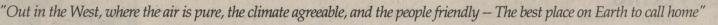
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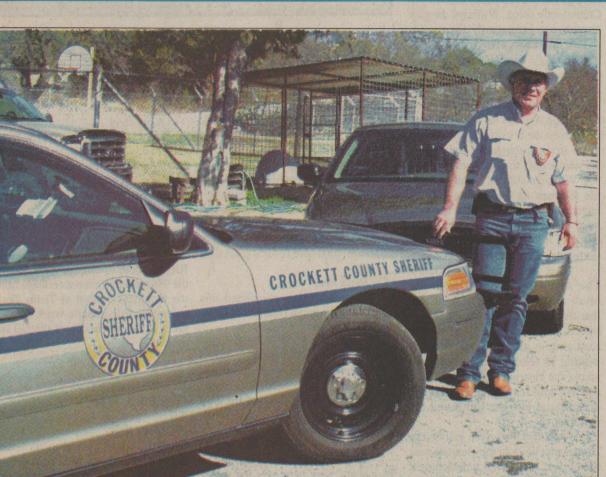
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NEW COLORS AND A NEW STYLE of markings gives a more professional appearance to Crockett County Sheriff's Department vehicles. Pictured is Sheriff Shane Fenton DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

United Blood Services here Feb. 7

United Blood Services of San Angelo will be in Ozona for a blood area's not-for-profit provider. In order Morton. "If you would like to make drive sponsored by Xi Sigma Omega. to supply the 12 area hospitals, United It will be held at the Ozona Civic Cen- Blood Services must collect more than ter Thursday, Feb. 7, from 11:00 a.m. 300 units each week. Blood products to 5:00 p.m. Call Janet Smith at 392- have a shelf life of five to 42 days. 3491 or 392-2211 for an appointment.

"The Xi Sigma Omega Sorority Friends of Library bring art to Ozona does a great deal to ensure life saving blood is available when needed," said Sherry Morton, community relations By Charlotte Harrell representative. "Without organizations ficult time supplying our hospitals." County Public Library has just made of the painting and the artist. Refresh-Donors must be at least 17 years an agreement with the San Angelo ments will be served following the

like these we would have a more difold, weigh more than 110 pounds and Museum of Art to display works of program. be in good health. "We also ask that art from their collection for a period you have proof of identification and of two months on a rotating basis. Mr. Angelo Museum of Art's outreach to know the names of any medication Howard Taylor, the museum's direc- all communities in the Concho Valley No grant funds for

United Blood Services is the

"We need your help," said an appointment to give blood, please call 653-1307. Please try to make an appointment. It will help you get in and out in a timely manner."

p.m. and give a program relating to it. The public is cordially invited to at-The Friends of the Crockett tend and hear Mr. Taylor's discussion

you may have taken in the past 30 tor, will bring the first painting, a land- area. Ballinger and Eden are among

scape, on Wednesday, Jan. 30, at 5:30 its present beneficiaries.

members competed with 33 lambs in pion and reserve champion pens of 10 cross division, light weight class, inthe Southwest Exposition and Live- finewool crosses. stock Show in Fort Worth on Saturday, Jan. 26. 4-H members competing included Lakin Aaron, Philip weight class, Tell Churchill placed Churchill placed 10th in the middle Baggett, Murphey Black, Andrew 11th and Lakin Aaron 21st. Placing in weight class. Birkenfeld, Kelsey Childress, Tell the middle weight class were Aaron Churchill, Latham Ducote, Clay Hale, Renfroe third, Tell Churchill 10th and tors and their families on an excellent Clint Hale, Aaron Renfroe, Weslee Kelsey Childress 16th. Heavy weight job," said County Extension Agent Wilson, Wendy Wilson and Whitney class winners from Ozona were Roy Walston. "They will be compet-

Thirteen Crockett County 4-H pion pen of 10 finewools and cham-

Murphey Black third, Clint Hale 10th ing at the next show in San Antonio Ozona exhibitors won the cham- and 13th and Clay Hale 11th.

Crockett County 4-H makes fine showing in Fort Worth Ozona placings in the finewool cluded Aaron Renfroe fifth, Lakin Aaron 11th, Wendy Wilson 16th and In the finewool division - light Murphey Black 18th and 20th. Tell

'Congratulations to these exhibi-

on Feb. 11-14. Good luck."



THESE CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H MEMBERS hold the champion pen of 10 finewool cross lambs in this photo from the Southwest Exposition and Livestock Show in Fort Worth on Jan. 26. Crockett County 4-H also took home the awards for reserve champion pen of 10 finewool cross lambs and the champion pen of 10 finewool lambs.

Sheriff's Department upgrades equipment

The two newest cars in the Crockett County Sheriff's Department fleet are symbolic of Sheriff Shane Fenton's goals for the department says Deputy Nick Richter. Fenton's philosophy is if you look professional, you act more professionally, Richter said. "That's our goal." Light tan in color with sharp looking blue and grey stripes and blue insignia, the new car colors and style will continue to be used.

One of the cars was forfeited after being seized in a drug case. Additionally, funds forfeited in such cases are used to purchase such things as weapons, duty gear and computers for the department. Other equipment and materials used by the department are purchased with these funds instead of using budget money or tax dollars, Richter said.

Much of the department's new Texas Law Enforcement Teletype System (TLET) was purchased with drug case seizure money. The system is now up and operational, said Sheriff Fenton. This equipment works off a DPS satellite system in Austin and puts Crockett County Sheriff's Department "pretty well in contact with law enforcement all over the nation". In fact, local officers can be in contact with law enforcement personnel all over the world if they use the system

and go through Interpol. Crockett County Sheriff's Department has 11 computer workstations, most of which were purchased with drug case forfeiture dollars. Grant money bought the two 911 computer stations. Also in use in the department is a National Crime Information Center, a system that records phone and

radio conservations. The next equipment upgrade to better enable the department to serve the community is a new dispatch type radio console. This is used equipment ready.



JAILERS MICHAEL BULLARD AND DAVID MARTINEZ are at work at the Texas Law Enforcement Teletype System in Crockett County Jail.

system will also be purchased with Emilio Tambunga and jailers Michael

drug case forfeiture dollars.

Bullard, David Martinez, Tony Fierro, The public is welcome to come Blanca Ibarra, Pablo Talamantez and by and visit any time, said Sheriff Petra Hernandez. All are licensed jail-Fenton. "Weive usually got coffee ers and have completed telecommunications school for certification to use

DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

Jail personnel include Chief Jailer TLET. that is being replaced by the DPS. The New water system online to truck stop

This program is a part of the San new system to the truck stop and

county courthouse approximately \$39.2 million doled out Crockett Heights. to 14 projects by the Texas Historical ing Jan. 11. The 83 counties asked for approximately \$195 million in matching grant assistance from THC. That money translates into \$250 million in

total construction costs to preserve and restore their courthouses. 1999 with a \$50 million allocation to restore Texas historic courthouses and make them safe, functional and a source of pride for Texas communities. Lawmakers allotted an additional \$50 million to the program in the last

legislative session. The Fayette County Courthouse in La Grange received the largest grant from Round III with \$3,999,989. Receiving the smallest grant, \$938,570, was the Lavaca County Courthouse in Hallettsville. Val Verde County Court- museum. Cheryl Whitesides, adminhouse in Del Rio received \$2,500,000, Jeff Davis County Courthouse at Fort Davis was awarded \$1,569,847 and \$1,569,847 went for renovations to the Hudspeth County Court house at Si-

erra Blanca. Other recipients were courthouses in Archer City, Brownsville, Denton, Carrizo Springs, Goliad, Paris, Hallettsville, Eagle Pass, Weatherford

and Wheeler. Crockett County had asked for \$523,300. Jones was told that although the county submitted a good application, it fell below the overall and endangerment point thresholds which determined funding allocations.

ing the two areas.

Work continues on the water stornot approved for grant funds in the portion of the tank. Paint will be rolled June 1-Sept. 30 period. third round of the Texas Historic on the outside of the tank, which will

Crockett County Water Control's Crockett Heights went online Jan. 19. sion notified the department that the All the bugs are not out yet, said Dee water system did not exceed the lead Keilers, department manager, last or copper action level in recent tests week, but the new system was serv- done by the Texas Department of Health laboratory. Earlier this month TNRCC required the district to pubage tank on Ozona's west side. Upon lish a public notice that the district had Judge Johnny Jones was notified completion of sand blasting on the in- failed to collect the required lead and last week that Crockett County was side, workers will clean and spray this copper monitoring samples for the

No previous samples have ex-Courthouse Preservation Program, be finished with a Lion and wording ceeded the minimum allowable levels Eighty-three counties applied for the similar to that on the tank serving according to Keilers. "Lead and copper levels in our water have never been Keilers said that the Texas Natu- a health hazard to the citizens of

Commission at their quarterly meet- ral Resource Conservation Commis- Ozona," he said. Fox News visits Ozona

Suddenly, both telephone lines at the Superbowl". chamber of commerce lit up like a

with Fox News 5 from Henderson, istrative coordinator, and Lynn English, coordinator, were busy collectseum to give to the visitors.

across the country with various Fox beads. stations traveling to New Orleans since the Fox network will be cover- Biggerstaff, "and we hope our visitors ing the superbowl this year. Accord- will return as they were invited to ing to Eric, a friend and co-worker, lunch and a thorough tour of the mu-Dan is not too crazy about flying, but seum and town on their way back they had to get their satellite truck to home."

"Ozona is definitely on high New Orleans. And so, the story, "Folalert," said Shanon Biggerstaff, execu- low Dan Burns on the road to the Gov. George Bush and the Texas tive director of the chamber of com- Superbowl" was born. Each night at Legislature created the Texas Historic merce. "Occupants of a truck labeled 10:00, Dan will share with the KVVU Courthouse Preservation Program in Fox News 5 pulled up to the town Broadcasting Corporation viewing square and began taking footage of the audience, "what you would see along David Crockett monument. Wow! the way if you were driving to the

> Upon arrival in Ozona, Dan and Anthony were four days into their trip. She walked over to the museum Day one took them to Ah-Chin, AZ, where she introduced herself to re- day two to Deming, NM, and day porter Dan Burns and satellite truck three to Fort Stockton. Their destinaoperator Anthony Clark. They were tion on day four was actually San Antonio, and the gentlemen were mov-NV, and already taking footage of the ing very quickly; however, the three ladies were pleased to have shared a brief encounter with the visitors. While at the museum, Dan was paring the history of Ozona and the mu-ticularly fascinated by Lynn's West Texas accent, and she assured him "it's the real thang". Due to their interest So why were these gentlemen in In David Crockett, Cheryl informed Ozona? It seems they are on their way them they "couldn't leave Ozona withto the Superbowl. That's right, there out a coonskin cap". In return, Dan and will be an entourage of people from Anthony traded their Mardi Gras

"It was a fair trade," said

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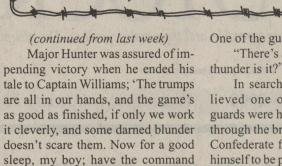
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Fort Lancaster's Moonlight Riders Part II

by Jim Fish



ready to march an hour after sun-

down, and see to all the rifles and six-

shooters in the meantime.

When supper was done and the appointed hour was at hand Williams' spirit soared... "I well remember now what a glorious night it was, as we rode over the prairie by the light of the brilliant moon with the cool night breeze to fan us after the burning heat of the day... The command was to halt half a mile from the camp, and all the horses, except 150, to be left with a reserve of 125 men; for Hunter, daring as he was, cautious withal, and would avoid risks if possible. He himself would lead a hundred men up the right slope, to surprise the camp, whilst 250 dismounted and 100 to take up position on the left, to intercept the fugitives and secure their horses.'

They took their time, "jogging along quite easily", reaching their destination shortly after 3:00 a.m. The horses were tied and linked, the reserve in place under command of the second senior captain and strictly ordered not to move except by order from Major Hunter or Williams. The Major and his 100 frontier rangers went to the right, to avoid the guards, and disappeared into the darkness. Williams led his contingent of 350 men to the left, guided by the scouts who had been over the ground the night before. They marched four abreast.

With the footmen on the right and the mounted on the left of the clearing specified, they waited.

Not a sound was heard except the faint plodding of the horses' hooves on the ground as they milled around in their corral, and the voices of their guards. Time passed and still they waited.

Suddenly, one of the enemy horses neighed long and loudly and one of their horses answered back!

Ozona High School Annuals welcome at Museum

Crockett County Museum would like to enlarge its collection of Ozona High School annuals. If you're cleaning out the attic or basement, keep the museum in mind when those old annuals are found.

Looking at old annuals is a big part of any homecoming gathering, said Lynn English, coordinator at the museum. We want to be part of this with our display of annuals.

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One of the guards shouted:

In search of the horse they believed one of theirs', the enemy guards were heard pushing their way through the brush directly toward the Confederate force. Williams' braced himself to be prematurely discovered.

At last! From a nearby hilltop, he heard a single revolver shot, then another, and instantly what sounded like the volley of a hundred rifles. Then yells and screams of terror, and random firing went on for a few minutes until down the brushy slope came the panic-stricken renegades and deserters whose only thought was escape.

Williams ordered the advance of the footmen on the double and directed the horsemen at just the moment the mob was clear of the brush but still in a position to prevent a stampede when the two forces met.

"Fire!" commanded Williams. The sounds resounding from the brush and the clearing assured him that the double surprise completely mounted men (under Williams) were routed the 'Californians', who were scattering in all directions. Without waiting to reload, he led his force across the clearing to find only dead and wounded remaining. The rest had disappeared into the brush and the darkness.

Cease-fire was given just before Hunter met them in the clearing near the horses, having left a detachment to hold the camp. The surprise was absolute and the operation successful. Four of the Confederates were killed and 10 wounded, four of them

Of the 'Californians', 35 were dead and 20 wounded. Those able to move got away into the brush and were not heard from again.

At daylight they counted some 250 horses. A scouting party was sent to follow the enemy, but returned saying that they had crossed the river into Mexico and did not pursue them. They heard later that many of the fugitives met an ill fate at the hands of the settlers and ranchers they had been plundering.

They feasted on provisions left by the enemy and shortly afterward rode out for Fort Clark to secure medical attention for the wounded.

Mendoza promoted

Marine Corps Cpl. Manuel Mendoza, son of Irma and Frank Tambunga of Ozona, recently was promoted to his current rank while serving with Marine Aviation Logistics Squadron 11, Marine Air Group, 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station Miramar, San Di-

Mendoza was promoted based on sustained superior job performance and proficiency in his designated specialty.

He is a 1997 graduate of Ozona High School of Ozona and joined the Marine Corps in May 1999.

The Original



FEB. 1, 1973

News Reel

Ozona postal patrons is being taken ter of the Bakers. under consideration by the Postal Department and a study is being made.

News Reel

noon at 2:00 p.m. She was a resident Friday night. of Ozona for many years and moved to San Angelo when her husband, Clarence, died here several years ago.

News Reel

week for the Annual Heart Fund Campaign in Ozona.

News Reel

Several Ozonans were honored at the Annual El Camino Girl Scout meeting Saturday night at the San Angelo Country Club.

News Reel

her family, Mr. and Mrs. George American. Bunger, Jr. and Helen and Louis.

News Reel

two weeks. Sgt. Pearl will return to aircraft maintenance squadron. Alaska where she is stationed with the U.S. Air Force Saturday.

News Reel

came great grandparents for the first meet.

time Jan. 9, when Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Bryant of Denham Springs, LA, became the [parent of a baby girl, Brenda City delivery mail service for Lynette. Mrs. Bryant is a granddaugh-

News Reel

Coach Charles Sieker's Lion Cagers downed Station last week 58-Graveside services for Mrs. 57 in their final district game of the Marie Key, 47, were held here in Ce-first half, but lost to McCamey 42-41 dar Hill Cemetery Wednesday after- in the first game of the second half

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News Reel

Wesley West and Larry W. Kilgore, both of Ozona, were among the 986 students in the six colleges and Plans are being completed this the Graduate School at Texas Tech university to complete work for degrees at the conclusion of the fall se-

> **NEWS REEL** FEB. 3, 1944

News Reel

Dr. Samuel Inman to be heard Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Armstrong of here in lecture. He will be the first Monahans were here over the week- speaker in a series to speak at the Roend for a visit with their daughter and tary Club. He will speak on Latin

News Reel

Corporal Celestino R. Fuantez, Sgt. Patsy L. Pearl, daughter of son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Fuantez of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy E. Pearl, has been Ozona, was promoted to sergeant at visiting her family here for the past Perrin Field. He is a member of an

News Reel

Eldorado won Ozona's annual tournament crown and Big Lake cap-Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Baker be- tured consolation in fast moving 13th

Political Announcements

The following candidates have authorized The Ozona Stockman to announce their intentions to file as candidates for posts in the Democratic Primary Election on March 12, 2002.

County Judge John R. (Johnny) Jones Pol. adv. pd. for by John R. (Johnny)

Jones, P.O. Box 925, Ozona, TX 76943 112th District Judge **Brock Jones**

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41 McKinney FM once

slinger" (writer)

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in the head"

49 loosen the laces

Cowboy QB? (2 wds.)

35 poker or sun cap

38 silent signal from

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the circus'

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37 victories by TX

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Community Calendar

Feb. 21 - Chamber Banquet, Civic Center, 6 p.m.

Feb. 26 - Cubs Blue and Gold Banquet, Civic Center, 6:30 p.m., Cake Auction 6 p.m.

Ozona Weather Conditions and Forecast Rain Date Hi Lo 68 21 -0-Jan. -0-22 73 46 Jan. 23 75 -0-38 Jan. 22 -0-Jan. 24 51 22 .2 Jan. 25 59 24 -0-Jan. 26 64 -0-27 70 36 Jan. (Readings are for a 24 hour period

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Mr. and Mrs. Shaw renew vows

ding anniversary Jan. 26, 2002. They since their wedding. renewed their wedding vows at vice, they had a dinner and dance at the Barnhart Community Building where they had a barbecue and dance Barnhart Methodist Church, the Star to oldies. About 60 of their family and friends attended.

Frances Hanson and Doyle Shaw were married Jan. 28, 1962, in Uvalde. The couple has two children, Cecilia Reyes of Barnhart and Travis Shaw and Brittany Reyes of Barnhart, of Spring Hill, TN; three grandchil- Jimmy and Rachael Hanson of dren, Brittany Reyes, Keely Shaw and Matthew Shaw. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw Leakey, and Travis and Amber Shaw have lived in Uvalde, San Antonio, of Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Shaw of Bay City, Del Rio, Junction, Cross Barnhart celebrated their 40th wed- Plains, Fort McKavett and Barnhart

Doyle Shaw owns his own elec-Barnhart Church with a small but trical business, Shaw's General Repair. beautiful service. Following the ser- Frances Shaw is postmaster at the Barnhart Post Office.

They are members of the Promenaders Square Dance Club in San Angelo and are members and president of the Westerners Square and Round Dance Association.

Hosts of the party were Cecilia Uvalde, Luther and Lois Bushong of

Senior Happenings

By Janet Hill-McDaniel

center. We are preparing for the Valentine dinner dance. Ticket sales are very good. If you don't have yours yet, give us a call as no tickets will be sold at the door. A \$6.00 donation will get those 50+ into this affair.

on Tuesday and Thursday at 3:00 p.m. ture. The instructor needs at least 12 Our attendees enjoy the fellowship as to take part in this. well as the line dancing.

Saturday night to see Hotbed Hotel at alcohol environment. the Angelo Civic Theatre. A fantastic job was done by one of Ozona's every day life and come by for coffee former residents, C'Jay McKinney any week day. The pot is always on. Jonas. If you like live entertainment, be sure to take this in.

Levis and Lace had a large group noon meals.

here for square dancing Saturday night. The talk on Monday was about Things are in full swing at the the good time had by all. If square dancing is your cup of tea, you are more than welcome to join in on the second and fourth Saturdays at 8:00

If anyone is interested in the 55 Alive driving course give me a call so Exercise is still the place to be we can get this set up in the near fu-

As always, our night activities are A group of us went to San Angelo for those 50+ in a smoke free and no

Take a break from your hectic

Our phone number is 392-5026 for information or reserving a spot for

ASU Small Business Seminar Feb. 5

The Angelo State University Small Business Development Center and the Ozona Chamber of Commerce, having similar missions to support and assist small businesses within the local community, join together (SBA). The support given by the SBA years and have many beautiful memo-band. The hall was brightly decorated once again to provide a series of business seminars.

scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 5, from conclusions, recommendations, prod-4:00 to 6:30 p.m. at the chamber of- ucts or services. All ASU SBDC profice. "There is no charge to attend this grams are non-discriminatory and seminar, but you must RSVP by Jan. open to the public. Reasonable ar-Individuals interested in this seminar ties will be made if requested in adcan contact the chamber of commerce vance by calling 915-942-2098. at 392-3737," said Shanon Biggerstaff, chamber executive.

"Understanding Financial Statements" is a workshop where participants will familiarize themselves with basic financial statement formats such as the balance sheet, the income statement and the cash flow statement. They will also learn about basic financial analysis tools including breakeven point, ratio analysis, vertical and horizontal analysis. Participants will be able to apply their learning in a handson-exercise to further their understanding of industry standards and interpretation methods. Overall, attendees should gain a basic understanding of how to use "the numbers" to help them manage their business.

Highlights include review of balance sheet terms, review of income statement terms, why profit doesn't equal cash, the nature of costs, breakeven point, ratio analysis, verti-

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tions and answers.

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Jan. 30 - Daniel Vasquez, Patricia Vasquez, Dilly Dockery, Bobby Daniels, Eli Hernandez III, Mandy Fierro, Leonardo Villarreal, Barbara Cadena, Joe Martinez Jr., Junior Saucedo, Virginia Estrada

Jan. 31 - Nana Fierro, Lalo Garza Sr., Lalo Garza Jr., Bob Harris, Anadelia Fierro, Jordyn Poindexter, Georgia Kirby, Scarlett Taylor

Feb. 1 - Ashley DeHoyos, Tooter O'Bryant, Dora Sanchez, Pedro Armando Perez

Feb. 2 - Andrea Ross, Javier Galan, Terry Dickerson, Sophie Kyle, Robert Ogle Jr., Joe Warren Friend, Eric Williams, Cande Duenes

Feb. 3 - Maxine Brown, Raymon Cedillo, Freddy Ybarra

Feb. 4 - Joe Ybarra, Shelly Martinez, Dottie Gonzales, Joyce



Mr and Mrs. Basiliso Ramirez

Birthday and anniversary celebration honors Basiliso and Margarita Ramirez

Basiliso and Margarita were hon-

with lighted trees and black and white

pictures and well wishes.

Many family members and nu- membered by numerous relatives and merous friends gathered Jan. 19 to cel-friends as a skillful professional. He ebrate the 44th wedding anniversary also retired from the Texas Departof longtime residents of Ozona. ment of Transportation after working Basiliso Ramirez II married Margarita for many years. Lopez from Sanderson on Jan. 25, 1958. Mr. and Mrs. Basiliso Ramirez ored by their family and friends at the have eight children, 36 grandchildren Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish and 29 great-grandchildren. They Hall with a delicious dinner while enhave been married for 44 wondrous joying the festive music of a mariachi ries of their loving family.

This special family gathering was decor. Family and friends who love also a glorious time to celebrate the them deeply shared many memories, 88th birthday of Basiliso Ramirez II. He was born on Jan. 24, 1914, in Del Rio. He served in the United States Army from June 19, 1941, to Oct. 31, 1945, and served his country during World War II. During his tenure in the U. S. Army, he received the American Defense Service Medal, the Asiatic Pacific Campaign Medal, a Good Conduct Medal, a Service Stripe and four Overseas Service Bars.

Mr. Ramirez has been a longtime professional barber. He became a barber in 1938 and was a barber in the United States Army. He is still a registered barber today and is fondly re-

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ognition awards, 2001 Organization of Feb. 15. To make your reservation, the Year, Member of the Year, Legacy contact the Ozona Chamber of Com-Sorority picks

Members of Preceptor Mu Chi Sorority learned about caring for cactus at their meeting Jan. 28. The most important piece of information gleaned from the program was "don't water them too much"

up cactus tips

The group discussed the upcoming Valentine party before enjoying a delicious meal of lasagna and vegetable basket.

Those present were: Nancy Hale, Nancy Davee, Linda Taylor, Penni Tippie, Nell Wester, Brenda Newton, Queta Fierro, Tommie Peña-Alfaro, Terry Adams, Donna Sanders, Debi Hamilton, Billie Morris and Zoe

Prayers go out to P-Nut, husband of Donna Sanders.

Linda Taylor reporting



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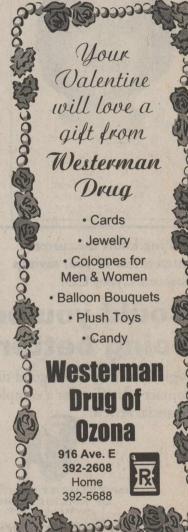
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Ozona Chamber of Commerce of Spirit, Unsung Hero and Citizen of has scheduled the 38th annual awards the Year. The Crockett Soil and Water banquet for Thursday, Feb. 21, at the Conservation District will also present civic center. The theme this year is the Conservation Rancher of the Year

Bob Bluthardt, director of Hisbegin at 6:00 p.m. The buffet line will toric Fort Concho, will be the speaker open at 6:30 p.m. There will be din- this year. "Bob will address the imner entertainment featuring pianist pact of tourism on a state and local Judy Meador and clarinet trio Ariana level. He will also discuss the visitor Lira, Julia Sanchez and Rose Garza. center operation at Fort Concho, lo-Highlights of the banquet will include cated in San Angelo. He is an excel-2001 year in review, visitor center lent speaker that I know the memberproject update, recognition of retiring ship will certainly enjoy," said Shanon

Banquet tickets for individual open seating are \$12.00 each. Re-Awards presented at this year's served tables of six are \$72.00. All resbanquet will include two special rec- 'ervations must be made by Friday, merce at 392-3737.







CNB EMPLOYEES DEBBIE LONG, CNB PRESIDENT JIM SHEHAN and Shawna Hopper display a certificate of appreciation presented to the bank by for care center for sponsoring the resident's monthly birthday parties.

May we introduce.....

Margarita Castellanos

Margarita Castellanos has been employed for 10 years at Crockett County Care Center.

the patients with the clean clothes," the laundry at the center.

She and her husband, Juan, have one son, Jaime, who lives in Plano.

Mrs. Castellanos, a native of Ozona, is a member of Templo Bautista Jerusalem and attends the Baptist Encampment in Menard every year. She enjoys sewing and quilting and going to Plano to visit Jaime.

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God sends Christ into the world as a surrogate. Criminals deserve punishment. Christ is the ultimate substitute in the game of life. He accepts capital punishment for those who deserve the death penalty. They also put their trust in Christ's sacrifice on their behalf. They have nothing to offer

it. Then the salesman walks up and asks if you want a demonstration. You can get behind the wheel and see how the car performs in traffic and on

yet sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8). The cross is not simply a public display of affection. People caught up in the love of God encounter

the cross. God's love does not embrace the pretentious and self-righteous. God's love grips the unlovely. God comes to the criminal, the liar, the

Him and everything to gain. When we realize our need of Christ and trust in Him, we receive the demonstration of God's love.

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Care Center Chatter

Bank was presented with a certificate of appreciation from our care center residents. Crockett National Bank has sponsored our residents' monthly parties for more than a year and continues to do so. Thank you, Crockett National Bank for taking an interest in our facility. It is greatly appreciated.

Residents having February birthdays are Ethel Miller Feb. 21, Mary Alice Dunlap Feb. 23, Bud Harrison Feb. 26 and Romana Vargas Feb. 28. Our February birthday party for residents will be Thursday, Feb. 14, at 3:30 p.m. in the main dining room.

starting at 8:30 a.m. Volunteer, its a in advance. great feeling.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Welty, Otis Nester, "I love my job, trying to please Peggy Earl, Brother Bill Fuller, Randy are happening at 103 North Avenue Carter, Jonny Johnson, Ruth Seahorn, H. said Mrs. Castellanos, who works in Jo Ann Williamson, Levis and Lace square dancers and the Harvest Time

This past week Crockett National Christian Church. A huge thanks to all these faithful volunteers.

> department will start their donations munity Medicenter in San Angelo. He for our annual garage sale. You can drop off donations at the care center or give me a call at 392-3096 and we Hayes. will pick up items.

> building for our storage and our ga- Corps. After leaving the military, he rage sale. Thank you, Buster. Our garage sale helps us with activities inside and outside the facility for our

Please note I need a two week We are still in need of volunteers notice for activities inside or outside for Thursday morning beauty shop the facility as our calendar is planned

Have a good week from all of us Volunteers for the week were here at Crockett County Care Center. Come by for a visit. Great things

> Jan St. Clair **Activity Director**

Sad Beginning, Happy Ending......

about childhood. Her father was an to go to Sunday school with her next alcoholic and a violent man. He spent Sunday. It was there that she began to most of their money on alcohol. He learn about God and the Bible. By the came home drunk almost every night age of 13 she realized that Jesus loved and would regularly beat up his chil- her very much and that He died on the dren and wife. They had very little fur- cross for her, so she could have her niture because her father would go on sins forgiven and the hope of a new a drunken rampage and destroy most life (a new relationship to God). That

side of town, and the only people who Lord) John 3:15, 36, 10:28, 14:6 (a came by were those who left a small sack of groceries on the front porch after dark. Her clothes consisted of a few worn-out, hand-me-down dresses.

One evening, a lady came by

(Angels cried the elders four living creatures) Amen! (So be it!) they cried, Blessing and glory and majesty and splendor and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and might [he ascribed to our God to the age and ages (forever and ever, throughout the eternities of the eternities)! Amen! (So be it)!

Revelations 7:12

It was so hard for her to share from a nearby church and invited her year she put her faith in Jesus Christ They lived in a little shack out- (she asked Him to be her Savior and major turning point in her life).

> A few years later she met a young Christian man, they became sweethearts, and when she turned 16 they were married (another turning point). She said for the first time in her life she had a warm house (with love) to live in and enough food to eat.

> Many years have passed, but with her faith in Christ, a faithful Christian husband, local church attendance, and the help of Christian friends, she has a happy ending to her life.

> If you are having problems today, no matter how terrible, remember, Jesus is the answer.

See you in church on Sunday

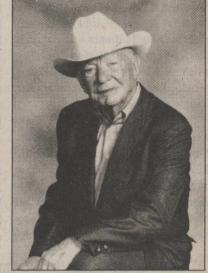
Obituaries

Jan. 27 service for Jerry Hayes

Jerry Lewis Hayes, 82, of Ozona It's that time again. The activity died Sunday, Jan. 27, 2002, at Comwas born Nov. 20, 1919, in Cass County to James Floyd and Maggie

He served as a Naval aviator and Buster Miller has donated a as a 2nd Lieutenant in the Amy Air married Billy Jo West in April of 1947. He was a rancher in Val Verde and Terrell counties and a businessman before retiring. Jerry was a Mason and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include: one sister, Marie Waters, and her husband, E. O., of Carencro, LA; daughter Mary Jo White and her husband, Bud, of Sanderson; daughter Peggy Dickerson and her husband, Terry, of Ozona; grandchildren Mike Kenison and his wife, Jennifer, of Missouri City; Erika Adrienne Dickerson of College Sta-Hannah Kenison of Missouri City; and family members Susie White of San Angelo and Melvin Larry Allen of Hayes and Willis Hayes. Ozona. He is also survived by sisters-Marie Hayes of Conroe, Celia West Baptist Church in Ozona.



of Ozona and brothers-in-law Noah Blizzard of Shreveport, LA, and Curtis Festervand of Sulphur, LA; and by numerous nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his Kenison Harger of Portland, OR; wife, Billy Jo West Hayes, daughter Helen Hayes Kenison, his parents tion; Clay Everett of San Angelo; James Floyd and Maggie Hayes, sisgreat-granddaughters Ashley and ters Pauline Blizzard, Goldie Reneau, Trudice Festervand and by brothers Shellie Hayes, Dorris Hayes, Troy

Funeral services were held Tuesin-law Opal Hayes of Port Lavaca, day, Jan. 29, at 10:00 a.m. at the First

Shirley Mitchell rites in Sanderson

Sanderson died Jan. 28, 2002, at 10:30 a.m. after a lengthy battle with can-

Graveside service will be at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 30, at the Cedar Grove Cemetery in Sanderson with Tom Koger officiating. Arrangements are by Preddy Funeral Home one son, Michael Mitchell, preceded

She was born in Menard on Aug. and Myrtle Jo Janes. She graduated from Edison High School in San Antonio and attended Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.

She married David Mitchell of Sanderson Jan. 23, 1956. Later that also worked as a volunteer for the a favorite charity.

Shirley Tucker Mitchell, 66, of West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

She is survived by her mother, Jo Richardson of Ozona; her husband, David Mitchell; one son, Clay Mitchell and his wife, Marka; two grandsons, Trey and Colby Mitchell, all of Sanderson.

Her father, Vincent Tucker, and

Pallbearers wil be Jack Harrell, 7, 1935, to Hervert Vincent Tucker John Nelson, Sonny Anderson, Dewayne Lindsey, George Johnson and Monty Harkins.

Honorary pallbearers will be Ginger Harrell, Betsy Whistler and Peggy Nelson.

Memorials may be made to the year she became a member of the First First Presbyterian Church of Presbyterian Church of Sanderson and Sanderson, American Cancer Society, served the church for many years. She West Texas Rehabilitation Center or

Spanish services begin at Cowboy Church

Starting Feb. 3, Sunday services ing worship follows at 11:00 a.m. and ducted in Spanish by Pastor Bernardo Sunday. Solis. Pastor Rick Thomas will continue holding services in English each Street. Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

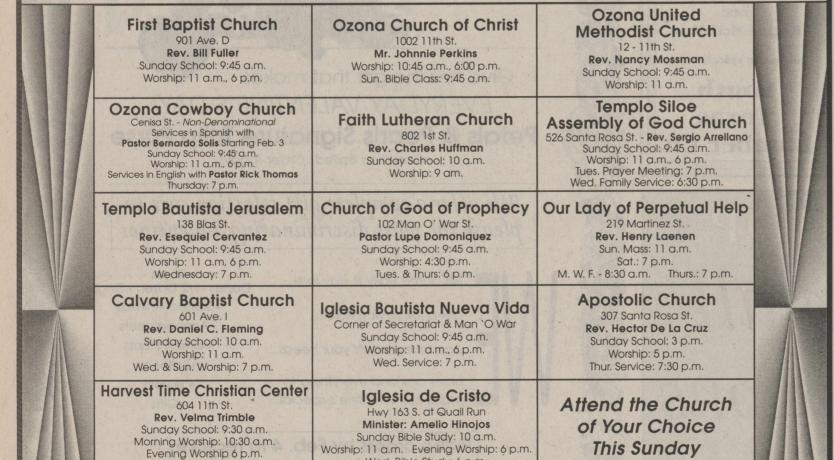
at Ozona Cowboy Church will be con- evening worship is at 6:00 p.m. on The church is located on Cenisa

For more information, you may call Angie Daniels at 392-2307 or Anna Gilly at 392-5275 until 4:00 The Sunday schedule begins at 9:45 a.m. with Sunday School. Morn- p.m.

Praper to the Virgin Mary

Pray nine Hail Mary's during nine days with a lit candle and ask for three favors: one economic, two impossible and on the eighth day publish. On the ninth, let the candle be consumed. Even without faith they shall be fulfilled.

Thank you Mother Mary,

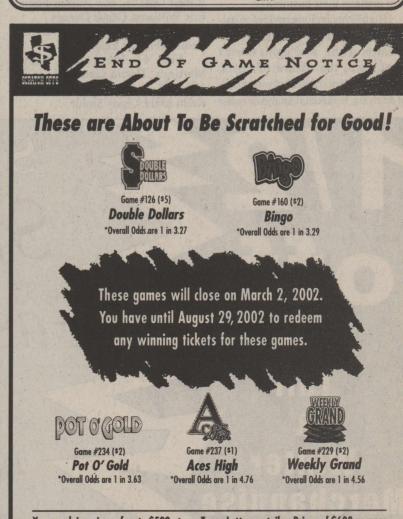


Wed. Bible Study: 6 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m. ALL PASTORS OF OZONA CHURCHES ARE INVITED TO SUBMIT COLUMNS.

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Derek Ruthardt named to the Academic First Team All-State Football Team



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The grandson of Buryl and Zella Ruthardt, Derek Ruthardt, was named to the First Team Academic All-State Football Team.

Ouarterback Derek Ruthardt will graduate valedictorian at Community High School Class of 2002.

Derek has been class president four years, involved in Fellowship of Christian Athletes for four years and an officer for two years, Student Council three years and football captain two years. Derek, as a junior, placed first at UIL district competition in chemistry and at regional placed third. Derek has excelled on and off the field as a leader in the classroom and in the community. Other achievements are Academic All-District Quarterback 2 years, Academic All-District Pitcher as a junior, Honorable Mention Pitcher, played basketball 2 years, ran track 3 years, FFA 2 years.

Derek is being recruited by several colleges around the country to play quarterback and pitch in college ball. At this time he has not decided which college he will attend.

Derek is the son of Rod and Stephanie Ruthardt. Rod Ruthardt graduated from Ozona High School



"Bomfog" to appear in concert at Ozona High School on Feb. 5

the High School Auditorium. The band consists of five young men from San Angelo who have written and produced two albums thus far. The group promotes Christian principles through talking to young people about every- Searsy, and Drew Searsy.

The Christian rock band, day problems and their solutions. The "Bomfog", will appear in concert music of Bomfog has taken them from Tuesday, February 5, at 8:00 p.m. in Houston to Denver and many places in-between. Their up-beat music makes for an enjoyable evening of lights and sounds that you will not soon forget.

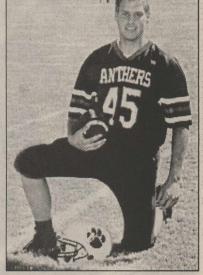
The band members are: Jack their music and enjoys touring and Wilcox, Jeff Peters, John Self, Clay

Chet Stuart plays on 6-man State Championship football team

Chet Stuart, a senior at Whitharral High School, played on the 2001 6-Man State Championship football team. The Whitharral Panthers defeated Richland Springs Dec. 13 at Sweetwater by a score of 27 to 20. The Panthers were 15-0 for the season.

Chet, a 6'5" starting center and captain, also received several post district honors. He was named as first team all district center, first team allregion center, first team all-South Plains center and was also named as honorable mention on the all-state

Chet is also a starter and captain on the basketball team, plays golf, and is vice-president of the student council, president of the FFA, a member of the National Honor Society, a member of the Citizens Bank Board, and ness is ranked second in his graduating class. He has also been named to the all-state academic team for the past



Texas A&M University in Canyon and play football and major in agribusi-

Chet is the son of Rodney and Chesta Schneider and the late Gregory Stuart. He is the grandson of Wanda two years. He plans to attend West and B.W. Stuart and Alma Wilson.

How the groundhog became a star

(Reprinted from Groundhog.org, The Official Site of mal, the hedgehog, would cast a shadow, thus predicting The Punxsutawny Groundhog Club.)

Groundhog Day, February 2nd, is a popular tradition in the United States. It is also a legend that traverses centuries, its origins clouded in the mists of time with ethnic cultures and animals awakening on specific dates. Myths did, indeed, influence our lives. It is the day that the Groundhog comes out of his hole after a long winter sleep to look for his shadow. If he sees it, he regards it

as an omen of six more weeks of bad weather and returns to his hole. If the day is cloudy and, hence, shadowless, he takes it as a sign of spring and stays above ground.

The groundhog tradition stems from similar beliefs associated with Candlemas Day and the days of early Christians in Europe, and for centuries the custom was to have the clergy bless candles and distribute them to the people. Even then, it marked a milestone in the winter and the weather that day was impor-

According to an old English song:

If Candlemas be fair and bright, Come, Winter, have another flight; If Candlemas brings clouds and rain, Go Winter, and come not again.

The Roman legions, during the conquest of the north-

six more weeks of bad weather, which they interpolated as the length of the "Second Winter."

Pennsylvania's earliest settlers were Germans and they found groundhogs to be in profusion in many parts of the state. They determined that the groundhog, resemsuch as this tie our present to the distant past when nature bling the European hedgehog, was a most intelligent and sensible animal and therefore decided that if the sun did appear on February 2nd, so wise an animal as the ground-

hog would see its shadow and hurry back into its underground home for another six weeks

The Germans recited:

For as the sun shines on Candlemas Day, So far will the snow swirl until the May.

This passage may be the one most closely represented by the first Punxsutawney Groundhog Day observances because there were references to the length of shadows in early Groundhog Day predictions.

Those from Crockett County with

Kim Bean, Adrienne Bendele, Andy

Birkenfeld, Ericia Birkenfeld,

LuCinda Birkenfeld, Murphey Black,

Jake Stewart, Lana Stewart, Roy

Walston and Katheryn Walston.

Another February 2nd belief, used by American 19th century farmers, was:

Groundhog Day - Half your hay.

New England farmers knew that we were not close to the end of winter, no matter how cloudy February 2nd was. Indeed, February 2nd is often the heart of winter. If ern country, supposedly brought this tradition to the the farmer didn't have half his hay remaining, there may Teutons, or Germans, who picked it up and concluded that have been lean times for the cows before spring and fresh if the sun made an appearance on Candlemas Day, an ani- grass arrived.

Levis and Lace **Dancers News**

Thursday night, Jan. 24, the Levis and Lace Club entertained residents of the Care Center with their square dancing and line dancing. Present were dancers Leroy and Carol Adcock, Lucy Hinde, Barbara Malone, Nell Wester, Otis Nester, Peggie Early, Bill and Bernice Cota and Maria De La Rosa. Dancers and residents alike always enjoy their time at the care center.

Saturday night, Jan. 26, was a fun-filled night for Levis and Lace Square Dance Club of Ozona. This was regular dance night for the club and was held at the Senior Citizen Building. John Geen from San Angelo and Skip Miller called the dance. The callers put the dancers through their paces and did one special tip together which created extra fun for everyone.

Lots of good food and fellowship were enjoyed by all attending. Present were: Al and Betty Fields, Bill and Bernice Cota, Raul and Maria De La Rosa, Lucy Hinde, Leroy and Carol Adcock, Otis Nester, Len Hillman, Skip Miller, John Geen and Nell Wester. Nell is still a student but is progressing at a fast pace and is enjoying dancing at the regular dances of the club.

The next dance will be Feb. 9 with Roy Lombard from Del Rio doing the calling.

Students Barbara Malone, Betty Bullard and Nell Wester are moving along at a smart pace in lessons. Graduation for them will be held March 9 with Bill Prichard from Eagle Pass calling the graduation dance.

Everyone is welcome to come join the fun and fellowship with Levis and Lace Square Dance Club at their regular dances or on Thursday nights at the care center.

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Computer science team wins meet

Ozona High School's computer Baggett second and Robert Mossman science team placed first in a Jan. 29 U.I.L. meet held at Andrews High School. The students competed against division 1A-5A teams and in-

Members of the OHS computer science team are Kyle Richardson, Lane English, Philip Baggett, Paarth Raj and Robert Mossman.

Individually in computer science, Kyle Richardson placed first, Philip

Richardson was fifth in the senior science division, and Erin Castro placed 10th. In the junior science division, Zach Webb came in third and had the top chemistry score. Philip Baggett was first and had the top chemistry score in the sophomore di-

Amanda Carson placed third in poetry



THIS PECAN TREE at the old Methodist Parsonage on 12th Street got trimmed last week with the help of Clay & Ira Childress, Dan Davidson and owner Bob Childress last week. Bob estimates the tree was planted in 1918. DigiCam Photo by Scotty Moore

Local 4-H'ers prepare for Houston

Texas will compete in Reliant Hall, and 33 exhibitors from Crockett County 4-H Club have entered to be

The junior show, which show- its kind in the world. cases the animal projects of these FFA and 4-H exhibitors, begins livestock competition on Friday, Feb. 22. More than 16,000 entries, representing more than 1,000 Texas 4-H clubs and FFA junior show.

Professional breeders and ranchers will compete for top prize money

4-H Functions

Jan. 30 - Lamb Showmanship Workshop, County Barns, 5:30 p.m. Jan. 31 - Thank You Party for all Stockshow Exhibitors Includes Hot Dog Supper and Refreshments, Extension Office, 6-8 p.m.

Feb. 4 - Clothing Project Meeting, Extension Office 5:30 p.m.

Feb. 5 - Goat Showmanship Workshop, County Barns, 5:30 p.m. Feb. 7 - Swine Showmanship Workshop, County Barns, 5:30 p.m. Feb. 14 - Rabbit Entries for San Angelo Stock Show, Extension Office

Feb. 18 - Goat Showmanship Workshop, County Barns, 5:30 p.m Feb. 19 - Lamb Showmanship Workshop, County Barns, 5:40 p.m.



The 2002 Houston Livestock and global recognition in the livestock market barrow. Show marks the final year that 4-H industry during the first 10 days of the and FFA youth exhibitors from across show, beginning Wednesday, Feb. 13. market goats are: Alexandra Bean,

Entries from both the open and junior shows, along with the horse show, combine to make the Houston Livestock Show the largest event of Chase Clark, Clay Hale, Clint Hale,

Crockett County 4-H Club members will show 27 junior market lambs, one junior market barrow and 14 junior market goats.

Exhibiting the lambs will be chapters, will compete in this year's Lakin Aaron, Philip Baggett, Kim Bean, Andy Birkenfeld, LuCinda Birkenfeld, Brennan Brown, Brittany Brown, Kelsey Childress, Tell Churchill, Katy Churchill, Chase Clark, Latham Ducote, Clay Hale, Clint Hale, Jordan Long, Jayci Miller, Victoria Miller, Aaron Renfroe, Kyle Richardson, Ashley Unger, Dean Wadsworth, Roy Walston, Katheryn Walston, Wendy Wilson, Weslee Wil-

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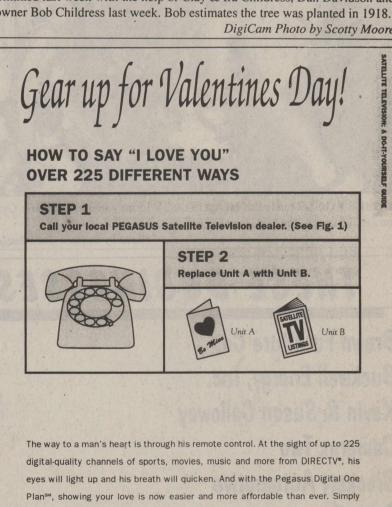


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G.L. BUNGER didn't let the Van Horn defense distract him when the Lions took on the Eagles Jan. 25 in Davidson Gym.

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JV Lions edge past Badgers

By: Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The junior varsity Lions went to McCamey Jan. 22 to compete against the junior varsity McCamey Badgers. to win the game 33-31 in overtime.

In the first half of play, the Lions did well, outscoring the Badgers by eight points. The scoreboard at halftime read Lions 20, Badgers 12. In the third quarter, the Lions hit

a slump, just scoring five points while the Badgers made their way back to rebound and fast break which was the lead the Lions by five points, 30-25.

The Lions scored six points in the fourth quarter and held the Badgers Dennis Taylor 6, Toby Pagan 6, Ryan to just one point, forcing the game into overtime at 31-31. The Lions scored

the only two points in overtime to edge past the Badgers for the win.

Ryan Wiley led the Lions in scoring with 11 points including sinking a three and led in steals with two. Robert Ogle led on the boards with nine total rebounds and in saves with three. This was a close game as the Lions Wiley and Ruben Talamantez led in edged past the Badgers by two points assists with three apiece. The Lions shot 75% of their free throws.

> "Our guys played well in the beginning of this game. McCame nearly blew us out in the third period," said Coach Lynn Searsy. "The Lions stepped up in overtime and did not allow them to score. We ran a good deciding factor in the game".

Lions Scorers: Ryan Wiley 11, Pearl 6, Ruben Talamantez 2, Doug



on Jan. 25 against the Van Horn Eagles.

Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler points. Lions scoring were Bryan Jarryd Taylor 2.

Lions capture victory over the Van Horn Eagles

By: Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Eagles Jan. 25 at Davidson Gym, capturing the win by a sweet 24 points. In the first quarter, the Lions domiwhile holding the Eagles to under five. the Eagles by 15. Lead Lion scorer was Derek Faught with four points followed by Bryan Abel Rodriguez each adding in two

The second quarter was much like the first as the Lions dealt the Lions with a sweet nine points while each scored one point. L. Garza added five including nailing a three, Rodriguez scored three, the Eagles 59-35. Faught chipped in two and Hayse ons held a great 17 point lead over the apiece. Faught led in assists with an six points followed by G. L. Bunger

The Lions shut down the Eagles Skehan, G. L. Bunger, Lalo Garza, and in the final eight minutes of regulation time, allowing just seven points by the Eagles to their own 16. Scoring for the Lions were Bunger and Skehan each with five points, L. Garza Eagles misery by scoring an awesome and Faught added two points each 20 points to their 11. Skehan led the while Rodriguez and Jarryd Taylor

The Lions captured the win over

Bunger and L. Garza led on the seven points, 18-11. Worthington one. At halftime the Li- boards with nine total rebounds

Skehan and Rodriguez who made six

points apiece while Bunger scored five including sinking a three. Faught,

In the final eight minutes of play,

the Wildcats made one last ditch ef-

and holding the Lions to under 15.

Despite the Wildcats' amazing come-

back, they couldn't catch up with the

Lions before time ran out. Ozona won

Garza and Jarryd Taylor all scoring

two points apiece and Faught adding

bounds were Rodriguez and Faught

each having seven. Faught also led the

The Ozona Lions made a journey Lalo Garza and Mayfield chipped in

The Wildcats then turned up the Bunger with five, Lalo Garza, Arron

In the first quarter, the Lions took

incredible seven assists. Skehan big reason they lost the game. In the third quarter, the Eagles blocked two Eagles shots, and L. flew past the Lions, scoring 13 points Garza led in steals with four. Lead is 15-9. Their district record to date is The Lions hosted the Van Horn to the Lions' 11. L. Garza sank two Lion scorers in the game were Skehan 5-2 threes for the Lions, Skehan scored with 19 and L. Garza with 15. The three points, and Bunger chipped in Lions shot 50% of their free throws. Garza 15, Bunger 9, Faught 8, two. Despite the Eagles' outscoring the The Eagles turned over the ball 20 Rodriguez 6, Taylor 1 and nated the scoreboard with 12 points Lions in the third, the Lions still led times, thus hurting them and being a Worthington 1.

The Lions' season record to date

Lions scorers: Skehan 19, L.

Lions shut down Badgers

By: Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Despite the Badgers efforts to stay in the game the Lions shut them down, winning the game by an awesome 12 points Jan. 22 in McCamey. The Lions started the game on the right foot, outscoring the Badgers by

Bryan Skehan led the Lions with with five points including nailing a three. Lalo Garza drained a three while Derek Faught and Jarryd Taylor each added two points.

The second quarter was much score one more than the Lions, 13-12. Taylor stepped up and led the Lions points, and Skehan, L. Garza and Abel each. The Lions led the Badgers by six points at halftime, 30-24.

After the half the Lions came storming back and again would score more than the Badgers, 18-10. Arron Garza led in the third with five points Skehan added four, Faught sank a Rodriguez 2.

three, and Hayse Worthington, Bunger and Lalo Garza all added two points.

The Badgers came back in the fourth, scoring two more points than the Lions. However, McCamey stood no chance of winning the game as the Lions took the game 61-49.

Scoring for Ozona in the fourth were A. Garza with five points including making three of four free throws, Faught with four including two of two free throws, L. Garza made a twopoint bucket and Rodriguez and Bunger each scored one of two free throws. Taylor played great on the boards as he led the Lions in total recloser as the Badgers managed to bounds with 10 followed by Bunger with nine. L. Garza and Faught each led in assists with three each. L. Garza in the second quarter with seven and A. Garza led in steals with each having four, and Skehan led in Rodriguez added two more points blocked shots with three. Despite the Lions' win they did not do well on the free throw line as they only made 11 of 25. The Badgers did fairly well on the free throw line making 9 of 13.

Lions scorers: Skehan 12, A. Garza 10, L. Garza 9, Faught 9, Tayincluding smoking a three while lor 9, Bunger 8, Worthington 2 and

JV Gold Ladies beat Owls

By: Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The JV Gold Lady Lions defeated the Reagan County Freshman Lady Owls 39-27 here Jan. 25. In the Ramos made 8 points, Mackinsey first quarter the Lady Lions led the Morris 5, April Vargas 4, Kristen Lady Owls by two points, 8-6. The James 2. Lady Owls, however would come back and hold Ozona to only four back and hold Ozona to only four points as they doubled that, scoring JV Lady Lions eight. The Lady Owls led the Lady Lions at halftime by two points, 14-

The Lady Lions got it together By Michelle Holtz in the third quarter as they dominated the scoreboard with an awesome 17 points and kept the Lady Owls to un-Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler der seven points.

Ozona players continued their assault on the Lady Owls on into the



Lions scorers: Derek Faught 19, WESLEE WILSON drives down the After the half, the Lions came out Abel Rodriguez 13, G.L. Bunger 12, court for the eighth grade "B" Lady ting down the Wildcats to under five Bryan Skehan 6, Arron Garza 2 and

Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler 4 and Galan 2.

fourth quarter, allowing only seven points while racking up 10.

Lead scorers for the Lady Lions were Kristen Bunger and Laura Pierce each scoring 10 points apiece. Britney

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STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The junior varsity Lady Lions held the McCameyLady Badgers to under five points in each quarter last week in McCamey. In the first quarter of the Jan. 22 game, the Lady Lions led by six points, 10-4. Melanie Bullard and Ruth Cervantez led the Lady Lions in scoring with four points apiece while Jessica Galan added in two more points.

In the second quarter, Ozona again outscored the Lady Badgers but this time by four, 8-4. Michelle Necessary and Brandi Buchanan each scored four points for Ozona. At the end of the first half, the Lady Lions led the Lady Badgers 18-8.

The Lady Lions held the Lady Badgers in the third quarter to only three points while racking up eight. Bullard led the Ladies with six points including nailing a three, and Cervantez chipped in a 2-pointer.

The Lady Lions went cold in the fourth quarter, scoring only three points while the Lady Badgers made four points. Bullard landed another three in the fourth for the Lady Lions. Despite Ozona's stall in the final quarter, they still pulled out with the win, beating the Lady Badgers 29-15.

Lady Lions scorers: Bullard 13, Cervantez 6, Necessary 4, Buchanan

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SPORTS

JV Ladies win Angelo tourney

STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The JV Gold Lady Lions won

Freshman Tourney Jan. 18-19. The Ladies played three games and won each one of them.

On Jan. 18 the Ladies took on the the championship game against the Glenn freshman girls, winning this Wall Lady Hawks in the San Angelo match up by a sweet 22 points. In the

D.A.R.E. graduates recognized

The D.A.R.E. program, which is made possible through Crockett winning essays were Isaac Rodriguez County Sheriff's Department, was taught this year by Deputy Nick Richter and Deputy Jose Gutierrez. They were present, along with Sheriff Shane Fenton, to hand out graduation certificates and pins and award jackets to the essay winners from the three classes. As part of the D.A.R.E. program, each student is required to com-

Fifth graders at Ozona Interme- pose an essay explaining how they feel diate School celebrated their gradua- about the program, what they have tion from the 17-week Drug Abuse learned that will help them to stay Resistance Education class at an drug-free and avoid violence, and why awards ceremony and pizza party Jan. they think it is important to be drugfree and avoid violence.

from Mrs. Becky Carter's class, Ethan English from Ms. Nikki Harrison's class, and Whitney Wilson from Mrs. Charlotte Laughlin's class.

The winning D.A.R.E. essays will be printed in next week's edition of The Ozona Stockman.



ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS received jackets as their reward during a D.A.R. E. graduation ceremony Jan. 25. Ethan English and Isaac Rodriguez recieved their awards for Sheriff Shane Fenton who was assisted by Deputy the Lady Hawks in the third and Nick Richter and Deputy Jose Gutierrez. Not pictured is winner Whitney DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore



MS. NIKKI HARRISON'S CLASS



MRS. BECKY CARTER'S CLASS



MRS. CHARLOTTE LAUGHLIN'S CLASS

first quarter, the Lady Lions controlled the floor, holding the Glenn girls to zero points while racking up 10.

The Lady Lions would again control the floor in the second quarter as the Glenn girls only scored two points to the Lady Lions' eight. At halftime Ozona held a 16 point lead

In the third quarter, the Lady Lions hit a slump, scoring four points while holding the Glenn girls to just two points. However, in the final minutes of play, the Lady Lions continued to keep their opponents from scoring more than two points while they finished the game with six

Lead Lady Lion scorer was Mackinsey Morris with an awesome 14 points. Others scoring for the La-Earning the jackets with their dies were Kayla Johnson with 4, Kristen Bunger 3, Katherine Walston 2, Laura Pierce 2, Jenna Henderson 2 and Britney Ramos 1.

The Lady Lions competed against the 5A team Abilene Cooper Lady Cougarettes in game two on Jan. 18, winning the game by 7 points. Ozona BEKAH COWEN is open for a pass this game, outscoring the Cougarettes by three in the first quarter of play, 5-

The Cougarettes got it together in the second quarter to score four more the Lady Lions, 10-6. At halftime, the Cougarettes led the Lady Lions 12-

The Lady Lions came on strong in the second half, scoring four more than the Cougarettes in the third quarter, 10-6 and then four more points than the Cougarettes in the fourth quarter, 9-5. Ozona won the game with the final score being Lady Lions 30, Cougarettes 23.

Lead scorer for the Lady Lions was Kristen Bunger with an excellent 11 points followed by Laura Pierce and Mackinsey Morris each with 6, Kayla Johnson with 5 and Britney Ramos with 2.

The Lady Lions competed against the Wall Lady Hawks in the championship game Jan. 19. This was a close contest with the Lady Lions coming out on top to win the tournament. In the first quarter the Lady Hawks soared past the Lady Lions, outscoring them by three, 10-7. Ozona came back in the second quarter to score three more than the Lady Hawks and tie the score 13-13.

The Lady Lions reared back in the second half to score one more than fourth quarters thus winning the game and tournament. The final score of the game was Lady Lions 29, Lady Hawks 27.

Kristen Bunger led in scoring with 10 points. Others scoring were Britney Ramos with 8, Laura Pierce with 7 and Mackinsey Morris and Kayla Johnson adding 2 points apiece.

Lady Lions win in overtime

By: Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Lady Lions played a great game and hung on to the win over the Lady Badgers in overtime, 45-43 Jan. 22 in McCamey. In the first quarter the Lady Lions played their game and outscored the Lady Badgers by three,

Jordan Webster led the Ladies in scoring with five points including nailing a three followed by Colbey Crawford with four points and Katy Churchill added in two points.

The Lady Lions again scored more than the Lady Badgers in the second quarter for a 1-point lead, 12-11. The Lady Lions held a two point lead over the Lady Badgers at halftime, 23-21.

Jessica Herring led the Lady Lions with five points in the second quarter with Casey Ybarra adding four points and Taylor Oglesby chipping in three. Both teams scored seven points in the third quarter. Churchill made four points and Webster drained a three for the Lady Lions.

In the fourth quarter, the Lady Badgers made their final comeback, outscoring the Lady Lions 14-10 to tie the game 40-40. Churchill scored six points while Webster and Herring added two more points apiece. Churchill and Herring scored in overtime for the Lady Lions with Churchill making three points and Herring two. The Lady Badgers stood to score four points in overtime but only managed to hit two of two free throws. The Lady Lions did well on the free throw line scoring seven out of 10. The Lady Badgers scored just six of 13.

Lady Lions scorers: Katy Churchill 15, Jordan Webster 10, Jessica Herring 9, Colbey Crawford 4, Casey Ybarra 4 and Taylor Oglesby



players were quick to set the tempo in during the varsity Lady Lions clash shot the Lady Eagles, 17-13. with the Van Horn Lady Eagles.



ADRIENNE BENDELE concentrates as she moves the ball toward the basket for the seventh grade Lady Lions. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler



GEORGE SARABIA demonstrates his jump roping skills at a primary school skills presentation during halftime of the Jan. 25 Lady Lions game. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler



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Lady Lions shoot down Eagles

STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Van Horn Lady Eagles came to Ozona Jan. 25 to compete in a district match up held at Davidson Gymnasium against the Lady Lions. The Lady Lions topped the scoreboard 59-

Although Ozona did not do well on the free throw line, making only 5 of 13, they made up for it by hitting their twos and threes. The Lady Lions scored six 3-pointers. Hilary Huffman was right on target at the three point line as she sank three 3s. Jordan Webster also did well shooting the three as she nailed two of them. Katy Churchill did a great job shooting the 2-points basketswith six. six Overall the Lady Lions did a much better job taking care of the ball and their shooting skills.

In the first quarter the Lady Lions got off to a great start as they out

In the second quarter, the Lady Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler Lions held the Lady Eagles to under seven points while racking up an awesome 20 points. The Lady Lions held a serious lead over the Lady Eagles at halftime, 37-19.

The Lady Lions stalled out in the third quarter, only scoring one more than the Lady Eagles, 7-6. The Lady Lions got their momentum back in the excellent 15 points.

ing in this game were Casey Ybarra 5 and 2 for district to date.

Valdez 2 Dub Walston 2 Daniel Cruz 2 Justin Galan 1.



COLBEY CRAWFORD shoots the ball for the Lady Lions against Van Horn. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler with 7, Jessica Herring with 6, Ruth Cervantez 3, Taylor Oglesby, Kimber fourth quarter as they held the Lady Bean and Brandi Buchanan each scor-Eagles to under 10 while scoring an ing 2 points apiece and Colbey Crawford 1. Oglesby led the Lady Katy Churchill and Jordan Lions in total rebounds with nine, Webster led the Lady Lions as they Lana Stewart led in assists with three each scored 12 points followed by and Churchill and Stewart led in steals Hilary Huffman with 9. Others scor- with three apiece. The Lady Lions are

OZONA SCHOOLS BASKETBALL BOX SCORES

By Michelle Holtz -- Stockman Sportswriter Middle School Box Scores Eighth Grade Lions place third in Big Lake tourney Eighth Grade Lions vs. Eighth Grade McCamey Badgers

Lion scorers: Dusty Thomas 8, Justin Galan 7, Nick Perez 6, Derek Wiley 4, David Esparza 2, Jack Rodriguez 2 and Robert DeHoyos 1.

Eighth Grade Lions vs. Eighth Grade Big Lake Owls 01-27-02 Owls 8 10 0 13 31 Lion scorers: Derek Wiley 23, Dusty Thomas 5, David Esparza 4, Justin Galan 2, Nick Perez 2 and Kyle Eighth Grade Lions vs. Eighth Grade Wall Hawks

Score by quarter: Lion scorers: Dusty Thomas 8, Jack Rodriguez 7, Nick Perez 4, David Esparza 3, Jared Espino 3, Junior

Lion scorers: Colby Mayfield 12, Levi Vargas 8, Roman Tambunga 4, Caleb Mitchell 2, Alex Ochoa 2, Jordan Long 2.

Eighth Grade Rocksprings TourneySeventh Grade Lions vs Eighth Grade Junction

Seventh Grade Lions vs Eighth Grade Brackett Lions Lion scorers: Levi Vargas 12, Colby Mayfield 7, Caleb Mitchell 4, Jordan Long 3, Alex Ochoa 2, Thomas Gray 2, Roman Tambunga 2, Nick Perez 2. Eighth Grade Lady Lions vs Eighth Grade Big Lake Lady Owls Score by quarter: Lady Owls

Lady Lion scorers: Allison Skehan 7, Kelli DeHoyos 2, Ashley James 1, Tyler Cunninghim 1, Kayla Pratt 1, Mandy Fierro 1 Eighth Grade Lady Lions vs Eighth Grade McCamey Lady Badgers

Lady Badgers Lady Lion scorers: Allison Skehan 6, Malorie Moran 5, Allie Bean 4. Eighth Grade Lady Lions vs Eighth Grade Wall Lady Hawks

Seventh Grade Lady Lions vs Eighth Grade Junction Lady Eagles Lady Lion scorers: Ashley Unger 7, Kaleigh Wiley 4, Adrienne Bendele 2, Frankie Skinner 2, Farrar

Lady Lion scorers: Allie Bean 8, Allison Skehan 5, Mandy Fierro 4, Jessica Moore 3, Malorie Moran 2.

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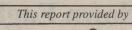
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Lady Lion scorers: Whitney Hernandez 4, Kerri Mendez 3, Cheyenne Taylor 3. Eighth Grade Lady Lions vs. Eighth Grade Iraan Bravettes

Score by quarter Lady Lion scorers: Malorie Moran 6, Tyler Cunningham 4, Kayla Pratt 4, Ashley James 2, Allison Skehan 2, Jessica Moore 2 Seventh Grade Lady Lions vs. Seventh Grade Iraan Bravettes 01-26-02

Lady Lion scorers: Ashley Unger 14, Kaleigh Wiley 6. Seventh Grade Lions vs. Seventh Grade Iraan Braves Lion scorers: Levi Vargas 13, Alex Ochoa 2, Thomas Gray 2, Matthew Payne 2, Caleb Mitchell 2. Eighth Grade Lions vs. Eighth Grade Iraan Braves Lion scorers: Derek Wiley 13, Jack Rodriguez 9, Justin Galan 6, Nick Perez 6, Dusty Thomas 4, Dub Walston 2, Jared Espino 2, Eric Fierro 1.

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Crockett County Sheriff's Report

CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT WEEKLY NEWS REPORT

01-22-2002 through 01-28-2002

01-22-2002

Deputy brought a subject in to the jail as a sleeper.

Deputy gave courtesy transport to a subject to local motel.

Pecos County transported hitchhiker to 346 MM on I-10. Constable transported to

east county line. Report of loose livestock at 356 MM on I-10. Deputy put sheep back in the pasture and land owner was contacted.

• Deputy met with subjects in reference to juvenile complaint. 01-23-2002

• Deputy met with complainant at lo-cal apartments in reference to telephone harassment. Deputy advised complainant to record all calls and talk to her attorney. Report of gas drive off from local

store. Vehicle was apprehended west of Ozona and two subjects were arrested on a charge of theft of service 01-24-2002 • 911 hang up call from a residence on Mulberry St. Deputies responded and re-ported that it was a family disturbance. Deputy

escorted one female subject to another residence for her safety. Deputy assisted stranded motorist who ran out of fuel.

Deputy unlocked vehicle at local restaurant. Deputy unlocked vehicle on Ave. D.

Deputy met complainant at the Sheriff's Office to file theft report.

Deputy met complainant on Blas St. in reference to theft of clothing items from the laundry mat 01-25-2002

Deputy responded to 911 hang up call at the high school gym. Deputy spoke with school official who stated no one had called from that location.

Report of gas drive off from Pecos River Store. DPS Trooper apprehended the vehicle at MM 369 on I-10. Subject stated that it was accidental and paid for the fuel. Crockett County Constable delivered the payment to the

Report of suspicious person at local restaurant. Deputy advised the subject to leave the area.

 Deputy responded to 911 hang up on Marianna St. Deputy advised all was okay.
 Report of a subject at a residence on Piedra St. who was causing problems. Deputies advised subject to leave. Report of disturbance at local apart-

ments on Fairway Drive. Complainant was having problems with two subjects arguing at his apartment. Complainant took subjects home. Report of a disturbance on 11th St. Subjects that were causing the disturbance had already left the area when deputies arrived.

Report of a prowler at a residence on 3rd St. and Ave. I. Deputies reported juveniles entered an empty residence without adult authorization and were in possession of alco-

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hol. Owner of residence filed charges of trespassing. All juveniles were identified. Deputy unlocked vehicle on Santa

01-26-2002

Deputy met with complainant at the Sheriff's Office in reference to telephone harassment. Deputy took report, charges were filed and warrant issued.

Deputy provided a civil standby on Blas St. Subject wanted to get some items out

okay. Deputy provided a civil standby at local apartment south of town while subject

retrieved items from his apartment. Deputy and DPS Trooper responded to a domestic disturbance. Subject was arrested

on a charge of family violence. Deputy met complainant at local motel in reference to theft of beer from a room. · Report of a vehicle that caused damage to power lines on Ave. E. Fire Dept. and Texas Highway Dept. worked traffic control and

also local utilities companies were called out. Report of a motor vehicle accident on Martinez and Besente Streets. Vehicle that caused accident had left the scene. Subject was arrested at his residence on Man O War St. on charges of driving while intoxicated, failure to stop and render aid and no drivers license.

01-27-2002 Report of an open door at the vet clinic. Deputy secured the building and owner was notified.

Report of broken glass on Ave. H in front of a building. Deputy located a broken flo-

Alarm at the high school. Deputy reported it was a school employee at the build-911 medical call on 1st St. in refer-

ence to a subject who had fallen down. Deputy assisted EMS unit. 01-28-2002

Report of a stranded motorist on I-10. Deputy assisted motorist. Report of a hitchhiker who needed

a place to sleep for the night. Deputy brought subject to the jail and day shift Deputy escorted subject to east county line. Deputy responded to and provided a request for courtesy transport from local truck

ARREST REPORT 01-22-2002 through 01-28-2002

01-23-2002

· Maness, Daniel Wade, age 18, of Ozona was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on Crockett County Traffic warrants and DPS warrants. Subject remains in jail. • Freuden, Sara Elaine, age 18,

of Orange was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on warrants out of Williamson County. Subject remains in jail awating transfer.

· Kranning, Robert William, age 18, of San Antonio was arrested by Sheriffs Deputy on a charge of theft. Subject was released after time

on a charge of speeding. Subject was released after paying fine.

01-26-2002

Borrego, Richardo, age 31, of Ozona was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of family violence Class A. Subject was released after posting bond.

· Alba, Adam, age 56, of Ozona was arrested by DPS Troopers on a charge of driving while intoxicate, failure to stop and render aid, no driver's license. Subject was released after posting bond and paying fine.

OFFENSE REPORT 01-22-2002 through 01-28-2002

Sheriff's Deputy filed an assault causes bodily injury report. Deputy took statement from victim who stated that another juvenile subject hit him in the face without reason. Investigation resulted in subject taken to juvenile detention in San Angelo.

Sheriff's Deputy filed a fraud report. Deputy took statement from land owner in reference to checks that were given to him, but were later sent back as insufficient funds. Sheriff's Office made contact with suspect and

it appears situation will be corrected. Sheriff's Deputy filed a criminal trespass-habitation/shelter center report. Deputy took statement from a female subject at Sheriff's Office in reference to unauthorized juveniles inside a residence in possession of alcohol. The owner of the residence requested to file charges. Investigation continues

Sheriff's Deputy filed a harassment report. Deputy took statement in reference to an ex-spouse who was making nuisance/harassing telephone calls. Case will be forwarded to

• Deputy responded to a 911 hang up call from a local motel. Deputy advised all was

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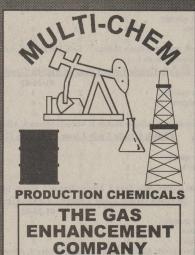
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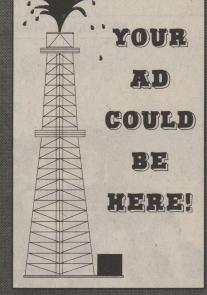
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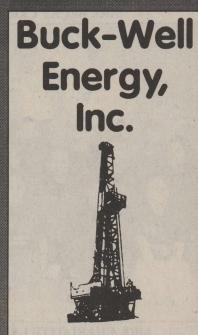
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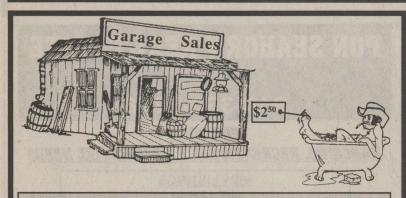
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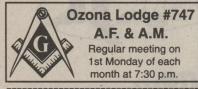
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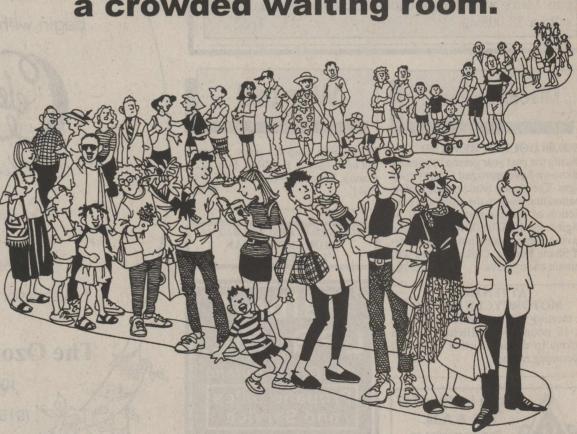
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