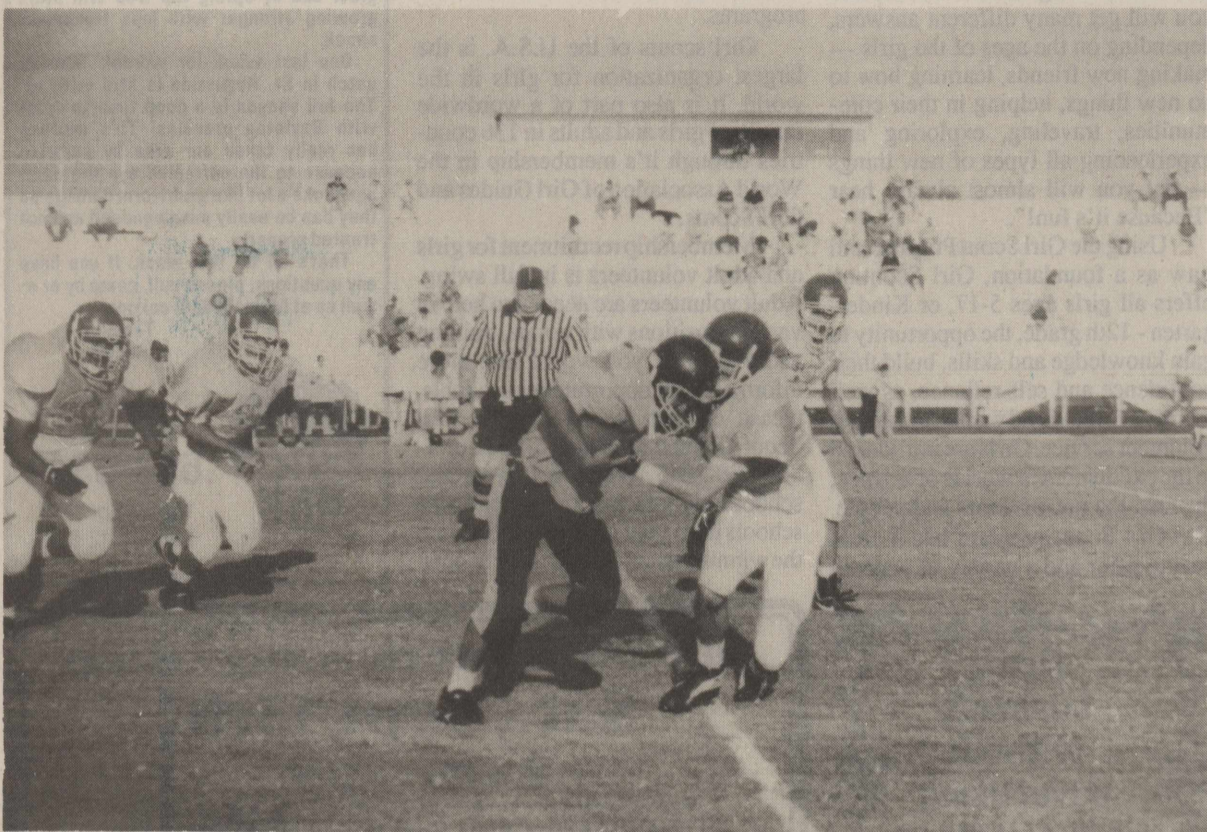




# LIONS VS. REAGAN CO. OWLS

Friday, September 5

8:00 p.m. - In Big Lake



MAKING THE TACKLE on a Menard JV Yellowjacket is Ozona JV Lion Glenn Sutton. Other Lion teammates Mario Barrera (far left), Ray Ramos and another Lion move in to help in last Thursday's scrimmage held in Lion Stadium.  
*Photo by Neal Ulmer*

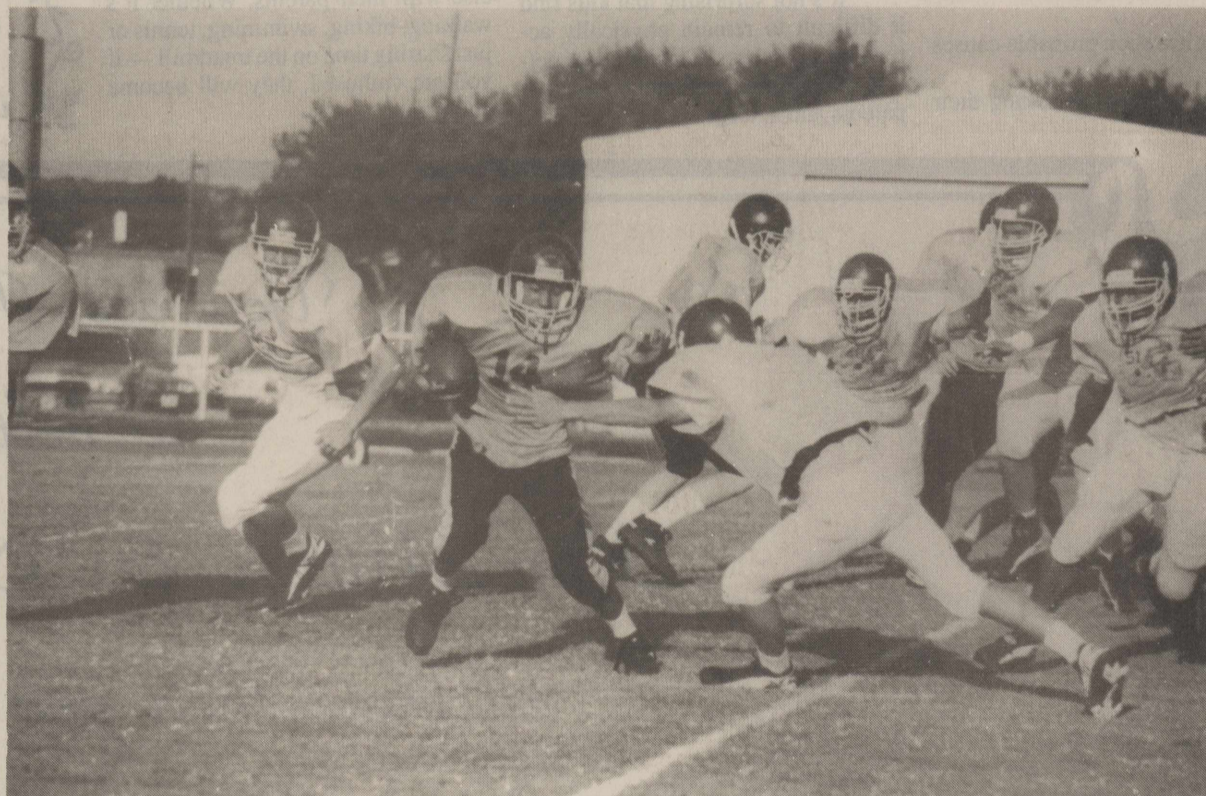
**Junior Varsity Gold**  
Vs.  
**Crane 9th**  
Sept. 4 - Lion Stadium - 5:00 p.m.

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**Junior Varsity Purple**  
Vs.  
**Reagan Co.**  
Sept. 4 - Lion Stadium - 6:30 p.m.

### 1997 Ozona Lion and Lady Lion Cross Country Schedule

Sept. 6	Rocksprings	9:30 a.m.
13	San Angelo	9:30 a.m.
20	Mertzon	9:30 a.m.
27	Stanton	9:00 a.m.
Oct. 4	Mason	9:00 a.m.
11	Ozona	9:30 a.m.
27	District - Grape Creek	
Nov. 8	Regional - Lubbock	
15	State - Round Rock	



OZONA JV LION GLENN SUTTON (center) reaches out to tackle a Menard JV Yellowjacket in last Thursday's scrimmage held in Lion Stadium. Other Lion players ready to help out were Cade Clark (far right), Mario Barrera, Marcus Cordova and Matt Castaneda.  
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# Crockett County Sheriff's Report

Aug. 26-Sept. 1, 1997

**ARRESTS:**

8-26-97...Whitley, Gary Don, age 42, of Ozona was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on charge of family violence. Subject was fined and released.

8-27-97...Ellison, Danny Wayne, 40, of Center was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on motion and order for surety release/driving while intoxicated. Subject remains in Crockett County Jail.

8-27-97...Bailey, Jimmie Lee, age 35, of Dallas was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper on traffic warrants. Subject paid fines and was released.

8-28-97...Fierro, Eric Cervantez, age 34, of Ozona was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on charge of family violence. Subject paid fine and was released.

8-29-97...Frazier, Charles David, age 28, of California was arrested by Task Force on charge of possession of Marijuana under two ounces. Subject posted bond and was released.

8-29-97...Parks, Keith Jerone, age 22, of California was arrested by Task Force on charge of possession of marijuana under two ounces. Subject posted bond and was released.

8-29-97...Nowell, Nathan William, age 25, of New Mexico was arrested by Task Force on charge of possession of a controlled substance and possession of marijuana under two ounces. Subject posted bonds and was released.

8-29-97...Bell, Spencer Carlton, age 30, of New Mexico was arrested by Task Force on charge of possession of marijuana under two ounces. Subject posted bond and was released.

8-29-97...Kemani, Tivon Bandy, age 21, of California was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputies on charges of theft, unlawfully carrying a weapon and possession of marijuana under two ounces. Subject paid fine, posted bonds and was released.

8-29-97...Crawford, Sam I., age 27, of California was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputies on charges of theft, unlawfully carrying a weapon and possession of marijuana under two ounces. Subject paid fine, posted bonds and was released.

8-31-97...Murray, Jason Edwin, age 21, of Odessa was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on charge of theft. Subject paid fine and was released.

8-31-97...Berry, Claudie McGill, age 27, of Hargill was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper on warrant out of Jardanton on charge of theft. Subject paid fine and was released.

8-31-97...Escamilla, Luciano Medellin, age 52, of Ozona was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of public intoxication. Subject paid fine and was released.

8-31-97...Moreno, Jesus Torres of Mexico was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on charge of no driver's license. Subject was given credit for time served and picked up by Border Patrol unit.

**REPORTS:**

8-30-97  
Report of an unattended death on Oak Ridge Drive. Deputy took report.

8-31-97  
Report of unattended death on Vitela Street. Deputy took report.

Report of dog bite at Crockett Heights. Eight-year-old bitten by dog. Deputy took offense report.

**ACTIVITY LOG:**

8-26-97  
A local school secretary called and requested a deputy contact a child's father at a ranch in reference to a woman checking out kids from school. Deputy went and notified father of the situation.

An anonymous caller reported a hotrod to the Sheriff's Office. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.

Deputy arrested a local subject on a warrant for family violence.

A report of a local teen driving recklessly in the area of Ave. G and 5th Street. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.

Deputy assisted a DPS trooper on I-10. He needed a floor jack to fix a flat tire.

A report of loud music in the area of Blas Street. Deputy went and told subject to turn the music down.

Deputy went back to the same location for

loud music. Subjects were told to call it a night. No further incident.

8-27-97  
Deputy met complainant at a local mechanic shop in reference to a customer leaving without paying for the services done on vehicle. Deputy filed a report.

Gas welfare subject was given three gallons of gas at a local convenience store.

A report of loud music at a residential area east of town. Deputy went and was unable to locate any music.

Deputy met complainant at the office in reference to him and his wife having problems at home.

Deputy assisted medical emergency personnel at a residence on Peach Street. A female had a seizure after a family argument. Subject refused to go to the health clinic. Subject also requested that deputy tell subject to leave the residence.

8-28-97  
Deputy met with complainant on 11th Street in reference to two 18-wheelers parked next to her business. Vehicles were moved. Everything okay.

Report of a small white vehicle stalled at underpass on 14th and Hwy. 163. Vehicle was gone when deputy arrived.

Burglary of a vehicle on Couch Street. Deputy took offense report.

Burglary of a vehicle on 12th Street. Deputy took offense report.

Local male subject turned himself in for family violence.

Welfare concern on female traveling to Big Spring. Husband notified deputy that subject had been located. Everything okay.

Report of people at a local restaurant bothering truck drivers. Owners of restaurant wanted persons to leave. Deputy told subjects they had to leave the area. Subjects left going eastbound. Deputy was notified by employee that subjects had taken antenna and cable hidden under shirt. Sonora Sheriff's Office was notified. Sonora was unable to locate vehicle.

8-29-97  
Deputy transported two male subjects from I-10 to Crockett County Jail for Task Force.

Report of a male subject causing problem in Greyhound bus. Deputy removed subject from bus and escorted him to east county line.

Deputy transported two male subjects from I-10 to Crockett County Jail for Task Force.

Report of a stranded motorist at mile marker 332. Wrecker on duty was called out.

Gas drive off from local convenience store. Subjects were stopped by deputies and arrested.

Report of loud music from maroon and silver Ford van. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle at this time.

Report of a suspicious vehicle at local restaurant. Deputy checked vehicle out.

Report of loose horse by local school. Horse was captured by owner.

Report of loud music on First Street. Deputy advised subjects to shut party down.

8-30-97  
Agency assist on a welfare concern on an elderly lady. Subject was placed in a local motel and subject was picked up by family members.

Unattended death on Oak Ridge Drive.

Justice of the Peace and funeral home were notified.

Report of loud music on War Admiral Street. All quiet when deputy arrived.

Report of a reckless drivers on Blas Street. Light blue Honda. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.

Report of a reckless driver on 11th Street and Ave J. Blue Dodge pickup. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.

Report of a reckless driver on Ave. E small brown pickup and a small red car. Deputy was unable to locate vehicles.

Report of kids throwing rocks at each other on Heracio Street. Deputy talked to parents.

8-31-97  
Report of two juveniles walking around vehicles at a local motel. Deputy was unable to locate anyone in area. Everything okay.

Welfare concern of a 17-year-old girl. Parents reported subject was late getting home. Parents notified deputy that their daughter had made it home.

Suspicious persons reported at local truck stop. Deputy checked subjects out. Advised subject had returned for vehicle left at truck stop.

Unattended death on Vitela Street. Justice of the Peace and funeral home were notified.

Gas drive off from local convenience store going north on Hwy. 163. Subjects were stopped in Big Lake by Reagan County Deputy and transported back to Crockett County Jail.

Report of a dog bite at Crockett Heights. Deputy took offense report.

Gas drive off from local convenience store. Deputy was advised to disregard call by store employee.

Deputy arrested two male subjects, one on charge of no driver's license and the other on a charge of public intoxication on Martinez Street.

9-1-97  
Report of two male subjects laying down on road 25 miles south on Hwy. 163. Subjects were gone when deputy arrived at location.

Report of loud music on Man-O-War Street. All quiet when Deputy arrived.

Second call of loud music on Man-O-War Street. Deputy shut music down.

Funeral escort by deputies.

Report of two dogs at tennis courts. Deputy located owner who advised problem would be taken care of.

Gas drive off from local convenience store. Deputy stopped vehicle on I-10 and escorted subjects back to store to pay for gas.

Gas drive off from local convenience store. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.

Deputy assisted Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper on a traffic stop on Hwy. 290 West.

Welfare at Crockett County Sheriff's Office. Subjects were given gas, food and motel room.

Report of a reckless driver on Hwy. 163 north. Deputy stopped vehicle and ran check on subjects. All were clear. Subjects advised they were late for work.

Gas drive off from local convenience store. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.

## Ostrichfest '97 to be held in Salt Lake City

Just as once 148 pioneers trekked 90 days to reach Salt Lake City, the American Ostrich Association has steadfastly marched 10 years to reach a viable commercial market. And now, it's time to build the market.

Jim Kramer, DVM, will be the keynote speaker. He is a charter member and past president of the Central States Ostrich Association, a partner in an ostrich processing venture and a practicing ratiite veterinarian.

The trade show will open with a reception that evening. This will be an

opportunity to take a casual look at what is offered by the trade show vendors, renew old friendships and enjoy ostrich hors d'oeuvres.

Both Friday and Saturday are day-long educational opportunities. Four two-part symposiums are offered. They are timed so that individuals can attend two of the symposiums. Choose between products (meat, leather, feathers) and how-to for beginners of the morning sessions and between marketing and on-farm production for the afternoon sessions.

For registration forms, visit the AOA website at <http://www.ostriches.com>, phone 817/232-1200 or fax 817/232-1390.

The American Ostrich Association provides leadership for the American ostrich industry and is laying a foundation for its future through work with government agencies and the media, promotion of ostrich and ostrich products, and information and referral services for producers and related operations. The association maintains an informative website on the Internet; the website can be found at <http://www.ostriches.org>. Founded in 1987, the AOA also supports research into ostrich breeding and raising, the benefits of ostrich products and potential markets for ostrich through the American Ostrich Research Foundation.

## Disposition of county court cases

AUG. 20, 1997

Cause 3626 Melinda Gentry theft of property by check - state's motion to dismiss granted

Cause 3606 Richard Ramirez Gonzales possession of marijuana - 6 months deferred adjudication, \$300 fine, \$167 court costs

Cause 3611 David Marrs possession of marijuana - 6 months deferred adjudication, \$200 fine, \$167 court costs

Cause 3593 Ralph Michael Freed driving while intoxicated/subsequent - judgement of conviction \$400 fine, \$265.50 court costs, 1 year probation

Cause 3586 Michale Eugne Kulenberg possession of marijuana - 6 months deferred adjudication, \$250 fine, \$167 court costs

Cause 3541 Juan Tambunga Villarreal driving while license suspended - judgment of conviction \$100 fine, \$167 court costs

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## New laws affecting agriculture

Commissioner Rick Perry reminds Texas farmers and ranchers that several new laws impacting agriculture became effective Sept. 1.

"From private property postings to fire ant research to horse theft prevention, the 75th Legislature passed a number of bills that producers and landowners need to know about," Perry said.

The following is a summary of legislation passed during the 75th Legislature that affects Texas agriculture and became effective Sept. 1.

**Pesticides:** House Bill 1144 consolidates the state's pesticide and herbicide legal codes, strengthens the enforcement of the state's pesticide laws and streamlines regulatory requirements.

**Water:** One provision in Senate Bill 1 expands an agricultural loan program - the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority's Linked Deposit Program - that lends money to farmers and ranchers who implement water conservation initiatives such as converting to more efficient irrigation equipment, building or improving stock tanks or clearing brush.

**Agricultural Loans:** House Bill 2499 increases the maximum loan amount available to buy farm or ranch land under the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority's Farm and Ranch Finance Program from \$150,000 to \$250,000. House Bill 933 increases the maximum loan amount borrowed under TAFE's Young Farmer Loan Guarantee Program from \$50,000 to \$100,000.

**Fire Ant Research:** A provision in the state appropriations bill, House Bill 1, provides \$2.5 million each year over the next biennium for research into long-term cost-effective and ecological methods of controlling fire ants. Funding also will be used to organize community-wide fire ant management

programs and to educate the public about effectively controlling fire ants.

**Private Property Notices:** House Bill 793 allows landowners to use purple paint marks on trees or posts as no-trespassing notices.

**Confidential Water and Soil Plans:** Water quality management or soil conservation plans developed by landowners or tenants in cooperation with local or state soil and water conservation districts will not be subject to the Texas Open Records Law under House Bill 1808.

**Liability Limits:** House Bill 2664 clarifies previous liability legislation by specifying that limited liability applies only to owners of "agricultural land used for recreational purposes". The bill also protects landowners from unlimited liability for non-paying as well as paying invited guests who visit agricultural lands for recreation such as bird watching, hiking and hunting.

**Agricultural Improvements:** House Bill 2945 allows agricultural landowners to construct barns, pens, equipment sheds and fences on their property without fear of liability as long as the structures do not affect public health or interfere with the flow of water, light or air to other agricultural lands.

**Poaching:** House Bill 1941 provides additional penalties for poaching that include suspension or loss of fishing or hunting licenses.

**Livestock Inspections:** House Bill 1823 allows livestock slaughtered for personal use to be exempted from inspections by the Texas Department of Health.

**Horse Theft Prevention:** House Bill 2396 strengthens horse theft prevention efforts in Texas by requiring the Texas Agricultural Extension Service to provide training to horse owners in horse theft prevention. The

bill identifies certain law enforcement agencies that are responsible for training their employees in investigating horse thefts. And the bill provides various methods horse owners can use to identify their animals.

**Timber:** Penalties for unauthorized timber harvests and a trust fund for timber sales are established by House Bill 1128. House Bill 1723 allows landowners who convert agri-

cultural use land to timber production to retain the agricultural classification and appraisal for 15 years - the amount of time it generally takes to grow a crop of trees that can be harvested.

For a complete summary of agricultural bills passed during the 75th Legislature, Internet users may access the Texas Department of Agriculture's Sine Die Report at the agency's website at (<http://www.agr.state.tx.us>).

## Family Land Heritage applications due Sept. 15

The Texas Department of Agriculture is accepting applications for the 1997 Family Land Heritage Program through Sept. 15. The program recognizes farms and ranches that have been in continuous production by the same family for at least 100 years. More than 3,000 farms and ranches have qualified since the recognition program began in 1974.

Announcing the availability of applications, Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry called these farm and ranch families the legacy of Texas agriculture.

"The history each of these families bring to the Family Land Heritage Program is an integral part of the solid foundation that helped build Texas agriculture into what it is today - the state's second largest industry," Perry said. "And these honorees will continue to strengthen Texas agriculture through their commitment to hard work and their love of the land."

Program applications are available through county judges as well as

from TDA. Applications are also available on the department's website (<http://www.agr.state.tx.us>), deadline for applications to be submitted to TDA is Sept. 15.

Those farms and ranches that qualify will be honored during a January 1998 ceremony in Austin.

Applications also may be obtained by writing to Debbie Ellis, the Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711; or by calling Ellis at (512) 463-7653.

## Federal inheritance tax relief helps keep family farms and ranches intact

Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry applauded a provision in the federal tax reform package that will allow more families to pass their farms and ranches onto the next generation by providing inheritance tax relief.

"This death tax break is one of the single most important policy decisions that could have been made by our lawmakers in Washington, D.C. to help maintain family farms and encourage younger generations to stay on the farm," Perry said. "Without this tax relief, we would have continued to see many families forced to break up or sell off farms and ranches to pay steep inheritance taxes."

Beginning in 1998, family farms, ranches and small businesses will have an estate tax exemption of \$1.3 million-up from the current exemption of \$600,000.

Perry, who has advocated inheritance tax relief reform for years said, "This tax change has been long overdue and needed by thousands of Texas farm and ranch families."

## Horse Salve Eases Arthritis Pain

LOUISVILLE, KY -- An ingredient derived from hot peppers that decreases inflammation in racehorse's legs, has now been approved by government researchers for human use. The ingredient has been formulated into a product called ARTH-Rx<sup>®</sup>. ARTH-Rx comes in a strength designed for humans. Researchers are excited and say the formula can relieve arthritis pain for millions.

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## Permain Basin Weekly Rig & Drilling Summary (Districts 7C, 8, 8A & New Mexico)

### Weekly Rig Count August 27, 1997

DIST. #7C	DIST. #8	DIST. #8A	
Coke	1	Andrews	4
Concho	2	Brewster	0
Crockett	15	Crane	0
Irion	2	Culberson	0
Kimble	0	Ector	2
McCullough	0	El Paso	0
Menard	1	Glasscock	7
Reagan	7	Howard	4
Runnels	3	Hudspeth	0
Schliecher	2	Jeff Davis	0
Sutton	2	Loving	2
Terrell	5	Martin	3
Tom Green	1	Midland	12
Upton	14	Mitchell	2
		Pecos	6
		Presidio	0
		Reeves	4
		Sterling	0
		Ward	5
		Winkler	2
		Yakam	4
		Bailey	0
		Borden	2
		Cochran	1
		Cottle	0
		Crosby	1
		Dawson	0
		Dickens	1
		Floyd	0
		Gaines	8
		Garza	0
		Hale	0
		Hockley	3
		Kent	0
		King	1
		Lamb	1
		Lubbock	1
		Lynn	1
		Motley	0
		Scurry	5
		Terry	1
		Yoakum	4

Total Permain Basin rotary rig count this date: 194

## Weekly Drilling and Completion Report

Compiled by Charles Lewis Communications, Lindale, Texas  
September 3, 1997

Independent operator J. Cleo Thompson has posted first production reports for the No. 1 Henderson 27, located 27 miles southwest of Ozona in Crockett County's West Hunt-Baggett Field. It flowed 1,200,000-CFD on a 2-in. choke and was rated at 6,400,000-CFD on absolute open flow. The well was drilled a total of 11,686 feet, horizontally, and will produce from 9,282 feet to hole's end.

Union Pacific Resources Corp. continues its developmental activities in Crockett County's Davidson Ranch Field. The Fort Worth-based operator has filed for permit to drill the No. 3503 Davidson about seven and a third miles southeast of Ozona. Location is a 1,009-acre lease in the TCR Survey A-4006. Penn formation will be the target at a depth of approximately 8,500 feet.

The same operator has scheduled a recompletion bid for extended well life at the No. 8RH Pamela Acton, located 27 miles south of Ozona in Crockett County's Massie Field. Drillsite is a 320-acre lease in the GH&SARR Survey A-4953. Union Pacific will seek Strawn Formation pay at approximately 11,800 feet in depth.

Union Pacific recently completed a trio of wells in Crockett County's Ozona field that produced over 1,000,000-CFD on absolute open flow, collectively. Producing in the Canyon Sand formation, the newly completed wells are as follows:

-No. 5 Moody Minerals "21C", 29.2 miles southwest of Ozona. It flowed at the rate of 249,000-CFD on a 1-in. choke and was rated at 260,000-CFD on absolute open flow. Bottomed at 7,400 feet, it will produce from 7,034 to 7,158 feet into the hole.

-No. 12 C. C. Montgomery "10" earned a 468,000-CFD evaluation on absolute open flow and showed ability to yield 427,000-CFD on a 1-in. choke. It was drilled a total of 6,603 feet and will produce from 6,188 to 6,346 feet into the wellbore. The well is 18.2 miles southwest of Ozona.

-No. 6 Crystelle Childress "7A", about 24.6 miles southwest of Ozona, flowed 300,000-CFD on a 1.125-in. choke and was rated at 323,000-CFD on absolute open flow. It probed to 6,900 feet total depth and will produce from 5,740 to 6,284 feet into the hole.

Operating out of Midland, Enron Oil & Gas Co. has filed for permit to drill a couple of developmental wells 45 miles southwest of Ozona in Crockett County's Simpson-Mann Field. They will be known as the Nos. 4 and 6 M. K. Daniel "A". Location for the wells is a 3,601-acre lease. The No. 4 well is in the I & G NRR Survey A-3993 while the No. 6 well is in the I&GNRR Survey 1-528. Both wells carry authority for 6,500 feet maximum hole.

Crockett County's Olson Field gained new production when Marathon Oil Co. completed a couple of developmental wells 15 miles east of Iraan.

The No. 422 Olson Unit pumped 49 barrels of oil per day. It probed to 2,479 feet total depth and will produce from 2,158 to 2,214 feet into the hole. Bottomed at 2,536 feet, the No. 1 Noelke "20" pumped 39 barrels of oil per day. The well will produce from 2,200 to 2,264 feet into the wellbore.

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<b>BROADCAST STATIONS</b>	KMD	KACB	KRMA	KLST	KPEJ						
<b>CABLE CHANNELS</b>	A&E	CHN	DISC	ESPN	FAM	FBS	HIST	HN	LIFE	NICK	TBN
<b>PREMIUM CHANNELS</b>	D&N	HBO	MAX	SHOW	TMC						

THURSDAY PRIME TIME											
September 4, 1997											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
<b>BROADCAST STATIONS</b>	KMD	KACB	KRMA	KLST	KPEJ						
<b>CABLE CHANNELS</b>	A&E	CHN	DISC	ESPN	FAM	FBS	HIST	HN	LIFE	NICK	TBN
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4	TLC - The Learning Channel	
5	HBO - Home Box Office	
6	FOX - KPEJ	Odessa, Texas
7	FAM - The Family Channel	
8	CBS - KLST	San Angelo, Texas
9	HIST - The History Channel	
10	CNN - Cable News Network	
11	TBS - Superstation, Atlanta	
12	WGN - Superstation, Chicago	
13	PBS - KRMA	Denver
14	TWC - The Weather Channel	
15	TNN - The Nashville Network	
16	SHOW - Showtime	
17	TBN Trinity Broadcasting Network	
18	TMC - The Movie Channel	
20	MAX - Cinemax	
21	UNI - Univision	
22	ESPN - Total Sports Network	
23	TCM - Turner Classic Movies	
24	TELE - Telemundo	
25	DISC - The Discovery Channel	
26	FOX - FOX Sports Southwest	
27	TNT - Turner Network Television	
28	VH-1 Video Hits 1	
29	A & E - Arts & Entertainment	
30	Disney - The Disney Channel	
31	CNN-LH - Headline News	
32	NICK - Nickelodeon	
33	LIFE - Lifetime Television	

FRIDAY PRIME TIME											
September 5, 1997											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
<b>BROADCAST STATIONS</b>	KMD	KACB	KRMA	KLST	KPEJ						
<b>CABLE CHANNELS</b>	A&E	CHN	DISC	ESPN	FAM	FBS	HIST	HN	LIFE	NICK	TBN
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## SATURDAY PRIME TIME

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BROADCAST STATIONS

6:00 6:30 7:00 7:30 8:00 8:30 9:00 9:30 10:00 10:30 11:00 11:30

News Wheel of Fortune College Football Florida State at USC. (Live) News Highlander The Valkyrie The Adventures of Sinbad

Star Trek: Deep Space Nine Blaze of Glory. (cc) (a) R The Pretender The Better Part of Valor. (cc) (a) R Profiler Venom. A private investigator helps the task force hunt for a serial killer who uses poisonous animals to kill her victims. (cc) (a) R News Saturday Night Live (cc) (s)

America's Historic Trails Rail Away Pikes Peak Travels in Europe (a) Travels in Europe (a) Lawrence Walk Salute to Mexico. "Spanish Fiesta" Movie: +++ The Naked and the Dead (1958) (Aldo Ray) A sergeant and a lieutenant lead a doomed World War II jungle platoon. Directed by Raoul Walsh. From the Norman Mailer novel. Mr. Bean Golf. (s)

News (cc) Wheel of Fortune (cc) Dr. Quinn, Medicine Woman The Tempest. (cc) (a) R Early Edition Gary saves a family from a tomato. (cc) (a) R Walker, Texas Ranger Cyclone. (cc) (a) R News (cc) M\*A\*S\*H (10:35) H.S. Football Preview The Cape (11:35)

Mad About You (cc) (a) Home Improvement (cc) Cops Las Vegas. (cc) R Cops (cc) (a) America's Most Wanted: America Fights Back (cc) (a) The Outer Limits The De-programmers. (cc) (s) R MAD TV "Hospital," "Town Meeting," "Progressive Parenting." (cc) (a) R Tales From The Crypt (cc) Tales From The Crypt (cc)

Mysteries of the Bible Story of Creation. Biography This Week Personalities in the news; host Karen Stone. Investigative Reports A profile of serial killer Herb Baumbacher. Movie: +++ The Nanny (1995) (Bette Davis) A bratty British boy accuses his frumpy nanny of awful things. Directed by Seth Holt. Biography This Week Personalities in the news; host Karen Stone.

Cap. Gang Business Pri. News CNN/Sports Larry King Weekend (cc) The World Jim Huber CNN/Sports Illustrated Prime Style

Sci-Trek Murder in Mind. Wild Discovery Yindi: The Last Koala. Sci-Trek Glacier: Below the Ice. Justice Files Undercover Operations Wild Discovery Yindi: The Last Koala. SportsCenter (cc) Baseball Tonight

NASCAR 2Day Auto Racing NASCAR Exide Select Batteries 400. From Richmond, Va. (Live) (cc) Fox Sports News Fox Sports News Fox Sports News

Super Bloopers and New Practical Jokes Kevin Dobson. Movie: +++ Raid on Entebbe (1977, Docudrama) (Peter Finch, Martin Balsam, Horst Buchholz.) Israeli commandos raid Uganda's airport in 1976 to free hostages from Palestinian-terrorist hijackers. Movie: ++ Kojak: Ariana (1989) (Taly Savalas) A drug lord uses a lost little girl to trap his arch-nemesis, New York police Lt. Theo Kojak.

College Football Rutgers at Texas. (Live) Fox Sports News Fox Sports News Fox Sports News

History's Mysteries A profile of Rudolf Hess. Movie: Sharpe's Rifles (1993) (Sean Bean) A British officer tries to win his company's respect and foil Napoleon's forces in Spain. Movie: +++ The Dam Busters (1955) A British wing commander tests a scientist's theory for blowing Nazi dams on the Ruhr with skipping bombs. Movie: Sharpe's Rifles (1993) British officer tries to foil Napoleon.

Headline News (5) Headline News Headline News Headline News

Movie: ++ Dangerous Affection (5) (1987) (Judith Light, Jimmy Smits) Movie: +++ Cross of Fire (1989, Miniseries) (John Heard, David Morse.) Ku Klux Klan leader D.C. Stephenson torments a woman and stands trial for murder in 1920s Indiana. Girls Night Out

Doug (cc) (a) The Angry Beavers (a) Rugrats (cc) All That (s) Kenan & Kel (KaBlam!) (s) Love Lucy The Lucy-Desi Comedy Hour With Edie Adams Happy Days Taxi (cc) (s) Dick Van Dyke

Dr. J. James Kennedy Charles Stanley (cc) Robert Schuller (cc) Carman E. Curtis J. Jacobs Ron Luce Videos Del Way

Movie: +++ Rilo Lobo (7:05) (John Wayne) Two Confederates and a postwar Union colonel show folks how to clean up their town. Baseball Atlanta Braves at San Diego Padres. (Live) (cc)

D.W. Griffith: Father of Film (Part 1 of 3) (cc) (a) D.W. Griffith: Father of Film (Part 2 of 3) (cc) (a) D.W. Griffith: Father of Film (Part 3 of 3) (cc) (a) Movie: +++ Way Down East (1920) (Lillian Gish) An unwed mother is abandoned, then banished in a blizzard and adrift on ice floes. Silent. Directed by D.W. Griffith. D.W. Griffith

How'd They Do That? Victims of trauma. (cc) (s) The Operation Jaw Reconstruction. The Human Experience Caught in the Act. You Gotta See This! (cc) (s) The Operation Jaw Reconstruction. The Human Experience Caught in the Act.

See Haw (1984) Alabama. (a) Opry Backstage Grand Ole Opry Live Statter Bros. Suzy Bogguss. (a) Ralph Emery on the Record With Mel Tillie Opry Backstage Grand Ole Opry Live Statter Bros. Suzy Bogguss. (a)

Lois & Clark: The New Adventures of Superman (cc) (a) Movie: + Mannquin (1987) (Andrew McCarthy) A Philadelphia window dresser wows a mannequin brought to life by the spirit of an ancient princess. Movie: + Sleepwalker (1995, Horror) (Jay Underwood, Kathryn Morris, Michael Harris.) An executed serial killer comes back to hunt a newswoman whose parents he stayed years before.

Elvis in Hollywood Sex, Lies & Videotape Behind the Music Storytellers RuPaul Sex, Lies & Top 10 Countdown

Family Matters (cc) (a) Soul Train Lady of Soul Awards Honorees include Janet Jackson, Queen Latifah; hosts Chaka Khan; Bill Bellamy; Erykah Badu. (a) News (cc) (s) Night Court Movie: + Highlander: The Final Dimension (1994) Immortal swordsmen duel it out in N.J.

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