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God Bless America!

We salute all Americans who put their lives on the line keeping, protecting, overseeing and safeguarding our freedom.



Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

Town Square, Ozona, Texas.

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Letters to the Editor

15 September 2001

We have been attacked. And even as I sit here and review the week in my mind's eye I know that it has not all sunk in for me just yet. No matter how many hours I spend watching the video replays of this week's horrors or listen as our leaders vow to respond. Or observe those poor souls who vainly hold aloft pictures of loved ones who, sparing a miracle, are already dead. It matters little that I have predicted this day of reckoning for half of my lifetime and have on occasions marveled that it has not found us yet. This new enemy has been out there for some time now and has waited patiently for the opportunity to strike us down in this insatiable hate that has been misnamed as "religion". That opportunity presented itself and the result has come upon us all as the Biblical thief in the night. I am stunned and heartbroken and there is so much that I must still come to grips with.

However, I have come to grips with this fact. We are at war. And this enemy is more implacable than what the British, Germans, Italians, North Koreans, North Vietnamese, Spanish, Mexicans, Red Chinese or anyone else has ever been. And yes even more fanatical than Imperial Japan, who produced our darkest hour up to this time in our history. There are similarities between the attack on Pearl Harbor and what happened this past Tuesday. When I saw the smoke billowing from the Pentagon it appeared almost the same as the plumes that drifted from Battleship Row as the *Oklahoma* capsize and the *Arizona* lay smashed and broken. And it is all too clear that the ensuing rescue missions are no less daunting or pressed for time.

But this incarnation of Evil used civilian craft with civilian cargo to attack mostly civilian targets that has resulted in tens of thousands of mostly civilian casualties. He has traveled far and sought us out for reasons unfathomable to those who would be his unsuspecting victims. Our president and members of the first family were evidently targeted for assassination. Perhaps the greatest physical symbol of American prestige, the White House, was on this list made by madmen. Most probably so was the Capitol Building. And who knows what else or who else has unknowingly escaped utter devastation thus far? And for how long?

As I struggle with the great emotional weight of this past week's tragedies I feel that I should cry. It would

be a great release of feelings that have been pent up and put on ragged edge for too long. But I can't. No matter how many times I see those jets crash into those towers, or see Old Glory planted upon that heap of smoldering rubble, or hear the agony of family members mourning their loss, I still can't bring myself to it. It is not that I am one of those types who believe that real men don't cry. I know better. I have seen and suffered more than some and much less than others but every good man I ever knew reached the point of a tear on at least a few occasions. The thing is right now I am just too mad to cry. I am talking about a deep, boiling irrational rage from down deep where I live with myself. It is at this point that I can almost comprehend an inkling of the nature of the beast that must dwell in the mind of someone who would crash a civilian airliner into a building. I want to ride into the camp of my enemy and leave not one stone atop of another. I want the severed heads of those responsible skewered upon war lances and left at the gates of our camp as a warning to any future interlopers who might entertain plans of their own. I want blood payment in full with interest for those innocents who these demonic fiends have slaughtered in the past and for comrades that I once called friends who are now long dead. And I want their women to wail and pull their hair as they contemplate their empty wombs and their dying tribes. Revenge is said to be a dish best served cold but right now I would take a bowl full of it at any temperature. Now before any more atrocities are committed upon my people or upon my family or friends. May God forgive me but this is what I lust for. And, unfortunately, this is what may be demanded to save the world as we know it from these spawns from Hell who would stop at nothing to do us harm. They want a holy war? I say give it to them. Total, complete, merciless combat where the winner takes all and the loser is consigned to the dusty pages of history and a few failing memories. Then maybe we can all sleep a little better at night in this country. And maybe I can stare into the darkness and ponder the sheer waste of it all and shed my tears then.

May God bless America.
 Ben H. English
 Ozona, Texas

TERRORISM IN AMERICA

About noon on Tuesday I had a telephone call from a friend in the Operations Center at the Department of State telling me about the suicide bombings which had occurred in Washington and New York. As he spoke, he told me he could see huge amounts of smoke and fire rising from the Pentagon. He felt that these joint acts had been in the planning stage for about nine months, and that several American Embassies warned that several groups, especially those in Middle Eastern countries, were planning "a direct hit on the United States - something which would not be a pinprick

but the real thing". While there was no precise date given in any of the reporting, the threat was communicated from several American facilities abroad. Seemingly Washington officials tended to discount even this minimal reporting.

For some time we have heard and read about suicide bombings, helicopter-borne missile attacks, tank attacks, vehicle to vehicle shootings, sniper killings and dozens of firefights. A huge number of Israelis and Palestinians have died in this violence. We never seemed willing or able to realize that such events could take place in the United States. We refused to recognize that the Palestinian conflict has become more and more militarized. There have rarely been demonstrations or clashes involving stone-throwing Palestinians facing off against Israeli soldiers. Thanks to the United States, the Israelis have long maintained the most powerful and technologically sophisticated fighting force in the Middle East. Yet we in the United States have also known that Palestinians are increasingly organized into units that carry out guerrilla attacks and attempt to repel Israeli incursions into Palestinian-ruled territory. The suicide bomb, like that used in Washington and New York, is a low-tech and relatively inexpensive form of unconventional warfare for the terrorist, not that the Middle East Terrorists are starved for money.

Thus the world and its problems are at our doorstep. The fact that *The Ozona Stockman* felt the matter important enough to carry it on its front page is laudatory. It is a tacit recognition of what Pauline (Mrs. C. S.) Denham told her numerous fifth grade geography classes in Ozona during the forties - namely that the world would become small and we would have to be concerned with world problems. She felt that the flight by Charles Lindberg was only the beginning of this movement towards a smaller world. This smaller world means that very shortly I must go to Mathis Field four hours early just to get checked in for flights to Dallas, Chicago and Rochester, Minnesota. I do understand the reasons for this added security, but it is nonetheless a nuisance.

Yet this smaller world is something we don't really understand. We find it difficult to understand why the Islamic religion justifies the concept of Jihad (Holy War) and uprising (Intifada). We have been influenced in our understanding and even the labels we put on these activities thousands of miles from Ozona by Israel itself, which loudly contends that it is now and has been dealing with terrorists, not protestors participating in an uprising.

More than mere semantics is at stake. Osama Bin Laden the alleged mastermind of this situation, feels that the current conflict, which he labels an Intifada as well as a Jihad (Holy War), needs to be brought to America which he holds solely and uniquely responsible for Israel's actions against Moslems. After all, the United States provides the military hardware. But we must recognize that several governments, including the Palestinian Authority, find comfort in the ambiguity of calling this entire conflict an Intifada. This notion shores up what Palestinian President Yasser Arafat tells us constantly, namely that he can-

not and will not control the actions of every single Palestinian militant. Labeling the current conflict war would put the government that claims a mediating role for the Middle East in a difficult position. We make no bones about the fact that we are a military ally of Israel.

Thus the conflict which had its origins in the Middle East, has now spread to our shores. Contrary to not being involved in this entire scenario, the Bush Administration should recognize here and now that we are involved. The sole justification cited by many Middle Eastern radio stations for the suicide bombings in New York and Washington is an effort by those friendly to the Palestinians to counter what they regard as Israel's "escalations" with greater force, even though they surely know that their militants are no match for either the Israelis nor the United States. The current conflict which has inflicted enormous damage on our shores is designed to make Israel and its chief ally - the United States - suffer and suffer enormously.

The world of terrorism is a strange one. Our religious history and traditions rarely if ever justify such activities. Islam on the other hand, well remembers that Israel with passive if not active American support has imposed a virtual stranglehold on the West Bank, the Gaza strip, lands seized from Jordan and from Egypt, respectively during the 1967 Arab-Israeli War. A direct result is that the Palestinian nation, which they allege had lands seized by Israel, is operating an economy at a subsistence level; current estimates are that the poverty rate in all of these territories went from 21.1 percent before the crisis to over 35 percent at the end of 2000. And they are cognizant too that the number of Palestinians living on less than \$2 a day will reach over 50 percent by the end of this year. The groups friendly to the Palestinians thus feel that the activities of recent days will serve to make the United States aware of their situation and cause them to adopt a more even-handed approach to Israel and the Middle East.

During my career in the diplomatic service, I sought in vain to explain that suicide bombings and other similar activities can only inflame the United States. Their cultural upbringing brings them to a directly opposite conclusion. After all, they reason, of the nearly 800 people killed since this conflict in the Middle East began, Palestinian deaths outnumber Israeli deaths by almost 4 to 1. There are no answers to groups which engage in suicide bombings but we should leave no option off the table and do precisely what President George W. Bush suggests - to both the terrorists and to those countries which provide them sanctuary and training grounds. We best keep these factors in mind as we structure a response to the latest outrage. But make no mistake about it - we are involved. Isolationism won't do; we need more people to learn more about what is happening in the world at large and that takes not only human beings but lots of money. Only then can we make sense of why others may act differently from ourselves and develop enlightened policies accordingly.

Roy A. Harrell, Jr.

Ozona Weather Conditions and Forecast

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Sept. 10	81	64	-0-
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Sept. 15	86	63	-0-
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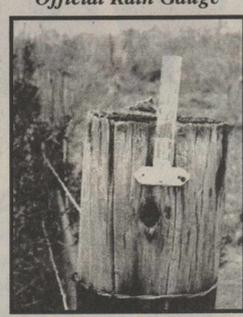
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Lo 64	Lo 63
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- 1/4 tsp. ground cinnamon
- 1/4 tsp. dried crushed oregano
- 1/8 tsp. pepper
- 5 slices bacon, cut up
- 2 T cooking oil
- 1 (4 oz.) can chopped green chilis
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/4 tsp. dried thyme, crushed
- 1/4 tsp. dried marjoram, crushed
- 1/8 tsp. ground cloves
- 4 lg. potatoes, peeled and cut into pieces

Trim visible fat from brisket. Cut small slits about 1 inch deep in top surface of meat and stud with raw bacon pieces and slivered almonds. In a large Dutch oven, brown brisket on both sides in hot cooking oil. Combine water, chili peppers, vinegar, garlic, salt, cinnamon, thyme, marjoram, oregano, cloves and pepper. Pour chili mixture over meat. Cover. Simmer for 1 hour and 45 minutes. Add potatoes and if needed, more water. Cover, simmer 45 minutes more or until potatoes are tender. Makes 6 servings

If you have a recipe you would like to share with *The Stockman*, please bring it by the office or mail it to Box 370, Ozona, TX 76943.

Happy Birthday

Sept. 19 - Michael Henry, Inez Gutierrez, Aimee Longoria, Nancy Vannoy, Brittney Avila, Ethan English, Carlos Martinez Jr.

Sept. 20 - Jackie Necessary, Stephen Lara, Felipe Castro Sr.

Sept. 21 - Mark Ramirez, Lupe Gonzales Jr., Raymond Borrego, Rose Garza, Gil Komechak, Larry Glossom, Julie Flores, Jerry Cantu, Melinda Hokit

Sept. 22 - Sonny Malone, Ruben Talamantez, Sam Perner, David McWilliams, Kelsey Galan, Lib Applewhite, Kristi Kirby, Andy Stokes

Sept. 23 - Scott Bailey, Laura Rodriguez

Reserve space now for arts and crafts show

Local exhibitors, organizations and churches need to get reservations and payments for the November arts and crafts show and sale in right away. Send your reservation form with payment to Sandra Ramon, Box 141, Ozona, TX 76943.

There will be no cooking or heating in center booths this year because of breakers. These booths will have lighting only.

Crockett County Museum Memorials

A gift to Crockett County Museum has been given by Mark White Insurance in honor of Jean Odom.

Memorials were given by: Mark White Insurance for Wanda Bunger, Mike Oglesby and David Bean

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Garden Club meeting focuses on flowers of the Bible

Thirteen members of the Ozona Garden Club met Monday, Sept. 10, at 1:30 p.m. at the lovely home of Lon and Laurie Porter. Assisting Mrs. Porter as hostesses were Virginia Hubbard and Mary Jo Mason. Members and four guests, Freida Zuberbueler, Norma Carson, Dawn Carter and Esther Williams, were invited to tour the old Carson home as the Porters' new bed and breakfast.

Vivian Childress, president, welcomed members with new yearbooks. Chris Beckham read the minutes from the previous meeting. A treasurer's report was given by Debi Hamilton, and Dorothy Montgomery gave a review of the Lone Star Gardener.

Maggie Ridgeway of Tom Ridgeway Florists presented a most interesting program taken from the book entitled *All The Flowers From The Bible* by Winefred. Mrs. Ridgeway read Bible scriptures and showed present day plant materials which were used as building materials, food and fiber for clothing. She showed examples which include the fig, grape, apricot, dandelion, mint, poppy, aloe vera, olive, rose and maize. Also made reference to are the lilly, oleander, iris, cotton, corn, willow, aspen, cyprus and redbud trees.

Members were reminded of the location of the next meeting to be in San Angelo at the Rustic Wheelbarrow on Oct. 9. Members are to meet for an 8:00 a.m. departure.

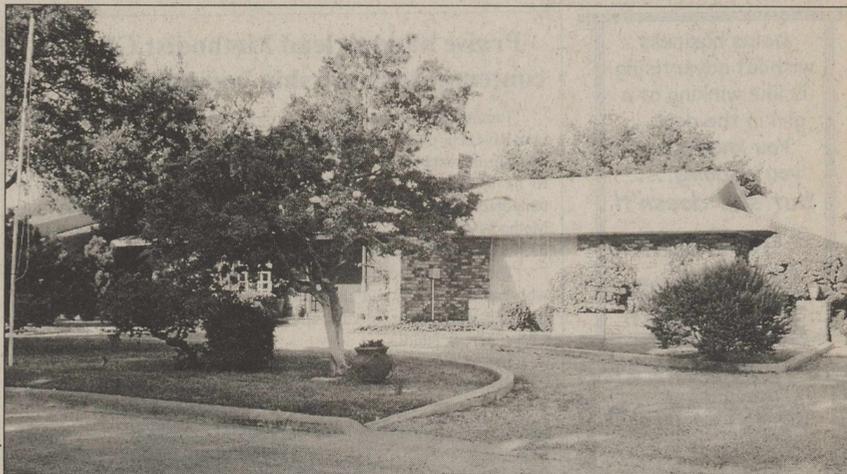
Members present were: Chris Beckham, Vivian Childress, Ella Clegg, Debi Hamilton, Virginia Hubbard, Mary Jo Mason, Dorothy Montgomery, Jean Odom, Jerri Lynn Pierce, Laurie Porter, JoNel Stokes, Grace Williams and Jonesy Williams
 Chris Beckham reporting.

It's a boy!


David Tambunga Landin Jr. (Havis) was born at 8:30 a.m. Aug. 17, 2001, at Angelo Community Hospital. He weighed eight pounds, 10 ounces and was 22 inches long.

Proud parents are Amanda Tambunga and David Landin Sr. Havis is also welcomed by his big sister, Mandy.

Grandparents are Amelia Tambunga and the late Bernardino Tambunga, C. M. Landin and the late Ida W. Landin. He is also welcomed by his only aunt, Grizz, and many uncles and cousins.



THE HOME OF BILL AND NANCY CHILDRESS has been selected by the Ozona Garden Club as Garden of the month.
 DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway

Rehab achieves three-year accreditation

West Texas Rehabilitation Center has been notified by The Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission (CARF) that its Abilene, San Angelo and Ozona facilities have received a Three-Year Accreditation of Outpatient Medical Rehabilitation Programs.

This accreditation is the highest level awarded to organizations that demonstrate substantial fulfillment of the standards established by CARF, an international accrediting body. An organization receiving a three-year accreditation outcome has put itself through a rigorous peer review process and has demonstrated that its programs and services are of the highest quality.

Woody Gilliland, president and chief executive officer of West Texas Rehabilitation Center, said "The Rehab has always strived to uphold the highest standards of healthcare. The fact that we have been CARF accredited since 1968 is testimony to the long-standing integrity of our programs and staff. This recent accreditation reaffirms WTRC's commitment to our patients and donors to improve the quality of life of those we serve."

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Tammy and David McWilliams have been practicing praise and worship choruses with several youth to be ready for the first Contemporary Worship at Ozona United Methodist Church on Sunday, Sept. 23, 9 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

The Praise Band will lead all who gather in songs and choruses from popular Christian CDs and Christian rock bands.

The 45-minute service will be informal and relaxed. People are invited to come in comfortable

clothes. Jackets and ties are not necessary!

The coffee pot will be on. Donuts will be served. Sit at a table or find a chair close to the band. But, be prepared to worship God in song and praise!

Pastor Nancy Mossman will deliver a pointed message based on Scripture and prayers will be offered on behalf of the people. All are invited.

Care for young children will be available in the nursery.



PICTURED ARE: (l. to r.) Philip Baggett, Brennan Brown, Robert Mossman, David McWilliams, Tammy McWilliams and Penny Stewart. Submitted Photo



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Marka has been a consultant for hospitals, nursing homes, schools and restaurants for 20 years. She presently consults for five hospitals and 10 nursing homes. She has been a professional caterer for more than 20 years and is a member of the Texas Chefs Association and the American Culinary Federation. She lives in Hale Center and has two daughters, Carrie, a sophomore in college, and Erin, a senior in high school.

⁽¹²⁾ Now we have not received the spirit [that belongs to] the world, but the [Holy] Spirit who is from God [given to us] that we might realize and comprehend and appreciate the gifts [of divine favor and blessing so freely and lavishly] bestowed on us by God.
⁽¹³⁾ And we are setting these truths forth in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the [Holy] Spirit, combining and interpreting spiritual truths with spiritual language [to those who possess the Holy Spirit.]
 I Corinthians 2: 12, 13

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Obituaries

Sept. 19 service for Mr. Allen

Jesse Wade Allen, age 81, of Ozona died Monday, Sept. 17, 2001, in Crockett County Care Center.

Graveside service will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 19, in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Arrangements are by Preddy Funeral home.

Mr. Allen was born Feb. 21, 1920, in Austin. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include: his wife, Viola Ruth Allen of Ozona; three daughters Debra Kaye Hamilton of Ozona Patricia Ruth Luckett and Sara Beth Lanphier, both of Corpus Christi; three sons, Jesse Turrill Allen of Utopia Rodney Truman Allen of Pleasanton and Mark Winfield Allen of Las Vegas, NV; one brother, Samuel King Allen of Rockport.

Care Center Chatter

Bingo winners for last week were Jo Richardson and Jessie McCarey.

On Tuesday morning, residents and staff watched T.V. in the main lobby as our country was attacked. It was a very sad day for all Americans.

Wednesday afternoon Len Hillman and Peggy Earl entertained our residents with their music and singing.

On Thursday mornings, it's beauty shop time for our lady residents. Our faithful volunteers for beauty shop are Jo Ann Williamson, Judy Reagor and Ruth Seahorn. Come volunteer for beauty shop. It's a lot of fun for all.

Commissioner Freddie Nicks came on Friday and entertained residents with his singing and music. Pat Nicks came and visited with staff and residents.

On Saturday afternoon, Professor Doug McClane came and enter-

tained residents with his classical piano music.

Thanks go to Levis and Lace square dancers who are so faithful on Thursday nights to entertain residents with their dancing.

The party for residents with birthdays in Sept. will be Friday, the 21st. Those celebrating will be Jose Arredondo and Wyna Boyd.

Churches that provide services for our residents are Ozona United Methodist, Ozona Church of Christ, Harvest Time Christian Center and Iglesia Bautista.

We still need door decorators for our residents' doors for Halloween and Christmas. Give me a call at 392-3096 or come by to sign up for a resident's door.

Have a good week from all of us here at Crockett County Care Center.
 Jan St. Clair
 Activity Director



THE CARE CENTER HOUSEKEEPING STAFF was honored during National Housekeeping week. They are: (l. to r.) housekeeping supervisor Inez Ortiz, Belia Reyes, Anna Yruegas, Lucrecia Varela and Maricella Tijerina. Not pictured are: Amy Cervantez, Matilda Cervantez and Margarita Castellanos
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Evil Exists in this World

By Rev. Velma Trimble
 Harvest Time Christian Center

We have all been stunned this past week as the tragic events of Tuesday, September 11th unfolded. We probably have all questioned how anyone could do such a thing.

We live in a world where both evil and good exist. God did not intend for it to be so, but He made man with a free will. Man chose to disobey God and through that disobedience sin and evil came into the world. God does not cause men to do evil. Men do evil because they are without Christ.

The "Good News" is that Jesus gave Himself for our sin, that He might deliver us from this present evil. Gal. 1:4

<p>First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D Rev. Bill Fuller Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.</p>	<p>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.</p>	<p>Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St. Rev. Nancy Mossman Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m.</p>
<p>Ozona Cowboy Church Cenisa St. Pastor Rick Thomas Thursday: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St. Rev. Charles Huffman Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m.</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p>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.</p>	<p>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.</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p>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.</p>	<p>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.</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p>Harvest Time Christian Center Assembly of God 604 11th St. - Rev. Velma Trimble Sunday School: 10 a.m. Morning Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship 6 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>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.</p>	<p>Attend the Church of Your Choice This Sunday</p>

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BEAUTY SHOP VOLUNTEERS on Thursday mornings are: (l. to r.) Jo Ann Williamson, Ruth Seahorn and Judy Reagor. Submitted Photo

Community Calendar

- Sept. 19 - Social Security Rep, Sr. Citizens' Bldg., 10-11:30 a.m.
- Sept. 25 - Cub Scouts, High School Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.
- Oct. 12 - Crockett County Museum - Pioneer Heritage Days, School Education Program. Contact Misty Morgan, 915-392-2837.
- Oct. 12-13 - Pioneer Heritage Days, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Emerald House. BBQ lunch with speaker \$5.00 per person. Contact Misty Morgan, 392-2837
- Oct. 19-21 - Fort Lancaster Annual Living History Tour: Star Party Friday, Reenactments Saturday, Texas Camel Corps, Barbecue Lunch, Church Service Sunday
- Oct. 23 - Cub Scouts, High School Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.
- Nov. 10 - 12th Annual Arts & Crafts Guild Crafts Fair, Convention Center, 10-5. No admission. Variety of food and arts/crafts booths. T. K. O'Bryant 392-3557
- Nov. 27 - Cub Scouts, High School Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.
- Dec. 1 - Museum Mohair Style Show, 2 p.m. Museum Reception Room. Raffle. Contact Misty Morgan, 392-2837.

To add your event to
 The Ozona Stockman Community Calendar, call 392-2551.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for their cares and concern, prayers and support while our son was in the hospital. A special thanks goes to Ray and Ollie Mae Chadwick for keeping our girls while were with Isaiah. Also, special thanks goes to everyone at the ER who cared for Isaiah and to everyone who travelled to Angelo to be with him. A very special thanks to Morris and Betty King for being there and helping with the girls and making sure they got home. We couldn't have done it without each and everyone of you. We love you all.

Eloy and Connie Gonzales

Porters open bed and breakfast

The Historic Carson House, a bed and breakfast, is officially ready for guests. Owners Laurie and Lon Porter hosted an open house Sunday afternoon, assisted by members of the Sonora/Ozona Sewing Club. Visitors enjoyed tours of the former Ira Carson home and sampled foods that will be served to those who stay there.

The Porters, who have come to Ozona from Alabama, changed as

little of the original house as possible. Known for its many arches, the house also has "lots of neat little nooks and crannies," said Mrs. Porter. An additional delight are the leaded glass cabinet doors and leaded and stained glass doors separating the formal living room and dining room. A stained glass inset is found on the outside of the front entry and the outer wall of the library. Antique furnishings are used throughout.

The house was erected in 1929 by Ira and Wilma (West) Carson. Designed in Mediterranean style by San Angelo architect Leonard Mauldin, the white stucco structure has a red tile roof. Guests have the choice of the Balcony Room, Mr. Ira's Room or Miss Wilma's Room.

The Balcony Room is decorated in two shades of peach and forest green. Yellow and blue were chosen for Mr. Ira's Room to pick up the colors of the light fixture. Miss Wilma's Room is cream and ivory with a floral sofa.

Soft sage greens and white are used in the formal rooms. The kitchen, breakfast room, private back hallway and master bedroom have soft sand and brick as their colors.

Mrs. Porter spent the winter covering cornice boards, making draperies and sheers, quilts, pillow shams, dust ruffles and embroidering dresser scarves.

Guests at The Historic Carson House will be served a sit-down breakfast prepared by Mrs. Porter. Bedtime snacks and desserts on Sunday afternoons and special occasions are also prepared and served by Mrs. Porter. Foods previewed for guests at Sunday's open house included two types of quiche, zucchini appetizers, orange cream cheese biscuits, cheese garlic biscuits, sausage cheese balls, chocolate swirl coffeecake, jam twists, chocolate peanut butter biscotti and cheddar apple vanoccka served with punch and wine.

The Porters chose Ozona for their retirement home and new business

through the process of elimination after much searching. Because both have asthma, they needed a dry climate. "We don't begrudge anyone rain, but we need a dry climate," said Mrs. Porter. They sought a place away from the big city, but with a city accessible. After investigating possibilities in Arizona and New Mexico and from El Paso to Brownsville, San Angelo was considered, but Ozona's water won them over.

"Ozona opened its arms to me, and that's what keeps us here," said Mrs. Porter. The town is so quiet she teasingly calls it "Mayberry".

Mrs. Porter came ahead with her alterations and wedding gown business, Dream Fitters. Mr. Porter arrived fulltime after retiring this spring from the University of Alabama, Huntsville, where he was a professor of electrical and computer engineering. She closed Dream Fitters "but can't seem to get away from the sewing machine" with all the work to be done for The Historic Carson House.

In addition to other renovations, they've removed carpets and refinished the hardwood floors. Kitchen cabinets and flooring have been replaced, and a new counter top is on the "to do" list. Mr. Porter also plans more landscaping and construction of a private patio.

The Porters have applied for membership in the State and the National Historic Registries. Once the home is accepted into the State Historic Registry, they are eligible to apply for membership in HAT, Historic Accommodations of Texas.



GUESTS AT THE HISTORIC CARSON HOUSE are sure to be pleased with the formal living room. DigiCam Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller



MISS WILMA'S ROOM in The Historic Carson House contains dolls from Laurie Porter's collection. DigiCam Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

Ozona Community Center September Newsletter

By Tonya Bullard

On Sept. 7, Ozona Community Center served a brisket pre-game dinner at the civic center and raised \$1,654.78. The board and staff would like to thank all the parents that donated potatoes and offered their time at this function. They would also like to thank Fesco, Marilyn Cox, Leesa Marshall, Laurie Hale, Sonya Hoover, Elizabeth Upham, Kenny Wadsworth, Terry Crawford, Victor Newton, Rick Hunnicutt, Greg and Shawna Hopper.

The children are now selling Ppermint Panda items to raise funds for educational toys and supplies.

We also have Center T-shirts for sale. If you would like to purchase one for yourself or your child, please talk to one of the teachers or Tonya Bullard at 392-2504. Thank you to The FootNote for all their help with this.

Fundraisers are very important to the center since tuition only covers salaries.

Upcoming fundraisers include the fall fashion style show tentatively set for Nov. 15.

Special thanks go to: Crockett County Common Consolidated School district, computers; Sue Ellen Crawford, books, calendars, poster borders, etc.; Vicky Munoz, butcher paper, posters, songs of colors, etc.; Doug Meador, CPR face shields; Mario Mendoza, Kenny and E. A. Wadsworth, Ed Hale, Roy Bullard, Todd Suter, Victor and Amy Newton, David and Nancy Mossman, Sandy Stokes and Burl Myers for labor and services.

The center was awarded a \$5,000.00 grant from the Permian Basin Foundation to be used to begin replacing its 32 windows. Last week, 14 windows were replaced, one of which was dedicated to the memory of Becky Childress, for her many years of support of the center and all the youth of Ozona. There have been five additional windows donated, and the center greatly appreciates this. If you would like to purchase a window in memory or in honor of someone, the cost is \$350.00.

The center is providing half-price daycare for parents that are in the ESL-English as a Second Language class at the First Baptist Church. The center also provided this service last spring.

Volunteers are leading a Christian Chapel Time for all the children at the center each day from 8:30 to 8:45 a.m. Resources are provided by the Methodist Church. The children hear Bible stories and sing songs. More leaders

are needed. If you would like to help, call Nancy Mossman at 392-3060. Current volunteers are Lupe Cervantez, Elizabeth Upham, E. A. Wadsworth, Velma Trimble and Nancy Mossman. Others who have served are Gail Spence, Lara Sue Baggett, Jean Odom and Rita Rios. Thank you very much.

CLASSROOMS: Ms. Linda's class is learning colors, shapes and recognizing numbers. Ms. Mitch's class is having fun learning their colors, too. The children enjoy singing, and The Rainbow song is their favorite.

Ms. Lisa is busy in the baby room, which is full.

Ms. Vickie oversees the after-school children's homework time then spends time doing crafts and outdoor play.

Each week, classes do different theme related activities. Please pray for our country!

PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS Special Election NOVEMBER 6, 2001

PROPOSITION 1 (HJR 52)

Proposition 1 would amend the constitution to relinquish the state's claim to certain disputed land in Bastrop County. The amendment would confirm legal title to that land, excluding any mineral interests, to the individuals who hold a disputed title to the land. The amendment would prevent a loss of title by people who bought and paid for property that was never transferred by the state because of faulty surveys.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing municipalities to donate outdated or surplus firefighting equipment or supplies to underdeveloped countries."

PROPOSITION 2 (SJR 37)

Proposition 2 would amend the constitution to establish the process for issuing up to \$175 million of state general obligation bonds and notes to provide aid to counties for access road projects to serve border colonias. Generally, a colonia is an economically distressed geographic area with inadequate public services (such as water supplies, sewer services, or paved roads) in a county without adequate resources to provide such services. These projects could include the construction of access roads, the acquisition of materials used in maintaining those roads, and projects related to the construction of those roads, such as road drainage. The Texas Transportation Commission, in consultation with the Governor, would be authorized to determine what constitutes a border colonia for purposes of selecting the counties and projects that would receive assistance.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of state general obligation bonds and notes to provide financial assistance to counties for roadway projects to serve border colonias."

PROPOSITION 3 (SJR 47)

Proposition 3 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to exempt green coffee and raw cocoa held in Harris County from property taxes in order to qualify Harris County as an exchange port for coffee by the New York Board of Trade. The authorization of exemption would not apply to any other county.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation raw cocoa and green coffee that is held in Harris County."

PROPOSITION 4 (HJR 1)

Proposition 4 would amend the constitution by setting the term of the fire fighters' pension commissioner at four years. The constitution currently provides that the duration of all offices not otherwise fixed by the constitution may not exceed two years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for a four-year term of office for the fire fighters' pension commissioner."

PROPOSITION 5 (SJR 32)

Proposition 5 would amend the constitution to allow a municipality to donate outdated or surplus equipment, supplies, or other materials used in fighting fires to an underdeveloped country. Current state law does not allow anything of value belonging to the state or its political subdivisions to be donated to another nation.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing municipalities to donate outdated or surplus firefighting equipment or supplies to underdeveloped countries."

PROPOSITION 6 (HJR 45)

Proposition 6 would amend the constitution to require the governor to call a special session of the legislature so that the legislature can appoint presidential electors when the governor determines that it is reasonably likely that the outcome of the election for a presidential candidate's electors will not be clearly determined in time for the appropriate electors to meet before the federal deadline to cast their votes. Under current law, when the people vote for a particular candidate for president, in reality they are voting for that candidate's electors who will meet to cast their votes for president. If the electors are not determined by the certification date, no electoral votes may be cast for the state. The proposed amendment ensures that the state's electoral votes will be cast.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment requiring the governor to call a special session for the appointment of presidential electors under certain circumstances."

PROPOSITION 7 (HJR 82)

Proposition 7 would amend the constitution to authorize the Veterans' Land Board to issue and sell up to \$500 million of additional general obligation bonds to finance additional home mortgage loans to veterans. Additionally, the proposed amendment would authorize the Veterans' Land Board to use assets from the land and housing assistance funds to create, operate, and improve veterans' cemeteries.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue up to \$500 million in general obligation bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for veterans' housing assistance and to use assets in certain veterans' land and veterans' housing assistance funds to provide for veterans cemeteries."

PROPOSITION 8 (HJR 97)

Proposition 8 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize the Texas Public Finance Authority to issue and sell up to \$850 million of general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the sale of the bonds would pay for construction and repair projects or for the purchase of needed equipment by the General Services Commission, the Texas Youth Commission, the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, the

Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, the Parks and Wildlife Department, the adjutant general's department, the Texas School for the Deaf, the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Public Safety, the State Preservation Board, the Texas Department of Health, the Texas Historical Commission, or the Texas School for the Blind and Visually Impaired.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$850 million in bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for construction and repair projects and for the purchase of needed equipment."

PROPOSITION 9 (HJR 47)

Proposition 9 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to provide for filling vacancies in the legislature without an election if only one person is a qualified candidate in the election to fill the vacancy. Under current law, a special election must be held to fill a vacancy in the legislature even if there is only one qualified candidate.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the filling of a vacancy in the legislature without an election if a candidate is running unopposed in an election to fill a vacancy."

PROPOSITION 10 (SJR 6)

Proposition 10 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to exempt certain items of personal property from property taxation by political subdivisions of the state if the property is warehoused temporarily in a location in Texas to be assembled, stored, manufactured, processed, fabricated, or repaired and then forwarded to another location inside or outside Texas. The proposed amendment would authorize a political subdivision that imposes ad valorem taxes, at its option, to tax this type of property after a local public hearing on the matter.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to promote equal tax treatment for products produced, acquired, and distributed in the State of Texas by authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation tangible personal property held at certain locations only temporarily for assembling, manufacturing, processing, or other commercial purposes."

PROPOSITION 11 (HJR 85)

Proposition 11 would amend the constitution to allow a schoolteacher, a retired schoolteacher, or a retired school administrator who serves as a member of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district, including a water district, to receive compensation for serving on such a governing body. Currently, state employees or other individuals who are compensated directly or indirectly from state funds are barred from receiving a salary for such service.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to allow current and retired public school teachers and retired public school administrators to receive compensation for serving on the governing bodies of school districts, cities, towns, or other local governmental districts, including water districts."

PROPOSITION 12 (HJR 75)

Proposition 12 would amend, repeal, or relocate several sections of the current

constitution to improve the clarity, organization, and consistency of the constitution.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to eliminate obsolete, archaic, redundant, and unnecessary provisions and to clarify, update, and harmonize certain provisions of the Texas Constitution."

PROPOSITION 13 (SJR 2)

Proposition 13 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize a board of trustees of an independent school district to donate real property and improvements formerly used as a school campus in order to preserve that property. The board may make the donation if the board determines that the property has historical significance, that the donation will help to preserve the property, and that the school district no longer needs the property for educational purposes.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to authorize the board of trustees of an independent school district to donate certain surplus district property of historical significance in order to preserve the property."

PROPOSITION 14 (HJR 44)

Proposition 14 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize a taxing unit, other than a school district, to exempt travel trailers from property taxation as long as the travel trailers are lawfully registered with the state and are not held or used for the production of income.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to authorize taxing units other than school districts to exempt from ad valorem taxation travel trailers that are not held or used for the production of income."

PROPOSITION 15 (SJR 16)

Proposition 15 would amend the constitution to create the Texas Mobility Fund, which would be administered by the Texas Transportation Commission. The Fund would finance the construction, acquisition, and expansion of state highways and would pay a portion of the costs of public toll roads and other public transportation projects. The legislature may reserve specific sources of state revenue for the Fund and may authorize the Commission to guarantee the payment of any obligations or credit agreements with the full faith and credit of the state. The attorney general shall determine the legality of any such obligations or credit agreements.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment creating the Texas Mobility Fund and authorizing grants and loans of money and issuance of obligations for financing the construction, reconstruction, acquisition, operation, and expansion of state highways, turnpikes, toll roads, toll bridges, and other mobility projects."

PROPOSITION 16 (HJR 5)

Proposition 16 would amend the constitution to reduce the waiting period required for a valid home improvement lien on a homestead from 12 days to 5 days. Currently, a lien may not attach to a homestead for a home improvement loan if the homeowner executed a contract for the improvements less than 12 days after applying for the loan. In addition, the proposed amendment would

authorize the conversion and refinancing of a personal property lien secured by a manufactured home to a lien on a homestead.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment prescribing requirements for imposing a lien for work and material used in the construction, repair, or renovation of improvements on residential homestead property and including the conversion and refinancing of a personal property lien secured by a manufactured home to a lien on real property as a debt on homestead property protected from a forced sale."

PROPOSITION 17 (HJR 53)

Proposition 17 would amend the constitution to allow the state to relinquish claim to certain state land and to clear title defects for persons who claim title to those lands. The proposed amendment would apply to land whose owners have disputed title to the land, but for which no patent from the state, giving clear title to the land, was ever issued. Among other requirements, all of the taxes due on the land must have been paid. Under current law, there is no procedure allowing the state to settle title disputes without a constitutional amendment for each piece of land in dispute.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to settle land title disputes between the state and a private party."

PROPOSITION 18 (SJR 49)

Proposition 18 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to create a program to consolidate and standardize the collection, deposit, reporting, and payment of criminal and civil court fees. If the legislature creates such a program, any new fees imposed by the legislature may not take effect before January 1 of the following year, unless an earlier effective date is approved by a vote of two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to promote uniformity in the collection, deposit, reporting, and remitting of civil and criminal fees."

PROPOSITION 19 (HJR 81)

Proposition 19 would amend the constitution to allow the Texas Water Development Board to issue up to \$2 billion of additional general obligation bonds. The Board issues bonds to pay for water supply projects, water quality enhancement projects, flood control projects, state participation in water and wastewater facilities, and projects for economically distressed areas. Current law limits the amount of bonds that the Board can issue.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of additional general obligation bonds by the Texas Water Development Board in an amount not to exceed \$2 billion."

Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el 6 de noviembre de 2001. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamada al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, TX 78711.

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Food For Thought luncheon Sept. 27

Everyone is invited to Food For Thought, a come and go luncheon focusing on nutrition for the body and soul. Sponsored by the Wesley Nurse Program, this stress free meal will include a short devotion led by the clergy of Ozona.

There is no charge, but donations are appreciated.

Food For Thought will be held at noon on Thursday, Sept. 27, in the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

National Waiting List for Organ Transplants As of February 17, 2001

Kidney	47,977
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FATHER HENRY LAENEN is pictured with the OLPH Fall Festival royalty. They are: (l. to r.) Adrienne DeHoyos, Lauren Najar, Fall Festival Queen April Vargas, Little Queen Alexandria Macias, Sophie Trevino and Adelia Alba. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler



THE STUDENTS AT OZONA HEAD START along with their parents were all smiles awaiting their Diez y Seis feast and festivities. DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway

Dealing with emotions in wake of attacks

Sadness, anger and fear are normal emotions following a disaster of the magnitude of the bombing of the World Trade Center and Pentagon, said Janet Payne, LMSW-ACP, Mental Health Essential Services Director for West Texas Centers for Mental Health Mental Retardation.

"I've been a clinician for a long time, and I'm very moved by this," she said. "No matter where we live, we can identify with the families of those who died. Initially you may feel very angry. Anytime there is a violation of this magnitude, it is normal to feel angry. We cope, process and make sense of this unthinkable event in our own unique ways."

It is because of these unique ways that Payne makes several suggestions for dealing with the attack on America.

*If watching television helps us to cope with the disaster...watch it.

*If watching television brings on intense unpleasant emotions...it is okay to take a break and come back when ready.

*The extreme sadness may bring on tears and it is okay to cry.

*Find someone you trust to talk to about how you feel.

*Emotions may ebb and flow...this is normal.

*If your reactions are very intense and talking doesn't provide relief, it is okay to seek professional help.

*Do something concrete. Give blood or donate to organizations that need help.

*Take time during the day to grieve over the tragedy and then get back to the business at hand.

*Return to your daily routine. Feelings of normalcy will begin to return.

Children can find themselves frightened over what they see and hear on television. Young children, in particular, may struggle with the continuous news coverage. Payne suggests the following to help children:

*Listen to your children - they may be trying to make sense of the attack and want to talk about it with you.

*Answer their questions to the best of your ability. Do not give more information than they asked for because this could lead to more confusion.

*Assure them that they are safe, that you as well as their teachers and

friends are there for them and will be in the future.

*For very young children, turn off the television.

*For children old enough to understand, encourage them to talk with you about what they see and hear on television.

*Get back on track with the children's schedule...if it is soccer night, then it is soccer night. Children love routine and a structured day. This will provide a sense of normalcy.

*For very young children, ask them to draw a picture about what they see and hear. Encourage them to talk about it if they choose.

West Texas Centers for MHMR provides certified clinicians to debrief those who are struggling with traumatic events. This is especially helpful for groups such as students, church groups and community organizations. "We can go into the schools, work with a class of students who may be struggling with the violence of the attack and help them process their feelings."

For more information on mental

health services or how to access a professional to talk with your school or organization, contact West Texas Centers for MHMR at 915-263-0027. West Texas Centers for MHMR is a community based public mental health and mental retardation center that provides services for more than 2,200 people a month in 23 rural West Texas counties.

Arts and crafts festival Sept. 22-23 in Odessa

The 12th annual Odessa Arts and Crafts Festival will be held Sept. 22 and 23 in the Ector County Coliseum. Artists and crafters from throughout the southwest will be on hand with original art, limited edition prints and handcrafted items.

Hours for the festival are Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 5:00 p.m. There is no admission charge.

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American Legion mobilizes support network

An intense nationwide effort is underway by the American Legion to assist families of American service persons whose deployment in re-

Price-gouging illegal

Texas Attorney General John Cornyn on Sept. 14 re-issued warnings to retailers who engage in price gouging activities to profit from the tragedies in New York City and Washington, DC. The notice came as Gov. Rick Perry granted a 30-day extension of his disaster declaration, giving the attorney general authority to take legal action against price-gouging violators under the Texas Deceptive Trade Practices Act.

"Governor Perry has made it possible for my office to continue the pursuit of price gouging businesses," Attorney General Cornyn said. "We've seen cooperation among violators...and I expect that to continue...because they know I'm extremely serious about punishing those who break the law."

As of noon Central Standard Time Sept. 14, approximately 1,800 complaints of alleged price gouging had been received by the attorney general's consumer protection division. About 95 percent of the complaints involve gasoline and diesel prices, though there are reports of price hikes at some grocery stores, car rental agencies, and other businesses that provide items of necessity. Confirmed price gouging violators face fines of up to \$10,000.00 per incident, and can be forced to pay attorney's fees and restitution.

Texasans who suspect incidents of price gouging should contact the consumer protection hotline at 1-800-337-3928 or 1-800-252-8011; complaints can also be registered on the Internet at www.oag.state.tx.us. Investigators follow up on these reported incidents and, in most cases, resolve them with a phone call.

Attorney General Cornyn is also warning against groups and individuals who may solicit donations but have no intention of sending them to the survivors and families of Tuesday's terrorist attack. "Be especially cautious of those who ask for donations over the telephone, and never give out your credit card or bank account number to someone you do not know."

sponse to the heinous acts of terrorism in New York and Washington, DC seems inevitable. America Legion National Commander Richard J. Santos says, "Our Family Support Network is designed to meet family needs that seem to slip through the safety nets of society."

The American Legion toll-free telephone number, 1-800-504-4098, is available to family members and military personnel around the clock. "Our members know what family separation is like and the unexpected problems it can bring. The Family Support Network is a volunteer effort that works to ease those problems," Santos said.

Calls are processed and referred to members of the American Legion, The American Legion Auxiliary and the Sons of The American Legion in the communities where military families reside. These hometown volunteers will attempt to assist the family members. Callers are expected to provide their name, the city and state they are calling from and telephone numbers where they can be reached. In most cases, they will receive a return

call within two working days.

"As the nation's largest veterans' organization, our commitments to our men and women in uniform and their families never wavers," Santos added. "American Legion Service Officers and other volunteers among the Legion family know their communities and they know how to get things done."

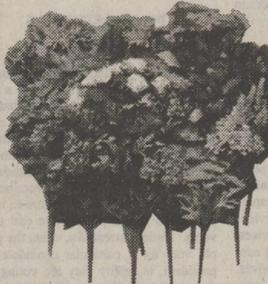
The Family Support Network coordinates with family service personnel at military bases and state headquarters for National Guard and Reserve units to monitor specific needs and to avoid duplication of effort.

"We know the military services have a solid family support operation, we want to supplement those efforts, with a special focus on those families who are not living near an active duty military base where such operations exist," Santos said.

During the Persian Gulf war, The American Legion Family Support Network handled more than 34,000 telephone calls and provided a variety of services for family members.

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OZONA SPEAKS OUT....

Ozona citizens join the nation in shock and horror at the terrorist attacks on New York and Washington, DC, Sept. 11. Below are the comments of some of the community regarding the attacks, the job being done by President Bush and their sorrow for those who died and their families.



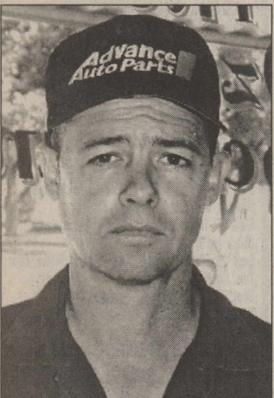
JANIE CHANDLER

It's a terrible tragedy, but it's brought America together for the first time in years. We all have one thing, a basic aim, to get rid of bin Laden. But anyway, I don't want anything to happen but I think it'll be okay. I think we'll all be okay.

I just have very sad feelings. I think it would be horrible to have to sit there and wait to find out if your loved one was dead. I just think I don't know if I could do that. I would if I had to, but I just, I really ache for them.

Do you think President Bush is doing a good job?

Yes, most definitely. I think he is really doing the right thing. In fact, I would just take and do the whole country, destroy it, but there are lots of women and children, and you hate to get the innocent ones because he's (bin Laden) so mean. But I don't think we should do like we did with Saddam. Wait around and wait around and lose him. I don't.



BEN ENGLISH

We have the finest team we could ever hope for as far as our administration right now. The gentlemen we have up there, Mr. Ashcroft, Gen. Powell, Mr. Rumsfeld and dozens of others, they've dealt with this before. They've dealt with the people there; they know what kind of terrain they're talking about, they know what the political situation is.

All I think the American people need to do now is stand behind them and keep standing behind them because this is not going to be days or weeks or months - this is going to take years. It took us years to get into this situation; it's going to take us years to get back out of it.

They're already dissecting now, they're doing their backtracking. They'll find that this is linked through the Cole attack, the Riyadh attack; they'll find it's linked to both the embassies, which I think is already fairly well-known, that were hit in Africa, and they'll find out that it goes all the way back to the bombing in Beirut in 1983. I've read Osama bin Laden's proclamations, and I've lived through it. Of course, I don't read Arabic. I have to read the translations, and he specifically targets us. He considers us a nation of cowards. He really believes that he's going to get away with this. He considers us a nation of cowards because every time we've been faced with a situation such as in Beirut, and such as in Somalia when our troops have been attacked and we've taken casualties, we've basically tucked our tails and run. That's all he knows. He thinks we're a na-

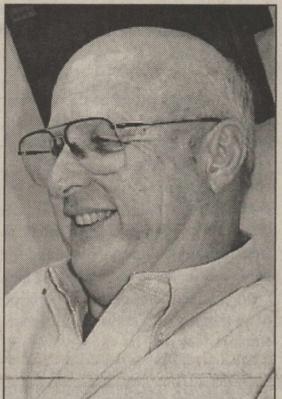
tion of cowards.

I can't keep (from) thinking about those people (the victims and families). I wish my fellow Americans would understand that this is just the beginning unless we do something about this. We have to stop it. And if it means a very ugly, nasty situation with an implacable foe, that's what we're going to have to do. Again, this is just the beginning. It just kills me.

I watched that (the attack) happen. I was down in Austin teaching firearms, and we got the first word and we told them that we had word that two civilian airliners had struck the World Trade Center towers and more than 50% of the people out there on the firing line thought we were playing some kind of a sick joke on them. They just couldn't believe it.

And I still don't believe it. I can sit there and watch that video tape and watch that video tape and listen to these people, these poor people are standing there with pictures of their loved ones who are probably dead for days now, and I can't believe it.

You know, I talked to people whenever Pearl Harbor was attacked - you read your history. People just could not believe it. And I cannot believe this. It'll take awhile for it to sink in.



JOHNNY JONES

I feel just like everybody. I think it was a terrible tragedy and the way it was done, innocent people were involved, you know, in the name of some political or personal vendetta whatever it might be.

I think it's going to be a long, hard situation to resolve because it's going to be hard to answer militarily because we are dealing with small groups in diverse areas and of diverse backgrounds. It seemed to hate the United States. It's a very sad situation, and it's going to be hard to deal with.

Do you think there is a danger of terrorist infiltration into the United States by way of the Mexican border?

I don't think it's any riskier to be in Ozona than in New York City. I think probably we're less vulnerable because what can they hope to accomplish out in some of the rural areas. They're going to concentrate where they can get the most impact, the most publicity, and do the most damage that they see. I feel like we're less vulnerable. I don't think Mexico, particularly that border, is as susceptible maybe as the Canadian border.

It's just really sad that terrorists target innocent people, which is their way of doing business, and I don't know how you effectively combat it, but we've got to try everything.



CAROLYN HARRIS

I feel it was a big tragedy, and I think the President should do whatever we need to do to get it cleaned up.

I really feel sorry for them (the victims and families). I think everything should be done to help them that

can be.

I think we should go after them and show that we can not be pushed around. I really do.



DELLA GARCIA

I do believe he (Bush) is doing a fantastic job considering the fact that he just started office, and he's doing what any president has to do to keep this terrorist under control before it gets any worse.

I put myself in their (victims and their families) place and I would feel tragic. It really would.



AMPARA ENRIQUEZ

I think it was very sad that that happened. (the attacks). I think he's (the President) doing the best he can at this point. I think he's going about it the right way, taking his time, finding out who the right people are who are responsible for it.

I saw some news on CNN, and there are some people that are real upset that it's not moving quicker, and that's what they think. I think that you ought to look at all the obstacles and that way, him as the president and a citizen, I think it would be better to say, "I looked at everything at all the angles", than just say "We feel it's him (bin Laden). Let's go attack this country." I think it's better to look at this picture overall as much as we can.

I'm so sad for the victims and their families. That is something that I've never been faced with. To this day I still have all my parents, all my family, so I can't say that I know what they're going through because I don't, but I can feel for them that it would be hard as a mother and a sister and everything. It's just a sad deal.



SANDY STOKES

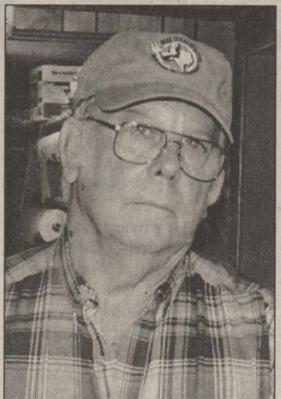
Do you think the President is doing a good job?

I think he has. I think he's exhibited real leadership and concern for real emotion plus it's nearest what the people in the country are thinking about. We've got to do something to recover some sense of security in this country and ourselves.

It's (the attacks) a terrible waste of human life, all extremely talented and obviously people from all walks of life and all nationalities. It's just an

indiscriminate loss of life. It seems completely unnecessary.

This, I think, may be a defining point in the history of our country, which, if there is any positive to be gained out of this, that maybe we'll find that we've got a lot more common issues, a lot more reasons to stay together as a country than all the petty fighting that we've been doing, politics and otherwise, the last few years. If there's anything positive to be gained about this, I see that at least this point, I hope that we can continue a unified front.



FRED BUIE

My opinion is we've got to do something. If we don't do it, where are they going to hit next? It could be a home, it could be in a more populated place than where they hit. So I definitely believe we've got to do something.

Do you think there's a possibility

of threat from terrorists coming into the United States by way of Mexico?

Really, I don't if they do what they say they're going to do. They're really going to patrol that border and take stiffer measures.

Do you think the President is doing a good job?

I do so far. I think Bush is doing a good job. I voted for him and I hope he does (a good job). But so far he is.

My heart goes out to all of them (the victims and their families), and prayers, too. It's just horrible.



CAROL BUIE

I think that since we are going to have this situation facing us that our airline pilots should be behind locked metal doors, and they should not be required to come out. They should have guns, both of them.

I heard a man say on the news that he did not want the pilots to have guns because they were not trained in it.

Prayer services held in Ozona

The people of Ozona comforted each other and joined the nation in mourning last week following the terrorist attacks in New York City and Washington, DC.

Approximately 200 people gathered at the football field Tuesday night for a prayer service.

On Friday, Ozona's Ministerial Alliance conducted a community prayer service in the high school gymnasium prior to the regularly scheduled pep rally.

OLPH Fall Festival events rescheduled

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church cancelled fall festival events scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 16.

Plans are to reschedule on Oct. 14 according to Fannie Sanchez, church secretary.

Rumors circulate around West Texas

Rumors abounded in this part of West Texas last week that a credit card used to buy gas here had been used to reserve a seat on one of the planes in the Sept. 11 hijacking.

The car was supposedly stopped between Ozona and Iraan by a Pecos County officer, the occupants detained



OZONANS GATHERED AT LION STADIUM the evening of Tuesday, Sept. 11 for a prayer service to express their horror and sorrow at the day's tragic events. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler

and later turned over to the E.B.I. and taken to an undisclosed location.

Variations on this rumor surfaced in Iraan, Fort Stockton, Rankin, Sonora and Ozona with no confirmation.

DPS Sgt. Carl Mayfield and Sheriff Shane Fenton said they had heard

Well, if they've got enough brains to learn to be an airline pilot, they've got enough brains to learn how to shoot a gun.

I would far rather know that if I were on a plane being hijacked that pilot was going to bring it down someplace even if they killed everybody in the back that they were going to bring it down someplace safe rather than bring it down inside a bunch of innocent people. It's inexcusable that we're not protecting ourselves any better than we are.

Take all us old people and send us over there and fight than to take our younger generation and have them slaughtered over there. They wouldn't get much out of us, but there's a bunch of us.

Fred: As long as it would be one on one, old people against old people.

Carol: It breaks my heart to think of these kids having to go over there. That could wipe out a whole two generations of kids. Young men and women.

Everybody said, 'Oh, we knew by the time the second one hit it was terrorists.' Well, I didn't. I still didn't. I thought 'How stupid. What's the matter with those pilots.' You know, it didn't enter my mind. But then I don't hear all this 'they're coming, they're coming'.

You know, and I'm not willing to give up my grandson or my son, either. I'm willing for them to do something and do something properly. We have other options. But I think Bush will do something, and Cheney is a great man, too, but we're praying we don't have to do it the hard way with troops.

Will be cheaper to drill new well

Drilling a new well to replace #4 would be cheaper than trying to save the old well, water district board members were told recently. Rehabilitation of the well or replacement is part of a \$3,000,000.00 improvement project to comply with Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission requirements.

Engineer John Voller, who is with Hibbs and Todd, reported to the board on Sept. 10 that below 300 feet, the well is in "a serious corkscrew" with variations of five to 40 feet. The hole could possibly be straightened to some degree, but the best solution is to drill another well according to Voller. He told the board that a change order to drill a new well and the cost of plugging #4 would cost \$3,000.00 to \$5,000.00.

A company from Lubbock can run a two-dimensional scan to identify strata to assist in locating the place to drill, Voller said.

Continuing his report on progress of the water district improvements, Voller said there is a six-week delivery time on pumps.

Work on the pipeline to Crockett Heights and Circle Bar Truck Corral progresses. Air relief valves and individual meter taps are being installed as the line is put down, Voller said.

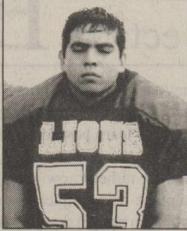
Replacement of fire hydrants in town will be done in clusters to limit the inconvenience to the public as much as possible.



OZONA SCOUTS presented the colors at the prayer service conducted by the Ozona Ministerial Alliance prior to the pep rally last Friday. Scouts pictured are: (front to back) Phillip Baggett, Levi English, Glenn Conner, Grant Stevens, Ross Kelly and Matthew Harris-Cane. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler

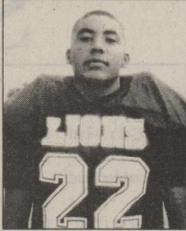
Introducing The OHS Varsity Football Players

By Michelle Holtz, Stockman Sportswriter



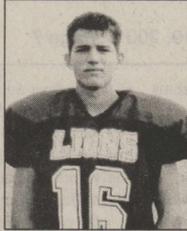
Eliberto Onate

Class: Senior #53
Offensive Position: Center
Defensive Position: Linebacker
Specialties: Kick Off Return
Parents: Eliberto & Gloria Onate



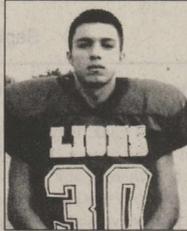
Gus Perez

Class: Senior #22
Offensive Position: Tight End
Defensive Position: Middle Linebacker
Specialties: Kicker
Parents: Johnny & Maria Elizondo
Gus is also involved in cross country and track.



Kyle Richardson

Class: Senior #16
Offensive Position: Quarterback
Defensive Position: Free Safety
Specialties: Field Goal
Parents: Wade & Jane Richardson
Kyle also participates in NHS, FCA, 4-H, FFA, Track and U.I.L.



Abel Rodriguez

Class: Senior #30
Offensive Position: Tailback
Defensive Position: Strong Safety
Specialties: Punt, Punt Return, Kickoff, Kick Return
Parents: Abel & Josie Rodriguez
Abel is also involved in cross country, track, tennis, basketball and baseball.

IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER BY CLASS

Crockett County 4-H hosts horse show

Crockett County 4-H Horse Project hosted their annual County 4-H Horse Show Saturday, Sept. 15. Thirty-six Crockett County 4-H member participated in the day-long event. Thanks to numerous adult leaders and volunteers, the event was a tremendous success with some \$1,800.00 in prizes awarded thanks to numerous donors.

Winners of the All-Around Cow-boy and Cowgirl in each division are:
8 and Under Boys - Lane Hale; 8 and Under Girls - Allie Black

9-11 Boys - Latham Ducote; 9-11 Girls - Jayci Miller
12-13 Boys - Dub Walston; 12-13 Girls - Victoria Miller
14-19 Boys - Clay Hale; 14-19 Girls - Lana Stewart

Showmanship winners included:
14-19 Division - 1 Clint Hale, 2 Hayse Worthington, 3 Katy Churchill, 4 Clay Hale, 5 Jake Stewart

12-13 Division - 1 Dub Walston, 2 Dean Wadsworth, 3 Tell Churchill, 4 Zane Coates, 5 Lakin Aaron

9-11 Division - 1 Julia Henderson, 2 Jayci Miller, 3 Brandyn Tebbetts, 4 Keelin Wiley, 5 Latham Ducote

8 and Under - 1 Lane Hale, 2 Allie Black, 3 Murphey Black, 4 Sol Stokes, 5 Sierra Stokes

Western Pleasure class winners included:

14-19 Division - 1 Lana Stewart, 2 Ashley Wortman, 3 Hayse Worthington, 4 Clay Hale, 5 Katy Churchill

12-13 Division - 1 Tell Churchill, 2 Dub Walston, 3 Caleb Mitchel, 4 Lakin Aaron, 5 Zane Coates

9-11 Division - 1 Jayci Miller, 2 Julia Henderson, 3 Keelin Wiley, 4 Latham Ducote, 5 Brandyn Tebbetts

8 and Under - 1 Sol Stokes, 2 Murphey Black, 3 Lane Hale, 4 Sierra Stokes, 5 Allie Black

Western Riding class winners are:
14-19 Division - 1 Lana Stewart, 2 Ashley Wortman, 3 Katheryn Walston, 4 Hayse Worthington, 5 Clay Hale

12-13 Division - 1 Tell Churchill, 2 Zane Coates, 3 Lakin Aaron, 4 Dub Walston, 5 Caleb Mitchel

9-11 - 1 Jayci Miller, 2 Keelin Wiley, 3 Brandyn Tebbetts, 4 Julia Henderson, 5 Latham Ducote

Barrel race class winners are:
14-19 Division - 1 Lana Stewart, 2 Hayse Worthington, 3 Jake Stewart, 4 Katy Churchill, 5 Clay Hale

12-13 Division - 1 Victoria Miller, 2 Dub Walston, 3 Caleb Mitchel, 4 Dean Wadsworth, 5 Zane Coates

9-11 Division - 1 Jayci Miller, 2 Julia Henderson, 3 Brandyn Tebbetts, 4 Keelin Wiley, 5 Latham Ducote

8 and Under Division - 1 Murphey Black, 2 Allie Black, 3 Lane Hale, 4 Jadynd Poindexter, 5 Sol Stokes

Flag class winners include:
14-19 Division - 1 Lana Stewart, 2 Clay Hale, 3 Hayse Worthington, 4 Katy Churchill, 5 Ashley Wortman

12-13 Division - 1 Victoria Miller, 2 Dub Walston, 3 Lakin Aaron, 4 Caleb Mitchel, 5 Dean Wadsworth

9-11 Division - 1 Jayci Miller, 2 Julia Henderson, 3 Brandyn Tebbetts, 4 Keelin Wiley, 5 Latham Ducote

8 and Under - 1 Lane Hale, 2 Sol Stokes, 3 Allie Black, 4 Jadynd Poindexter, 5 Quatro Jones

Pole bending results are:
14-19 Division - 1 Lana Stewart, 2 Jake Stewart, 3 Clay Hale, 4 Clint Hale, 5 Hayse Worthington

12-13 Division - 1 Victoria Miller, 2 Dean Wadsworth, 3 Caleb Mitchel, 4 Zane Coates, 5 Lakin Aaron

9-11 Division - 1 Jayci Miller, 2 Julia Henderson, 3 Brandyn Tebbetts, 4 Keelin Wiley

8 and Under - 1 Allie Black, 2 Lane Hale, 3 Jadynd Poindexter, 4 Sierra Stokes, 5 Shelbie Darr

Goat hair pulling placings are:
8 and Under - 1 Sol Stokes, 2 Lane Hale, 3 Jadynd Poindexter, 4 Sierra Stokes, 5 Murphey Black

Goat tying results are:
14-19 Division - 1 Hayse Worthington, 2 Clay Hale, 3 Katy Churchill, 4 Lana Stewart, 5 Clint Hale

12-13 Division - 1 Zane Coates, 2 Caleb Mitchel, 3 Victoria Miller, 4 Dean Wadsworth, 5 Dub Walston

9-11 Division - 1 Jayci Miller, 2 Keelin Wiley, 3 Julia Henderson

Goat roping results are:
14-19 Division - 1 Clay Hale

12-13 Division - 1 Victoria Miller, 2 Dub Walston

Tie-down calf roping results include:
1 Zane Coates, 2 Clint Hale, 3 Clay Hale

Break-away roping winners are:
14-19 Division - 1 Hayse Worthington, 2 Clay Hale, 3 Clint Hale

12-13 Division - 1 Zane Coates
Ribbon roping results include -
14-19 Division - 1 Clay Hale, 2 Hayse Worthington, 3 Clint Hale

12-13 Division - 1 Victoria Miller, 2 Lakin Aaron

Team roping results are:
14-19 Division - 1 Clay Hale, 2 Hayse Worthington

Eighth grade Lions beat Iraan Braves

The eighth grade Lions traveled to Iraan last Thursday, Sept. 13, to take on the eighth grade Iraan Braves in game two of the season. The Lions would play an incredible game and beat the Braves 24 to zip.

Ozona's defense was right on target as they set the tone for the game. Linebackers Derek Wiley and Nick Perez along with defensive tackles Miguel Rivas and Kyle Fish did a great job shutting down the inside, and forced the Braves to try to run outside most of the game.

In the first quarter, the Lions' defense forced the Braves to fumble on the first offensive play of the game. Wiley recovered the ball for the Lions. On the Lions' first offensive play of the game, Justin Galan, quarterback, had another great game running the Lions' attack. Ozona's first score of the night was set up by a 25-yard pass from Galan to Dean Wadsworth. Then Jack Rodriguez carried the ball for a seven-yard touchdown run. The kick hit the crossbar and fell short. The

Lions, however, led the Braves 6-0.

In the second quarter, Zane Coates capped a long drive with an 11-yard sweep around the left end for the Lions' second score of the night. The Lions were now up 12-0. On the last play of the half, Clint "Crazy-legs" Hale made one of the most exciting runs of the night on a 44-yard scamper.

In the third quarter, Galan connected with tight end Dusty Thomas on a 48-yard pass for the Lions' third touchdown of the game. The extra point was no good. The Lions led the Braves 18-0. The Lions' last touchdown of the game came on a 21-yard run by Jared Espino. The Lions continued their assault on the Braves leading 24-0 going into the fourth quarter.

Ozona was unable to score in the final quarter; however, they kept the Braves from scoring throughout the night. The Lions caused the Braves to fumble the ball six times in the game. Others recovering Braves fumbles

besides Wiley were Perez, Wadsworth, Thomas, Rodriguez and Albert Barrera. Daniel Cruz recovered the Lions' only offensive fumble of the night.

Lions Coach Steve Osborn stated after the game, "I am extremely proud of the way everyone is contributing for our team. We have scored seven touchdowns in the last two games with seven different players. We are really playing together as a team both offensively and defensively."

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK



Abel Rodriguez

Abel had 11 carries, 92-yards and made several good runs.

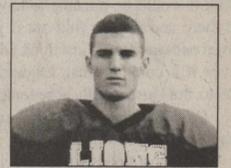
OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK



Quay Oglesby

Quay was in on 18 tackles, including two behind the line of scrimmage and one quarterback sack.

SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK



Robert Ogle

Robert punted the ball well on seven punts and averaged right at 40-yards.

Seventh grade Lions defeated

The seventh grade Lions traveled to Iraan Sept. 13 to take on the seventh grade Iraan Braves. The Braves would be more than the Lions could handle as they defeated Ozona 24-0.

In the first quarter, the Braves scored on a short touchdown run. The two-point was also good for the Braves to take an early lead over the Lions 8-0. Despite the Lions' defensive efforts the Braves were still able to score in the second quarter as well due to a 20-yard Brave pass. The two-point conversion was good for the Braves who increased their lead to 16-0.

The Lions tried their best to score but couldn't get through the Braves' tough defense. The Braves scored their final T.D. of the night in the third quarter on a 12-yard run. The two-point conversion was good. Neither team scored in the final quarter.

Making big plays for the Lions were Caleb Mitchel, Colby Mayfield, and Freddy Fierro who were all exceptional against Iraan's running

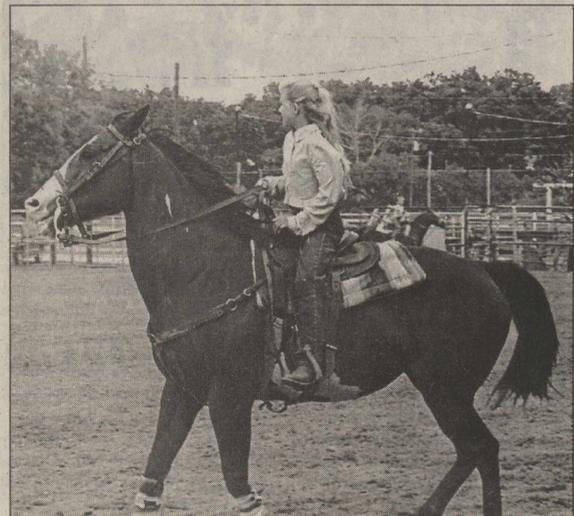
game. Felipe Perez recovered a Brave fumble, and Jordan Long intercepted a Brave pass.

Lion Coach Rick Bachman stated, "This was a very hard fought game on both sides of the ball in which our young men gave a vallant effort. We just couldn't quite move the ball against a very solid Iraan defense. Their linebackers did an excellent job in stopping our running game, and we were never able to have success in our passing game."

I was very proud of the way our players responded in the second half, and we played much better both offensively and defensively. We had a couple of big plays, but each time our execution was slightly off. I expect this team to improve from week to week as they begin to understand the game a little more each week. Coach David Delgado has done a superb job in preparing the boys on defense, which I feel will be the key to their ultimate success this year."



THE CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H shooting sports club has received a \$3,500 grant from the National Rifle Association. This grant came about with a lot of hard work and time from the shooting sport instructors. This money will be used to purchase safety equipment, air rifles and make improvement to the current shooting ranges. This club at present time has 44 active participants and is continuing to grow. Anyone interesting in 4-H shooting sports contact the Extension Office. The club would like to thank the NRA for their support. Pictured are: (front) Travis Zuberbueller and Danny Anderson. Back: Jake Stewart, Lana Stewart, Andy Birkenfeld and Brian Anderson.



BRANDYN TEBBETTS placed 5th in the Western Pleasure class in the 4-H Horse Show held Saturday, Sept. 15. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

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Sports Page.....

Freshman Lions roar past Mustangs

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The freshman Lions hosted the freshman Midland Christian Mustangs at Lions Stadium, Sept. 13. The Lions would roar past the Mustangs to win the game 42-6.

Ozona's defense played an incredible game, forcing the Mustangs into six turnovers. The defense took control of the game from the beginning as J. D. Borrego was in the right place at the right time to intercept a Mustang pass. He ran an awesome 47-yards for the Lions' first touchdown of the game. Vince Castro ran in the two-point conversion.

Later in the first quarter, the Lions scored again as Stephen Lara tossed the ball to Castro who in return darted up the field for a 7-yard touchdown. Raven Perez quickly added the two-point conversion for the Lions.

Up 16-0 over the Mustangs; the



VINCE CASTRO scampered 25 yards to score a touchdown for the freshman Lions.

Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

Lions were not through as they would score one more time in the first quarter. Their defense continued to manhandle the Mustangs as Raven Perez made an incredible block to allow Toby Pagan, who was returning a fumbled punt, to run the five-yards to the end zone for another Lion touchdown. Borrego then rammed in the two-point conversion for the Lions. At the end of the first quarter the Lions led the Mustangs 24-0.

In the second quarter, the Lions held the Mustangs from scoring on several attempts due to the awesome Lion defense led by Mack Poindexter, Jared Bird, Castro and a host of other Lions who continuously made big plays after big plays. The Lions scored again in the latter part of the first half as Ruben Talamantez threw a sweet 66-yard pass to Borrego who was waiting in the end zone. At the end of the first half, the Lions led the Mustangs 30 to zip.

The second half was much like the first as the Lions rallied their way into two more touchdowns made by Pagan and Castro. The Mustangs were able to get one touchdown past the Lions' tough defense to put them on the scoreboard. Even though the Mustangs got on the scoreboard, they were much too late to catch the mighty Lions who chalked up their third victory of the season.

Lions Coach Lenny Morrow stated after the game, "We are talented. That is what you see from the stands, but I get the privilege of being with them every day and what sticks out the most in their work habits. They put work in during the week and it pays off on Thursday night. Morrow also commented that he likes his team's effort and attitude.

The Lions will take on the freshman Eldorado Eagles Thursday, Sept. 20, in Eldorado. Game time is set to begin at 7:00 p.m. The Lions are 3-0 for the season.



JOSH LONG sprinted for 15 yards in this carry for the varsity Lions in their Sept. 14 clash with the Iraan Braves.

Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller



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Braves take down Lions

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Iraan Braves took down the Lions to win the game 28-6, Sept. 14 in Iraan.

Both teams exchanged possession of the ball with neither team scoring in the first quarter. However, that would all change in the second quarter when the Braves took control. With 6:01 remaining in the quarter, the Braves drove the ball up the field to score on a one-yard touchdown by #7. The Braves continued to stop the Lions from scoring and would themselves score their second touchdown of the game on a 65-yard touchdown run by #32. The two-point conversion was good for the Braves who upped their score over the Lions 14-0.

The Lions just couldn't seem to get their momentum to stop the Braves in their tracks. The Braves would score one more time in the second with 3:08 remaining as #3 darted up through the Lions' defense for a 26-yard touchdown run. The kick was made good for the Braves by #6. At the end of the first half, the Braves led the Lions 21-0.

In the third quarter, the Lions' defense held the Braves in all their attempts to score, and with a mere two seconds in the quarter, the Lions struck back with a fury and scored for the first time in the game. Lion Arron Garza launched an incredible 24-yard pass to Lalo Garza who was waiting in the end zone. The two-point conversion for the Lions failed. The score at the end of the third quarter was Braves 21 - Lions 6.

In the fourth quarter, the Braves scored one more time. Brave #3 ran in the 4-yard touchdown. The point after the touchdown was made good by Brave #6. Iraan thwarted the Lions' attempts to get past them and score in the final quarter as the Braves came up victorious over the Lions.

Offensively, the Lions rushed on 31 carries for 137-yards. Rushing for the Lions was led by Abel Rodriguez

who had 12 carries for 92-yards, followed by Josh Long with 5 for 22-yards, Arron Garza 3 for 19-yards, Jared Shaffer 3 for 6-yards and Kyle Richardson 7 for (-2). The Lions completed four passes of 20 with 2 interceptions for 58-yards. Arron Garza completed 2 passes of 10 for 42-yards. Kyle Richardson completed 2 passes of 10 for 16-yards and 2 interceptions. Leading the Lions in receptions was Lalo Garza with 2 for 42-yards followed by Gus Perez with 1 for 13-yards and Quay Oglesby with 1 for 3-yards.

Defensively, Lion Quay Oglesby led the Lions with 18 tackles, including two behind the line of scrimmage and one quarterback sack. Gus Perez also played well defensively with 14 tackles followed by Robert Ogle with nine tackles.

Head Lions' Coach Steve Taylor stated, "We never got anything going offensively the first half, and they have a great defense. We have been smaller than everybody, but we have made up for it in quickness, and you don't find hardly anybody quicker than Iraan year in and year out. We were close a few times to having a big play and just barely missed.

Defensively, we played well except for about four minutes of the second quarter when we gave up three big plays and 21 points. We just made too many mistakes with turnovers, and penalties to meet a good team like Iraan. I was really proud of the kids' effort and of them not giving up. We played pretty good the second half."

The Lions are 1-2 for the season to date.

STATISTICS

	Braves	Lions
First downs	18	10
Rushing yds.	273-49	137-31
Passing yds.	56	53
Total yds.	329	190
Comp/att/int.	7/17/1	4/20/2
Fumbles/lost	2/1	4/1
Penalties/yds.	7/55	6/55
Punts/avg.	5/39	7/33

Junior varsity Lions tomahawk Braves

By Michelle Holtz
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The junior varsity Lions hosted the Iraan Junior Varsity Braves at Lion Stadium Sept. 13. The Lions players stated that this was the hardest game they have ever played. However, they stood victorious over the Braves, winning the game 6-0.

The game was a very defensive one for both teams. Defensively, the Lions allowed the Braves only 86-yards. Meanwhile, the Lions amassed 381-total offensive yards. On the Lions' first drive of the game, they started a 52-yard drive on their own 41-yard line. The line, which included Joel Ortiz, Wilson Stokes, Ramon Trujillo, blocked well. Clay Hale, Brad Mayfield and Romeo Perez ran the ball to the Braves' 4-yard line; however, the Braves' defense shut the Lions down, forcing them to punt. The Lions forced the Braves to punt a short time later due to good defense by John Ray Luna, Jonathon Munoz and Jake Stewart. Ozona drove the ball to the Braves' 14-yard line only to be held by the Braves, ending the first quarter of the game with neither team on the

board.

In the second quarter, the Braves tried their best to advance the ball, but the Lions would have none of it, as they forced Iraan to punt. The Lions then drove the ball to the Braves' 12-yard line, but the Braves stopped the Lions from scoring again. Running the ball for the Lions were Mayfield and Hale. The Braves tried again to move the ball up the field, but the Lions' defense led by Luna, Perez and Hale held tough, forcing them to punt. The Lions advanced the ball just inside the Braves' 20-yard line led by good blocking by Ortiz, Chris Martinez and Kris Gray. Hale passed the ball to Stokes twice, but the Braves continued to hold fast, keeping the Lions from scoring. At the end of the first half, neither team had scored.

The third quarter was much like the first half of the game as both teams exchanged possession of the ball. The Braves gained some momentum when the Lions fumbled a punt, and they started their drive on the Lion's 47-yard line. Gray fielded the ball and cut up to the side-line where the punt return wall had formed led by blocking by Luna, Stewart, Mayfield, Trujillo, Ortiz and Stokes. Gray ran the ball up

the field for an amazing 86-yard touchdown. The point after the touchdown was no good. But, the Lions were on the scoreboard for the first time in the game and led the Braves 6-0, ending the third period.

The final quarter was a treacherous one as the Braves threatened to score twice. The Lions' secondary, led by Wiley, Vordick, Lara and Stokes, held tough and stopped the Braves. Wiley then went on to intercept a Brave pass and returned it 26 yards to the Braves' 24-yard line. The Lions then advanced the ball to the 5-yard line, but the Braves' defense held. The

Lions held on to their six point lead to tomahawk the Braves and win the game.

Lion Coach Lynn Searsy stated, "This was a hard fought game. It was a total team effort. We (coaches) are very proud of our guys."

STATISTICS

Kris Gray: 105 yards
Brad Mayfield: 91 yards
Romeo Perez: 70 yards
Wilson Stokes: 42 yards
Ryan Wiley: 28 yards
Tyson Vordick: 26 yards
Clay Hale: 22 yards



THE 2001-2002 JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS are: (seated, l. to r.) Hilary Huffman, Heather Ybarra, Jenna Henderson and Taylor Oglesby. Standing: Britany Ramos and Makinsey Morris. Photo by Cameras Two

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Crockett County Sheriff's Report

CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT WEEKLY NEWS REPORT
09-11-2001 through 09-17-2001

TRAFFIC TIP - WHEN OVERTAKING IN SAME LANE, OR APPROACHING FROM OPPOSITE LANES A SCHOOL BUS WITH RED FLASHING LIGHTS, A MOTORIST MUST STOP THEIR VEHICLE UNTIL THE BUS STOPS FLASHING ITS LIGHTS.

09-11-2001
 • Report of loud drums being played in the area of Martinez St. Deputy reported he was unable to locate the noise.
 • Complainant called the office in reference to telephone harassment at work place. Subject did not want to file charges at this time.
 • Report of rig accident out on Hwy. 137 North. Victim was en route to town in a vehicle. Deputies located vehicle and assisted EMS unit.
 • Store owner reported that he had found some items in his store. Deputy took possession of items.
 • Deputy met with subject at Sheriff's Office in reference to gas welfare. Deputy provided fuel.
 • Report of a burglary of a habitation at a residence on Loop 466. Deputy took of-

ense report.
 • Deputies responded to a vehicle accident on Hwy. 190 and Hwy. 137. Reagan County EMS unit took one patient to hospital.
 • Report of a minor vehicle accident on Hwy. 163. Deputy assisted DPS Trooper.
 • Report of a possible burglary in progress at local convenience store. Deputies and DPS Trooper responded. Deputy reported it was an employee working after the store was already closed.
09-12-01
 • Deputy escorted a motorist to local convenience store.
 • Report of a male subject walking in the middle of the road. Deputy brought subject in as a sleeper.
 • Report of a male subject running on the east bound lane of I-10. Deputy located the subject, and reported that it was a stranded motorist.
 • Deputy escorted a female subject to Sutton County.
 • Deputy gave a stranded motorist a ride back to his vehicle at MM 352 of I-10.
 • Report of gas drive off from local convenience store. Clerk advised Sheriff's Office they were unsure of direction of travel. Deputy went west, and Pecos County was advised. Deputy was unable to locate the vehicle.
 • Report of a stranded motorist at the

MM 358 of I-10. Deputy brought subject in to local auto parts store.
 • Deputy met with complainant on Ave. E in reference to a dog running loose in area.
 • Deputy transported a prisoner to the jail for DPS Trooper.
 • Report of possible smuggling of illegal aliens. US Border Patrol was notified, and Deputy checked out the vehicle and found that everything was okay.
 • Deputies transported an inmate from the jail to clinic for an appointment.
 • Deputy met with complainant on Antonio St. in reference to subject claimed she was being followed.
 • Report of loud music on Antonio and Martinez St. Deputystold subjects to turn music down.
09-13-01
 • Report of stranded motorist east of Ozona. Deputy assisted motorist on getting tire fixed.
 • Report of stranded motorist on 11th St. and Ave. F. Deputy gave motorist a ride back to his vehicle at MM 358 of I-10.
 • Deputy took an inmate to hospital in San Angelo for appointment in the late evening hours.
 • Deputy assisted a stranded motorist and gave him a ride back to his vehicle at MM 356 of I-10.
 • Report of stranded motorist at MM 339 of I-10. Duty wrecker was called out to assist.
 • Report of alarm at school cafeteria. Deputy reported all was okay. Alarm was reset.
09-14-01
 • Deputy assisted a stranded motorist 4 miles west of I-10.
 • Report of suspicious vehicle in the 1200 Block of Ave. E. Vehicle was gone upon Deputy's arrival.
 • Deputy assisted on 911 medical call at local restaurant on Sheffield Rd. Elderly male subject had fallen, and was transported to clinic.
 • Report of minor vehicle accident at local restaurant. Deputy issue blue forms to parties involved.
 • Report of two vehicles on I-10 traveling at high rate of speed. Deputy located vehicle and issued citations.
 • Deputy unlocked vehicle at local store.
 • Deputy escorted football team to Iraan and back.
 • Deputy met with clerk at local convenience store in reference to customer and clerk having disagreement. It was resolved by the time deputy arrived.
 • Deputy unlocked vehicle at local motel.
 • Report of livestock out on Hwy.

190. Deputy put livestock back in pen.
 • Report of gas drive off from local convenience store. Deputies went east and were unable to locate.
09-15-01
 • Deputy responded to alarm going off at a residence on Mesquite Dr. A door was left unlocked.
 • Deputy unlocked a vehicle at local convenience store.
 • Report of an abandoned vehicle in the alley of Walnut St. Vehicle was red tagged.
 • Deputy assisted on 911 medical at Crockett Apartments. Subject was transported to clinic by EMS.
 • Deputy met with complainant at clinic in reference to a child running into her car on his bike. Child had minor injuries. Deputy issue blue form to complainant for damage to vehicle.
09-16-01
 • Deputy met with complainant on Peach St. in reference to juvenile not home yet. When deputy arrived, juvenile was already home.
 • Deputy unlocked vehicle at local convenience store.
 • Report of beeping noise coming from one of the mail boxes at post office. Key carrier was notified and beeping noise was coming from the office.
 • Deputy met with complainant in reference to child custody.
 • Deputy and DPS Trooper responded to a suspicious person and vehicle on Live Oak Rd. Subject advised he was a geologist from Argentina and was taking pictures.
09-17-01
 • Deputy and jailer traveled to Tulia, to take custody of an inmate from a TDCJ unit, and brought him back to our county jail.
 • Deputy delivered a message from care center to a local citizen.
 • Report of a suspicious vehicle in parking lot of convenience store on Sheffield Rd. Subjects had run out of gas. Deputy ran check on subjects and got them enough gas to get to another gas station.
 • Report of reckless driving by person in red jeep. Deputy reported complainant had already talked to person in red jeep when he arrived.
 • Deputy responded to 911 medical call at Crockett Apartments.
 • Report of loose livestock on Marianna St. Owner was notified and put livestock up.
 • Deputy assisted DPS Trooper by transporting an arrested female to the county jail.
 • Request for courtesy transport for a subject at truck stop to the bus station.
 • Panuco, Delia, age 23, of Bellflower, CA, was arrested by DPS

TRAFFIC TIP - It is illegal for persons under 18 years old to ride in bed of a pickup truck (new law as of Sept. 2001).

Trooper on the charge of forgery. She remains in custody.

• Burke, Ronald Edward, age 56, of Compton, CA, was arrested by DPS Trooper for possession of fictitious driver license. He remains in custody.

ARREST REPORT 09-11-01 through 09-17-01 09-12-01

• Thomson, Colton R, age 19, of New Mexico was arrested by DPS Trooper on a charge of possession of marijuana more than 4 ounces and less than 5 pounds. Subject was released after posting bond.
09-14-01
 Josue, Gonzales, age 36, of San Antonio was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Subject was released after posting bond.
09-15-01
 • Mark Johahn Washington, age 26, of California was arrested by DPS Trooper on a charge of theft. Subject was released on time served.
 • Lelia Douglas, age 23, of FL, was arrested by DPS Trooper on charge of theft. Subject was released on time served.
 • Theroin Jerome Colson Jr., age 19, of California was arrested by DPS Trooper on charge of theft. Subject was released on time served.
 • Melissa Ann Pinn, age 22, of Bulverde was arrested by DPS Trooper on a charge of possession of controlled substance 3rd degree felony. Subject was released after posting bond.
09-16-01
 • Andrew Howard Rutherford, age 20, of Pennsylvania was arrested by Sheriff on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 ounces. Subject still remains in jail.
09-17-01
 • Chavez, Francisco Roberto, age 24, of Big Lake was picked up from TDCJ unit on a bench warrant by Sheriff's Deputy. He was brought to Crockett County Jail to await district court.
 • Panuco, Delia, age 23, of Bellflower, CA, was arrested by DPS

OFFENSE REPORTS 09-11-01 through 09-17-01

09-11-01
 • Deputy filed a burglary of habitation report. Deputy took statement from victim in reference to a stolen firearm. A family member was a suspect. Later, Deputy recovered the stolen property and returned to owner. Victim did not wish to press charges, and case was closed.
09-13-01
 • Chief Deputy filed an abandoned vehicle report. Deputy filed a report on a 1983 Chevy LP# ZT4719. Vehicle was impounded by duty wrecker.
 • Chief Deputy filed an abandoned vehicle report. Deputy filed a report on a 1972 Chevy LP# DISFVM. Vehicle was impounded by duty wrecker.

Fire Department Report

Sept. 10 - 17, 2001
 2001-095
 1735 9-11-01 Big Lake reported a motor vehicle accident on TX 1137 and US 190 located on US 190 west of Crockett County Road 205. Big Lake EMS handled injured driver. Chief, fire marshal, one truck, 11 firefighters.

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Crockett County				
OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
New RME Petro Co/Mid Harrison Interests	10500	Union Pacific -7-88	Cleere Drilling #9	Drig, ahead 101'
New J. Cleo Thompson	9500	J. W. Henderson III-A-465	Patterson Drilling/A #109	Assigned
New RME Petro/Mid	9200	ER -3- #1	Cleere Drilling #5	Drig, ahead 7874'
New Pioneer Natural/RV	8500	Baggett -48- #1	Patterson Drilling/A #42	Drig, ahead
New TXP, Inc.	7500	Watson Ranch -9- #8	Patterson Drilling/A #38	Drig, ahead
	7150	Montgomery -17- #13	Patterson UTI/Mid #468	Drig, ahead 6389'
	6900	Pierce -4B- #2	Cleere Drilling #1	Drig, ahead 3559'

Sutton County				
OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Louis Dreyfus/OKC	9000	Duke Wilson -185- #10	Patterson Drilling/A #120	Drig, ahead
New Louis Dreyfus/OKC	8900	Mayer -3C- #3	Patterson Drilling/A #108	Assigned
New Louis Dreyfus/OKC	8725	Duke Wilson #4-11	Patterson Drilling/A #120	Assigned
New Louis Dreyfus/OKC	8700	Hicks -22- #8	Patterson Drilling/A #108	Drig, ahead
New Louis Dreyfus/OKC	6350	Ned Dunbar #56	Patterson Drilling/A #122	Drig, ahead
New Louis Dreyfus/OKC	6250	Davis -C- #21	Patterson Drilling/A #107	Drig, ahead
New Louis Dreyfus/OKC	6500	Davis -C- #15	Patterson Drilling/A #107	Assigned
New Louis Dreyfus/OKC	6125	Fields -29- #3	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Drig, ahead
New Louis Dreyfus/OKC	5650	Aske -18- #3	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Assigned
New Burlington Res/Mid	5335	canyon Ranch #12655	Patterson Drilling/A #102	Drig, ahead

Terrell County				
OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Conoco/Midland	14800	University -4- #5	Nabors Drilling (O) #730	Drig, ahead 12277'
EOG Res./Mid	12500	Goode Estate -B- unit #2	Patterson UTI/M #481	Drig, ahead 11479'
EOG Res./Mid	10900	Garner -16- #1H	Patterson Irilling/A #36	Drig, ahead
New EOG Res./Mid (Horiz.)	10800	Noelke -A- #2702 H	Patterson Drilling/A #39	Drig, ahead
New Athanor Texas	9000	Mitchell -6- #7	Cleere Drilling #8	Drig, ahead 8057'

Val Verde County				
OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
New Mustang Fuel Corp.	16000	Wardlaw State Gas Unit #1 Nabors Drilling (O) #442	Moving on	
New EEX E&P Company	15000	Altizer -64- #1	Cleere Drilling #3	Drig, ahead -2500'
New EEX E&P Company	14000	Lone Oak #4R	Cleere Drilling #10	Drig, ahead 5732'
New Exco Resources/Dal	10500	Altizer -48A- #1	Cleere Drilling #7	Drig, ahead 5131'
New Tena Oil & Gas Co/H	6500	Meadows #1106	Key Energy (L) 25	Rigging up

Edwards County				
OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Par Minerals Corp.	8000	Four square Ranch #5	Key Energy (O) #4	Drig, ahead 7300'
New KCS Medallion Res.	6000	Cloudi -B- #104	Patterson Drilling/A #115	Drig, ahead
Fairway Links	4500	Roy Baker -19- #1	Cleere Drilling #8	Drig, ahead 1410'

Schleicher County				
OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
New Sharp Image (re-entry)	7400	Williams Ranch #2	Westexas Energy #2	Rigging up

Reagan County				
OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
New J. Cleo Thompson/Dal	9500	University 6-6 #1	Patterson Drilling/S #484	Assigned
Pioneer Nat/Irv	8800	Sherrod Unit #302	Patterson UTI/Mid #465	Drig, ahead 7345'
Pioneer Nat/Irv	8800	Sherrod Unit #903	Patterson UTI/Mid #467	Drig, ahead 8537'
Pioneer Nat/Irv	8800	Sherrod Unit #2205	Patterson UTI/Mid #474	Drig, ahead 8543'

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Junction Stockyards Market Report Sept. 17, 2001

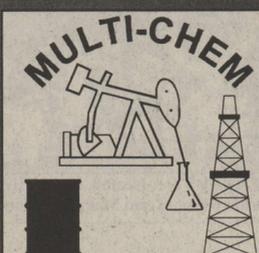
Sheep and Goats
 Junction-Stockyards sold 3917 head of sheep and goats Friday, Sept. 14. Prices were lower on kids, but all other stock was steady.

#1 spring lambs 50-70 lbs.	78-85
#1 spring lambs 70-90 lbs.	60-65
#1 old crop lambs 50-70 lbs.	70-77
#1 old crop lambs 70-90 lbs.	58-64
Fat ewes	40-45
Thin ewes	30-43
Bucks	30-42
Baby tooth ewes	50-55
Baby tooth Angora stocker nannies	45-55
Solid mouth Angora stocker nannies	35-45
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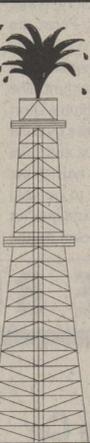
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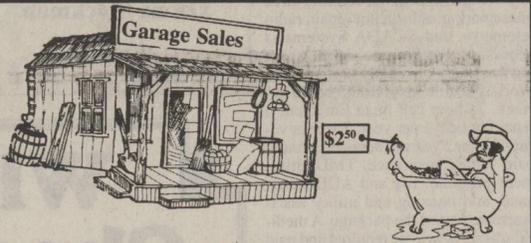
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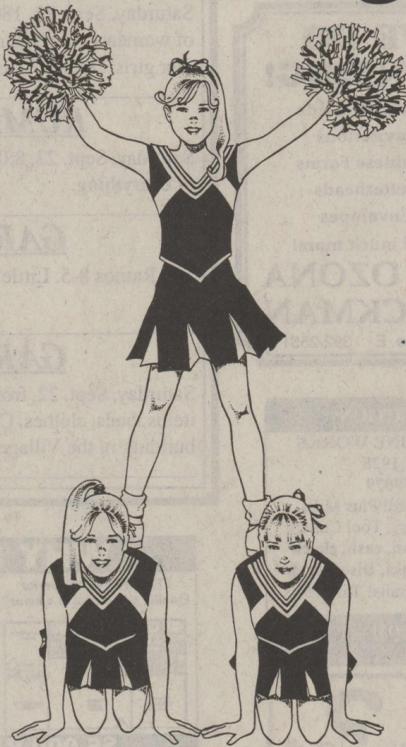
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