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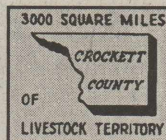
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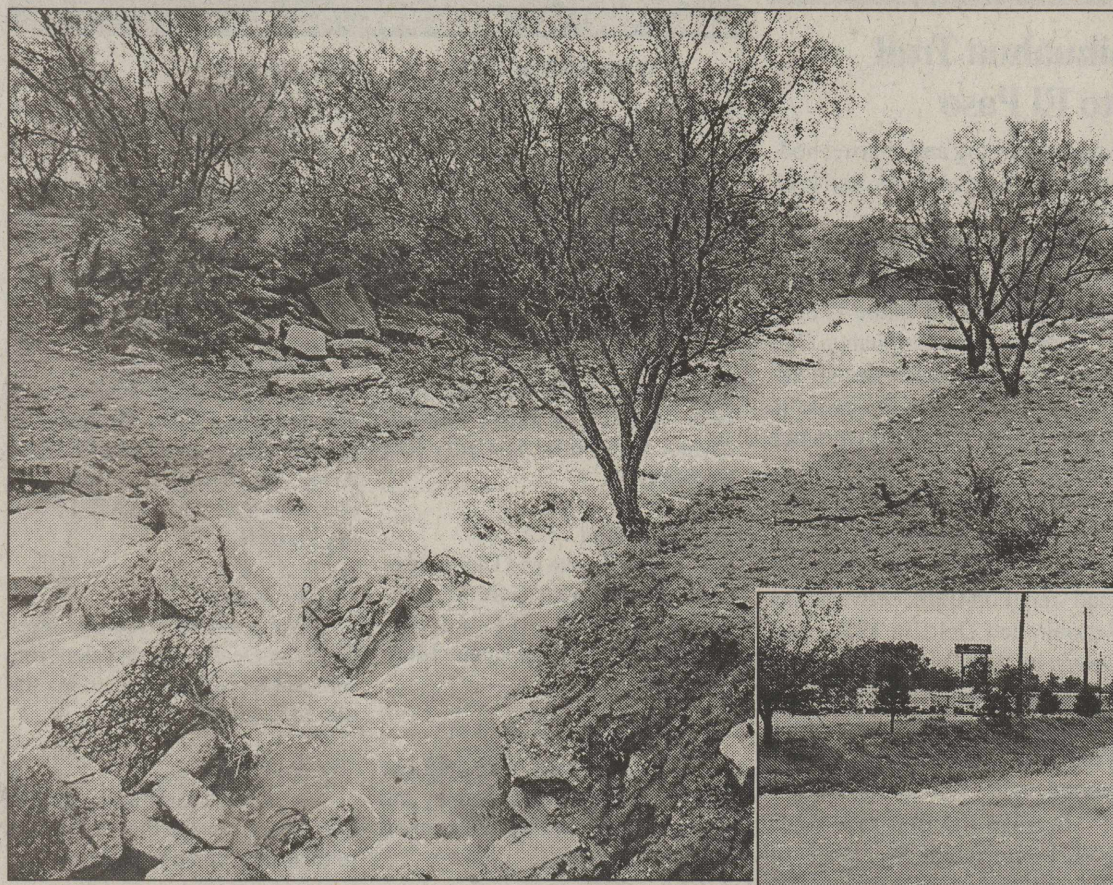
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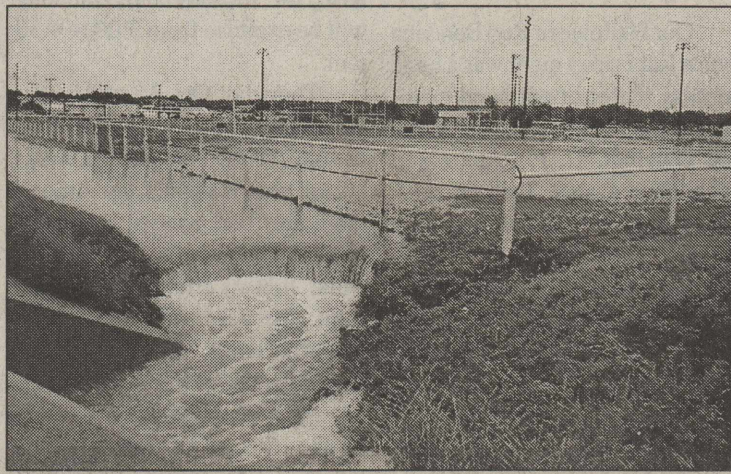
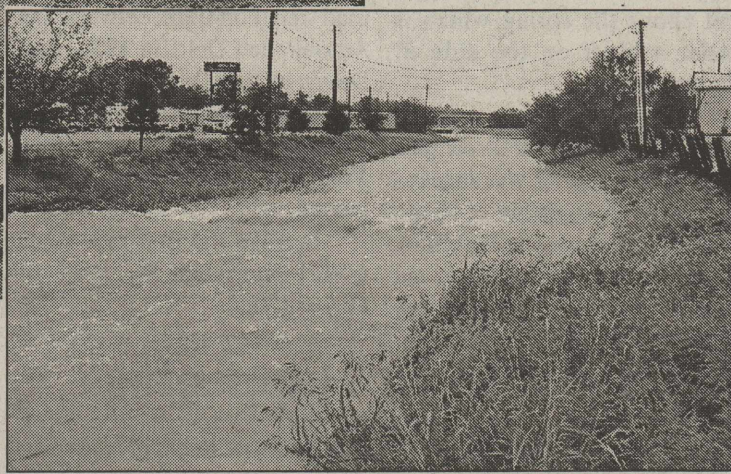
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# RAIN

Last week was a drought breaker for Crockett County when general heavy rains fell across the entire county leaving swollen draws and washed out roads and water gaps.

Moderate light rains began Monday of last week, and continued through Monday evening of this week with rain gauge totals of 14 to 17 inches. Some county roads and Hwy. 163 south of Ozona were closed for periods during the week.

Folks from the south part of the county poured out up to 17 inches leaving them waterbound. Ozona reported up to 3.4 inches during last week as reported by the National Weather Service station located at Ozona Butane Company.



## Early voting ends Nov. 1

Early voting by personal appearance began Monday, Oct. 21, and will continue through Friday, Nov. 1. Polling place is the courthouse annex between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. weekdays. The general election will be held Nov. 5.

Local candidates on the ballot are County Judge John R. Jones, District and County Clerk Debbi Puckett-Moore, County Treasurer Burl Myers, Justice of the Peace, Pct. 1 James M. Hearne, Commissioner, Pct. 2 Pleas Childress III and Commissioner, Pct. 4 Rudy Martinez. District Judge, 112th Judicial District candidate is Brock Jones.

There is one amendment on the ballot, "the constitutional amendment authorizing the commissioners court of a county to declare the office of constable in a precinct to be dormant if the office has not been filled by election or appointment for a lengthy period and providing a procedure for the reinstatement of the office."

Voting places on Election Day, Nov. 5, are: Pct. 1 - Courthouse Annex, Pct. 2 - Senior Citizens Building, Pct. 3 - Civic Center, Pct. 4 - Ozona Primary School and Box 36 - Girvin Power Plant. The polls will open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m.

## Ozona receives awesome response

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce received a terrific response to a brochure ad placed with Preprint Publishing Company. For more than 26 years, Preprint Publishing has provided a wide variety of vacation planners, getaway guides and freestanding newspaper inserts showcasing destinations and attractions. Through its membership with the Texas Travel Industry Association (TTIA), the chamber was able to take advantage of this advertising program, available only to TTIA members, to promote Ozona.

A vivid, full color newspaper insert, "See Texas First", ran Sunday, Sept. 8, putting the Ozona

brochure in front of more than one million targeted potential travelers. It was distributed to 16 major newspapers throughout and surrounding Texas, with a bonus distribution to AAA offices and various travel fairs and trade shows nationwide.

"A picture of the Ozona brochure is located on the back page of the 24-page insert with a paragraph about our town," said Shanon Biggerstaff, chamber executive director. "The insert tells readers that they can order a free Texas travel brochure by returning the brochure request coupon on the back of the page to Preprint Publishing or visiting their web

site," said Biggerstaff. Preprint Publishing provides all advertisers with mailing labels of reader responses and free computer analyses of those responses by market.

To date, the chamber office has received 2,034 requests for a brochure on Ozona. According to the most recent analysis received, of the 2,034 requests, 176 were website requests. There were 1,546 requests from throughout Texas and 305 requests from out of the state.

"Repeatedly I hear from visitors that stop in my office that they didn't realize what Ozona had to offer. This insert is a strong advertising vehicle that will allow us to inform travelers that Ozona is in fact a great place to stop en route to their destination," said Biggerstaff.

Preprint conversion studies on inquiries consistently demon-

strate a 60% to 88% response to visitation, thus delivering a strong return on investment for the advertiser.

"We have been receiving requests and mailing labels for about six weeks now. Travelers may continue to order brochures until January 2003. This is a wonderful response to our advertising, and our brochure includes information on the Crockett County Museum, local lodging, area attractions as well as our historical markers and a list of our annual events," said Biggerstaff.

## Plane crash occupants file suit

Occupants of a Piper PA-30 plane which made an emergency crash landing in Ozona last year have filed suit against Crockett County, the owner of the plane, the pilot and Charles McCleary, local airport manager.

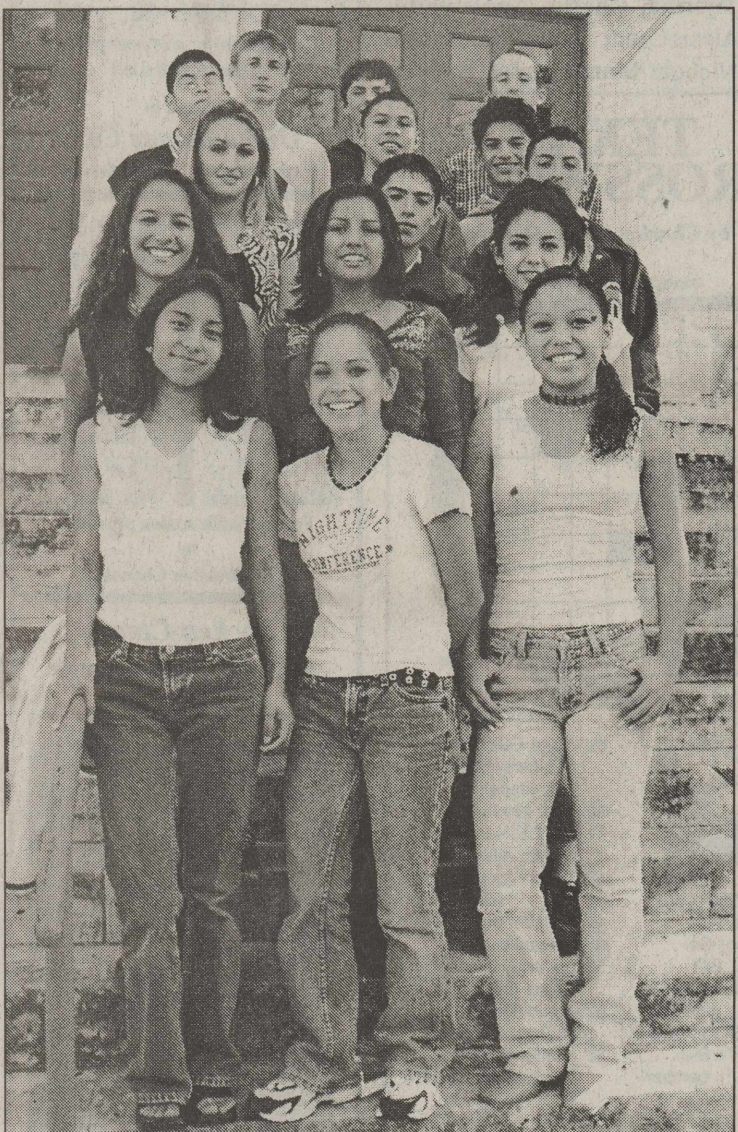
Janet Lyn Grimmett of Richmond, VA, and Dennis Clark Otts of Azle are represented by Charles Houssiere of the Houston firm of Houssiere, Durant and Houssiere, LLP.

The plane came down in the parking lot between J. B. Miller

Firestone and what is now Calib's Restaurant the night of Oct. 19, 2001. The twin engine 1968 aircraft was en route to Eules from Lajitas when it lost power.

The suit claims that the runway lights and rotating beacon were not operating at the time of the accident, that the owners of the plane failed to exercise reasonable care in inspecting, maintaining and evaluating the plane, and negligence on the part of the pilot.

A jury trial has been requested.



THE OHS CROSS COUNTRY REGIONAL QUALIFIERS are: (front, l. to r.) Jasmine Tambunga, Candace Gandar and Michelle Gandar. Second row: Laken Villarreal, Paige Tambunga and Jessica Moore. Third row: Katy Churchill, Eliseo Treto and Rigo Treto. Fourth row: Simon Garza, David Esparza and Derek Fierro. Back row: Jeffrey Gillit, Ross Kelley and Coach Lenny Morrow. Photo by Susan Calloway

## Veterans' appreciation banquet Nov. 10

A veterans' appreciation banquet is planned for Nov. 10 at Crockett County Civic Center beginning at 5:00 p.m.

Veterans and their spouses are admitted at no charge. There will be a \$5.00 per plate charge for all other guests.

To RSVP, call Frank Tambunga at 392-1321.

## Halloween Carnival moved to convention center

Due to the unpredictable weather, the Helping Hands Halloween Carnival has been moved to the convention center. The carnival will remain on Thursday, Oct. 31, from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m.

You may bring your items and booths to the convention center as early as Wednesday afternoon.

If you have any questions, phone Lynn English at 392-5026.

## Trash truck gets stuck in water line ditch

A Duncan Disposal truck was put out of commission for several hours Oct. 26 when paved roadway collapsed into a water line ditch on Ave. M.

Driver Victor Hernandez had started forward after picking up a trash container with the truck when he felt the vehicle go to one side. He jumped from the truck, then found that it had sunk down

to the rear axles.

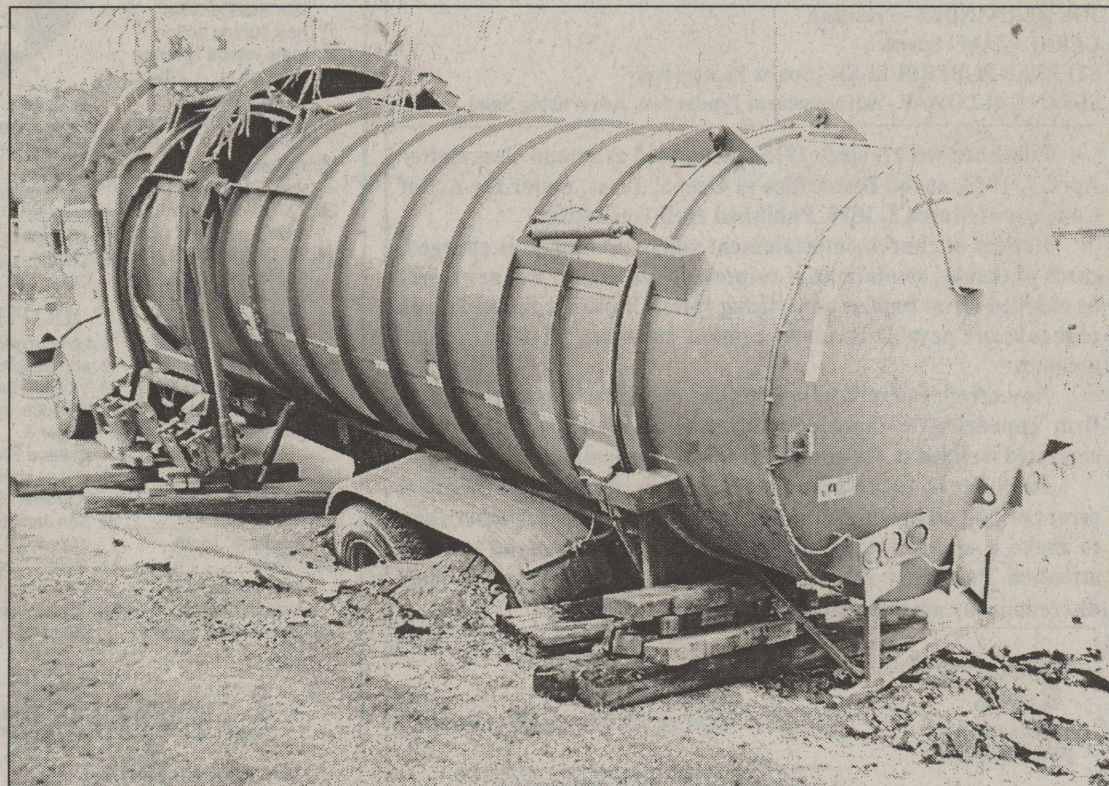
Doug Meador of Crockett County Water Control said the collapse occurred due to recent rains and "that the ditch was probably not properly backfilled and compacted". The area that collapsed was part of the water improvement project.

Fire department members worked until 2:30 trying to get the

truck out. They used air bags and railroad ties to keep some of the truck's weight off the water line.

Lilly Construction's Linkbelt crane operator was out of town, but returned around 5:00 p.m. and began work to free the truck according to Hernandez. A Lilly gang truck was hooked to the front

Please see "Stuck" page 5



THIS DUNCAN DISPOSAL TRUCK SANK TO THE AXLE when the road gave away beneath the back left wheels Saturday. Photo by Stephen Zuberbuler

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## Crockett County History

"This is the way it was"



By Oscar Kost

### Howard Well Chihuahua Trail San Antonio to El Paso

Howard Well was discovered in 1848 when ex-Texas Ranger Richard A. Howard of San Antonio, along with 15 Delaware Indians, made an expedition under Col. John Coffee Hayes to map a road from San Antonio to El Paso. The expedition failed, but they discovered the spring or well.

It is described as a spring that never runs dry flowing into a hole the size of a barrel. There were steps cut in the cliff about eight feet above the spring which is under a bluff on the side of Howard Draw.

Many Indians frequented the water hole. A wagon train camped there April 20, 1872, was attacked by Indians. A company of Negro soldiers on their way to Fort Clark arrived at the spring about six o'clock in the evening and saw

wagons burning and charred bodies of the 16 persons who had been killed.

This route through the country was called the Old Government Road or Chihuahua Trail. Earlier from Chihuahua City in Mexico, Mexicans hauled silver and gold out to the coast to ship it. This is why there were two names.

In 1848, the road was recharted and protected by federal troops. The army posts along the road were Fort Clark between San Antonio and Del Rio 1852, Fort Davis in the Davis Mountains 1854, Fort Lancaster 1856, Camp Hudson 1857 and Fort Stockton 1859, and this was called Government Road.

In 1853 the first mail route was established by way of Howard Well.

## Ozona Senior Happenings

By Lynn English

Our Halloween Red Bandana dance last Friday night was a huge success. Three of our band members were from Big Lake: Richard Warriner, H. F. Ritchie and Billy Ray Dane. Two of their wives, Jeanne Warriner and June Ritchie, were with them.

Also joining the band from Ozona was Benny Logan on the drums. The music was outstanding.

During intermission, Otis Nester played the accordion with Len Hillman joining in playing the fiddle. Thank you, all of you, for your time and talent in making our dance a good one.

Venitta Terral, Kate Kuykendall and Mary Runion from Big Lake were our guests. With us from Barnhart was Lucy Hinde.

Monday is always afternoon

games from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Also, on Tuesday and Thursday will be exercise from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 31, will be our Halloween Carnival at the convention center. We have a number of booths signed up. Among them are food booths, a country store, game booths and a cake walk. Join us from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. The carnival will benefit Helping Hands. We are accepting baked goods for our cake walk.

Next Wednesday, Nov. 6, will be the date of our next potluck luncheon. Our friends who reside at the care center are always our welcome, invited guests. We hope to see you at our next potluck.

All of our activities are smoke and alcohol free and are for those 50+.

The phone number to call for more information is 392-5026 or to get on the meals program.

## Community Calendar

- Oct. 31 - Helping Hands Halloween Carnival, Convention Center, 5-9 p.m. FMI 392-5026
- Nov. 7 - Health Fair, Fair Park Convention Center, 10-5
- Nov. 10 - Veteran's Day Appreciation Banquet, Civic Center, 5 p.m. RSVP 392-1321.
- Nov. 12 - Commissioners Court, Annex Bldg., 9 a.m.
- Nov. 16 - Museum Wool & Mohair Style Show, Methodist Fellowship Hall, 2 p.m. FMI 392-2827
- Nov. 20 - Social Security Rep, Senior Citizens' Center, 10-11:30 a.m.

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

## News Reel

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



NOVEMBER 1, 1973

**News Reel**  
Funeral services were pending at press time for Mrs. Sam Cox, pioneer Ozona resident who died at her home here early Tuesday morning after an illness.

**News Reel**  
Funeral services for Alton W. Moore, 69, of Del Rio were held here Monday in Janes Funeral Chapel with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

**News Reel**  
Elaine Zapata and David Bean were named County Gold Star winners at the Annual 4-H Awards Program held at the Civic Center Monday night.

**News Reel**  
Ozona's Lions were shut out for the first time this year by the Coahoma Bulldogs last Friday night in Lion Stadium.

**News Reel**  
The Ozona High School Band, under the direction of Lane Scott, won top honors in Class AA competition Saturday during Angelo State University's Band Day competition.

**News Reel**  
Mrs. Roy Thompson was in Knox City Oct. 24 to attend the funeral services of her sister, Mrs.

Milton Reeves.

**NEWS REEL NOVEMBER 2, 1944**

Thad Tabb addressed the Rotary Club this week on his experiences as an RAF fighter pilot flying "nuisance raids" in German occupied France.

**News Reel**  
2nd Lt. James H. Joslin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Joslin of Ozona, has reported to the Gulfport Army Air Field for an intensive course as a co-pilot on a B-17 Flying Fortress.

**News Reel**  
Word was received this week of Taylor Deaton's promotion from sergeant to staff sergeant at his station in England.

**News Reel**  
A note from Mrs. Bryan McDonald reports they are happy in their new home in Canyon.

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. George Bean and children plan to move to San Angelo, to make their home sometime this month.

**News Reel**  
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Leath are expecting a visit from their son Lt. Haskell Leath, recently commissioned in South Pacific in recognition of his splendid service.

## Happy Birthday

- Oct. 30 - Manny Longoria IV, Victor Rios, Beverly Young
- Oct. 31 - Virginia Hubbard, Christy Santos, Maria LaVonn Villarreal, Matthew Komechak, Lynette Rodriguez, Brandi Glosson

Nov. 1 - Michael Munoz, Jesse Fierro Jr., Britny Thompson, Carlos Castillo, Mario Flores

Nov. 2 - Sandra Fuentes, Paula Hester, Karla Turland, Marty Martinez, Elaine Phillips, Alex Moran

Nov. 3 - Kitty Montgomery, Evangela Coy, Marsha Tomlinson, Bob Childress, Jesse Fierro Sr., Gabriel Flores, Ian Brown, Nune Martinez, Jade Flores, Juan Hernandez, Paul Galan, Cindy Gomez, Tristan Alvarez, Matthew Castaneda, Mary Hayes, Elpidio Martinez Jr., Jesse Garza, Lynda Wende

Nov. 4 - Jeri Lynn Tucker, Evelyn Lozano, Jimbo Munoz, Robert Avila, Gary Groll, Luis C. Tijerina, Charlie Applewhite, Alexis Cantu, James P. Tambunga, Nichole Munoz, Jesse Badillo,

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Nov. 5 - Ryan Ramos, Mack Poindexter, David Delgado, Amanda Tambunga, Gene Cooper

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Date	Hi	Lo	Rain
Oct. 21	74	59	.10
Oct. 22	80	56	.40
Oct. 23	71	60	.50
Oct. 24	64	46	1.6
Oct. 25	57	46	.60
Oct. 26	67	48	-.0
Oct. 27	68	50	.20

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

Reported by Ozona Butane Co. for the National Weather Service

### EXTENDED FORECAST

Wednesday	Thursday
Hi 67	Hi 63
Lo 47	Lo 48
Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy

Friday	Saturday
Hi 56	Hi 51
Lo 44	Lo 39
Mostly Cloudy	Scat. Showers

Forecast information provided by The Weather Channel

### Crockett County Official Rain Gauge



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**ACROSS**

- book by TX game hunter Buck: "Bring 'em Alive"
- TXism: "liquid" (perfume)
- on the Gulf
- Fort Worth's Cullen was found not guilty in death of this Farr
- Helsman winner Brown from Dallas
- Kevin Martin left Cowboys in '93 for this Seattle team
- hair cutting action
- state raises revenue through \_\_\_ fees paid by racetracks
- popular "emergency" TV show
- this actor Busey was TX Buddy Holly
- TXism: "couldn't find hide \_\_\_ hair of him"
- TX Charlie Dunn was 1st to put \_\_\_ roses on boots
- publication: Texas Farm & \_\_\_
- Green Bay Packers' home state (abbr.)
- TX Armstrong was youngest to race in \_\_\_ France
- TX outlaw booty
- TXism: "counts his money with \_\_\_ measure" (rich)
- TXism: "\_\_\_ as a coyote with a rubber chicken"
- cheerleader cries

**DOWN**

- bomb explosions
- state capital
- TX Blue Bell products are richer & \_\_\_
- Abilene FM radio
- Oliver Hardy's "pardner" (init.)
- San Jacinto battle lasted \_\_\_ min.
- TXism: "fits like sardines in \_\_\_"
- TXism: "skeeddadle out of \_\_\_"
- U.S. Congressman Ortiz (27th District)
- TXism: "let '\_\_\_ rip!"
- Valley medicinal plant
- left neither's sidekick
- football rally
- TX O'Connor: "Land does \_\_\_ away, dollars do"
- Bevo's school
- TXism: "\_\_\_ broke I couldn't change my mind"
- TX Willie's "Turn Out the Lights the \_\_\_ Over"
- Road is a Dallas street
- TX Orbison's "That \_\_\_ You Feelin' Again"
- "red as a \_\_\_"
- tax agency
- Quitman actress Sissy (init.)
- \_\_\_ you can"
- TX-born jockey Shoemaker (init.)
- TXism for relatives
- hwy. equipment not seen in so. TX (2 wds.)
- flavor of 3-down: \_\_\_ cream
- past winning Miami QB Bob
- TXism: "keep \_\_\_ under your hat"
- approving head bob
- Don \_\_\_ Aury
- claimed Galveston for Mexico in 1816
- fire crime
- in Lubbock Co. on hwy. 82
- in Lamar Co. on hwy. 271
- state buildings are \_\_\_ smoking
- Bowie's Alamo bed
- TX LTV's B-2 bomber
- State Fair's Statue of Liberty is made of a copper \_\_\_
- after lunch (abbr.)
- TX V.T. Hamlin's comic: Alley \_\_\_
- TXism: "got the \_\_\_" (clumsy)
- "cement pond"
- sarcastic insult
- an "Achy Breaky" Cyrus (init.)
- noted 60s UT linebacker Tommy
- Denton's historic hardware store

## Crockett National Bank

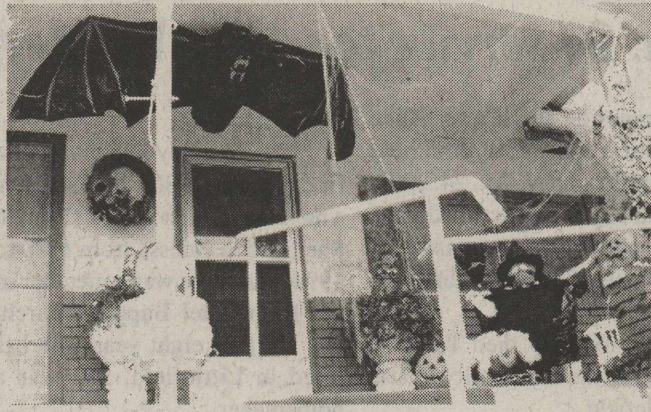
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# Halloween Scenes Around Ozona



## Community invited to regional partnership meeting Nov. 7

Ozona Chamber of Commerce would like to invite the community to attend a quarterly meeting of the South West Texas Tourism Partnership (SWTTP). "This is the first time the meeting has been held in Ozona, and I would welcome more local representation," said Shanon Biggerstaff, chamber executive director and chairman of the partnership.

land owners to stop in and hear about the progress this group has made. Anyone from the three county areas is invited, and I don't think attendees will be disappointed. Our communities have to work together to market our region of Texas, and for rural Texas, regional partnerships are a must," said Biggerstaff.

For more information, please contact the Ozona Chamber of Commerce at 392-3737.

SWTTP was formed to foster the growth of tourism as an economic development strategy in Crockett, Schleicher and Sutton counties and the surrounding areas. Participation in the partnership is open to any business, organization, rancher or other individual who shares in the goal of increasing the benefits that come from tourism.

The meeting will be held next week, on Thursday, Nov. 7, at the Crockett Room from 1:00 to 4:30 p.m. Attendees will have an opportunity to hear about the regional accomplishments of the partnership for the past year. In addition, Partner Planning Groups will give a status report of their individual projects.

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## Chamber director attends Texas Travel Summit

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce is a member of the state Texas Travel Industry Association (TTIA). Held this year in Fort Worth, chamber executive director Shanon Biggerstaff recently attended the annual Texas Travel Summit. The Texas Travel Summit is held each year in September. Summit is TTIA's annual conference and trade show. Each year, more than 500 delegates from the Texas travel industry meet to discuss ideas, issues and trends. Delegates learn how to promote tourism more effectively in their communities. They network with other industry professionals and listen to state and national authorities on travel and tourism and see the latest in products and services available to them. Travel Summit is held in cooperation with the Texas Department of Economic Development Tourism Division, Texas Department of Transportation's Travel and Information Division, and other state agencies and trade associations involved in the tourism industry.

What is TTIA? The Texas

Travel Industry Association (TTIA) is a non-profit organization made up of businesses, organizations, associations and individuals dedicated to developing Texas tourism to its fullest potential. TTIA and its members work together to meet this goal by building a strong, on-going program of work to support tourism initiatives across the state, by linking with affiliated groups to assist in their tourism activities, by charting a course for the future of the tourism industry to ensure its preeminence as a powerful, positive force. TTIA's purpose is to help ensure the most effective tourism program possible, by complementing and maximizing the results of promotional efforts of private businesses, city and regional organizations and the State of Texas.

TTIA membership is open to any individual or organization with an interest in developing tourism in Texas. Included in this group are: accommodations, airlines, attractions, campgrounds, convention and visitor bureaus,

chambers of commerce, publications, P.R. and advertising firms, regional groups, restaurants, suppliers to the tourism and convention community, travel agencies/clubs, tour operators and more.

"The most valuable time spent outside of the numerous educational sessions and the state agency presentations, is the networking opportunity," said

Biggerstaff. "You have a chance to talk with your peers from other communities, and we share the pros and cons of our individual work programs at home. We talk about what works and what doesn't. Amazing is the fact that rural and metro communities can learn from one another. We bring ideas back home and tailor them to the needs of our communities."

## Square dancers have more fun

We square dancers had a great time Saturday, Oct. 26, at the Senior Citizens' Building.

John Geen was the caller. He and his wife, Nora, are from San Angelo.

Other dancers and guests were: Leroy and Carol Adcock, Myra and Otis Nester, Raul and Maria De La Rosa, Jonny Johnson, Helen Stokes, Lucy Hinde, Bill and Bernice Cota, Fred and Pat Nicks, Len Hillman, and Jim and Beverly Grenda, Star

Promenaders from San Angelo.

John Geen did a call to celebrate Halloween called "The Monster's Holiday". It was complete with ghoulish sounds and all. It was great to dance to.

John also asked for people to come up to do a plus tip. It was fun to watch.

If you want a fun time, join us square dancers on the second and fourth Saturday at 8:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens' Building. Bernice Cota reporting

## Knights of Columbus Fundraiser Schedule!!

for the week of October 28 thru November 2

### Halloween Carnival on October 31

The Knights will be providing homemade chili for chili dogs & Frito pies at their Halloween booth.

### Annual Scholarship Hamburger Steak Dinner

November 1 - 5:00 p.m. - Civic Center

Prior to the Football Game for \$5.00 a plate.

### K of C Party - November 2 - OLPH Parish Hall

Music will be provided by "El Tejanito" DJ.

8:00 p.m. till 12:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited. Admission - \$5.00 a person.

These fundraisers will benefit our Annual Scholarship and our Charity Funds. We appreciate your support.

## Trustees pass resolution on school finance

By Ted Cotton  
Assistant Superintendent

In their regular monthly meeting that was held on Tuesday, Oct. 22, members of the Ozona School Board approved a "Resolution in Support of Legislative Action on School Finance". The resolution, developed and circulated by Dr. Jimmy Creel, Port Neches Grove ISD Superintendent of Schools, asks legislators to modify or replace the existing laws regarding public school finances to allow the public schools of Texas sufficient state financial support and adequate access to local tax resources that will make it possible for each district to maintain past levels of programs and services and to add to those levels in an appropriate manner. The approved resolution reads:

"Whereas, the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District is concerned about the need for sufficient funding for the education of our children as tomorrow's leaders within the region, state and country; and,

"Whereas, we continue to support the local school districts of Texas as the educators of the children of the communities we serve, and,

"Whereas, we support increased funding to enable the local school districts of Texas to continue, improve, and expand the delivery of educational services without cutting programs and services which benefit our community and its children; and,

"Whereas, we recognize that current legislation regarding pub-

lic school funding has created budget problems for many local independent school districts which have and will in the future affect their ability to provide the educational opportunities the citizens of our community have come to expect; and,

"Whereas, we believe prompt, legislative change to the system of public school finance in Texas is a critical need which must be addressed immediately;

"Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District that:

"Section I. We call upon the Texas Legislature to take up for consideration and passage such

bills as will modify or replace the existing laws regarding public school finances to allow the public schools of Texas sufficient state financial support and adequate access to local tax resources that will make it possible for each district to maintain past levels of programs and services, and to add to those levels in an appropriate manner.

"Section II. This recommendation shall be communicated to all members of Crockett County Consolidated Common School District, the community, the media, the Texas Legislative Delegation and other appointed and elected officials for consideration and in encouragement of the pas-

sage of necessary laws to keep our local public schools strong.

"Duly passed and approved on this the 22 day of October, 2002, by the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District."

A booklet of signed school board resolutions will be compiled and distributed to all members of the Texas Legislature before the upcoming session.

In a related development, the board reviewed a 12-minute vid-

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## Care Center Chatter

Our volunteers for the past week are E. A. Wadsworth, R.N., Randy Carter, Otis Nester, Merle Welty, Mary Welty, JoAnn Williamson, Nell Wester and the Levis and Lace square dancers. Thank you all.

For our Halloween Days, Dell's Little Schoolhouse children will be here Wednesday morning. On Thursday morning, Ozona Community Center and the Kindergarten classes from Ozona Primary School will come to the care center. Come join the spooks here.

Thursday at 3:30 p.m. will be our Halloween and residents' birthday party sponsored by Crockett National Bank.

Residents have enjoyed the rain and the fall weather. It really makes us all a little relaxed and lazy.

Please take note that our Christmas party will be Dec. 16 at 7:00 p.m. in the lobby for residents, their family members and guests.

I need a month's notice for activities inside and outside the facility as my calendar is planned in advance.

### Local unemployment rate falls to 3.4 percent

Texas' seasonally adjusted unemployment rate for September remained at 6.1 percent according to the Texas Workforce Commission. This is the same as the July and August rates.

Crockett County's unemployment rate for September was 3.4 percent, the lowest this year. The labor force reported by the TWC for September is 1,779 with 1,718 employed and 61 unemployed.

If you would like to help with Christmas for our residents, give me a call at 392-3096 as I have residents who have no family.

Residents have been enjoying the game of Trivia. This has gotten to be very popular with the residents and staff.

If you haven't come by for a visit, you are missing the great things that are happening here at the care center.

Watch for our resident spooks the evening of the 31st. We will go out for some treats.

Have a good week from all of us at Crockett County Care Center.

Jan St. Clair  
Activity Director



MAC RICHIE LEADS THE WAY at the Ozona Lions Club Mop and Broom Sale held on the Square Oct. 25.

DigiCam Photo by Scotty Moore

## Does Social Security treat men and women equally?

By Fredi Franki  
Social Security Manager  
San Angelo

Whenever I talk before groups of working women, one question always comes up. Why, I'm asked, do women often get less than men from Social Security when they retire? Especially since, as some women note, they make more money than many men.

The answer usually comes down to this: Social Security is based on how many years you worked, as well as how much you earned while working.

When it's time for you to apply for retirement benefits, Social Security will look at the highest 35 years of earnings to determine your basic benefit payment. For example, if you started working

at 18 and worked every year until you were 66, you would have 48 years of earnings. Social Security would adjust those earnings for inflation and take the highest 35.

What if you don't have 35 years of work? Well, you only need 10 years of working and paying Social Security taxes to qualify for retirement benefits. But if you don't have 35 years of work, then we use a zero for each nonworking year when we do our calculations.

Why are women more likely to be affected by this than men? Well, it's not news that women are more likely to take time off from careers to care for children...or for older relatives. Women, in fact, average about 27 years in the workforce before retiring, while men average 39 years. Eight years of zeros can make a big difference.

It's also true that women are much more likely to have part-time jobs than men. And while a woman working part time may earn an hourly wage that is higher than a male employee, her annual wages may be less.

We always encourage folks to start early in planning for their retirement and figuring out where the money they will need might come from. The *Social Security Statement* that is sent to you each year is a great place to begin. It shows how much you and your family can expect to receive from Social Security when you retire or become disabled or die.

But women also need to know how career choices might affect their future Social Security benefits, as well as widowhood or divorce.

## Obituaries

### Oct. 24 service for Alice Whitley

Graveside service for Alice N. Whitley, age 103, of Littlefield was held Thursday, Oct. 24, 2002, at Cedar Hill Cemetery in Ozona. Rev. Bobby Broyles, pastor of First Baptist Church of Earth, officiated.

Mrs. Whitley died Tuesday, Oct. 22, in the Hospitality House in Littlefield.

She was born July 2, 1889, in Robertson County. She married Noel Jackson Whitley in Runtless County on Jan. 1, 1918. He preceded her in death on Feb. 29,

1960. Mrs. Whitley lived in Ozona from 1955 to 1980 where she was a member of First Baptist Church. She lived in Odessa from 1980 to 1994 where she was a member of the Emmanuel Baptist Church. For the past eight years she has lived in Littlefield. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include two daughters, Evanel Winders of Earth and Jo Campbell of Odessa; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

### Bobby Estes buried in Alvarado

Funeral services for Bobby J. Estes, 63, of Alvarado, were held Monday, Oct. 21, 2002, at the First United Methodist Church in Alvarado. Dr. Shelly Brooks officiated. Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery in Alvarado.

Mr. Estes died Oct. 17 in Alvarado. He was born Jan. 8, 1939, in Graford to Joseph Lee Estes and Ollie Cook Estes. He graduated from Ozona High School in 1957.

Mr. Estes served his country in the United States Air Force. On Oct. 20, 1962, he married Cherrie Thames in Alvarado.

He was a retired Johnson County commissioner. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Alvarado and a member of the Alvarado Masonic

Lodge. Preceding him in death were his parents, Joe and Ollie Estes, and one brother, Jackie Estes.

He is survived by his wife, Cherrie Thames Estes of Alvarado; son, Barry Estes of Alvarado; daughters, Marli Estes Spears and husband, Stoney, of Burleson, and Joni Estes Reynolds and husband, Stacy, of Alvarado; grandchildren Kristin, Tyler, Carlie and Chase.

Pallbearers were: Mark Jackson, Scott Jackson, Robert Brake, Donny O'Banion, Rodney McBeath and Frank Eason. Honorary pallbearers were: Floyd Carroll, Carsie Jackson, Paul Busby, Jesse Marley, Dale Jones, Erby Chandler, George Bunger, Bill Black and Joe Pierce.

### Jack-O-Lanterns

About this time of the year my mother would make sure my brother and I went to the store with her so we could pick out the pumpkin we wanted. When we got home we would wash it off, and then the fun would begin. Cutting out the top came first, and next came the job of cleaning out the inside, which was the hardest, because it contained the seeds and all the gooey stuff. Finally, we would cut out the face, which usually included a snagged tooth smile.

When we were finished, we

would put a candle on the inside and light it. Then we would place it in our front window so everyone who passed by could see it.

Working with that pumpkin and making something out of it reminds me of what God can do with our life if we will let Him. First, we have to be picked out and purchased (1 Corinthians 7:23). Then cleaned up and then cleaned out and finally shaped to His liking (Ephesians 4:22-24, 2 Corinthians 5:17). Then we can be filled with His presence so we can shine brightly for Him (2 Corinthians 4:6, Luke 11:36). Is there a light shining in your heart today?

See you in Church on Sunday.

Brother J

### Cowboy Camp meeting Nov. 5

Evangelist Dennis McKinley of Western World Ministry at Glen Rose will conduct a cowboy camp meeting Nov. 5 near Iraan. The location is the McMullan Ranch 10 miles east of Iraan on Hwy. 190 beginning at 7:00 p.m.

McKinley will also speak at the Iraan Community Church Wednesday, Nov. 6, at 7:00 p.m.

For more information, call Glenda McMullan at 915-884-2067.

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<sup>11</sup> You water its ridges abundantly, You settle its furrows; You make it soft with showers, You bless its growth.

<sup>12</sup> You crown the year with Your goodness and Your paths drip with abundance.

<sup>13</sup> They drop on the pastures of the wilderness and the little hills rejoice on every side.

<sup>14</sup> The pastures are clothed with flocks; The valleys also are covered with grain; They shout for joy, they also sing. [Ps 104: 13, 14: 8 - Job 38: 26-27, Jeremiah 14:22 - James 5:7]

RAIN - Psalm 65: 9-13

### Creatures of Habit

By Dr. Dennis J. Prutow

You don't have any bad habits, do you? I do. Just ask my family. They'll be glad to give you a list. At any rate, can those bad habits be changed? Is it possible to make a dent in those really bad ingrained habits and actually form new good habits? The simple answer is "yes." But doing it is not so simple. And so we need to realize there is a principle at work here. We are creatures of habit and habits are formed by doing something over and over again. When I get into my car, unless I consciously think about it, I always turn the same way out of our driveway. And because I am a creature of habit, I head for the office, even if I am going someplace else. Sexual sins are like this. But they are not only habit forming, they are addictive. And you have to have special strength to get out of those sins and start on a new path. But this is what Christianity is all about. Christians have been "created in Christ Jesus for good works which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them" (Ephesians 2:10). Christians are new creatures. This means two things. First, the power of former sins has actually been broken. "Sin shall not be master over you" (Romans 6:14). Second, God gives the gift of His Holy Spirit which is power to form new habits. As a result, the Bible says, "Just as you present your members as slaves to impurity and to lawlessness, resulting in further lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness, resulting in sanctification" (Romans 6:19). But only Christians have had the power of reigning sin over their lives broke. Only Christians have the grace of God to form new habits.

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Rev. Daniel C. Fleming  
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Wed. Service: 7 p.m.

**Apostolic Church**  
307 Santa Rosa St.  
Rev. Hector De La Cruz  
Sunday School: 3 p.m.  
Worship: 5 p.m.  
Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.

**Harvest Time Christian Center**  
604 11th St.  
Pastor Velma Trimble  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

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U.S. CONGRESS candidate Henry Cuellar campaigned in Ozona on Oct. 22. Pictured are: A.O. Fields, Dick Kirby, Frank Tambunga, Henry Cuellar and Imelda Cuellar. *Contributed photo*

**Workshop offers free environmental information for hazardous waste generators Nov. 2**

Poor record keeping is among the top environmental violations that small businesses receive. Take steps to avoid this pitfall by attending the Waste Record Keeping and Reporting Workshop, presented by the Texas Commission Environmental Quality (TCEQ). Record keeping and reporting requirements for facilities like auto body and service shops, printers, fleet vehicle maintenance facilities and other industries that generate hazardous industrial and universal waste will be covered. The workshop is free of charge and brought to you by the Small Business and Local Government Assistance Section of the TCEQ. Free lunch will be prepared by Helping Hands for the Elderly. The event is sponsored by MultiChem, Three Rivers Paint & Supply, Three Rivers Auto Supply and Taylor Publishing Company. The free waste record keeping and reporting workshop will be held Thursday, Nov. 7, from

10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Crockett County Civic Center, 100 North Avenue H in Ozona. Pre-registration is requested. Call Bill Koger at 915-481-8061 or toll free at 1-800-447-2827. Attendees will learn:  
 \*How to identify waste and determine your generator status;  
 \*Proper on-site accumulation and management practices;  
 \*How to correctly fill out regulatory forms;  
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 Do you know if you are an SQG or a CESQG? The difference is 72 reporting requirements. Attend this workshop and learn how waste reduction and conservation can save you big \$\$\$ and reduce your regulatory burden.

**Historic Fort Stockton celebrates 12th Annual Living History Days**

This Saturday, Nov. 2, the public is invited to enjoy the 12th annual Living History Day at the Historic Fort in Fort Stockton. Step out of your car and into the past. The grounds will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Come enjoy a full day of fun, food and entertainment for the entire family - and it's all free.

Living History Day celebrates the Indian Wars post and the frontier of the 1800's. Enjoy the West Texas history and culture as it comes to life right before your eyes. Soldiers from Forts Stockton, Concho, Davis, Lancaster and McKavett will include infantry, cavalry and artillery. There will be native Americans, medicinal herbs and poets and storytellers. Learn how frontier women did tanning and lace-making, weaving and spinning and quilting. The Fort Stockton Laundresses will teach the art of washing clothes, making soap and starch. Visitors will be encouraged to try their hand at those daily chores of domestic life at the Army Post. Visit with the re-enactors: Pat Chatam, the San Angelo blacksmith and his wife Ann will have a wide variety of handcrafted iron tools, chimes and dinner bells for sale. Cynthia Schneider, the Midland "Soap Lady" and husband Don will have homemade soap to sell, along with some really interesting tales. Beverly Hartman paints and sells gourds and has been commissioned to do 2002 Christmas gourds for "Christmas at old Fort Stockton".

There will be a western feel in the air as the Pecos River Gang keeps the peace and Gerry Allison gets into a scuffle over the story of his ancestry. Doug Whitaker will have the public spellbound with his rope tricks and fast draw. The chuckwagon camp will stay busy all day as they feed the re-enactors.

There will be entertainment from all over the state of Texas. Ricky Boen and Texas Mud and Washtub Jerry and Glenn Moreland will have you tapping your toes and clapping to the beat of the music Gloria Espino and Wallace Moore, followed by the 6th grade Intermediate Stars will perform in the afternoon. The Daylights will be back again this year and have some good music planned for us. The Sahawee Indian dancers will also be back this year. We are adding Celtic Dancers and bagpipers this year.

There will be several food vendors and coke trailers available. There also will be several non-living history units this year. April will be here to Represent Odessa's Presidential Museum, Native Tourism will set up a booth for membership sign-up, and the Bagpipers from Midland will set up a booth to advertise their event in March. Daughters of the American Revolution will also return this year.

Fort Stockton was one of a

string of 19th century military posts that protected travelers and commerce on the San Antonio/El Paso road during the Indian Wars (1867-1886). In fact, military history in this area goes back to the 1850's when Camp Stockton served as a base for the expeditions throughout the region. During the Civil War, the post was occupied by units of the Army of the Confederacy.

This history will again come to life with soldiers setting up camp on the old fort's parade grounds. Once again, the infantry will drill to the sergeant's commands, cavalry will take the field, and cannons and small arms will fire, and the air will be filled with the music of the bugle, the fife and drum and the fiddle.

Don't forget to stop by the silent auction in Officer's Quarters 8. All sales benefit Historic Fort Stockton. There will be more than 100 items to choose from. Remember, Christmas is just around the corner. The auction ends at 5:00 p.m. when the evening gun fires.

All this and so much more is going on at Living History Day 2002 at Historic Fort Stockton, 301 E. Third, Saturday, Nov. 2, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Museum plans veterans' exhibit**

Crockett County Museum will have a display of veterans' photographs and memorabilia during the month of November. Anyone who did not bring photographs last year is invited to add theirs to the 2002 exhibit.



DALE METZ and Becky Talley, training specialists with Assault Victim Services of San Angelo, brought their child size puppets to Head Start last week. Children were told about such things as strangers, sharing, and good and bad touching. *DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore*

**\*Stuck truck (Continued from front page)**

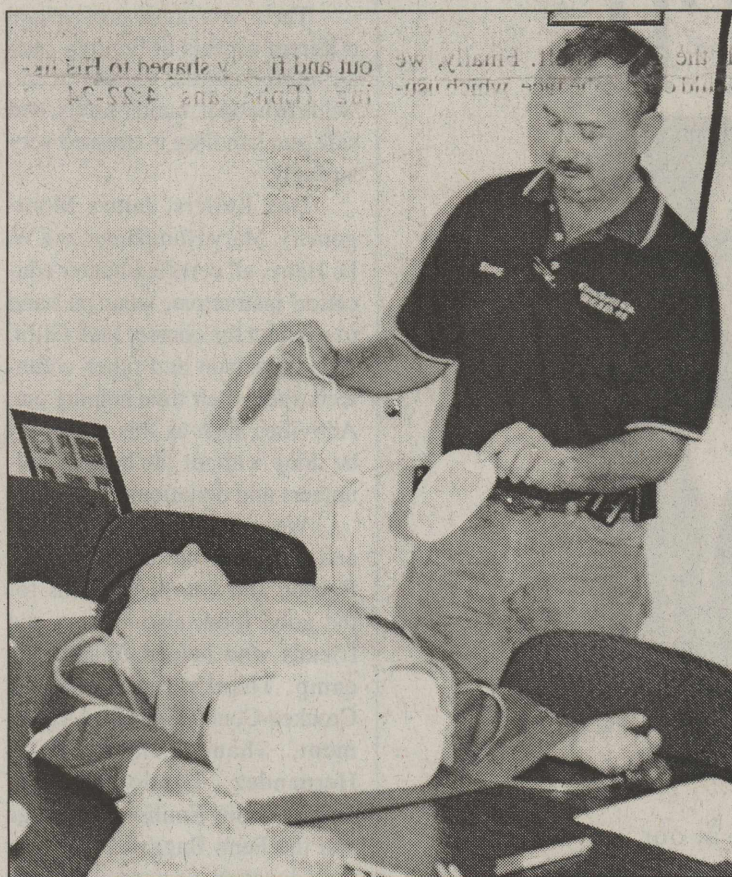
of the Duncan truck for stabilization, and the crane completed its work about 6:30.

"The crane just picked it up," said Hernandez. "It looked like a Tonka toy." The truck received a bent frame but was put back into use.

"We're thankful to the fire department for getting that wheel

off our water line and to Lilly's for getting the truck out," said Meador.

The contractor for the water line job came to Ozona Monday to inspect the site, and an engineer is also expected, Meador said. The line carries 80 to 90 pounds of pressure.



DOUG MEADOR demonstrates a defibrillator at a medical recertification class on Oct. 24. *Photo by Scotty Moore*

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...eotape entitled "The Report Card on Texas Education" that was developed by the Texas Association of School Boards and the Texas Association of School Administrators to explain to the general public about the approaching crisis in school funding for school districts across Texas. The videotape is available for public loan to interested individuals and/or organizations and may be obtained at the school district administration building. Another document developed by TASB-TASA to explain legislative mandates that have driven up costs for local school districts is their "Report on School District Mandates". It is available free of charge and can be also obtained at the school district administration building.

During the meeting the trustees approved the serving of

Thanksgiving and Christmas meals to parents of students at Ozona Primary School and Ozona Intermediate School, and they approved a revised exclusive vending agreement between the district and Ab-TEX Beverage LTD, DBA Dr. Pepper/Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Abilene for soft drink products. The members also approved members of the 2002-03 Ozona Public Schools Textbook Committee and a Texas Association of School Boards localized school board policy manual update.

Also during the meeting Mrs. Donella Lewis, a parent of a child in Ozona Middle School, appeared before the board to express her concerns in regard to the school's Z.A.P (Zeros Aren't Permitted) Program. No board action was taken on this agenda item.

Mr. Jim Skehan met with the board to present a review of school district financial investments.

As a board information item, Ray Don Myers, school maintenance and transportation supervisor, informed the board that the cost to move the Ozona High School Vocational Agriculture Department to the Ozona High School Auto Mechanics Building would be approximately \$4,000.00 to \$5,000.00 due to the need for rewiring the building.

During the meeting the board went into executive session to discuss personnel, and after coming out of executive session approximately one hour later, it took no action on an agenda item to create athletic offense and defense coordinator positions.

Superintendent Jim Rumage gave a report on an appreciation letter that he had received which complimented the school district's janitorial staff and a report on the development of district and campus improvement plans which will be presented to the board in November or December.

During the meeting, Board President Elliott Barrera presented plaques of academic recognition to the four campus principals for 2001-02 Texas Education Agency "Gold Performance" awards. Ozona High School was presented awards for student attendance and for the percentage of students completing the recommended high school academic program; Ozona Middle School was presented awards for student attendance and student reading improvement scores on TAAS; Ozona Intermediate School was presented awards for student attendance and student mathematics improvement scores on TAAS; and, Ozona Primary School was presented awards for student reading improvement and mathematics improvement scores on TAAS.

The meeting was adjourned following an affirmative vote to set the date and time for the board's November regular meeting on Nov. 21 at 7:00 p.m.

Health Fair scheduled for Nov. 7

The 2002 Ozona United Methodist Church Health Fair will be Nov. 7 from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the convention center.

The following vendors will be providing services and/or information: Family Health Clinic of Ozona - influenza vaccines; Shannon Prescription Assistance Program - applications for Shannon patients only; United Blood Services (sponsored by Xi Sigma Omega Sorority, call Janet Smith, 392-3491 or 392-2211 for appointment); Primary Health - applications; Texas Department of Transportation - Roll-over convincer; Crockett County EMS - ambulance tour; San Angelo Aids Foundation - information and screening; West Texas Rehab - hearing screens; Terry Adams - organ donation; Interlink - diabe-

tes screens; Ozona High School Health Occupation Class - blood pressure; Texas DPS - safety demonstration; Forlano Chiropractic - bone density screens (\$40.00); Texas Tech Mobile Mammography - appointments for Dec. 5; San Angelo Aids Foundation, information and screening; Ozona United Methodist Church - inspirational/devotion books for sale, and San Angelo Community Pulmonary Rehab - oximetry.

A number of vendors will be on hand to provide information. These are: Alzheimer's Association, Breast and Cancer Cervical Cancer Cure and Prevention, Concho Valley Drug Abuse Council, Women, Infants and Children Program, Area Agency on Aging, American Cancer Society, Early Childhood Intervention, Hospice of San Angelo, Emerald Underground Water, American Heart Association, Safe Kids, Texas Healthy Steps, Crockett County Extension Service, 911, Auto Theft Prevention, Assault Victim Services and Lincare Durable Medical.

Boy' Ranch hunter education course held Oct. 12-13

By W. D. Haire

The weekend of Oct. 12 and 13 started a busy time for 20 boys from the West Texas Boys' Ranch. They arrived at the Gene Perry Ranch for a hunter education course. This course is mandated by the state, and everyone born after Sept. 2, 1972, is required to be certified after reaching 12 years of age. Some restrictions apply before a hunter reaches the age of 12; check with your local game warden.

The course consists of several different aspects of hunting such as hunter ethics, conservation, wildlife habitat, hunter safety, and safe gun handling is stressed very strongly.

Dee Keilers, James Montgomery, Mary Humphreys and W. D. Haire, all certified hunter education instructors, were on hand to conduct the course. Jack Gillit, Tom Anderson and other volunteers spent their time helping out. Activities such as this could not be done without the help of volunteers and donations.

We wish to thank Harvey Hill and crew, Herbie Garcia, Lydia Benson and Gloria Williams for the good food; also hunters and friends who helped finance the camp. Thanks also go to the Crockett County Sheriff's Department, Shane Fenton, Petra Hernandez, Lyndon English, Jimmy Gillit, Emilio Tambunga and the Penn Baggett Ranch for their donation. Our special thanks go to the Perry Ranch for furnishing the facilities.

All in all, this was a very successful camp since all students passed the final exam.

New allergy pill is nothing to sneeze at

WASHINGTON — Scientists have found that a combination of natural ingredients can stop allergy symptoms without the usual side effects of allergy medicines.

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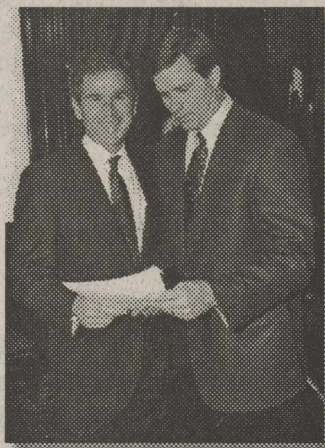
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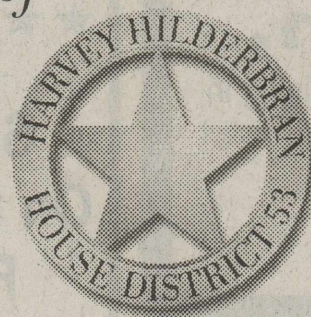


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## 4-H members advance to district



THE CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H FOOD SHOW WAS HELD OCT. 13 at the Extension Office. Participants pictured are: (l. to r.) Linda Stapper, Laura Stapper, Travis Zuberbueler, LuCinda Birkenfeld and Andy Birkenfeld. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler

## "We Can" canned good collection to begin

With the holidays soon approaching, many families will need assistance to put food on their tables. "We Can" is a community service project conducted by Crockett County 4-H and Ozona High School Student Council to help needy families of Ozona.

The Student Council began their canned good collection Monday as the kick off for Red Ribbon Week. It will continue until Friday. The collection is a competition between grade levels, with the winning class receiving a break next week at school.

Before the beginning of Friday night's game with Sonora, the Student Council and Crockett County 4-H will join forces to collect your canned goods. Manned boxes will be set up outside the gates. Some-

time during the game, an announcement will be made with a total of how many pounds of food have been donated during the week.

The food that has been collected will be used for Ozona's Angel Tree. This project will also be

implemented by 4-H and Student Council. If you need more information concerning "We Can" or the Angel Tree, contact Wendy Scott at (915)392-2721 or Tammy McWilliams at (915) 392-5501.

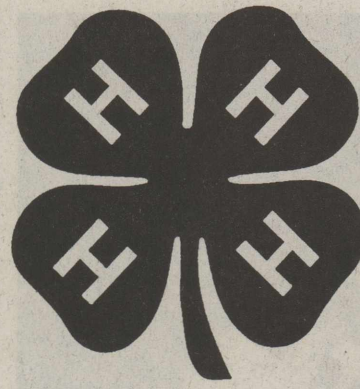
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The Crockett County Food Show was held at the Extension Office on Sunday, Oct. 20.

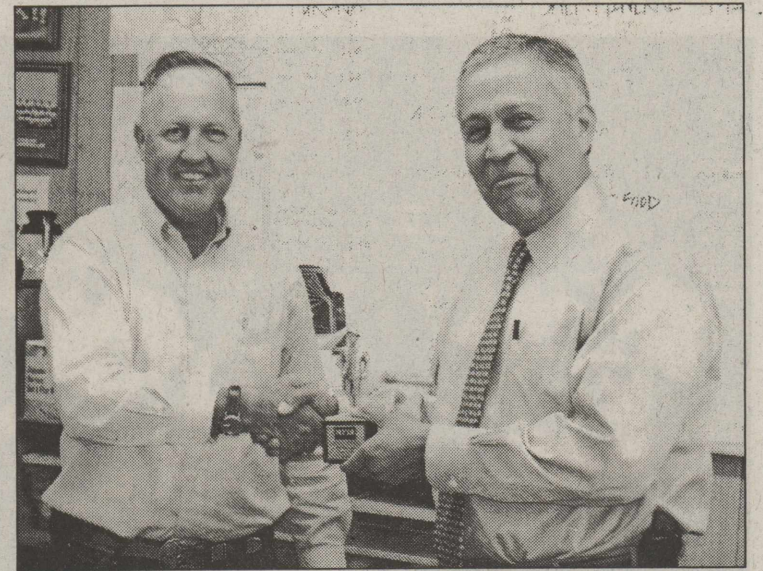
The participants were judged on their food preparation and presentation skills, nutrition knowledge, and communication skills.

The results from the county contest were: Junior fruits and vegetables: Linda Stapper - first place; Intermediate main dish: Travis Zuberbueler - first place; Intermediate fruits and vegetables: LuCinda Birkenfeld - first place; Intermediate breads and cereals: Laura Stapper - first place; Senior main dish: Andrew Birkenfeld - first place.

Each participant will now advance to the 4-H district contest Food Show, which will be held in Fort Stockton on Nov. 9.

"Congratulations to all of the 4ers and a huge thank you to Julia and Jenna Henderson for decorating, said Wendy Scott of the Extension Office.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.



CONGRESSMAN HENRY BONILLA accepts a "Guardian of Small Business Award" presented by Pleas Childress on behalf of small business owners in Ozona. Congressman Bonilla visited with local residents on Monday when the "Bonilla Bus Tour" made a stop in Ozona. DigiCam Photo by Scotty Moore

## 4-H HAPPENINGS

### 4-H Shooting Sports to hold practice Nov. 10

The Crockett County 4-H shooting sports program is off and running with 64 members involved in the project. Currently, trap and skeet shooting is underway with the next practice scheduled for Sunday, Nov. 10, at the Crockett County Shooting Sports Complex south of Ozona on Claybird Lane off Hwy. 163 South.

Third through fifth grade will meet from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. followed by middle school meeting from 3:00 to 4:00. High school will meet after 4:00 p.m. All

shooters must have one parent present. Participants will be contacted if inclement weather cancels shooting.

Any parents interested in helping out can contact any of the instructors or the County Extension Office for more information.

### Rabbit Validation Nov. 2

Rabbit validation is Nov. 2 at 9:00 a.m. at the Crockett County Show Barn. All rabbits must be in place by 8:00 a.m. Rabbits will be validated on a first come, first served basis.

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**DEADLINE is**

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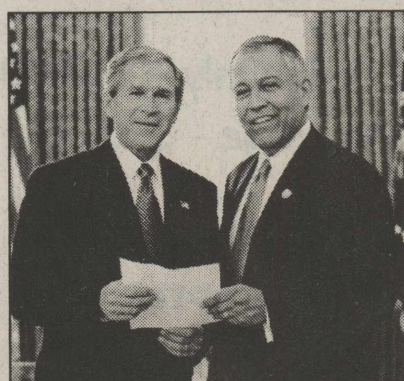
- Texas Farm Bureau
- Veterans of Foreign Wars — PAC
- Texas Association of Business
- National Rifle Association

### AWARDS:

- Guardian of Small Business (NFIB)
- Property Rights Champion (League of Private Property Voters)
- American Cancer Society Public Policy Leadership
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- Guardian of Seniors' Rights
- National Association of Community Health Centers Champion of the Year Award
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**WHY** did Henry Cuellar request *compensation pay*, expecting taxpayers to pay his salary as Secretary of State, *even after he left?*

**WHY** did Henry Cuellar suddenly *quit* the Texas Legislature, leaving his district without representation *as a critical legislative session began?*

**WHY** did Henry Cuellar pass *laws that benefitted his business?*

**WHY** did Henry Cuellar *give up* our seniority in the State House and now wants to take away our seniority in the US Congress?

**WHY** is Henry Cuellar supported by Hillary Clinton and Ted Kennedy?

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TOO LITTLE TRUST**





**THE OZONA LION DEFENSIVE LINE CRUSHES THIS GRAPE CREEK** ball carrier in Ozona's 48-0 plucking of the Eagles on Oct. 25. There is no room for #72 Ramon Trujillo (l.) to even attempt to join the fray. Photo by Stephen Zuberbuler

# Lions trample Eagles

By Gerri Azam  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Everyone has those days when nothing goes right. Days when it seems that everything got messed up. Like Oct. 25 was for the Grape Creek Eagles.

Friday's weather was cold and wet, less than ideal for a football game. The Eagles came to the field with hopes of being the spoiler for their undefeated opponent, but that hope quickly unraveled. The Eagles struggled offensively, never able to put together any serious offensive threat, and they definitely had trouble containing their opponent. Every error by the Eagles was turned into major gains for the visiting team, and the Eagles took a blow with a 48-0 loss.

It was a bad night for the Eagles, and it all started when the Ozona Lions rolled into town.

The game began with the Lions kicking off to the Eagles. The Eagles made a decent return and set up for their first offensive series. On the first play from the line of scrimmage, the Eagles' pass was picked off by Ozona's Ryan Pearl. The Lions wasted no time in capitalizing on this turn of events. They drove the ball directly toward the end zone and Clay Hale took it in on a 1-yard run for the touchdown. Bryan Skehan successfully kicked the extra point, and the Lions quickly took the lead, 7-0.

Grape Creek tried their hand at offense once again only to fumble on the third down play. The Lions recovered the fumble. After several carries by Jarryd Taylor and one by Koby Fenton, the Lions found themselves across the goal line again with a touchdown run by Jarryd. The extra point by Bryan Skehan was good again, and the score was 14-0.

Ozona kicked off to Grape Creek again. The Lion defense stifled the Eagles' offensive efforts, and after three plays they decided to punt. Lalo Garza caught the ball and hit the gaps, running it all the way back for the touchdown. Skehan came through on his third extra point kick, and the scoreboard read 21-0 for the Lions.

The Eagles received the kickoff, and after a decent return to the 33-yard line, they tried to put together a drive. They could not move against the Lion defense and punted on fourth and six. The Lions were penalized on the punt, and the Eagles were awarded the first down they so desired. The Eagles completed a pass that brought them to the 19-yard line with another first down just as the first quarter ended.

The second quarter began with the Eagles continuing their rally and coming within eight yards of the goal line. They would get no closer, however, thanks to the defensive efforts of Aaron Espino, Chase Clark, G.L. Bunger and Jarryd Taylor.

The Lions took possession of the ball, and G.L. Bunger carried it to the 30-yard line on a great run, first and ten for the Lions. A Lion penalty set the team back five yards, now first and fifteen. Jarryd Taylor carried for a short gain, then Clay Hale connected with G.L. Bunger to pick up two more yards. Robert Ogle caught the next Hale pass, bringing the Lions to the 46-yard line with a first down. Taylor picked up yet another first down with his next carry. The Lions drive faltered there, and Grape Creek took over on downs.

Once again, the Eagles' offense was totally shut down by the Lions. The Eagles never passed the line of scrimmage and were forced to punt on the fourth and eleven play. The Lions caught the punt and began their drive from the 25-yard line. The Lions put together enough yards for the first down. Jarryd Taylor then busted out with a great run, adding another first down for the Lions. The Lions were stopped at the line of scrimmage until the third and ten play when Clay Hale completed a pass to G.L. Bunger, bringing the Lions just two yards short of the first down. Koby Fenton capped off the drive with a nice touchdown run. Bryan Skehan had a good extra point kick, and the score was 28-0 Ozona.

Grape Creek returned the following kickoff to the 43-yard line. The Eagles' first run made a gain of seven yards. The next two plays were met by a strong defensive stand, preventing any more gains. After the Eagles punted, a flag was thrown. A penalty on the Lions gave the Eagles a first down and another shot at a drive. The Eagles passed for their next play, and Lalo Garza intercepted, running the ball all the way back for the touchdown. Skehan's extra point kick was good and the Lions led 35-0.

The Lions kicked off to the Eagles once again. With three seconds left in the half, Robert Ogle stepped in to intercept the Eagles' pass. He ran the ball back for a touchdown, and Skehan kicked the extra point. The Lions went in at the half leading the Eagles 42-0.

The second half opened with the Lions receiving the kickoff. Jarryd Taylor and G. L. Bunger worked together to gather the yards for a couple of first downs. The Eagles worked hard to push the Lions back from the nine-yard line and succeeded. The Lions opted for what seemed to be a field goal attempt. The ball was snapped and before the Eagles knew what had happened, it was in Bryan Skehan's hands and moving toward the goal line. He made it in for the touchdown, but Quay Oglesby's extra point kick missed. The scoreboard favored the Lions 48-0.

The Lions continued to come at the Eagles hard on defense. They shut them down once again

on their next drive. For the rest of the third quarter and the entire fourth quarter the teams traded possessions. Sometimes the drives ended in punts, some in turnovers (two interceptions by Ozona's Kris Gray), and others on downs. The remaining time ticked off the clock, and the Lions were once again victors with the final score 48-0.

The Lions' defense did a great job of stopping the Eagles' offense cold and giving Ozona's offense the ball with good field position. The Eagles had six turnovers including five interceptions. The defense held the Eagles to a total of 78 yards for the game. Leading tacklers for the Lions were Brad Mayfield with 10, Robert Ogle with nine, Jarryd Taylor with eight, and Quay Oglesby with seven.

Offensively, the Lions played well. They had zero turnovers for the game and well over 300 yards for the game. The special teams came through for the Lions as well.

"Bryan Skehan went six for six on PATs, we blocked a punt, Ryan Wiley had a good kickoff return, we covered well on kickoffs, especially Brad Mayfield, and Lalo ran a punt back for a touchdown," commented Head Coach Steve Taylor.

Coach Taylor summed up the Lions' effort saying, "I was proud of the kids for being focused and not having a big letdown after two tough games leading into this one. We jumped on them early and had a fun game with everyone getting a lot of playing time."

Taylor also commended the fans in saying, "We had another great crowd travel to Grape Creek under poor weather conditions. We appreciate the fans' support, along with the great group of cheerleaders we have this year, and the Lion band which sounded great Friday night."

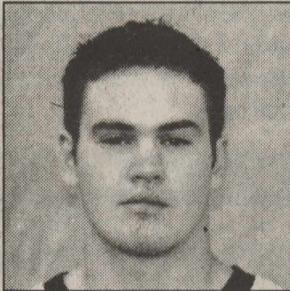
Most Valuable Players for this game were: #75 Chase Clark for offensive MVP. He graded out at 85%, the highest of the offensive linemen and has played very well all year. #45 Robert Ogle for defensive MVP. He had nine tackles, one blocked punt return, one intercepted pass that he returned for a touchdown. #82 Bryan Skehan for special teams MVP. He was six for six on extra points, he scored a touchdown on a fake field goal, and had one tackle on a kickoff.

The Lions are anxiously awaiting this Friday's game versus the Sonora Broncos... The game will be played in Lion Stadium with kickoff at 7:30 p.m.

**Statistics:**

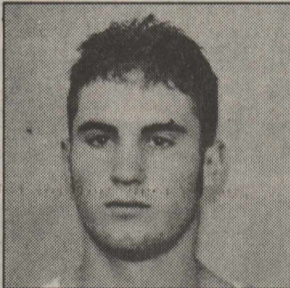
- Rushing: Clay Hale 1-1, Quay Oglesby 3-4, G.L. Bunger 7-48, Romeo Perez 1-2, Jarryd Taylor 21-113, Koby Fenton 9-44, Bryan Skehan 1-16, Brad Mayfield 3-3
- Passing: Clay Hale 3-32
- Receiving: G.L. Bunger 2-9, Robert Ogle 1-23
- Tackles: Brad Mayfield 10, Robert Ogle 9, Jarryd Taylor 8, Quay Oglesby 7
- First Downs: Ozona 14, Grape Creek 4
- Penalties: Ozona 6 for 58 yards, Grape Creek 1 for 15 yards

**OFFENSIVE MVP OF THE WEEK**



**Chase Clark**  
Chase graded out at 85%, the highest of the offensive linemen and has played very well all year.

**DEFENSIVE MVP OF THE WEEK**

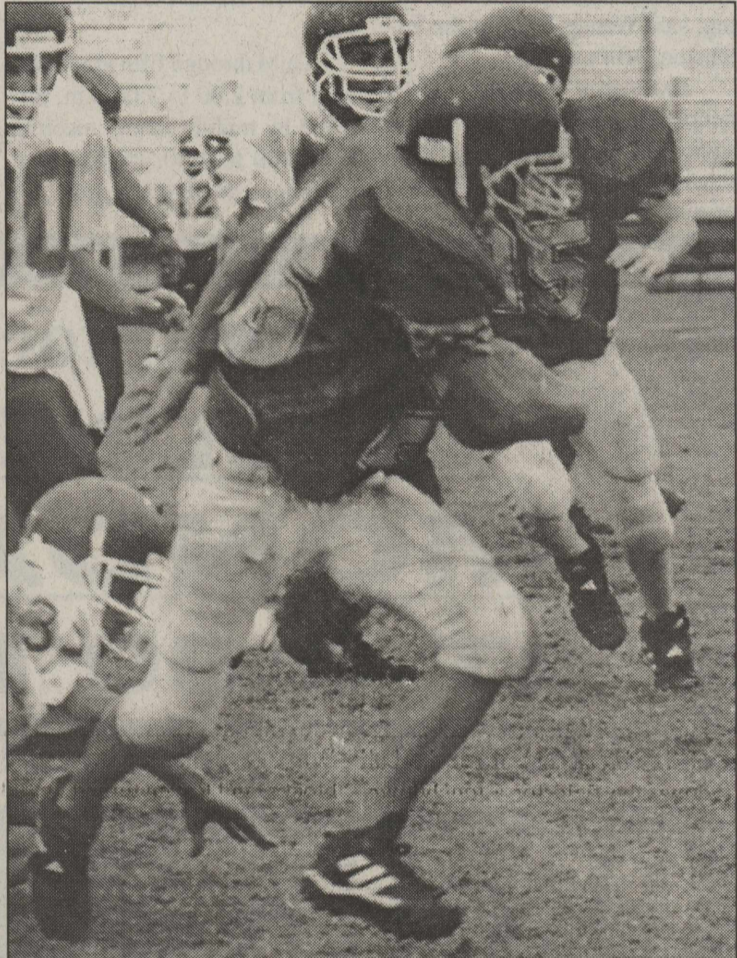


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**SPECIALTIES MVP OF THE WEEK**



**Bryan Skehan**  
Bryan was six for six on extra points, he scored a touchdown on a fake field goal and had one tackle on a kickoff.



**JACK RODRIGUEZ RUNS FOR A FIRST DOWN** in the freshman Lions game against Crane on Oct. 24. Photo by Stephen Zuberbuler

## Booster Club to meet Nov. 4

The Ozona Athletic Booster Club will hold its weekly meeting Monday, Nov. 4, at 7:00 p.m. at the Lions' fieldhouse. Head Football Coach Steve Taylor will show highlights of this week's game against the Sonora Broncos.

The Booster Club will also be selling raffle tickets for a football autographed by the 2002 Varsity Lions. Tickets are \$1.00, and the drawing will be held at halftime of the Lion-Bronco game on Friday night.

The club will also be selling "Thunderstix" for \$3.00 a pair at the Friday night game. Bring your money and let's make "Some Noise for the Boys!"

**JV game time change**

The Oct. 31 JV game at Sonora will begin at 6:30 p.m. instead of the previously scheduled 7:00 p.m.

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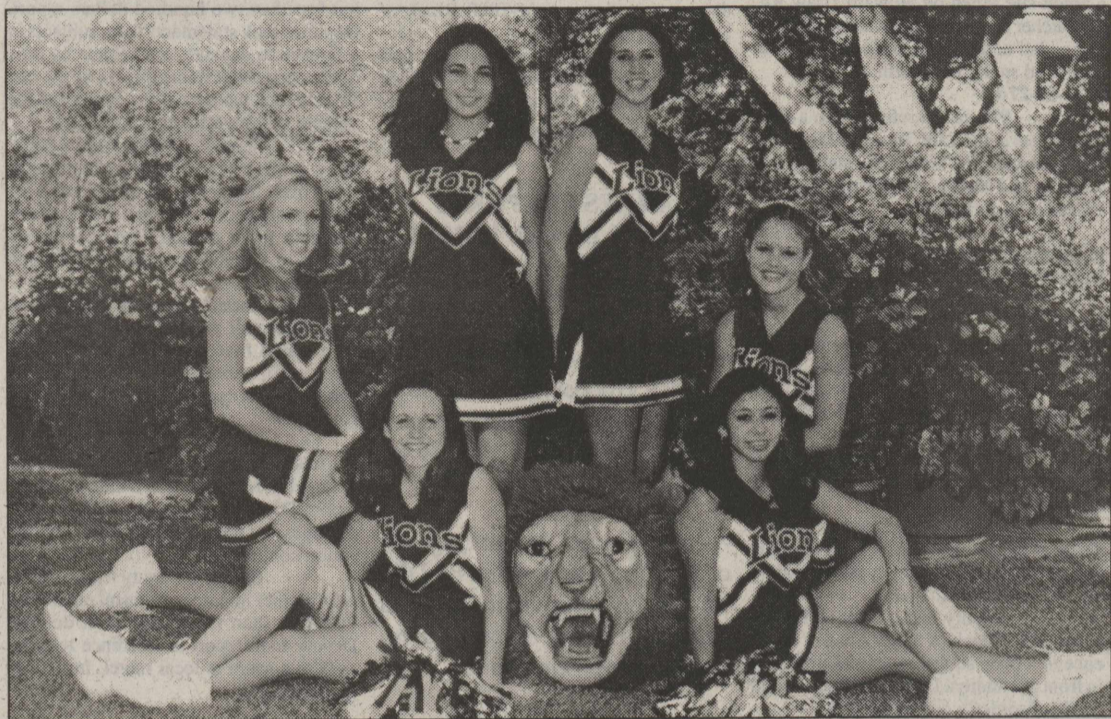
**SCHOOL LUNCH MENU**

- All lunches served with your choice of white or chocolate milk
- REGULAR**
- Nov. 4 - Hoagie Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickle Spears, Chips, Peach Slices
  - Nov. 5 - Soft Tacos, Refried Beans, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Apple Cobbler
  - Nov. 6 - Chickburger, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Tator Tots, Cookies
  - Nov. 7 - Pizza, Nachos, Baby Carrots, Applesauce
  - Nov. 8 - Chicken Fry, Creamed Potatoes, Peas, Gravy, Roll
- FAST FOOD**
- Nov. 4 - Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Veg. Salad, Peach Slices, Chips
  - Nov. 5 - Frito Pie, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Refried Beans, Apple Cobbler
  - Nov. 6 - Hamburger, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Tator Tots, Cookies
  - Nov. 7 - Com Dog, Nachos, Baby Carrots, Applesauce
  - Nov. 8 - Cheeseburger, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, French Fries, Rolls
- BREAKFAST**
- Each meal is served with milk, juice, muffin, toast and jelly. You may have your choice of one of the following items each day.
- Nov. 4 - Beef & Bean Burrito or Cold Cereal
  - Nov. 5 - Sausage & Biscuit or Cold Cereal
  - Nov. 6 - Sausage & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal
  - Nov. 7 - Breakfast Pizza or Cold Cereal
  - Nov. 8 - Chorizo & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal





THE 2002-03 OHS VARSITY CHEERLEADERS ARE: (back, l. to r.) Myda Fay, Hilary Huffman, Jessica Galan, Ruth Cervantez and Paige Tambunga. Middle: Taylor Oglesby, Colbey Crawford and Kristen Bunger. Front: mascot Bekah Cowen. Photo by Cameras Two



THE 2002-03 OHS J.V. CHEERLEADERS ARE: (back, l. to r.) Victoria Miller, Jessica Moore, Tyler Cunningham and Allison Skehan. Front: Ashley James and Malorie Moran. Photo by Cameras Two

## 8th Lions shut out Eagles

By Gerri Azam  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The eighth grade Lion team took on the Grape Creek Eagles Thursday, Oct. 24, in Grape Creek. The Lions played extremely well on both sides of the ball to secure the 28-0 victory.

For the second week in a row, the Lions scored on the opening drive of the game.

After short runs by Colby Mayfield and Caleb Mitchell, Jordan Long connected with Levi Vargas on a 40-yard pass play that took Ozona to the 25-yard line. Then Jordan completed a touchdown pass to Leo Mata. The extra point attempt failed and the score was 6-0 for Ozona.

The Lions stepped up the defense to shut down the Eagles in three plays, making them punt right away.

After regaining possession of the ball, the Lions put together another long drive with runs by Colby and Caleb taking the Lions inside the 5-yard line. Roman Tambunga scored the 4-yard touchdown. The Lions then put on a special goal line play taken from the Dallas Cowboys. They faked a run, and tight end Barrett Richie fell down on purpose. Then quarterback Jordan Long bootlegged right, and Barrett jumped up and ran to the corner of the end zone where he caught Jordan's pass for the 2-point conversion, 14-0 for the Lions.

Once again the Lion defense held tight, and the Eagles found

themselves punting in short order.

The Lions, back in control of the ball, ended up in a third and sixteen situation. Caleb Mitchell and the Lion offense executed an 80-yard reverse for an apparent touchdown. However, the play was called back on a holding penalty, and the Lions were forced to punt. The Eagles mishandled the punt, and Alex Ochoa recovered their fumble. Time ran out in the half before the Lions could score again. At halftime, the Lions led 14-0.

On the opening kickoff for the second half, the Lions successfully executed an onside kick that was recovered by Thomas Gray. The Lions drove from midfield toward the goal line with carries by Colby Mayfield and Caleb Mitchell. Mitchell scored the Lions' third touchdown on a wingback reverse from nine yards out. Mitchell also made good on the extra point kick, and the score became 21-0.

The Lions fourth touchdown came on the first offensive play of the fourth quarter. Roman Tambunga scored on a 41-yard run, and Leo Mata converted the kick, 28-0 for Ozona.

The Eagles lost the ball to the Lions on a fumble on their next drive. Jose Galvan recovered the ball in the Grape Creek backfield. Runs for first downs were made by Thomas Gray and Jarrod Simmons as the Lions moved into Eagle territory. This drive was ended with a fumble recovered by the Eagles. Another good stand by

the defense forced another punt. Good runs by Thomas, Roman, and Simmons allowed the Lions to keep control of the game and run the time off the clock. The final for the game was Ozona 28, Grape Creek 0.

The team really responded well to the adverse weather conditions and was able to focus on executing well on both sides of the ball. The line really dominated the line of scrimmage, which was the reason for Ozona's success. Outstanding linemen include Freddy Fierro, Tim Longoria, Tel Churchill, Matthew Payne, and Eric Williams. Reserves Josh Roman, Chris Fierro, Jacob Moran, Manny Tijerina, and Jose Galvan not only gave the starters time to rest but also continued to dominate the line play.

Colby and Caleb had their usual good rushing attack. Roman, Thomas, and Jarrod really ran the ball well also. Jordan completed four of five passes for 93 yards, one touchdown, and a two-point conversion. Levi Vargas caught two passes for 65 yards, Leo Mata caught a 25-yard pass for a touchdown and Barrett Richie caught the two-point conversion to add three yards.

Coach Steve Osborn concluded by saying, "We have gained some real momentum with two straight wins and hopefully this will serve us well against a tough Sonora team in our next game." The game will be played here at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 31.

## JV Lions take 20-14 victory

By Gerri Azam  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The JV Lions played host to the Grape Creek Eagles this past Thursday. The Lions battled with the Eagles and came out on top with a score of 20-14.

During the first quarter the Lions played strong defense to hold the Eagles on their first two possessions. Doug Duncan, Brandon Jobe, and Kyle Fish led the defense. The Eagles fumbled the ball on their second possession, and Ozona's Toby Pagan recovered it. The quarter ended with no score.

The second quarter began with the Lions driving the ball down the field starting at the 42-yard line. Raven Perez, JD Borrego, Toby Pagan, and Vince Castro each ran the ball well behind blocks by Dub Walston, Glenn Conners, and Jimmy Tebbetts. Raven capped the run with a 6-yard touchdown run. The PAT was unsuccessful, and the Lions took the lead, 6-0.

On their next possession, the Eagles drove the ball 48 yards before Borrego stopped them with an interception on the 6-yard line. The teams went in for halftime with the score remaining 6-0.

The second half opened with the Eagles fired up and ready. They came out hot and drove the ball 61 yards to score another touchdown. The PAT was successful, and they took the lead 6-8.

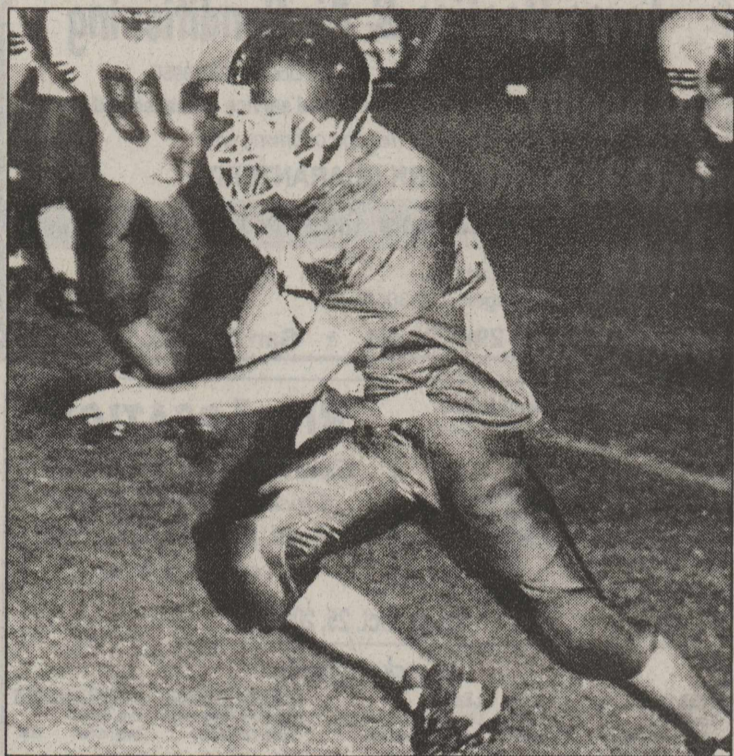
The remainder of the third quarter was all defense. Derek Wiley, Doug Duncan, Stephen Lara, and Raven Perez led the Lions' defense with great plays.

The Lions' next possession in the fourth quarter resulted in a 53 yard touchdown run by Borrego. He followed key blocks by Pagan, Conners, and Tebbetts. Raven punched in the PAT and brought the score to 14-8 for Ozona.

The Eagles were brought up short on the next possession by a strong defense. The Lions got the ball but fumbled on their 44-yard line. The Eagles took advantage of this break and drove the ball down the field for a touchdown. Borrego, Pagan, and Perez stopped their PAT attempt with a big defensive play, and the score



JIMMY TEBBETTS chases down a Grape Creek runner in the J.V. Lions 20-14 win over the Eagles. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller



RAVEN PEREZ sprints for a first down when the J.V. Lions beat the Grape Creek Eagles on Oct. 24. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

was tied 14-14.

With 3:15 left in the game, the Lions rallied once more to drive from their own 38 yard line. The Lions moved all the way down the field to the 13. On a fourth and four, Castro and Borrego came up with good blocks, and Raven turned up field on the sweep. He got the much needed first down on the 2-yard line. After two fumbles and recover-

ies, the Lions were at third and nine on the 9-yard line. Raven rumbled into the end zone for the touchdown with only 28 seconds left in the game. The PAT was not good, and the final for the game was 20-14 for the Lions.

The JV team will hit 1-10 to meet up with the Sonora Broncos this Thursday. The game is set to begin at 6:30 p.m.

## 7th grade beats Grape Creek

By Gerri Azam  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Thursday evening, Oct. 24, the seventh grade Lions went to Grape Creek to play the Eagles. Offensive starters in this game were: Justin Maldonado, Matt Turland, Ely Silva, Abel Villarreal, Rylee Ramos, Parrish Aiguier, Jared Spence, Aaron Pearl, Jorge Vasquez, Stevie Romero. A. J. Montanez. Luis Perez, and Ramon Ybarra.

Starters on defense were: Parrish Aiguier, Rylee Ramos, Jared Spence, A. J. Montanez, Aaron Pearl, Ely Silva, Abel Villarreal, Tim Beseril, Rocky Munoz. Luis Perez, Josh Santos, Ramon Ybarra, Matt Turland, and Justin Maldonado.

The only score for the game came in the second quarter when Felix Silva scored on a 46-yard touchdown run. The PAT was not good, and it was 6-0 Ozona for the rest of the game.

Big plays of the game in-

cluded Tim Beseril's fumble recovery and the overall intensive effort of the Lions led by Josh Santos and A.J. Montanez, both shutting out any attempt by Grape Creek to run the ball to the outside.

Coach Rick Bachman remarked, "I was ecstatic about the way these young men performed in this football game. I was concerned about how we would do offensively, but they rose to the occasion and played well. The offensive line did a great job protecting the quarterback and opening holes for our running backs to run through. The backs ran the ball very hard and blocked well."

Coach Bachman added, "Defensively, the boys were superb as they shut down Grape Creek for the entire game. We had a huge defensive effort in the fourth quarter as Grape Creek was driving to tie or win the game and our young men shut them down. Our linemen controlled a much larger group at

the point of attack and the linebackers and defensive backs made many great plays.

"We still have a lot of work to do to get better on offense, but I was pleased with the overall performance exhibited by this young team. I am very excited about our upcoming game this week with Sonora," concluded Bachman. That game will be played at home this Thursday beginning at 5:00 pm.

### Senior Parent Night this Friday

By Gerri Azam  
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Friday, Nov. 1 is the final home game of the season for the Lions. The senior football players, cheerleaders, and managers will be introduced with their parents before the game. There are 24 seniors who will be introduced, and the introductions will begin at 7:00 p.m. in Lion Stadium.

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### Junction Stockyards Market Report

Sheep and Goats  
Oct. 28, 2002

Junction Stockyards sold 2061 head of sheep and goats Monday. Lambs were \$4-\$8 higher. Ewes and bucks were steady. Spanish kids and nannies were \$3-\$5 lower. Angoras and Spanish billies were steady

#1 spring lambs 50-70 lbs.	92-98
#1 spring lambs 70-90 lbs.	85-94
#1 old crop lambs 50-70 lbs.	87-93
#1 old crop lambs 70-90 lbs.	82-85
Fat ewes	35-41
Thin ewes	30-35
Bucks	20-35
Baby tooth ewes	50-55
Ewe & lamb pairs	-----
Baby tooth Angora stocker nannies	45-55
Solid mouth Angora stocker nannies	35-38
Stocker Angora muttons	35-40
Angora kids	85-1.00
Angora kids-shorn	80-95
Weighing Angoras-shorn (thin)	28-35
Weighing Angoras-shorn (fat) nannies	35-38
muttons	35-38
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Terrell, Reagan and Val Verde  
counties of Texas

As of Oct. 25, 2002

**\*Crockett County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Harrison Int.	4800	University Land 19-30 #49	Patterson Drilling/A #115	Drig. ahead 1330'
QVY Permian/Houst.	5600	South Cross Unit #216	Capstar Drilling #114	Drig. ahead 1330'

**\*Sutton County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Dominion OK TX&EP	8925	Brown-Whitehead 2-#3	Patterson Drilling/A #120	Assigned
Dominion OK TX&EP	8800	Mayer-30-#4	Patterson Drilling/A #122	Drig. ahead
Dominion OK TX&EP	8600	Hudspeth-53-#4	Patterson Drilling/A #120	Drig. ahead
New Dominion OK TX&EP	8600	Mayer-3-#4	Patterson Drilling/A #122	Assigned
Dominion OK TX&EP	8550	Randee H&B-Fawcett TR-F-#2	Patterson Drilling/A #108	Rigging up
New Dominion OK TX&EP	7250	Shurley-166-#13	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Drig. ahead
Dominion OK TX&EP	7150	Shurley-165-#5	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Drig. ahead
Dominion OK TX&EP	6650	Davis-C-#38	Patterson Drilling/A #102	Drig. ahead
New Dominion OK TX&EP	6550	Davis-C-#37	Patterson Drilling/A #107	Drig. ahead
Dominion OK TX&EP	5850	Askew-448-#1	Patterson Drilling/A #107	Drig. ahead
New Dominion OK TX&EP	5500	Wallace-115-#1	Patterson Drilling/A #107	Assigned

**Terrell County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Exxon/Mobil Dev. Co.	15500	Banner Estate #25	Patterson UULV #481	Drig. ahead 1252'
Conoco/Mid.	15300	Colbertson-16-#3 H	Nabors Drilling (O) #130	Drig. ahead
Athamor Texas	12500	Mitchell-3-#2	Nabors Drilling (O) #316	Drig. ahead
EOG Res./Mid.	12000	Noelke-5-#1 H	Timber/Sharp Drilling #29	Drig. ahead 1152'
New Fasken Oil & Ranch	7500	Monroe SW-187-#7	Patterson Drilling/A #161	Drig. ahead

**Val Verde County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
No Report				

**Edwards County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
No Report				

**Schleicher County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
No Report				

**\*Reagan County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
TMBR/SHARP	10500	Scottish Rite-32-#1	Timber/Sharp Drilling #12	Drig. ahead 873'
Robert L. Glossop	8400	Patterson #2	Timber/Sharp Drilling #17	Drig. ahead 5400'

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### Crockett County Sheriff's Report

Crockett County Sheriff's Office  
Weekly News Report  
10-22-02 through 10-28-02

**10-22-02**

- Report of an open door to a trailer home on County Road 102. Deputy checked the interior of the trailer home and secured the door.
- Report of an alarm at a school building. Deputy reported it was teachers inside the building and all was okay.
- Deputy unlocked vehicle at the 100 Block of Ave. J.
- Report of abandoned vehicle at MM 352 eastbound on I-10. After vehicle was checked, it came back missing out of Florida. Vehicle was parked at Sheriff's Office parking lot.
- Report of subject living in his vehicle at Crockett Heights. Vehicle was red tagged and Deputy talk to subject about staying in vehicle.
- Report of abandoned vehicle in the draw of Del Rio St. Vehicle was towed by wrecker service.
- Deputy met with complainant at local convenience store in reference to a female subject that was harassing her. Deputy advised subjects to stay away from each other.
- Deputy assisted another Deputy on a vehicle search on I-10.
- Deputy unlocked a vehicle at local apartments on Hwy. 163 south of town.

**10-23-02**

- Deputy met with high school principal in reference to two male students fighting at school. Both subjects were brought to Sheriff's Office and were issued citation for disorderly conduct-fighting.
- Deputy made contact with an assault victim, and advised subject that Texas Ranger needed to meet with him.
- Deputy made contact with citizen at the 100 Block of Sunset Dr. in reference to owner of a dog.
- EMS unit responded to a 911 medical emergency call at the intersection of Hwy. 163 and 1973 in reference to male subject having chest pain.

**10-24-02**

- Deputy unlocked vehicle at the 1700 Block of Santa Rosa St.
- Deputy assisted stranded motorist at MM 357 on I-10 with a flat tire. Motorist requested call for duty wrecker.
- Deputy assisted motorist with gas welfare at local store. Deputy provided subjects with fuel.
- Report of a reckless driver in a purple Grand Am on Martinez St. Deputy advised that the vehicle was parked on 16th St. and was registered to a subject in Sonora.
- Report of motorist needing gas welfare at local store. Upon Deputy's arrival, subject had already gotten money for fuel.
- Deputy met with complainant at the Sheriff's Office in reference to telephone harassment. Deputy took statement and filed offense report.
- Deputy and Constable checked out subjects at local convenience store in reference to subjects asking for fuel assistance. Subjects were released after being cleared.
- Deputy removed a deer carcass from westbound lane between Mile Marker 369 and 370 on I-10.
- Report of stranded motorist 12 to 14 miles west of Ozona. Deputy located the motorist and provided 5 gallons of fuel.

**10-25-02**

- Report of loud music in the area of trailer park on Ave. J. Deputy reported all was quiet in the area.
- 911 hang up call from the 1800 Block of Walnut St. Deputy made contact with resident at this location and everything was okay.
- Deputy met with complainant at the 700 Block of 14th St. in reference to criminal mischief to a door lock.
- Report of a vehicle stuck in the draw on 12th St. Deputies reported that the owner was already in route with assistance to get vehicle out.
- Report of gas drive off from local convenience store. Clerk was not positive on direction of travel, and Deputy was unable to locate.

**10-26-02**

- 911 call in reference to a female subject being taken to clinic by private vehicle. Dispatcher notified clinic.
- Report of loud music at the 1800 Block of Ave. A. On first call, Deputy was unable to locate the loud music.
- Second call of loud music from the 1800 Block of Ave. A. Deputy advised subjects to turn music off.
- 911 hang up call from the 100 Block of Man O War. Deputy responded to the residence and reported that all was okay.
- Deputy responded to an alarm call at a school building. Deputy reported all was clear and alarm had been reset.
- Deputy met with complainant at Crockett Heights in reference to teenage juveniles that were inside a vacant residential lot. The juveniles were advised by deputy to keep out of other peoples' property. Owner did not wish to file charges at this time.
- Report of a suspicious vehicle possibly occupied by illegal immigrants. The vehicle was located in Sutton County and was checked out by Sutton County deputy. Everything was okay.
- Deputy transported two juvenile males to the 500 Block of Ave. E.
- Report of gunshots fired near a ranch site down on Howard Draw Rd. Dispatcher notified game warden. Deputy responded and located subjects at a deer camp and spoke with them.

**10-27-02**

- 911 call in reference to a fight in progress at the 1500 Block of Piedra St. Deputies and DPS Trooper located several subjects and also a vehicle that was involved in disturbance.
- 911 call in reference to a fight in progress at the 300 Block of Ramos St. Deputies and DPS Trooper responded.
- Deputy unlocked a vehicle at local motel.
- Deputy met with complainant at the 1800 Block of Santa Rosa St. in reference to a note passed to her. Deputy took possession of note, and complainant requested extra patrol.
- Deputy responded to an alarm call at the primary school. Deputy reported all was okay.
- Deputy responded to a residence at the 500 Block of Ave. H in reference to a 911 call. Deputy reported that no one was at this residence.
- Deputy met with complainant at the 2000 Block of Santa Anna in reference to a male subject who was urinating in front of children. Deputy took report and filed a disorderly conduct report.
- Report of gas drive off from local convenience store at the 1200 Block of Ave. E. Deputy located the vehicle at the 343 Mile Marker of I-10, and subject was brought back to the store.
- Report of a motor vehicle accident twenty miles east of Iraan. EMS unit from Iraan responded and DPS Trooper from Ozona.
- Deputy unlocked a vehicle at the 1900 Block of Monterey St.
- Report of loud music at the 1000 Block of 5th St. Deputy reported that all was quiet in the area.
- 911 call in reference to an attempted child abduction. Deputy and DPS Trooper reported that the juvenile was okay, and the male subject had already left the area. Deputy and DPS Trooper searched the area for the suspect unable to locate.
- Deputy met with complainant at the 500 Block of Rio Grande St. in reference to a broken windshield. Deputy took report and filed a criminal mischief report.
- Alter routine traffic stop at Mile Marker 361 on I-10. Deputy detained two missing runaways out of South Dakota. Subjects were brought to the Sheriff's office and after contact was made with Juvenile Officer, subjects were transported to Ft. Stockton Juvenile Detention Center.

**10-28-02**

- Report of a varmint in the backyard of a residence at the 300 Block of Ave. G. Deputy destroyed and disposed the varmint.
- Deputy unlocked a vehicle at the 400 Block of Terrace Dr.
- Deputy unlocked a vehicle at the 200 Block of Buena Vista.

**10-22-02 through 10-28-02**

**OFFENSE REPORTS**

**10-22-02 through 10-28-02**

- 10-22-02 Sheriff's Deputy filed an abandoned vehicle report. Deputy and Constable located a vehicle that had been reported by Texas Dept. of Transportation near Mile Marker 352 on I-10. After check was run on vehicle, it was determined that it was not stolen, but that the vehicle belonged to a missing or endangered person. Vehicle was towed in to the Sheriff's Office for further investigation.
- 10-22-02 Sheriff's Deputy filed an abandoned vehicle report. Deputy located a vehicle in the draw near the 1600 Block of Del Rio St. After running check on vehicle, it came back to an owner out of California. Duty wrecker was called out and vehicle was impounded.
- 10-24-20 Sheriff's Deputy filed a theft of less than twenty dollars report. Chief Deputy took statement from victim in reference to checks that had been forged in another county. Investigation continues.
- 10-24-20 Sheriff's Deputy filed a harassment telephone report. Deputy took statement from complainant in reference to telephone harassment. Victim reported that she has been receiving phone hang up calls for about a month. Phone company was given a case report and investigation continues.
- 10-27-02 Sheriff's Deputy filed a criminal mischief of more than twenty dollars but less than two hundred dollars report. Deputies took statements from subjects in reference to damage to a vehicle by beer bottles and other items thrown at the car. Deputy took pictures of the damage to the vehicle, and investigation continues.
- 10-27-02 Sheriff's Deputy filed a disorderly conduct report. Deputy took statement from the parent of the juvenile female in reference to an adult male that urinated in front of her. Juvenile victim wishes to file charges, and investigation continues.
- 10-27-02 Sheriff's Deputy filed a theft report. Deputy took report from victim who stated that unknown persons had taken a cell phone from a table where he was sitting at local dance. Investigation continues.
- 10-27-02 Sheriff's Deputy filed a criminal mischief report of more than twenty dollars but less than two hundred dollars report. Deputy took report in reference to damages to a room at local motel. Investigation continues.
- 10-27-02 Sheriff's Deputy filed a criminal mischief impair or interrupt public service less than fifteen hundred dollars. Deputy took report in reference to damages to a room at local motel. Investigation continues.

**ARREST REPORTS**

**10-22-02 through 10-28-02**

- 10-22-02 Harlow, John Junji, age 19, of Artherton CA, was arrested by DPS Troopers on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 ounces. Subject was released after posting bond.
- 10-26-02 Garcia, Manuel, age 40, of Houston was arrested by DPS Trooper on a warrant for theft out of Brazos County. Subject was released after posting bond.

### Emergency farm/ranch loan applications being accepted

Applications for emergency farm/ranch loans for damages and losses caused by drought and high temperatures (excessive heat) that occurred from Jan. 1, 2001, and continuing are being accepted at the Farm Service Agency (FSA) office located in San Angelo, FSA Farm Loan Manager, Paul S. Cline said recently.

Schleicher, Sutton, Concho, Crockett, Irion, Menard and Tom Green County are some of the counties in Texas recently named by the Secretary of Agriculture Ann Veneman eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from drought and high temperatures that occurred from Jan. 1, 2001 and continuing.

Cline said farmers/ranchers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in business, whichever is less. For farmers/ranchers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest rate is 3.75 percent.

"As a general rule, a farmer/rancher must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FSA emergency loan," Cline said. Farmers/ranchers participating in the Federal Crop Insurance program will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until Jan. 2, 2003, but farmers/ranchers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over into the new farming season, Cline said.

FSA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers/ranchers who work at and rely on farming/ranching for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers/ranchers who are U.S. citizens and to farming/ranching partnerships, corporations or co-operators in which U.S. citizens hold a majority interest.

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### District Court dispositions

112th District Court - Judge Brock Jones presiding

Oct. 25 - David Clifford Vancourt of Christoval pled guilty to one count of aggravated sexual assault of a child and three counts of indecency with a child. He was sentenced to 18 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Oct. 15 - Lionel Hernandez Martinez of Ozona pled guilty to felony driving while intoxicated. Sentenced to five years to the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice suspended on community supervision for five years, \$5,000 fine, 10 days jail, six months driver's license suspension, 160 hours community service, alcohol counseling and court costs.

Oct. 15 - Jose Daniel Herrera of Oneonta, AL, pled guilty to two counts of possession of a controlled substance. Sentenced to 10 years Institutional Division of Texas Department of Criminal Justice, suspended on community supervision 10 years, \$5,000 fine, \$140 restitution to DPS for lab fees, 600 hours community service, \$1,500 reimbursement to Crockett County for court appointed attorney's fees, court costs.

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Specifications can be picked up at the Crockett County Auditor's Office. The Commissioner's Court reserves the right to accept or reject all bids. 2c39

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

CROCKETT COUNTY has enacted a Fair Housing Complaint Procedure which designates the County Judge, as the County's Fair Housing Administrator. As Fair Housing Administrator, the County Judge will be the person within the County government to handle administration and enforcement of Title VIII, Fair Housing Act of 1968, Public Law 90-284.

If citizens have any questions regarding the complaint procedures or handling of fair housing violations, please contact the County Judge at (915) 392-2965. 1c39

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#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the RICKS EXPLORATION INC., 210 PARK AVE. STE. 3000, OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102 has made application for a spacing and density exception permit under the provisions of the Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 and 38 (16 Tex. admin. Code section 3.37 and 3.38). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line and distance between wells and density of the subject field(s) requirement for the drill permit for Well No. 2, Chandler Williams Gas Unit, 640 Acres, Sec. 6, Bk. O, W. E. Jones/J. C. Pierce Survey A-5615, Miller (Ellenburger), Miller (Strawn), Huppler (Ellenburger) Field(s), Crockett County, being 25 miles from south of Ozona, Texas. The location of this well is as follows:

1,170' from the north line and 990' from the west line of lease.  
2,460' from the south line and 4,290' from the east line of survey.

As part of this application, applicant also seeks permits authority in the Wildcat, Huppler (Devonian), Miller (Canyon), field(s). No rule 37(38) is necessary pursuant to the field rules for these field(s).

Field rules for the Miller (Ellenburger), Miller (Strawn) fields are 1867/3735, 640 acres.

Field rules for the Huppler (Ellenburger) field are 1320/2640, 640 acres.

Field rules for the Wildcat, Huppler (Devonian), Miller (Canyon), fields are 467/1200, 40 acres.

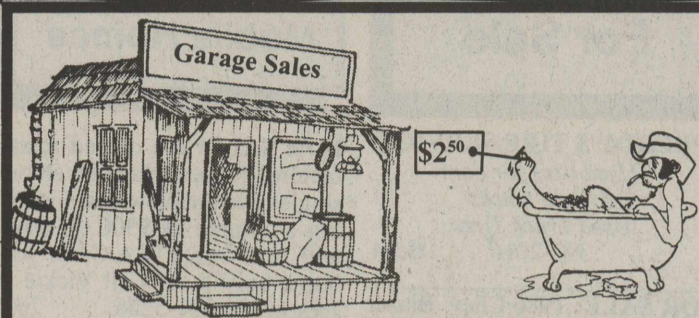
This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 12,500 feet.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Rule 37(h) (2) (A), and 38, this application may be granted without a hearing if no protest to the application is received. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protester should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Glenn E. George, at 405-516-1100. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission at (512) 463-6899.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE BY November 21, 2002 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

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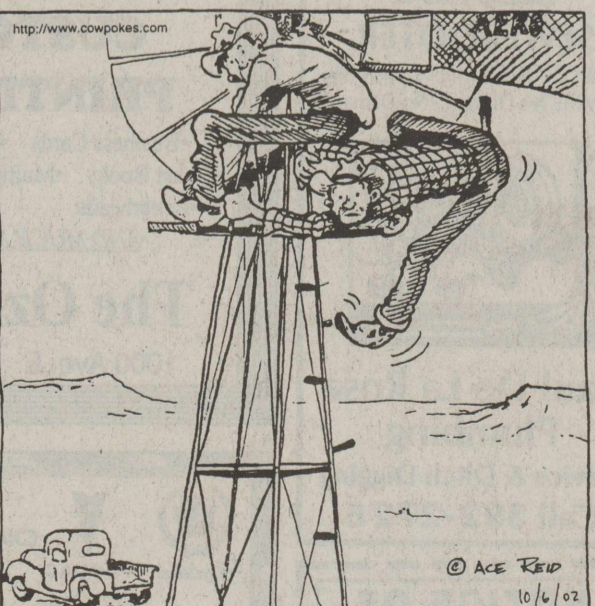
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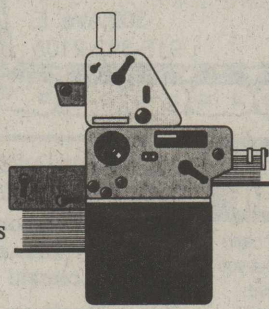
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