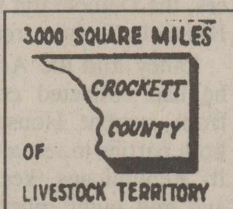
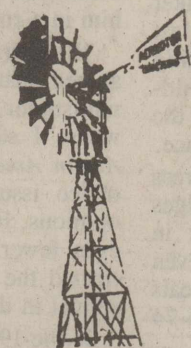


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### State spends \$6,271,771 during the year 1997 in Crockett County

State of Texas expenditures in Crockett County for fiscal 1997 totaled \$6,271,771, according to the Texas 1997 State Expenditures by County report released by the State Comptroller's Office in Austin on Dec. 12.

Public assistance accounted for the largest expenditure at \$2,042,652 according to the report. Intergovernmental payments totaled \$1,617,701, highway construction and maintenance \$1,483,394, labor costs \$1,016,819, operating expenses \$64,243, Miscellaneous \$43,346 and capital outlays \$3,615.

Of the total, 88 percent was spent by the following six agencies: \$2.1 million was spent by the Texas Department of Transportation, \$1.4 million was spent by the Texas Department of Health, \$792,000 was spent by the Texas Education Agency (which, as state support for public education, is classified under intergovernmental payments). \$636,000 was spent by the Texas Department of Human Services, \$487,000 was spent by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, and \$108,000 was spent by the Office of the Attorney General.

Intergovernmental payments are defined as grants to schools and local governments, allocations of mixed beverage tax to cities and counties, textbooks for public schools and distribution of Foundation School Program funds to local school districts.

Labor costs represent salaries and

wages, employee benefits payments, travel expenses and fees for professional consultant services of state and some other governmental employees. Included in this figure is the state's share of retirement contributions for public school teachers.

Public assistance is state funds dispensed through Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Medicaid, child support payments and comparable dollars.

Construction and maintenance of highway costs include purchases of right-of-way and expenses of building and maintaining the state's roads and

bridges.

Operating expense dollars are used for supplies, maintenance, utilities, rental and leases, printing and non-capitalized equipment.

Capital outlay includes land and buildings, major improvements to state property, computer equipment, motor vehicles, aircraft and capitalized purchases of furniture and equipment.

Included under miscellaneous are unidentified fees, court costs, debt interest, state lottery payments and all other state expenditures not noted in the previous sections of the State Comptroller's report.



### His and Hers

By Linda and Scotty Moore

#### His

Ozona, a small community compared to many in Texas, has had more than its share of bad news this year. We all remember the headlines vividly without having to repeat them in this column.

But, we also have a lot to be thankful for. Our county is near the top, if not the top, in oil and gas drilling and other oilfield related activities in the state. This has brought an increase in prosperity to many including the *Stockman* bunch. Businesses have shown an increase in sales, plus many have found jobs where there were none. Many who were desperate to find money at the end of the month to pay their bills now are able to pay as they go with some left over for themselves.

From all of us at *The Ozona Stockman* to all of you, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your continued support and friendship. We love Ozona and Crockett County. It has given back many times over what it has received.

I would also like to give a special thank you to my best friend, Oscar Kost. He has been by our sides during the hard times with words of wisdom and fatherly advice. Without his help, we probably would have gone by the wayside. Thank you again, Oscar. We will never be able to repay what you have given.

And, to our employees, Susan Calloway, Jon Moran, Melinda Hokit, and sportswriters Neal Ulmer and David Screws, who have slaved those long hours to sustain what has been known and will continue to be known as *The Ozona Stockman*, your loyalty to Linda and me and the paper is worth more to us than gold. Thank you.

To all of you from all of us at the paper, Happy New Year. May we continue to trust and work together for a stronger and better community, Ozona, Texas 76943 in the Free State of Crockett.

### Filing ends 6 p.m. Jan. 2

Candidates wishing to have their names on the Democratic or Republican Primary ballots have until 6 p.m. Jan. 2 to file.

Local office holders whose terms expire are Jeffrey Sutton, judge; Burl Myers, tax assessor; Debbi Puckett, county and district clerk; Fred Deaton, Pct. 2 commissioner; Rudy Martinez, Pct. 4 commissioner; and Jim

Hearne, justice of the peace. District Judge Brock Jones is also up for reelection.

Democratic Party chairman A. O. Fields said Tuesday morning that those filing thus far are: Judge Sutton, Debbi Puckett, Commissioner Deaton and J. P. Jim Hearne. Bob Falkner has also filed for the J.P. slot. Judge Jones has announced his intention to file with the Secretary of State.

### January proclaimed School Board Recognition Month

Governor George W. Bush has proclaimed January as School Board Recognition Month to build awareness and understanding of the vital function an elected board of education plays in society.

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District is joining with other districts throughout the state to recognize the important contributions trustees make to their communities.

"Texans benefit every day from the dedicated energies and countless hours devoted by a group of more than 7,000 men and women across the state. These public servants are elected to serve by local citizens and receive no compensation for their tireless efforts. These men and women are the local school board members of Texas," said Larry J. Taylor, Crockett County Consolidated Common School District superintendent.

"These people unselfishly contribute their time and talents toward the advancement of public education," Taylor said. They represent a continuing commitment to local citizen control and decision making in education.

"Even though we are making a special effort during January to show appreciation to our school board members, we recognize their contributions reflect a year-round commitment on their part," Taylor said. "They are dedicated individuals who are committed to the continuing success of our schools and students."

The men and women serving Crockett County Consolidated Common School District and their years of service are: Wade Richardson, six years; Elliott Barrera, nine years; David Bean, 10 years; Dr. Marcus Sims, six years; Becky Childress, five years; George Ybarra, 15 years and Veronica Tijerina, four years.



AN UNORDERED LOAD of cedar posts was almost delivered to the home of Shirley and Dick Kirby Dec. 23. The pickup and trailer belonging to Peery Holmsley, which were parked at the top of the hill, rolled down into the Kirby yard. According to a spokesperson for the DPS, the brakes on the vehicle did not hold. photo by Susan Calloway

### 50th annual junior livestock show features Old-Timers Alumni Contest

1998 marks the 50th anniversary for the annual Crockett County Junior Livestock Show. The 1998 show is set for Jan. 8-10 at Fair Park Convention Center. This year, 96 exhibitors will show approximately 135 lambs, 100 meat goats, 25 swine and more rabbits that you can shake a stick at.

Exhibitors will compete for various awards and prizes, such as grand and reserve champion, along with showmanship awards for each age category. Each exhibitor will also be allowed to sell their highest placing animal during the livestock premium sale on Saturday afternoon, which is made possible by numerous donors from Ozona and the surrounding area. An added feature for the 50th anniversary will be the Old-Timers 4-H Alumni Lamb Showmanship Contest.

Any ex-Crockett County 4-H member who is an old-timer (40 and over) is invited and encouraged to participate. "A buckle will be awarded to the winner, and I am sure that some 4-H'er will be willing to let you use a lamb," says Miles Dabovich, County Extension Agent.

The stock show begins Thursday, Jan. 8, at 5:30 p.m. with the rabbit show. On Friday, Jan. 9, the market swine show will kick off at 6:30 p.m. followed by the meat goat show at 7:30 p.m. The market lamb show is scheduled for 8 a.m. on Saturday with the Old-Timers Lamb Showmanship contest at 11:15. As usual, a barbecue lunch will be served at the convention center, followed by the awards presentation at 1:30 p.m. and the premium sale at 2 p.m. The 4-H Adult Leaders Association will provide a concession stand during all three days of the show.

A complete schedule of events follows.

Thursday, Jan. 8  
5 p.m. - All rabbits in the barn  
5:30 p.m. - Rabbit show  
Friday, Jan. 9  
8 a.m. - All market lambs, meat goats and market swine in barn  
9 a.m. - Weigh all market animals  
6:30 p.m. - Market swine show  
7:30 p.m. - Meat goat show  
Saturday, Jan. 10  
8 a.m. - Market lamb show  
11:15 a.m. - Old-Timers Showmanship Contest

Noon - BBQ lunch in convention center  
1:30 p.m. - Awards presentation  
2 p.m. - Premium sale  
4 p.m. - Sort and load market

animals.  
"On behalf of the Crockett County Junior Livestock Show, we thank everyone for their support and hope that you will make plans to attend our 50th annual show," said Dabovich.

### Rehab telethon Jan. 10

Rehab '98, West Texas Rehabilitation Center's fundraising telethon, will be conducted Saturday, Jan. 10, with a little help from a lot of friends — entertainers who champion the center's commitment to the disabled, donors who pledge their financial support and volunteers who man San Angelo and Concho Valley area community phone banks.

Ozona volunteers led by Kay Stewart will conduct Crockett County's Rehab '98 phone bank at Crockett County National Bank. Residents are urged to call 392-3745 between 6 and 10 p.m. or go by the bank, visit with volunteers and leave their donation in person.

Also, advance donations may be made to volunteers prior to the Jan. 10 telethon. "We're encouraging everyone to participate; either in advance or during the telethon so we can send a message of support to West Texas Rehab Center which serves many of our own families and friends," Ms. Stewart said.

Twelve television stations, including KLST-TV in San Angelo, will televise this 28th annual show which originates live from the Abilene Civic Center beginning at 7 p.m.

Headliners Glen Campbell and 11-year-old singing sensation Mikaila will share the stage with Peter Marshall, Rex Allen Sr., Bill and Susan Hayes, Anacani, Arthur Duncan and Brad Maule.

Viewers of KLST-TV will be able to see the network stage show as well as local interviews and Concho Valley phone bank reports from WTRC-San Angelo hosted by Pat Attebery, local television host and WTRC board officer. The telecast also can be viewed nation-wide via satellite.

Another popular segment of the telethon is the auction which features retail merchandise and hand-crafted items donated by businesses and individuals — ranging from boats to bridal gowns, trips to tires. Major auction items and a toll-free bidding number will be publicized prior to showtime.

"We're hopeful to top the \$1 million mark on Rehab '98," said WTRC President Jim Pethis, "Because more than 17,000 children and adults with physical disabilities and communication difficulties are counting on all of us. With the help of supporters and volunteers, I'm confident we'll be successful on Jan. 10 and all year long."

### The Weather

It Rained Folks

Date	H	Lo	Rain
Dec. 22	62	34	.10
Dec. 23	46	30	.25
Dec. 24	49	30	-.0
Dec. 25	58	31	.10
Dec. 26	40	25	-.0
Dec. 27	50	23	.4
Dec. 28	51	18	-.0

(Readings are for a 24 hour period beginning at 8 a.m.)  
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#### 4-Day Forecast

Wed.	Thur.
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lo 38	lo 45
Sunny	Partly Cloudy

Fri.	Sat.
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lo 45	lo 45
Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy

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## State Capital HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling  
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**AUSTIN** — Texas House Speaker James E. "Pete" Laney said last week that despite the shrinking number of Democratic officeholders, the Democratic majority in the House is likely to remain in place.

Laney told the Associated Press he had collected enough pledges from current House members in both parties to remain speaker even if Republicans keep their seats and add eight others for a 76-74 majority.

"They predicted last time it was going to turn, and it didn't, and I don't think anything has changed," Laney told the AP. Laney, D-Hale Center, has served in the House for 24 years, and has been elected speaker three times.

Key Democratic House members who are not seeking re-election include Mark Stiles of Beaumont, chairman of the Calendars Committee; Allen Place of Gatesville, chairman of the Criminal Jurisprudence Committee; Allen Hightower of Huntsville, chairman of the Corrections Committee; Hugo Berlanga of Corpus Christi, chairman of the Public Health Committee; and Keith Oakley of Terrell, chairman of the Public Safety Committee.

As chairman of the Calendars Committee, Stiles scheduled hearings for legislative bills. He had

the power to put bills on the back burner or the fast track.

Susan Weddington, chairwoman of the Republican Party of Texas said Stiles' retirement was a "huge blow to the Democratic establishment of Texas."

**Mattox to Announce for AG**  
Democrat Jim Mattox of Austin said he will file as a candidate for Texas attorney general — seeking to return to the office he held from 1983 to 1991.

Since then, Mattox, 54, has lost in Democratic primaries for two statewide offices. In 1990, Ann Richards beat Mattox in a runoff for governor, and in 1944, Dallas businessman Richard Fisher beat him in a runoff for U.S. Senate.

"Both friend and foe alike have agreed that I was a decisive administrator. Everyone always knew where I stood," Mattox told the *Austin American-Statesman*. "Our office issued thousands of legal opinions. Few were challenged and even fewer were overturned. I attracted the highest quality of personnel in the office."

In the 1998 Democratic primary, Mattox will face Court of Criminal Appeals Justice Morris Overstreet of Amarillo and Gene Kelly, a Universal City lawyer.

**Liability Rates Reduced**  
The state insurance commission last week lowered automobile liability insurance rates for high-risk drivers in the Texas Automobile Insurance Plan. The association, known as TAIPA, insures drivers who have been turned down for coverage in the standard market.

Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer said the reduction — an average of 3.9 percent — is similar to that recommended by administrative law judges who heard testimony concerning the rate. TAIPA had requested a 22 percent increase.

The association assigns drivers to various insurance companies, which can charge rates set by the

insurance commissioner. About three-fourths of the drivers assigned to TAIPA carry only mandatory liability coverage.

The new insurance rates take effect March 1.

**More Gun Licensees Charged**  
Statistics compiled by the Texas Department of Public Safety show that criminal charges filed against Texans with concealed handgun permits rose sharply in 1997.

Last week *The Dallas Morning News* reported felony and misdemeanor cases involving permit holders rose from 431 in 1996 to 666 so far in 1997 — a 54.5 percent increase.

Despite the statistics, state Sen. Jerry Patterson, R-Pasadena, the chief author of the right-to-carry law, said, "The preponderance of the evidence suggests that a vast majority of permit holders act responsibly."

Patterson pointed out that no Texas permit holder has been convicted of a homicide since the law took effect Jan. 1, 1996.

According to DPS statistics, the number of permit holders increased from 114,500 in 1996 to 161,702 through mid-December, a 41.2 percent increase.

Fewer than 1 percent of Texans have concealed handgun permits. So far, the state has revoked 377 permits.

**Other Capitol Highlights**  
■ The number of nonfatal work-related injuries and illnesses fell to a historic low for the state in 1996, according to the Texas Workers' Compensation Commission. The agency said the rate fell to 6.3 incidents per 100 full-time workers in 1996, down from a rate of 7.2 per 100 in 1995.

■ Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter markets in Texas feedlots with capacity of 1,000 head or more totaled a record 2.94 million head on Dec. 1, up 11 percent from a year ago, according to a report by the Texas Agriculture Statistics Service.

## Hearings slated on regional water planning areas

The Texas Water Development Board will hold nine public meetings between Jan. 6 and Jan. 15 and a public hearing on the final draft of regional water planning areas and proposed planning rules for state and regional water plans.

Public meetings to discuss the final draft regional water planning areas and proposed rules will be held in Richmond, Tyler, Weslaco, Beaumont, New Braunfels, Plano, Midland, Plainview and Clifton. The Midland meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 13, at 9 a.m. at Midland County Library, 301 West Missouri.

The public hearing will be Jan. 21 in Austin at 10 a.m. in Room 118 of the Stephen F. Austin Building, 1700 North Congress.

At the public meetings and hearing, the TWDB will receive public comments on the third and final draft of regional water planning areas and proposed rules for state and regional water planning required by Senate Bill 1, the comprehensive water bill that was passed during the legislative session ending in June. SB1 requires the TWDB to designate regional water planning areas and initial members to regional water planning groups (RPG), and to approve regional water plans prepared by the RPG. RPG are required to submit regional water plans to the TWDB for approval every five

years beginning September 2000. TWDB-approved regional water plans will be incorporated into the next comprehensive State Water Plan, which is due Sept. 1, 2001. The TWDB is accepting nominees for membership on the RPG for each planning area through Jan. 16, 1998.



The deadline for public comments on the final draft of regional water planning areas and proposed rules for water supply planning is Jan. 26, 1998. Comments should include the provisions that are favored or provisions that should be changed and why, and should suggest revised language. Comments should be provided by e-mailing to SB1@twdb.state.tx.us, by writing to Carolyn Brittin at the Texas Water Development Board, P.O. Box 13231, Austin, TX 78711-3231 or by faxing to 512/463-9893. The water planning areas and rules will be con-

sidered for final adoption at the TWDB's Feb. 19 board meeting at 9 a.m. at the Stephen F. Austin Building, Room 118, 1700 North Congress, Austin.

The TWDB has identified Special Water Resources (SWR) to facilitate regional water planning. SWR are water supplies in one area that are obligated in full or part to meet water demands in another area. As a RPG develops its regional water plan, it must protect water rights, contracts and option agreements related to a SWR in its area so that water supplies obligated to meet demands outside the regional planning area are not impacted.

For copies of the final regional water planning area delineations and rules, contact Diane Burr at 512/475-2057.

**WEEKLY REPORT**  
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## 1997: A good year for American taxpayers

As we look back over the last year, one thing stands out in the list of accomplishments of the first session of the 105th Congress: real tax relief for Americans. Overtaxed, overburdened and overwhelmed Americans won the "triple crown" in 1997. This Congress brought the passage of the first balanced budget in a generation, the first tax relief in 16 years and the beginning of the end of the IRS as we know it. Will these benefits ever reach your pocket? You bet.

Whether you are a parent, senior, student or small business owner, chances are your taxes will be changed for the better in 1998. By slashing the estate tax, reducing the capital gains tax rate and providing education tax credits, the Taxpayer Relief Act of 1997 returned power and freedom back to Americans. All in all, this boils down to \$94 billion in net tax relief for Americans in just five years.

These numbers are not just smoke and mirrors. They are real numbers and real differences that affect you now. For example, some of you may have already benefited from the capital gains tax cuts which retroactively took effect last May. So, if you sold an investment for a profit after May 7, 1997, you can keep more of your profit.

Other provisions of the Taxpayer Relief Act take effect on Jan. 1, 1998.

The new year brings a \$1.3 million exemption from the estate tax, or "death tax" for family-owned farms, ranches and small businesses. In other words, a family would pay no death taxes when they inherit a family farm or ranch valued at less than \$1.3 million. That's more than double what the exemption is now for family-owned businesses. Finally, it will be easier for Texans to keep their farm, ranch or small business in the family for generations.

This year also brought sweeping changes in the IRS itself. The IRS Restructuring and Reform Act gave taxpayers unprecedented power in dealing with the IRS. As crazy as it seems, for years taxpayers were guilty until proven innocent in cases against the IRS. Not any more. Now, the IRS has to prove that the taxpayer is wrong when the taxpayer fully cooperates during administrative proceedings. It's about time for a level playing field between the IRS and taxpayer.

All of this is just the tip of the iceberg on this Congress' plan for tax reform. We will continue to ensure that the IRS deals fairly with the American people. This story isn't over until we reach our ultimate goal of a fairer, simpler system with a single, low rate.

## News Reel

DEC. 26, 1998

**News Reel**  
Word was received here last week that the hearing on the suit brought by the Air Force against the Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, has been postponed until Jan. 21.

**News Reel**  
David A. Parker, brother of J. B. Parker, Ozona, has been promoted to colonel in the U.S. Air Force.

**News Reel**  
Daniel F. (Sonny) Sessom who was killed in a two-car collision Dec. 14 three miles west of Big Lake, was a brother of Bud Sessom of Ozona. He was foreman of the Olin Blanks ranch at Silver at the time of his death.

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. Mark White and children, Lynn and Teddy, are here for the holidays visiting Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted White.

**News Reel**  
The annual All-State Class AA football teams, as selected by the Fort Worth Star Telegram, has chosen Marlin Farris, center for the Lions the past four years, First Team, and Fleet Coates, running back for the Lions, as Honorable Mention.

**News Reel**  
David Vance Lewis of Ozona is serving as recorder of Sigma Nu, men's national social fraternity, at North Texas State University.

**News Reel**  
Joey Pierce of Austin is here visiting his father, Joe Pierce IV, and other relatives during the holidays.

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Talley and John Robert Shepperson of San Angelo spent Christmas with their grandmother, Mrs. George Montgomery, and other relatives.

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cox and children are spending Christmas in Wichita Falls with Mrs. Cox's mother, Mrs. S. A. Man, and her grandmother, Mrs. R. C. Hicks.

**News Reel**  
Miss Carolyn Mayfield of Manhattan Beach, CA, is here for the holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Mayfield, and other relatives.

**News Reel**  
Diane Phillips of Greeley, CO, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips.

**NEWS REEL**  
DEC. 28, 1939

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jones Miller, beloved Crockett County pioneer ranch couple, who have made this county home since it was organized in 1891, will celebrate their 62nd wedding anniversary next Monday.

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jake Short were here from their ranch near Vanderpool, in Bandera County, to spend Christmas with relatives.

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davidson and Joe Thomas have as their guests this week Miss Donna Beth Hill of Big Lake.

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fowler and Fontaine visited Mrs. Fowler's mother, Mrs. Bruce Drake, during the holidays.

## Political Announcements

The following candidates have authorized The Ozona Stockman to announce their intentions to file as candidates for posts in the 1998 Democratic Primary

**Justice of the Peace:**  
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**Bob R. Falkner**  
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**County Judge:**  
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## Letters To The Editor

Dear Scotty and Linda,  
My father told me several years ago, in order to quell a rumor, go to the source and separate fact from fiction. Since Ann's sudden rash of misfortunes and illnesses, many rumors have been appearing around town, and we would like to try and correct them. But first, she would like to thank her many friends and neighbors for their support, gifts of love, phone calls, visits at home and at the hospital, the food, flowers, prayers and all the medical staff involved (her primary care doctor, the eye surgeon, the retina specialist, the surgeon, the plastic surgeon, Texas Rehab Commission and the Texas Commission for the Blind). Everyone has been so kind, caring and loving toward her.

Now, FICTON: Ann went blind because of something she ate, drank, saw, etc. FACT: Ann is an insulin dependent diabetic and has been for 30 plus years. In January 1993, she had a stroke. This stroke did some brain damage. The damage was done in the area that controls the optic nerves. This, along with the diabetes damaging her veins, caused her to lose

her eyesight gradually until August when the eye specialist told her that she was totally blind.

FICTION: Ann had both legs amputated, she had both legs amputated and had a stroke on the operating table. She has had both feet amputated.

FACT: Ann was admitted to Columbia Medical Center in San Angelo on the 15th of December 1997 with bad infections on both feet that had become gangrenous. On the 17th of December the surgeon operated on both her feet, removing the scab, dead skin, etc. She has been undergoing whirlpool treatments with antibiotics, IVs with antibiotics, treatment for her high blood pressure and diabetes. Their plan now is to operate on both feet Wednesday, the 31st of December. They will then skin graft her right foot, amputate some toes on her left foot and skin graft. Hopefully, this will work. Should it not, then they have to go to another option.

Possible cause for this was that in 1986, while recovering from an operation for herniated discs, she contracted a rare disease named Poly

Artamis Nadosa. A residual was a majority loss of blood circulation to both feet. In October, she had a shoe rub a sore and a bout with gout. The rub became infected and gangrene set in because her system would not accept the conventional treatments. This brings us up to this stage of the game for next Wednesday.

We'll keep you posted on all of her progress, and on fact. Again, she wishes to thank every one for their generosity, love, kindness and prayers.  
Don Smith

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Thank you for taking the time out of your busy schedule to help these unfortunate little ones who are homeless and abused through no fault of their own. It is people like you that make St. Jude's Ranch for Children possible.

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We all pitched in, in time of need  
Whether sickness, storm or fire  
Our desire to help one another  
Was pride and not for hire

Gratitude  
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By Jim Baggett

There are those people in every day  
life  
That we never seem to see  
But they make things better in so many  
ways  
For people like you and me

There's one in particular  
That really touches us all  
He's very illusive and private  
And never returns a call

He works his fingers to the bone  
Never resting or so it seems  
We owe you a lot, Juan Valdez  
For hand picking all those beans

Changing Times  
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By Jim Baggett

Now times have changed  
Since the west was won  
We don't travel by horse  
Or live by the gun

We don't do our work  
From daylight to dark  
And the only wilderness  
Is the city park

There's no pony express  
Or wagon trains  
Great prairie schooners  
Or vast open plains

Towns are now cities  
Of squalor and strife  
No longer safe havens  
Or fortresses for life

It makes you wonder  
At this enormous cost  
Was the west really won  
Or was it lost

## Baggett speaks on country wisdom

Crockett County native Jimmy Baggett, now a resident of Georgia, has compiled observations of a lifetime into a collection of poetry, *Country Wisdom & Other Things*.

The softcover book is dedicated to his mother, Willie V. (Shorty) Baggett, Kathy Devany and Dr. Kathleen Hudson for their encouragement and help. Columnist Baxter Black says "Enjoyed your book. I liked *Pride* the best, but I really liked *Cowboys & Politics*."

Included among the 27 works is *Nana*, a tribute to Baggett's grandmother, Mrs. Steve Coose, who was known simply as Nana to generations of Ozonans.

Copies of *Country Wisdom & Other Things* are available by calling Baggett at 1 (770) 631-3582.

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Pride  
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By Jim Baggett

I'd like to change some things that are  
To the way they were back when  
All women were treated with respect  
And men were really men

## Genealogical and Historical Society meets Jan. 6

The San Angelo Genealogical and Historical Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 6, in the Fellowship Hall of the Church of Christ, 901 North Main, in San Angelo.

A few members will give reports on some of the most successful methods used in their genealogical research. Also, there will be a question and answer session.

The society meets the first Tuesday of each month, September through May. Visitors are encouraged to attend.

For more information, call Peg Gordon at 949-8870.

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

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Dec. 31 - Nancy Edwards Moore, Dennis Young, Terren Marshall, Joe Mendoza, Karina Rios

Jan. 1 - Cody Porras, Maria De La Rosa, Danny DeLeon, Romie Arredondo, Lisa Ortiz, Jesus Castillo, Matt Miller, Mary Huckabee

Jan. 2 - Becky Ybarra, Butch Gonzalez, Jamie Lee Moore, Marcia Moran, Jessie Alvarez, Victor Villarreal Jr., Cuatro Jones, Martin Rocha, Gloria Wilson

Jan. 3 - Michael Ybarra, James Caldera, Jose Carrizales, Tony Valencia, Anita Vasquez, Chago Ybarra Jr., Joseph Matthew Galindo

Jan. 4 - Willie Tooke, Joe Moran, Douglas Bean, Gene Lilly, Bill Crowder, Ramon Anthony Ybarra, Timothy Longoria, Vince Huffman, Jean Jolly, Nancy Floyd, Betty Elledge

Jan. 5 - Randy Wilson, J. D. Borrego, Les Moore, Simon Longoria, John Baker, Tania Sanchez, Rogelio Sanchez Jr., Barbara Contreras

Jan. 6 - Tina Caldera, Bryan Mendez, Santa Rios, Richard Cardona, Rey Rivera, Victor De La Garza, Christian Rey Perez, Reyes Cisneros, Tara Fatout

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"The highest result of education is tolerance." Helen Keller.

### Guess who's 50!



HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY  
from Family and Friends

## Ozona Community Calendar

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Jan. 8-10 - Crockett County Stock Show.

Jan. 14 - 911 Ceremony 1 p.m.

Jan. 16-18 - Texas Sheep Dog Trials Winter Olympics.

To add your event to The Ozona Stockman Community Calendar, call 392-2551, or contact Ozona Chamber of Commerce at 392-3737

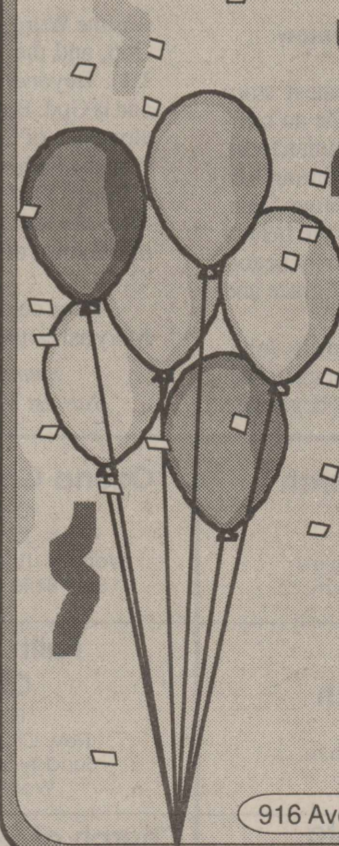
## Cook-of-the Week

With the community's cooks all in a state of exhaustion from their efforts Christmas, The Stockman decided a week off was in order. Although this space is empty this week, check the Jan. 7 issue for more good recipes from local cooks.

By the way, if you know someone who is a great cook, tell us. We would like to invite them to share recipes from their kitchens. There is no cooking involved.

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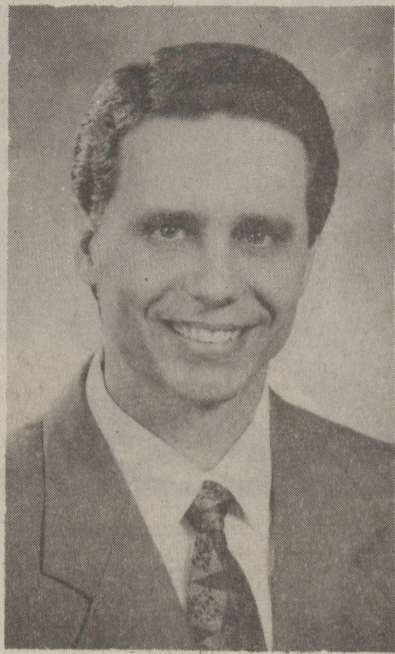
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## Carter new minister of music

Randy Carter is the new minister of music at First Baptist Church of Ozona. He began his duties Dec. 1, coming here from Second Baptist Church in Levelland where he was



Randy Carter

minister of music and senior adults. Carter earned his degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. He has previously served in Colmesneil and Clarksville.

After graduating from Brinkley High School in Brinkley, AR, where he was raised, Carter served four years in the U. S. Air Force. He was partners with his father in a homebuilding business for eight years before going into the ministry.

Carter's wife, Becky, teaches in Levelland and will remain there until the end of the school year. She is certified in secondary education as a teacher of English, Spanish and ESL. She hopes to continue teaching upon moving to Ozona.

The Carter children are Jamie, a college senior, Travis, a high school senior and Christina, a fifth grader.

Mr. Carter likes hunting, camping and also does some cycling.

## Donate coats to help others

Ozona newcomer Corba Jones has organized a coat drive to help others this winter. People with coats to donate are asked to leave them at Ozona Dry Clean at 904 Ave. H. Coats and jackets will be accepted through Jan. 23 at 5 p.m.

Volunteers are needed to sort the garments on Jan. 27-29 from 9 a.m. to noon, and the items will be distributed on Jan. 31 between 9 a.m. and noon.

For more information or to volunteer to help with the project, contact Karla Turland at 392-5887 or Corba Jones at 392-3302 after 5 p.m.

## Obituaries

### Dec. 31 service for Hank Wellman

Thomas Henry "Hank" Wellman died Sunday, Dec. 28, 1997, at his residence in Ozona.

Graveside service will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Cedar Hill Cemetery with arrangements by Preddy Funeral Home.

Mr. Wellman was born Jan. 19, 1933, in Iowa Park. He was a self-employed pumpier in Ozona for 30 years. Prior to that, he was a member of the U. S. Border Patrol and employed by Southland Pipe and Supply of Ozona and Bradford Supply Co. of Olney. Mr. Wellman was a member of the First Methodist Church of Olney, Olney Masonic Lodge #790 and Ozona Country Club.

Survivors include his wife, Jeanne Berry Wellman of Ozona; two daughters, Debra Lindsey of Ozona and Lesley Gibson of Mountain, Lake, MN; two step-children, Charles Ward of Manning, SC, and Dana Hughes of Cabot, AR; one sister, Jo Garrison of Frripp Island, SC; 11 grandchildren, Stephanie Du Bose Saunders of

Seguin, Christopher Smith of Wimberley, Amy Vargas of Midland, Jessie Turner of Windom, MN, Cory Turner of Bomosun, VT, Lacy Vestal of Ozona, Carson Wellman of Sumter, SC, Cody Stone, Johnnie Stone and Erica Stone, all of Cabot, AR, Mack Lindsey of Ozona and Becky Lindsey of San Angelo; three great-grandchildren, Sterling Du Bose of Seguin, Daniel Vargas of Midland and Aleya Lindsey of San Angelo.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse Leon and Velma May Wellman, a son, Michael Leon Wellman, and a step-daughter, Wynn Stone.

Pallbearers will be H. O. Hoover, Mike Womack, Jerry Fatout, Cecil Stoupe, Weldon Maness and Jim Green.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to Hospice of San Angelo, P. O. Box 471, San Angelo, TX 76902 or The American Cancer Society, P. O. Box 968, Ozona, TX 76943.

### Rodrigo Machado laid to rest Dec. 26

Rodrigo V. Machado, age 91, of Ozona died Thursday, Dec. 25, 1997, in Crockett County Care Center.

Funeral service was at 2 p.m. Friday in Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Arrangements were by Preddy Funeral Home.

Mr. Machado was born March 13, 1906, in Terreo, Coahuila, Mexico. He was a lifetime resident of

Ozona, a Navy veteran and a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Marina Vallejo, Eppie Ortiz and Felice Gutierrez of Ozona and Soevida Solano of San Jose, Costa Rica; one son, Virgil Machado of Sacramento, CA; a sister, Mercedes Ramos of Ozona; 23 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

## Ozona Chamber Of Commerce - Member Of The Week

### Komechak Kritter Sitter Service

Kritter Sitter Cindy Reavis Komechak is the Ozona Chamber of Commerce's Member of the Week.

Cindy is a registered veterinary technician who received her training at Sul Ross University in Alpine. She began her housesitting and pet grooming service in 1991, and in 1995, moved into her building at 214 Ave. M. Constructed by her husband, Gil and her father, Frank Reavis, the building is large enough for in-door pet boarding.

Komechak Kritter Sitter Service provides pickup and delivery and will even transport pets to your veterinarian. In addition to boarding, grooming and housesitting, Cindy carries all kinds of pet supplies and will special order.

"If you are searching for a pet, I can usually help. If you have unwanted pets, I can help find them homes." Cindy also takes in orphans. She now has two adult squirrels which were only about a day old when she found them after they fell from their nest in a treetop.

Helping at Komechak Kritter Sitter Service after school and on weekends are Melissa Ivey and Melonie Stewart. Cindy and Gil's sons, Matthew, age 7, and Russel, age 5, are also good helpers.

For more information on how you or your business can become a member of Ozona Chamber of Commerce, call 392-3737 & talk to executive director Shelly Childress.



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**You Can Rest Assured**  
 By Linda Casey

Some people spend so much money on clothes that they could have bought a new house during the past five years.

Saving money is like losing weight. You just have to be dedicated. Some people never understand how others got ahead. If you're willing to live five years scrimmaging, working as much as you can and saving and living like no one else will, then live like everyone else wants to for the rest of your lives.

Everyone talks about how many lives are destroyed by alcohol and drugs, both of which I'm against. But these same people bet on the football pool at work. Gambling has destroyed

a lot of families. We should all have a check up yearly. Lumps and things appear suddenly. Most cancers nowadays can be cured if caught early.

Putting things off can become a habit. You may wake up at 70 years old and find you've put off living your life.

All of us should take time for ourselves, even if it's only an hour a week. It will keep us feeling special.

We should all listen to the stories and tales of our elders. They are storage centers for vast amounts of knowledge.

Giving up on life is easy. It's sticking around for the long haul that is the hard part.

## The Word Became Flesh

By Dennis J. Prutov

Christmas is the greatest story ever told. Why? Christ was no ordinary man. He was God in human form. The Bible describes His coming like this: "And the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth" (John 1:14-15).

According to the apostle John, the Word is the Second Person of the Trinity. John says, "In the beginning

was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God" (John 1:1). Beyond doubt, this Word was and is God. But this Word also existed alongside of God. Here we have both God the Father and God the Son. And although God the Son "existed in the form of God", He was also "made in the likeness of men" (Philippians 2:6-7).

How could this be? The virgin Mary asked the same question. Here is

*Space is being reserved next week for a column from Rev. Mike Davis of Harvest Time Christian Center.*

the answer she received. "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; and for that reason the holy offspring shall be called the Son of God" (Luke 1:35).

Finally, when Christ was born, a heavenly chorus of angels sang, "Glory to God in the highest" (Luke 2:14). It is the chorus we should all join to celebrate Jesus Christ, God in human form.

<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 Sun Mass: 11:00 a.m. Sat.: 7:00 p.m. M. W. F. - 8:30 a.m.
<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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<sup>21</sup>For she said within herself, if I may but touch his garment, I shall be whole.

<sup>22</sup>But Jesus turned him about, and when he saw her he said, Daughter, be of good comfort; thy faith hath made thee whole.

St. Matthew 9:21-22

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## Care Center Chatter

Tuesday afternoon was a joy for everyone. T&C grocery Santa Ruben Tambunga and his helper, Coy Tambunga, visited each resident with stockings filled with candy. The staff was also given Christmas candy and fruit. Thank you both for making Christmas afternoon a great one.

Lois Smith went to San Angelo to be with her family for Christmas. Hazel McDaniel went to Austin with daughter and son-in-law Jimmie and Pete Jacoby for the holidays. Both these ladies had a wonderful time.

Christmas dinner was turkey, dressing, green beans and pumpkin pie. It was very delicious. I joined the residents who didn't have family that could make it for the special day.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Thompson and three daughters are the first to adopt a grandparent here at the care center. Their adopted grandparent is Neva Palmer. They were here at the Christmas party with gifts and happy faces. We still have a lot of residents to be adopted as grandparents.

Our care center is in need of new furniture. If you can see it in your hearts for that special donation that is needed so badly, we are proud of our center and would like to have a new look in our lobby for residents and when families come. It has been many years since we have had new furniture. Let's make the end of 1997 a great one by helping donate for such a good cause. The care center is very important to our community. Let's keep it that way and be proud of it.

## Card of Thanks

I would like to thank my family and friends for making my BIG birthday so much fun. I will never forget it. I really appreciate all the flowers, calls, cards and gifts. You truly know how to make someone feel special.

Love,  
 Jeanie Thompson

## Take a quick photographic stroll through 1997...



## Vandals destroy light display

"They totally demolished our neighborhood," said a Chandler Addition resident of vandalism done Christmas Eve night.

No one seems to have seen the car which went up on the curb and wiped out decorative lights at a number of homes.

Outlining yards and sidewalks in the area began several years ago with residents on Algerita Circle. Since that time, "someone new was always adding to it. That's what had made it so neat," said a resident. "We drank a lot of milk to get all those jugs to put lights in."

"I don't know why they did it. Just smarting off, I guess."

Those who have seen the area at its Christmas best are saddened by the senseless vandalism.

## Texas Tech clinic has new hours

Beginning Jan. 1, 1998, TTUHSC Rural Clinic will be open Monday through Thursday from 7:30 a.m. until noon and from 1 to 7 p.m. The clinic is closed on Fridays.

Nuevo horario para esta clinica enero 1, 1998, lunes - jueves son 7:30 - 12:00, 1:00 - 7:00. Cerrado en viernes.

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The family of Crystelle Childress enjoyed Christmas in Nashville at the Opryland Hotel. Christmas Eve was spent in Opryland Park where they rode the General Jackson. On Christmas night they attended a dinner theatre at the Grand Old Opry.

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Lynda and Bob Falkner enjoyed a holiday trip to see family and friends. They spent Christmas in Garland at the home of daughter Debra Meador and family where they were joined by daughter Sarah Falkner. En route, they spent a night in Mineola as guests of Beth and Jerry Scoggins, and before returning to Ozona, they visited at Lake Brownwood with Bob's brother and sister-in-law, Fred and Lorrera Falkner.

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## Litigation, laughs and loyalties collide in new Trans-Pecos book

From the judge who shot down his man on the dusty streets of Del Rio to the judge who lost his pants in court, the history of the 83rd Judicial District of Texas is a lively one of courtroom drama, international manhunts and conflicting loyalties in the Trans-Pecos West.

An insider's view of the history of the 83rd is revealed in a new book by a longtime Marfa resident, Mary Katherine Metcalfe Earney. The daughter of Judge Hunter O. Metcalfe and widow of Judge William H. Earney, Earney grew up with the 83rd, hearing many stories of West Texas court cases.

She now shares her unique perspective of events and cases in *First Find the Courthouse: An Anecdotal History of the 83rd Judicial District of Texas*, published by Listo Publications of Houston.

The book describes the personalities and details of memorable cases of each of the eight judges of the old six-county district. The largest judicial district in the United States, the old district included Presidio, Jeff Davis, Brewster, Upton, Pecos and Reagan Counties. In 1995 the Legislature set new boundaries for the district.

Included in the book is the W. L. Babb trial which followed the shoot-out at Lajitas.

From barbed wire justice to weather-altering confrontations, "lots of important, far-reaching and unique litigation sprang up in the counties

within the 83rd Judicial District," said William Kerr, Midland attorney. Many of those cases are discussed in Earney's book, with "a few chuckles on every page", according to Max N. Osborn, retired chief justice of the Eighth Court of Appeals in El Paso.

Earney "writes with candor and deep insight into a judicial system in which the right of self-defense is deeply ingrained," said Dr. Kenneth B. Ragsdale, noted author of three books on West Texas.

U. S. District Judge Lucius D. Bunton, retired judge of the Western District of Texas, called the book a "delightful collection of history, humor, colorful courtroom antics and the flavor of West Texas".

Earney "senses deep in her bones West Texas traditions and multicultures as they relate to attorneys and the law," commented Clara Scarbrough, state award-winning author of *Land of Good Water: A Williamson County, Texas, History*.

Earney writes a weekly column for the Big Bend Sentinel and has been special correspondent and photographer for papers in El Paso, San Angelo, Fort Worth and Marfa. She earned a master's of history at Sul Ross State University in Alpine.

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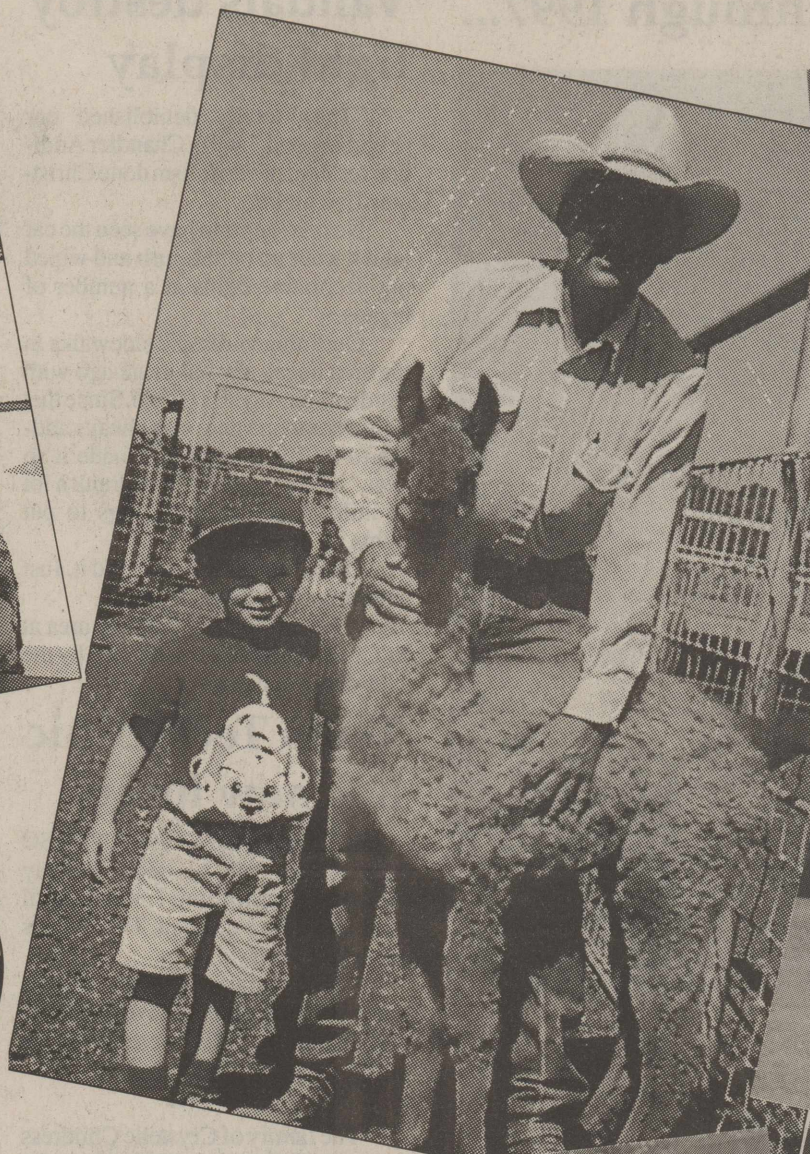
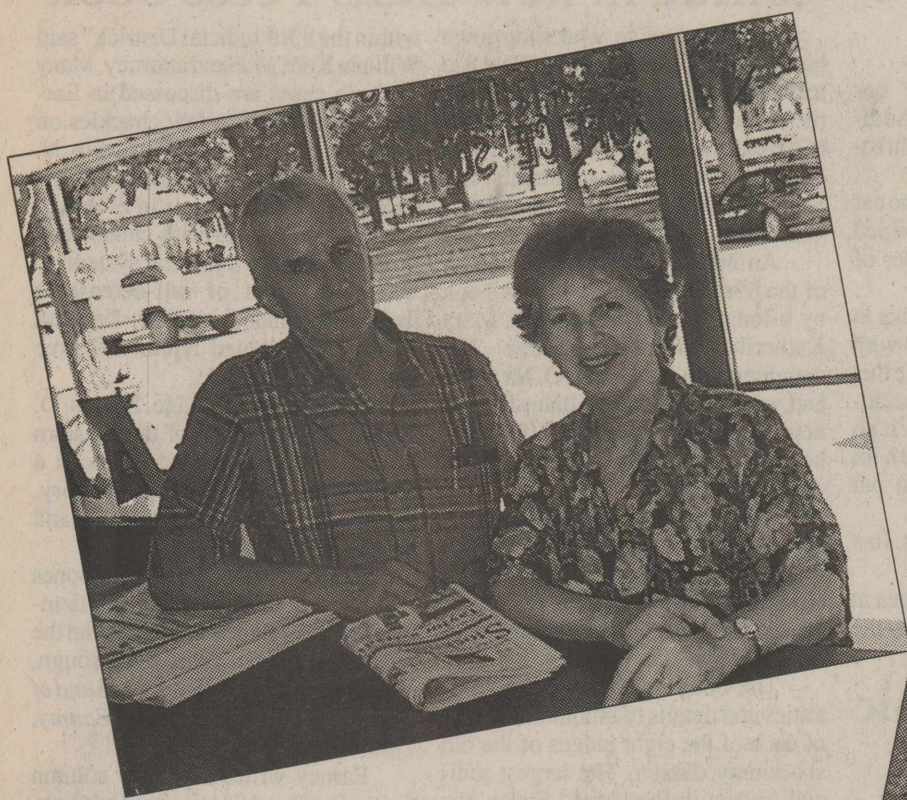
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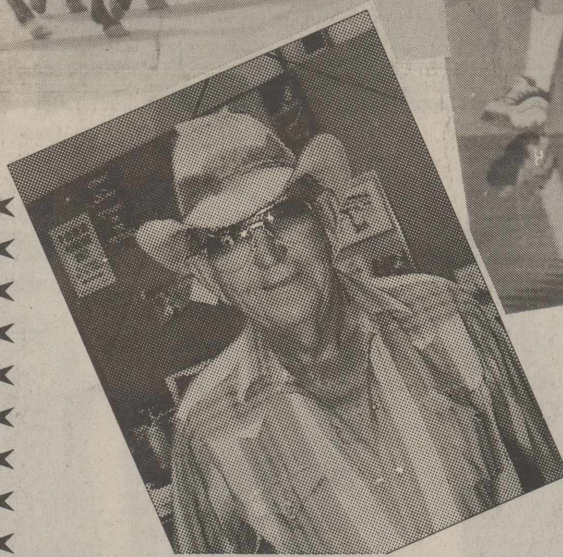
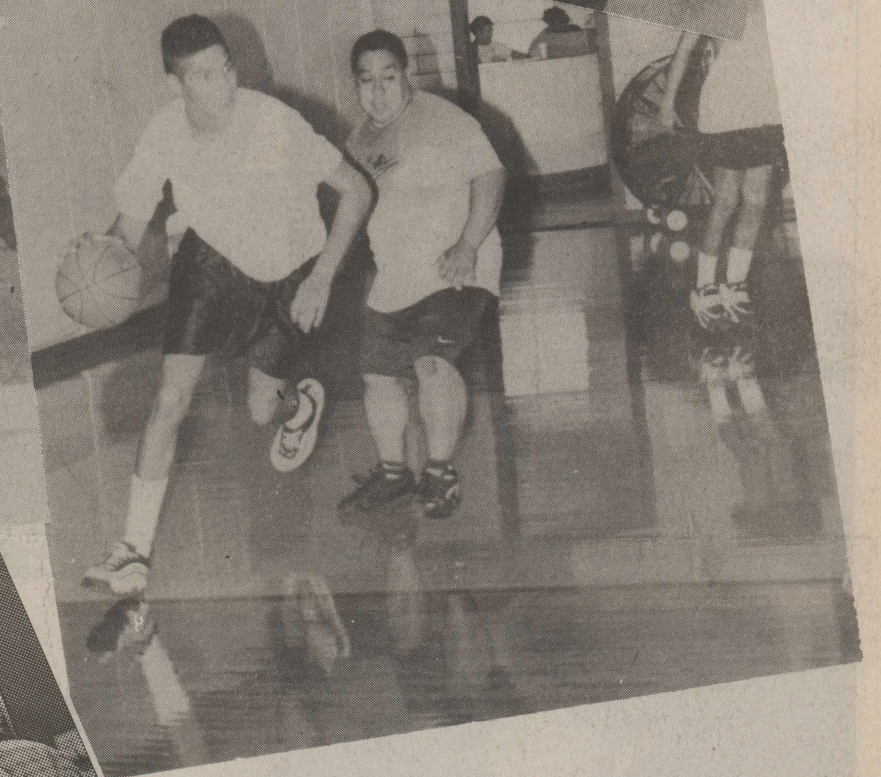
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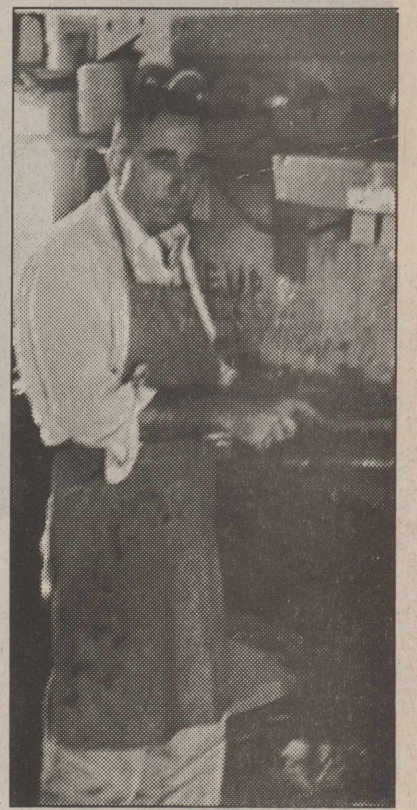


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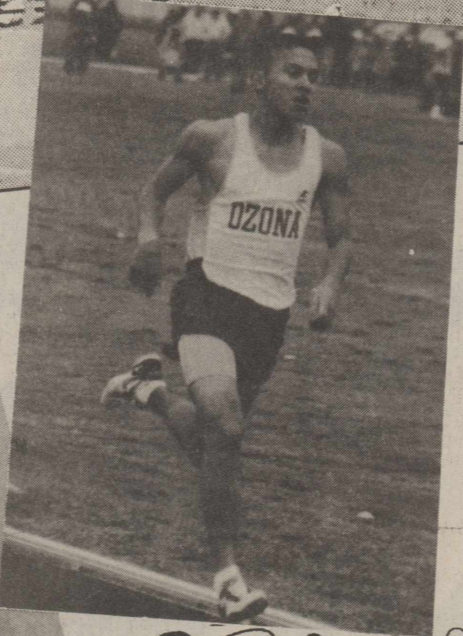
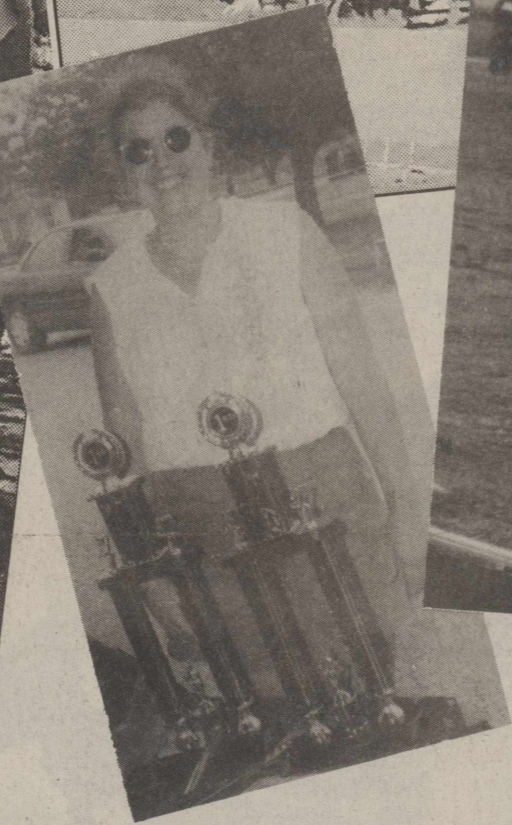
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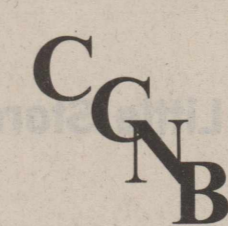
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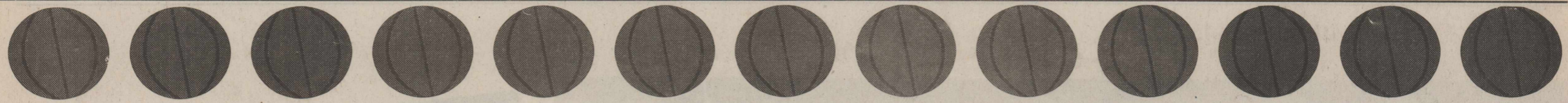
  
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# HOT HOOPS



1997-98 OZONA HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY LIONS BASKETBALL TEAM--Top row (l-r): Coach J. B. Holtz, Peter Rodriguez, Brian Badillo, Ross Crawford, Robby Hamon and Coach Clay Riddle. Front row (l-r): Armando Flores, Wesley Bean, Ben Forehand, Coach Ronnie Casey, Justin Browne, Dustin Faught and Bobby Cervantez. Steven Martinez not photographed.  
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**Broncos buck the Lions 86-54**

By David Screws  
 STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Flores was 5 of 6 from the charity mark and led the rebounding effort.

Basketball action was light last week as only the men's high school squads took on the Sonora Broncos in Sonora. In varsity competition the Broncos mounted a huge early lead then used their bench freely in the second half to drop the Lions, 86-54.

The loss drops the Lions back to 8-7 for the year. They are playing in Big Lake this week in holiday tournament action.

Score by quarters:  
 Ozona 14 7 17 16-54  
 Sonora 26 21 18 21-86

Bobby Cervantez and Brian Badillo were the only Lions in double figures as the team generally was cold from the field. Cervantez had 18 points including 6 of 8 from the free shot line while Badillo had 12 points. Armando

Scoring: Peter Rodriguez (9), Justin Browne (6), Armando Flores (7), Brian Badillo (12), Bobby Cervantez (18), Steven Martinez (2).

3-point goals: Rodriguez (1), Browne (1).

**JV Lions victims of Broncos**

By David Screws  
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trouble in the second half, led the Lions with 12 points in the losing effort. The Lions, as a team, were unable to find the basket throughout the contest.

Ozona's Junior Varsity Lions fell prey to the Sonora Broncos in their only game the week of Christmas as the Broncos methodically took the lead early and built on that lead for the balance of the game. The 49-33 loss drops the Junior Varsity squad's season record to 8-7.

Chad Myers, playing in foul

Score by quarters:  
 Ozona 8 8 8 9-33  
 Sonora 13 9 14 13-49

Scoring: Brad Sullivan (3), Randall Borrego (7), Ryan Bean (1), Cole Wadsworth (2), Jomie Tebbets (2), Glenn Sutton (6), Chad Myers (12).

**Freshmen Lions edged by Broncos**

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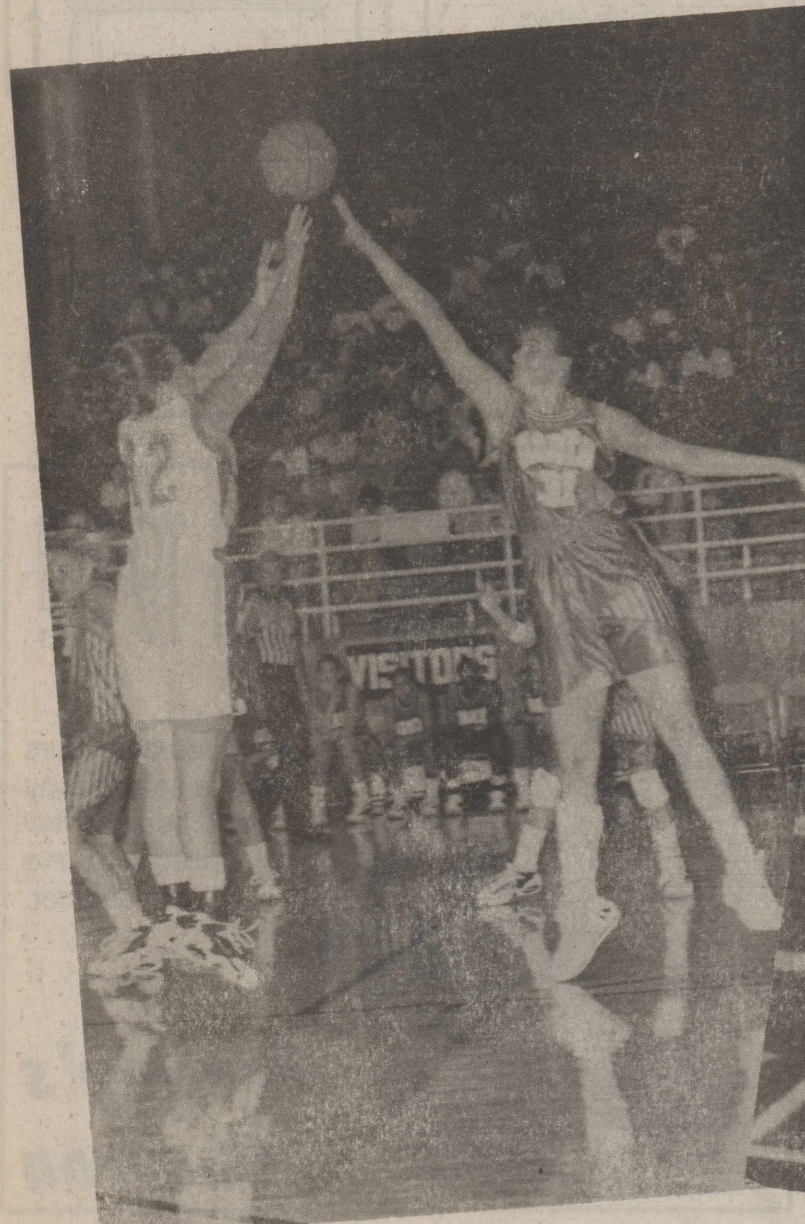
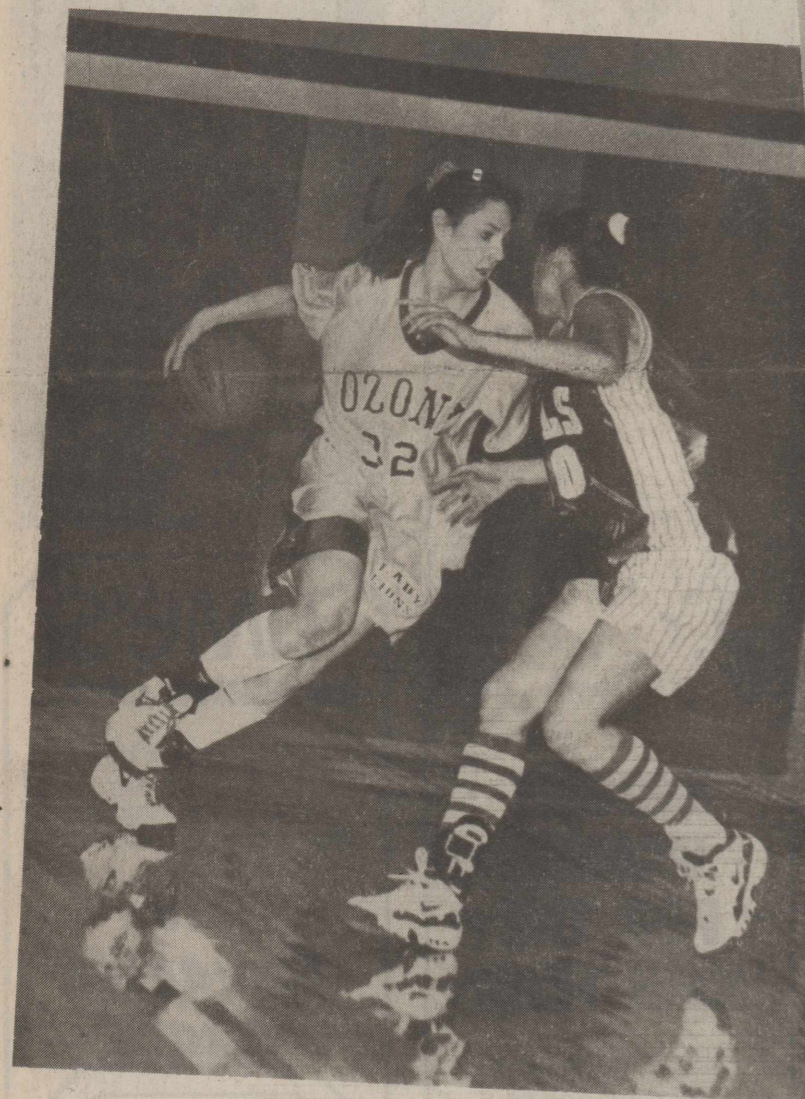
Robert Madris led his team with 12 points, and Juan Garcia had 10 in the losing effort. The Freshmen squad falls to 5-8 for the season.

In Monday night's game before Christmas the Ozona Freshmen Lions played well against the Broncos of Sonora, but came up short in the closing minutes. After trailing by 7 at the halfway mark they managed to pull the game to within 2 points, but a defensive fourth quarter favored the Broncos who pulled away for a 47-39 win.

Score by quarters:  
 Ozona 15 6 16 2-39  
 Sonora 15 13 11 8-47

Scoring: Leon Garcia (5), Ray Ramos (5), Chad Flanagan (2), Robert Madris (12), Juan Garcia (10), Chase Adams (5).

3-point goals: Ramos (1), Juan Garcia (1).





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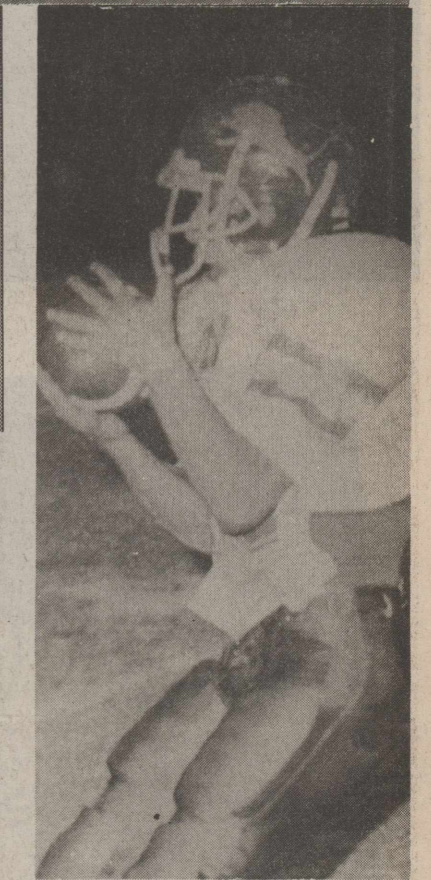
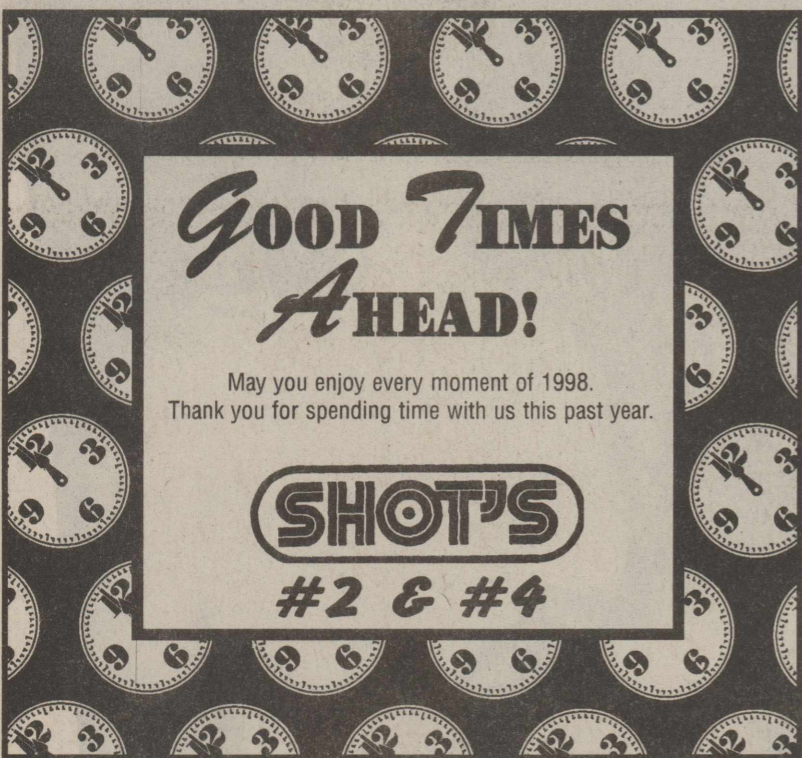
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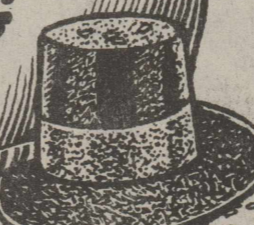
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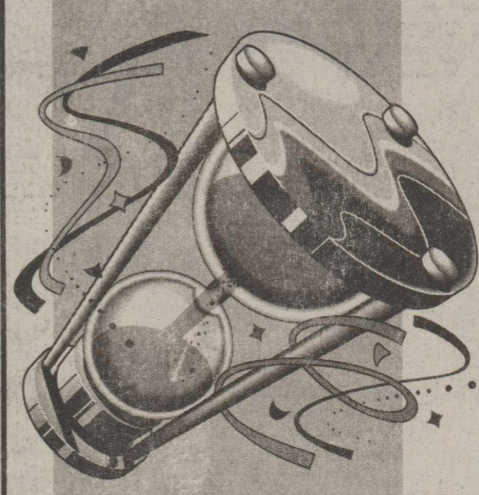
As a new year unfolds, we wish for you Success, good times, good health, Plus love, faith and contentment, Enlightenment and wealth.

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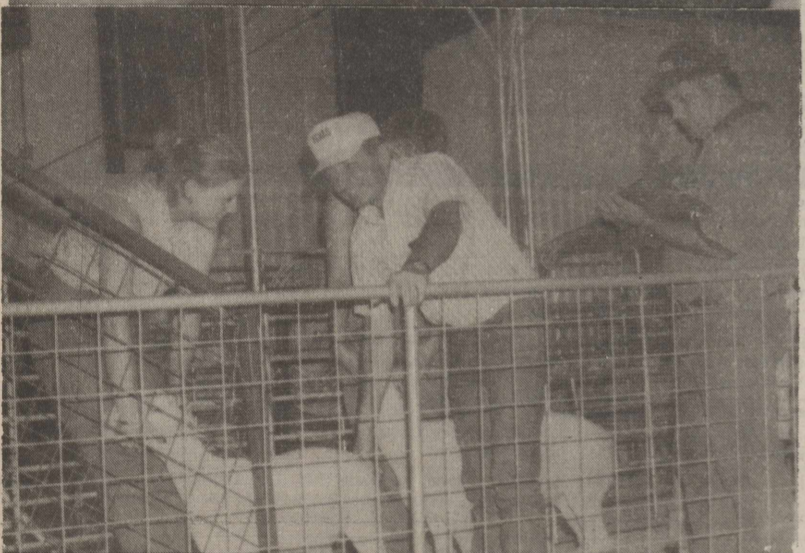
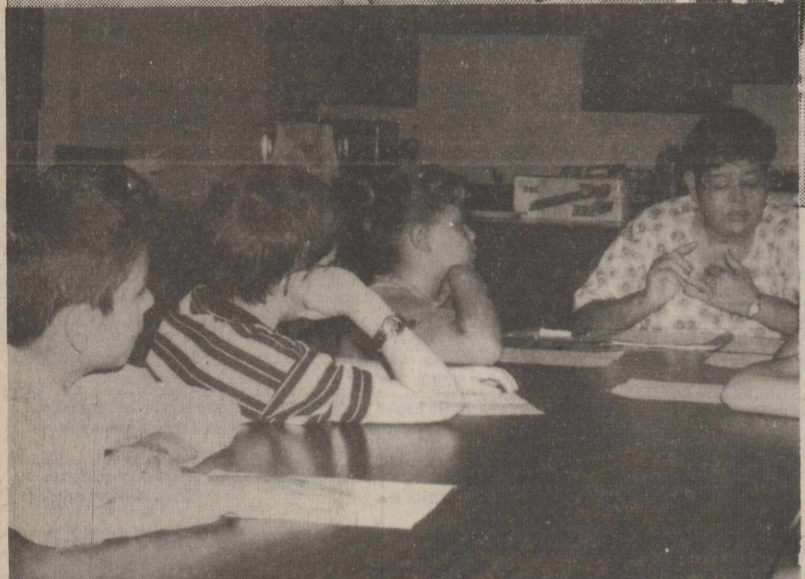
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Before we step into the future, we'd like to step back and say thank you to all our customers who've helped to make our year a success!

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**Village Drug**

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**LET'S KEEP IN TOUCH!**

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**El Gallito**

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It's a New Year on **JAN. 1<sup>ST</sup>**

**HAPPY NEW YEAR**

Here's hoping it's filled with wonderful days. Thanks, friends!

**DAYSTOP**

**New Year's WISH**

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**Troy Williams**

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**Perry Motors**

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**ANOTHER YEAR... RIGHT ON 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		
2 KMD	News	Wheel of Fortune (cc)	Spin City (cc) (s) R	Dharma & Greg (cc) (s) R	The Drew Carey Show (cc)	Ellen (cc) (s) R	PrimeTime Live Highlights from 1997. (cc)	News	Cheers (cc) (s)	Roseanne Busted. (cc) (s)	New Year's Rockin' Eve			
3 KACB	News	Grace Under Fire (cc) (s)	Asteroids: Deadly Impact (cc) (s) R	3rd Rock From the Sun	Working (cc) (s) R	Law & Order Past Imperfect. Guest David McCallum. (cc) (s) R	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (10:35) (cc) (s)	Late Night Conan O'Brien					
6 KRMA	Wishbone (cc) (s)	Nightly Business Report	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (cc)	Mark Russell's 1997 (cc)	Steve Allen's 75th Birthday Celebration Host Bill Maher. (s)	Great Performances The College of Comedy With Alan King. (cc) (s)	News	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35) (cc) (s)	Married... With Children					
8 KLST	College Football	Lawrence led the Wildcats (10-1) to their first 10-win regular season since 1910. Quarterback Donovan McNabb passes Big East champion Syracuse (9-3). (Live) (cc)	Tostitos Fiesta Bowl: Kansas State vs. Syracuse. From Tempe, Ariz. Running back Mike Anderson leads the Wildcats to a 17-10 victory. (Live) (cc)	Biography Notoradamus: Prophet of Doom. (cc)	American Justice The Amy Fisher Story. (s)	Midnight in Savannah A high-profile murder shocks the Georgia city. (cc)	News	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35) (cc) (s)	Married... With Children					
23 KPEJ	The Simpsons (cc) (s)	Home Improvement (cc)	Movie: ** Something Wicked This Way Comes (1983, Horror) (Jason Roberts, Jonathan Pryce) A carnival owner grants wishes, for a price. (cc)	Star Trek: Voyager Revisited. (cc) (s) R	When New Year's Eve Attacks! Music and comedy in Las Vegas; with Third Eye Blind; Chumbawamba. (cc) (s)									
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ESPN	SportsCenter	NHL Hockey St. Louis Blues at Detroit Red Wings. (Live) (cc)	Extreme Bloopers	SportsCenter (cc)	Skiing FIS World Cup Nordic Combined.									
FAM	The Waltons The Gift.	Rescue 911 Boy fires father's gun. (cc) (s)	Diagnosis Murder Love Is Murder. (cc) (s)	Hawaii Five-0 Guests: Bruce Boxleitner, Liam Sullivan.	The 700 Club Year in review.	The Three Stooges								
FSS	NFL Total Access	Fox Sports News	Sports Tonight	NHL Hockey Los Angeles Kings at Dallas Stars. (Live)	Fox Sports News	Fox Sports News								
HIST	The War Years The Battle of Britain.	Modern Marvels Pyramids: Majesty and Mystery.	Modern Marvels Eiffel Tower.	Modern Marvels The Empire State Building.	Modern Marvels Great Towers in the Sky.	Modern Marvels Pyramids: Majesty and Mystery.								
HN	Headline News (5)	Headline News												
LIFE	Intimate Portrait Sally Jessy Raphael. (cc) (s)	Movie: ** Liz: The Elizabeth Taylor Story (1995, Miniseries) (Sheryl Lynn Fenn, Nigel Havers, Katherine Helmond.) The film star marries seven men, has bouts with substance abuse and becomes a Hollywood legend. Based on C. David Heymann's book.												
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TBN	Praise the Lord (4) (cc)	Avanzini	Dollar	Memories	Van Impe	Praise the Lord (cc)								
TBS	Andy Griffith (6:05)	Andy Griffith (6:35)	Movie: ** The Golden Child (7:05) (1986) (Eddie Murphy) A social worker follows karma and a sacred scroll to save a mystical child from evil in Tibet.	Movie: ** Jumpin' Jack Flash (9:05) (1986) A British spy abroad taps into a New York computer operator's bank terminal and asks her for help.	Movie: ** Back to the Future (11:05) (1985) (Michael J. Fox)									
TCM	Movie: **** Libeled Lady (5) (1936) (Jean Harlow, Spencer Tracy)	Movie: **** A Night at the Opera (1935) Groucho, Chico and Harpo go to Italy and bring opera and its patrons down to their level.	Movie: **** The Golden Child (7:05) (1986) (Eddie Murphy) A social worker follows karma and a sacred scroll to save a mystical child from evil in Tibet.	Movie: **** A Day at the Races (1937) Groucho, Chico and Harpo upset a sanatorium, orchestra pit, water carnival and asks her for help.	Movie: **** Room Service (1938) (The Marx Brothers, Lucille Ball)									
TLC	Ancient Prophecies IV Secret manuscript of Jules Verne; predictions of H.G. Wells; earthquakes; prophetic warnings of the Virgin Mary.	Armageddon	Ancient Prophecies II Predictions of cabala; see Paul Soloman; Earth-changes map. (cc) (s)	Ancient Prophecies IV Secret manuscript of Jules Verne.										
TNN	Dukes of Hazzard (s)	This Year in Country Music '97 (s)	Dance Invitational	Dance Invitational	Dallas Gally and James Bond against J.R. (s)	Dukes of Hazzard (s)								
TNT	Movie: ** Beastmaster II: The Eye of Braxus (5) (1996) (Marc Singer)	Movie: ** Jaws (1975, Horror) (Roy Scheider, Robert Shaw, Richard Dreyfuss.) A New England police chief, shark hunter and scientist have a showdown with a great white shark. Directed by Steven Spielberg.	Movie: ** Conan the Destroyer (9:45) (1984) An evil queen wants Conan to fetch a wizard's magic key to the horn of a huge statue.											
VH1	1997 Top 50 Countdown (5:30) Host Casey Kasem.	Sister, Sister, Sister (cc) (s) R	Smart Guy (cc) (s) R	Smart Guy (cc) (s) R	News (cc) (s)	New Year's Eve in New Orleans								
WGN	Family Matters (cc) (s)	Coach (cc) (s)	Sister, Sister (cc) (s) R	Smart Guy (cc) (s) R	News (cc) (s)	Beverly Hills, 90210 Dylan romances an older woman, an heiress. (cc) (s)								
PREMIUM CHANNELS														
DISN	Movie: ** First Kid (1996) (Sinbad) A loud Secret Service agent understands the president's teen son, whom most consider difficult.	Movie: ** Adventures in Babysitting (1987) A suburban teen-age baby sitter drives into downtown Chicago with her two charges and a neighbor. (cc)	Ray J in Concert With Brandy (cc)	Jonny Lang in Concert The blues artist performs in Orlando. (cc)										
HBO	Movie: ** Mars Attacks! (1996) (Jack Nicholson) Naive earthlings misread the intentions of visiting martians in a parody of '50s sci-fi films.	Movie: ** Mission: Impossible (1996, Action) (Tom Cruise, Jon Voight) Teachey in Prague puts lone agent on the run. (cc)	Sinbad: 'Nothin'' but the Funk The comedian performs in Aruba. (cc) (s)	Chris Rock: Bring the Pain (cc) (s)										
MAX	Movie: ** Fly Away Home (5:05) (1996) (Jeff Daniels)	Movie: ** Boomerang (1992) A Manhattan playboy gets a new corporate boss, and she treats him the way he has always treated women. (cc)	Movie: ** Diabolique (1996) A wife and a mistress conspire to murder the brutal headmaster of a school for boys, then the body disappears. (cc)	Hot Line Hung Jury. (s)	Hot Line The Sitter. (s)									
SHOW	Movie: ** Groundhog Day (5) (1993) (Bill Murray)	Movie: ** The Mirror Has Two Faces (1996) A make-over transforms the life and sexiest marriage of an ugly-dudding Columbia professor. (cc)	Movie: ** Pretty Woman (9:05) (1990) A corporate raider pays a gorgeous hooker to be his escort for a business week in Beverly Hills.	Movie: ** The Birdcage (11:10) (1996) (Robin Williams)										
TMC	Movie: ** Mo' Money (5)	Movie: ** Airplane! (1980) (Robert Hays) Flight-spy pilot follows ex into midair crisis.	Movie: ** Ferris Bueller's Day Off (1986) A cool teen plays hooky in Chicago with his girlfriend, his buddy and his buddy's father's classic Ferrari.	Movie: ** Showgirls (5:45) (1995, Drama) (Elizabeth Berkley, Kyle MacLachlan) Dancer stoops low to rise in Las Vegas. (cc)										

THURSDAY PRIME TIME											January 1, 1998			
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		
2 KMD	College Football	Michigan vs. Washington State. From Pasadena, Calif. (Live)	College Football Nokia Sugar Bowl: Florida State vs. Ohio State. From New Orleans. ACC champion Florida State (10-1), led by quarterback Thad Busby, takes on running back Pepe Pearson and the Buckeyes (10-2) of the Big Ten. (Live)	News	Cheers (cc) (s)	Roseanne Busted. (cc) (s)	New Year's Rockin' Eve							
3 KACB	News	Grace Under Fire (cc) (s)	Friends (cc) (s) R	NewsRadio (cc) (s)	Seinfeld (cc) (s) R	Just Shoot Me (cc) (s) R	ER Night-Shift. Hathaway upssets the nurses. (cc) (s)	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (10:35) (cc) (s)	Late Night Conan O'Brien				
6 KRMA	Clark Gable: Tall, Dark & Handsome Host Liam Neeson.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (cc)	Great Performances From Vienna: The New Year's Celebration 1998. The Vienna Choir Boys perform. (s)	Mystery! Cadlael: Monk's Hood. A wealthy landowner is poisoned before he is able to change his will. (cc) (s) R	Keeping Up Appearances	Are You Being Served?								
8 KLST	News (cc)	Wheel of Fortune (cc)	The Orange Bowl Parade (cc) (s)	Diagnosis Murder The wife of a city councilman turns up dead. (cc) (s) R	48 Hours (cc) (s)	News (cc)	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35) (cc) (s)	Married... With Children						
23 KPEJ	The Simpsons (cc) (s)	Home Improvement (cc)	Living Single (cc) (s)	Living Single (cc) (s)	413 Hope St. Falling. (cc) (s)	Team Knight Rider The A-List. (cc) (s) R	Home Improvement (cc)	Mad About You (cc) (s)	Vibe					
CABLE CHANNELS														
A&E	Law & Order Bad Faith. (cc) (s)	Biography Shirley Temple: The Biggest Little Star. Shirley Temple gets involved in politics after her film career ends at a young age.	The Unexplained Questioning Astrology. (cc) (s)	Law & Order Misonceptions. (cc) (s)	Biography Shirley Temple: The Biggest Little Star.									
CNN	Moneyline Crossfire	Pri. News Burden	Larry King Live (cc)	The World Today (cc)	CNN/Sports Moneyline	Newsnight Showbiz								
DISC	Wings Harrier.	Wings Landing Zone in Vietnam.	Wings of the Stealth.	Airpower Showdown Bombers.										
ESPN	SportsCenter	Strongest Man	Bodybuilding Men's NPC Nationals. From Dallas.	Gymnastics Rock 'n' Roll Challenge. From Chattanooga, Tenn. R	SportsCenter (cc)	Billiards From Welch, Minn.								
FAM	Lonnesome Dove (2) Robert Duval, Tommy Lee Jones and Anjelica Huston star in a 1989 miniseries based on Larry McMurtry's novel of an epic Old West cattle drive. (cc)	The 700 Club Premature birth.	The Three Stooges	The Three Stooges										
FSS	NBA Action	Fox Sports News	Hardcore Football	NFL Total Access	NHL Cool Shots	Skiing Magazine on TV	Fox Sports News	Fox Sports News						
HIST	The Fifties The Road to the Sixties. Fast food and fast cars. (cc) (s)	In Search of History Civilizations seek their future through prophecies.	The Future That Never Happened Incomplete and unfulfilled predictions.	History Undercover Roosevelt: An Alien Obsession.	World at War It's a Lovely Day Tomorrow.	In Search of History Civilizations seek their future through prophecies.								
HN	Headline News (5)	Headline News												
LIFE	Movie: ** Family Album (1994, Miniseries) (Jaclyn Smith, Michael Ontkean, Brian Krause.) Marriage brings four children and 40 years of joy and tragedy to an ex-Hollywood actress and her husband. From the Danielle Steel novel.	Homicide: Life on the Street Sniper. (Part 1 of 2) (cc) (s)	Unsolved Mysteries (cc) (s)											
NICK	Doug (cc) (s)	Rugrats (cc) (s)	World of Alex Mack	Happy Days (cc) (s)	Wonder Years	Wonder Years	I Love Lucy (cc) (s)	Mary Tyler Moore (cc) (s)	Taxi (cc) (s)	Newhart (s)	Dick Van Dyke	Bewitched (s)		
TBN	J. Bernard	LaLonde	Avanzini	Briefing	Bishop Benny Hinn	Praise the Lord (cc)								
TBS	Movie: ** Trading Places (5:35) (1983) Sporting billionaire reverses the roles of a Wall Street commodities broker and a street hustler. Directed by Ron Shelton.	Movie: ** White Men Can't Jump (8:05) (1992) ( Wesley Snipes) Two basketball hustlers, black and white, count on racial myth to cash in on street games. Directed by Ron Shelton.	Movie: ** The 'Burbs (10:35) (1989) (Tom Hanks) Suburban homeowners have strange new neighbors.											
TCM	Movie: **** The Dirty Dozen (4) (1967) (Lee Marvin, Ernest Borgnine)	Movie: **** Operation Crossbow (1955) A British commando and his team drop into Germany and pose as scientists to pinpoint a Nazi rocket base.	Movie: **** Where Eagles Dare (1968, War) (Richard Burton, Clint Eastwood, Mary Ure.) Allied agents lead commandos sent to free a general from a castle in Bavaria. From the Alistair MacLean novel.											
TLC	Danger Zone	Danger Zone	Caught in the Act	The World's Worst Drivers	Save Our Streets Crimes Against Women. Attack at an ATM. (s)	Firefighters	Rescue Squad Heroes. Daring saves and rescues.							
TNN	Dukes of Hazzard Mrs. Daisy Hogg. (s)	Today's Country (cc) (s)	An Evening of Country Greats: A Hall of Fame	Dallas Gally and James Bond against J.R. (s)	Dukes of Hazzard Mrs. Daisy Hogg. (s)									
TNT	Movie: ** Rocky IV (5) (1985) (Sylvester Stallone, Dolph Lundgren) (cc)	Movie: ** Forest Warrior (1996) (Chuck Norris) A mountain man helps young adventurers fight greedy businessmen coveting a mountain's resources.	Movie: ** Road House (1989) (Patrick Swayze) Hired to tame a rowdy Missouri bar, a Ph.D. bouncer romances a doctor and tames the whole town.	Movie: ** Assault on Devil's Island (11:15) (1997)										
VH1	Behind the Music	Behind the Music	Behind the Music	Behind the Music	Behind the Music									
WGN	Family Matters (cc) (s)	Coach (cc) (s)	Movie: ** Fanny About Love (1990) (Gene Wilder) As a political cartoonist and his bride fail to conceive, he and a sorority girl succeed.	News (cc) (s)	Beverly Hills, 90210 Dylan spends the holiday with his dad. (cc) (s)	In the Heat of the Night Little Girl Lost. (cc) (s)								
PREMIUM CHANNELS														
DISN	Movie: ** Toy Story (1995, Children) Toys come to life when people are absent. (cc)	Movie: ** Blank Check (7:25) (1994) (Brian Bonsall) Boy cashes crook's check for \$1 million.	Growing Pains (cc)	Growing Pains (cc)	Walt Disney Presents Carnival Time. (cc)	Zorro (cc) (s)	Mickey Mouse Club (cc)							
HBO	Movie: ** Never Cry Wolf (5) (1983) (Charles Martin Smith)	Movie: ** A Very Brady Sequel (1996) (Shelley Long) TV clan embraces their claim to be Carol's husband.	Movie: ** Nick of Time (1995) (Johnny Depp) Widower is coerced into killing the governor.	inside the NFL (cc)	Movie: Drive (1996) Two people help a bionic man evade villains. (cc)									
MAX	Movie: ** Sense and Sensibility (4:40) (1995) (Emma Thompson)	Movie: ** Hoffa (1992) (Jack Nicholson) Jimmy Hoffa rises and falls in corruption as the boss of the Teamsters union. Directed by David Mamet.	Movie: ** Hamburger Hill (1987) (Anthony Barrie) Fourteen Army recruits try again and again to take a muddy hill in Vietnam. Music by Philip Glass.											
SHOW	Movie: ** Operation Dumbo Drop (5) (1995) (Danny Glover)	Movie: ** Father of the Bride Part II (1995, Comedy) (Steve Martin, Diane Keaton) California businesswoman copes with pregnancies. (cc)	Movie: ** Temptress (1995) (Kim DeLaney) Evil seductress possesses photographer's soul.	Movie: ** Back Beyond (10:35) (1995) (Paul Mercuro) Australian gas jockey meets diamond smugglers.										
TMC	Movie: Heck's Way Home	Movie: ** Fluke (6:20) (1995) (Matthew Modine) Family man reincarnated as golden retriever.	Movie: ** Larger Than Life (1996) (Bill Murray) Motivational speaker treks cross-country with elephant.											

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6	FOX - KPEJ Odessa, Texas	FOX Network Programming
7	FAM - The Family Channel	Family Programming
8	CBS - KLST San Angelo, Texas	CBS Network Programming
9	HIST - The History Channel	National & International News
10	CNN - Cable News Network	Independent Programming
11	TBS - Superstation, Atlanta	Independent Programming
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17	TBN Trinity Broadcasting Network	Christian Programming
18	TMC - The Movie Channel	Movies (Optional Pay Service)
20	MAX - Cinemax	Movies (Optional Pay Service)
21	UNI - Univision	Spanish Language Programming
22	ESPN - Total Sports Network	Sports Programming
23	TCM - Turner Classic Movies	Classic Movies
24	TELE - Telemundo	Spanish Language Programming
25	DISC - The Discovery Channel	Science & Nature Programming
26	FOX - FOX Sports Southwest	Regional Sports Programming
27	TNT - Turner Network Television	Movies, Sports, Family
28	VH-1 Video Hits 1	Music Videos
29	A & E - Arts & Entertainment	Family Programming
30	Disney - The Disney Channel	Disney Movies & Programs
31	CNN-HL - Headline News	News Updated Every 30 Minutes
32	NICK - Nickelodeon	Children's Programming
33	LIFE - Lifetime Television	Family Programming

FRIDAY PRIME TIME											January 2, 1998			
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		
2 KMD	News	Wheel of Fortune (cc)	Sabrina, Teenage Witch	Boy Meets World (cc) (s) R	Sabrina, Teenage Witch	Boy Meets World (cc) (s) R	20/20 (cc)	News	Cheers (10:35) (cc) (s)	Nightline (11:05) (cc) (s)	Keenen Ivory Wayans (cc)			
3 KACB	News	Grace Under Fire (cc) (s)	Players Mint Condition. (cc) (s)	Dateline NBC (cc) (s)	Homicide: Life on the Street Closet Cases. (cc) (s)	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (10:35) (cc) (s)	Late Night Conan O'Brien						
6 KRMA	Wishbone (cc) (s)	Nightly Business Report	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (cc)	Washington Week Review	State of Col. White Review	Wall Street Week Ruckeyser	The Adventurers Richard Byrd: Alone in Antarctica. (Part 5 of 5) (cc) (s)	Allo, Allo	Are You Being Served?					
8 KLST	News (cc)	Wheel of Fortune (cc)	College Football FedEx Orange Bowl: Nebraska vs. leads second-ranked and Big 12 Conference champion Nebraska (12-0) against quarterback Peyton Manning and the third-ranked Volunteers (11-1), winners of the SEC. (Live) (cc)	Tennessee. From Miami. Running back Ahmad Green leads the Volunteers to a 20-14 victory. (Live) (cc)	News (cc)	Married... With Children								
23 KPEJ	The Simpsons (cc) (s)	Home Improvement (cc)	Figure Skating Battle of the Sexes on Ice II. Skaters include Kurt Browning, Nancy Kerrigan, Brian Orser and Katarina Witt.	Soldier of Fortune, Inc. Collateral Damage. (s) R	Home Improvement (cc)	Mad About You (cc) (s)	Vibe							
CABLE CHANNELS														
A&E	Law & Order Wager: Guests Keith Hernandez; Richard Libertini. (cc) (s)	Biography Hugh Hefner: High Heifer develops a kitchen-table publishing company into the Playboy empire.	20th Century With Mike Wallace Massacre Mass murders.	Law & Order Animal Instincts. (cc) (s)	Biography Hugh Hefner: American Playboy.									
CNN	Moneyline Crossfire	Pri. News Burden	Larry King Live (cc)	The World Today (cc)	CNN/Sports Moneyline	Newsnight Showbiz								
DISC	Gimme Shelter	Discovery Super Predators.	Discovery World of Wonder	Curse of the Cocaine Mummies	Justice Files Tracking down criminals.	Wild Discovery Super Predators.								
ESPN	SportsCenter	College GameDay	Todd Eldredge and Friends From Auburn Hills, Mich. R	Cheerleading From Orlando. R	Extreme Bloopers R	SportsCenter (cc)	Strongest Man							
FAM	The Waltons The Fulfillment.	Rescue 911 Mother finds toddler floating face-down in pool. (cc) (s)	Diagnosis Murder Misdagnosis Murder. (cc) (s)	Hawaii Five-0 Tour de Force Killer Aboard.	The 700 Club Predictions for 1998.	The Three Stooges	The Three Stooges							
FSS	NBA Action	Fox Sports News	Sports Tonight	NBA Basketball Portland Trail Blazers at San Antonio Spurs. (Live)	Fox Sports News	Fox Sports News								
HIST	Okinawa: The Final Battle	In Search of History Aztec Empire. A review of the Aztec Empire.	Movie: ** Al Capone (1959, Crime drama) (Rod Steiger, Fay Spain, James Gregory.) The Chicago gangster goes from 1919 to 1933 as the czar of Alcatraz.	History's Crimes & Trials	In Search of History Aztec Empire. A review of the Aztec Empire.									
HN	Headline News (5)	Headline News												
LIFE	Intimate Portrait Gloria Estefan. (cc) (s)	Unsolved Mysteries (cc) (s)	Movie: ** A Mother's Revenge (1993) An anguished woman stands trial for attempted murder after shooting her daughter's rapist in court.	Homicide										

SATURDAY PRIME TIME											January 3, 1998																		
BROADCAST STATIONS											CABLE CHANNELS																		
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News	Wheel of Fortune	Savion Glover's Nu York	A Celebration of America's Music Jazz artists perform.	The Pretender Colateral Damage.	The Practice The Pursuit of Dignity.	News	Highlander Black Tower.	The Adventures of Sinbad				Mysteries of the Bible Cities of Evil: Sodom and Gomorrah.	Cap Gang Business	Sci-Trek	SportsCenter	Movie: ** A New Leaf (1991) (William Devane)	College Basketball (5) USC at Arizona State.	History's Mysteries	Headline News (5)	Movie: ** Nightmare in Columbia County (1991) (William Devane)	Doug (cc) (s)	Dr. D. James Kennedy	WOW Saturday Night (5:05) (cc) (s)	James Cagney: Top of the World	Comedy Club Superstars	This Week in Country Music	Movie: ** When a Stranger Calls Back (1993) (Charles Durning)	Hard Rock Live	Family Mat.
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News	Highlander Black Tower.	The Adventures of Sinbad										Biography of the Year	Cap Gang Business	Sci-Trek	SportsCenter	Movie: ** Yours, Mine and Ours (1968) (Comedy) (Henry Fonda)	College Basketball Baylor at Texas.	World War I: Death of Glory	Headline News (5)	Movie: ** Cross of Fire (1989, Miniseries) (John Heard, Mel Harris, David Morse)	Doug (cc) (s)	Dr. D. James Kennedy	WOW Saturday Night (5:05) (cc) (s)	James Cagney: Top of the World	Comedy Club Superstars	This Week in Country Music	Movie: ** When a Stranger Calls Back (1993) (Charles Durning)	Hard Rock Live	Family Mat.

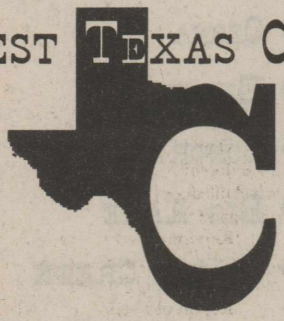
SUNDAY PRIME TIME											January 4, 1998																		
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Movie: Principal Takes a Holiday (1998, Comedy) (Kevin Nealon, Zachary Ty Bryan)												Ancient Mysteries With Leonard Nimoy (5)	Cap Gang Business	Course of the Cocaine Mummies	SportsCenter	Movie: ** Cadillac Jack (1980) (Chevy Chase)	NHL Hockey San Antonio Dragons at Houston Aeros.	Automobiles Firebird.	Headline News (5)	Movie: Zoya (5) (1995, Miniseries) (Melissa Gilbert, Bruce Boxleitner, Diana Rigg)	My Brother Sam (s)	Harvest	National Geographic Explorer	Movie: ** The Thin Man (5) (1934) (William Powell, Myrna Loy)	Extreme Machines Super-lanes	Outdoor Magazine	Movie: ** Big Trouble in Little China (5) (1986) (Kurt Russell)	Special	Nick Freno: Teacher
Movie: Outrage (1998) (Rob Lowe)												Biography Bob Hope.	Cap Gang Business	Firehouse Another Life Saved.	NHL Hockey Detroit Red Wings at Chicago Blackhawks.	Movie: ** Columbus: Caution, Murder Can Be Hazardous to Your Health (1991) TV crime-show host tries to smoke-screen Lt. Columbo.	Law and Order in the Real World	Headline News	Intimate Portrait Valerie Bertinelli.	Happy Days	Jack Hayford	The Amazon Warrior	Movie: ** Andy Hardy's Double Life (8:45) (1942) (Andy Hardy)	How'd They Do That? Illusionist is thrown from plane.	In-Fish Man	Movie: ** Baby's 5: In the Beginning (1996, Science Fiction) (Bruce Boxleitner, Claudia Christian)	Behind the Music	The Tom Show	

MONDAY PRIME TIME											January 5, 1998																		
BROADCAST STATIONS											CABLE CHANNELS																		
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News	Wheel of Fortune	America's Funniest Home Videos	20/20	The Practice	News	Cheers	Nightline	Keenen Ivory Wayans				Law & Order: Pride.	Moneyline	Gimme Shelter	College Basketball Georgetown at West Virginia.	The Waltons	NHL Hockey Dallas Stars at New Jersey Devils.	Masters of War	Headline News (5)	Intimate Portrait	Doug (cc) (s)	Lifestyle	Andy Griffith	Movie: ** Gaily, Gaily (5) (1995) (Beau Bridges, Melina Mercouri)	Bob Vila's Home Again	Dukes of Hazzard	Babylon 5	Hard Rock Live	Family Mat.
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News	Grace Under Fire	Suddenly Susan	Fired Up	Caroline in the City	Dateline NBC	News	The Tonight Show	Late Night	Conan O'Brien			Biography David Copperfield.	Moneyline	Gimme Shelter	College Basketball Texas at Missouri.	Diagnosis Murder	College Basketball California at Oregon State.	In Search of History	Headline News (5)	Unsolved Mysteries	Doug (cc) (s)	Lifestyle	Andy Griffith	Movie: ** Point of No Return (7:05) (1993) (Bridget Fonda)	Extreme Machines	Dukes of Hazzard	Babylon 5	Hard Rock Live	Family Mat.

TUESDAY PRIME TIME											January 6, 1998																		
BROADCAST STATIONS											CABLE CHANNELS																		
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News	Wheel of Fortune	Grace Under Fire	Soul Man	Home Improvement	Hiller and Diller	NYPD Blue	News	Cheers	Nightline	Keenen Ivory Wayans		Law & Order: Pride.	Moneyline	Gimme Shelter	College Basketball Michigan at Indiana.	The Waltons	Hardcore Football	Vietnam: The 10,000 Day War	Headline News (5)	Unsolved Mysteries	Doug (cc) (s)	M. Murillo	Andy Griffith	Movie: ** Dirty Dingus Magee (5) (1970) (Frank Sinatra)	Bob Vila's Home Again	Dukes of Hazzard	Babylon 5	VH1 to One	Family Mat.
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News	Grace Under Fire	Mad About You	NewsRadio	Frasier	Just Shoot Me	Dateline NBC	News	The Tonight Show	Late Night	Conan O'Brien		Biography Mick Jagger.	Moneyline	Gimme Shelter	College Basketball Kentucky at Georgia.	Rescue 911	Tennis Ladies Kremlin Cup	In Search of History	Headline News (5)	Unsolved Mysteries	Doug (cc) (s)	M. Murillo	Andy Griffith	Movie: ** Dirty Dingus Magee (5) (1970) (Frank Sinatra)	Bob Vila's Home Again	Dukes of Hazzard	Babylon 5	VH1 to One	Family Mat.



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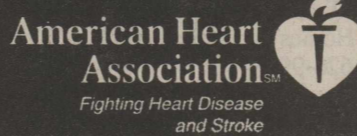
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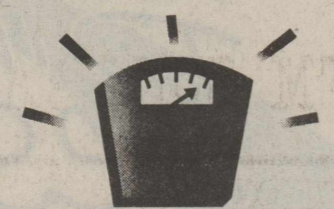
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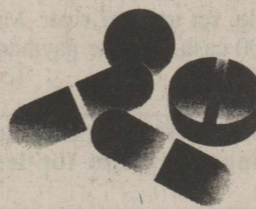
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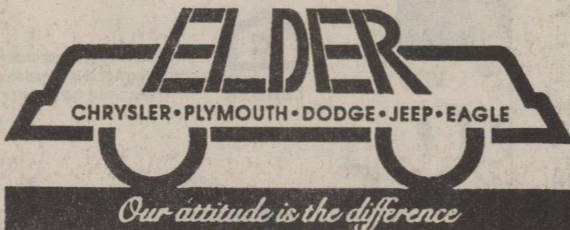
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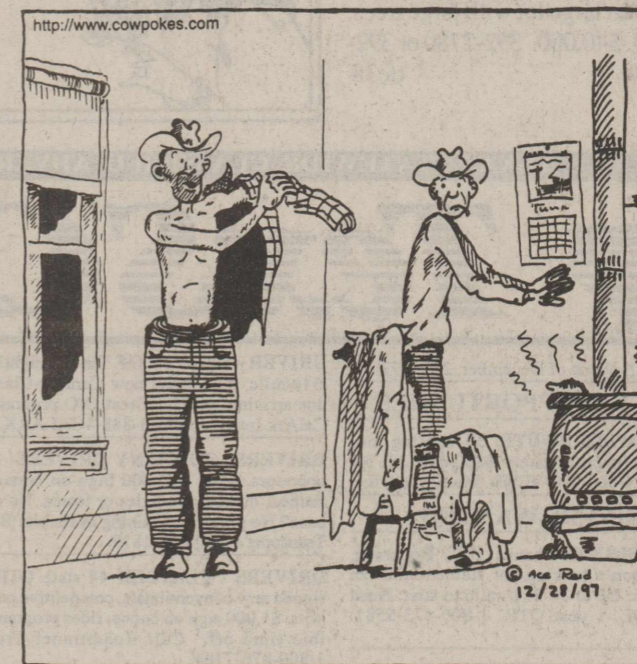
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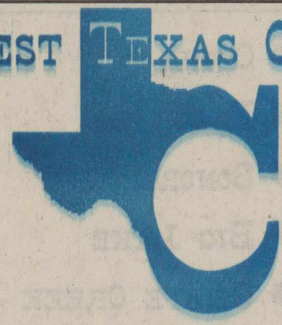
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