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JV Lions win relay division

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The JV Lions did well in the annual OHS Relays March 18, advancing 10 contestants to the finals. Other JV teams participating were from Iraan, Sonora, Reagan County and Nueces Canyon.

Representing Ozona in the finals were: Luis Cruz, Jared Shaffer, Gus Perez, Jacob Tambunga, Kyle Richardson, Chase Clark, Brandon Marmolejo, Nat Hernandez, Jeffery Mendez, Victor Hernandez and Lalo

Richardson placed first in the pole vault with a height of 10'6". He was third in the 100m dash with a time of 13.78 and fourth in the 200m dash

Jared Shaffer placed first in the long jump with a leap of 18' 6 3/4". Shaffer also captured first place in the 200m dash with a time of 24.55.

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Luis Cruz came in first place in the triple jump with a distance of 37' 2 1/2" and was second in the long jump with 18' 4 1/2".

Gus Perez earned second place in the triple jump with a distance of 36' 9", was third in the long jump with a leap of 16' 11" and second in the 400m dash with 56.58.

Jacob Tambunga came in first in the discus with a throw of 107' 1" and third in the shot put with 33' 11 1/2".

Chase Clark captured second place in the pole vault with 9'6" and third in the 110 hurdles with 21.41.

Brandon Marmolejo raced to sec ond place in the 3200m with a time of 11:59.57 and was also second in the 1600m run, finishing with 5:23.92.

Fourth place in the 3200m run went to Jeffery Mendez with a time of 14:16.56, and he was fifth in the 1600m with 6:21.50.

Capturing second in the 100m dash with a time of 13.08 was Victor Hernandez. Hernandez also won third in the 200m dash with a 27.15 finish.

Lalo Garza earned second place, in the 110m hurdles with a time of 20.93.

The JV Lions' 400m relay grabbed first with a 48.08. Runners for the 400m relay are: Gus Perez, Jared Shaffer, Lalo Garza and Luis Cruz.

A time of 3:49.05 earned second place for the JV Lions' 1600m relay team. Runners were: Gus Perez, Jared Shaffer Lalo Garza and Luis Cruz.



(Readings are for a 24 hour period beginning at 8 a.m.) Reported by

Ozona Butane Co. for the National Weather Service

EXTENDED FORECAST

Wednesday	Thursday
Hi 68 Lo 48 scat. showers	H 75 Lo 49 partly cloudy
Friday	Saturday
Hi 78	Hi 79

Forecast information provided by The Weather Channel

Lo 52

partly cloudy

Lo 51

partly cloudy

Belinda Wilkins chosen Citizen of the Year



OZONA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR BELINDA WILKINS accepts a plaque from Rob Whitesides, outgoing chamber chairman.

DigiCam photo by Scotty Moore

A capacity crowd rose repeatedly in standing ovation for award recipients at the 36th Annual Ozona Chamber of Commerce Awards Banquet March 20, 2000, in the civic center.

the Year Belinda Wilkins, Unsung Hero Harvey Hill, Legacy of Spirit League where she has held several Citizens of the Year Tripp Farris and Kayla Shurley, Teacher of the Year Rick Bachman and Organization of the Year Knights of Columbus.

Special recognition went to Rev. Bill Fuller, Ted Spence, Deputy Lyndon English and Deputy Tyler

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Cuero girls won first place in the

Ozona Relays with 193.5 points fol-

lowed by Sonora in second with 93

and Iraan third with 74 points. The

placings were: 4 Nueces Canyon, 64;

5 Reagan County, 53; 6 Ozona, 41; 7

Presidio, 34; 8 Rocksprings, 28; 9

Comstock, 3 and 10 Angelo Chris-

Lady Lions were Tammy Alvarez,

Laken Villarreal, Jordan Webster,

Paige Tambunga and Codi

cus with a throw of 105' 8" and third

run with a time of 13.14.33 and third

100m dash with a time of 13.74. Paige

Tambunga ran the 300m hurdles in

57.02 for fifth place. Codi Richardson

came in fourth place in the 200m dash

placed fourth with a time of 53.81.

Runners for the 400m are: Jordan

Webster, Colbey Crawford, Jessica

fifth pace with their time of 1:54.79.

Team members are the same as for the

eight teams competing. Placing first

as a team was Sonora with 158 points:

Herring and Codi Richardson.

The Lady Lions' 400m relay

The 800m relay team earned a

In the boys' division, there were

in the shot put with 31' 10".

in the 1600m with 6:08.99.

with a time of 57.02.

Richardson.

Advancing to the finals for the

Tammy placed second in the dis-

Laken came in fifth in the 3200m

Jordan Webster was sixth in the

By Michelle Holtz

Belinda Wilkins came to Ozona as a sixth grader, married her high

Annual Ozona Relays held March 18

remaining seven teams and their Lions were: Dustin Faught, Jimmy

he leaped 40' 9 1/4".

with a throw of 40'8"

100m with 11.56.

Ken Sessom.

second was Iraan with 135; third was Martin Sanchez, Gabe Tijerina, Bobby

Reagan County with 95 points, and Cervantez and Ken Sessom.

come active in almost every area of Civic Center Board. community life in Ozona.

She served on the board of Ozona United Methodist Church, taught Sun-1999 honors were: Citizen of day school and vacation Bible school, and is a member of Ozona Woman's Jane Black, Member of the Year offices. Mrs. Wilkins is a chamber Double T Ranch, Outstanding Young member and former director and treasurer of the organization.

She has judged UIL events, been a parent-leader in 4-H, prepared and served lunches for high school golf tournaments, helped with the one act play, cooked for Lions for Christ, chaperoned at Fifth Quarter, opened her home for open houses to benefit Crockett County Public Library, cohosted the wine and cheese party which benefits the American Cancer Society, volunteered at the museum

fourth place went to the Ozona Lions

who earned 69 points. Rocksprings

earned fifth with 48 points followed

by Nueces Canyon with 27, Presidio

Martin Sanchez placed third in

school sweetheart and has since be- and served on the Crockett County

In addition she helped develop the current Ozona Community Center daycare program and has been the driving force behind the extremely successful Project Graduation program for Ozona High School students.

Belinda and Steve Wilkins are the rents of three children, Tara, Lauren and Mason.

UNSUNG HERO

An unsung hero can be defined in many ways. It could be someone who has saved a life, someone who continually cares about and sees to the needs of others, someone who gives of their time to worthy functions. Harvey Hill, Unsung Hero for 1999, has done all these things

Hill was born in Eagle Pass, graduated from high school there and served in the U. S. Army. His law enforcement career began in Eagle Pass, then continued in Ozona as a deputy under Sheriff Billy Mills beginning in 1976. Hill retired from the department in 1997 with the rank of

became Crockett County Constable.

Hill was awarded the Medal of Valor in 1979 after saving Claude Russell from his burning home. He received the Texas Game Warden Association Award in appreciation for years of involvement at the Perry Ranch in the hunting program for Boys Ranch youths. He also received the Outstanding Service Award for his years of service to the county.

LEGACY OF SPIRIT

Legacy of Spirit recipient Jane Murphey Black is a fifth generation Texan with agriculture in her bloodline all the way back. One of three girls, she grew up on a ranch near Sweetwater. As the oldest daughter, with considerably younger sisters, she was the only help her Dad had unless a neighbor rancher came by. Her family moved to Crockett County in 1936, and she followed a year later after completing high school.

She met and married Charlie Black, and they had a partnership marriage. She helped with the ranchwork and he helped with the housework. In the early years of their marriage, they had no running water, she cooked on a wood stove, and long distance phone calls were made only in an emergency. She rode horseback in the pasture and worked right in line with the men marking lambs and

Jane took over the ranching business in 1966, showing those she did business with that a woman could make the ranch succeed. She retired from ranching in 1999 and moved to

She has been a member of the Ozona Woman's Forum for 53 years, was president in 1954 and is the current president. During this time she helped campaign for public swimming pools. She served on the hospital board and worked with the Planned Parenthood satellite clinic. She has been the memorials chairperson for the American Cancer Society for more than 30 years.

In April of 1955, she was one of four Ozona women summoned to serve on a grand jury. This was the first time women were allowed to serve on juries in Texas.

She was the first woman to serve as chairman of the administrative board of Ozona United Methodist Church, where she has been a member for 53 years. She has served on several boards and taught different Sunday school classes.

The late Charlie Black and Jane Black have two children, Bill and Judy, four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

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Crockett County 4-H'ers complete successful 2000 stock show season

March 10. About 50 4-H'ers competed in the major shows this year, and since placing in the middle weight class the last report following the San Anticipated at the Houston and San with 14th and Clint Hale with 20th. Angelo Stock Shows.

At Houston in the meat goat division. Jake Stewart was the big winner in showmanship. Placing in the with 14th and Jake Stewart with 16th.

Crockett County 4-H'ers made it through the grueling sift at Rosenberg mium sale at Houston. In the light

By Miles Dabovich-CEA/Ag Browne placed her lamb 24th. In the middleweight finewool class, which Crockett County 4-H'ers com- originally had more than 80 lambs pleted the 2000 stock show season on entered, Codi Richardson placed first and was the blue ribbon winner. Also were Mason Wilkins with 10th, Aaron tonio Stock Show, 4-H'ers have par- Renfroe with 12th, Dustin Shaffer In the heavy weight finewool class,

Please see page 2

meat goat show were Lana Stewart March 22 last day to In the market lamb division, 15 file for water board

Persons interested in filing for the and were guaranteed a spot in the pre- two Crockett County Water Board places open this year have until captain. After a short retirement, he weight finewool class, Summer Wednesday, March 22, to do so. March 27 is the deadline for write-in candidates to file a declaration of candidacy.

The incumbents Dennis Clark and Louis Bunger have filed for re-

Early voting by personal appeartin and graduated from the Southwest- ance begins April 19 and ends May 2 in the May 6 election. Early voting will be conducted during regular hours Bacon is currently a visiting Monday through Friday at the water office at 511 - 11th Street.

For more information, contact

Crockett County Sheriff's position in December 1999 following Department investigates water contamination

Crockett County Sheriff's Department was notified Friday, March 17, that a person or persons had pumped brackish oilfield condensate water into the home water system of R. J. Everett on the George Bunger Ranch. Damage has been estimated at \$100,000.00.

Two fresh water holding tanks and pipelines were contaminated. whether intentional or by accident, when a person or persons pumped oilfield-condensate oil well or gas well water into the fresh home water system," said Chief Deputy Alton Davis. 'We are not sure if it was by accident or intentional," Davis further stated.

Chief Deputy Davis reported that the investigation is ongoing at this

with 22 and Angelo Christian with Advancing to the finals for the

Miller appointed to Criminal Justice Board

Lopez, Zeke Rivera, Lance Unger, AUSTIN - Governor George W. Wesley Bishop, Martin Sanchez, Josh Bush announced on March 17 the ap-Tambunga, Bobby Cervantez and Ken Faught took third place in the Crockett County native Pierce Miller high jump with 6'0". Jimmy Lopez of San Angelo will serve a term endplaced fourth in the long jump and in ing Feb. 1, 2001. He will fill the unthe triple. His distance in the long expired term of Allan Polunsky of San jump was 19' 2 3/4", and in the triple, Antonio, who resigned. Mary Bacon Josh Tambunga was fourth in the Feb. 1, 2005. The board is responsible 1600m run with a time of 4:58.39 and for the management and control of the fifth in the 800m run with 2:11.73. Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Miller is managing partner of VIP the pole vault with 10'6" and fourth in Livestock Company and president of the 200m dash with a time of 25.49. Moleo Gas Corporation. He served as Lance Unger placed third in the chairman of the board, chief execushot put with a throw of 43'6". Zeke tive officer and president of San Rivera and Wesley Bishop were close Angelo National Bank/Texas Combehind. Rivera threw the shot 40' 11 merce Bank of San Angelo from 1978-•1/3" for fifth, and Bishop placed sixth 81

In addition to serving as chairman Ken Sessom placed second in the of the USDA appointed, 7-member 100m dash with a time of 11.37, and board of the National Sheep Industry Bobby Cervantez came in fifth in the Improvement Center, Miller is chairman of the advisory board of the Texas The Lions' 400m relay team was Food and Fiber Commission and a fourth with a time of 45.26. Making member of the executive committee up this team are: Ross Crawford, of Texas Agricultural and Natural Re-Bobby Cervantez, Gabe Tijerina and sources Summit Initiatives. He is secretary/treasurer of the Mohair Counners on the 1600m relay team are: tion, the Texas Sheep and Goat Rais- ton. ers Association and the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo Association. Senate confirmation.

Miller earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Texas at Ausern Graduate School of Banking at Southern Methodist University.

judge in Harris County. She served as a judge of the 338th District Court in Houston from 1983 until her retire- Cindy Dusek at 915-392-2730. ment in 1998. Bacon was first appointed to the TDCJ Board in March 1999, and she resigned from her board the issuance of an interpretation of the Code of Judicial Conduct initially requested by Bacon. Upon further review, the Texas Supreme Court amended the Code of Judicial Conduct to expressly permit service on the board by a judge.

Gulf Coast Family Law Specialists and the Association of Women Attorneys. Bacon has received numerous honors including the "State Judge of the Year" award from the Houston Police Officers Association and the "President's Award" from the Houston Bar Association. Bacon earned a bachelor's degree from Georgia State The Lions' 1600m relay team was cil of America and past president of University, and she received her law third with their 3:35.71 finish. Run- the American Sheep Industry Associa- degree from the University of Hous-

pointment of two individuals to the Texas Board of Criminal Justice. of Houston will serve a term ending

Bacon is past president of the

Both appointments are subject to

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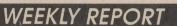
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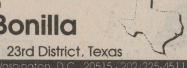
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Congressman

Henry Bonilla



Administration policies put U.S. troops in dangerous situation in Yugoslavia

Bonilla's long warned of attacks from both sides in Kosovo Washington, D.C. - U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla expressed concern today over the deteriorating situation in the Yugoslavia. Yesterday morning United States Army Troops raided weapons caches and command posts of ethnic Albanian guerillas in southeastern Kosovo. It was the first military action against the Kosovo Albanians, whom the U.S. and NATO allies aided just last year with a bombing campaign that drove out Serbian troops

"Since the President first considered putting American soldiers on Yugoslav soil, I warned that our troops would be vulnerable to attack by both sides of that struggle. Unfortunately, that prediction may come true. Our soldiers may soon find themselves battling the Kosovo Albanians, the same people they have been protecting," said Bonilla.

During recent weeks, ethnic Albanian guerillas have attacked Serbian' communities in Kosovo, in what some see as an attempt to drive the remaining Serbs out of the province. The guerillas include former members of the Kosovo Liberation Army, which was supposed to disband while Kosovo built an autonomous judicial and administrative system. Five separate stashes were raided. The raids are supposed to prevent cross-border attacks into Serbia, as well as arms smuggling into the republic.

Bonillia said the President should re-evaluate the depth of our commitment and our resources. "Is Kosovo still so important to our national security that it is worth grinding down our already bare-bones military?" asked Bonilla. "I am concerned because while our attention is diverted to a clan struggle in Europe, we are not paying proper attention to other potential crisis, such as China's increasing threats toward Taiwan."

*Banquet (Continued from front page).....

*4-H'ers (Continued from front page).....

the meat goat show. Alexandra Bean at won first place with her chocolate goat and also received 20th. Jake Stewart placed 3rd and 7th. Adrienne Bendele placed 4th, Lakin Aaron placed 16th, Mica Aaron placed 23rd, Lana Stewart placed 24th and Koby Fenton placed 16th and 22nd.

In the finewool division of the market lamb show, Trey Hale placed 6th, Summer Browne placed 14th and Aaron Renfroe placed 17th in Class in our 4-H livestock program. 1. Aaron Renfroe placed 13th in Finewool Class 2. Clint Hale placed 4th and Mason Wilkins placed 20th in Finewool Class 3.

Aaron Renfroe placed 11th in Class 1. Cade Clark placed 19th in Class 2. Chase Clark placed 16th and Cole Wadsworth placed 20th in Finewool Cross Class 3. Aaron Renfroe placed 5th, and Trey Hale placed 17th in

"It was a good season for the

complete without his spirited leader-

ship of the sixth grade Loud Crowd

at pep rallies and his demonstrations

on his famous unicycle," according to

team, he has made presentations at the

regional and state conventions of the

ognized throughout the region as an

authority on the American Indians of

the Trans-Pecos region and for his

leader in the Rock Art Association of

Texas, is a member of the museum

of the Crockett County Historical As-

nis Coaches Association, the U.S.

He is a member of the Texas Ten-

The local Knights of Columbus

During the years since Council

Council was established in 1984. It is

part of an organization which began

8572 was formed, more than

\$10,000.00 has been awarded through

scholarships and other benevolent

acts. The Ozona KC Council hosts

annual Easter egg hunt for the com-

munity and sponsors a basketball free

fraternity and patriotism are exhibited

term cross-over is used when you are

an artist for country music and then

crossover to pop, or maybe Tejano and

crossover to country. The evening's

first special recognition recipient,

Rev. Bill Fuller of First Baptist

Church, gives new meaning to the

term crossover. He crosses over all

boundaries to help where he is needed.

mer, helps at baccalaureate services,

has worked to get Christmas gifts for

SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS

The principles of charity, unity,

In the recording business, the

throw contest.

through its members.

Texas Middle School Association.

As a member of the academic

Outside the classroom, he is rec-

his nomination data

Trey Hale placed 8th, Kyle Crockett County 4-H Club," said Richardson placed 11th, Mark Garcia Dabovich. "An unofficial total of preplaced 22nd and Ashley Unger placed mium sale winnings for participants came to approximately \$60,000.00. I At the San Angelo Stock Show, guess that's off a little from last year, action got underway the first day with but \$60,000.00 is nothing to sneeze

"I want to thank all the parents and members involved, especially the Wharton-Rosenberg crew. That was a killer week on all of us, and everyone hung in there and worked their tails placed 17th, LuCinda Birkenfeld off. Thanks to Steve Wilkins and the high school men for all their work in the wash rack and Ray Shaffer for the outstanding meals he prepared for us.

"Once again, thanks to this community for their support and interest DOY

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"And a special farewell to some outstanding seniors - Cole Wadsworth, Cade Clark, Dustin Shaffer, Mason Wilkins and Ryan Bean. Gentlemen, In the finewool cross division, I have enjoyed the opportunity to get to work with you the past four years. We shared a lot of laughs and have had many good experiences. I hope you all have learned the life skills that go along with 4-H project work, and I wish each and every one of you the best of luck in the future."

ciation.

He and his wife, Jeannie, are the parents of three children.

Three individuals were recognized for their combined effort in rescuing Jewel Bailey from her burning home last July. Ted Spence, Deputy Lyndon English and Deputy Tyler Roy kicked in the front door of the home just after 2:00 a.m. July 5 and began a search through the house to find the sleeping Mrs. Bailey.

The origin of the fire was on the skill in making arrowheads. He is a roof in an area close to the garage. The fire entered the garage by burning through the attic ladder and igniting board and is on the board of directors the vehicle parked below. As they carried her from the home, fire was burning through the door between the garage and the living space just a few feet away from Mrs. Bailey. Minutes Tennis Association and the Texas after they entered her room and started High School Football Association, back down the hall to safety, her bed-Coach Bachman and his wife, room door burned completely Debbie, are the parents of a son, Erik. through.

The heroic efforts of these three ORGANIZATION OF THE YEAR who were willing to risk their own safety saved the life of Mrs. Bailey.

> Ted Spence has lived in Ozona, working for J. Cleo Thompson, since 1983. He and his wife Gail are the parents of two children.

> Deputy Lyndon English began working for the Crockett County Sheriff's Office in 1989. He attended the academy in 1993 and began patrolling in 1995. He and his wife, Laurie, are the parents of two children.

Deputy Tyler Roy came to Ozona in 1998 as a K-9 handler. In addition to being certified in the D.A.R.E. program where he works with fifth grade students, he has completed many hours of continuing education in various areas of law enforcement. He and his wife, Marie, are the parents of three children.

Ozona Fire Department Weekly Report

42-00 03-14-00

Rev. Fuller has served as pastor 1248 Grass fire reported 1/2 mile here for 10 years this July. He works west of Fort Lancaster on the south with all churches through the Minisside of the road. Landowner advised it was controlled burn. Two trucks, terial Alliance. He is involved in the first Sunday services during the summan hours 9.12.

Letter to the Editor

To everyone at The Stockman: I thank you ever so much for the lovely article on Maxx's Closet. It is perfect! Best regards,

Barbara Hoch, Maxx and Valen-

Thank you for reading The Ozona Stockman

School Board Election

Announcements The following trustee candidates have authorized The Ozona Stockman to

dates for Ozona School Board positions.

Single Member District 4 Laurie Hale Pol. adv. pd. for by Laurie Hale, P.O. Box 1407, Ozona, TX 76943

Because of their close proximity with the community's in one way or ior counselor in training. He also

to town, Member of the Year Double T Ranch's natural resources overlap these resources in ways that contribute to the positive, healthy growth of the land and the community of Ozona.

MEMBER OF THE YEAR

The ranch's contributions over DeerFest began, the ranch allowed the harvest of deer for the supper and provided a place for the processing. The Crockett County on the map and made DeerFest what it is today.

Double T Ranch has provided a host the sheep dog trials, and for track athletes to train.

the new 4-H feeding barn, accepts yard refuse for the county and provided land for the airport.

OUTSTANDING YOUNG CITIZENS

Two Ozona High School seniors were chosen as Outstanding Young Citizens of the Year for 1999. The youths were selected through an es- She hopes to further her education say contest with the subject as the ban- with an emphasis on adolescent bequet theme, "There's No Place Like havior and motivation.

Recipient Tripp Farris has been TEACHER OF THE YEAR active in U.I.L., sports and is first chair been active in one act play since his freshman year and has received nu-Actor at district in 1998 and honorable mention in state last year.

He spent last summer in

where he was accepted into the apprentice counselorship program. He hopes to return this summer as a junanother. As such, Double T Ranch hopes to attend Northland College in believes in managing and sharing Ashland, Wisconsin to study biology and pre-veterinary medicine or Texas A&M University at Galveston to maior in marine biology. Charles Adron Farris III is the son

Waterford, Maine, at Camp Waziyatah

the years have been many. When of Buddy and Judy Farris and the grandson of the late Elvira Farris Caldwell and Mary Huckabee.

Outstanding Young Citizen Kayla ranch has helped put Ozona and Shurley is the daughter of Scott Shurley of Sonora and Mary Anne and

Kayla has been very active in litplace for the Boy Scouts to hike, for erary competitions and sports 4-H Field and Stream participants to throughout high school. Some of the camp out, for the Fifth Quarter to accomplishments and activities she have a hay ride, for the chamber to participated in are: National Honor Society, Student Council, George Bush Celebration of Educational Ex-The ranch has donated caliche for cellence Award, four years of band, one act play, UIL literary, tennis and cheerleading and three years of bas-

> She enjoys reading, working with computers, snow skiing, camping at the river, horseback riding, drama and working with young kids.

Kayla plans to earn her bachelor of science degree in elementary education from Texas A&M University.

The 1999 Teacher of the Year retuba in the marching band. He has cipient, Rick Bachman, has been a citizen of Ozona for 14 years and a teacher in this district for six years. merous related awards including Best He teaches sixth grade reading, serves as tennis coach and seventh grade football coach.

"No middle school year would be

My thanks go to all of you who supported my bid for re-election as Pct. 1 Constable of Crockett County. Your encouragement and votes are greatly appreciated. Harvey Hill Pol. Adv. Pd for By Harvey Hill, P.O. Box 1322, Ozona, TX 76943

THANK YOU I would like to thank the people of Crockett County for your support during my campaign for Sheriff of Crockett County. A special thanks to all those who encouraged and helped me prepare for this election. Respectfully, **Roy Glenn Sutton**

all Ozona, delivers meals to the elderly and helps with the distribution of the Jesus video. He is also involved in Mexico Missions through First Baptist Church and Castle Gap Asso-The following candidates have

Political Announcements

authorized The Ozona Stockman to announce their intentions to file as candidates for posts in the Nov. 7, 2000 general election.

Crockett Co. Constable Raymond P. Borrego Pol. adv. pd. for by Raymond P. Borrego, P.O. Box 1051, Ozona, TX 76943

Crockett Co. Sheriff Shane Fenton Pol. adv. pd. for by Shane Fenton, P.O. Box 271, Ozona, TX 76943

State Representative

Robert (Bob) Turner Pol. adv. pd. for by Committee to elect Bob Turner, 1907 12th St., Brownwood,

Ozona Chamber of Commerce

March 22 - Deadline to File For School Trustee March 27 - EMS Basic Emergency Medical Technician Class Begins

March 30 - Friends of the Library Variety Talent Show, Civic Center, 7-9 p.m.

April 1 - Don't Mess With Texas' Trash-Off. Meet by Crockett Monument for Instructions. 8:30 a.m.

April 1 - Ft. Lancaster School of Victorian Lady/School of Soldier, 9-4

April 3 - Museum's Annual Appreciation Dinner

April 4 - Cub Scout Pack #153 Science Fair, Ozona Intermediate School, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Open to Public.

April 19 - School Trustee Early Voting Begins April 20 - Garden Club Flower Show, Civic Center

May 2 - Last Day to Vote Early by Personal Appearance in School Trustee Election

May 6 - School Trustee Election, 7 a.m.-7 p.m.

May 7 - Vintage Style Show Crockett County Museum 11 a.m.

May 27 - Ft. Lancaster Cemetery Cleanup, 9-4 June 16-17 - World Championship Goat Roping

June 17 - Goat Ropers Ball

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Aug. 4-5 - Ozona Lions CLub Jr. Rodeo

Aug. 5 - 8th Annual David Crockett Birthday Festival, Town Square, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Aug. 6 - Jay Miller Memorial Roping

Sept. 1 - Southwest Boer Goat Breeders Summer Classic Sale, Convention Center 7 p.m. Sept. 30 - Ft. Lancaster Annual Living History Special Event 9-4

Oct. 14 - Pioneer Heritage Day, Crockett County Museum Nov. 11 - Ft. Lancaster Civil War Living History Day 9-4.

Dec. 1 - Christmas Lighting Ceremony by Ozona Woman's League Dec. 2 - 13th Annual DeerFest Wild Game Dinner, Fair Park

Convention Center, 6:30 p.m. To add your event to The Ozona Stockman Community Calendar, call 392-2551 or contact Ozona Chamber of Commerce at 392-3737.

Texas Garden Club Spring Convention to be held in Ballinger March 24-25

The Spring Convention of Dis- P.M. trict VIII of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., try Garden Club.

with registration 4:00 - 6:00 P.M. Friday, March 26, at the Carnegie Library of Ballinger, 204 N. 8th Street. 5:00 - 6:00 P.M., a tour of Mary's Greenhouse. Curiosities at 719 Hutchings and Ballinger Ice House at 623 Railroad Avenue will be open during this hour. A Dutch treat dinner at the Jeweled Sampler Tea Room located in the Curiosities Mall at 6:00

HAPPY

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Talamantez, Juanita Hernandez, Joel

March 27 - Justin Rodriquez,

March 28 - Valerie Perez, David

March 26 - Steve Hubbard, Juan

Brice, Jacob Nehus

Borrego

Forehand

Rolando Villa, Corey Allum

Saturday, March 25, is Registrawill convene in Ballinger, March 24— tion is from 8:30 to 9:30 A.M. at the 25. Host clubs will be Ballinger Civic Carnegie Library with Coleman Town Garden Club, Cross Plains Garden and Country Garden Club hosting a Club and Coleman Town and Coun-continental breakfast. The executive meeting at 8:30 A.M. and the business Pre-convention activities begin session at 9:30 A.M. preceeded by Lunch. The program at 1:00 P.M. will be Designs For The New Millennium presented by the District VIII Flower Show Judges.

> Convention chairman is Becky Greaves of Coleman with Desma Lowry, Ballinger and Julene Franke, Cross Plains serving as co-chairmen.

It's a girl!!

Matias and Minnie Gandar are proud to announce the birth of their beautiful daughter, Audrey Marie March 22 - Jeannie Fuller, Alex Gandar.

Audrey was born on March 8, Martinez, Stevie Vargas, Samantha 2000, at 5:19 a.m. at Shannon Ledesma, Jasmine Laura, Aurora Women's and Children's Center in San Angelo. She weighed six pounds and 15 ounces and was 18 inches long.

March 23 - Jared Espino, Raleigh Conner, Tres Perez, Napoleon Vitela, She is welcomed home by a Penny Williamson, Mitch De La Rosa, brother, sisters and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Garcia of Mexico, Mr. March 24 - Angela Kay Moore, and Mrs. Joe De La Rosa of Ozona Lucio Fierro Sr., Orlando DeHoyos, and Mr. and Mrs. Armando Zurita of Esmie Moran, Austin Borrego, Sonora. She is also the granddaugh-Rozzie Ten Eyck, Jr. Whitley, Jessica

ter of the late Matias Gandar. Numerous aunts, uncles and March 25 - Taylor Newton, cousins join in welcoming Audrey.

> Claudia Avila bride-elect of Mark Ramirez

> > Mrs. Jimmy Longoria née

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Joy Bunnell, bride-elect of Jason Walker Stefny Sutton, bride-elect of David Nance

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Wedding plans told

Gary and Roxane Smith of She is a business management major Lockhart are pleased to announce the with a psychology minor. engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Crystal Gale Smith, to James Matthew Willmon, previously of Lockhart and currently residing in Blooming Grove.

Crystal is a 1997 graduate of Lockhart High School, attended Texas A&M University and is currently a junior at Southwest Texas University. 520.

Matt is a 1995 graduate of Lockhart High School and attended son of James and Patricia Willmon, Texas A&M University at Kingsville. He is currently finishing his second year of Austin's National Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee Program, and is an active member of the Austin IBEW Electrical Union, Local

Preceptor Mu Chi members guess identities

Preceptor Mu Chi Sorority met gram. Each member shared memories Monday, March 13, at Sonja Hoover's home. Present were: Nancy Davee, Zoe Green, Nancy Hale, Sonja Hoover, Billie Morris, Donna Sanders, Sylvia Ramirez, Nell Wester, Queta Fierro, Debi Hamilton, Linda Taylor and Penni Tippie.

eat, and our chapter is very good at that. A buffet of veggies, fruits, chips, dips, cakes and drinks was served.

ing, Sylvia Ramirez presented our pro-

of her life and then we tried to identify old pictures of each other.

The winner of a 3-way tie for first place was Nell Wester who won a beautiful flower arrangement. The three top number of pictures identified correctly was five out of 15 pic-The first order of business was to tures. I guess we've all changed a lot over the years, for the better, of course.

The next meeting will be March 27, and it will be election of officers Following a short business meet- for the upcoming sorority year.

Zoe Green reporting



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Mason recognized by State Bar

William S. (Bill) Mason of Ozona was one of 4,100 attorneys recognized as members of the College of the State Bar of Texas during its annual awards luncheon in Austin Feb. 5. This dis- so much, Len. tinguished group of attorneys accounts for less than eight percent of the total joyed beauty shop with the following dents stated they enjoyed meeting and number of attorneys in Texas.

The College was created in 1982 by the Supreme Court of Texas as a means of recognizing members of the State Bar who voluntarily attain an extraordinary number of continuing you all for a great morning. legal education credits each year. To qualify for membership, attorneys must complete 80 hours of continuing legal education within a three-year period or 45 hours during the current year. To maintain membership in the College, an attorney must complete at least 30 CLE each year, twice the number of hours required of all lawyers in Texas.

(2) [Just as] you (Father) have granted Him (Son) power and authority over all flesh (all humankind) [now glorify Him] so that he may give eternal life to all whom you have given Him.

(3) And this is eternal life: [it means] to know (to perceive, recognize, become acquainted with, and understand) and [likewise] to know Him, Jesus [as the] Christ (the Anointed One, the Messiah), whom you have sent.

John 17: 2-3 (Amplified Version)

Care Center Chatter

and Stassi did residents' nails. Thank meeting.)

Henderson and sister Donna Kay Noblett entertained residents with singing, and Donna Kay playing her beautiful St. Patrick's Day cake. guitar. These two ladies put on a won-

Council invited commissioners and by all. care center board members to a special meeting in the day room at 7:00 p.m. This was a special request by of thoughtful, committed people can residents to meet the commissioners change the world. Indeed it is the only and board members, which is the resi-thing that ever has."

Those present were: Administrator Jim Bob Roddie, Ombudsman

Bingo winners for last week are Jimmie Lott, Commissioners Rudy Lois Smith and Josephine Curry. On Martinez and Freddie Nicks, board Wednesday afternoon, Len Hillman members Sostenes DeHoyos, Tom entertained residents in the main lobby Anderson, Eddie Moore, Armando with his music. Len soloed as the other Arredondo and Jimmy McCollum. two members were gone. Thank you Those not present were: Nancy Moore, Frank Tambunga, P. L. Thursday our lady residents en- Childress III and Jeffrey Sutton. Resivolunteers: Belinda Koerth, Barbara visiting with each member. (The en-Howell, Alena Fay Hokit, Kay Baker, tire care center board and all members Heather and Stassi Fuller, grand- of commissioners court could not be daughters of Carol Adcock. Heather present without calling an official

Friday afternoon in the main Thursday afternoon Glenda lobby, residents celebrated St. Patrick's Day and residents' birthdays. Janet Hill McDaniel furnished the

Freddie Nicks and wife Pat furderful performance. Thank you, two. nished their famous oatmeal cookies It was a great afternoon for residents and vanilla wafer cakes. A huge thanks goes to these three people for their faithful volunteer services to our Thursday evening, the Residents' residents. The afternoon was enjoyed

Quote for the Week:

"Never doubt that a small group Margaret Mead

Jan St. Clair **Activity Director**

Girl Scouts have few cookies left

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Heaven

by Dennis Prutow

Have you ever wondered about heaven? What is it like? Here is a hint. Hebrews 4:9 declares, "There remains a Sabbath rest for the people of God." We thank God this is the case. Heaven is the great and final Sabbath rest. Calling forward a man with a withered hand, Jesus asked the Pharisees, "Is it lawful to do good or to do harm on the Sabbath, to save a life or to kill?" (Mark 3:4). It's obviously unlawful, immoral, to do harm or to do evil on any day. But what about doing good? What about saving a life? The Pharisees were silent. Jesus' response was direct. "After looking around at them with anger, grieved at their hardness of heart, He said to the man, 'Stretch out your hand.' And he stretched it out, and his hand was restored" (Mark 3:5). The Pharisees were incensed. They thoroughly

The Sabbath is the preeminent day to do what is good and to heal. The Sabbath foreshadows heaven. "There will no longer be any death; there will no longer be any mourning, or crying, or pain" (Revelation 20:14).

In this life we may experience healing of soul. In heaven we experience the total healing of our bodies. Imagine, Jesus encourages "waiting eagerly for our adoption as sons, the redemption of our body" (Romans 8:23).

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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.

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.

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EMT class begins March 27

a new emergency medical technician class Monday, March 27. The minimum number of students has not been met. If you are interested and would like to know more information, please come by at 7:00 p.m. Monday night. Coordinator Pat Campbell, Paramedic, and Doug Meador, Paramedic, will be on hand to answer any ques-

The class will consist of 120 number 444-3261

Crockett County EMS will start hours of lecture, 24 hours clinical experience in San Angelo Community Hospital emergency room and three ambulance runs. All aspects of EMT-B will be covered. Classes will be held on Mondays and Thursdays starting at 7:00 p.m.

Class is limited to 20 students with a minimum of 15. To ensure your place, please make arrangements with Doug Meador at 392-5240, pager

Rep. Bob Turner recognized for law enforcement

AUSTIN - March 7 - Today the him in Austin." Combined Law Enforcement Associatheir "Crime Fighter of the Year Representatives during last session. Award". This award is given to those who show exceptional leadership in nized by CLEAT. This means a great law enforcement.

Wilkison, stated, "Chairman Turner is tion represents what law enforcement a great friend of the 80,000 peace of should be. These people are commitficers in Texas. His leadership last ses- ted to safer communities and I am sion was always in the best interest of honored to lead their cause," Chairthe public. We need more people like man Turner said.

Representative Turner was tions of Texas (CLEAT) presented named chairman of the Committee on State Representative Bob Turner with Public Safety in the Texas House of

"It is a great honor to be recogdeal to me, considering the size of the Director of CLEAT, Charley CLEAT membership, Their organiza-

Area students WOW'ed by WTU

"Watts on Wheels" (WOW) renewables trailer is coming to Ozona Middle School courtesy of West Texas Utilities Company. "Watts on Wheels" is a renewable energy program targeting middle school students and is designed to increase knowledge and understanding of renewable energy technologies. The name is de-"watts" is provided by renewable energy sources (a wind turbine and solar panels) mounted on a 27-foot trailer - the "wheels".

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This week, on Thursday, the customer input during the Delibertive Poll held at WTU a few years ago. Participants asked that WTU do more in the area of educating their children on renewable energy in a hands-on way. WOW elicits student participation through the Kilowatt Challenge, a team-based educational gameshowstyle contest.

This team-centered, interactive rived from the fact that the power or reproduction involves a fast-paced game called Kilowatt Challenge, and features an exhibit of renewable energy resources systems that produce power for everyday appliances in a real-home setting. Students from each class are divided into four teams that compete for kilowatt points. The trailer, designated as Home Base for game purposes, is equipped with 12 solar photovoltaic panels that can produce 75 watts each at peak output plus a 300-watt wind generator.

Central and South West Corporation (CSW), parent company of WTU, Southwestern Electric Power Company (SWEPCO), and Central Power and Light (CPL) contracted and collaborated with National Theatre for Children (NTC) in Minneapolis, Minnesota, to develop the "Watts on Wheels" educational program. NTC also coordinates the Louie the Lightning Bug electrical safety programs for elementary schools throughout the WTU territory each year.



Card of Thanks

we wish to express our thanks to the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department and Randy Herring for their prompt and the experienced way they handled our brush and grass fire. Thanks for a job well done. Sam, Polly and Chris Perner



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WESTERN ARTIST JAMES R. BUTLER poses with some of the work he has on exhibit March 20-24 in the lobby of Crockett National Bank. The Eagle Pass resident works in transparent watercolor, oil, pencil and mixed media. DigiCam photo by Susan Calloway

News Reel

News items taken from the files of

APRIL 1, 1971

News Reel

Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association District Two will meet in Ozona at the Crockett County Coliseum on Thursday, April 15. Frank Junell, president of Central National Bank in San Angelo, will be the keynote speaker.

News Reel

Graveside services for Mrs. Willis M. Barbee, 79, of San Angelo, were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

News Reel

Funeral services for Irma M. Landin, 19, were held Saturday afternoon at 4 p.m. from Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial in Lima Cemetery.

News Reel

Ozonans will have an opportunity to welcome and visit with their new physician, Dr. Louis J. Cole, and his family during a reception in their honor Sunday, April 4, at the Civic Center between the hours of 3 and 5

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Around 200 area club women registered for the Heart of Texas District Convention held in Ozona during the weekend.

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Ozona golfers, led by David and Mike Williams, won their own district tournament here Friday and were tied with Big Lake going into the district tournament in Big Spring Wednesday.

News Reel

Mrs. Jim Rink and daughter, Cindy, of Lubbock were visitors in the Mike Miller home last week. Mrs. Rink is Mrs. Millers' sister-in-law.

News Reel

Mrs. Ben Robertson returned to her ranch home here Saturday night after undergoing some tests in a San Angelo hospital last week.

News Reel

Mrs. Jake Short returned to her home here last week from a San Antonio hospital where she spent several weeks recovering from surgery.

News Reel

Mrs. Hillery Phillips was taken to a San Angelo hospital Tuesday morning after becoming ill at her home

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News Reel

The First Baptist Church of Ozona will observe its 50th anniversary Sunday with special services.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crisman are parents of a daughter born Saturday in a San Angelo hospital. The baby has been named Marjorie Jo.

News Reel

Mrs. W. E. West, only living charter member of the Baptist Church here, will be honored by the membership on the fiftieth anniversary of the church Sunday.

Ray Boyd suffered a severe eye injury Thursday when a limb of a tree hit him in the eye while he was operating a tractor on the Early Chandler Ranch.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holcomb are the parents of twins, a boy and a girl, born Monday night on the Bill Bissett Ranch.

News Reel

Ed Bean, who suffered a severe heart attack recently, has returned to his ranch home here after being under treatment in a San Angelo hospital for weeks

National AG Week: Texas takes stock in a real growth industry

By Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs

Like all things Texan, agriculture

To get a sense of its size in truly Texan terms, visualize 8 million pairs of boots, 1.3 billion pairs of jeans and 9 billion peanut butter sandwiches. Think of the massive pride Texans their state — we're talking huge.

That's why this week is National

Texas is the nation's leading producer of cotton and cattle. Agriculture is the second largest industry here, employing one out of every five working Texans. And that's not just farmers and ranchers. Agriculture offers careers in biochemistry, communications, computers, engineering, prohave for their homes, their families, cessing, research, banking, animal health and livestock pharmaceuticals, to name just a few.

Ag Week, and people across the na- about agriculture helps them see that tion are taking note of the impact ag- ordinary things like bread, toothpaste riculture has on their everyday lives and peanuts are, well, not so ordinary.

has in feeding and clothing the world. a profound sense of where things come from and how the global cycle of growth, consumption and conservation is forever necessary. And that is what agriculture is all about.

Each year Texas produces enough leather to export 8 million pairs of boots, enough cotton to make 1.3 billion pairs of jeans and enough peanuts to make 9 billion peanut butter sandwiches. Corn is used to make household items like laundry detergent and Teaching children and adults bath soap, and it's even used in fireworks. Animal fats and proteins are found in everyday items like toothpaste and crayons. This newspaper is a product of forestry, antifreeze is a pork byproduct and oyster shells from

> Clearly agriculture isn't just about harvesting corn or herding cattle. Agriculture has a hand in turning wheat into loaves of bread, chipping potatoes and even for popping corn. Beyond growing and processing,

— and the important role agriculture That's because education gives people farmers and ranchers are delving into technological innovations like precision farming, drip irrigation, optical scanners and robotic harvesters.

> Of course, all of this happens while population levels continue to skyrocket and land and water become more precious. The agriculture industry is looking for ways to seamlessly continue putting food on the tables of the world. That is the vision of Texas producers, whose hearts and livelihoods are entrenched in this largerthan-life industry.

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Month, and one way women might 'age 22). celebrate is to review their Social Sederstand their benefits under the Social Security: What Every Woman of their deceased spouse. Should Know.

worker, wife, mother, widow - all the ally increased to age 67 by 2022. roles you may be required to play. The ample:

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Women should realize that their same benefits are payable to men, but financial future is in their hands and they are less likely to qualify for them this booklet supplies information that because of their earnings and the like- will help them make the right decilihood of having a higher benefit on sions. For a copy, they may call Sotheir own earnings records. For ex- cial Security's toll-free number, 1-800-772-1213, or visit our website,

Belia (Betty) Flores Vasquez of

Detroit, MI, was in Ozona last week to attend the wedding of Claudia and Mark Anthony Ramirez and to visit family members Yolanda Borrego, Eva Ramirez, Jose and Isaias Flores and their families.

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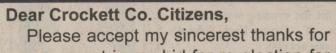
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Ozona Chamber of Commerce banquet honors citizens



Unsung Hero - Harvey Hill presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



Teacher of the Year - Rick Bachman presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



Legacy of Spirit - Jane Black presented by chamber executive director Shelly Childress



Organization of the Year - Knights of Columbus - Frank Tambunga presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



Outstanding Young Citizen of the Year - Tripp Farris presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whiteside



Outstanding Young Citizen of the Year - Kayla Shurley presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



Member of the Year - Double T Ranch - Art Roane presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



Special Recognition - Rev. Bill Fuller presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



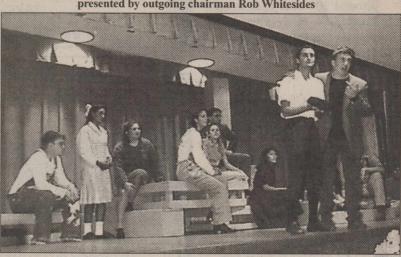
Special Recognition - Ted Spence presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



Special Recognition - Deputy Lyndon English presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



Special Recognition - Deputy Tyler Roy presented by outgoing chairman Rob Whitesides



Entertainment - OHS One Act Play Ozona Stockman DigiCam photos by Scotty Moore

"There's No Place Like Home" port. was the theme for the 36th Annual Ozona Chamber of Commerce are over are: Shannon Hunnicutt, Joe Awards Banquet held March 20 in the Ozona Civic Center.

Outgoing chairman Rob and officers and giving the annual re-Shaffer.

Those whose terms as directors Tobar, Tola Gonzalez, Jimmy McCollum and Corba Jones.

New directors for the organiza-Whitesides welcomed the large crowd tion are: Lynn Perner, Frank before introducing outgoing directors Tambunga, Robert Flores and Kay

Holdover directors continuing awards ceremony tollowing a meal their service on the board are: Kay catered by R & L Bar-B-Q. Entertain-Stewart, Laurie Hale, Rob Whitesides, ment for the evening was a perfor-Marvin Clark and J. R. Bhakta.

Officers for the year are: Kay U.I.L. one act play. Stewart, chairman; Laurie Hale, vice-Shelly Childress, executive director. Directors participated in the

chairman; Rob Whitesides, past chair- chamber Ambassadors. Table decoman; Kay Shaffer, treasurer; and rations were created by members of

Assisting at the banquet were the Ozona Garden Club.

mance of Ozona High School's

4-H Millennium "Buddy Bear" has arrived!



The Buddy Bear is a beany bear that sits about 8 inches tall. He is decorated with the 4-H Clover on his heart, Texas flag on his arm, and "2000" on his paw. These bears are now available at the Extension Office for \$15. Five dollars from the sale of each bear goes to the local 4-H program. Quantities are limited, so buy yours

OAP performance Tuesday, March 28

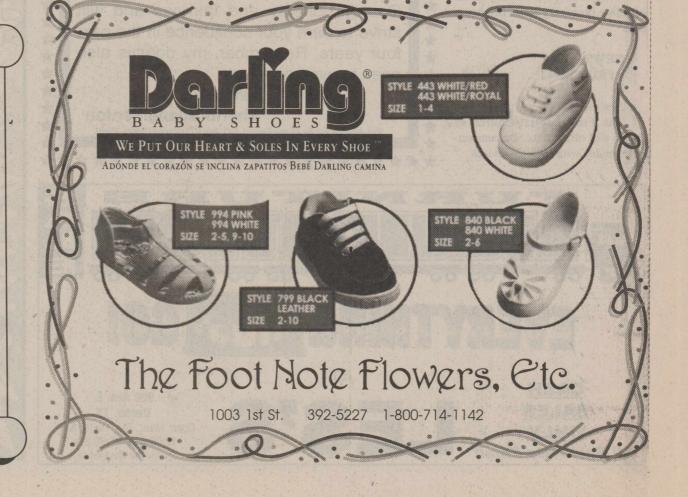
Ozona High School's one act play will be presented Tuesday, March 28, in the high school auditorium. The performance will begin at 7:30 p.m. This year's production is "The Voice of the Prairie" by John Olive produced by permission from Samuel French.

Cast members are: Ty Mitchell, Ty Porter, Tripp Farris, J. A. Stokes, Kayla Shurley, Amanda Carson, Brittany Ellis, Mario Barrera, Thomas Mossman, Scarlett Taylor, Erica Birkenfeld, Lana Sanchez and Paige Tambunga. Alternate is Laken Villarreal with Terri Duncan as stage manager, Koby Fenton in charge of lights and Michelle Camarillo in charge of sound. Directors are Ty Payne and David Porter.

We want your news at The Ozona Stockman Call 392-2551

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce 36th Annual Awards Banquet on March 20, 2000, was very successful. We would like to thank everyone for all of their help, and the Ozona High School One Act Play for a very entertaining evening. We would most like to thank our outgoing Chairman, Rob Whitesides, for his four years of dedicated service to the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Whitesides has implemented new programs and kept old ones going strong. His interest in the commerce of Ozona has helped make this organization grow stronger. Thank you for your efforts and dedication.

The Board of Directors and Executive Director, Shelly Childress



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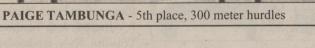
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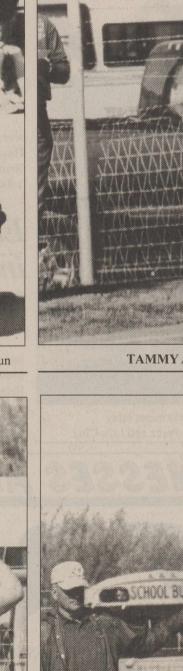
CODI RICHARDSON & JESSICA HERRING - 4th place, 400 m. relay along with teammates Jordan Webster and Colbey Crawford

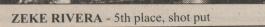


KEN SESSOM - 2nd place, 100 meter dash



LAKEN VILLARREAL - 3rd place - 1600 m. run; 5th - 3200 m. run



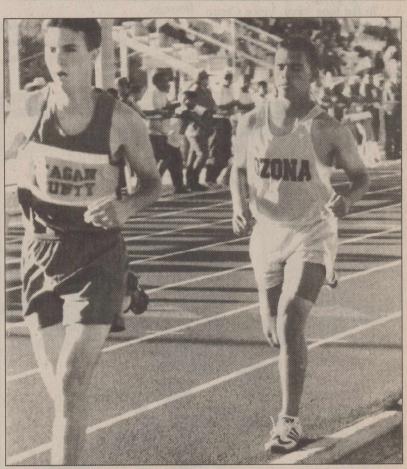




LANCE UNGER - 3rd place, shotput



JORDAN WEBSTER - 6th place, 100 meter dash



JOSH TAMBUNGA - 4th place - 1600 m. run; 5th place - 800 m. run



TAMMY ALVAREZ - 3rd place, shot put



WESLEY BISHOP - 6th place, shot put

Seventh Grade Cubs place first in Plateau Relays

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Ozona Middle School's Seventh their track and field expertise March 10 at Eldorado's Plateau Relays.

placed first with a throw of 36' 5". Toby also earned first place in the discus with a throw of 113' 9" and first place in the 200m dash with a time of place in the 800m run with a time of 27.19. He was second in the 100m 2:40.69. dash with a time of 12.25.

Michael Garza threw the shot a 61.02 for fourth place. distance of 32' 2" for sixth place.

Doug Duncan grabbed first place placed first with 18.14. in the 300m hurdles with a time of in the high jump with a leap of 5' 2".

In the long jump, Vince Castro Borrego. took first place with 16' 11", J. D. Borrego came in second with 16'7", a 4:25.91 to place third. Team memand Raven Perez was fourth with a jump of 15' 2".

Castro also took first place in the triple jump with a distance of 31'11". Perez placed second with 31' 10".

Adding another first place for Grade Cubs captured first place with Ozona was Eliseo Treto who ran the 2400m in 8:40. Teammate Jeffery Gillit was fourth in this event with In the shot put, Toby Pagan 10:02. Treto also ran to a first place in the 1600m with a time of 5:46, and Gillit was fifth in the event with 6:26.

Ruben Talamantez took second

Borrego ran the 400m dash in

In the 110m hurdles, Vince Castro

The Cubs' 400m relay team 51.49 and was third in the 110m placed first with a time of 49.87. These hurdles with a 20.14. He placed fourth team members were: Raven Perez. Toby Pagan, Vince Castro and J. D.

The Cubs' 1600m relay team ran bers are: J. D. Borrego, Doug Duncan, Eliseo Treto and Vince Castro.



JARED SHAFFER - 1st place, JV long jump

Ozonans named to All West **Texas Basketball Team**

By Michelle Holtz

STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

ter includes three Ozona students.

Diana "Duck" Ellison, daughter Class 2A girls' team. of Betty Valencia, made the 2000 Supost who averaged 15.7 points and 6.9 bounds.

Kelli Anne "Monkey" Goble, daughter of Kelly and Susan Goble, The San Angelo Standard-Times is a 5'5" senior point guard who aver-2000 West Texas Basketball Team rosaged 14.4 points and 4.1 assists. She made the 2000 Super Team and the

Dustin Faught, son of Dickie and per Team. Duck was named most valu- Terri Faught, made the Class 2A able player and co-MVP in the Class boys' team. Faught is a 63" junior who 2A girls' team. Duck is a 5'7" senior averaged 12.4 points and 9.8 re-



By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Ozona Middle School's Seventh Grade Cubettes scored 113 points to tie for first place with Iraan March 10 in Eldorado's Plateau Relays. Sonora was third with 107 points, Wall fourth with 105, Reagan County fifth with 75, Grape Creek sixth with 46 points followed by seventh place Eldorado

Advancing to the finals for Ozona were: Taylor Oglesby, Tara Ellis, Heather Ybarra, Casey Cervantez, Britney Ramos and the 800m and

1600m relay teams. Taylor won first in three events: time of 5:04.69.

the high jump with 46", 100m hurdles 18.87 and the 300m hurdles with a

Winning first in two events was Britney Ramos She took the 800m run with a time of 2:44.34 and the 1600m run in 6:44.03

Tara Ellis was third in the high jump with a leap of 4'4". Casey Cervantez placed third in the 100m dash, finishing in 14.43. Heather Ybarra was second in the triple jump with 24'11 1/2".

The 800m relay team ran a 2:01.35 for second place and the 1600m relay team was third with a

Eighth Grade Cubettes compete in Eldorado Plateau Relays

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The eighth grade Cubettes' track and field team traveled to Eldorado March 10 to compete in the Plateau meet were: 1st Iraan 165 points, 2nd

Sonora 76.5, 5th Grape Creek 67 and 7th Eldorado 49 points.

Advancing to the finals for Ozona were Ruth Cervantez, Brandi Buchanan and the 400m relay team.

Ruth achieved second place in the Relays. The Ozona team placed sixth high jump with 4'6". Brandi was secwith 51 points. Other teams in the ond in the 400m dash with a time of 1:12.20. The 400m relay team fin-



NAT HERNANDEZ - JV shotput

KYLE RICHARDSON - 1st place,

JV pole vault; 3rd place, 100 meter



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OHS thinclads compete in Odessa

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Dustin Faught placed second in the high jump with 6' at the West Texas Relays held March 10-11 in

Ozona's 1600m relay team of Ross Crawford, Martin Sanchez, Gabe Tijerina and Ken Sessom came in fourth at the meet.

Crawford also ran in the 300m hurdles finals but was unable to finish the race due to a fall.

Also competing for Ozona in the finals was Zeke Rivera who threw to a fifth place in the shot put.

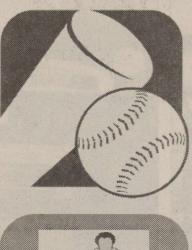
Other Lions entered in the meet were: Luis Cruz, Nat Hernandez, Ray Ramon, Gus Perez, Wesley Bishop, I. J. Villarreal, Josh Tambunga, Ramon Trujillo, Kyle Richardson, Jimmy Lopez, Jared Shaffer, Brandon Marmolejo, Lalo Garza and Ricky

LALO GARZA - 2nd place, JV 1600 meter relay

JARED SHAFER - 1st place, JV 200 meter dash

dash; 4th place, 200 meter dash along with teammates Jarred Shaffer, Gus Perez and Luis Cruz Reagan County 98, 3rd Wall 82.5, 4th ished in 56.897 for third place THESE BUSINESSES AND INDIVIDUALS SUPPORT YOU

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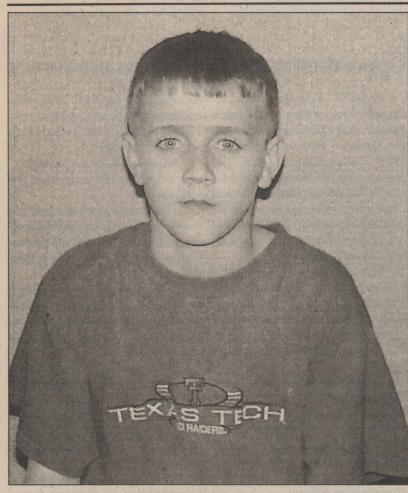
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DEREK WILEY advanced from the Knights of Columbus regional free-throw contest to win fourth at state. He represented Ozona in the boys' 12-year-old DigiCam photo by Linda Moore

Beauty pageants scheduled in Uvalde

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ing the first official local preliminary urged to register as soon as possible pageant to the prestigious Miss Texas to ensure eligibility. There will be USA and Miss Texas Teen USA Pag- three phases of competition: personal eants. The Miss Southwest Texas USA interview, swimsuit and evening and the Miss Southwest Texas Teen gown. Special awards will also be A \$1,000.00 college scholarship

will be awarded to the winners as well as entry in the Miss Texas USA and Miss Texas Teen USA. For registration information, call the current Miss Southwest Texas USA, Victoria

Entry deadline is April 30.

4-H range judging/plant ID begins

4-H range judging and plant identifipate, come by the Extension Office cation will be held on Wednesday, and pick up a 4-H enrollment form. March 22, at 5:00 p.m. at the Crockett All youth between the ages of 9 (or 8 County Extension Office, located at and enrolled in third grade) and 19 are 1301 Ave. AA. All 4-H members who eligible to participate in 4-H. Extenare interested in participating this year sion programs serve people of all ages Stephen Zuberbueler will serve as race, color, sex, religion, disability or judging coach again this year.

If you are not currently a

The first meeting of the season for ber of 4-H, but would like to particiare asked to attend this meeting. regardless of socioeconomic level, national origin.



ADRIENNE BENDELE holds the rosette she won for Best of Show in the clothing category at the San Angelo Stock Show Creative Arts Competition. This award and a first place were received for her denim shorts set. She also received a first for the shorts entered in sportswear and a third for her cooking apron.

OIS students earn honors

Ozona Intermediate School participated in the U.I.L. Literary Meet on two separate days.

"Each day we were very proud of Puja Bhakta 8) our students' performance and their behavior," said Elizabeth Clark, coordinator for the Ozona contestants. "They all represented Ozona very

Ozona results are as follows: 4th Grade Art - 6

5th Grade Art - 5 5th Grade Dictionary Skills - 3

(Barrett Richie 7, Ashley Unger 10, Bhakta 5 Lauren Pool 12)

Wiley and Jordan Long 3 tie, Barrett Heather Thompson 18) Richie 10)

Jarrod Simmons 13) 3rd Grade Music Memory - 1 4th Grade Music Memory - 1

5th Grade Music Memory - 1 4th Grade Number Sense - 2 (Park Preddy 3, Heidi Cervantes 6,

5th Grade Number Sense - 3 (Levi English 6, Megan McDaniel 11, Justine Fielding 12)

4th Grade Oral Reading - Julia Henderson 1, Kyann Kothman 5

3rd Grade Ready Writing -Whitney Wilson 3, Chelsea Spence 4, Ethan English 5

4th Grade Ready Writing - Puja

3rd Grade Spelling - 3 (Chelsea 5th Grade Listening - 2 (Kaleigh Spence 3, Whitney Wilson 10,

4th Grade Spelling - 5 (Park 5th Grade Maps, Graphs, Charts Preddy 4, Morgan Capps 12, Brooke - 2 (Levi English 4, Barrett Richie 6, Kelly 15)

5th Grade Spelling - 6 (Matthew Bullard 7, Tashina Lewis 13, Frankie Skinner 15)

Summer freshman classes to be taught at Junction Tech campus

Educational opportunities are improving for the region with the addition of Freshman Core Classes to the Junction campus of Texas Tech University. This summer for the first time, freshman English, college algebra, political science, and Texas History are being taught at the TTU campus in Junction. Instructors are faculty from the Lubbock campus. Each course is a 3-hour credit class and is taught in three weeks time. Students will attend classes for three hours a day Monday through Friday. College algebra and English are taught the first summer semester, June 5 through 23, and are taught mornings. Political Science and Texas History are taught July 10-28, the second summer semester. The scheduling is still not firm, but it is assumed that the second semester classes would be taught either in the afternoon or evening, depending on the most demand. Due to the condensed format, students will be able to take only one class per semester.

It is hoped that these classes will serve a variety of students. Graduating seniors, students from other colleges who are in the area for the summer only, high school students who have completed their sophomore or junior year and others who want to start a college career or continue with

ground. Texas Tech director of admissions is currently working on a "special visiting student" status for persons still in high school. High school seniors will be admitted to a program only and would not have to meet as high a standard as if they were apply to Texas Tech University. High school students will have to pass the TASP test and have taken either the SAT or ACT. Students from other colleges would most likely have to prove they were in good standing at their present college, but not have to present transcripts or test scores. Other potential students with some or no college background may have to undergo some testing, depending on their educational experiences.

The course costs are approximately \$300 for tuition and fees. Books will be extra and will be available for purchase at the Junction campus. Final word on admissions requirements is still pending, but this information should be available soon. Any high school student who hasn't taken the TASP test can do so on April 15 at the Texas Tech University at Junction. Sign up deadline is March 31. Please call for details. Anyone interested should contact Martha Richardson, Associate Director of Activities at the Texas Tech Univera degree are all encouraged to apply. sity at Junction campus. The phone



Crockett County participated in the wool and mohair judging contests held this past week during the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo.

The team of Dustin Shaffer, Trey Hale, Allison Skehan and Katie Parker

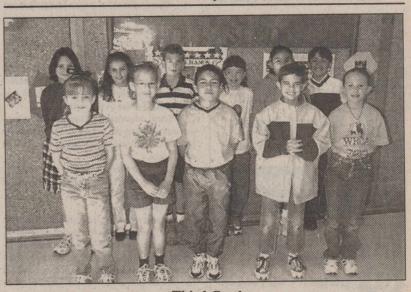
Eight 4-H members from placed third overall in the contest, with Dustin Shaffer winning honors as tenth high individual. The team of Aaron Renfroe, Taylor Oglesby, Bryan Skehan and Andy Birkenfeld placed fifth overall.



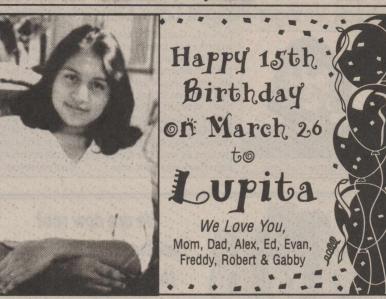
Fifth Grade U.I.L. Literary Winners



Fourth Grade U.I.L. Literary Winners

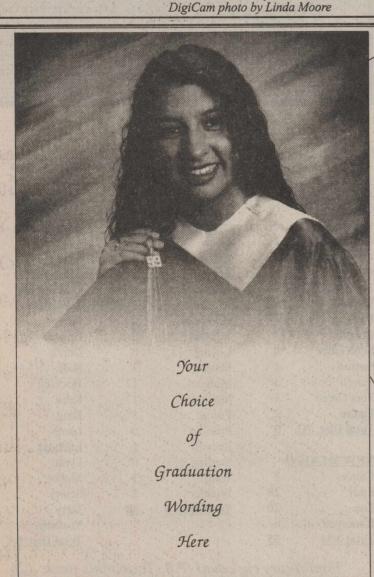


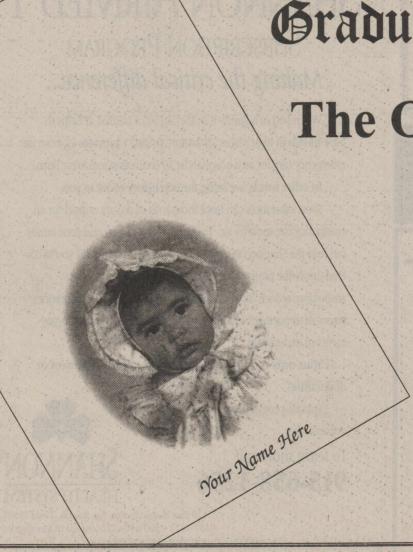
Third Grade U.I.L. Literary Winners



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Crockett County Sheriff's Report

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store who needed a mechanic.

Deputy assisted with subject at a local

Report of a possible drunk driver on High-

Report of beer being taken from local li-

Citizen reported a door opened at her resi-

Female subject requested a Deputy to pa-

Report of loud music on Nashua Street.

Report of persons requesting gas welfare

Report of loud music at Apartments on

Female inmate complaining of stomach

Report of tire being slashed at Heraclio

Report of gas drive off. Deputy was un-

Report of gas drive off at local conve-

Report of family disturbance at 100 Block

Report of a possible drunk driver on I-10.

Female inmate complaining of stomach pains. Medication didn't help. Deputy took her

Gas drive off at local convenience store.

Female needing a courtesy transfer from

Female reported that three other females

A traveling family requested welfare lodg-

male subject came back wanted out of San An-

tonio. Male subject was arrested, and the oth-

ers were escorted to local motel for the night.

Deputy reported subject dialed wrong number.

students who didn't attend school that day.

School. Deputies found two faculty members

who were inside the building. Deputies reported

ate School. Deputy reported everything was all

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03/14/2000 through 03/20/2000

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damage. This is an ongoing investigation.

Deputy met with local citizen in reference

Deputies tried to locate, but were not success-

Deputy responded to a 911 hang up call.

Crockett County Schools reported two

Report of an alarm at Ozona Primary

Report of an alarm at Ozona Intermedi-

Deputy located subjects involved. They were

escorted back to convenience store to pay.

Avenue J to local business

3/20/2000

of Avenue H. Deputy reported situation settled.

notified, and they made a traffic stop on the

back to clinic for additional treatment.

way 137/163, Deputy located and identified

quor store. Deputy located local citizen and

dence which shouldn't of been. Deputy went

to residence to check everything out, and re-

trol by her place of employment while closing

up because of suspicious person outside of store.

Deputy maintained watch of building until it

at local convenience store. Deputy assisted sub-

Hwy 163. Deputy had subjects turn music

problems. Deputy took her to the local clinic

and back to the jail after receiving treatment.

Street. Deputy met with complainant and filed

able to locate vehicle involved.

Deputy had subjects turn music down.

subject. Reported subject was not drunk.

escorted subject back to pay for beer.

ported everything was all right.

3/19/2000

03/14/2000 through 03/20/2000

03/14/2000

Deputy assisted a stranded motorist that was out of gas on I-10 six miles west.

Report of an alarm at the high school gym. Deputy reported that it was a janitor going to

Deputy met with a complainant at a local store and took a report.

Report of some vehicles stirring dust and driving recklessly on the 100 Block of Bold Ruler Drive. Deputy was unable to locate the vehicles involved.

Report of someone in the back of a local store. Deputy searched the area, and reported no one in the area.

Report of a suspicious person at a local store on Del Rio Street. Deputy reported that the subject was only looking for directions to

Report of a gas drive off from a local store on Avenue E. Deputy was unable to locate the vehicle involved.

Report of a gas drive off from a local store on Avenue E. Deputy was unable to locate the vehicle involved

03/15/2000 Report of a person arguing on the pay phone at a local store on Avenue E. Deputy located the subject who had been arguing with

his wife on the phone Report of two subjects, possibly intoxicated, parked in front of a residence on the 300 Block of Hillcrest Drive. Deputy located and arrested the two subjects on a charage of public intoxication

Report of a cow on the road two miles north on Highway 163. Deputy was dispatched

to the area, and the owner was notified. Report of a hit and run accident on the 100 Block of Avenue L. Deputy located the

vehicle involved and took a report. 03/16/2000

Local store clerk advised of a male sub-

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ject who came into the store demanding money from all clerks. Deputy reported everything was

Deputy met with subject on Perez Street in reference to stolen keys. Keys have not yet been recovered, and search is still ongoing.

Resident on the 500 Block of Avenue E. reported a vehicle parked in front of their home. Deputy located vehicle, and reported the owners ran out of gas and left their car parked. The car was later moved.

911 call from 100 Block of Swapps St. was received. Deputy reported everything was all right. Child just playing with telephone.

Deputies responded to a domestic dispute at Crockett Heights. Deputies spoke to the subjects involved and settled the problem.

Caller from 300 Block on Rugged Road was concerned about their mother and requested Deputy check on her. Deputy reported everything was all right. She was just busy and could not answer telephone

3/17/2000 Deputy responded to a 911 hang- up call from local supermarket. Upon arrival, Deputy reported that no one was in the area

Gas drive off at local convenience store. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle involved. An employee accidentally set off alarm at local school building. Deputy responded to

check everything out. Report of produced water being dumped into fresh water system. Subject with this allegation arrived at the Sheriff's Office to make

Deputy made an arrest after a routine traffic stop. Subject was wanted in another county. He was taken to county jail.

911 Report of an individual out at local truck stop having kidney problems. Deputy and EMS responded, and subject was then transported to local clinic

Report of a subject on 200 Block of Av-Deputy searched for vehicle. Sutton County was enue E, who was exposing themselves to the public. Deputy was unable to locate subject. Alarm went off at Ozona Middle School.

Deputy reported it was only a faculty member, and everything checked out all right Deputy provided courtesy transfer to local motel from Highway 163.

Report of a vehicle driving at a high rate of speed on I-10. Deputy stopped a vehicle matching description, and reported that it was only going 5 miles over speed limit.

Local convenience store reported a subkept passing by her residence and velling things ject under age trying to buy alcohol. Deputies out at her. Deputy tried to locate vehicle and identified local citizen, and escorted subject out subjects involved, but was unable. ing. During a routine check on driver's liscence,

Report of a female subject requesting assistance with her vehicle. Deputy took care of

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Report of a vehicle driving at a high rate of speed. Deputy responded and located vehicle. Deputy met with complainant who re-

ported their son was still being harassed by same classmates as before. Deputy recommended that the parents also notify school board of prob-

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ARREST REPORT 03/14/2000 through 03/20/2000

3/15/2000

Villarreal, Johnny Borrel, age 32, of Ozona was arrested by Sheriff's Department on the charge of public intoxication. Subject was released after pleading guilty and paying fine.

Valdez, Bryan Anthony, age 22, of Ozona was arrested by the Sheriff's Department on the charge of public intoxication. Subject was released after pleading guilty and paying a fine.

Quiroz, Marcos Solis, age 26, of Ozona was arrested by the Sheriff's Department on an assault family violence charge. He was released after pleading guilty and paying a fine.

3/17/2000

Palacio, Lourdes Villarreal, age 35, of Ozona was brought back from Gatesville Correctional Facility on a bench warrant for Crockett County. Subject remains in custody pending court hearing.

Hately, Dusty Shawn, age 25, of Kingsland, Texas was arrested by Sheriff's Department on a theft by nience store. Deputy tried to locate vehicle, but check warrant. Subject was released after posting bond.

3/19/2000

Palomares, Juan Martin, age 37, Seguin was arrest by Sheriff's Department on a warrant charge. Subject as released after time served.

Opportunities for natural gas producers

the National Petroleum Council ing 31 TCF by 2015. (NPC) Committee on Natural Gas, report to the Senate Natural Resources generation. Committee. Garza says he sees an ining demand for natural gas.

The NPC report, "Meeting the difficult. Challenges of the Nation's Growing TCF annual demand for natural gas supply and demand.

demand for many more decades, Garza said. reaching and producing this gas is growing more difficult.

"Texas would be well served in positioning itself as a leader in natural gas production. We should actively look for ways to encourage research, development and production of this increasingly important commodity,"

Highlights from the national Petroleum Council's report include:

*Demand will increase by 32%

AUSTIN - Texas Railroad Com- between 1998 and 2010. The study missioner Tony Garza and Rebecca estimates an increase in demand from Roberts, chair of the Subcommittee of 22 TCF by 2010 and to levels exceed-

*Almost 50% of the seven TCF presented the NPC's recent natural gas increase will come from electricity

*While there's adequate supply to creasing opportunity for Texas pro- meet the increasing demand, the study ducers to help meet the nation's grow- emphasizes that reaching and producing the resource will become more CE

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*The NPC calls for increasing Natural Gas Demand," recommends research and technology development the development of a national strat- while also assessing the impact of enegy in order to meet an anticipated 29 vironmental regulation on natural gas

"With over 57,000 producing gas "The NPC's efforts appear to give wells, Texas is the largest producer of the best commentary on the future of natural gas in the U.S. The increasing the natural gas market," Garza said. demands on these wells means we "While our nation's natural gas re- should look at programs and incensources are clearly adequate to meet tives that encourage production,"

Garza is Texas' 41st Railroad Commissioner. He serves as second vice chairman of the Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission, a 37-state organization representing the governors of oil and gas producing states.

Prior to his election, Garza was a partner in the Austin office of Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P. He also served as Texas' 99th Secretary of State and was a Senior Advisor to Governor George W. Bush.

Compiled by Charles Lewis Communications, Lindale, Texas March 21, 2000

A new gas producer has been brought on line in Crockett County's Simpson-Mann Field, about 40 miles southwest of Ozona. Designated as the No. 5 M. K. Daniel, the well was drilled by Altura Energy Ltd.

It probed to a 6,003-ft. bottom and was plugged back to 5,922 feet. Production will be in the Canyon Sand and will range from 4,787 to 5,382 feet into the hole. Pumping oil at the rate of 14 barrels daily, the No. 5 Powell "56" has been com-

pleted in Crockett County's East World Location is about 16 miles northeast of Big Lake with E.O.G. Resources as the

The well produced with 140 PSI tub-

It was taken to total depth of 8,250 feet and will produce from perforations in

the Strawn Formation, 8,058 to 8,162 feet Rated at 2,326,000 CF gas per day on absolute open flow, a new producer has been brought on line in Crockett County's

Hunt-Baggett Field eleven miles southeast

The well is designated as the No. 7 Riggs "21". It was drilled by Rising Star When gauged on a 6/64 choke, the

well showed capacity to flow 143,000 CF gas per day.

Rising Star took the hole to total depth of 10,265 feet and plugged it back to 9,600. Production is in the Strawn Formation, 8,912 to 9,022 feet into the wellbore. The No. 2 McMullen "F1" has been

recompleted for extended production life in Crockett County's Davidson Ranch Field. Location is 11.3 miles southeast of Ozona. With Union Pacific Resources as the operator, the well was re-perforated for production ranging from 8,106 to 9,080 feet

Production intervals showed ability to flow 179,000 CF gas per day. The open flow rating was calculated to be 183,000 CFD.

Weekly Drilling and Rep. Turner participates in Completion Report statewide rural health summit

Access to healthcare providers, broad range of interests, including possible resolutions.

ing folks living in his district, includ- Legislators." ing the impact that redistricting may

man Turner shared additional con- ing policy on issues affecting rural cerns also expressed by other Repre- areas. sentatives and Texans representing a

recruitment and retention of state agencies, public health officials, healthcare providers, and provider re-rural health care providers, and conimbursement issues topped the list of sumer advocates. Robert. J. "Sam" rural health concerns discussed at the Tessen, executive director of the Censecond annual statewide Rural Health ter for Rural Health Initiatives, sponcare decision and policy makers, pro- sor of the event, noted that the issues viders and citizens who gathered to- discussed at the Summit are broad in gether at the Summit to identify rural scope and will impact all Texans, not Texas health care issues and discuss just rural Texas communities. "It's important that all Texans realize that In a panel discussion, Chairman smaller communities usually struggle Turner expressed his deep concern to maintain the resources or facilities about the barriers to accessing health to provide the care any Texan may care that his constituents face every need in times of emergencies or illday, committing his support in resolv-ness," he said. "For this reason, Texing the issues brought forth during the ans are encouraged to get involved in Summit. He noted a number of the supporting health care in their comhealth care issues and concerns fac-munities, and communicate with their

The Rural Caucus of the Texas have on rural Texas. "The redistrict- State Legislature focuses on the rural ing process will affect policy deci- perspective in Texas, facilitating the sions, regulatory rule making, and re-identification of legislation impacting imbursement rates, which are all de-rural areas. Chaired by Representative termined by state legislation," he cau- Judy Hawley (D-Portland) and cotioned. "Redistricting could signifi- vice chaired by Representatives cantly impact how the rural perspec- Suzanna Hupp (R-Lampasas) and tive is represented and understood in Robby Cook (D-Eagle Lake), the 70member Caucus provides a nonparti-Throughout the Summit, Chair- san forum for assessing and formulat-

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

Weekly Rig Count

March 17, 2000

Compiled by Hughes Christensen and Tracer Supply Inc.-San Angelo, Texas

DIST. #7C		DIST. #8		DIST. #8 A
·Coke	0	Andrews	5	Bailey
Concho	0	Brewster	0	Borden
Crockett	1	Crane	2	Cochran
Irion	0	Culberson	0	Cottle
Kimble	0	Ector	5	Crosby
McCullough	1	Glasscock	3	Dawson
Menard	0	Howard	2	Dickens
Reagan	0	Hudspeth	0	Floyd
Runels	0	Jeff Davis	0	Gaines
Schleicher	0	Loving	0	Garza
Sutton	1	Martin	3	Hale
Terrell	3	Midland	12	Hockley
Tom Green	1	Mitchell	1	Kent
Upton	2	Pecos	5	King
Total Dist. 7C	9	Presidio	0	Lamb
		Reeves	5	Lubbock
NEW MEXICO		Sterling	0	Lynn
Chaves	1	Ward	3	Motley
Eddy	28	Winkler	2	Scurry
Lea	26	Total Dist. 8	48	Terry
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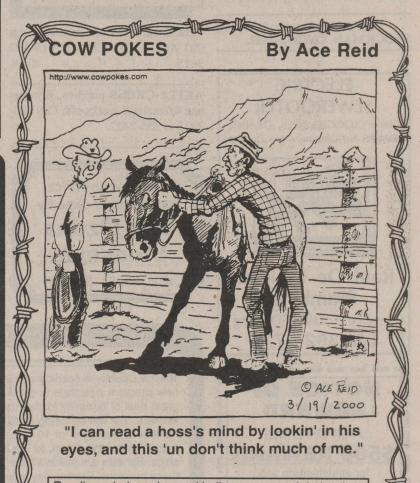
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The suit requests to terminate the parent-child relationship between Respondent and the child the subject of this suit and allow the child to be adopted by Petitioners, SONJA L. HOOVER, and husband, H. O. HOOVER, JR. The date and place of birth of the child who is the subject of this suit is May THE DOG PATCH Grooming Shop 22, 1996 in Kansas City, Wyandotte 901 Ave. J. Call Carol at 915-392 County, Kansas. tfc18

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Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Ozona, Texas, this 20 day of March, 2000.

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