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OZONA, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS 76943 USPS 4168-2000 WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2000 VOLUME 87 NUMBER 37

Town meeting called by County Water District #1

Directors of Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District #1 will meet with the public Oct. 24 to discuss and answer questions about work to be done on the water system and the upcoming bond election. The town meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. in the district courtroom.

The board voted last month to call a \$3,000,000.00 bond election to finance improvements needed to comply with the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission requirements. December 31, 2001, is the deadline given to the water district for completion of the project.

A number of improvements must be made in order to alleviate all major deficiencies with the TNRC and bring the total water system up to current standards. Wells must be repaired, refurbished or new wells drilled. Samples will be taken from the district's nine wells for extensive testing by a laboratory certified with the Texas Department of Health.

Pumps will be removed so that each well can be logged and a detailed inspection performed. An engineer and hydrologist will decide what completion action the district shall take. This could involve removing the casing, recasing and pressure cementing the well, or abandoning and plugging the well and drilling a new one nearby.

Water storage tanks must be cleaned and repainted inside and out with approved products. New storage tanks must be constructed at Crockett Heights for the Heights and the truck stop area, and a new storage tank will be placed on the west side of town to serve the area west of Avenue J. The

east and west hill tanks must have alarm systems installed to warn of water levels, low chlorine levels and power failures. Chlorinating and control facilities must be updated.

A water line will be laid from town to the Crockett Heights and truck stop area, and the World War II fire hydrants in Ozona will be replaced.

As a preliminary step in obtaining funding for the project, water district manager Dee Keilers, superintendent Doug Meador and directors Dan Davidson and Dennis Clark were in Austin Oct. 11 for a pre-application conference with the Texas Water Development Board. The TWDB is an agency set up by the state for the purpose of lending money for projects such as this. Funding is through bond sales.

Keilers said he is optimistic about funding through TWDB. (The district's sewer improvements were funded this way.)

The Ozona men were accompanied to the meeting by their financial advisors for the project, Duane Westerman and Floyd Westerman, bond attorney Jeff Kuhn of Fulbright and Jaworski, and engineers Scott Hibbs, P.E. and Scott Hay, P.E. of Hibbs & Todd Inc.

Representing the Texas Water Development Board were financial analyst Maxine Gilford, environmental reviewer Jerry Henderson and Debby Helstron, engineering reviewer. They were given the engineering report on the improvement project and the water district's drought contingency report.

A complete application for fund-

ing consists of (1) general, legal and fiscal information as specified by the TWDB Office of Project Finance and Construction Assistance, (2) an engineering feasibility report, (3) environmental assessment, (4) and a water conservation and emergency water demand management plan.

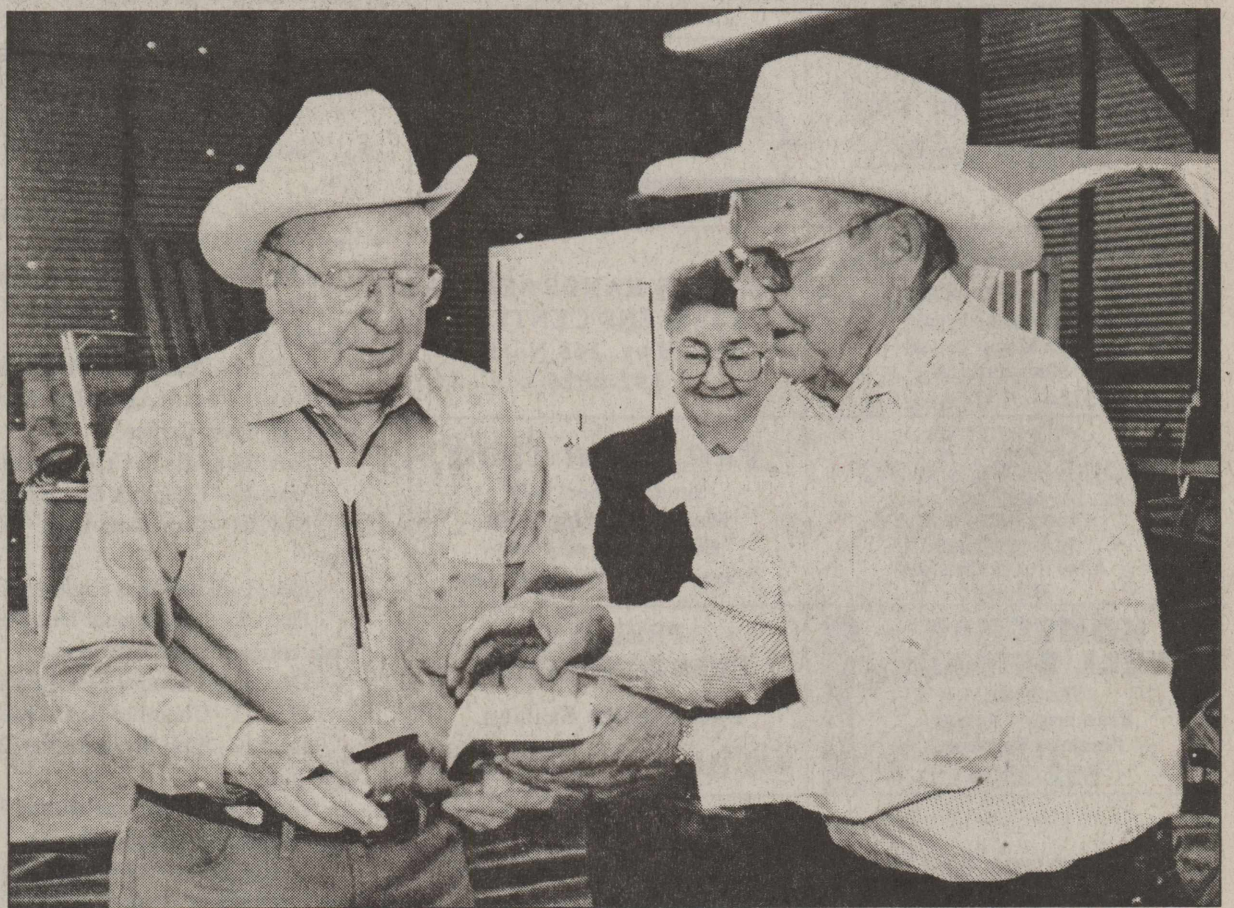
Ms. Henderson will come to Ozona at an as yet undetermined date to conduct the environmental assessment.

In the interim, the district must begin work in the Crockett Heights and truck stop area "to assure the quality and quantity of water under Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission guidelines which the district believes we can meet," said Keilers.

Immediate work, some of which started Monday, involves installing chlorination and level alarms and temporary fencing. As soon as possible, the district will begin refurbishing water wells to meet TNRC standards. "We can't wait until summer," Keilers said.

The district's bond election will be conducted at the same time as the Nov. 7 General Election. Those eligible to vote in the water district election will cast their early ballot in the courthouse annex. On election day, they will vote in the courthouse.

Although wording on the ballot includes "levy adequate taxes to pay the bonds", Keilers said "the district has no intention of doing taxes." This wording is required, according to Keilers. As part of the application for funding, the district must provide a "sufficiency of funds statement" which assures that funds for repaying the bonds are available through district revenues and taxes.



WELDON MANESS thanks Elmer Kelton for his autograph after Kelton's speech at the Pioneer Heritage Days supper Oct. 14. Waiting to talk with the author is Jonny Johnson. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

Kelton entertains Heritage Day crowd

"I think it's appropriate that this is held in a sheep barn," Elmer Kelton told his listeners Saturday evening at the annual Crockett County Pioneer Heritage Days festivities hosted by Crockett County Museum. The author and newspaperman spent many years in sheep barns as an agriculture reporter for the San Angelo Standard Times. This year, rain showers drove the heritage event inside the 4-H Barn.

Perhaps best known for his book, "The Time It Never Rained," Kelton assured that he has "said all I ever want to about the drought." The book was written at the end of a drought, "and this one hasn't ended yet, so I don't know how the story'd come out."

Kelton remembers well the difficulties of writing his Top of the Windmill column for the Standard Times during a seven-year drought. "If you don't think it's difficult every day for seven years to find a different way to say 'it's still dry'....., he told his audience.

An old timer from Concho County once advised Kelton, "Don't worry about it; it always rains here just five minutes before it goes to hell."

By the time he was eight or nine,

growing up in Crane and Upton counties, Kelton knew he wanted to be a writer. Although his father was not receptive to his collegebound son's career choice, both knew Elmer was not cut out to be a rancher like his father.

His job with the Standard Times was meant to be a short stop on his way to becoming a western fiction writer, Kelton said, but "It took me 42 years..."

"The Time It Never Rained" suffered two rejections, the second one after a rewrite, and Kelton put it away for 10 years. After his success with "The Day the Cowboys Quit", he pulled the old manuscript out and re-wrote it.

"I think that's the only book ("The Time It Never Rained") I ever wrote that the editor didn't change a word," he said. "I've tried for 30 years to do as good a job (again)."

Kelton spoke about his acquaintances with oldtimers throughout West Texas, recalling Ozonans Bill West Vic Pierce. Many of his ideas for books came from interviews with oldsters.

He ended his talk on a serious

note, cautioning against revisionist historians. "They try to tell you how terrible our ancestors were," said Kelton, "what all we did to people, mainly Indians. They give you a very lopsided, one-sided view of things."

Standards change, Kelton said, "it's not fair to judge our forebearers by the standards of today."

"Take 'em (the revisionists) with a grain of salt. They've got a political agenda. Take a balanced view of history. There was a dark side, but it wasn't all dark."

Kelton's guest appearance concluded the two day Pioneer Heritage celebration which included demonstrations Friday on making tamales and tortillas, butter and soap, washing on the rubboard and using a "sad iron". Storytelling at an Indian teepee and frontier school also brought more knowledge of their heritage to school children attending the special event.

Youngsters were given the opportunity for hands-on experience and also to view and pet goats, sheep and horses during Pioneer Heritage Days.

Alice Stultz gave a program on archeological digs on the Devil's River.

Lions devour Badgers in district play

By Michelle Holtz
 STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Ozona Lions devoured the McCamey Badgers 17-0 Oct. 13 in Badger Stadium in Ozona's first district game of the season.

In the first half, Ty Allen kicked off for the Lions. Ozona's defense shut

down the Badgers, forcing them to punt. McCamey also had a 5-yard penalty in that offensive series of play.

The Lions scored their first touchdown of the game two plays later as Ray Ramos drove the ball down the field for a 57-yard TD run.

Ty Allen's kick was successful for the Lions, and Ozona led the Badgers

7-0 with 9:31 remaining in the first quarter.

The Badgers had two first downs in their next offensive series of play, and Lion Dustin Faught blocked two Badger passes, forcing McCamey to punt.

Faught returned the punt to the 38-yard line. The Lions had three first downs and moved the ball to the 5-yard-line.

Ozona fumbled, and McCamey recovered on their own 5-yard-line for first and goal. Lions Ray Ramos and Abel Rodriguez then sacked the quarterback behind the line of scrimmage.

Next, Lalo Garza blocked a Badger pass, and the Badgers' next pass was incomplete for fourth and 13.

On Ozona's fourth and eleven, a pass from Arron Garza to Faught was incomplete, and the Badgers took possession. Two plays later, Faught intercepted a Badger pass.

The Lions fumbled on their fifth play, and McCamey recovered only to fumble two plays later. The Lions had three first downs and one penalty for five yards, but then fumbled again and the Badgers recovered.

Ray Ramos chased the Badger quarterback behind the line of scrimmage and sacked him. Faught's apparent interception of a Badger pass two plays later was called back, and the Lions received a 15-yard penalty on their next play.

Possession went to the Badgers who were forced to punt after getting two penalties for a total of 15 yards. Each team had one more possession before the buzzer sounded at halftime. Ozona continued to hold a 7-0 lead at the end of the first half.

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ABEL RODRIGUEZ leaves several McCamey Badgers in the turf as he moves the ball down the field during the Lions' 17-0 district win Oct. 13 in Badger Stadium. Photo by Michelle Holtz

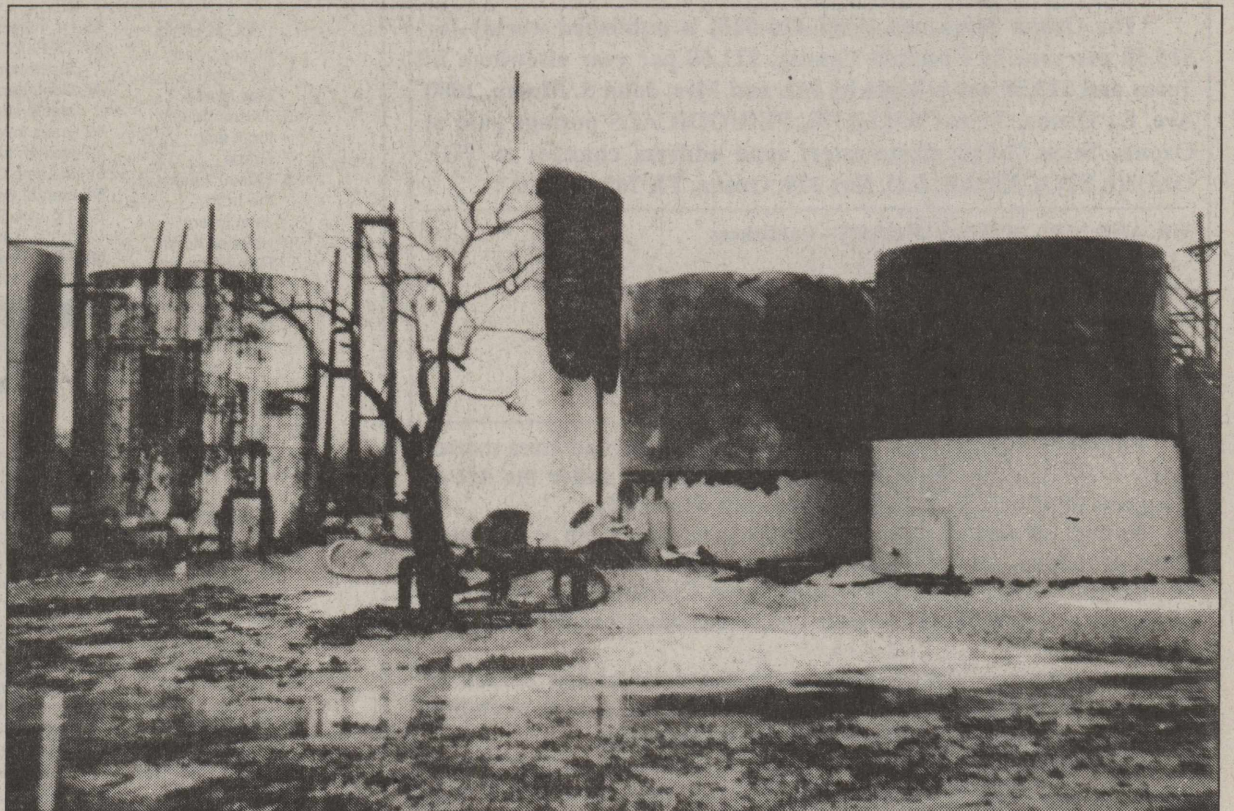
Lightning hits Setex tank battery

Firemen from Ozona and Big Lake responded to a tank battery fire Saturday on Road 204 in Crockett County.

When the four Ozona units arrived at the Setex lease, two 300 barrel oil tanks were fully involved and a separator next to the tanks was on fire.

Big Lake sent one truck as a backup. Lightning caused the fire, said Bob Falkner, fire chief.

The Ozona fire department logged 23.17 man hours at the scene.



THIS TANK BATTERY ON COUNTY ROAD 204 CAUGHT FIRE after being struck by lightning Saturday night. Fire Department Photo

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Ozona Chamber of Commerce COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Oct. 18 - Social Security Rep., Sr. Citizens' Bldg., 10-11:30 a.m.
 Oct. 21 - Fire Department Bake Sale, Fire Station, 9-11
 Oct. 22 - 4-H Food Show, Awards, Food Tasting, 4 p.m. (Judging 2 p.m.)
 Oct. 23 - Small Business Seminar w/ASU-SBDC: The Business Plan: A Roadmap to Success, Chamber Office 6-8:30 p.m.
 Oct. 23 - West Texas Rehab Center Physical Therapy Month Educational Seminars at WTRC office - "What to Expect After A Total Hip or Knee Replacement" 7 p.m.
 Oct. 24 - Cub Scout Pack 153 Meeting OHS Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.
 Oct. 24 - Water District Town Meeting, District Courtroom, 7 p.m.
 Oct. 24 - "Proper Body Mechanics, with Lifting and Other Activities", WTRC Office 7 p.m.
 Oct. 26 - Health Fair, Civic Center, 11 a.m.-4 p.m.
 Oct. 30 - Ozona Community Center Benefit Style Show, Methodist Church, 6 p.m.
 Oct. 30 - Deadline FSA Committee Nominations
 Nov. 2 - Texas Agricultural Extension Service Program Council Meeting, Civic Center
 Nov. 11 - Arts & Crafts Guild Crafts Fair, 10 a.m.
 Nov. 13 - Chamber Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m.
 Nov. 21 - Cub Scout Pack 153 Meeting OHS Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.
 Dec. 1 - Christmas Lighting Ceremony by Ozona Woman's League
 Dec. 2 - 13th Annual DeerFest Wild Game Dinner, Fair Park Convention Center, 6:00 p.m.
 Dec. 10 - Friends of the Library Christmas Tour of Homes
 Dec. 11 - Chamber Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m.
 Dec. 12 - Cub Scout Pack 153 Meeting, Intermediate School Gym, 6:30 p.m.
 Dec. 15 - Texas Agricultural Extension Service Office Christmas Open House Conference Room
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State Representative
 Robert (Bob) Turner
 Pol. adv. pd. for by Committee to elect Bob Turner, 1907 12th St., Brownwood, TX 76801

News Reel

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News Reel
 Coach Rip Sewell's Ozona Lions will invade the territory of the Crane Golden Cranes tomorrow night, looking for their first district win, after falling 48-33 to the Coahoma Bulldogs last Friday night.

News Reel
 The only thing that can travel faster than a West Texas prairie fire is a rumor in a small town. Acting on such an assumption, the Ozona Ministerial Alliance in a recent meeting discussed the possibility of forming a Rumor Control Center for Ozona.

News Reel
 Funeral services for Mrs. J. P. (Abbie) Pogue, 93, mother of J. P. Pogue, Jr., of Ozona, were held Tuesday afternoon from the Baird Church of Christ, with graveside services in Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger. Other survivors include another son, George T. Pogue of Clyde, a daughter, Mrs. Opal Barnett of Palm Springs, CA, five grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

News Reel
 Funeral services for Mrs. Tula Duke, grandmother of Charles Huffman of Ozona, were held Friday at Cleburne.

News Reel
 Graveside services for Mrs. J. (Grace) Davis, 79, were held at Cedar Hill Cemetery Saturday morning with Rev. Jim Hancock of Odessa officiating.

News Reel
 Mrs. Bill Melton and daughter, Coralie, of Las Vegas, are here visiting her sister, Mrs. James Dockery, and her family and her brother Bud Meinecke.

News Reel
 Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Berry of Houston are in Washington, D.C. where Mr. Berry will receive the Lawrence Sperry Award for a notable contribution made by a young man to the advancement of aeronautics banquet tonight.

News Reel
 Winners in the Iraan 4-H Club Horse Show Saturday were Janice

Janes with the grandchampion mare award, Mark Tillman with jackpot roping honors, Shelley Jones who tied with Jackie Bob Riggs of Sanderson for best all-around girl in the senior division.

News Reel
 Mrs. Pleas Childress returned last week from a trip to Boston and a visit with her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Huff.

News Reel
 Wannetta B. Pearl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy E. Pearl of Ozona, has been promoted to airman first class in the U.S. Air Force.

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News Reel
 The Eldorado Eagles proved a jinx to the Lions Saturday, beating them 20-2 and breaking a 13-game winning streak.

News Reel
 Pvt. Joe Couch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Couch, stationed at Goodfellow Field in San Angelo, will spend the week here as a part of the recruiting crew seeking recruits for the Air Corps.

News Reel
 Funeral services were held in Del Rio Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Tom Nolen wife of Tom Nolen, former Ozona resident and county clerk.

News Reel
 George B. Armentrout, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allie Armentrout, now training at the McCamey Glider School, visited his parents this weekend.

News Reel
 Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Conklin, Carl and Nonie, spent the weekend visiting relatives in Crane.

Big Lake arts and crafts show Nov. 14

The Twentieth Century Club of Big Lake will hold its annual flea market and arts and crafts show Tuesday, Nov. 14, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Reagan County Community Center. The market features Christmas gift items, ceramics, needlework, art work, potted plants and miscellaneous items. Door prizes will be awarded throughout the day.

For booth space, call Jeanne Virden at 884-3326.

Proceeds from the booth rental and concession stand are used for a scholarship for a deserving Reagan County High School senior.

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Oct. 15	77	59	.05

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Wednesday	Thursday
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Friday	Saturday
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- TXism: "fought tooth and"
- Grape, TX
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- Houston hotel: Farmington on Post
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- Houston ball club
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- TXism: "it didn't ___" (failure)
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- soluble mineral salt
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- leaves "high and dry"
- in Lamb Co. on 70
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- "Bum" Phillips 10 times not in school
- once a Columbus, TX FM station
- TXism: "turn about is fair ___"
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- Fudge ice cream
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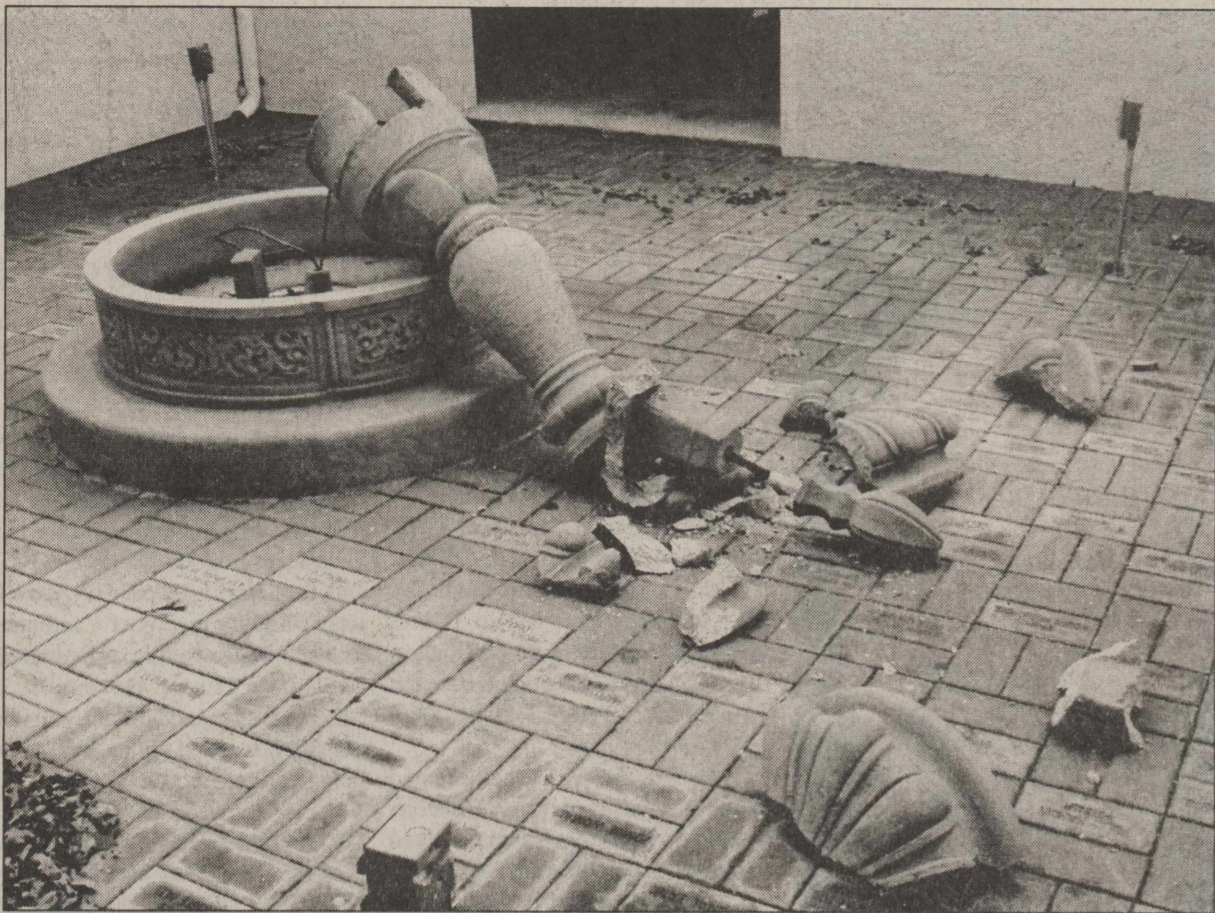
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THE BEAUTIFUL STONE FOUNTAIN at the library met a tragic end last Wednesday, apparently at the hands of four unsupervised youths who were playing in the memorial brick courtyard. *Photo by Susan Calloway*

Annual Fall Fashion Show Oct. 30

Fall is here, and that means it is time for the Ozona Community Center Annual Fall Fashion Show. This style show is one of the top two fundraisers for the center each year. It will be held Monday, Oct. 30, at Ozona United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall beginning with a light meal at 6:00 p.m. and style show at 7:00 p.m.

Local models, ages infant to "39 and holding" will model fashions from Petals and Pearls and Small Fashions of Ozona. Admission is

\$8.00 per person. All admission tickets will be eligible for door prizes donated by South Texas Lumber, Baker Durable Medical, Village Drug, Petals and Pearls, B. J.'s Gift Baskets, Small Fashions and The Teacher Store and Bratton's Furniture of San Angelo.

The winner of the \$250.00 cash raffle will be drawn at the style show, also. Tickets for this raffle are \$1.00 per chance or six chances for \$5.00. The two children enrolled at Ozona Community Center selling the most

raffle tickets will be given \$25.00 savings bonds.

All tickets are available at the center, from center parents, board members E. A. Wadsworth, Tonya Bullard, Amy Newton, Lou Chapman, Nancy Mossman, Susan Brown, Nancy Moore, Annalu Suddreth, Bernice Payne, Vickie Munoz, Carmen Sutton, Shannon Hunnicutt or at Petals and Pearls and Small Fashions.

The Ozona Community Center is an outreach ministry of the Ozona United Methodist Church and has been providing various services to Ozona since 1938. It is presently a non-profit day care center. "Our mission is to provide low-cost, quality day care to working families," said E. A. Wadsworth. "Our tuition is set to cover payroll expenses, and all other expenses are paid for through donations and fundraisers such as the style show. Please come and enjoy the fashions and help the OCC where kids grow."

Halloween carnival reservations now open

The Helping Hands sponsored Halloween Carnival Oct. 31 is well on its way. Starting time will be 5:00 p.m. A large number of vendors have signed up, with more on hold. If you want a booth, call 392-5026 to reserve one for only \$10.00.

"We would like to have more with arts and crafts to sell their wares," said

Janet Hill McDaniel. "If you do these projects, call for a spot at the downtown park. We will strive to not duplicate any games or foods so each group will benefit the most for their efforts."

The following have been reserved: food booths - Frito pie, hot dogs, corn on the cob, turkey legs, gorditos, funnel cakes, nachos, taquitos, hamburgers, sausage on a stick, tamales, gumbo, drinks, popcorn and chalupas; games - Feed the Elephant, cake walk, spook house, skee ball, Wheel of Fortune, grab bag, win a fish, ring toss, bean bag toss, animal bingo, duck pond; crafts - Country Store, Hillman's Hideout and Monica's.

"Let's see if we can't make this, the biggest festival yet," urges Mrs. McDaniel. "Give us a call today."

4-H food show Sunday, Oct. 22

Crockett County 4-H members in the foods and nutrition program invite the public to attend their awards presentation and to sample their contest entries Sunday afternoon. The annual food show will be held in the civic center.

Judging begins at 2:00 p.m. and the awards presentation and tasting opportunity start around 4:00.

Ozona Garden Club News

By Charlotte Harrell

Six Ozona Garden Club members and one guest, Heather Hill, met Friday, Oct. 13, with members of the Concho Valley Garden Club in San Angelo at the Massey Club House at 10:00 a.m. After the business meeting, members toured the Concho Valley Garden Club gazebo gardens adjacent to the Concho River. Loretta Burgess, a Concho Valley Master Gardener, explained the Coordinated Education and Marketing Assistance Program (CEMAP) and showed us examples of their experimental work in the garden.

CEMAP is an industry-university cooperative program in which university and industry leaders partner in the identification of superior landscape plants for Texas and their subsequent promotion in the market place. Under this program, many plants are grown experimentally with statewide testing to find varieties that are best suited

in a state with climate zones as diverse as most nations. These are examples of herbaceous plants recommended for Texas: Texas Gold Columbine (*Aquilegia chrysantha* var. *hinckleyana* (Munz) H. Lott "Texas Gold", new color ranges of Texas Bluebonnets (*Lupinus texensis* Hooker), use of *Tagetes erecta* L. as fall transition season annuals marketed under the name of Mari-mums, sun tolerant *Coleus* (*Coleus x hybridus* Voss) "Plum Parfait" and "Burgundy Sun", and vegetables such as the Surefire Tomato (*Lycopersicon esculentum* Mill.), "Surefire" patens Jacq., and Satsuma Orange (*Citrus reticulata* Blanco) as container plants for colder climates. The only tree recommended is Chinese Pistache (*Pistacia chinensis* Bunge).

Next, Marsha LeGrand took us to the San Angelo lily pool to view many rare and exotic water lilies, some found only in this lily pool of international renown. Mr. Kenneth Landon

of Olive's Nursery and a few supervised assistants maintain the lily pool. Mr. Landon sometimes shares lilies with other international lily growers to prevent certain rare lilies from becoming extinct.

Ozona Garden Club members enjoyed a Dutch treat lunch at the Peasant Village, where a brief business meeting was held. Club members voted to make a donation to Rehab in memory of Sue Burns, a valued member of the Ozona Garden Club. Plans for the Second Time Around Sale were discussed. A new member, Cathy Reavis, was welcomed into the garden club.

Marolyn Bean, Chris Beckham, Charlotte Harrell, Cathy Reavis, Carmen Sutton and Jan Van Shoubrouck attended the meeting.

Holiday ornaments part of Mu Chi program

Preceptor Mu Chi met Monday, Oct. 9, at 6:30 p.m. at the Crockett National Bank for its regular meeting.

Attending were: Terry Adams, Nancy Davee, Zoe Green, Nancy Hale, Debi Hamilton, Sonja Hoover, Billie Morris, Brenda Newton, Tommie Peña-Alfaro, Donna Sanders, Linda Taylor, Penni Tippie and Nell Wester.

A supper of green enchiladas and fresh veggies with pineapple upside down cake, cream cheese cookies and zucchini bread for dessert was served by hostesses Zoe Green and Penni Tippie.

Following the business meeting, the hostesses led the chapter in making Christmas ornaments with beads, wire and pipe cleaners. A good time was had by all.

The next regular meeting will be Monday, Oct. 23.

Zoe Green reporting

Ozona Woman's League meets for wine tasting

Ozona Woman's League met at the home of Dave and Jana Wilson for their Oct. 10 meeting. The program was titled "Vin Expo: Wine Tasting of Wines from Around the World". Hostesses were Shelly Childress and Jana Wilson.

The program began with the introduction of Todd Smajstrla, owner of Lincoln Street Wine Market in Fredericksburg. Todd brought with him four wines to be tasted. He gave a brief history of each wine and the region from which it came, along with several entertaining stories. Not only were there wonderful wines, but also a delicious variety of pates, cheeses, fruits, olives, breads and crackers.

Everyone in attendance thoroughly enjoyed themselves. All decided that a trip to Todd's Wine Market in Fredericksburg is a must in order to fully appreciate the entire wine tasting experience.

Members and their husbands present for the program were: Jack and Jodie Baggett, Cathy Carson, Beth Childress, Clay and Shelly Childress, Ira Childress, Vicki Childress, Mike and Kathleen Edinburg, Robbie Harris, Jeannine Henderson, Jennifer Knapp, Tracey Knox, Sally Oglesby, Dr. Marcus Sims, Carmen Sutton, Steve and Belinda Wilkins, Mike and Sharon Williams, and Dave and Jana Wilson.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, Oct. 24, at the home of Tracey Knox.

Kathleen Edinburg reporting

Alpha Alpha Mu Sorority meets Oct. 2

Husbands joined the members of Alpha Alpha Mu for an evening of good food and fun games on Oct. 2 at Ozona Middle School. Hostesses Tonya Poindexter, Rhonda Shaw and Sharon Bullard served taco salad with lemon bars and chocolate cake.

After eating, the members and their husbands gathered together to play the game of "Catch Phrase", with the guys against the gals. Several of the members' husbands were unable to attend the social event; therefore, the game consisted of nine gals to five guys. Due to the gals' speed and fast thinking, they were able to defeat their opponents.

Members and couples in attendance were Sharon Bullard, Shawna and Greg Hopper, Jennifer Knapp, Jackie and Cecil Necessary, Renee Pearl, Tonya and Chad Poindexter, Carol and Mack Richie, Rhonda and Ronald Shaw and Patricia Sutton. Special guests were Gerri and Bobby Azam.

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Care Center Chatter

Our residents' birthday party will be Oct. 31 at 3:30 p.m. with Crockett Bank hosting the event in the main lobby.

Our family and resident luncheon will be Nov. 11 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the civic center. Please contact the activity department if you plan to attend. We need to have a count of people attending. Call 392-3096 and ask for Jan or Roland if you plan to attend.

Volunteers for the last two weeks were: Randy Carter, Brother Bill Fuller, Otis Nester, Len Hillman, Merle Welty, JoAnn Williamson, Judy Reagor, Belinda Koerth, Alena Faye Hokit, Kay Baker, Glenda Jackson, Glenda Henderson, Donna Kay Nobblett and Marie Nobblett. We are in real need of volunteer beauty shop ladies for Thursday mornings starting at 8:30 a.m.

Donations were made to the activity department by Mr. and Mrs. Billy Armstrong in memory of Sue

Burns and by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hartley in memory of Calvin Johnson.

Thanks go to Commissioner Freddie Nicks and wife Pat for their famous oatmeal cookies which they donate for our mandatory staff meetings.

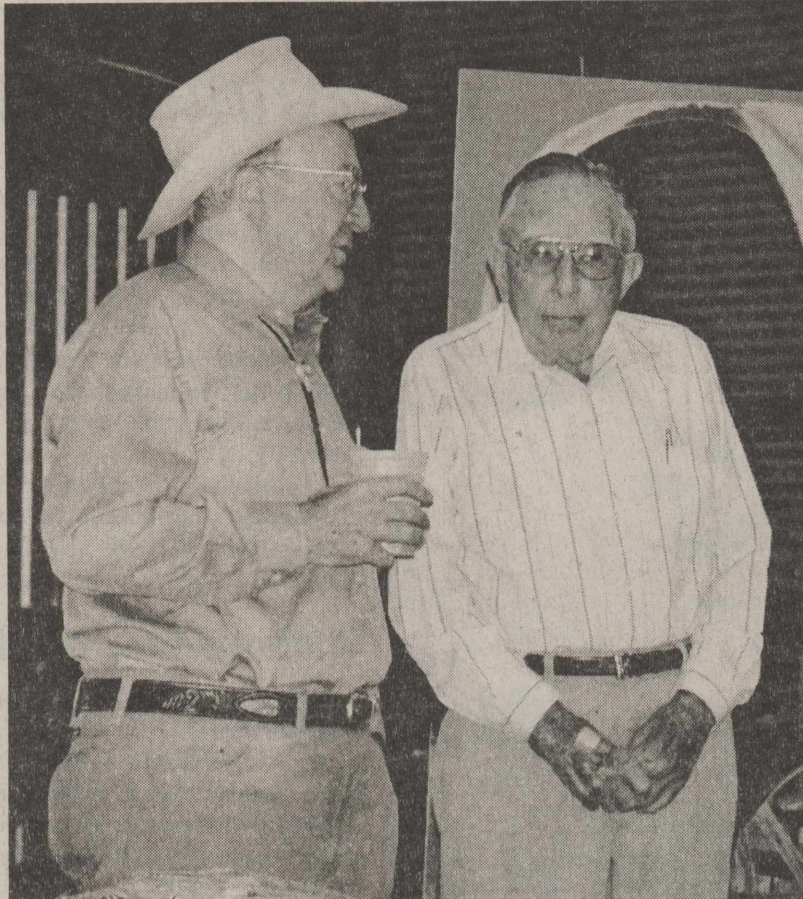
Please note I need two weeks' notice for activities inside or outside the facility as our calendar is planned in advance for each month.

Our residents are waiting for their flu shots. I don't know when residents will receive the flu shots. We won't be going out until they are received as we don't want anyone sick.

Growing Older

Older people are more susceptible to situations that can lead to mental illness. These include loss of income or livelihood and the independence that went with it, and loss of physical health and dignity. Some of these losses are unavoidable, but there are things that can be done to remain mentally healthy in the later years.

1. Set new goals.
 2. Adapt to changes in your lifestyle in society and among friends.
 3. Find something enjoyable to do and do it.
 4. Don't neglect physical health.
 5. Make the necessary changes.
 6. Be realistic and acknowledge that everyone grows old.
- Jan St. Clair
Activity Director



AUTHOR ELMER KELTON and Oscar Kost talk over old times Saturday during Pioneer Heritage Days. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

Levis and Lace News

Our Levis and Lace Square Dance Club had a fantastic, fun-filled time Saturday, Oct. 14, at the Senior Citizen Building. National caller Roy Lombard and his wife, Miki, of Del Rio were the callers for the evening.

There were three squares on the floor most of the time and lots of line dancing between calls.

Cheryl Arnold from Del Rio started the Halloween season early by coming dressed as a witch. Also attending from Del Rio were Conway and Mildred Pickard, Lee and Cheryl Arnold and Jack and Pat Lloyd. From

San Angelo were H. J. "Sky" Miller and Beverly Miller and John and Nora Geen. Iraan visitors were Bill and Bernice Cota and Ray and Shirley Brown.

Our longtime friend from Barnhart, Lucy Hinde, brought friends from Canada, Yvonne Katerynuk and Ruth Kennedy.

Attending from Ozona were: Jonny Johnson, Al Fields, Maria and Raul De La Rosa, Tina and Joe Moran, Otis and Myra Nester, Betty Allen, Gail Spence, Leroy and Carol Adcock, Len and Mary Hillman.

Our next dance is Oct. 28 at the Senior Center at 8:00 p.m. John Geen, national caller from San Angelo, will be the caller.

Visitors are always welcome to attend a fun evening.

Lessons begin Oct. 30, Monday night, at 7:00 at Comfort Inn. Come one, come all.
Patsy Hester reporting

⁽¹⁾ Walk prudently when you go to the house of God: and draw near to hear—
⁽²⁾ Do not be rash with your mouth, and let not your heart utter anything hastily before God. For God is in heaven and you on earth. Therefore let your words be few.
Ecclesiastes 5: 1-2

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The Invasion of Ideologies

Whenever the Church fails to provide adequate teaching and spiritual warmth for its members, those needs will seek other avenues of fulfillment. Many religious cults prey on the ignorance and loneliness of unsuspecting victims. In fact, most cult propagandists are captivated victims themselves. Most of these individuals had no prior Biblical knowledge before they were lured by the cults into an unimaginable nightmare of mechanistic psycho-slavery. These organizations are easy to fall prey to and almost impossible to break free from. Their brainwashing methods are practically ingenious. A common method of "first" impression is to go door to door with literature, an air of rightness and an implied scholarship.

I remember one belonging to a well-known cult approaching my door presuming that I was informed and in the process of our discussion reference was made by that person to the "Greek". I further inquired into his scholastic knowledge and discovered that person had no grammatical knowledge

of "Greek" after all.

Had I not been as inquisitive, this individual would have intentionally let me believe that he was an efficiently trained scholar. (But then what efficiently trained scholar would be found knocking door to door propagandizing his/her flavor of religious ideas?)

The majority of people involved in cults were raised in churches. The problem is that most of them were never really taught solid Biblical doctrines. Most couldn't even name the books of the Bible. Then suddenly they're knocking on your door telling you how blind and ignorant you are to differ with them.

Mr. Chris Elkins, a former cultist, has made an educating statement on the issue: "In most cults, a majority of members left a mainline, denominational, church. Perhaps in the church's attempt to explain why its members are leaving and joining cults, brainwashing is seen as an easy way out. My contention is that brainwashing is really not the issue....For Christians, the main issue with the cults should be theology....But many of us older Christians are still

babies spiritually. We have not learned to feed ourselves, much less anyone else (Christian Life, August, 1980).

The cults prosper and grow because Christians fail to become well informed and to wield a significant influence in their community. Cults are very zealous in recruiting members and their religious systems rigid and disciplinary. The social effect on victims of cults are isolation. The psychological effect is stigmatizing and destructive.

Let us never forget that regardless of the fact that most members of cults are deceived victims, a cult is a destructive force in the religious world and harbors eternal consequences. A cult is a distortion. A parasitical distortion of Biblical Christianity. They reject the historic teachings of all churches and redefine all facts and evidences to apparently support their erroneous ideologies. We shall discuss the matter further in our next installment.

Dear reader, May God richly bless you.
In Christ Jesus,
Amelio Hinojos - Iglesia de Cristo

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.
Ozona Cowboy Church Cenisa St. Pastor Rick Thomas Wednesday: 7 p.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 Arrellano Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Tues. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.
Templo Bautista Jerusalem 138 Blas St. Rev. Esequiel Cervantez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7 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. Thurs.: 7 p.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 Corner of Secretariat & Man O' War Pastor Bernardo Solis 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: 3 p.m. Worship: 5 p.m. Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.
Harvest Time Christian Center 604 11th St. Rev. Velma Trimble 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 Minister: Amelio Hinojos Sunday Bible Study: 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Worship: 10:45 a.m. Wed. Bible Study: 6:00 p.m.	Attend the Church of Your Choice This Sunday

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Obituaries

Oct. 16 service for Brady Hughes

Brady Hughes of Canton died Oct. 14, 2000, in Canton at the age of 92. Funeral service was held Monday at Eubank Chapel in Canton with Rev. L. A. Goodson, Rev. Glen Goodson and Rev. Craig Locke officiating.

Interment was at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday in Clyde Cemetery near Abilene. Mr. Hughes was born Sept. 26, 1908, in Coleman to Moses Toliver and Martha Clemantine Cope Hughes.

He had made his home in Canton for more than 18 years. He was a Baptist by faith.

Mr. Hughes was a butcher and owned his own grocery store in Ozona for many years. From here, he worked in construction with Fish Engineer.

He was preceded in death by his previous wife, Pauline Gay (Duke) Hughes and his parents, M. T. and

Martha Hughes.

Survivors are his wife: Rachel Hughes of Canton; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Edward M. Hughes of Loudon, TN, Truman and Pat Fincher of Tyler; four daughters and sons-in-law Gaylene and Harrison Schaffer of Loudon, TN, Jean (Good) and Roy Hollingsworth of Abilene, Fairrie and Larry Cox of Canton and Ina and Frank Todora of Beaumont; one sister, Essie Davenport of Coleman; 24 grandchildren, 62 great-grandchildren and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of East Texas at 3800 Paluxy Tyler, TX 75703 or to the Lighthouse for the Blind, 500 N. Bois D'Arc, Tyler, TX 75702.

Eden rites held for Lillie Pope

Lillie Wynelle Bishop Pope of Eden died Thursday, Oct. 12, 2000. Graveside service was held at the Eden Cemetery at 10:00 a.m. Saturday.

Mrs. Pope was born in Brady on April 24, 1934. She was a homemaker and a respected member of the community.

She is survived by her husband, Calvin Pope, of Eden; her mother, Lillie Mae Brandon of Eden; her

brother, Buddy Brandon of Sonora; her two daughters, Debora K. Mayfield of Lubbock and her husband Bob, and Pamela Sue Hunter and husband Robert of Lubbock.

Other survivors include four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, J. L. Bishop; her father, Willie A. Brandon; and four great-grandchildren.

Service held for Bobby Elledge

Bobby Joe Elledge, 68, of London died Wednesday, Oct. 11, 2000, in a Kerrville hospital. Graveside service was held Saturday in London Cemetery.

He was born Sept. 8, 1932, in

Ozona. He was a ranch worker for the Moody Foundation.

Survivors include a sister-in-law, Betty Elledge of Ozona; several nieces and nephews.

Senior Happenings

- Oct. 18 - Social Security Rep. 10:11:30 a.m.
- Oct. 19 - Exercise Class, 3 p.m. Blood Pressure Check
- Oct. 20 - Big Lake Football Meal
- Oct. 21 - Costume Party 6 p.m., Red Bandana Band
- Oct. 24 - Exercise Class 3 p.m.
- Oct. 25 - Pot Luck Luncheon
- Oct. 26 - Exercise Class, 3 p.m., Blood Pressure Check
- Oct. 28 - Levis and Lace 8 p.m.
- Oct. 31 - Halloween Carnival 5 p.m. Downtown Park

Happy Birthday

- Oct. 18 - Maria Hernandez, Irene Gonzales, Nora Flores, Mary Borrego
- Oct. 19 - Gabriel Perez, Pedro Villa, Lyzette Garcia, Roy Hoffman, Buddy Phillips, Dean Wadsworth
- Oct. 20 - Patsy Gutierrez, Mrs. Ivy Smith, Jerry Hayes, Jomie Tebbetts, Beth Prasek, Jaron Vasquez, Ammie Avila, Andrew Groll
- Oct. 21 - Keith Fowler, Thomas DeHoyos, Duane Williamson, Lionel Martinez III, Johnny Jones
- Oct. 22 - Wesley Bean, Manuel Mendoza, Koby Fenton, Debbie Rinehart
- Oct. 23 - Harvey Villanueva Jr., Alfredo Tijerina Jr., Maria Perez, Jazmine Huereca, Skyler Phillips, Glenn Sutton, Melissa Vargas
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Fort Stockton plans Christmas craft show

Plans are underway for the annual arts and crafts Christmas show sponsored by the Women's Division of the Fort Stockton Chamber of Commerce.

The Christmas show is on Saturday, Nov. 18, at the County Civic Center located on Hwy. West 285 in Fort Stockton. The hours are from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., and booth reservations are available.

The show is held in a large indoor facility. The show features a large Christmas show with a trade area extending all over the Permian Basin and into New Mexico. It is open to all arts media, has free admission to the public, door prizes, food available for lunch and fun shopping for all ages.

Craft booths are approximately 10'x10' in size and rent for \$25.00; corner booths are \$35.00. For booth information, contact Josephine Falcon, Box 1415, Fort Stockton, TX 79735, or call 915-336-3804.

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Love, Ella Perez Family

Ozona firefighters shown appreciation

Shannon Beeding, South Texas Regional Director for U. S. Senator Phil Gramm, was here Monday to present Ozona Volunteer Fire Department with a certificate of appreciation and letter from Gramm recognizing the fire department's efforts to protect the community.

Accepting for the department were Chief Bob Falkner and the president, Dee Keliers.

National Fire Prevention Week is being celebrated Oct. 8-14.

"In every city across America, firefighters have made a commitment

to help promote fire safety," Gramm said. "National Fire Prevention Week is a time to honor those dedicated professionals and volunteers who risk their lives every day to protect our homes, neighborhoods and communities."

National Fire Prevention Week was initiated by a presidential proclamation to promote and support local fire departments and to make the public aware of the many services firefighters provide to their communities.



SHANNON BEEDING, South Texas Regional Director for Sen. Phil Gramm, was in Ozona Monday to present a certificate of appreciation to the fire department in observance of National Fire Prevention Week. Pictured accepting are Bob Falkner and Dee Keliers. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore



OZONA VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMBERS recently completed rebuilding two trucks made available through the Texas Forestry Service. They will be used for grass fires. Photo by Steve Kenley

Fire department bake sale Saturday, Oct. 21

The Ozona Fire Department will hold a bake sale Saturday, Oct. 21, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

"This sale will benefit the firefighter's children at our annual

Christmas party," said Michelle Morrow. "We hope every one will stop by the fire department on the 21st to purchase some goodies. Any donations of baked goods would be much appreciated."

Please contact Lue or Michelle Morrow at the fire department by Friday, Oct. 20, if you would like to make a donation.

"The number to reach us at is 392-2626. We would like to thank the community for all the support it gives our firefighters. See you at the bake sale."

Do yourself a favor read your Social Security statement

By Fredi Franki
Social Security Manager

If you're one of the 125 million people who will automatically receive a Social Security Statement each year from now on, you can do yourself a favor. Read your statement carefully, and let us know right away if it contains any errors in your personal or earnings information.

Your statement will show the amount of earnings that your employer(s), or you, if you're self-employed, have reported to Social Security and provide you with estimates of the benefits you and your family may be eligible to receive now and in the future.

If your statement indicates incorrect or missing earnings, it's important to correct those errors as soon as possible, because the amount of your future benefits will be based on your lifetime earnings. It's usually easier to correct errors now than years later when you're ready to apply for benefits. Check your name and Social Security number on your Social Security card with the Form(s) W-2 issued to you by your employer(s). If this information does not match, contact your employer so that your record can be corrected.

As you read your statement, make sure your date of birth, name and Social Security number also are listed correctly. (Compare the name and Social Security number on the statement

with your Social Security card.) Incorrect personal information can delay the processing of your claim when you file for benefits.

And, frequently we find that people have changed their name through marriage, divorce or other action and failed to notify Social Security. Changing your name with your employer or notifying the IRS doesn't change your Social Security record. You need to complete an application for a Social Security card, Form SS-5, and show us one or more documents that identify you by your old name and by your new name.

So, be sure to read your statement carefully and let us know about any errors you detect so we can get them corrected as soon as possible.

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News Briefs

Business seminar slated for Oct. 23

The Business Plan: A Roadmap to Success is the topic of a seminar to be held at Ozona Chamber of Commerce Oct. 23. Starting time is 6:00 p.m.

Conducted by the Angelo State University Small Business Development Center, the seminar will examine the requirements necessary to develop an effective business plan, look at common planning pitfalls and provide essentials for writing a business plan. A sample business plan will be provided and analyzed.

Ozona Health Fair scheduled Oct. 26

The third annual Ozona United Methodist Church Health Fair will be held Oct. 26 from 11:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the civic center.

The public is urged to come and benefit from free services from local and area vendors.

Providing services will be: United Blood Services, blood donations; Texas Tech Rural Clinic, influenza vaccines (if available); Prevent Blindness Texas, glaucoma screening for adults, vision screening for children; West Texas Rehab, hearing screening; San Angelo Aids Foundation, information and screening; OHS Health Occupations, blood pressure screening; Methodist Healthcare Ministries, cholesterol screening (call 392-3060 for appointment); Compassionate Care, diabetic screening; Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), application assistance; Texas Tech Mobile Mammography, schedule appointments for mammography in November; San Angelo Community Hospital, Safe Kids Coalition, bicycle, roller blade, car safety information and give-aways.

Providing information will be: Alzheimer's Association, American Cancer Association, Area Agency on Aging, American Heart Association, Baker Durable Medical, Dr. Steve Sessom, DDS, Crockett County Extension Service and Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council of the Concho Valley.

Deadline nears for FSA nominations

October 30 is the final date to nominate candidates for the Farm Service Agency Committee. Candidates are nominated by eligible voters through petitions which may be obtained from the FSA Office in Ozona.

The county committee is responsible for Farm Service Agency local administrative decisions concerning the many programs directed and managed through the local office.

If you have questions or need a nominating petition, go by the FSA Office at 201 11th Street in Ozona or call 392-3702.

Early voting begins on Mon., Oct. 23

Early voting by personal appearance in both the General Election and water district bond election will be held in the courthouse annex Oct. 23 - Nov. 3.

Hours are from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Special events set at WT Rehab

West Texas Rehab Center of Ozona invites the public to attend two educational seminars during Physical Therapy Month.

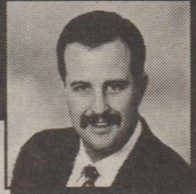
On Monday, Oct. 23, the topic is "What to Expect After A Total Hip or Knee Replacement". The Oct. 24 topic is "Proper Body Mechanics, with Lifting and Other Activities". Both begin at 7:00 p.m.

In addition to gaining valuable information, this is an opportunity for interested persons who haven't toured the center to do so.

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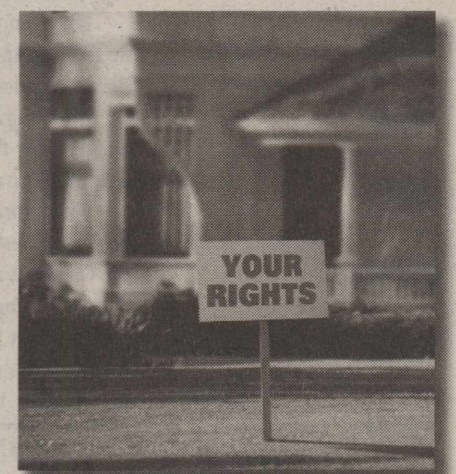
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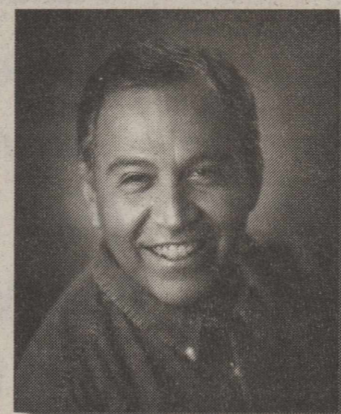
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OZONA HIGH SCHOOL JV FOOTBALL TEAM MEMBERS are: (back row, l. to r.) Ramon Trujillo, Brad Mayfield, Bryan Skehan, Wilson Stokes, Joel Ortiz, Kendall Porras, Nat Hernandez and Rojelio Sanchez. Middle row: coach Bobby Azam, G.L. Bunger, Johnny Tambunga, Andrew Shaffer, Koby Fenton, Stephen Maskill, Ryan Pearl, Dominique Perez, Zack Webb and coach Lynn Searsy. Front row: Josh Long, Zachary Medley, J.T. Lara, Mikey Savala, Jonathan Munoz.

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Rangers hold up Freshman Lions

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Midland Greenwood Rangers held up the freshman Lions last Thursday at Lion Stadium, winning 12-6.

In the first quarter, the Lions were the first to score. Ryan Wiley threw an awesome 17-yard pass to Abel Martinez for the touchdown. The 2-point conversion was unsuccessful.

The Rangers scored their first touchdown on a short sweep in the second quarter but were unable to make the 2-point conversion.

At the half the score stood at 6-6. Both teams marched up and down the field in the third quarter with neither team scoring. In the fourth quarter, the Rangers pushed their way up the field for their second touchdown. Again the conversion failed.

The Rangers added pressure to the Lions and held them from scoring. Ozona was forced to turn over the ball to the Rangers on the 40-yard line in their first offensive series of play in the fourth quarter. The Lions were then forced to punt the ball in their

second offensive series of play.

Ozona's defense came back and punished the Rangers, allowing no yardage gain. Lion Aaron Espino had two big tackles. Romeo Perez assisted Espino in one of the tackles. Abel Martinez was assisted by Kris Gray in a crushing quarterback sack. An incomplete pass for the Rangers forced them to punt with just minutes left on the clock.

The Lions would get the ball back one more time, but again Greenwood would force the Lions to punt. The Rangers held the ball with just seconds left in the game, which ended Rangers 12, Lions 6.

"All our players did well in the game," said Coach Tom Duncan. "It was hard hitting and exciting. We are disappointed about the score, but our freshman Lions did a fine job of executing offensively and playing aggressive defense."

The Lions will travel to Big Lake Thursday, Oct. 19, to take on their old rival, the Reagan County Owls. The freshman Lions' season record is 1-4. The Reagan County Owls' season record is 1-5.

OZONA FOOTBALL SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

7th Grade vs. Menard Here 5:00 p.m.	8th Grade vs. Monahans There 5:00 p.m.	Freshmen vs. Christoval Here 6:30 p.m.	Junior Varsity vs. Iraan There 6:30 p.m.
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KRIS GRAY makes a good return on a kickoff in the Freshman Lions hard fought 12-6 loss to the Midland Greenwood Rangers in Lion Stadium on Oct. 12.

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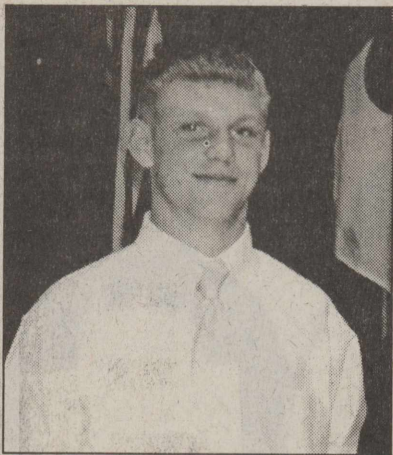
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BRAVING THE FREEZING WEATHER to receive trophies in their respective age divisions in the Punt, Pass and Kick competition held in Midland on Oct. 7. were: (l. to r.) Quay Oglesby - 1st, Matthew Garza - 3rd and Rylee Ramos - 3rd.

Area youngsters participate in sectional Punt, Pass and Kick

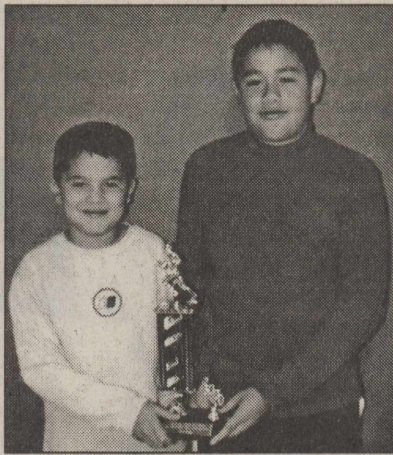
By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The sectional competition of the NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick was held Oct. 8 at Midland Stadium. Competing in the event from Ozona were: Quay Oglesby, Levi Vargas, Rylee Ramos, Matthew Garza and Alejandra Cruz. Victoria Holtz did not compete in Midland due to sickness.

Quay Oglesby placed first in his division, Rylee Ramos placed third and Levi Vargas came in fourth. The three boys' stats were unavailable at presstime.

Matthew Garza placed third in his division. His stats are: punt 52'7", pass 52'2", kick 56'9" for a total of 161'8". Alejandra Cruz placed fourth. Her stats were: punt 16'1", pass 28'9", kick 31'3" for a total of 76'3".

NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick is America's largest and premiere grassroots sports competition. The event dates back to the 1960s, and a record 3.5 million youths in the U.S.A.



and Canada will participate this year. Nearly one million of those participants are girls.

Fierce Badgers conquer 7th grade

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The fierce seventh grade McCamey Badgers conquered the seventh grade Cubs Oct. 12 in McCamey to win the game 50-14.

The Badgers were much bigger and more aggressive than the Cubs. In the first and second quarters, the Badgers scored three touchdowns on long runs in each quarter. The Badgers led the Cubs 42-0 at the half.

McCamey scored only one touchdown in the third quarter on a long run. The Cub defense managed to hold the Badgers from scoring throughout the rest of the game.

In the fourth quarter, the Cubs began to work their way back into the game as they scored their first touchdown of two on a long pass. The first touchdown was on a halfback pass from Cub David Esparza to Jack Rodriguez, which covered 64-yards. The 2-point conversion was good on a pass from Justin Gaian to Dean

Wadsworth.

The Cubs' second touchdown came on a 57-yard pass from Justin Galan to David Esparza. The 2-point conversion was unsuccessful.

Ozona was unable to score any more touchdowns against this tough team before time ran out, but the Cubs never gave up. The Cub defense did a much better job of stopping the Badgers in the second half.

"This was one of those games which was extremely frustrating for everyone," said Coach Rick Bachman. "We did not play very well, and McCamey had an outstanding team. Hopefully, we will use this experience as a learning one and be a better football team because of it."

"We got behind early in the first quarter and experienced difficulty generating any offense at all until late in the fourth quarter. The boys never quit and were able to accomplish some positive things, which we can build upon," said Bachman.

The team's season record is 1-4.

JV Lions take Badgers by storm

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The junior varsity Lions took the junior varsity McCamey Badgers by storm to win the game 29-0 at the Oct. 12 game in Lion Stadium.

The Lions' first offensive series of play resulted in a touchdown after only seven plays. Lion G. L. Bunger returned the Badgers' kickoff to the 30-yard line. Josh Long and quarterback Mikey Savala took turns moving the ball up the field to the 3-yard line. Long made the touchdown on a 3-yard run followed by Bryan Skehan with a successful kick.

The Lions led the Badgers 7-0 with 8:37 remaining in the first quarter.

Skehan kicked off for the Lions and also tackled the Badger returning the ball at the 10-yard-line.

The Lions forced the Badgers to punt on fourth and ten due to Mikey Savala breaking up a Badger pass on third down and ten.

The Lions were on fire, scoring again on their next offensive series. Savala returned the Badger punt to the 15-yard-line, then found Skehan in the end zone for a 15 yard touchdown pass. The kick was unsuccessful, but the Lions increased their lead over the Badgers to 13-0 with 6:51 remaining in the first quarter.

The Badgers' next offensive series was short lived as they fumbled on their fifth play of the series. Ozona recovered, and Bunger managed to move the ball up the field between Badger defensive players for 20 yards before being tackled on the 20-yard-line.

Long kept going and going as a pack of Badgers tried to take him down. He moved the ball to the 10-yard-line for first and goal then carried the ball on the next two plays for third and six.

Savala ran in an apparent touchdown which was called back to third and sixteen on a Lion penalty. Long made the 16-yard TD run. A complete pass from Savala to Bunger scored the 2-point conversion for the Lions. With 2:39 left in the first quarter, Ozona was up 21-0 over the Badgers.

Skehan kicked off for the Lions. The Badgers fumbled on their second play of the offensive series but recovered. Two plays later, Lion Ryan Pearl intercepted a Badger pass at the 36-yard-line. Four plays later, the Badgers intercepted a Lion pass.

Eight plays later, Ryan Pearl would again intercept a Badger pass. The two teams changed possession of the ball three times until halftime. The

score remained the same with the Lions leading the Badgers 21-0.

Ozona and McCamey took turns changing possession of the ball in the third quarter with neither team scoring. Early in the final quarter, Long ran in an apparent touchdown, but it was called back on a penalty against the Lions. It would be 12 more plays before they scored their final touchdown of the game.

Quarterback Mikey Savala dove for the 1-yard-line on a quarterback keeper to score for the Lions. The 2-point conversion was run in by G. L. Bunger on a fake extra point play.

With 7:53 remaining in the game, the Lions continued to lead the Badgers 29-0. The ball possession changed two more times in the final minutes of the game.

The Badgers weren't sure what hit them as the Lions' storm of fury passed them by. The final score was Lions 29 - Badgers 0.

Defensively, Lion Andrew Shaffer led the Lions in tackles with 16 including one quarterback sack and recovered a Lion fumble. Also working hard were John Ray Luna with six tackles, Kendall Porras with five and Johnny Tambunga with four. Ryan Pearl intercepted two Badger passes, and Ramon Trujillo recovered a Badger fumble for the Lions. Josh Long and Mikey Savala each blocked a Badger pass, and Bryan Skehan recovered the ball when his punt was blocked.

Offensively, quarterback Mikey Savala and tailback Josh Long each had an awesome night. Savala ended the night with a 1-yard touchdown dive, a 15-yard pass to Bryan Skehan for a touchdown and two passes to G. L. Bunger, and the two 2-point conversions. Long had 24 carries, a 3-yard touchdown run and a 16-yard touchdown run.

Lion player Bryan Skehan also did well with one kick for the successful extra point, caught a 15-yard touchdown pass from Savala, made several tackles and kicked off for the Lions four times. G. L. Bunger had 13 carries and two successful 2-point conversions.

Lion Zach Webb returned to play against the Badgers, after a 5-week delay of play due to breaking his arm in practice. Webb wears a play cast as his arm continues to heal. He played well offensively against the Badgers.

The JV Lions will travel to Big Lake to take on the Reagan County Owls Oct. 19. Kick off will be at 7:00 p.m.

The JV Lions' season record is 3-3. The Reagan County Owls are 1-5 for the season.



JOSH LONG, runs in the ball 16 yards for his second touchdown in the JV Lions 29-0 shredding of the McCamey Badgers Oct. 12 in Lion Stadium. #35 G.L. Bunger (l.) looks up after a tackle that gave Long some running room.

Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

8th grade Cubs devastate Badgers

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The eighth grade Cubs totally devastated the McCamey Badgers to win their Oct. 12 game 33-0 in McCamey.

"Coach David Delgado's Cub defense continues to get better and better each week," said Coach Steve Osborn. "The team effort on defense shut down the McCamey group that was averaging 21 points per game."

In the first quarter, the Cub defense set up their first two touchdowns. The Cubs held the Badgers for no yardage on their first three plays, and the Badger punter was sacked on his own 10-yard line.

After two short runs by Toby Pagan and J. D. Borrego, Ruben Talamantez connected with Doug Duncan for a 3-yard touchdown pass Borrego's kick for the extra point was good.

On McCamey's next offensive play, they fumbled the ball, which was recovered by Cub Vince Castro. Borrego finished the short drive with a 2-yard run for the Cubs' second touchdown. The extra point kick was unsuccessful.

At the end of the first quarter, the Cubs led the Badgers 13-0.

After a McCamey punt in the second quarter, Toby Pagan made a sweep around the left end for an apparent 80-yard touchdown run. However, the play was called back on an illegal block on the Cubs. That call would not deter the Cubs who regained possession when Vince Castro intercepted a Badger pass.

The Cubs' next possession saw a repeat of the long run by Toby Pagan. This time Pagan ran the ball 82 yards for a touchdown behind key defensive blocks by Vince Castro, J. D. Borrego and Glenn Conner. Borrego then threw a sweet pass to Michael Garza for the 2-point conversion, making the

score 21-0 and ending the first half.

Pagan was on fire when he added another touchdown for the Cubs in the third quarter on a 23-yard run. The extra point failed.

The last touchdown of the game came on an amazing 76-yard run by Borrego with key blocks made by Raven Perez and Eliseo Treto. The Cubs' kick failed.

Ozona won the game 33-0.

"We got just an outstanding effort from all 20 players that were suited up," said Coach Osborn. "Our offensive and defensive linemen really dominated the line of scrimmage. These Cubs include Doug Duncan, Jared Bird, Alex Avila, Eddie Rios, Jeffery Gillit and Michael Garza.

"Our whole team has learned to play with intensity and focus. They have really improved every game."

The season record for the eighth grade Cubs is 5-0

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK



Jacob Tambunga
Graded 80% to lead the offensive lineman.

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK



Entire Defense
Held McCamey to 118 yards total offense and forced five turnovers.

SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK



Quay Oglesby
Covered well on all kicks, making several tackles, causing a turnover & blocking good on the kick and return teams

Cubs speed past competition

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Ozona Middle School Cubs' cross country team competed in a meet Oct. 14 in Sonora. Team placings were unavailable at presstime, but as individuals, all the Cubs placed in the

top 20.

Eliseo Treto blew away the competition as he placed first in the meet in a time of 11:55. Cub Aaron Lopez came in 10th in 13:11 while Clint Hale took 14th place in 13:22, and Jared Espino placed 16th with a time of 13:36.

Laken Villarreal led the Lady Lions, placing 12th with a time of 12:37. Katy Churchill was 17th in a time of 14:04 while battling severe shin splints. Paige Tambunga followed in 19th place in 14:06. Lori Rivas was 38th in 16:34, and Kelly Cunningham came in 47th in 17:33.

OHS cross country do well in meet

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Lions and Lady Lions' cross country teams traveled to Sonora Oct. 14 to compete.

Josh Tambunga placed 8th in a time of 16:34. Rigo Treto came in 18th in 17:14, and Tim Batura finished 44th in 19:27.

Laken Villarreal led the Lady Lions, placing 12th with a time of 12:37. Katy Churchill was 17th in a time of 14:04 while battling severe shin splints. Paige Tambunga followed in 19th place in 14:06. Lori Rivas was 38th in 16:34, and Kelly Cunningham came in 47th in 17:33.

The high school boys run three miles while the girls run two miles per meet.

District competition will be in Van Horn Oct. 23 at 9:00 a.m.

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Oct. 24 - Chickburger, Burger Salad, Tator Tots, Fruit

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Sept. 8 - Staff Development Day

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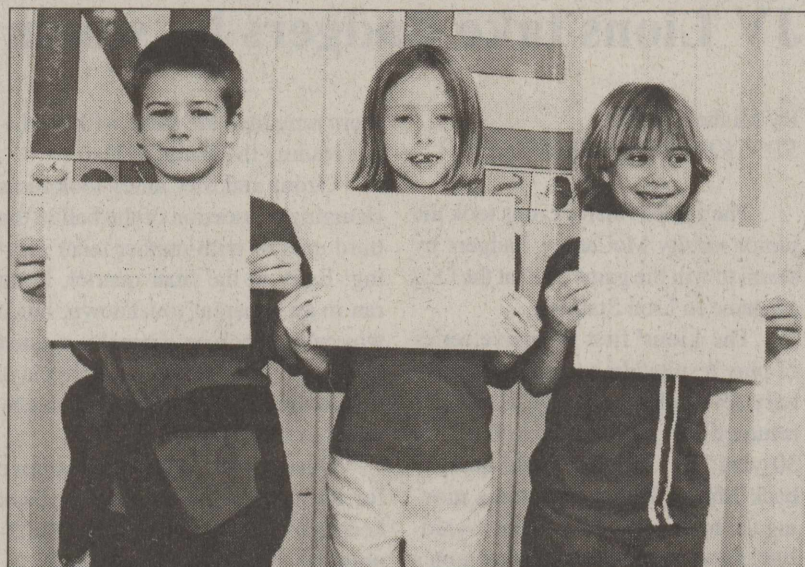
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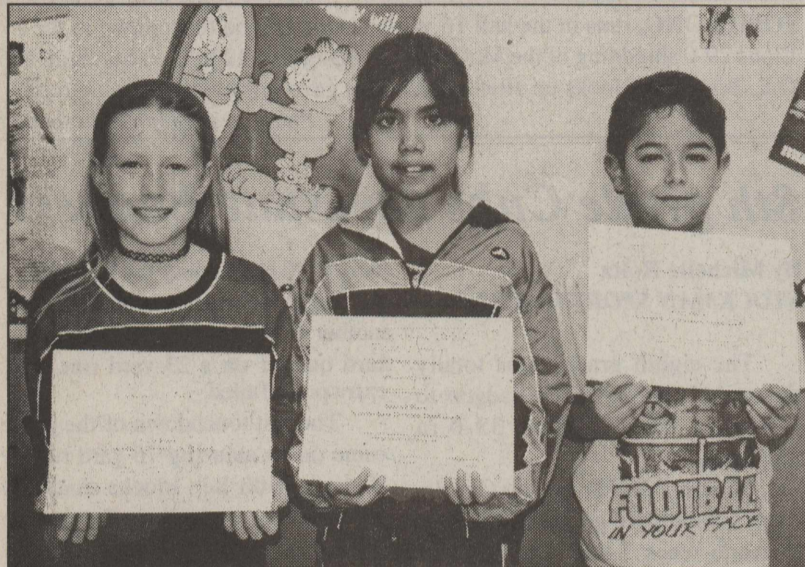
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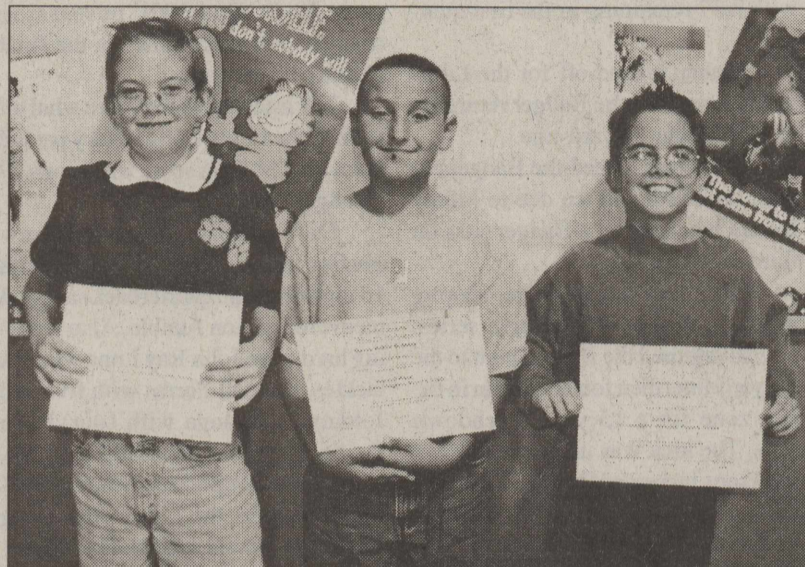
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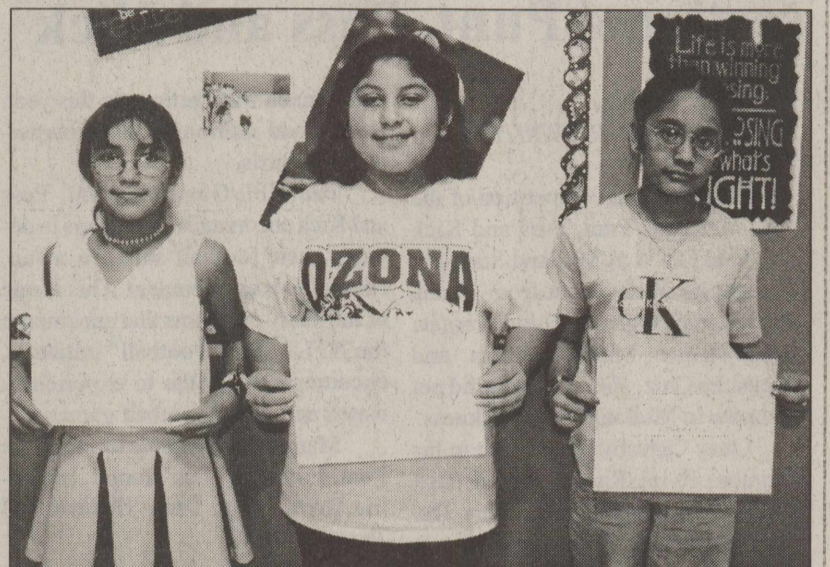
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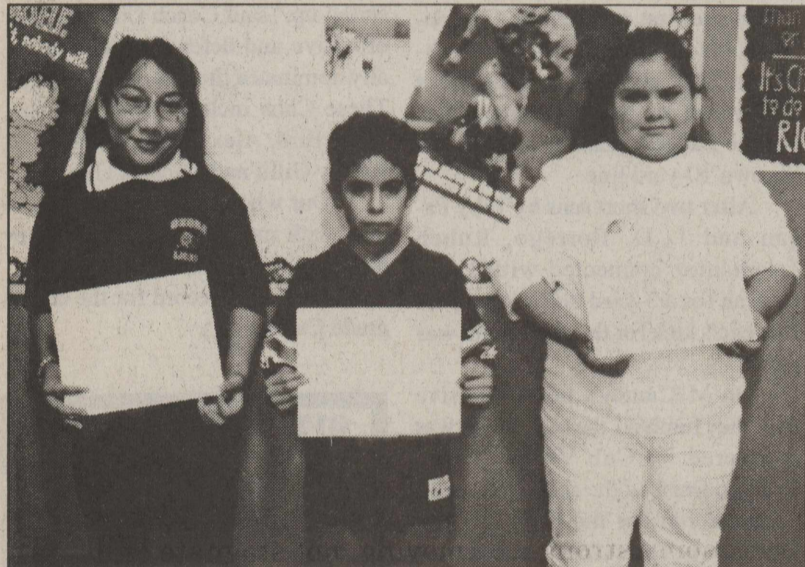
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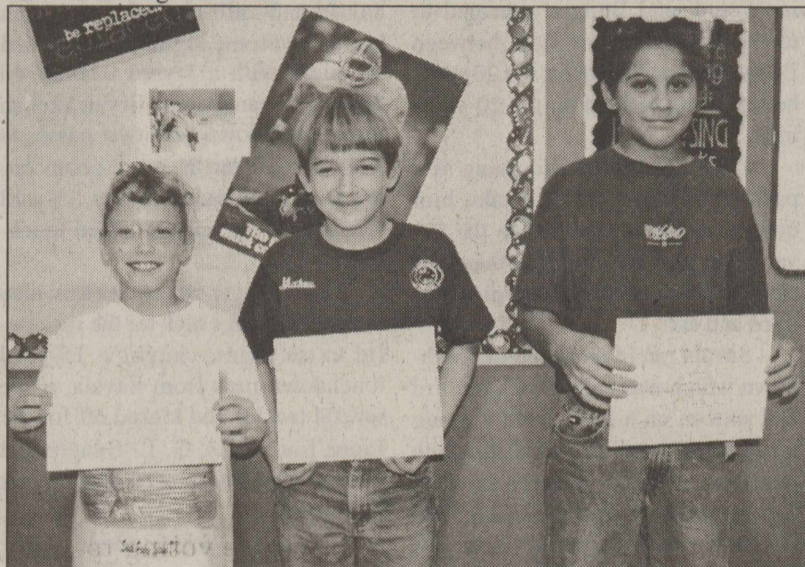
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•Lions whip Badgers (Cont. from front page)

In the third quarter, the Badgers fumbled the ball but recovered it. Three plays later, Ty Allen crushed the Badger quarterback behind the line of scrimmage, and McCamey had another penalty for 10 yards for second and twenty.

Ray Ramos then attacked the quarterback for a sack, pushing the Badgers further in the backfield, and Lance Unger and Abel Rodriguez smoked the Badger quarterback on the next play on another sack for fourth and thirty-one.

The Lions took over but were forced to punt four plays later. The punt was blocked and then recovered by a McCamey player on the 40 yard-line. McCamey received another 10-yard penalty for third and thirteen and then fourth and thirteen due to an incomplete pass.

Ozona returned the Badgers' punt to the 39-yard line, but later was forced to punt. McCamey had to punt four plays later.

The Lions scored their second touchdown of the game five plays later

on a 6-yard-pass from Arron Garza to Juan Garcia. Allen's kick was good for the extra point. Ozona increased their lead to 14-0 with :17 seconds remaining in the third quarter.

In the final 12 minutes of the game, the Badgers fumbled the ball one more time. Ozona recovered and moved the ball to the 21-yard-line where Allen kicked a field goal for three points.

With 6:26 remaining in the game, the Lions now led the Badgers 17-0.

McCamey could not seem to get it together, and Jarryd Taylor intercepted a Badger pass to totally frustrate the Badgers.

McCamey seemed pleased as they forced the Lions to punt, but their smiles and cheers were half-lived as Robert Ogle and Ray Ramos shared a quarterback sack and Jarryd Taylor added another punishing sack on the Badgers' quarterback.

Ray Ramos blocked the Badgers' 40-yard field goal attempt to foil the Badgers' chance to score. The Lions clawed their way and finally devoured the Badgers, winning the game 17-0.

"Our kids were really ready to play," Coach Steve Taylor said. "After a week off, they were hungry to hit somebody. Winning the first district game is always big. However, we still have four big games left."

"Defensively, our kids prepared well and ran to the ball as good as we have all year. Ray Ramos, Lance Unger and Ty Allen had great games up front. We came up with five turnovers, three fumbles, and two interceptions and held their fast runningback to under 80 yards."

The Lions will host rival Reagan County Owls in Lion Stadium Friday, Oct. 20, at 7:30 p.m. This will be an awesome game to see as the two teams battle for their second district win. Ozona's season record is 3-3 and 1-0 in district. Reagan County Owls' season record is 1-5 and 1-0 in district.

Cubettes place in top 45 in Sonora

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Ozona Middle School Cubettes' cross country team ran in a meet in Sonora Oct. 14. Team placings weren't available at press time. The six Cubettes placed as individuals in the top 45.

Britney "Speedy" Ramos ran to a third place with a time of 13:31. Candice Gandar took 18th in 15:24. Placing next for the Cubettes were Jasmine Tambunga in 25th with 15:53

and Mandy Fierro striding in 26th in 15:54.

Closing in on Fierro was Cubette Allison Skehan placing 28th in 16:03. Jessica Moore finished for the Cubettes in 43rd in a time of 18:52.



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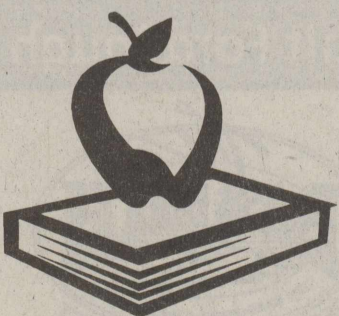
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STATISTICS

Ozona	McCamey
9	First Downs 9
40-181	Rushing Yds. 39-85
15	Passing Yds. 32
196	Total Yds. 117
5/11/0	C/A/I 4/16/2
2	Interceptions Ret. 0
3-3	Fumbles/Lost 4/3
5/19	Punts/Avg. 7/23
5/45	Penalties/Yds. 6/45

Scoring Summary: 1st. Qtr. Ozona Ray Ramos 57-yd. run; Ty Allen kick good; 3rd Qtr. Ozona 6-yd. pass Arron Garza to Juan Garcia; Allen kick good; 4th Qtr. Ozona Ty Allen 21-yd. field goal

Individual Statistics: Rushing - Ozona - Abel Rodriguez 11-43; Ray Ramos 8 for 85 and 1 TD; Jared Shaffer 8-32; Jarryd Taylor 5-17; Quay Oglesby 1-4; Kyle Richardson 3-4; Arron Garza 4 - (-3); McCamey - #5 22-79; #1 8-5; #9 3-4; #24 6-(-3)

Passing - Ozona - Arron Garza 9 of 5 for 15 and 1 TD; Kyle Richardson 0 of 2 for 0 yds; McCamey - #1 15 of 4 for 32 yds. and 2 interceptions; #5 1 of 0 for 0 yds.

Receiving - Ozona - Juan Garcia 2 for 13 and 1 TD; Ray Ramos 2 for 8; Arron Garza 1 for 6; McCamey - #24 2 for 16; #23 1 for 20; #5 1 for 4.

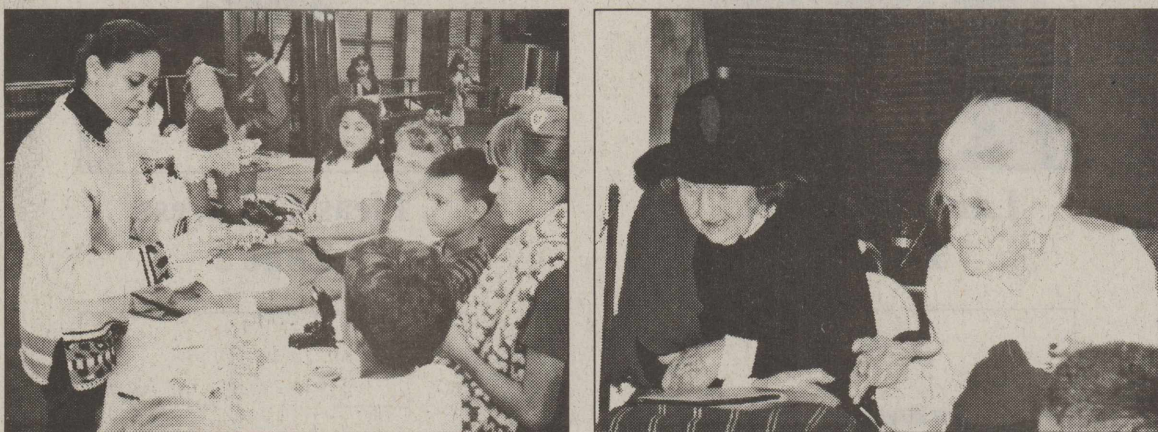
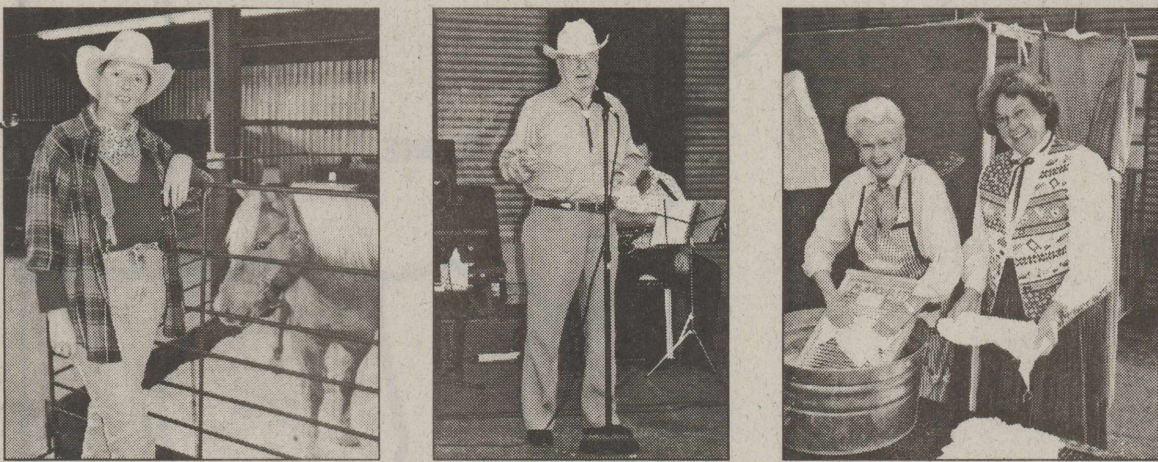
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A Message to the Voters of Crockett County

Republican leadership is working for Texas, and the GOP has a solid record of accomplishment to prove it. Republicans are committed to strengthening public education, improving the quality of healthcare, addressing the transportation needs of the state and limiting the size of government.

By electing Republicans in November, Texans will be voting to ensure the local control of our schools and to raise education standards and expectations. They will also be voting to strengthen the state's accountability system, so parents and taxpayers know whether their local schools are getting the job done.

By keeping Republican leadership working for Texas, voters can be confident that healthcare in our state will patient-centered. Patients' rights are now stronger than they have ever been, and Republican leaders will continue to work for a more flexible healthcare system in which those who seek a doctor's care are the ones who call the shots.

Texas Republicans recognize that population growth and increased trade are straining our state's roads and transportation systems. By keeping Republican leadership working for Texas in November, Texans will be voting to keep our economy strong and moving, not stagnate and stuck in traffic.

Texas has a long tradition of limited government, and Texas Republicans are working to make state government smaller and more efficient. After passing record tax relief for Texas families and businesses in 1999, Republican leaders will continue to make sure that taxpayers keep more of their own money to spend on their family as they see fit.

Republican leadership has worked well for Texas under Governor Bush, and with the help of Texas voters, Republican leadership will work even better under *President Bush*.

Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Republican Party of Crockett County, Betty Pery Treasurer, P.O. Box 1478, Ozona, TX 676943

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EMERALD UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUMMARY OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS AND CASH BALANCE 1997-2000

	1997 ACTUAL	1998 ACTUAL	1999 ACTUAL	2000 BUDGET
CASH BALANCE BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$189,287	\$212,845	\$246,265	\$255,340
REVENUE:				
TAX COLLECTION	\$162,949	\$162,655	\$141,193	\$156,101
INTEREST INCOME	\$9,801	\$12,525	\$12,478	\$12,124
OTHER INCOME	\$0	\$0	\$763	\$0
TOTAL REVENUES	\$172,750	\$175,180	\$154,434	\$168,225
TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR	\$362,037	\$388,025	\$400,699	\$423,565
DISBURSEMENTS	\$149,192	\$141,760	\$145,359	\$166,568
CASH BALANCE END OF YEAR	\$212,845	\$246,265	\$255,340	\$256,997

The Emerald Underground Water Conservation District has no outstanding obligations as of 9/30/00.

A Tax Rate of .02063 against a taxable value of \$772,111,570 will bring in \$159,286.62 at a 100% collection rate, less 2% collection fee = \$156,100.89.

CROCKETT SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

49th Annual Report

Soil and Water Conservation District Marks 50th Anniversary

The first step was taken by a group of Crockett County ranchers to form a soil conservation district in this county in the winter of 1949. A petition signed by 51 ranchers seeking an election to determine the sentiment among all landowners was submitted to the State Soil Conservation Board by County Agent William Bergfeld. The State Board then set a public hearing for January 10, 1950 to further inform the public of the proposed formation of the soil conservation district. Following the public hearing an election was set for March 10, 1950. Forty-five people cast votes at the election with 42 in favor and 3 against. A certificate of organization was issued from the Secretary of State's office on April 25, 1950 certifying that the Crockett Soil Conservation District #235 has been duly organized as a governmental subdivision of this State and a public body corporate and politic.

For the purpose of giving legal status to the district while in the formation stage, two directors were named by the State Conservation Board. The two directors were Ralph Jones and T. A. Kincaid Jr. The final steps in the organization of the District was to elect the remaining three members to the Board of Directors and prepare a program and plan of work. The three men elected to comprise the first board of directors of the Crockett Soil and Water District were Troy Williams, R. A. Harrell, and L. B. Cox Jr. T. A. Kincaid Jr. was elected as the first chairman, R. A. Harrell was named vice-chairman and Ralph Jones, secretary.

The District will bring to the landowners and operators the needed technical information and assistance of State and Federal agencies designed to assist agriculture through a cooperative planning program.

All of the objectives of the District established in 1950 are still in place today. New concepts, methods and programs for conservation have been developed through the years and are available to the District. One important aspect of the District is that all phases of assistance are completely voluntary. The current board of directors is Earl Acton as chairman, Larry Williams as vice-chairman, Pleas Childress, III as secretary and members are Paul Perner, III and Jack Baggett, Jr. Past members of the board include Charles E. Davidson, Jr., Bill Clegg, Dick Henderson, Fred Hagelstein, W. R. Baggett, Jr., Charles E. Davidson, 111, Joe Couch, Gene Perry, Donald Hoover and Steve Wilkins. Along with the original board of directors, all of these men have been dedicated to the conservation of our natural resources.

One of the important projects completed by the District was the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Project work on Johnson and Gurley Draws. After a disastrous flood occurred in June of 1954, resulting in the loss of 17 lives, the District and the Crockett County Commissioners Court co-sponsored an upstream watershed protection project in the area above Ozona. Seven dams were constructed along with two miles of channel improvement through town. The sponsors have the responsibility for the operations and maintenance of all works of improvement on the watershed. These dams have prevented several minor floods and are designed to prevent the occurrence of a flood such as the one in 1954.

Conservation Accomplishments

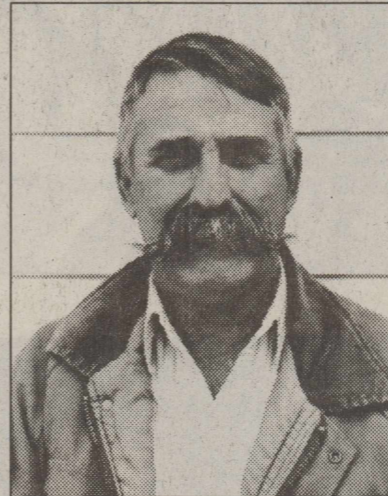
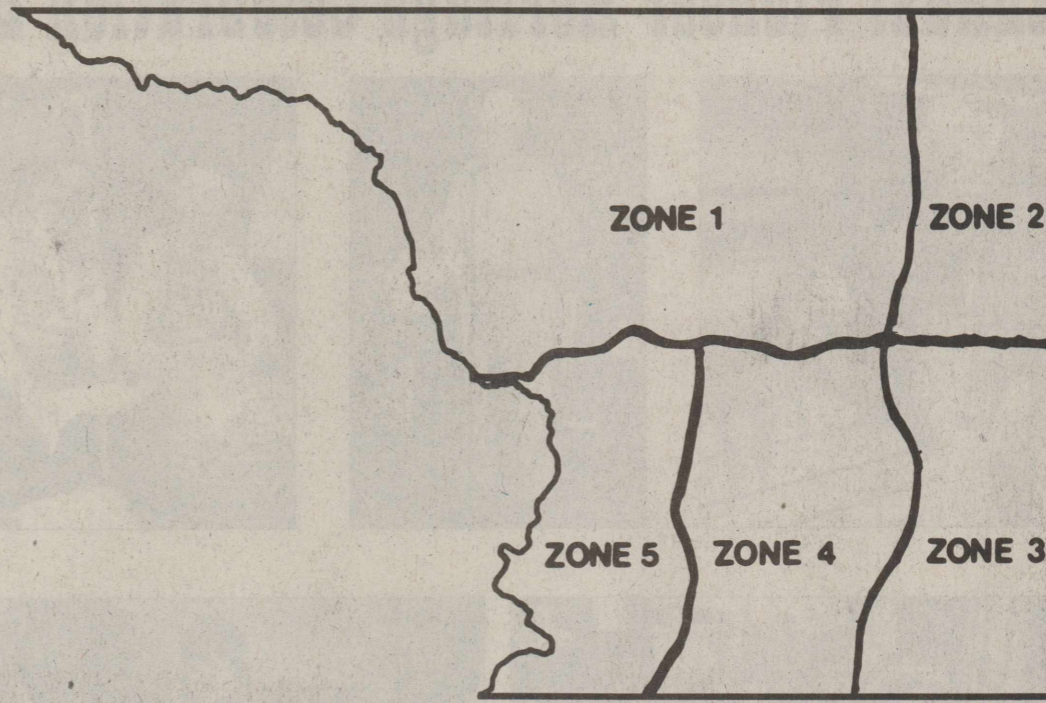
Land in District	1,785,020 acres
Land Under District Agreement	1,317,581 acres
Individuals Applying for a Conservation Practice	53
Active Contracts	21 on 134,284 acres

Combined Statement of Revenue, Expenditures And Changes In Fund Balances

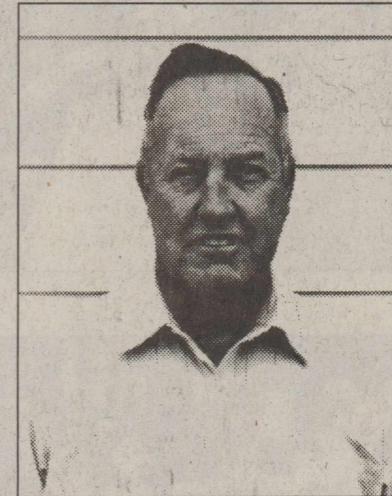
Crockett Soil And Water Conservation District — Number 235
For The Fiscal Year Ending August 31, 2000

	STATE FUND	TRUST FUND	OTHER FUND
REVENUE			
State Receipts			
Matching Funds	\$4,881.32		\$4,881.32
Technical Assistance	2,379.16		2,379.16
Donations		3,523.45	3,523.45
Sale of Material		10,451.44	10,451.44
Interest Earned		106.80	106.80
Other Receipts-Reimbursement for Texas Workers Comp Insurance	30.76		30.76
Federal Contract (Soil Survey)		8,518.25	8,518.25
TOTAL REVENUE	7,291.24	22,599.94	29,891.18
EXPENDITURES			
Salaries			
State Technical Assistance	2,379.16		2,379.16
Clerical	5,624.59		5,624.59
Payroll Taxes	695.23		695.23
Director Travel		189.30	189.30
Employee Travel	67.92		67.92
Bonds/Other Insurance	355.00		355.00
Bank Fees		15.00	15.00
Printing		245.00	245.00
Awards Program	125.00	565.50	690.50
Educational Program	60.77	608.45	699.22
Postage	165.00		165.00
NACD Dues		350.00	350.00
State awards Quota	20.00	335.00	355.00
State Assoc. Quota & other dues		50.00	50.00
Materials Purchased for Resale	230.66	9,241.08	9,471.74
Salary for Lynnda Gentry (Soil Survey)		6,725.25	6,725.25
Furniture/Equipment Purchases		333.75	333.75
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	9,723.03	18,663.50	28,386.53
Gain or (Loss)	(2,431.79)	3,936.44	1,504.65
Fund Balance Sept. 1, 1999	7,755.91	2,668.74	10,424.65
Fund Balance August 31, 2000	5,324.12	6,605.18	11,929.30

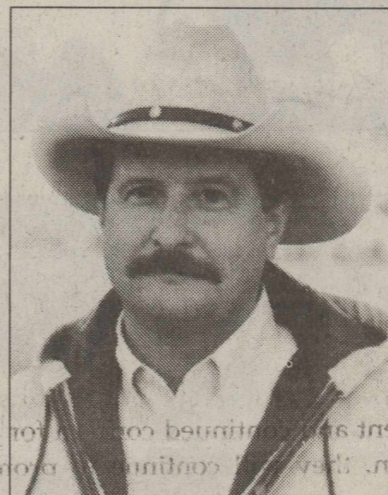
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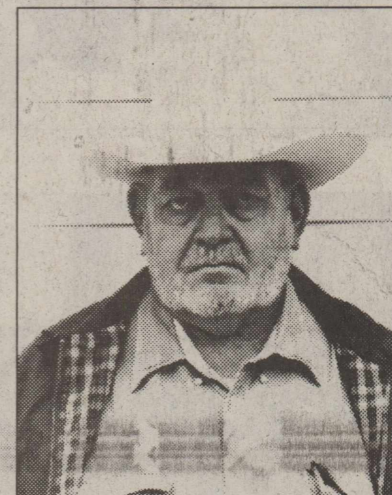
Larry Williams
Zone 1



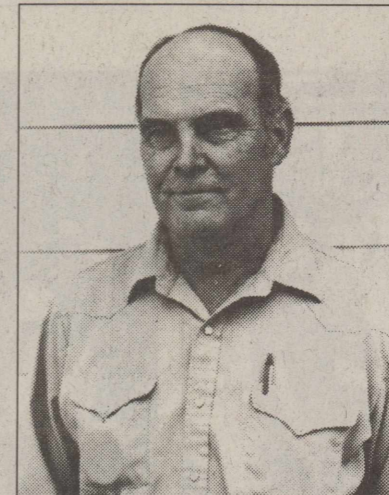
Pleas Childress
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Jack Baggett, Jr.
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Earl Acton
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Paul Perner
Zone 5

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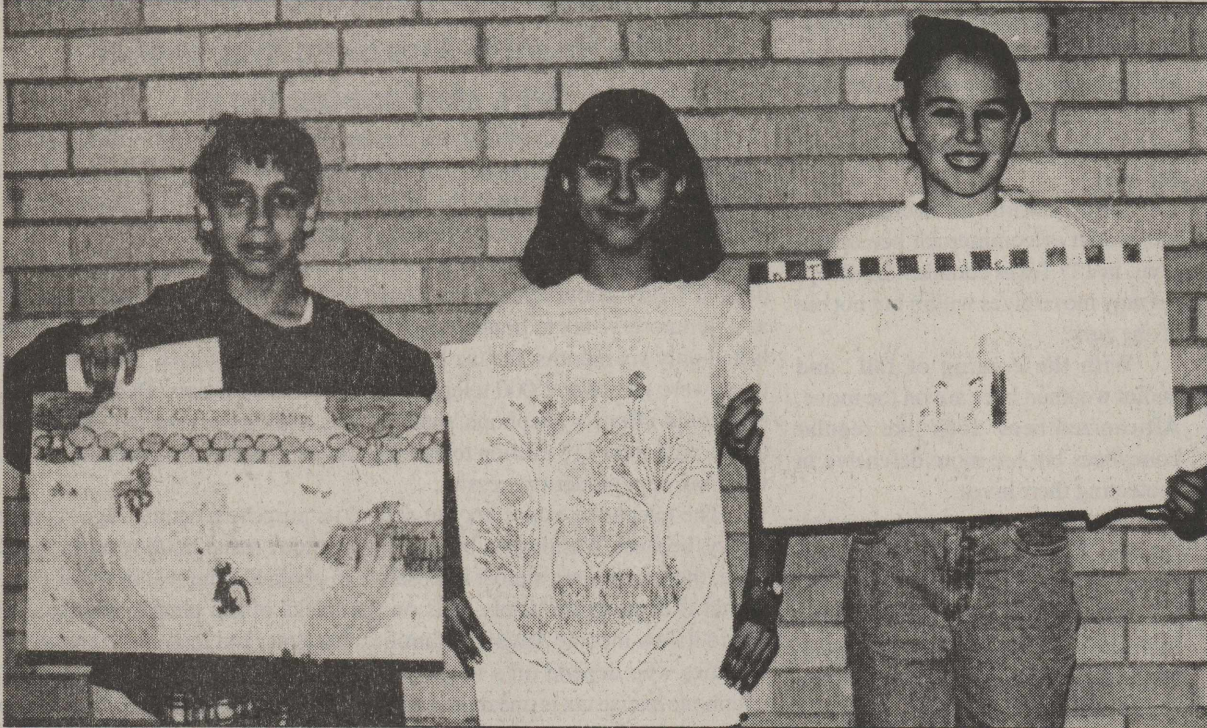


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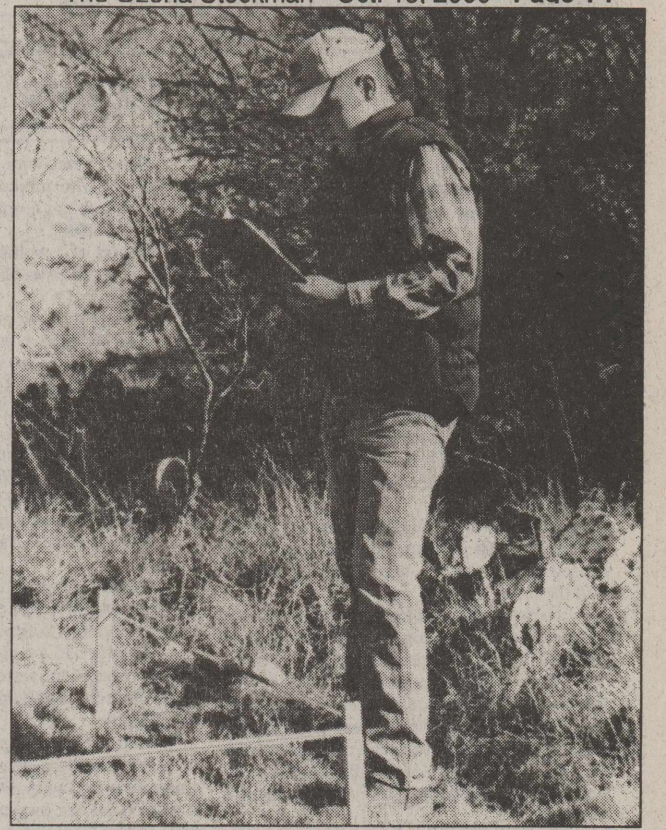
CONSERVATION POSTER WINNERS

The Crockett SWCD sponsored a conservation poster contest for the sixth grade class at the Crockett County Middle School. The students were presented a program about conservation and given themes for this year's contest. All of the students did a great job according to the District's Board of Directors. The first place poster was awarded to Daniella Houston, second place was Jasmine Tambunga and third was Allison Skehan.



CONSERVATION EDUCATION & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

The District is very dedicated to the education of our youth. The Crockett SWCD sponsored the Sixteenth Annual Conservation Field Day, the Poster Contest, co-sponsored the Crockett County Range and Plant ID contest and worked with the Sixth Grade Class of the Ozona Middle School on the Crockett County Conservation Collaboration. The Crockett SWCD is also one of fifty sponsors of the Resources Conservation Development Area. The RC&D was developed to promote community development in the Concho Valley Area.



This year's Range and Plant ID contest was held on the Friend Ranch. The 4-Hers learned to identify plants and evaluate range conditions based on the existing plant communities compared to the climax community. This enables the youngsters to determine ecological change in the plant communities due to drought, livestock management practices or presence of man.

1999 OUTSTANDING CONSERVATION RANCHERS



Marty Acton and Bobbie Renfroe were chosen as the recipients of the 1999 outstanding conservation ranchers. Marty and Bobbie were selected because they have done a superior job of range and ranch management. They grew up in the ranching business and carried on the excellent job of management taught to them by their parents, Earl and Pam Acton. Over half of the ranch has been tree dozed or aerial sprayed to control the mesquite and prickly pear. Along with the brush management they have installed over three and one-half miles of pipeline, a water storage facility and several troughs. A combination of brush management, water development, and grazing has greatly improved the quality and quantity of desirable forage. With their excellent knowledge of range and wildlife management and continued concern for conservation, they will continue to promote wise use of our natural resources and be leaders in the ranching industry.

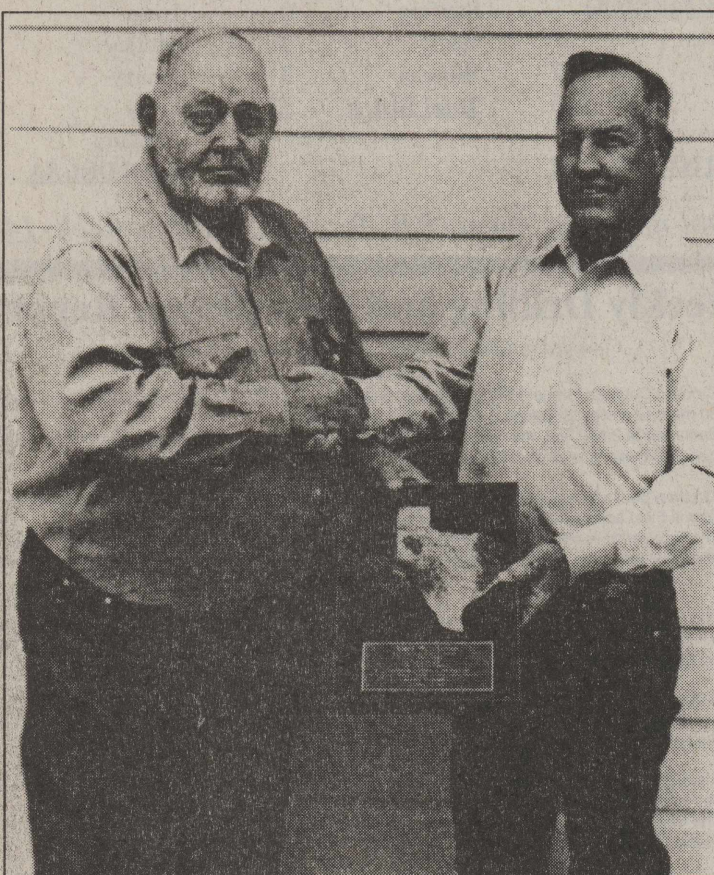


The Sixth Grade Field Day was held on the Gene Perry Ranch east of Ozona. The purpose of the field day was to increase the awareness of our natural resources and educate the students to the need for proper management to sustain and improve these resources. The student were presented information on range management, wildlife management and soils during the morning program by persons from the Natural Resources Conservation Service and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Ivan and Janet Weir entertained the group with a sheep dog demonstration. They showed how these dogs are used to assist ranchers in their everyday ranching operations.

Everyone attending enjoyed a hamburger lunch provided by Crockett National Bank. Following lunch, Pleas Childress and Larry Williams presented Daniella Houston with a plaque for her first place conservation poster. Miles Dabovich gave a presentation on agricultural products made from wool and mohair. Dennis Clark, Diane Anderson and Virgil Polocek showed the group how water moves underground and how to conserve it. The Perry Ranch was shearing sheep so the students were able to watch and see how a sheep is shorn.

To end the day, students took a trip to Ozona Wool and Mohair where Charles Seidensticker explained about the handling and processing of wool and mohair at the warehouse.

EARL ACTON RECEIVES APPRECIATION AWARD



After serving on the Crockett SWCD Board for 24 years, Earl Acton has decided to resign. Earl's dedication and service to the board is greatly appreciated and he will be missed immensely. *We thank you Earl for so many years of excellent service!*

WINDBREAK TREES AND SEED SALES

The Crockett SWCD is now selling windbreak trees. If anyone is interested, orders for trees will be taken from October through January. Grass seed sales for range improvement, pipeline reclamation and other conservation uses are available year round.

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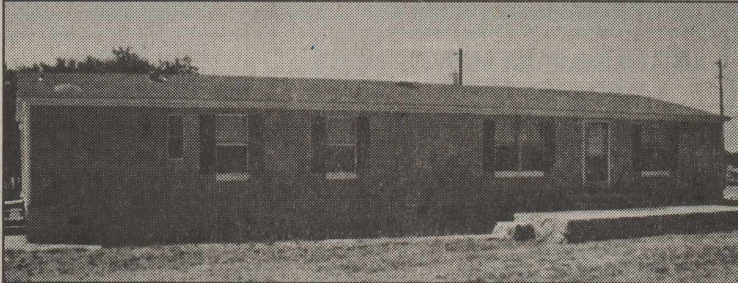
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NEW LISTING - Residential Lots

Owens Street & Ave. J - Up to 5 acres

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4 bdr. - Immaculate - Inside & Out - \$110,000 - Call for appointment

Large Country Style Home - 202 11th St

Large family home - 2 story, lots of extras, outbuildings and extra large lot. Call for appointment.

307 Ave. I - 3 bdr., 2 ba., **UNDER CONTRACT** w/ 400 s. ft. workshop..

610 Ave. H - Some new remodeling, 2 living, hardwood floors, large fenced yard with trees. **PRICED TO SELL AT \$49,900.**

123 Piedra - 3 or 4 bdr./3 ba. home with living, gameroom and metal roof. \$39,900.

1306 Couch - 3 bdr., C.H. **UNDER CONTRACT**..... \$36,000.

204 Ave. K - Good starter home, fenced yard, nice area. \$30,000.

1003 11th St. - 2 bdr., 1 ba., lg. living, kitchen and utility. \$27,000.

#22 Crockett Heights - Large living, 1 car garage, fenced yard. \$45,000.

204 11th St. - 4 bdr., 2 ba. **SOLD**..... \$45,000

1108 Ave. D - New carpet, hardwood floors, living, dining, den/gameroom, basement, must to see!! **PRICE REDUCED \$74,000.**

201 Ave. K - Cedar and brick exterior, living, den w/P, fenced corner lot, carport, shop. **PRICE REDUCED \$67,000.**

112 Mesquite - Hardwood floors, fenced yard, central heat. **PRICE REDUCED \$26,500.**

#33 Crockett Heights **CONTRACT PENDING**..... \$15,000.

1205 Ave. C - 4 bdr., 3 ba., gas C/H & electric C/A, new tile & wood floors, fireplace, hobby room, lg. utility room, attached carport, 2 car garage w/ storage, lg. pecan trees w/ front sprinkler system. \$86,000.

106 Ave. L - 3 bdr., 2 ba., double carport. Nice starter home. \$34,500.

1202 Ave. C. **SOLD**.....

Multi Level Spanish Style Home with over 7 1/2 acres. Over 3,700 sq. ft., including garage, 2 fireplaces, new roof, very nice rock walls, new fences, new barn, horse stalls, patios & deck - **\$130,000** (P.S. - Dr. Sims is not leaving town)

RANCH & COMMERCIAL LOCATIONS

605 Ave. H - 2 lots with office and warehouse/shop. \$37,000.

703 First St. - Lg. lot and bldg. with 2 offices, reception area, half-bath, and kitchen area. \$37,000.

Ave. B & I-10 Frontage Rd. - 1 acre on corner - 3 br., 2 ba. house and garage - can be converted to office or showroom. \$250,000.

Henderson Heights - 2 acres off of Henderson Street. Great for building. \$20,000.

COMMERCIAL BUSINESS: R & L BAR B QUE - Includes building and equipment

71 ACRES - Highway 163 Frontage - **\$2,500** per acre

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100 X 200 COMMERCIAL LOT - Ave. B - **\$25,000**

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641 acres 30 miles southwest of Ozona, 2 miles of paved county road access. Excellent hunting - deer, quail, dove, javelina - Lightly stocked and hunted. 169 acres & 472 acres.

Exxon Station - 901 Sheffield Rd. - Commercial Property - Broker/Owner

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RESIDENTIAL LOTS - Country Club Estates

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GIRLING HEALTH CARE, INC. Home Care Attendants needed in Ozona and surrounding areas to help with housekeeping and personal care. For more information call 800-665-4471 or 915-643-5604. 2c36

CIRCLE BAR RESTAURANT needs cooks and waitresses. Apply with Lisa at 392-2637 or 392-3129. tfc36

FULLTIME R.N. needed at Reagan Memorial Hospital in Big Lake. Excellent benefits and travel allowance. For more information, call Karen Gore, R.N. at 884-2561 or come by Reagan Memorial Hospital at 805 N. Main Street, Big Lake, TX. 2c37

HELP WANTED: Cooks and cook's helper. Apply in person at The Cafe Next Door. 2c37

DIESEL MECHANIC or shop foreman and experienced drivers needed. Excellent benefits: Health Insurance-Retirement Benefits-Monthly Performance & Safety Bonus. Drivers: Must have experience driving transports, vacuum trucks, operating pump trucks and winch trucks. Must have current Class A CDL. Good driving record, drivers days off schedule. Please apply in person at Niblett's Oilfield Service, Inc., Hwy. 277 South, Eldorado. No phone calls please. 4c37

JAILER VACANCY

Crockett County Sheriff's Department is accepting Applications for the position of Jailer through 10-27-2000. Salary \$20,091.00 per year.

Applicant must be citizen of the United States; at least eighteen (18) years of age; a high school graduate or have passed a GED test, or have obtained the equivalent of twelve (12) Semester hours at an accredited college or university; not have been discharged from any military service under less than honorable conditions; not on probation for a criminal offense of a grade of "Class A" or its equivalent within the last twelve (12) months; not been convicted of a misdemeanor of the grade of "Class B" or its equivalent within the last six (6) months; not been convicted of the offense of Driving While Intoxicated or Driving Under the influence of Drugs within the last two (2) years. Applicants should be of good moral character, be able to pass a background investigation and interview board. Successful applicants must pass a Psychological Evaluation, a Medical Examination and Drug Test. After employment, must complete a State certified Jail School within the first year of employment and pass the State License Examination. Applications can be picked up at the Crockett County Sheriff's Department in Ozona, Texas or by calling (915) 392-2661. Crockett County is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 2c37

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HOUSE FOR SALE--(Eldorado) 3 bedrooms, 1 3/4 bath, barn, screened-in porch. Call 915-223-0647 or 915-650-5359. 1x37

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For Rent or Lease

2 AND 3 BEDROOM Trailer for rent. Call J. B. Miller. 392-2641. Also large lot to rent for trailer. tfc52

FOR RENT: One bedroom furnished trailer with bills paid. 1306 #1 Ave. B. Also two bedroom trailer. 1p37

Miscellaneous

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During the past year person or persons unknown have damaged County road signs. The person who provides information that leads to the arrest and conviction of those responsible will be eligible for the \$500.00 reward. Those having information should call Sheriff Shane Fenton. Callers names will remain anonymous. tfc16

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