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The Ozona Stockman



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County hosts awards luncheon

County employees, fire department and EMS members were given pins for years of service at the annual awards dinner held Dec. 23. Special recognition went to Mrs. Minnie McCaleb for 25 years as fire station attendant, and to Fred Deaton, who leaves county government after eight years as a commissioner. Accepting for Mrs. McCaleb was Commissioner Frank Tambunga.

presentations assisted by Commissioner Tambunga.

Recognized for five years of service were: Frank Tambunga, Freddie Nicks, Dana Cowen - EMS, Burl Myers, Estalfo Vargas, Lou Carson, Billy Nowell - Fire Department, Tasha Nowell - Fire Department.

Service pins for 10 years were given to: Barbara Meador - EMS, Connie Nelson, Alton Davis, John

Stokes, Margarita Longoria, Janet McDaniel, Arturo Vasquez and Jesus Guerra.

Receiving 15 year pins were: Paula Maness - EMS, Fred Fierro, Ramon Sanchez, Willie Payne Sr., Stanley Najar Jr., Nasario San Miguel Jr., Eddie Moore, Elliott Barrera - Fire Department.

Accepting pins for 25 years of service were Garland Young and Dee Keilers - Fire Department.



JUDGE JEFFREY SUTTON AND FRANK TAMBUNGA (r.) display an appreciation plaque for 25 years dedicated service for Minnie McCaleb. The presentation was made during the county employees Christmas dinner last Wednesday. Mrs. McCaleb was unable to attend the festivities. DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway

Youth livestock show Jan. 7-9

The 51st Annual Crockett County Junior Livestock Show will be held Jan. 7-9 at Fair Park Convention Center. More than 80 young

people will exhibit market lambs, meat goats, market swine and rabbits.

The rabbit show will be held on Thursday evening, Jan. 7, starting at

4 p.m. On Friday evening, Jan. 8, the market swine show will begin at 6:30 p.m. followed by the meat goat show at approximately 7:30 p.m. On Saturday, Jan. 9, the market lamb show will begin at 8 a.m. followed by the old-timers lamb showmanship classes at 11:15. Classes will be held for ages 25-40 and 40 and over.

A barbecue lunch will be served at noon following the showmanship classes. The awards presentation is scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m. followed at 2 p.m. by the premium sale.

The Crockett County Junior Livestock Show is open to the public free of charge, and a concession stand will be available during all three days of the show. The concession stand serves as a fund-raising event for the entire 4-H Club.

Crockett County retail and industrial sales down

The state comptroller's second quarter 1998 state sales and use tax analysis report shows a decline in Crockett County at both the all industries and retail levels.

The all industries report for 1998 has 125 reporting outlets with \$11,887,792 in gross sales. This is a decline of 2.4% from the \$12,175,404 reported by 134 outlets for the second quarter of 1997.

In the retail sales division, there were 75 reporting outlets with \$7,292,911 in sales for the second quarter of 1998. 1997 figures show 81 outlets and \$7,578,152 in sales for a 3.8% decrease.

The percentage of decline in Crane County was 12.0. 1998 figures show 64 outlets reporting \$5,634,315 in sales compared to 66 outlets with \$6,399,889 in sales for 1997.

Reagan County showed a 40.6 percent decrease in sales with 52 out-

lets reporting both years. Sales in 1998 were \$5,293,904 for the second period compared to \$8,905,633 in 1997.

Sutton County had an increase of 13.9%. There were 78 outlets reporting \$7,712,378 in sales in 1998 and 89 outlets with \$6,773,090 in 1997.

Terrell County's gross sales decreased by 20.5% in 1998. There were 24 outlets reporting \$676,024 in sales in the second quarter of 1998 compared to 25 outlets with \$850,314 in sales last year.

Upton County also posted a decrease, 29.4%. In 1998 there were 52 outlets reporting \$3,847,564 in sales compared to 60 outlets with \$5,451,016 in 1997 sales.

Sales were up in Val Verde County by 12.4%. The 1998 figures show 455 outlets reporting \$82,290,338 in sales compared to 479 outlets and \$73,187,511 in sales for 1997.

Have a safe and happy New Year's holiday!

Livestock assistance program sign-up date extended

The final date to make application for the Livestock Assistance Program has been extended until Feb. 5. "We would still like for you to call and make an appointment as soon as possible," said Jim Bob Solsbery, CED, Farm Service Agency. "We have many producers to sign-up and a limited time in which to complete the task. If we will use the appointment process, we will meet the deadline."

There are no late file provisions for this program, and this should be the only extension.

It is not known at this time what the final payment will be. There is only \$200 million allocated for this program nationwide. All applications from all states will be calculated, and if the total exceeds the \$200 million, a factor will be applied to all payments. Payments are expected to be made about the end of February.

The following are the basic steps and requirements for signing up in this program:

1. Call and make an appointment.
2. Feed tickets are not required.
3. Need livestock head counts by type and weight range as of April 15. Livestock must be owned for 90 days to be eligible.
4. Will need record of all changes in livestock numbers through Nov. 30.
5. Will need to have number of acres in grazing operation and where these acres are located.
6. Will need the percent of grazing loss from April 1 to present on the average.
7. Ranches on county line will file in the FSA administrative county (only one application).
8. Ranching operations in more than one county that co-mingle livestock, will file in the FSA administrative county that carries the headquarters operation. Two or more applications will be filed, the livestock will be prorated and the respective applications will be mailed to the

appropriate FSA Office.

If ranching operations are in more than one county and the different ranches are totally separate operations, you will be required to file an application in each of the counties involved.

"Remember," said Solsbery, "this is not a livestock feed program like we have had in the past. This is not an ongoing program but is a one-time calculation of 1998 grazing losses. Also, the production of hay, grain sorghum or cottonseed that has caused some producers to be ineligible in past

programs will not alone cause producers to be ineligible in this program."

There is a \$50,000 "per person" payment limitation that will be applied before any factor is applied to the calculated payment. Any person who grossed more than \$2.5 million in 1997 is ineligible.

Call and make your appointment as soon as possible. The Reagan-Upton-Irion Office is always open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. The Crockett County Office will be open Tuesday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. during this program.

Ozona back in the news with new movie "Outside Ozona"

Ozona recently made the news courtesy of an independent film which premiered at the Worldfest-Flagstaff International Film Festival Nov. 13 in Flagstaff, AZ. Writer/director J. S. Cardone was on hand for opening night as more than 750

people crowded into the Orpheum Theatre to view *Outside Ozona*.

The film was produced by Carol Kottenbrook and Scott Binbinder with a cast of Robert Forster, Kevin

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FRED DEATON (r.) accepts a gift from Judge Jeffrey Sutton in recognition of his eight years of service as a county commissioner. DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway

The Weather

Rain

Date	Hi	Lo	Rain
Dec. 21	65	17	-0-
Dec. 22	22	17	-0-
Dec. 23	24	22	.005
Dec. 24	38	23	-0-
Dec. 25	56	19	-0-
Dec. 26	61	21	-0-
Dec. 27	68	25	-0-

(Readings are for a 24 hour period beginning at 8 a.m.)
Reported by Ozona Butane Co for the National Weather Service

4-Day Forecast

Day	Hi	Lo	Conditions
Wed	71	39	sunny
Thur	69	32	partly cloudy
Fri	66	44	mostly cloudy
Sat	59	38	partly cloudy

The Weather Channel

News Reel

News items taken from the files of *The Ozona Stockman* published 29 and 58 years ago

NEWS REEL JAN, 1 1970

News Reel

The little cutie sitting on Santa's lap in last week's issue of the Stockman was Vanessa Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vann Miller.

News Reel

Word was received here this weekend of the death of Mrs. Doak Heard, native Ozonan, in her home at Deming, NM, Christmas night.

News Reel

Miss Sara Stringer, a sister of Miss Sue Stringer, former high school English teacher here, has been employed as public school music teacher in the Ozona Public Schools.

News Reel

Rodney Pagan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pagan, is among nearly 1,000 scholastic recipients at Abilene Christian College.

News Reel

Coach Chas. Spieker's Ozona Lions started practice Monday after a layoff Christmas week. They will travel to Lakeview for a triple-header with the freshman team playing the first game.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hickman and children, Terry, Grant and Holly, were here over the holidays visiting Mrs. Hickman's mother, Mrs. Zelda Bennett, and other relatives and friends.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lilly and Mr. and Mrs. Cap West will leave Monday for Dallas where they will take a plane for a week's vacation in the Bahamas.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Perner and children of Friendswood spent Christmas with Mr. Perner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Perner.

News Reel

Carl Conklin, senior student at the University of Houston law school, was an Ozona visitor during the holidays.

News Reel

Donald Maney and three of his fraternity brothers, all students at the University of Texas at El Paso, spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Maney.

News Reel

Mrs. Claude Montya is in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo where she is recovering from surgery performed Monday morning.

News Reel

Mrs. Frank McMullan is in Galveston with her daughter, Mrs. John Ray Powell of Eldorado, who is undergoing some medical tests.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Smith had all their children home for the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Smith, Jr., and children of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Smith and children of Imperial and Sgt. Alton Smith of Maxwell AFB, Alabama.

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née
Vanessa Tobar

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News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harrison and son of Tyler spent the holidays here visiting Mrs. Harrison's mother, Mrs. Bobbie Strickland, and her aunt, Mrs. Dan McBroom.

News Reel

Sp/5 James Thomas Wellmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene J. Wellmon of Ozona, returned to his home here last month after a year's tour of duty in Vietnam with the U.S. Army. He will report for duty at Fort Sill, OK the middle of January. He was wounded while on duty in Vietnam and spent 40 days in a hospital in Japan. He was awarded the purple heart.

News Reel

W. H. Whitaker was rushed to a San Angelo hospital last week after becoming ill at his home here. He was reported recovering satisfactorily at midweek.

NEWS REEL JAN 2, 1941

News Reel

A truck belonging to Bill Cooke of Ozona was destroyed by fire on the highway about a mile this side of Juno Tuesday.

News Reel

One of the last of Crockett County's early-day cowboys, Jim Baker, 78 was found dead at his home here early Christmas morning, apparently the victim of a heart attack.

News Reel

Joe Haddon, director of the band here several years, has been mustered into army service with a unit of the National Guard from Lubbock and has been designated director of the 131st Field Artillery Band.

News Reel

Rev. Clyde Childers, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will speak to high school students at the assembly hour in the high school this afternoon.

News Reel

The traditional New Year's family reunion, marking the celebration of the 63rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Miller, was held yesterday at noon with 41 descendants present.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton and Gene Williams left for New Orleans the first of the week to witness the Sugar Bowl game New Year's day.

Ozona Chamber of Commerce COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Jan. 5-9 - Crockett County Jr. Livestock Show - Rabbit Show Jan. 7, 4 p.m.; Market Swine Show Jan. 8, 6:30 p.m. Meat Goat Show 7:30 p.m.; Market Lamb Show Jan. 9, 8 a.m. Old-Timers' Lamb Showmanship Classes 11:15 a.m. Awards 1:30 p.m., Premium Sale 2 p.m.

Jan. 15-17 - Texas Sheep Dog Association Winter Olympics Dog Trials

Jan. 20 - Social Security Rep. Annex Bldg. 1-2:30 p.m.

Jan. 21 - Ozona United Methodist Church Food for Thought 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Feb. 17 - Social Security Rep. Annex Bldg. 1-2:30 p.m.

March 17 - Social Security Rep. Annex Bldg. 1-2:30 p.m.

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

New youth hotline in use

The Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services has initiated a new Texas Youth Hotline, according to Hotline Director Jay Smith.

"The Texas Youth Hotline and the agency's Texas Runaway Hotline

are answered 24 hours a day and provide prevention services to callers who are in need of a caring voice and a listening ear," Smith said. "Hotline counselors will talk with callers who face a variety of issues including family conflicts, delinquency, truancy and abuse and neglect."

The toll-free number is 1-800-210-2278.

Enjoying a pre-Christmas trip to Branson, MO, Dec. 8-16 were Vada Pridemore, Zelma Johnigan, Georgia Kirby and Crystelle Childress. Shows they attended included those of pianist Dino, violinist Shoji Tubuchi, the Radio City Music Hall Rockettes, Wayne Newton, Jim Stafford, the Osmond Family and The Platters. Their tour of Table Rock Lake on board The Branson Belle included entertainment by the Neilson Family.

Cancer Society Memorials

Elizabeth and Randy Upham in memory of Charlyene Griffith

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Stuart in memory of Vicky Miller, Frank Garza, Taylor Word, Margaret Miller, Bob Meinecke, Robert 'Bear' Threadgill

Marolyn and Joe Bean in memory of Charlyene Griffith, Helen Marie Page, Bob Meinecke

Shannon and Rick Hunnicutt in memory of Kenneth McAlexander

Wanda and George Bunger in memory of Charlyene Griffith, Bob Meinecke

Amos and Jean Owens in memory of Mrs. Margaret Smart

David and Helen Bean in memory of Charlyene Griffith

Janet and Brent Moore in memory of Leon Griggs, Margaret Miller

Jane Black, Memorials Chairperson, Box 968, Ozona, TX 76943

Letter to the Editor

I look forward each week to the Stockman online-you all are doing a great job. Keep up the good work.

Cathy Williams
OHS Class of '70
Midland, Texas

Tedford Jewelry

Bridal Gift Registry

Katherine Durham, bride-elect of David Longoria
Krista Wendland, bride-elect of Chad Upham
Mrs. Wayne Davis, née Nancy Arrott
Mrs. David Deal, née Elizabeth Harrell
Mrs. Jonathan Warden, née JoLynn Vannoy

392-5537 Monday-Friday 8:45 - 5:15 In the Village

Baskets & More

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new location!
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Jan. 1 will be our first
day in our new location

Lights of Love Acknowledgments

In Memory of:
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Jack Shores, Dan Saunders, Clois Jones, Polly Mayes and Joyce

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Lida Moore given by Juanita Mills

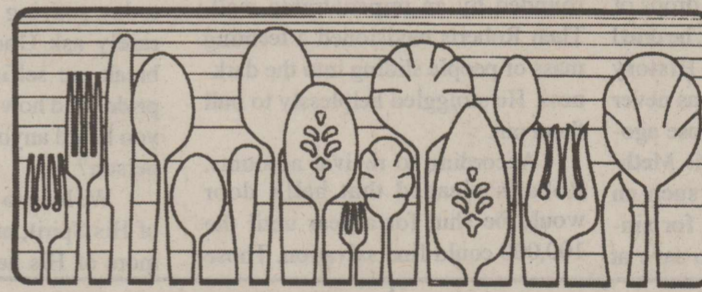
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This service gives the patient's at-home caregiver an opportunity to rest or vacation secure in the knowledge that their loved one will receive quality professional care.

Respite care at Crockett County Care Center can extend up to two weeks and includes:

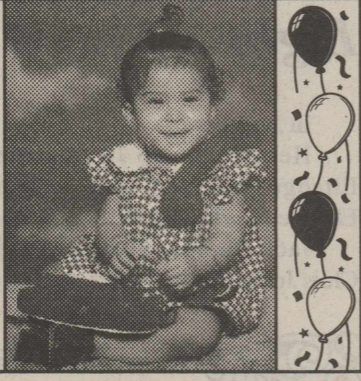
- Professional staff on duty 24 hours a day
- Administering patient's medications and plan of care
- Room and Board
- Opportunity to participate in all care center activities

For more information, contact Crockett County Care Center Administrator Jim Roddie or Director of Nurses Gerald Creel.

103 North Avenue H 392-3096

Church

Happy 1st Birthday Destany
on **Dec. 29**
Love, Dad, Mom & Family



Care Center Chatter

Well, Christmas is over and the new year is just around the corner. Hard to believe it's almost 1999. We at the care center hope everyone had a nice holiday because we sure did. With all of the support and gifts from the community, each resident found a number of gifts under the tree. Many of us may not believe in Santa any

more, but it is good to see that the spirit of Santa exists.

Just as last week and the week before, we have a long list of folks to thank for all they have done for us during the holiday season. We would like to thank Ruben Tambunga (Santa), Glenda Henderson, Socorro Varella, Simply Cervantez, Gerald Creel, Ozona Community Bell Choir, first graders, Ozona United Methodist Church, First Baptist Church Ozona Church of Christ, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, the local band (Jim, Otis, Crockett and Lynn), the beauty shop volunteers, Westerman Drug and Babe Womack.

We also want to thank Sue and Larry Arledge for their donation in honor of Susan and Buddy Mills and Lou and Buster Deaton of Pandale, Nancy Davee, Winnie Williams, Opal Everett, Benny Gail and John R. Hunnicutt, Helen and Dr. Owensby, Eula Elmore, all of Ozona, and Gladys and John Henry Cash of San Angelo. Thanks to all of you for making our Christmas a little more special.

Although it was Christmas last weekend, residents sure didn't miss bingo. Last week's top winners were: Neva Palmer, Lillie Halydier, Monie Brewer, Annie Cook, Mae Gomez and Sixta Alvarez. We are still looking for volunteers to help with bingo, so if you are free on Mondays and/or Saturdays at 10 a.m., come on down.

Friday will begin the month of January. January resident birthdays are: Vada Bean, Jan. 12. Employee birthdays are: Francis Davis, Beatrice Vargas, Melissa Oviedo, Sharon Forehand, Mary Flores, Lisa Villarreal, Queta Borrego, Jennifer Vitela, Matilda Cervantez, Angelita Pena and Anadelia Fierro.

Once again, thanks to everyone who showed they cared this Christmas and to everyone who volunteers their time and effort to the care center. Each of you is very appreciated.

We hope everyone has a Very Happy New Year 1999.
Chris and Lupe
Activity Directors.

Obituaries

Joyce King Maness services Dec. 26

My wife, our mother, teacher and friend peacefully passed into the loving arms of Christ Our Lord on Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1998.

Funeral service was at 2 p.m. Dec. 26 in First Baptist Church of Ozona with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Arrangements were by Preddy Funeral Home.

Joyce was born June 2, 1931, to Grady and Maurice King. She graduated from Waco High in 1948 and from Baylor University in 1953. Soon after, she began her teaching career in Waco. In 1955, she came to Ozona to teach and met and married Weldon Maness on July 15, 1957.

Joyce taught primary and junior high school for 30 years. She loved teaching her "Little People" as she

called them and once was given a charm necklace "With Love" from "Your Little People" engraved on it. Today, she wears that necklace, and that is how much she was devoted to them. Joyce was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ozona and of the Ruth Class. She was also a member of Ozona Women's Forum.

Survivors are: her husband, Weldon Maness; her mother, Maurice King; a daughter Lynn Maness; a son, Bobby Maness, and his wife, Paula, all of Ozona; a son, Danny Maness, and his wife, Heather, of Harlingen; a sister and brother-in-law, Beverly and Abeel Gresham of Waco; four grandchildren, Benjamin, Wade, Matthew and Sarah; and a great host of extended loving family and friends.

Dec. 28 service for Polly Mayes

Polly Eppler Mayes, age 81, of Ozona died Tuesday, Dec. 22, 1998, at Crockett County Care Center.

Funeral service was at 9 a.m.

Dec. 28 in the First Baptist Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Arrangements were by Preddy Funeral Home.

Mrs. Mayes was born May 11, 1917, in Fort McKavett. She was an Eastern Star and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Janet Lee, of Midland; four sons: Jim Eppler of London, Mac Eppler of Littleton, CO, Ken Eppler of Corpus Christi and Jon Eppler of Portland; two brothers, Mid Baker of Abilene and Marion Baker of Bangs.

Behold, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, saying, "Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we have seen His star in the East and have come to worship Him."
Matthew 2: 1-2
This message made possible by persons who value a soul.

Ring In the New Year

As we herald in the start of another year, we'd like to chime in with our best wishes and thanks to all of you who have made our year a ringing success.

Troy Williams

If you haven't visited the Ozona Stockman website then you have really missed something. Take a look--
www.ozona.com

It's Almost Time...

to get all those New Year's resolutions in order. May all your goals be fulfilled now and throughout the coming year. Happy Holidays to each and everyone!

El Gallito

Wishing You A Great 1999!

May you and yours have a safe, happy and healthy new year filled with love and laughter.

Preddy's Tire Service

A Dangerous Prayer

By Rev. Mike Davis
Harvest Time
Christian Center

More than 90 years ago a coal miner named Evan Roberts fell to his knees in a prayer meeting in Blaencannerch, Wales, and made an unusual request. With great drops of sweat pouring from his brow, he cried out, "O Lord bend me!" History books tell us that Roberts was never the same after he uttered those agonizing words. God filled this Methodist prayer warrior with such an overwhelming compassion for sinners that he begged God to save at

least 100,000 Welsh souls.

Roberts lived to see those 100,000 people stain the altars of Wales with their tears.

Roberts told how God gave him a vision of hell after he prayed to be bent. He saw the form of fiery, bottomless pit of vast proportions surrounded by an impenetrable wall. Then Roberts envisioned a teeming mass of people sliding into the darkness. He struggled helplessly to pull them out.

According to revival accounts, Roberts pleaded that hell's door would be shut for a year until the 100,000 could find salvation. Those

people eventually came to Christ because one man prayed a dangerous prayer. Roberts understood that God works miracles when His people fully surrender their wills and allow the Holy Spirit to break them - so they can fully know the depths of His compassion.

I'm afraid the American church today has forgotten Evan Roberts' secret. I don't hear too many people today praying with his fervor; we rarely ask God to bend our wills, break our selfishness or shatter our pride. And how long has it been since you heard anyone weeping for a lost person?

We love to ask the Lord for more of His Spirit, more of His anointing, more of His heavenly fire and zeal.

But do we realize that asking for more of Him will require less of us?

He can't increase in us unless we decrease. If we want His holy fire, we must be willing to be consumed. Simple prayers like "Lord, I want more of you," or "Lord, send your fire in my life" should require a warning label that says, "Caution: Praying for more of God will require you to change and could produce personal upheaval."

We must count the cost. Intimacy with the Father will require that we share His concerns.

Ask God to bend you, draw you closer to Him, and to give you a burden for the lost. Then prepare to be bent.

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

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Thank you St. Jude for answering my prayer.
M.J.

Card of Thanks
I would like to thank everybody who attended my baby shower. Thank you all for all the gifts and the time you took to come to the party. All the gifts we received are truly appreciated. Also to all the hostesses & friends who helped at the party with the decorating and the food. Mainly my mom and Mary who really planned just about everything. We just can't thank you enough.
Amanda Ortiz
Dean and Aidan Fierro

Card of Thanks
A heart full of thank yous to the class of '76 for the beautiful purple and gold spray sent to Daddy's funeral. Words cannot express what it meant to mom, Susie and me. May God bless you this holiday season.
Hugs to all,
Anita Marks Suggs

Card of Thanks
Many thanks to everyone for the love and concern you all have shown our family in this time of need. The phone calls, flowers and memorials mean more than words can express having such good friends does make the days easier and for that we are thankful God bless you all.
The Marks family

Card of Thanks
I, Melony Moran, would like to "THANK" everyone who made donations for the drawing of the RCA Portable CD/Radio cassette player. A very special "THANK YOU" to WTU of Ozona for donating the player and making the drawing possible.
The drawing was held on Friday, Dec. 25 and the name was drawn by Deputy Larry Sanchez. The winning name was Sister Jovita Perez from San Benito, TX.
All donations were for the benefit of Melony Moran, Miss Pre-Teen candidate to be held in Waco, TX on March 19, 1999. Once again "THANK YOU ALL."
Melony Moran

BEST BUY OF THE MONTH
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Taking a winter vacation?

Learn to protect yourself from thieves

A family vacation is an ideal way to celebrate the holiday season, as its arrival brings winter break for schoolchildren and time off from work for parents and other family members.

Vacations are designed to be an escape from the stresses and strains of everyday life. Unfortunately, many travelers not only leave their worries behind, but they also frequently leave their safety skills at home, according to the Insurance Information Institute (I.I.I.).

"Vacationers are a favorite target for thieves," says the I.I.I. "When people go on vacation, they frequently carry a lot of cash, as well as expensive sports and camera equipment. They can be easy marks, since many vacationers are more focused on seeing the sights than keeping an eye on their wallets."

To ensure a safe vacation, people should consider the following precautions for theft prevention and fire safety when traveling:

- HOTELS/MOTELS**
- When you register at the front desk, ask the clerk to write your room number on a slip of paper rather than reveal it aloud. If he or she does announce it, ask for another room. You don't want strangers to know what room you are staying in.
 - Don't let anyone in your room who you do not know. Verify any unexpected visitor or delivery by calling the front desk and by asking to see identification.
 - Don't leave valuables in your room. Store them in the hotel's safe-deposit box. Keep your guest room keys in a safe place. Do not display guest room keys in public or carelessly leave them on restaurant tables or other places where they can be stolen. If you lose your key, ask for a new room. If the hotel uses passkeys, have them re-code it.
 - Securely lock all doors to

your room. This includes sliding glass windows and connecting doors. Never leave your room unlocked — even for a minute or two. If you go out for the day or evening, leave a light and radio or television on. Place the "Do Not Disturb" sign on the outside of the door. This will discourage burglars.

• If something or someone in the hotel does not seem right, trust your gut feelings and call security immediately.

• Ask the bellhop to point out the safety features in your room. Be sure to check the floor map, so that you know where all of the exits are.

• Keep your shoes next to your bed. You can move faster with shoes on and they could keep your feet from burning if there is a fire. Also, place your room key on the nightstand, so that you easily can find it in the dark. Take your keys with you in case the exits are blocked and you need to return to your room.

• If smoke is coming into the room, touch the door, frame and knob. If they are cool, slowly open the door. Take a wet towel to cover your face. Go to the nearest exit as quickly as possible. If your door is hot, do not open it; remain in your room. Soak towels in water, and use them to block the crack under the door.

• Know how to use the phone. A fire or other emergency is not the time to learn how to contact the front desk or to get an outside line to dial 911.

CARS AND PARKING LOTS

- If you are vacationing by car, plan your route carefully. Travel on main roads and use maps. Have your car serviced before leaving for your trip. Equip your car with a flashlight, flares, fire extinguisher, first-aid kit and bottled water. If you don't own a car phone, consider renting one for your vacation in case

there is an emergency.

• Always park your car in a well-lit area. If you don't feel right about walking in the hotel parking lot, ask hotel security to accompany you.

• If you see an accident, don't stop. Instead, look for a well-lit pay phone or use a cellular phone and call the police.

AIRPORT

• Be aware of individuals who try to distract you at security or during check-in; it may be a ruse to facilitate stealing your baggage or other personal items.

• Don't wear heavy belt buckles or jewelry that could set off metal detectors. Your belongings could be stolen while you are focusing on satisfying the security requirements of the airport.

• Put identifying information on the outside of your luggage. Personal information like your home address only should be placed inside your luggage. Otherwise, you might tip-off a crook that your home is unoccupied and invite a home burglary.

TOURING

• Find out from the hotel concierge or local residents what parts of town are considered risky and avoid them. Ask the hotel for a map of the area you are staying in and study it before heading out.

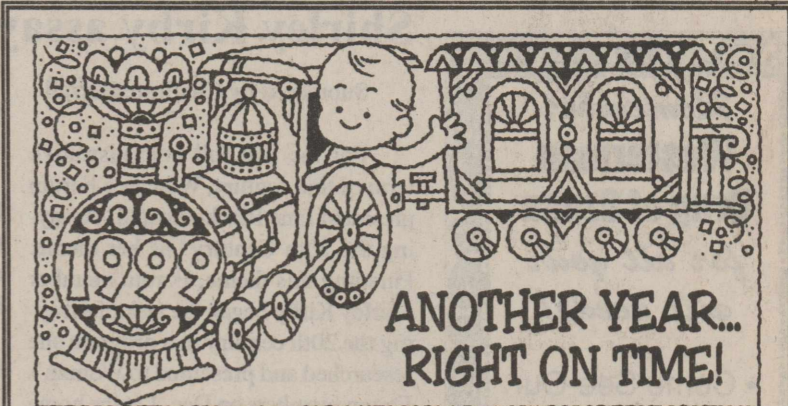
• Walk with purpose and project an assertive businesslike attitude. Criminals will be discouraged if you do not look vulnerable or easily intimidated. Be aware of your surroundings and trust your instincts. If you feel uncomfortable, get out of the area.

• Be vigilant when visiting tourist attractions. Pickpockets like to work in crowded areas where people easily are distracted. Crooks often work in groups. One will provide a distraction, while another will try to steal your belongings.



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Register Jan. 4-14 for Midland College classes

Midland College will again be offering college courses through the interactive video lab and computer based instruction. Students taking courses by computer based instruction will need access to a computer with a modem. The interactive courses will be given in the technology lab at Ozona High School. Registration will be from Jan. 4-14. First class day will be Jan. 19.

For more information, contact David McWilliams at Ozona High School, 392-5502.

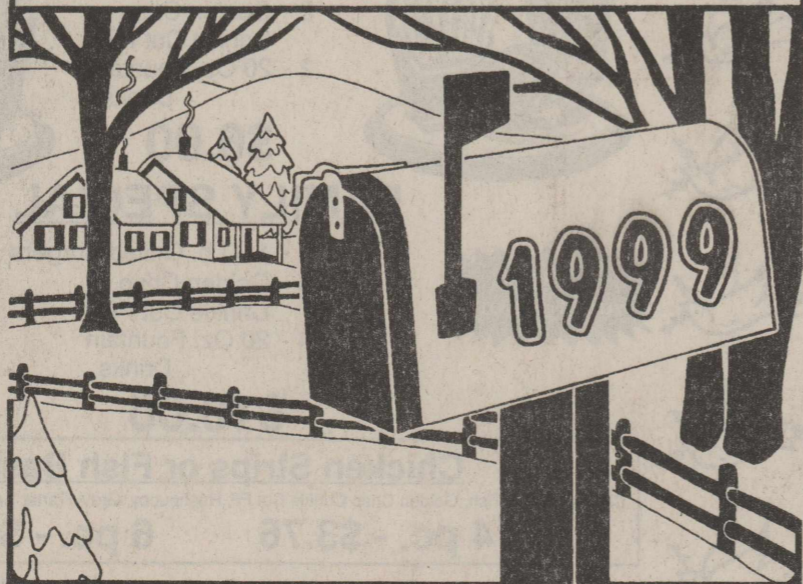
Computer communications based instruction courses that are offered include: Composition and Rhetoric English, Composition and Literature English, Federal and State Government Govt., Calc in Merchandising Mgmt, Appreciation of Music Musi, Business Communications Oste, and Introduction to Philosophy Phil.

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Look who was 32 Dec. 26th!
Happy Belated Birthday
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The clock is ticking down on the old calendar. Now is the time to gear up for a great celebration and look ahead to success and happiness in '99.
Many thanks for giving us so much to celebrate this past year. We've enjoyed every minute of serving you and look forward to your continued support.
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•20th Century (continued from page 6)

1912
Titanic sinks April 14.
First diagnosis of a heart attack in a living patient and work begins on diagnosing heart disease.
Rice University founded.
SOS in Morse Code officially adopted.
The film "Queen Elizabeth" with Sarah Bernhardt debuted.
First feature length motion picture seen in America—"Her First Biscuit" with Mary Pickford and "The Musketeers of Pig Alley" with Lilian Gish.
The hymn "In The Garden" introduced.
Popular songs are "Waiting for the Robert E. Lee," "Moonlight Bay," "That Old Gal of Mine," and "Sweetheart of Sigma Chi."
Jim Thorpe wins at the Stockholm Olympics.
The fourth down was added to football.
The Girl Guides become the Girl Scouts of America.
First electric iron introduced.
New foods are Hellman's Blue Ribbon Mayonnaise and Oreo Biscuits.

1913
The 17th Amendment to the Constitution ratified to provide for direct election of U.S. Senators.
Ford introduced the auto assembly line.
American Cancer Society founded.

1914
New *York World* publishes first crossword puzzle.
Charlie Chaplin signs his first contract.
New hymn of year is "The Old Rugged Cross".
Popular songs are "Pet O' My Heart" and "You Made Me Love You, I Didn't Want to Do It".
Peppermint lifesavers introduced.
Ozona organized its first basketball team. The Majestic Theater was built, showing three movies per week. During intermission of the silent movies, volunteer talent shows were held.

1914
World War I begins in Europe.
Suffragettes march on Washington demanding vote.
Panama Canal opens to traffic.
First traffic light installed in Cleveland.
Gulf Oil distributes first road map.
First national Mother's Day celebrated.
National 4-H Club founded.
Popular songs are "Play a Simple Melody," "Keep the Home Fires Burning," "There's a Long, Long Trail," "St. Louis Blues," "12th Street Rag," and "When You Wore a Tulip and I wore a Big Red Rose."
The elastic brassiere is patented to supplant the corset.
William Wrigley introduces Doublemint Chewing Gum.
The Ozona newspaper is changed to The Ozona Stockman.

1915
Great War (WWI) in Europe intensifies.

U.S. Lusitania sunk by German submarine.
Ku Klux Klan founded.
Long distance phone service between New York and San Francisco began. A call took 23 minutes to go through and cost \$20.70.
Popular songs are "Pack Up Your Troubles in Your Old Kit Bag," "Paper Doll," and "M-O-T-H-E-R, a Word that Means the World to Me."
The film, "The Birth of a Nation" starring Lilian Gish stirs racial emotions. Also, "A Fool There Was" with Theda Bara premiered.
Coming Glass develops Pyrex glass.
Americans begin to eat Kraft processed cheese.

1916
Pancho Villa raids Columbus, NM, on March 9, killing 17 persons.
First Congresswoman, Jeanette Rankin, elected in Montana.
First radio news is broadcast.
The *Saturday Evening Post* buys first Norman Rockwell for cover.
Popular songs are "Roses of Picardy," "I Ain't Got Nobody," and "La Cucaracha."
First mechanical home refrigerator marketed for \$900.
Piggly Wiggly, the first grocery chain, opens in Memphis.
U.S. Keds manufacture shoes with canvas uppers and rubber soles.
Stanford University psychologist develops IQ test.
First oil well drilled in Crockett

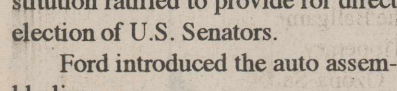
County, a dry hole! The Boy Scouts were organized, and Ozona now has 150 automobiles.

1917
U.S. declares war on Germany on April 6.
World Book Encyclopedia publishes first edition.
"I Want You" Uncle Sam poster first appears.
Popular movie stars are Charlie Chaplin, Mary Pickford, Wallace Beery, Gloria Swanson, and Douglas Fairbanks.
War bonds are sold at rallies.
Popular songs are "Over There," "You're in the Army Now," "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here," "For Me and My Gal," and "The Bells of St. Mary's."
Jazz gains in popularity with "The Darktown Strutters Ball" and "Tiger Rag."
Halifax, Nova Scotia destroyed by collision of two munitions ships.
First Del Monte ad appears in *Saturday Evening Post*.

Editor's note: Stay tuned for the rest of the story which will be published in next week's edition of *The Ozona Stockman*.

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A New Year's Toast



Don't let the spirit of the season cloud your judgment. Drink responsibly and always use a designated driver.

THE ICE HOUSE

•Outside Ozona (continued from page 1)

Pollak, Penelope Ann Miller, David Paymer, Sherilyn Fenn, Swoosie Kurtz, Taj Mahal, Meat Loaf and Lucy Webb.

The description of the movie provided for those attending the Flagstaff International Film Festival says:

"Over a remote expanse of the Southwest desert, the powerful voice of an irritated disc jockey (Taj Mahal) fills the airwaves with eclectic music and incendiary social commentary. He is exasperating his frustrated station manager (Meat Loaf), who pleads with him to stop spewing out the vitriol. As the DJ's diatribe wafts out into the dark night air, three separate vehicles are speeding toward a fateful destiny. In the vehicles are seven lost souls, cruising into the night, down lanes of concrete and electrified by the anonymous voice they are hearing over the radio. They are all escaping their pasts as they drive down lonesome highways into an uncertain future outside Ozona, Texas.

"Wit Roy (Kevin Pollak), an abusive, unemployed circus clown, and Earlene Demers (Penelope Ann Miller), his sexy white-trash girlfriend, are fleeing the scene of the performer's latest act of rage. His anger turns on Earlene when he realizes she has given her body to his former boss in a futile attempt to save yet another job. Meanwhile, shy and lonely trucker Odell Parks (Robert Forster) aids a stranded Navajo lady and her ailing grandmother in an act of kindness and affection. A widower who has been on the road alone for a year, he tries to facilitate the daughter's attempt to grant her grandmother a dying wish to see the Gulf

of Mexico, and in the process falls in love with this beautiful woman. Down the highway, a pretty woman (Sherilyn Fenn) and her sister are arguing politics, siblings who are living their lives in an incompatible manner. As they speed down the blacktop, they encounter an unlikely hitchhiker (David Paymer). They play Good Samaritans, not knowing that they have picked up a stranger in an area where someone is responsible for the string of gruesome murders which has FBI agents scouring the desolate desert expanse for clues. As the passion and rage on both the air and the road intensifies, this unusual group of people speeds toward a spirited climax, as their worlds collide 'Outside Ozona'."

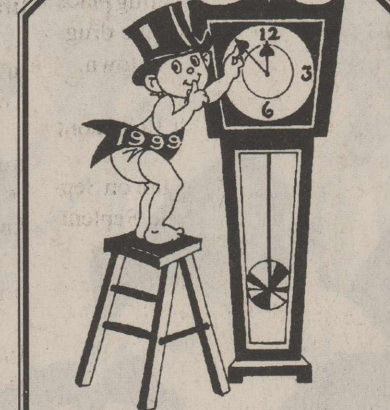
When the movie played at the AMC Grand in Dallas earlier this month, *The Dallas Morning News* was not kind in its review, assigning one star (poor) at the end of its review. The movie is rated R for its violence, gore and nudity.

Cardone's previous multi-credit efforts include *Black Day*, *Blue Night* starring Mia Sara and Gil Bellows for Republic Pictures; *Shadowhunter*, starring Scott Glenn and Benjamin Bratt for Republic Pictures; *A Climate for Killing*, starring Mia Sara for Propaganda Films, which was the Gold Award winner for Best Independent Feature Film at the 1991 WorldFest-Houston International Film Festival; *Slayer* for 21st Century Films; *Thunder Alley* for MGM; and *Shadowzone* for Empire Pictures. The Los Angeles, CA, native graduated from Northern Arizona University with a B.S. in political science and resides outside Flagstaff, AZ.



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New Year's Wishes
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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A New Year's toast to fashion

Be the most breathtaking sight in the room this New Year's Eve with an outfit that truly dazzles. With all the stress of the holidays behind you, New Year's is the night to break away from your arduous routine and celebrate! Go ahead and treat yourself to that special outfit you've been noticing from the corner of your eye each time you passed that same shop window in pursuit of loved ones' gifts. Forget the budget — make that your New Year's resolution to work out later. This is the night of all nights to shine like Cinderella, to forget about

making do with what's already in your closet. Slip into that daring little number and prepare to dance the night away as the clock ticks toward the midnight countdown and a sparkling new year. With this season's sizzling styles in evening wear, you can leave your pumpkin coach and glass slippers at home — you won't need them. A stunning, shimmery ensemble, as shown here, courtesy of Carolina Herrera, adds just the right magic to attract all eyes in the room and capture any prince's heart. With a shimmering fitted knee-length skirt that flatters the

legs, you'll sparkle like a flute glass brimming with champagne. A glittering camisole reveals an alluring span of neckline that's visually arresting. And don't forget about the shoes! A pair of strappy matching sandals are sure to stay on tight while flattering your dancing feet. Pull it all together with a dazzling jacket to match the skirt, and keep warm throughout the chilly winter night without sacrificing a drop of glamour. The new year is coming up as fast as the champagne is being poured, so don't wait — let your shimmering beauty rise to the surface.



Bedford returns to Washington

Navy Airman Michael J. Bedford, son of Lynn M. Dominguez of Ozona, recently completed a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific Ocean, Indian Ocean and Arabian Gulf aboard the aircraft carrier USS Abraham Lincoln.

Bedford was one of more than 5,000 Sailors and Marines aboard the ship, which returned to its home port of Everett, WA, after leading the USS Abraham Lincoln Battle Group. The battle group was comprised of 10 tactical air squadrons, five surface combatants and two submarines.

While deployed in the Arabian Gulf, Bedford's ship aided multinational interception operations in prohibiting contraband transports to and from Iraq. In addition, planes from the embarked air wing flew 1,855 missions during Operation Southern Watch to support sanctions imposed by the U. N. against Iraq after the 1991 Gulf War.

During the deployment, Bedford and crew members had the opportunity to visit Hong Kong, Singapore and the United Arab Emirates.

While in Hong Kong, Sailors and Marines from Bedford's ship participated in Project Handclasp, providing humanitarian aid to a disaster relief organization, a school for the mentally handicapped and an international Christian school. In addition to providing food, hygienic items, toys, books and paper to the recipients, members of Bedford's ship cleaned, repaired and painted buildings.

The 1995 graduate of Yucaipa High School of Yucaipa, CA, joined the Navy in April 1996.

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Jan. 5 - Soft Burrito, Pinto Beans, Tomato Salsa, Peach Slices
Jan. 6 - Barbecue Beef on Bun, Pork N Beans, French Fries, Cookies
Jan. 7 - Nacho Supreme, Salad, Ranch Style Beans, Slice of Bread, Cobbler
Jan. 8 - Chicken Nuggets, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls

FAST FOOD

Jan. 4 - Corn Dog, Nachos, Tator Tots, Applesauce
Jan. 5 - Frito Pie, Pinto Beans, Tomato Salsa, Peach Slices, Slice of Bread
Jan. 6 - Steakburger, Salad, French Fries, Cookies
Jan. 7 - Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Salad, Tator Tots, Cobbler
Jan. 8 - Cheeseburger, Salad, Rolls

BREAKFAST

All breakfasts are served with milk, juice, muffin, toast and jelly. You may have your choice of one of the following items each day. You may buy extra items for 25¢ each.

Jan. 4 - Beef & Bean Burrito or Cold Cereal
Jan. 5 - Sausage & Biscuit or Cold Cereal or Cream of Wheat
Jan. 6 - Sausage & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal
Jan. 7 - French Toast or Cold Cereal
Jan. 8 - Potato & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal

Start the New Year right with the right resolutions

The arrival of the new year is a natural time to evaluate the past and resolve how things should be in the future. Many people can find something about themselves they'd like to change for the better — usually it's breaking a habit of some kind and often it's something health-related.

If you want to make some changes for 1999, remember the best way to break a bad habit is to replace it with a good one. Here are some ideas:

- Assess your situation — Is your health at risk because of your lifestyle? What are the health risks that you can reduce? (smoking, high blood pressure) What about yourself can you learn to enhance? (fitness, self-esteem)
- Develop a plan — Choose

what to change, decide how to change and make a commitment to change. Begin your health-improvement plan in an area in which you're likely to succeed, and don't try to change more than one or two habits at a time.

- Take action — Carry out your plan. Take advantage of community resources (at local Y's and community centers or at your place of worship), or get a self-help manual on the area you have chosen. Join forces with a friend who shares your goal.

- Have confidence that you can overcome obstacles — Reward yourself for your accomplishments, and take it one step at a time. It takes time to believe that a new, healthy habit is more rewarding than an old, unhealthy pattern.

Following are some areas where most people could stand some improvement and some possible methods for doing so:

Physical health — Exercise three times a week — start by taking brisk walks. Take the stairs instead of the elevator. Walk, don't ride, whenever possible. Reduce the fat in your diet, and increase the fruit and vegetables. Cut back or quit smoking.

Emotional health — Reward and compliment yourself when you achieve a goal. Volunteer at the charity of your choice. Talk back when your inner voice says something negative. Find time for fun on a regular basis. Count your blessings. Make a list of people who love you and put it someplace you'll see it often.

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Crockett County Sheriff's Report

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12/22/98
*A report of an alarm at the football field house. Deputy responded, and it was a coach at the field house. All okay.
*Deputy assisted a motorist on Ave. G and Sixth street.
*A report of a gas drive off from a local store. Deputy responded and made contact with the subject involved. Subject paid for the gas.
*Deputy assisted with a Greyhound bus that broke down. Bus driver advised that another bus was on the way.
*A report of a minor auto accident. Deputy responded and a blue form was issued to subjects involved.
*Deputy assisted a motorist on 14th Street. A wrecker service was notified.
12/23/98
*A report of loud music in the 200 Block

of Ave. F. Deputy responded and advised subjects to turn music down.
*A report of a possible fire around the gas tank area at a local store. Deputy responded and the fire department was dispatched.
*Sheriff's office dispatched a wrecker to 10 miles west on I-10 to assist a motorist who was out of gas.
*A report of a large dog running loose in the area of the 1300 Block of Ave. E. Sheriff's office notified the animal control.
*A report of a welfare subject who needed gas. Deputy responded and assisted the subject with gas.
*Deputy assisted on traffic control on a vehicle accident on I-10 mile marker 337.
*A report of loud music in the area on the 300 Block of Ave. H. Deputy responded and advised the subject to turn the music down.
*Deputy assisted a DPS Trooper on a vehicle accident on the 300 Block of Ave. I.
12/24/98
Report of a Reckless Driver on Avenue H and 1st street Deputy located vehicle and spoke with the driver
Report of a reckless driver on Willow Drive. Deputy located vehicle and spoke with driver.
Report of a disturbance on War Admiral Deputy arrested male subject on a charge of family violence.
Report of a vehicle accident at mile marker 353. Deputy assisted Trooper on call. Deputy transported stranded motorist back to their vehicle on I-10.
Report of loud music on Corto Street. Deputy advised subject to turn music off. Subjects complied.
Report of a stranded motorist at mile marker 360. Deputy was unable to locate motorist.
Report of a stranded motorist with flat tire. Crockett County Sheriff's office notified wrecker service.
Report of a vehicle accident west on I-10. Deputy assisted Trooper on call.
Deputies assisted Helping Hands with meals due to bad weather.
Report of a hitchhiker near the truck stop. Deputy transported subject to east county line.
Report of a minor vehicle accident on 11th Street. Trooper worked accident.
Report of a stranded motorist 20 miles west on I-10. Crockett County Sheriff's Office notified wrecker service.
Report of a minor vehicle accident at mile marker 357. Trooper worked accident.
Gas welfare at local convenience store. Deputy assisted subjects with gas.
Report of vehicle blocking roadway. Deputy made contact with subjects who were en route to get gas for vehicle.
Report of a disturbance on Highway 163 South. Deputy spoke to both subjects involved. Everything okay.
12/25/98
Report of a hit and run vehicle accident on Heracleo Street. Black p/u backed into a parked vehicle. Deputies were unable to locate vehicle. Blue form was given out

Report of a stranded motorist at mile marker 357 eastbound. Deputy assisted subjects with gas.
Gas drive off from local convenience store. Deputy stopped vehicle at mile marker 385, and subjects returned and paid for gas.
Report of a campfire burning on Highway 137 left by stranded motorist. Fire department was called to put fire out.
Report of an injured deer on Live Oak Road. Deer was destroyed.
Report of male subject harassing female subject. Deputy talked to male subject.
Report of an abandoned vehicle on Pandale Road. Deputy checked vehicle.
Report of a disturbance at local convenience store. Deputy advised everything was okay.

12/26/98
Welfare concern for male subject. Deputy located subject, and parents were notified everything was okay.
Deputy met with complainant on Highway 163 South. Subject having problems with livestock. Deputy took information report.
Report of livestock out on I-10 West. Crockett County Sheriff's Office was unable to contact land owner and left message on answering machine.
Report of livestock out on Highway 137/190. Crockett County Sheriff's Office notified land owner.
Deputy met with complainant at Crockett County Sheriff's Office and took offense report of lost cell phone.
Report of a stranded motorist on Highway 163 North. Trooper assisted motorist.
Report of a vehicle accident on Martinez Street. Deputy assisted Trooper with accident.
Report of loud music at convention center. Deputy checked decibel meter. Everything okay.
Report of a reckless driver on a motorcycle on 11th Street. Deputy was unable to locate motorcycle.
Report of a family disturbance on Willow Street. Deputy spoke with both subjects and advised subject to separate for the night. Subjects complied.
Report of loud music on Monterey Street. Deputy advised subjects to lower music. Subjects complied.
12/27/98
Welfare out of gas at Crockett County Sheriff's Office. Deputy assisted subjects with gas.
Report of a stranded motorist at mile marker 333. Trooper checked on motorist.
Deputy met with complainant on Ave. J and took offense report of theft.
Report of livestock out at mile marker 346 on I-10. Crockett County Sheriff's Office was unable to make contact with owner, and message was left on answering machine.
Report of a stranded motorist at mile marker 340. Crockett County Sheriff's Office notified duty wrecker.
Deputy of a reckless driver on Ave. L. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.
Report of loud music on Ave. H. Deputy

advised subject to turn music off for the night.
12/28/98
Deputy advised of open door at old offices at Country Club. Deputy checked the area. Everything okay.

Report of loud music on Walnut Street. Deputy advised subject to turn music down. Subject complied.
Report of subject hitting deer on I-10 West. Deputy gave subject blue form.
Deputy met with complainant at truck stop and took offense report of theft.
Report of loud music from vehicle. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.
Report of wires being pulled down by a big truck. Deputy advised cement truck had hit wires.
Report of a missing female 31-years-old. Subject has been missing for three weeks. Deputy took information.
Deputy met with complainant on Quail Run and took offense report of theft.
Report of a kid being hit with a rock. Deputy met with kids and parents.
Deputy assisted with traffic control on Ave. G and 2nd Street.
Report of kids making fire balls. Deputy met with kids and parents.
Report of a vehicle on fire on Highway 163 and 190. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.
Report of a vehicle accident on Highway 290 off I-10. Deputy assisted Trooper.

ARREST REPORT 12/22/98 thru 12/28/98

12/24/98 Ibarra, Pablo
Fernandez, age 38, of Ozona was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of family violence Class C. Subject paid fine and was released.

12/24/98 Fierro, Encarnacion Jr., age 40, of Ozona was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of public intoxication. Subject paid fine and was released.

12/26/98 Sierra, Steven David, age 20, of Center Port was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper on a charge of driving while license suspended. Subject posted bond and was released.

12/28/98 Fain, Ricky Allen, age 41, of Florida was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz. subject posted bond and was released.

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SOURCES: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, July Fiscal Notes; and Texas A&M University.

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

Weekly Rig Count
Dec. 23, 1998
Compiled by Hughes Christensen and Tracer Supply Inc.-San Angelo, Texas

DIST. #7C	DIST. #8	DIST. #8A	
Coke	0	Bailey	0
Concho	0	Brewster	0
Crockett	2	Crane	0
Irion	0	Culberson	0
Kimble	0	Ector	0
McCullough	0	Glasscock	2
Menard	0	Howard	1
Reagan	3	Hudspeth	0
Runels	0	Jeff Davis	0
Schleicher	2	Loving	1
Sutton	0	Martin	2
Terrell	1	Midland	4
Tom Green	1	Mitchell	0
Upton	0	Pecos	4
		Presidio	0
		Reeves	0
		Sterling	2
		Ward	0
		Winkler	1
		Roosevelt	0
		Yoakum	0

Total rotary rig count (P.B.-Texas) this date: 52

Weekly Drilling and Completion Report

Compiled by Charles Lewis Communications, Lindale, Texas
Dec. 30, 1998

Crockett County's East Dudley Field saw a new producer come on line when the No. 3302 Perner Ranch was completed 22.5 miles southwest of Ozona. It flowed 368,000 CF gas daily on a 1.25-in. choke and was given a calculated absolute open flow rating of 396,000 CFD.

Bottomed at 9,731 feet with a plugback to 8,976, the well will produce from Devonian Age perforations, 8,820 to 8,976 feet into the wellbore. Union Pacific Resources is the operator.

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The same operator has completed the No. 8 Laura Hoover in the Ozona Field 29.2 miles southwest of Ozona. It flowed 476,000 CF gas daily on a 1.25-in. choke and was evaluated at 613,000 CFD on open flow. The well probed to total depth of 7,367 feet. Production will be from Canyon Sand perforations ranging from 6,240 to 7,292 feet into the hole.

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Also in the Hoover lease holding, Ozona Field, Union Pacific has completed the No. 4 Laura Hoover Estate "52D" a little over 29 miles southwest of Ozona. It flowed 271,000 CF gas per day on a 1.25-in. choke and was assigned a 292,000-CFD evaluation on open flow. It bottomed at 7,405 feet but production will be at 5,704 to 7,384 feet in the Canyon Sand Formation.

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Crockett County's North Live Oak Draw Field gained new production when the No. 7 McMullan was brought on line 10.4 miles southeast of Ozona. Union Pacific is the operator. The well demonstrated ability to yield 906,000 CF gas per day on a 1.25-in. choke. It was given a 1,106,000-CFD rating on absolute open flow. The Fort Worth company drilled to a total depth of 10,810 feet, plugged back to 10,666 and perforated for Strawn Formation pay. Production will range from 9,270 to 10,180 feet into the wellbore.

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The No. 3311 Moody has been completed in the Ozona Field about 24.5 miles southwest of Ozona. It bottomed at 7,421 feet and will produce from perforations in the Canyon Sand. Production ranges from 6,362 to 7,206 feet into the wellbore. The well potentialed at 376,000 CF gas daily on a 1-in. choke. The open flow capacity calculated to be 414,000 CFD. Union Pacific Resources is the operator.

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INVITATION TO BID
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Library Space and Alterations to the Existing library Building.

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All proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at 6:00 P.M., January 19, 1999 at the Crockett County Commissioner's Court at Crockett County Courthouse Annex.

Copies of the Documents may be obtained at the office of H. Schmidt Architects, 123 South David Street, San Angelo, Texas (915) 653-4242 and at the Crockett County Auditor's Office, for the refundable deposit of \$100.00 per set of Documents.

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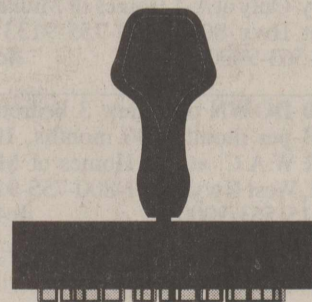
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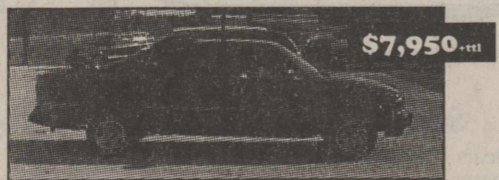
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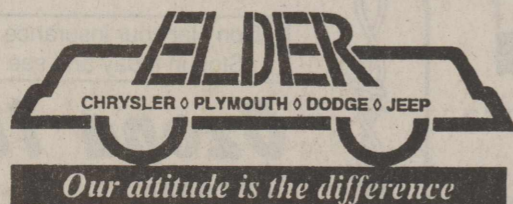
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