



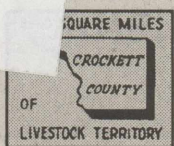
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C of C banquet reservations' deadline nears

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce has scheduled the 39th Annual Awards Banquet and Dinner Theater for Thursday, Feb. 27, at the convention center. The theme this year is "Rolling With Change!"

Doors open and the reception will begin at 6:00 p.m. The awards presentation will begin at 6:30 p.m. following the posting of the colors, the Pledge of Allegiance and National Anthem. Dr. John Fluth will give the evening's invocation. The buffet line will open at 7:30 p.m. The one act play, "The Miracle Worker" will begin at 8:00 p.m.

Highlights of the banquet will include 2002 Year in Review, visitor center project update, recognition of retiring officers/directors, introduction of incoming officers/directors and presentation of the past chairman award.

Awards presented at this year's banquet will include 2002 Organization of the Year, Member of the Year, Legacy of Spirit, Unsung Hero and Citizen of the Year. The Crockett Soil and Water Conservation District will also present a conservation award.

Banquet tickets for individual open seating are \$12.00 each. Reserved tables of six are \$72.00. All reservations must be made no later than Friday, Feb. 21. To make your reservation, contact the Ozona Chamber of Commerce at 392-3737.

Caregiver information available

Crockett County Public Library and Ozona Senior Citizens' Center now have Family Caregiver Information Centers courtesy of the Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley.

Grand openings were held at both locations Feb. 11. Books and pamphlets are in place at the Senior Citizens' Center. Provided for the library in addition to the books and pamphlets are a TV/VCR, videos and an internet accessible computer.

Attending the grand openings from San Angelo were Judy Rippetoe and Carol Rigby with the Area Agency on Aging and Tricia Shelton with the Alzheimer's Association. Each outlined services available through their agencies and introduced the materials brought for the local caregiver information centers.

These materials are designed to provide information to friends and family members who are caring for older loved ones and grandparents and older relatives raising children.

If you are an adult child helping your elderly parents, a wife or husband caring for your elderly, ill spouse, a friend assisting an older, frail neighbor, or a grandparent raising a grandchild, you are a family caregiver.

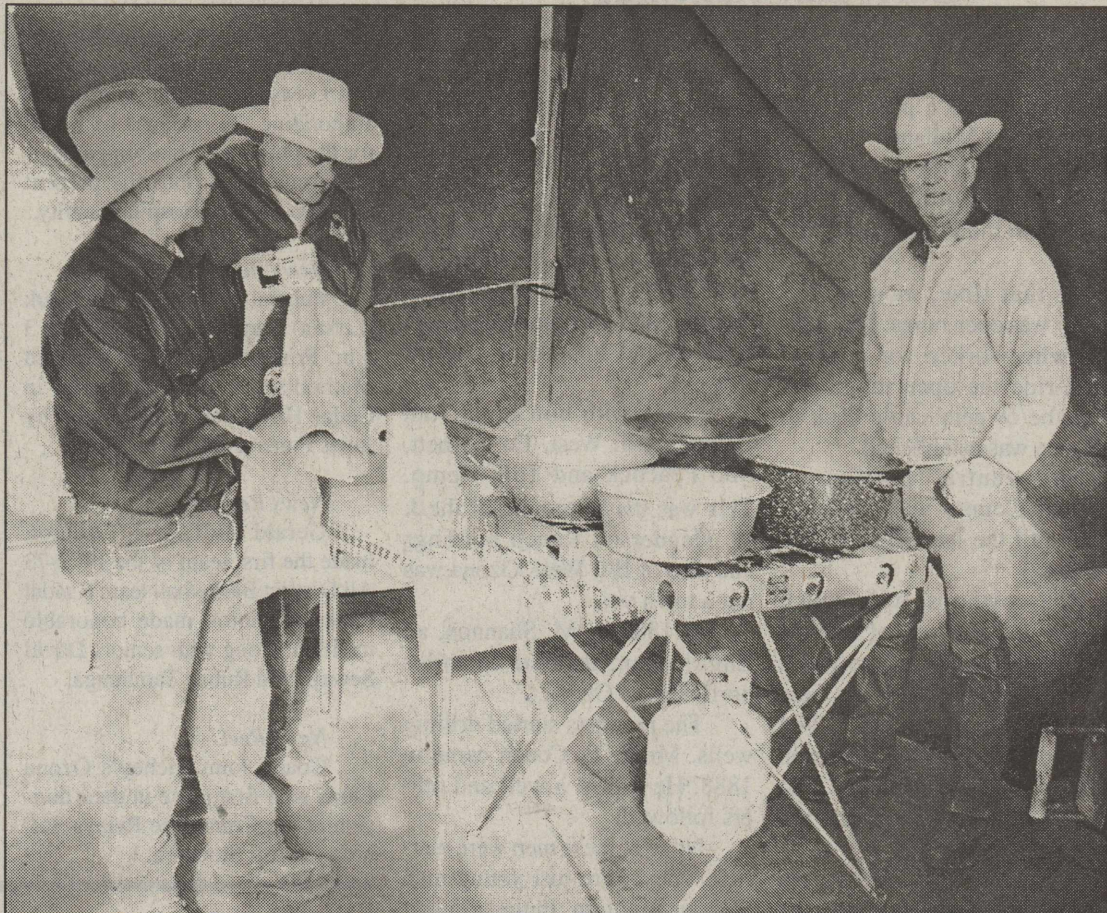
Ms. Shelton said there is a possibility of an Alzheimer's support group being formed in Ozona.

Plan time to browse these materials either at the library or senior center.

Booster Club meets

The Ozona Athletic Booster Club will meet on Monday, Feb. 24, at 6:00 p.m. in the Ozona Middle School Library. Among items to be discussed is the upcoming athletic banquet and the concession stand at home Lion baseball games.

Please make plans to attend.



PBS TELEVISION PERSONALITY "CEE DUB" WALSH demonstrates campfire cooking to Jim Ramage and Bill Black at clinic here Feb. 15-16. "If it smells done, it's done; if it smells burnt, it's burnt; if you can't smell it, it's not done," says "Cee Dub". Submitted Photo

Up, up and away

Electric companies file rate increase requests

HOUSTON - Due to a 32 percent surge in natural gas prices since May 2002, CPL Retail Energy, L.P. and WTU Retail Energy, L.P. have filed requests with the Public Utility Commission of Texas to raise electricity prices for their customers in South and West Texas, respectively. If approved, the change will increase residential customers' bills by approximately \$14.00 - \$17.00 for usage of 1,000 kilowatt hours per month.

The request follows other utilities, which have also recently filed for rate increases due to the dramatic increase in natural gas prices. The Commission will rule on this request within 45 days.

For more than 75 years, CPL Retail Energy and WTU Retail Energy have provided electricity to consumer and small business customers in the South and West Texas regions. CPL Retail Energy serves customers in South Texas,

including Corpus Christi, Victoria, McAllen, Laredo and Harlingen. WTU Retail Energy serves customers in West Texas, including Abilene, Alpine and San Angelo. The companies were recently acquired by Centrica U. S.

Yield to emergency vehicles

Deputy Emilio Tambunga's vehicle was struck Friday at the intersection of Ave. E and 11th Street as he was responding to an emergency call. The driver of the other vehicle did not yield to Tambunga's flashing lights.

Fortunately, there were no injuries.

Drivers are reminded to yield to all emergency vehicles with flashing lights and or sirens.

Churchill wins scholarship

Katy Churchill won high individual in the wool judging and a \$6,000.00 scholarship Feb. 16 in San Antonio. Katy was a member of the third place Crockett County 4-H wool judging team at the San Antonio Stockshow.

Other members of this team were Katie Parker, Taylor Oglesby and LuCinda Birkenfeld.

The team of Andy

Birkenfeld, Kraig Chandler and Aaron Renfro won ninth place as a team, and Kraig was ninth high individual overall. He was the only Junior 4-H member to compete against senior team members.

These 4-H wool judging teams are coached by Donnie Laughlin and Charles Seidensticker.



KATY CHURCHILL was the high individual in the San Antonio Stockshow wool judging contest on Feb. 16. She received a \$6,000 scholarship. Submitted Photo

Local man stabbed and beaten on I-10

Stabbing victim hospitalized

Juan Antonio Vasquez of Ozona remained hospitalized in San Angelo Tuesday after being stabbed and beaten in Crockett County Feb. 14.

Vasquez was stabbed several times in the back and neck and hit in the head with a shovel near mile marker 372 on I-10 after a car chase according to reports received by Crockett County Sheriff's Department.

The injured man was taken to the hospital in Sonora by an occupant of the vehicle, Penny Lee

Ramirez, then transferred to San Angelo for treatment of his wounds.

Sutton County officials notified the Crockett County Sheriff's Office of the incident. Local officers investigated the report and made an arrest.

Jose A. Valencia of Lubbock was arrested on a charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon and released on \$25,000.00 bond.

Deputy Nick Richter said that Valencia has been cooperative.

The investigation continues.

Museum program celebrates Black History Month Feb. 24

Buffalo Soldiers in Texas and the Nation, A Look at History is the topic of a program at Crockett County Museum Feb. 24 at 5:00 p.m. Robert F. Bluthardt, director at Fort Concho National Historic Landmark in San Angelo, will be guest speaker.

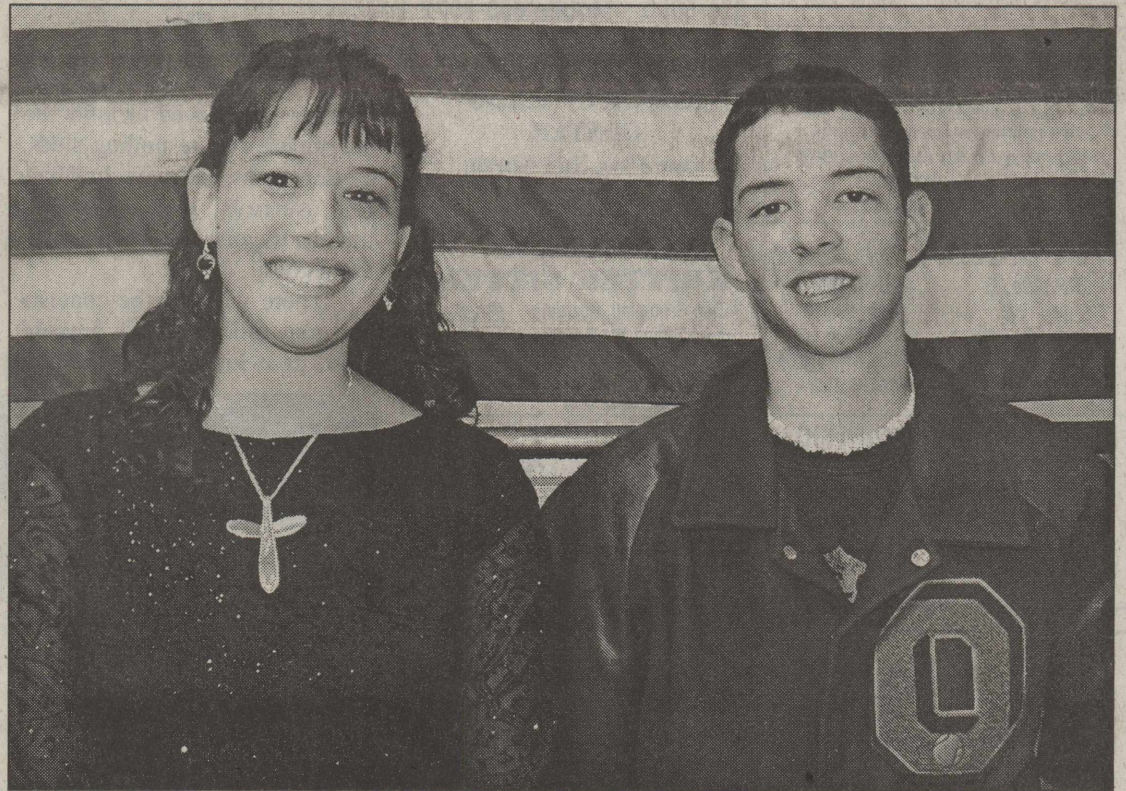
The public is invited to attend this celebration of Black History Month hosted by the museum and Crockett County Historical Commission.

Created by an Act of Congress in 1866, the four regiments of Buffalo Soldiers, the famed black troops of the western frontier, have played a vital part of the exploration and settlement of West Texas. They scouted trails, protected stage and mail lines,

built and manned forts, and, in retirement, helped various communities grow and prosper.

Neglected by historians for many years, these soldiers are now experiencing a wave of publicity, movie fame, and research and living history portrayals that have given them new life. How have current generations portrayed these troops and how does it fit the reality?

Bluthardt, a staff member of Fort Concho since 1982 and director since 1997, will cover these topics with slides, photos and a display of original and replica uniforms and equipment. He will also note some of the projects that have brought the Buffalo Soldiers back to life across Texas.



MICHELLE NECESSARY AND LOGAN ENGLISH will compete in the state U.I.L. C/X debate competition in Austin on March 10-11. DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway

County active in regional water planning

By Dennis Clark
District Manager
Emerald Underground
Water Conservation District

Texas has been in the grip of a major drought which has lasted the better part of the last 10 years. It has been speculated that this drought is equivalent to or exceeds the drought of record in the 1950's. Droughts in Texas are a recurring phenomenon, and it should be noted that future climatic conditions may induce droughts more severe than those

Oilfield theft reported

The theft of more than \$1,000.00 in tubing from a lease in northwest Crockett County was reported to the Sheriff's Department Feb. 16.

Taken in the period between Feb. 13 and Feb. 16 were 49 joints of two and three-eighths inch tubing. Owned by D & G Company, the tubing had been laying at the site on the Thompson Lease since 1996.

The theft is under investigation by the Crockett County Sheriff's Department.

experienced during the historical period of record. Texas is a growing state, with the population expected to almost double by 2050, yet the state's usable water availability is dwindling. Water conservation, sound water management strategies, and efficient and adequate investment in a range of solutions are essential to meet the state's needs.

In recognition of the state's water needs, Senate Bill 1 was passed during the 1997 Texas Legislature. One of the primary elements of Senate Bill 1 changes the planning process to one based on public participation by dividing the state into 16 regions. Each region has a minimum of 11 members who represent interest group categories specifically required by statute. Each region is required to develop a regional water plan based on its specific needs. These 16 regional water plans then form the basis of the state water plan.

Crockett County is located in the Region F planning area, which consists of 32 counties overlying the Edwards-Trinity Plateau. Crockett County has been active in the regional water planning pro-

cess since its conception through active participation by former County Judge Jeffrey Sutton and present County Judge John R. Jones. Judge Jones is one of the Region F planning members representing counties, and the Emerald Underground Water Conservation District provides input on groundwater issues for Crockett County.

Conservation and protection of our groundwater resources on a local level is imperative since Crockett County is almost totally reliant on groundwater for its water needs. EUWCD has strived to maintain sound groundwater management strategies through well permitting, water quality analysis, water level monitoring and participation in an eight county rainfall enhancement project. EUWCD has cooperated with the Texas Water Development Board in developing a groundwater availability model for the Edwards-Trinity Aquifer. This model will be a valuable tool in reaching our goal of managing our aquifer on a sustainable use basis, limiting withdrawals to recharge.

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Crockett County History

"This is the way it was"

By Oscar Kost



Early Day Ranching

In 1881, Mr. Half and brother established a ranch from Independence to a point a few miles south of Midland.

The first family to establish in Crockett County was the Hoovers on the Pecos. Land and water.

At that time, most of the country was open range. The cowboys who worked for ranches would ride the open range and throw the owners' cattle back to where he was established.

The central portion of Crockett County was not used much until the late 80's for lack of water.

The cowboys, with chuck wagons and remuda of horses, would gather stock. There was a range boss whose word was final in arguments over cattle. The roundup would usually start in April after the cattleherd lost enough hair to recognize the brand.

The ranch cowboys would draw numbers and cull out the cattle in order. If a calf followed its mother, it belonged to the rancher.

Sheep were refused by cattlemen, but C. C. Doty and Jeff Moore drove 2,600 sheep into what is now Schleicher County to Ten Mile water hole. Nothing was done about it.

In 1882, Mr. Doty bought out Jeff Moore and drilled a water

well 52 feet deep and had a well. During all this time, the grass grew knee-high in central Crockett County on Johnson Draw.

In 1888, Mr. John W. Henderson bought land on the Kickapoo. He had several boys. John W. Jr. wanted to go farther west. In 1888, he started two herds of cattle and stopped at Howard Draw.

Along with him came Tom Casbeer, Bill West, Ed Corbett, Bob Peacock and Tom Kemp. This was the beginning of the J. W. Henderson Ranch holdings and also of Bill West. Ozona was not a town yet.

In 1885, J. M. Shannon, an Englishman, located 25 miles northwest of Ozona.

The ranchers started drilling wells. Mr. S. E. Couch came in 1888. He drilled a well and others followed.

None of these men were married. They were just young men with an ambition. In the article it was said at first they could homestead eight sections; later this was cut to four.

In 1888, Mr. S. E. Couch came to the area. The Coates, Jones, Millers and others came in 1881. The oldtimers settled up the country.

There is much more. A lot of the ranches were established in the 1880s and 1890s.

Oscar

Eldorado Elgoatarod Festival Feb. 22-23

A truck, tractor and goat show inspired by the Alaskan Iditarod will be held at the courthouse square in Eldorado Feb. 22-23.

The Elgoatarod Festival will include goat races around the courthouse square pulling sleds, carts, wagons, hackneys, half barrels, surreys, gigs, chariots, travois, travois with wheels, anything goes.

There will also be contests for goat milking, best dressed goat, goat kissing, goat/owner

lookalike, goat pill flipping, ugliest goat, stinkiest goat and goat calling. In addition, there will be stupid goat tricks, goat pasture bingo, stick goat races, goat bike parade, arts, crafts, food and games.

For more information, contact Jim Runge at 915-853-2434 or 853-3678 or eldoradotexas@hotmail.com to get contest rules, to enter contests or to have an art, craft, food or game booth.



THE ELGOATAROD FESTIVAL will be held in Eldorado Feb. 22-23. Goat races around the courthouse square is a featured event.

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News Reel
Eligible Crockett County voters will be called upon to cast their ballots March 17 on the question of authorizing the issuance of bonds for the purpose of building a nursing home wing onto the present Crockett County Hospital facility.

News Reel
Funeral services for Mrs. Clark (Letitia) Barton, 84, were held at 3 p.m. Friday in the Ozona United Methodist Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery directed by Janes Funeral Home.

News Reel
Gerald Huff, 5' 11" senior, made the first team of the 1972-73 All District Basketball team Randal Papan, senior, made honorable mention, along with seniors David Sewell, and Ruben Tambunga.

News Reel
Coach John Richey's Ozona Lions won first place in their division at the Comanche Relays Saturday in Fort Stockton.

News Reel
Funeral services for Mrs. Myrtle Rawls Osteen, 80, sister of Mrs. Hillary Phillips of Ozona, were held last week in San Angelo at Robert Massie Funeral Home.

News Reel
Members whose terms expire from the Crockett County School Board this year are Taylor Deaton, C. E. Davidson, III, and Ray Boyd. Holdover members are Joe Bean, George Bunger Jr., C. R. Fuantoz, and Sam Perner.

News Reel
Coach Charlie Spieker's OHS Golf Team made a good showing in the annual Andrews tournament over the weekend, coming in fourth in their division.

News Reel
The Ozona Woman's Forum will have its special guest day Tuesday at the Civic Center at 3 p.m. Mrs. Clyde Angel will present the "Texas Day" program and will give a review from several books on the subject.

Texas Senate Week in Review

Insurance Regulation
The first bill of the 78th Legislative session was passed unanimously on Tuesday, about two weeks after Governor Rick Perry declared insurance to be an emergency matter. Senate Bill (SB) 310, sponsored by Senator Troy Fraser from Marble Falls, requires all insurers of residential property doing business in Texas to immediately file their current rates and estimated rates for the next six months, as well as any supporting data, with the commissioner of insurance on a one-time basis. The commissioner has thirty days from the passage of the bill to report to the legislature whether the rates are just, adequate, reasonable, and not excessive or unfairly discriminatory.

The State of the State
On Tuesday, Governor Rick Perry gave his forty-five minute State of the State address before a joint session in the House Chamber. He outlined his suggestions to balance the budget without raising taxes and presented his top three priorities for the legislature—education, the economic security, and safety of citizens, and the fiscal responsibility of government.

Children's Health
Senator Eddie Lucio, Jr. from Brownsville targeted what he called the growing epidemic of obesity by filing SB 474, the Texas Schoolchildren's Nutrition and Health Act. Lucio introduced the legislation limiting access to so-called junk foods, such as vending machine snacks and foods high in fat or sugar, in a press conference on Thursday. The bill also calls for the creation of a twelve-member Schoolchildren's Nutrition and Health Advisory Council to develop a plan designed to improve the nutritional health of schoolchildren.

Education
The Senate Committee on Education passed SB 86, sponsored by San Antonio Senator Jeff Wentworth, after hearing public testimony on Tuesday. The bill would grant automatic admission to state universities to any student in the top ten percent of their graduating class, as long as they take a prescribed curriculum. Senator Wentworth also presented SB 83, which calls for the observance of one minute of silence during each school day in public schools.

The Military
The Senate Committee on Veteran Affairs and Military Installations held a joint hearing with the House Committee on Defense Affairs and State-Federal Relations and the Texas Strategic Military Planning Commission on Wednesday. The panel discussed the current state of Texas' eighteen military bases and heard invited testimony concerning the upcoming Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) review in 2005, which is to trim excess domestic base infrastructure.

That afternoon, Senator Eliot Shapleigh of El Paso held a press conference to announce the filing of legislation termed the "Military Preparedness Act of 2003" as an effort to prevent possible military base closures in Texas during the BRAC review.

A ceremony recognizing and saluting the Texas Military was held on Wednesday in the Senate Chamber. Lieutenant Governor David Dewhurst and Governor Rick Perry, both United States Air Force Veterans, as well as Sena-

Ozona Weather Conditions and Forecast

Date	Hi	Lo	Rain
Feb. 10	65	28	-0-
Feb. 11	75	36	-0-
Feb. 12	73	44	-0-
Feb. 13	64	52	.6
Feb. 14	71	41	.06
Feb. 15	56	32	-0-
Feb. 16	54	26	-0-

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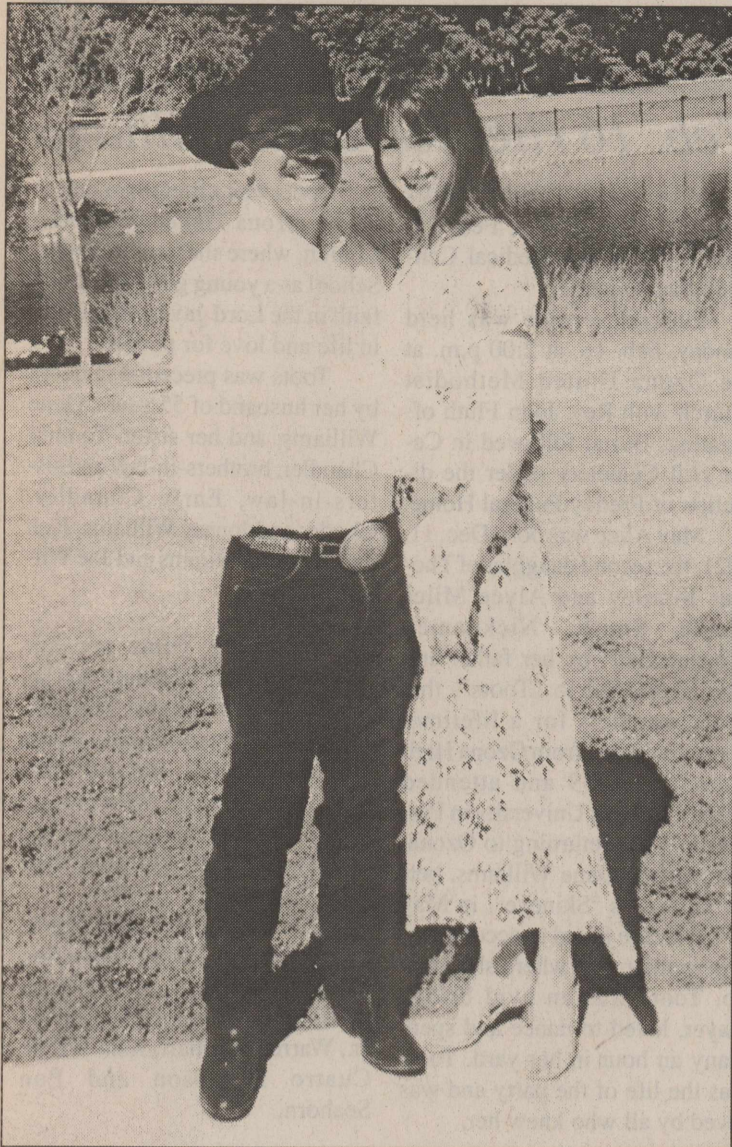
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Wednesday	Thursday
Hi 63	Hi 56
Lo 47	Lo 41
Cloudy	Scat. Thunder

Friday	Saturday
Hi 66	Hi 64
Lo 33	Lo 43
Partly Cloudy	Mostly Cloudy

Forecast information provided by
The Weather Channel



Miss Hellwig, Mr. Acton marry

Miss Day Hellwig of Bedminster, NJ, and Mr. Marty Acton of Ozona were married Sept. 21, 2002, in Midland. Performing the marriage was Rev. Glenn Smith of Midland. Glenn Smith is president and along with his wife, Ann, founder of Rodeo Cowboy Ministries.

Day is the daughter of Dr. Arthur Hellwig and Dr. Sharon Hellwig of Tewksbury, NJ. Day's brothers and sister are Mr. and Mrs. Brad Hellwig of Hampton, NJ, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Hellwig of Tewksbury, NJ, and Mr. and Mrs.

Bart Hellwig of Boston, MA, and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Glick of Branchburg, NJ.

Marty is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Acton of Ozona and grandson of Mrs. Dempster Jones and the late Dempster Jones. His twin sister and family are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dell Renfroe, Aaron and Kelbie of Ozona. His aunt and family are Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Conner, Tommy and Robin of Ozona.

Marty and Day make their home on the ranch south of Ozona.

Alvarez, Yocham set wedding date

Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Alvarez of Ozona would like to announce the upcoming wedding of their daughter, Tammy Jean, to Donny Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donny Yocham Sr. of Sonora. They will be married Feb. 22, 2003, in Sonora.

Tammy is a 2001 graduate of Ozona High School. Donny is a 1999 graduate of Sonora High School and is currently employed by Halliburton Energy Services.

The couple will reside in Sonora.

Art Extravaganza to benefit West Texas Rehab Feb. 21-23

More than 130 artists and artisans will display 260 works in various mediums at the fourth annual Stribling Art Extravaganza Feb. 21-23 at historic Fort Concho in San Angelo. The event benefits West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Beverly and Ben Stribling are underwriting the show and sale which features the artistic talent of current and former residents of San Angelo and the Concho Valley. Assisting with a portion of the event cost is Oliver Rainey & Wojtek LLP and First National Bank of Mertzon.

Displayed works will range from oils, acrylics and watercolors to bronzes, ceramics and wood

- all of which will be for sale. The event will be held at Fort Concho's Commissary and Quartermaster buildings. Hours are 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21; 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, and 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23. Admission is free.

"Not only are we pleased with the tremendous response from local and area artists," said WTRC President Woody Gilliland, "we're equally proud to provide an opportunity for the public to see the amount of artistic talent in the region and, at the same time, provide a source of financial support for West Texas Rehab Center."

Garden Club focuses on cultivating irises

Fifteen members of the Ozona Garden Club met at the home of Jan Van Shoubrouek for a program on cultivating irises presented by Mrs. Tony McGuire

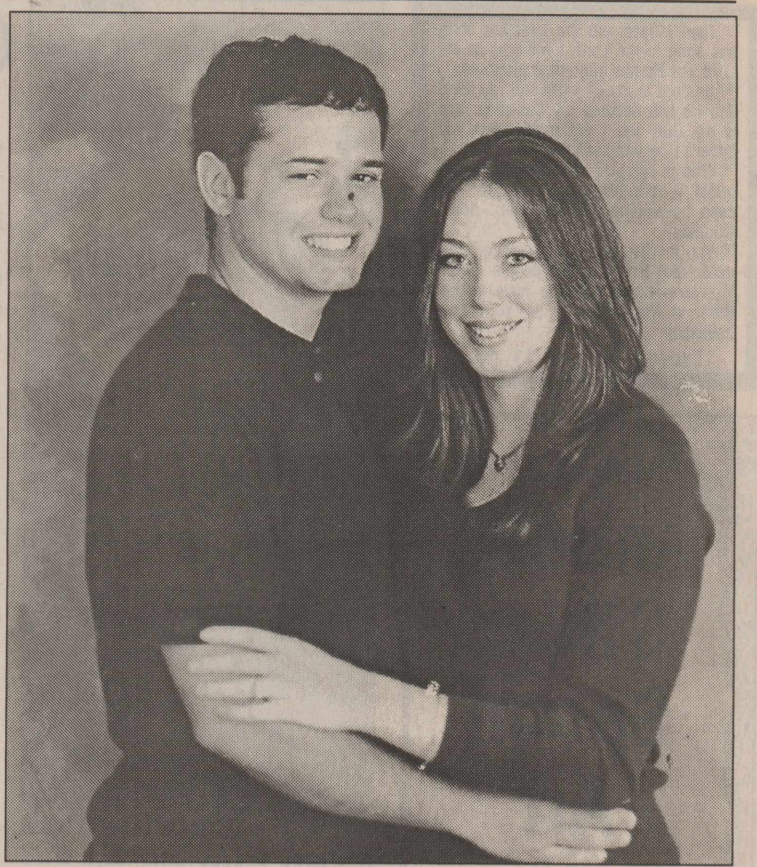
Radiothon benefits St. Jude's hospital

Theta Alpha Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha of San Angelo is sponsoring a radiothon to benefit St. Jude Children's Research Hospital on Feb. 27-28 from 6:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. each day on KIXY 94.7 FM. Theta Alpha is a woman's service organization that has been doing volunteer work for the San Angelo area the past 43 years. They were recognized at the annual 2002 state convention as Outstanding Chapter in the state of Texas for volunteer hours and monies donated to service projects. The local chapter has been involved with St. Jude Children's Research Hospital since 1972. St. Jude's is the largest childhood cancer research center in the world in term of numbers of patients and treatment successes.

It is the first and only institution established for the sole purpose of conducting basic and clinical research into catastrophic childhood diseases. The hospital is fulfilling the promise and dream of its founder, Danny Thomas, by making a significant contribution to alleviating childhood diseases: acute lymphocytic leukemia, Hodgkin's disease, and other forms of cancer and pediatric AIDS. In addition to this life-saving care, St. Jude Hospital doctors provide daily written and telephone consultation and advice to physicians all over the world concerning the latest procedures for other children.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha is committed to fund raising efforts for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital - their belief in the research and treatment procedures initiated at the hospital has grown. The local chapter has a goal to continue with raising funds for the hospital by sponsoring the radiothon - the money is needed to support the research of the doctors and scientists at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital who are finding cures to save the lives of children at St. Jude's, but also for all those who have yet been diagnosed. All contributions to St. Jude are tax-deductible. The local phone number to call in during the event is 1-888-292-HOPE.

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Miss Holden, Mr. Forehand to wed

Haley Holden and Benjamin Joseph Forehand will marry May 31 at the Trois Estate in Austin.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Deene Holden and granddaughter of Wilena Holden, both of Ozona.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Sharon and Michael Williams of Ozona and grandson of Nancy and Bill Forehand of Ozona and Lidia Ellington of

Madera, CA. Miss Holden is a 1998 graduate of Ozona High School. She currently is enrolled in vet tech school in Austin. Mr. Forehand is also a 1998 graduate of Ozona High School and also is enrolled in school in Austin where he is employed at Pappadeaux.

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Letters to the Editor

To my hometown family and friends:

I recently joined the North Texas Chapter of the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Team In Training. TNT is the world's largest endurance sports training program. In exchange for the training and support, I have committed my effort to raise money toward a cure for leukemia, one of the leading disease killers of children: lymphoma, the leading disease killer of men and women under 35; and other blood-related cancers. TNT has raised millions of dollars toward finding cures for leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease and myeloma.

I plan to compete in my first Triathlon in Austin over the Memorial Day weekend. I began training with my team the first week in February. I have committed to raise a minimum of \$2,200 but am working toward \$5,800 for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society through donations made in support of my competing in the Triathlon.

At this time, I would like to request your support of my efforts to raise money for much needed research for defense against all blood-related cancers. When it comes to finding a cure for Leukemia, I like the following tagline: "Let's be proactive; not reactive." This is especially true when it comes to finding cures for debilitating diseases. Although I have not personally experienced the heartache of a family member being diagnosed with any blood-related cancer, I want to know that I am helping to fight the effort by joining TNT. Thanks for your consideration.

There is no donation too large nor too small. It all adds up. All donations are 100% tax deductible. The Leukemia Society will send Thank You notes for your use with your income tax returns.

I would like to thank each and every one of you in advance for considering supporting my efforts. My team and I are doing this in honor of six Honorary Heroes

who have fought the battle and are currently in remission. Their names are Colbi, Cooper, Kaitlyn, Maura, Nitia and Zach. Additionally, I wear a second bracelet in honor of two Honorary Heroes one of which is from my hometown (Bobbie Bryson) and another is from my INVESCO family here in Dallas. I am very excited about this new endeavor and the fact that I'm making a ripple in the big sea of research that is needed to find a cure.

All checks should be made out to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. My deadline for raising the money is March 15th. Please send your tax-deductible donations to: Joyce Galvan, 1715 Baylor, Richardson, TX 75081. You can e-mail me for more info at jmgalvan@in.vescodallas.com. I also have forms for credit card donations.

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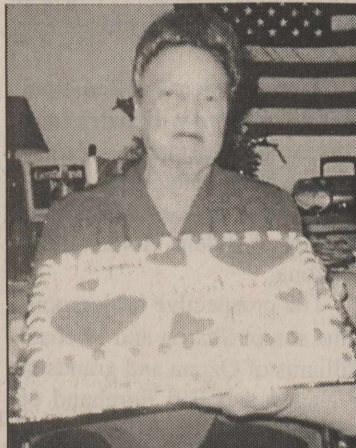
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¹⁹ Then Moses and the Israelites sang this song to the Lord. I will sing to the Lord. For He has triumphed gloriously. ²⁰ The Lord is my strength and my song and He has become my Salvation; this is my God and I will praise Him, my father's God and I will exalt Him. ²¹ Who is like you, O Lord, among the gods? Who is like you glorious in holiness, awesome in splendor, doing wonders? ²² You in your mercy and loving kindness have led forth the people whom You have redeemed: You have guided them in Your strength to Your holy habitation.
Exodus 15: -1, 2, 11, 13



JUNIOR LIBRARY SISTERS
Rebecca Pierce and Kara Bird perform at the care center.
Submitted Photo



ETHEL MILLER celebrated her February birthday at the care center. Not pictured is Mary Dunlap.
Submitted Photo

Care Center Chatter

Monday afternoon E. A. Wadsworth read to our residents. Thank you, E.A. Our residents enjoy the time with you.

We are always delighted to see Penn Baggett come up the sidewalk with his hot rolls. Thank you, Penn. We all enjoy the rolls. Tuesday afternoon we were glad to have Randy Carter back for Baptist Bible study. Thank you, Randy.

We're glad to have Glenda Henderson to come visit and play the piano for staff and residents. We enjoyed it, Glenda, do come again.

-Potato Eyes-

In our kitchen near the microwave there is a little basket where my wife keeps her onions and potatoes. Yesterday I decided to make some soup because my wife had a headache and was not feeling very well. To my surprise I found that some (not all) of the potatoes had sprouted and were trying to grow. Those little potatoes were trying to reach out and up and it took such an effort.

Seeing those potatoes, it reminded me of something about life and the nature of man. The Bible says that we were all created in the image of God (Genesis 1:26, 27). We are all given the ability to know God and have fellowship with Him (John 3:16). The Bible (sadly to say) says that only a few will chose to have that relationship with God (Matthew 7:13, 14).

God's desire or wish for our lives is for us to know Him in a personal-special way and that is through His Son (Jesus Christ, Romans 5:17). He also wants us to live (experience) beautiful blessed lives (Romans 10:12).

Potatoes that are planted become beautiful plants. Potatoes that aren't planted or used just sit on the shelf and slowly rot away. The question is where are we in life or before God, growing or rotting?

See you in church on Sunday. Brother J

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Wednesday afternoon our lobby was full as Merle Welty, Mary Welty and Otis Nester played their music and sang. Thank you three. Our residents always look forward to Wednesday afternoons.

Thanks go to Jo Ann Williamson for volunteering for Thursday morning beauty shop. We sure could use some more volunteers for Thursday morning beauty shop starting at 8:30 a.m.

Thursday evening the Levis and Lace Square Dancers entertained our residents. Thank you. All our residents look forward to Thursday evenings.

Friday afternoon was our Valentine and residents' birthday party sponsored by Crockett National Bank of Ozona. Francis Flanagan, president of the Residents' Council, crowned the king and queen. Tomasita Hernandez took the honors for the queen. Jesus Martinez was honored by being selected king. Congratulations.

Cake, wine, cheese, crackers or beverage of choice were served. Thanks go to resident Benita Castillanos' family for the darling spoon candies.

Thanks go to our commissioner, Freddie Nicks, and his wife, Pat, for their famous oatmeal cookies. Freddie's cookies are something everyone looks forward to, just can't eat one. When I need something for my residents, all I have to do is call Freddie and Pat. They are always there for me.

Thanks go to our administrator, Benny Gibbs, for the boxes of Valentine candy all employees received. How sweet it was. Thank you, Benny.

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

Thanks go to Scotty and Linda Moore at The Ozona Stockman for donating the Wednesday paper to our residents to keep them informed about Ozona.

The Junior Library Sisters entertained our residents and staff on Friday afternoon. Thank you, young ladies.

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

Jan St. Clair
Activity Director

Obituaries

Feb. 16 rites for Toots Williams

Mary Alice "Toots" Williams, 81, died Friday, Feb. 14, 2003, in Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo.

Funeral service was held Sunday, Feb. 16, at 2:00 p.m. at the Ozona United Methodist Church with Rev. John Fluth officiating. Burial followed in Cedar Hill Cemetery under the direction of Preddy Funeral Home.

Mary Alice was born Dec. 11, 1921, the second daughter of Thomas Bentley and Alyce Miles Pierce Smith. Nicknamed "Tootsie Bell" by her father and later shortened to "Toots", this name was hers for a lifetime. Toots graduated from Ozona High School in 1939 and attended Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. After returning to Ozona, she married Gene Williams, better known as "Skineye", in May of 1946. She loved to accompany him to the ranch where she grew up. Toots was an avid bridge player, loved to dance and spent many an hour in her yard. Toots was the life of the party and was loved by all who knew her.

Toots was a lifelong member of the Ozona United Methodist Church, where she taught Sunday School as a young girl. Her strong faith in the Lord gave her strength in life and love for people.

Toots was preceded in death by her husband of 55 years, Gene Williams, and her sister, Tommy Chandler, brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Early Chandler, Charles and Jonesy Williams, Jack and Winnie Williams and Joe Williams.

Surviving Toots are her daughter, Esther Williams, and her son, Sooner Williams; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Byron and Liz Williams, Joe and Mary Clayton and Jeanie Williams, all of Ozona. Her many nieces and nephews will greatly miss their Aunt Toots.

Pallbearers were: Bill Black, Fred Chandler, Erby Chandler, Michael Williams, David Williams, Craig Williams, Joe Clayton Jr., Warren Chirhart, John Walsh, Cuatro Davidson and Pon Seahorn.

C.H Sinclair service held Feb. 14

Clitis H. Sinclair, age 77, of Coleman died Tuesday, Feb. 11, 2003, in an Abilene hospital. Funeral service was held at 3:00 p.m. Feb. 14 in Stevens Funeral Home Chapel in Coleman with The Rev. Dr. Henry N. Chisholm officiating. Burial with military honors followed in the Bangs Cemetery.

Mr. Sinclair was born Sept. 26, 1925, in Mt. Pleasant, Titus County, to the late Carl and Emma Without Sinclair. He grew up in Mt. Pleasant and attended school there. He served in the United States Navy during World War II in the South Pacific. A graduate of Texas A&M University, he received his bachelor of science degree in agriculture education. In 1951 he married Patsy Findley in Bangs. He lived for many years in Ozona and Ruidoso, NM, moving to Coleman in 1997. He retired from the USDA Soil Conservation Service as a District Conservationist. He was a mem-

ber of the United Christian and Presbyterian Church in Coleman and a member of Masonic Lodge #578.

Survivors include: his wife, Patsy Sinclair, of Coleman; two daughters and a son-in-law, Jan Beck of Midland and Kim and Danny Horton of Bangs; one son and daughter-in-law, Kelly and Cheryl Sinclair of Los Lunas, NM; one brother and sister-in-law, Karl and Doris Sinclair of Newalla, OK; two sisters, Berniece Edwards of Waco and Sue Sterling of Longview; seven grandchildren, John (and husband Jason) Swopes, Jean Beck, Kade Horton, Ethan Horton, Cody Sinclair, Benjamin Sinclair and Jacob Sinclair; three great-grandchildren, Joshua and Jenna Swopes and Jaiden Beck Clary; numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Feb. 19 service for Elaine Phillips

Mary Elaine Willborn Phillips died Feb. 17, 2003, in the Crockett County Care Center.

Funeral service will be at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Ozona United Methodist Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Arrangements are by Preddy Funeral Home.

Mrs. Phillips graduated from Amarillo High School in 1947 with honors. She attended Randolph Macon Women's College in Lynchburg, VA, and graduated from the University of Texas in Austin where she majored in English and philosophy. She was Phi Beta Kappa in her junior year and was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha where she received her 50 year pin in 1999.

She met Hillery M. Phillips Jr. when he was stationed at the Air Force Base in Amarillo. They were married April 4, 1953, at the Polk Street United Methodist Church in Amarillo. They moved to their Sutton County ranch until 1964 when they built a home in Ozona.

Elaine was a life member of the United Methodist Church, serving on several committees and singing in the choir. She was president of the Ozona Women's League and a lifelong Democrat as well as a skilled piano player. She was an avid reader and a bridge player for many years. She loved her cats, Martin and Me Too, and her dog, Scout.

She is survived by: her husband, Hillery Marshall "Buddy"

Phillips Jr. of Ozona; one daughter, Hope Elaine Phillips of San Antonio; two brothers, Mike Willborn and wife Mollie and children Holly and Katie of Amarillo and Allen Willborn of Chicago, IL; sister-in-law Benny Gail Hunnicutt and husband John R. Hunnicutt of Ozona; one nephew, Rick Hunnicutt and wife Shannon of Ozona and children Cody and Lacey; one niece, Gail Simmons and husband Carl and children Drew and Trent of Hobbs, NM.

Preceding her in death were her son, Hillery Marshall "Hill" Phillips III; her parents, Herbert and Mary Willborn, and her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Hillery M. Phillips Sr. and Charlotte B. Phillips.

Pallbearers will be Rick Hunnicutt, Carl Simmons, Max Schroeder, Tom Collins, Jock Dutton, David Armstrong, John Cole Armstrong and Tony Hoover.

Honorary pallbearers are: J. C. Schroeder, Garland Young, Phil Carleton, Wade Garlitz, John R. Hunnicutt, Cody Hunnicutt, David Martin, Sam Perner, Chris Perner, Nat Read, George Caldwell, Weldon Maness, Dick Kirby, Doug Cochran and Jefferey Stuart.

The family requests donations be made to the Crockett County Library, the World Wildlife Fund, whose website is www.worldwildlife.org, at 1250 Twenty-fourth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20037, or a charity of your choice.



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By Dr. Dennis J. Prutow

Have you ever argued with God? Probably! And you may have felt guilty afterward. But more likely, you were probably so fed up with life that you were like Job's wife. She encouraged her husband by saying, "Curse God and die" (Job 2:9). Some encouragement! But there is a proper way to argue with God. It is not by railing against God. It is by fully believing His promises. Moses believed the promise of God. And Moses was bold to remind God, "The nations who have heard of Thy fame will say, 'Because the Lord could not bring this people into the land which He promised by oath, therefore He slaughtered them in the wilderness'" (Numbers 14:15-16). Yes, Moses believed the promise of God. And Moses was ready to defend the promise of God before its author. Reminding God of His great and precious promises is an effective way to pray. And pleading with God to defend the greatness of His name is a powerful argument with God. But just remember, if you are going to argue with God, you had better be on His side. If you dishonor God before others and blaspheme His name, you are in trouble. But if you seek His honor and if you argue before Him to glorify His name in the world, you will be blessed!

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Ozona Cowboy Church Cenisa St. - Non-Denominational Pastor Rick Thomas Thursday: 7 p.m. Broadcasting on the radio at 8 a.m. on Sunday mornings.	Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St. Rev. Charles Huffman Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 9 am.	Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church 2121 Santa Rosa St. - Rev. Dan & Ann Rios Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Tues. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.
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THE CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H WOOL JUDGING TEAM placed third in the San Antonio Stockshow Feb. 16. Team members are: LuCinda Birkenfeld, Taylor Oglesby, Katy Churchill and Katie Parker. *Submitted Photo*

Birkenfelds compete in San Antonio Boer Goat Show

Andy and LuCinda Birkenfeld traveled to San Antonio to show in the Junior Breeding Boer Goat Show. The Birkenfelds placed eight of their 10 goats in the top eight of their classes. There were 187 entries in this show.

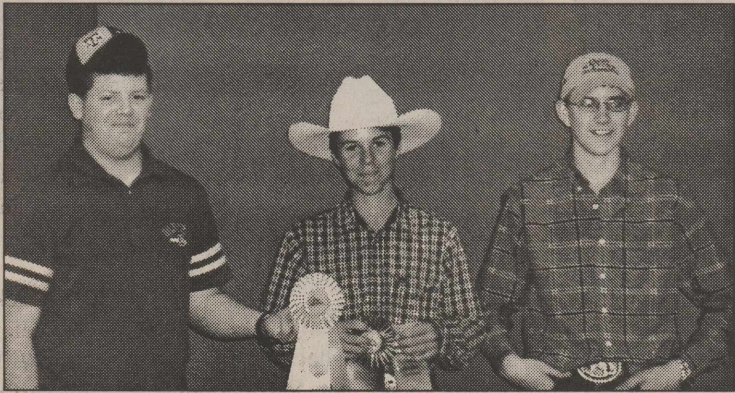
Andy placed first in the 0-6 month buck class, second in the 0-6 month full blood doe class, sixth in the 6-12 month old buck class, and eighth in the 6-12 month old percentage doe class.

LuCinda also had a good day placing third in the over 12 month to 24 month old buck class, fifth in the 6 to 12 month old buck kid class, and sixth in the over 12 month to 24 month percentage doe class.

Andy and LuCinda stayed to also show in the Open Boer Goat Show. This show had close to 400 goats entered. LuCinda placed eighth with her over 12 month to 24 month old percentage doe.



SEVERAL INTERESTED PERSONS attended the opening of the Family Caregiver Information Center at the public library Feb. 11. Here from San Angelo for the event were: Judy Rippetoe, Carol Rigby and Tricia Shelton. *DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore*



THE TEAM OF Andy Birkenfeld, Kraig Chandler and Aaron Renfro placed ninth in the San Antonio Stockshow wool judging contest. Chandler, the only Junior 4-H member competing against senior members, placed ninth as an individual. *Submitted Photo*

Ozona Senior Happenings

Remember our usual activities - clogging lessons on Tuesdays at 5:00 p.m. and exercise on Thursdays at 3:00 p.m. Activities are for those of you 50 plus and our establishment is smoke and alcohol free.

If you have been to the center lately you will notice that yours truly is now getting around on a red scooter because of an ankle injury. The scooter is helping me get around faster, and so far there have been no casualties. If any of our readers would like to come out with their scooters and race, come join me.

Visiting us on Monday for lunch were Kenneth and Ellie Baylor from Harlingen. They had been on a two week vacation out west. They particularly enjoyed the Grand Canyon.

Visiting us last week were Carol Rigby, Tricia Shelton and Judy Rippetoe. Carol and Judy are with the Area Agency on Aging. Tricia is with the Alzheimer's Association. There is talk of forming a group to help support caregivers here in Ozona. We will have more about this later on.

Jimmy Lott reports that he is slowly getting better after his surgery. His son, Dave, is still here helping him, and Nurse Dottie is doing her part to help with Jim's healing. Hurry back to the center, Jim.

We missed Jonny Johnson all last week. She said she was without wheels, but was back here on Monday. Happy to see you, Jonny.

Our post Valentine dance will be held Feb. 21. The Red Bandana Band will be playing, and we are all looking forward to a great time. Come out and join us when the dancing begins at 7:00 p.m.

Levis and Lace will have their regular dance Saturday, Feb. 22, at 8:00 p.m. If you don't square dance, come out and watch them dance. They put on quite a show.

Next Wednesday, Feb. 26, is our potluck lunch day. Please come and join us.

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Kristy Pridemore on Dean's List

Southwest Texas State University announces that Kristy L. Pridemore of Ozona earned Dean's List recognition for excellent academic performance for the Fall 2002 semester.

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She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Pridemore of Ozona.

Brian Webb earns scholastic honor

Western State College of Gunnison, CO, has announced the names of students on its Dean's List for the Fall 2002 semester. Among them is Brian Webb, a

graduate of Ozona High School and a chemistry major at WSC.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Webb of Ozona.

Animal seizures need quick attention

COLLEGE STATION - Seizures in your pet can be frightening for both the animal and its owner.

Almost any animal can suffer a seizure, but dogs and cats top the list, says Dr. Joan Coates, a veterinary neurologist in the Veterinary Teaching Hospital At Texas A&M University's College of Veterinary Medicine.

Coates says a seizure is defined as an uncontrolled event of electrical activity within the brain. These impulses from the brain can cause uncontrolled movement to other parts of the body, and the result can be muscle contractions, severe shaking, convulsions, possibly progressing to a coma-like state. The cause of these electrical events is still a mystery in both animals and humans.

"The good news is that most seizures in animals last only a short while, usually only a minute or two," says Coates. "Anything over five minutes is considered a life-threatening situation, and the animal needs medical attention immediately."

Seizures are classified into two broad categories - generalized and partial.

A generalized seizure occurs when the animal's limbs become stiff with paddling movements. The animal may fall on its back or side, have excessive salivation and can have a bowel movement.

A partial seizure often involves movement of one portion of the body, such as facial or limb twitching. The animal may act like it is trying to catch a fly. Evidence of a partial seizure may be the beginning of a generalized seizure.

Community Calendar

- Feb. 26 - School Board, 797 Ave. D, 6:30 p.m.
- Feb. 27 - Annual Chamber Banquet and Dinner Theatre, 6-6:30 p.m. Reception, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Awards/Presentations; 7:30-9:00 p.m. Dinner and One Act Play - *The Miracle Worker*
- May 14 - Texas Tech Mobile Mammography Clinic at Methodist Church. Call 1-800-222-8388 for appointment

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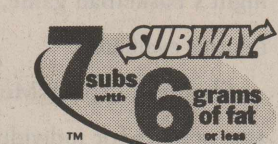
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FIFTH GRADERS AT OZONA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL participated in a 17-week D.A.R.E. program by instructors Deputy Nick Richter and Sgt. Jose Gutierrez. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

Children complete D.A.R.E. program

Fifth graders at Ozona Intermediate School were honored with a DARE graduation ceremony and pizza party Feb. 11. The students, their teachers and parents gathered in the school cafeteria where Sheriff Shane Fenton and DARE instructors Deputy Nick Richter and Sgt. Jose Gutierrez presented certificates and pins to each student completing the 17-week program. DARE stands for drug abuse resistance education.

"You're the biggest influence on your children," Deputy Richter told the parents. Almost every student in grades six through high school have gone through the DARE program since Sheriff Shane Fenton brought it to Ozona schools. Mrs. Becky Carter's class won the competition for the best DARE box, a suggestion box made by each fifth grade class. Each student received a coupon for a free ice cream cone at Dairy Queen.

An essay winner was chosen from each class. Chosen from Ms. Nikki Harrison's class was Lalo Longoria Jr. Winning in Mrs. Carter's class was Josh Ramos. Top essay writer in Mrs. Charlotte Laughlin's class was Jaron Vasquez. Shelby Ortiz was the essay contest champion in Mrs. Sally Oglesby's class. These four students received DARE jackets for their achievements.

The topic for DARE essays is *Taking A Stand*. Children are asked to think about all the things they have learned in DARE, look over their notebook information and think of the things DARE officers have taught. Then they are to write their commitment to stay drug and violence free. Points to address are how they feel about the DARE program, what they have learned that will help them stay drug-free and avoid violence

and why they think these things are important. The winning DARE essays are printed elsewhere in this issue of The Stockman.

TAKING A STAND

By Lalo Longoria Jr.

Hello. My name is Lalo Longoria Jr. In the next couple of paragraphs, I'm going to tell you about the D.A.R.E. program.

How I Feel About the D.A.R.E. program.

I feel the D.A.R.E. is a extraordinary way for children of all ages to learn to stay drug free. I also think it is a great way for students to interact with each other. In my opinion I think children all over the world should learn about staying drug and violence free. One more thing I think is a good thing about D.A.R.E. is that this program also helps children's parents stay drug and violence free.

What have I learned in D.A.R.E. to stay drug and violence free.

I have learned many things in D.A.R.E. such as the effects different drugs have on people. I will tell you about different effects drugs have.

Tobacco: tobacco is very addictive because it has a highly addictive substance called Nicotine. Nicotine is called a stimulant. Stimulants increase your heart rate, narrow your blood vessels and make your heart work harder. If someone smokes tobacco (such as a cigarette) you could get the same diseases as they can from passive smoke.

Marijuana: Marijuana is a mind-altering drug. This drug also has many slang names such as "pot", "grass", and "reefers". Marijuana has effects such as slow reflexes, inability to think and change in sense of time and space.

Cocaine: Cocaine is a highly addictive stimulant. People usually snort it through the nose. People who use cocaine usually experience withdrawal illness.

Why do I think it is important to stay drug and violence free.

I think it is important because you can get a better job after college. Also you won't mess up your life. It is important to stay violence free so you won't end up in jail or being chased and wanted for something you did.

This is my essay for D.A.R.E. I hope you like it and keep in mind my opinions.

TAKING A STAND

By Josh Ramos

I like the DARE program. I really like the DARE stories the coolest one is Frank, anyway I like DARE it teaches kids to stay drug free and violence free. Also it teaches you the bad things about beer, marijuana, cocaine, cigarettes and gang violence. It teaches you to not fight about dumb things like who is the best wrestler or who's fault it was that the team lost, you just have to count to ten or take deep breaths. And it teaches you ways to say no like if you were invited to a party and they asked you to bring beer just don't go to the party or you could tell them in their face. No, I don't want to risk getting caught or use any other types of sayings no, like the broken record or the cold shoulder. I have learned a lot of stuff in DARE like what drugs can do to you and how to respect other people. Also I learned how to stay out of gang fights or not join a gang and to stay violence free because mostly all of the gangs do drugs and drink beer and if you drink beer you lose your balance and you have memory problems like you can't

remember who people are and stuff. I think it is very important to stay drug free if you do drugs you can't play sports because you will get too lazy to get up. And you also have to be violence free because if you were in a gang fight you could get killed or hurt badly and if you want to be in a gang you have to do something very bad like rob a bank or fight all the gang members at once. I have learned a lot of stuff from DARE like how to stay drug free and violence free. And another important reason to stay drug free is because you can get high and shoot somebody like on the commercial. And cocaine can damage the nose and you will have breathing problems and if you take to much you can die. I like DARE because it teaches kids to stay drug free and violence free.

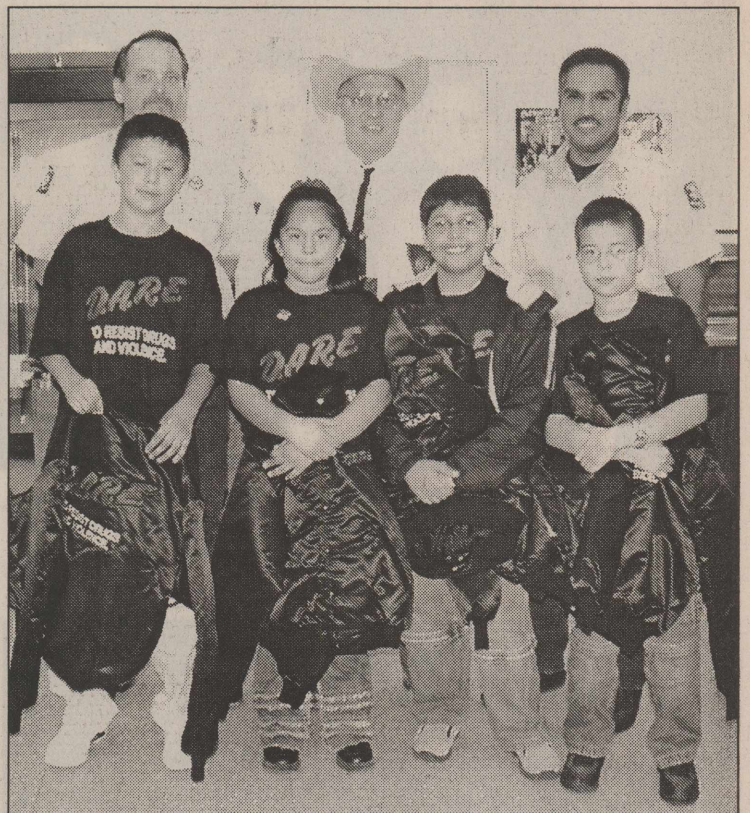
TAKING A STAND

By Jaron Vasquez

I feel that the (dare) program is fun and helpful. Also Deputy Nick and Sgt. Jose give information that will help me too. Also it was great.

I learned that (Marijuana) is a mind-altering drug, and someone that uses marijuana has slow reflexes, poor memory, short attention span, inability to think, and changes in sense of time and space. Also (Violence) violence is a destructive act that is directed toward people and things both living and non-living. You can avoid violence by not using a destructive act towards living and non-living things. I also have (alternatives). Alternatives are different choices you have to help you stay drug-free and trouble-free.

I think it's important to stay drug-free and violence-free because you can be involved in many things like basketball, base-



D.A.R.E. ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS are (l. to r.) Jaron Vasquez, Shelby Ortiz, Lalo Longoria, Jr. and Josh Ramos. Also pictured are: Deputy Nick Richter, Sheriff Shane Fenton and Sgt. Jose Gutierrez. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

ball, soccer, tennis, and track and field, also football. I want to be drug-free and violence-free so I will have a better life and a better future. My future is to be a professional basketball player and play for the Sacramento Kings.

TAKING A STAND

By Shelby Ortiz

I feel good about the DARE program it is fun to learn how not to say no to drugs. I really and so much enjoy DARE.

I have learned lots of things in DARE like suggestions for

what to ask high school role models. We learned media message techniques. And resolving a disagreement. We also learned ways to deal with stress, response styles, giving a compliment. We learned why most kids don't use drugs, use ways to say no. A belikes about alcohol. Say no to indirect peer pressure, ways to say no saying no to treasure peer pressure.

I think it is very important to be drug free because it is healthy and you don't have to have lung cancer, heart cancer or just any kind of cancer and I will not ever have to hurt my self or anyone else.

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Fourth Grade

Mariah Gallardo, Abel Ibarra, Duncan Knox, Abey Lara, Jayce Logan, Emily Merrill, Layla Perez, Gabriela Rodriguez, Austin Suddreth, Emilee White

Fifth Grade

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OHS track & field state qualifiers through the years

Extensive research by Tom Duncan, boys' track coach at Ozona High School, reveals an illustrious list of athletes qualifying for state since 1958. Coach Duncan compiled records from school files, UIL records, personal recollections and stories in The Ozona Stockman and many other newspaper archives.

His findings show two first place state titles, Gary Sutton in discus in 1967 with a throw of 156' 1/2", and Danny Sanchez in the 1600 meter run in 1988 with a time of 4:25.20. Sutton also qualified in the shot in 1967, placing third with a throw of 54' 11". He was back at state the following year, winning third in discus with a 166' 4 1/2" throw and fourth in shot with 55' 10 1/4".

Sanchez went to state three times, qualifying in two events. In addition to winning the 1600 meter, he placed second in the 3200 meter run in 1986, 1987 and 1988 with time of 9:32.26, 9:45.20 and 9:39.60 respectively.

Jim Doran also was a three year state qualifier, twice in the 100 yard dash and once with the 440 relay team. He placed fifth in the 100 in 1960 with a time of 10.0 (10.90)*, and was fourth in 1961 with 9.7 (10.60)*. Doran was a member of the 440 Yd. Relay team in 1958. The team placed seventh with a time of 19.80.

Ozona's representation at the state meet as compiled by Coach Duncan follows.

1958 - 4 Jake Young, Shot Put, 49' 3 3/4"; 2 Bobby Vargas, Long Jump 21' 5 3/4"; 3 Jerry Jacobs, 120 Yd. High Hurdles, 14.70; 7 Jerry Jacobs, 180 Yd. Low Hurdles, 19.80; 7 Jim Doran, Tony Parker, Bobby Sutton, Jerry Jacobs, 440 Yd. Relay, 45.70 (44.70)*

1959 - 2 David Sikes, Pole Vault, 11' 6"
1960 - 5 Jim Doran, 100 Yd. Dash, 10.0 (10.90)*; 6 Joe McMullan, 120 Yd. High Hurdles, 14.60; 2 Tony Parker, Jim Williams, Jim Doran, Tom Porter, 440 Relay, 43.80

1961 - 5 Phil Carnes, 120 Yd. High Hurdles, 15.2; 4 Jim Doran, 100 Yd. Dash, 9.7 (10.60)*; 6 Pete Montgomery, Jim Doran, Carl Montgomery, Tony Parker, 440 Yd. Relay, 44.0 (43.70)*

1962 - Van Miller, Long Jump, injury in warmup
1963 - 6 Pete Montgomery, 120 Yd. High Hurdles, 15.40
1965 - 2 Gary Pagan, Shot Put, 56'; 5 Billy Carson, Pole Vault, 12'6"; 6 David Childress, 120 Yd. High Hurdles, 14.80; 4 David Childress, 180 Yd. Low Hurdles, 19.60

1967 - 3 Gary Sutton, Shot Put, 54' 11"; 1 Gary Sutton, Discus, 156' 1/2"; 4 George Cox, 220 Yd. Dash, 23.00; 6 Fleet Coates, George Cox, Derold Maney, Rodney Pagan, Mile Relay, 3:28.50

1968 - 3 Gary Sutton, Discus 166' 4 1/2"; 4 Gary Sutton, Shot Put, 55' 10 1/4"; 7 Mike Haire, High Jump 5' 10"

1970 - 3 Mike Haire, 330 Yd. Int. Hurdles, 39.20; 5 Mike Haire, 120 Yd. High Hurdles, 14.70; 4 David Pagan, Discus, 162' 4 1/2"

1971 - 3 David Pagan, Discus, 163' 4"; 6 David Pagan, Shot Put, 50' 11"; 6 Chuck Womack, Pole Vault, 13'

1972 - 6 David Sewell, 120 Yd. High Hurdles, 15.0; Mike Wellman, 330 Yd. Int. Hurdles (NT), 42.00; 7 Cheo Vargas, Pete Maldonado, Tim Evans, Gerald Huff, David Sewell 440 Yd. Relay, 44.40; 5 Oliver Payne, Rick Hunnicutt, Ricky Crawford, Tim Evans, Gerald Huff, 3:26.50

1973 - 5 David Sewell, 120 Yd. High Hurdles, 14.60; 4 Oliver Payne, Tim Evans, David Sewell, Gerald Huff, alt. Pete Maldonado, 440 Yd. Relay, 42.40; 5 Randy Crawford, Oliver Payne, Tim Evans, Gerald Huff, alt. Rick Hunnicutt, Mile Relay, 3:19.30

1977 - 6 Steve Pagan, 330 Yd. Int. Hurdles, 40.60
1981 - 3 Richard Garza, 3200 Meter Run, 10.08.00; 5 Larry Payne, 400 Meter Dash, 50.10

1982 - 3 Richard Garza, 3200 Meter Run, 9:58.00; 4 Marcelo Hernandez, 800 Meter Dash, 1:56.80; 5 Willie Payne, Larry Payne, David Badillo, Robert Flores, 400 Meter Relay, 43.10; 7 David Delgado, Larry Payne, Mark Vallejo, Marcelo Hernandez, 1600 Meter Relay, 3:25.40

1986 - 2 Danny Sanchez, 3200 Meter Run, 9:38.26
1987 - 2 Danny Sanchez, 3200 Meter Run, 9:45.20
1988 - 1 Danny Sanchez, 1600 Meter Run, 4:25.20; 2 Danny Sanchez, 3200 Meter Run, 9:39.60

1991 - 8 Mark Ramirez, 3200 Meter Run, 10:25.29
1994 - 6 Charles Villarreal, 1600 Meter Run, 4:39.20
1995 - 7 Bryan Valdez, 3200 Meter Run, 10:53.30
1996 - 5 Charles Villarreal, 800 Meter Dash, 2:02.28
1998 - 2 Justin Browne, Pole Vault, 15'3"
1999 - 5 Cade Clark, Pole Vault, 13' 6"

*Metric Conversion

2003 OHS Track Schedule

March 1	Fort Stockton	Girls
March 1	Stanton	Varsity & JV Boys
March 8	Reagan County	Girls, Varsity & JV Boys
March 15	Sonora	Girls, Varsity & JV Boys
March 20	Ozona	Girls
March 21-22	San Angelo	Varsity Boys
March 22	McCamey	JV Boys
March 29	Iraan	Girls, Varsity & JV Boys
April 5	Ozona	Girls, Varsity & JV Boys
April 10	2-AA District @ Ozona	Girls, Varsity & JV Boys
April 17-18	Regional Qual. (TBA)	Girls, Varsity Boys
April 25-26	Region 1-AA - Abilene	Girls, Varsity Boys
May 2-3	State Qual. (TBA)	Girls, Varsity Boys
May 9-11	State Meet @ Austin	Girls, Varsity Boys

JV boys finish basketball season

By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The JV Lions played their last game of the season against Big Lake on Tuesday, Feb. 11. They fell to the Owls with a score of 48-53.

"We had poor scoring in the first half, but our guys continued to play hard," stated Coach Lynn Searcy.

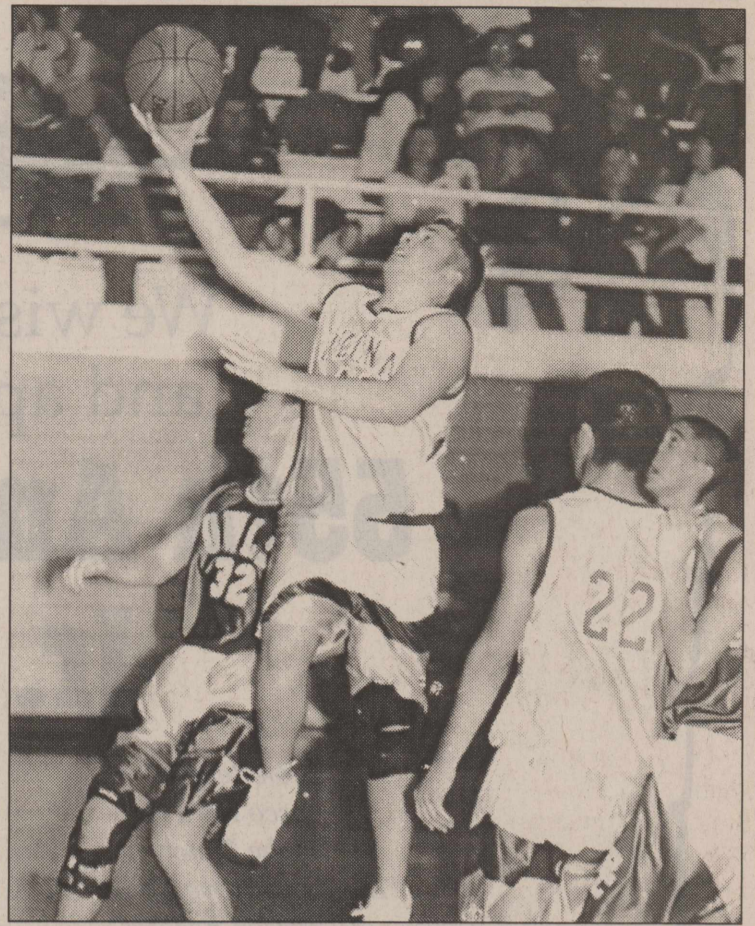
"We were down by 10 or so at halftime, but came back and closed the gap to two at the end of the third period. Our guys know that good defense always gives you an opportunity even when your shots aren't going in."

Scoring for the Lions in this game were Nick Perez with 13 points, Doug Duncan and Abel Martinez with ten points each, Vince Castro with five points, Jack Rodriguez with four points, Jared Bird with three points, David Esparza with two points, and Derek Wiley with one point. Nick Perez led the team in re-

bounds with 10. Jared Bird grabbed nine rebounds, Doug Duncan had seven, and Ryan Pearl, Vince Castro, and Abel Martinez each had five rebounds.

"This group of young men have never disappointed me with their effort," added Coach Searcy. "We were 9-13 overall which includes three losses to varsity teams in the Ozona tournament, and 4-6 in district play."

Searcy concluded saying, "On behalf of the boys' JV basketball team, we would like to express our thanks to all the fans that supported this team this season, and a special thanks to those parents that traveled around the area to encourage these young men. This group always exemplified the characteristics we encourage in athletics in their appearance, their sportsmanship, and their behavior on and off the court. It has been my pleasure to be associated with this group of hard working young men."



CHRIS MARTINEZ
Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

Tennis players compete in Lake View tourney

By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The OHS tennis teams competed in the 2003 Lake View Invitational Tennis Tournament this past Friday, Feb. 14.

Coach Rick Bachman commented on their play saying, "I was very impressed and extremely pleased with the way everyone performed in this tournament. I really like this tournament's format, as everyone gets to play with opponents of like abilities. Our boys and girls did exceptionally well as we were competitive in every division."

"I am just ecstatic with the desire shown by our players, as well as their playing level at this time. This next week should provide a really strong test as we travel to Ft. Stockton to participate against some very seasoned teams. We've never played this tournament before, and I'm anxious for the kids to be able to mea-

OHS students compete in Monahans UIL meet
By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN REPORTER

The UIL literary teams traveled to Monahans on Saturday, Feb. 15, to compete in the UIL meet.

In number sense, Diana Perez got fifth place. Jared Bird placed fourth in the 10th grade division of science. In mathematics, Zach Webb received fourth place. For calculator, Zach Webb won first place, Harvey Ruiz got fourth place, and Jared Bird received fifth place. The calculator team won third place as a team.

In the Texas Computer Educators Association Computer Science Meet, the Ozona team placed first in programming for 1A-3A and placed fourth overall. The team is made up of Paarth Raj, Philip Baggett, and Layne English.

Middle School Track Schedule
BOYS & GIRLS

Feb. 28	Sonora
March 7	Reagan County
March 21	Wall
March 28	Ozona
April 3	District @ Reagan County

sure themselves against a strong field. The experience will be beneficial to us as we ready for our regional team tennis," added Coach Bachman.

Boys A Doubles
Jared Espino and Roland Galindo beat Arthur/Hammerton of Wall (6-0, 6-0), lost to Arteaga/Brock of SW (6-3, 6-2), beat Jones/Gomez of Grape Creek (6-3, 6-4) winning third place.

Boys B Doubles
Rigo Treto and David Casarez lost to Weatherby/Henderson of San Angelo Central (6-2, 6-0), beat Dewitt/Royal of San Angelo Lake View (6-3, 6-2), lost to Parker/Ballew of Eldorado (3-6, 6-3, 12-10)

Boys A Singles
Joseph Tambunga lost to Logan Neal of Wall (6-0, 6-1), lost to Kasey Gammons of Grape Creek (6-3, 6-3), lost to Buddy Greer of Eldorado (6-2, 6-2)

Boys B Singles
Jeffrey Gillit lost to Andrew Rungan of San Angelo Central (6-4, 6-4), lost to Frank Diaz of San Angelo Lake View (6-2, 6-4), lost to Ivan Ramirez of SW (6-4, 6-3)

Girls A Doubles
Bobbi Bangeman and Hilary Huffman lost to Redish/Wanoreck

of Eldorado (6-4, 6-1), beat Mueller/Halfman of Wall (7-6, 7-5), beat Tambunga/Lightfoot of Wall (6-2, 6-3) to take the consolation

Championship
Girls B Doubles
Michelle Necessary and Melanie Bullard beat Hejl/Mead of Wall (6-1, 3-6, 10-6), beat Holley/Brown of Eldorado (6-1, 4-6, 10-3), and lost to Henderson/Brock of SW (6-2, 6-3) getting second place.

Girls A Singles
Jenna Henderson lost to Melissa Whitlock of San Angelo Lake View (9-7, 6-3), beat Jill Hoelscher of Wall (6-2, 6-4), lost to Kate Kuhlmann of Grape Creek (6-4, 6-2) to be the consolation runner-up.

Girls B Singles
Jessica Moore lost to Katie Fite of SW (7-5, 6-3), beat Victoria Mechtly of San Angelo Lake View (3-6, 6-2, 11-9), lost to Emily Cargile of San Angelo Central (7-5, 6-4)

JV Boys A Doubles
Daniel Cruz and Eric Fierro lost to Gallegos/Noh of Lee (6-4, 6-4), lost to Cale/Phariss of Edison (6-0, 6-1)
JV Girls A Doubles

Heather Price and Penny Stewart received bye, beat Stocksbury/Teters of Cheyenne (6-4, 6-2), lost to Crawford/Hazard of SW (6-1, 6-3) finishing in second place.

JV Girls B Doubles
Tiffany Carrasco and Miranda Fierro lost to Arrieta/Diaz of Grape Creek (6-0, 6-2), received bye, beat Coasts/Gallego of Wall (8-3) to win consolation championship.

Patricia Larson and Lorraine Lozano lost to Bolding/Conner of Glenn (6-3, 4-6, 6-1), lost to Coasts/Gallegos of Wall (8-5)

JV Girls A Singles
Amber Batura beat Gentry Whitehead of Wall (7-5, 6-1), lost to Jessica Adams of SW (7-5, 6-0), beat Chelsea May of Grape Creek to take third place.

JV Girls B Singles
Gloria Onate received bye, lost to Beth Villa of SW (6-1, 6-1), lost to Shandi McWright of Grape Creek (1-6, 6-4, 6-2)
JV Boys B Singles
Dub Walston lost to David Delosantos of Lee (6-3, 3-6, 10-7), beat Seth Dunham of Wall (8-3), and beat Jacob Luna of Wall (8-4) to win the consolation championship.

OHS Varsity Golf Schedule

GIRLS		BOYS	
March 2	Sonora	Feb. 24	Ozona
March 3	Ozona	March 3	San Angelo Grape Creek (Quicksand)
March 18	Iraan	March 19	Iraan
March 26	District - San Angelo	March 26	District - San Angelo
April 2	District - Eldorado	April 2	District - Eldorado
April 9	District - Sonora	April 9	District - Sonora
April 21-22	Regional - Baird	April 21-22	Regional - Baird
May 5-6	State/Austin	May 5-6	State/Austin

2003 Ozona Lion Baseball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Feb. 25	Mason	Mason	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 27-Mar. 1	Sonora Tournament	Sonora	TBA
Mar. 4	McCamey (JV & V)	McCamey	4:30 p.m.
Mar. 6-8	Johnson City Tourney	Johnson City	TBA
Mar. 14	Menard (DH)	Menard	2:00 p.m.
Mar. 18	Wall**	Ozona	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 21	Eldorado**	Eldorado	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 25	Grape Creek**	Grape Creek	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 28	Sonora**	Ozona	4:00 p.m.
Apr. 1	Reagan County**	Big Lake	4:00 p.m.
Apr. 4	Wall**	Wall	4:00 p.m.
Apr. 7	Eldorado (JV only)	Eldorado	4:00 p.m.
Apr. 8	Eldorado**	Ozona	5:00 p.m.
Apr. 14	Eldorado (JV only)	Ozona	7:00 p.m.
Apr. 15	Grape Creek**	Ozona	5:00 p.m.
Apr. 17	Sonora**	Sonora	5:00 p.m.
Apr. 22	Reagan County**	Ozona	5:00 p.m.

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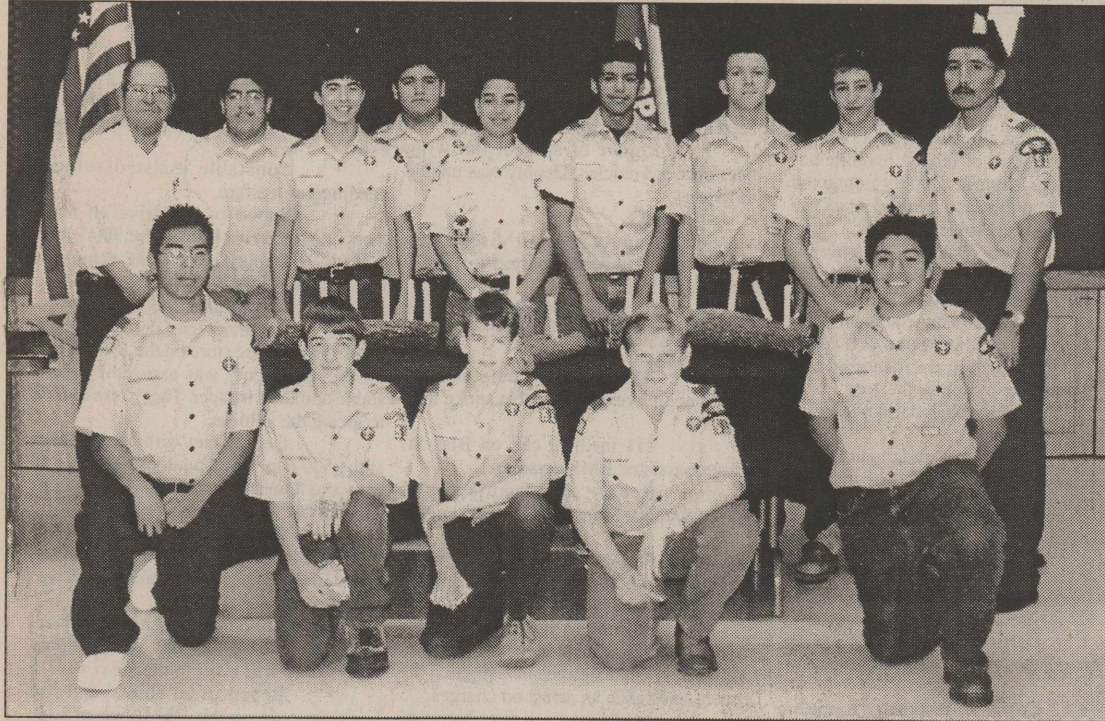
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BOY SCOUT TROOP 51 held a special award ceremony on Jan. 26. Pictured are: (back row, l. to r.) Assistant Scoutmaster Charlie Lopez, Josh Roman, Roman Tambunga, Freddy Fierro, Chris Fierro, Harvey Santos, Timothy Longoria, Levi Vargas and Scoutmaster Frank Tambunga. Front row: Jacob Moran, Matthew Komechak, Wilson White, Latham Ducote and Nicholas Perez. Not pictured are: Joshua Smith, Steven Sanchez and Joe Luis Garanzuay. *Submitted Photo*

Advancement ceremony honors Scouts

Boy Scouts from Troop 51 earned merit badges and advanced to a higher rank. The awards were presented to the Scouts at a special ceremony on Jan. 26.

The Boy Scouts will be trying to raise funds for their summer camp. "We will appreciate everyone's support," said Scoutmaster Frank Tambunga.

Students jump rope for heart

The students of Ozona Primary School are jumping for the chance to help fight heart disease and stroke, the Nation's No. 1 and No. 3 killers. On March 6, the school will hold its annual Jump Rope For Heart event. Students will jump rope to raise funds for the American Heart Association's cardiovascular research and educational programs. Jump Rope For Heart is co-sponsored by the American Heart Association and the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance.

Jump Rope For Heart teaches participants about the importance of a healthy lifestyle. The event empowers children as they provide vital community service and discover that they can make a difference. At the same time, students enjoy being part of a team jumping into the spirit of this fun-filled event.

"Please help our children help others," urges OPS physical education teacher Debbie Arrott. "When a student asks you to be a sponsor, support Jump Rope For Heart with whatever you can afford to give."

For more information about the event, contact Debbie Arrott at 392-3222.



THIS HAPPY GROUP OF TIGER CUBS watched The Ozona Stockman press run last Tuesday. *DigiCam Photo by Scotty Moore*

Read Across America comes to OPS

Ozona Primary School will take part in Read Across America to help celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday on Tuesday, March 4, from 6:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Read Across America first took place in March of 1998 and was a big success. It is a nationwide National

Education Association campaign to motivate children to read.

Ozona Primary School will have round robin reading where children will move from room to room to hear school staff and community members reading their favorite children's stories.

Survey seeks information on adolescent drug use

Ozona Middle and High School students will be participating in a study of adolescent drug use and related problems. The

goal of the survey is to gather information that will help communities develop programs and activities to help reduce drug use

among youth. The survey is being funded by Tri-Ethnic Center for Prevention Research at Colorado State University. The survey will be administered Thursday, Feb. 20.

The information gathered from the survey can help the middle and high school staff in the evaluation of current drug prevention programs and in planning new programs. The survey is anonymous, and students' names will not appear anywhere on the survey or report.

Every middle and high school parent will receive a letter explaining the survey. If you do not want your child to participate in the survey, please sign and return the Notice to Parents form to the middle or high school office before Thursday, Feb. 20.

Boy Scout Troop 153 elects officers

On Jan. 28, Boy Scout Troop 153 held elections for Boy Scout positions for the year 2003. Glenn Conner was voted as Junior Assistant Scoutmaster. Glenn assists Scoutmaster Melvin Conner in the troop's activities.

Senior Patrol leader is Levi English. Senior Patrol leader's job in the group is to be a liaison between the patrols and the Scoutmaster. Ethan English and Wilson White hold the position of Patrol leaders. The role of Patrol leader is to be a liaison between the patrol and the senior patrol leader.

Joe Bradford, Latham Ducote and Chris Lara serve as Quartermasters. The Quartermasters' responsibilities are to make sure the group gets all the inventoried equipment and supplies ready to go on camping trips.

Travis Zuberbueler serves as the troop scribe. The scribe is re-

sponsible for writing articles for the newspaper. The scribe also takes attendance records at the Boy Scout meetings.

Josh Smith and Matthew Komechak are the troop Historians. The Historians gather pictures of different Scout activities and newspaper articles and place them in the troop scrapbook.

Travis Zuberbueler is the Troop Bugler of Boy Scout Troop 153. Travis plays the trumpet, and is required to play different Scout tunes, such as taps, at flag burning programs and summer camp.

Chris Lara was voted as the Troop's Chaplain Aide. Chris is responsible for making sure all the prayers are said in different activities in the Scout program.

Melvin Conner said, "These roles of responsibilities are for the kids to learn leadership skills."

Scribe: Travis Zuberbueler

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OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
New Anadarko Pet/Mid.	11000*	Childress Ranch South #4101	Patterson Drilling/A #38	Drig. ahead
New Harrison Int.	10000*	W. A. Thomson #6	Patterson Drilling/A #109	Drig. ahead
Chevron/Mid.	9500*	Scheuber-Wilkins #47	Nabors Drilling (O) #353	Drig. ahead
New Pioneer Nat./Tr.	9350*	J. L. Henderson Jr. #9	Patterson Drilling/A #42	Drig. ahead
Pogo Prod. Co.	8500*	Ranch Hand-55-84	Tmbr/Sarp Drilling #17	Drig. ahead 7025'

Sutton County

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Domination OK TXE&P	8850*	L. R. Glascock #3302	Patterson Drilling/A #108	Drig. ahead
Domination OK TXE&P	8750*	Mayer-3C-#13	Patterson drilling/A #122	Drig. ahead
New Domination OK TXE&P	8600*	Mayer-#504	Patterson Drilling/A #120	Assigned
Domination OK TXE&P	8600*	Hill-Fawcett-1-#2	Patterson Drilling/A #120	Drig. ahead
New Domination OK TXE&P	8400*	Simmons Ranch #31	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Assigned
New Domination OK TXE&P	8300*	Sawyer-Jones #1903	Key Energy (O) #4	Drig. ahead 5625'
Domination OK TXE&P	6900*	Genni #3108	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Drig. ahead
New Domination OK TXE&P	6750*	Deberry-A-#81	Patterson Drilling/A #102	Moving on
New Domination OK TXE&P	6250*	Shurley-#88	Patterson Drilling/A #107	Moving on
New Domination OK TXE&P	5900*	Cosenbury-#60-#2	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Assigned
New Domination OK TXE&P	4700*	Stewart-4-#3	Patterson Drilling/A #115	Assigned
New Domination OK TXE&P	4615*	Canyon Ranch-#501	Patterson Drilling/A #115	Drig. ahead

Terrell County

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Tom Brown Inc/Mid	28,000*	Maleskinner #1 H	Grey Wolf Drilling/M #88	Drig. ahead
Exxon/Mobile Dev. Co.	15,500*	Banner Estate #30 HR	Patterson UTUM/A #481	Drig. ahead 292'
New EOG Res./Mid.	11,600*	Allison-22-#11H	Patterson drilling/A #39	Drig. ahead
Nuevo Texas Inc.	9000*	Mitchel-6-#9	Nabors Drilling (O) #316	Drig. ahead
New Fasken Oil & Ranch	7500*	Monroe NW-180-#9	Patterson Drilling/A #161	Drig. ahead

Val Verde County

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Paramount Energy	16,800*	Foots-Whitehead-#74-#1	Patterson Drilling/A #36	Drig. ahead
EEX E&P Co.	15,000*	Whitehead-A-#6301	Patterson Drilling/A #471	Drig. ahead
Phillips Pet/Hous.	9875*	Cauthorn-8-#3H	Patterson Drilling/A #118	Drig. ahead

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OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Par Minerals Corp.	8000*	Richardson #1	Key Energy (L #10)	Drig. ahead 6530'

Schleicher County

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
TXP, Inc.	4300*	Delhi-Jones #4	Heart Land Drilling #2	Drig. ahead

***Reagan County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Tamarack Pet.	8300*	Aldwell #204	Big Dog Drilling #13	Drig. ahead
Mariner Energy	8600*	SAU Mariner-5-#4A	Big Dog Drilling #5	Drig. ahead
Mariner Energy	8600*	SAU Mariner-5-#3B	Big Dog Drilling #9	Drig. ahead
Mariner Energy	8600*	SAU Mariner-21-1A-#1A	Patterson UTUM/A #472	Drig. ahead 8237'
Pioneer Nat./Tr.	8440*	Spraberry Driver Unit #1679A	Patterson UTUM/A #464	Drig. ahead 8498'
New Pioneer Nat./Tr.	8230*	Merchant Unit #6212A	Patterson UTUM/A #461	Drig. ahead 4580'
Henry Petroleum	7200*	University Deborah #1	Big Dog Drilling #2	Drig. ahead

For complete report contact:
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Crockett County Sheriff's Report

Crockett County Sheriff's Office Weekly News Report 02-11-03 through 02-17-03

02-11-03

- Deputy met complainant in reference to punctured tire on vehicle at apartments on Hwy. 163 S. Deputy reported no punctures, and aired up the tire.
- Local convenience store on 15th St. reporting skunk running in parking lot.
- Report of pickup driving erratically on Ave. G. Deputy responded all okay.
- Caller reporting two subjects on 12th St. were drinking while driving vehicle.
- Deputy unlocked vehicle at local convenience store on 1200 Block Ave. E.
- Caller reporting kids throwing rocks on Heraclio and Monterey Streets. Deputy spoke with the juveniles.
- Second report of tire punctured at local apartments on Hwy. 163 S. Deputy responded, and filed report as unknown person(s) were letting air out of tires.
- Motorist calling on 911 to report motor vehicle accident 3 miles west of Ozona. Deputies responded and assisted DPS. No injuries reported.

02-12-03

- Report of loose livestock 12 miles north on Hwy. 137. Deputy responded and owner notified.
- Alarm at high school cafeteria.

Deputy reported all was okay.

- Report of female juvenile annoying older subject. Deputy contacted parents to end this, and avoid contact between juvenile and older subject.
- Deputy responded to report of female juvenile using vulgar and obscene language at Corto and Heraclio Streets.
- Kids throwing rocks at abandoned vehicles and houses on 400 Block of Ave. O. Subjects were identified and deputy will keep watch of the area.
- Female subject at jail to make statement.
- Deputy took statement from a subject at Crockett County Jail in reference to a civil dispute.
- Female subject at jail requesting welfare assistance.
- Subject calling in reference to trees being trimmed on 400 Block Ave. J.

02-13-03

- Deputy unlocked vehicle at local convenience store at Highways 163 and I-10.
- Constable responded to medical assist at local restaurant on 1100 Block of Sheffield Rd.
- Deputy unlocked vehicle at 1500 Block of Ave. F.
- Deputy provided courtesy transport for female subject stranded at local convenience store on Sheffield Rd.
- Deputy dispatched on medical assist. Subject had a broken foot at 200 Block of Cenisa St.
- Report of a domestic disturbance on 1800 Block of Mulberry. Deputy

filed a criminal trespass notice.

- Report of subject throwing beer cans at vehicles. Deputy was unable to locate.

12-14-03

- Deputy located disoriented elderly male, and transported to family ranch in Eldorado.
- Gas drive off from Circle Bar Pit Stop. Constable had subject return to pay for gas.
- Abandoned vehicle at local restaurant on Ave. E. Constable spoke with owners.
- 911 medical call on Blas St. Deputy assisted EMS personnel.
- Report of possible drunk driver. Deputy searched area and unable to locate.
- Report of vehicle driving reckless in Johnson Draw. No vehicle in area on Deputy's arrival.
- Sutton Co notified Sheriff's Office of stabbing incident which occurred in Crockett Co. Deputies investigated the report, and made an arrest on charges.
- Vehicle causing disturbance on 1st St. Deputy unable to locate vehicle in area.

12-15-03

- Report of a possible fire at local truck stop. Deputy reported that there was no fire in the area.
- Report of a possible oil well gas leak 10 miles north of Ozona on Hwy. 137. Deputy assisted fire dept., and reported that it was just a water leak at the location.
- Deputy unlocked a vehicle at local convenience store.
- Deputy met with complainant at the 100 Block of Ave. E in reference to criminal mischief. Deputy took report, and complainant did not wish to file charges at this time.
- Request for a deputy on a civil standby at the 200 Block of Ave. D.
- Report of loose goats five miles north on Hwy. 163.
- Report from Parish Hall of two subjects causing trouble. Deputy escorted both subjects out of building.
- Report of intoxicated subjects at local motel who were causing problems at the pool. Deputy spoke with the subjects.
- Report of subjects having problems with car battery at local convenience store.
- Report of juveniles who urinated on a vehicle at the Parish Hall. Deputy spoke with complainant.

02-16-03

- 911 call at the 500 Block of Ave. H in reference to a family argument. Deputies spoke with family members, and reported all was okay.
- Report of stranded motorist at unknown location on I-10. Deputy went to both county lines, and unable to locate motorist.
- Deputy met with complainant at the Sheriff's Office in reference to a civil dispute concerning personal belongings.
- Report of a possible hit and run in the area of 100 Block of Ave. E in reference to a dumpster that was damaged. Deputy took information.
- Deputy met with subjects at the Sheriff's Office requesting gas welfare. Deputy provided fuel at local convenience store.
- Deputy unlocked a vehicle at the 200 Block of Santa Rosa St.
- Report of an oilfield theft at a location near the northwest part of Crockett County. Deputy took information, and filed report.
- Report of a female subject being harassed at workplace on 700 Block of 14th St. Deputy will serve a male subject with a criminal trespass notice.
- Deputy unlocked a vehicle at the 1000 Block of 11th St.
- Deputy met with complainant at the 1900 Block of Mulberry St. in reference to having problems with husband.
- Request for gas welfare at local convenience store.

02-17-03

- Report of a possible fuel spill at local convenience store from tractor trailer parked near the store. Deputy reported it was just water.
- Deputy met with complainant at the 300 Block of Ave. H in reference to

ARREST REPORTS 02-11-03 through 02-17-03

02-11-03

- Mungia, Alfredo, age 36, of Arizona was arrested by Rio Concho Drug Task Force on charges of possession of marijuana under 2 ounces, and possession of a controlled substance under 1 gram. Subject remains in jail unable to post bond.
- Williams, Kim, age 43, of Florida was arrested by DPS Trooper on a fugitive from justice warrant out of Florida. Subject was released after Florida declined to extradite subject.
- Valliant, Tom Edward Jr., age 17, of Sonora was arrested by DPS Trooper on a charge of minor in possession, and consumption of alcohol. Subject was released on time served.
- Folmar, Timothy Shane, age 19, of Sonora was arrested by DPS Trooper on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Subject was released after posting bond.

02-15-03

- Burke, Jeffrey Lee, age 45, of Florida was extradited from Florida by Crockett County Deputies on a Crockett County warrant for motion to revoke probation (unauthorized use of a motor vehicle without effective consent). Subject remains in jail.
- Valencia, Jose Anthony, age 29, of Lubbock was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of aggravated assault with deadly weapon. Subject was released after posting bond.

02-16-03

- Borrego, Antonio Sifuentes, age 47, was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on warrants out of three counties. Crockett County warrant-judgment NISI on bond forfeiture of bond, Kleeberg County warrant-motion to revoke/indemnity with a child, Irion County warrants-driving while intoxicated, and driving while license suspended ALR. Subject remains in jail.

OFFENSE REPORTS 02-11-03 through 02-17-03

02-11-03

- Sheriff's Deputy filed a criminal mischief more than twenty dollars, but less than two hundred dollars report. Deputy took statement from a subject in reference to damage to a vehicle tire, and a possible male suspect that caused the damage. Investigation continues.

02-12-03

- Sheriff's Deputy filed an interference with child custody report. Deputy took statement from female subject who stated that a male subject did not want to return a child, and that she has legal custody. Female subject stated that she wished to file charges.

02-14-03

- Sheriff's Deputy filed an aggravated assault with deadly weapon report. Deputy took statement from subject who was involved in assault. Warrant was issued, and subject was arrested on charges, and released after posting surety bond.

02-16-03

- Sheriff's Deputy filed a theft of more than one thousand dollars petroleum/natural gas production equipment report. Deputy took statement from owner of the oilfield equipment, and also pictures of the scene. Investigation continues.

02-17-03

- Sheriff's Deputy filed an assault report/injury to a child bodily injury. Deputy took statement from a female subject in reference to her juvenile daughter being assaulted by a family member. Investigation continues.

Junction Stockyards Market Report
Sheep and Goats
Feb. 17, 2003

Junction Stockyards sold 1221 head of sheep and goats Monday. Most of the stock was steady. Spanish nannies were \$2-3 lower.

#1 spring lambs 50-70 lbs.	1.02-1.08
#1 spring lambs 70-90 lbs.	1.10-1.15
#1 old crop lambs 50-70 lbs.	1.00-1.03
#1 old crop lambs 70-90 lbs.	95-1.00
Fat ewes	47-55
Thin ewes	40-45
Bucks	35-50
Baby tooth ewes	50-55
Ewe & lamb pairs	35-40 hd
Baby tooth Angora stocker nannies	45-50
Solid mouth Angora stocker nannies	40-50
Stocker Angora muttons	40-52
Angora kids	1.00-1.02
Angora kids-shorn	80-95
Weighing Angoras-shorn (thin)	40-45
Weighing Angoras-shorn (fat) nannies	45-55
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Stocker Spanish nannies	45-65
Fat Spanish nannies	45-54
Fat Spanish muttons & billies	65-75 <small>min. 70-80</small>
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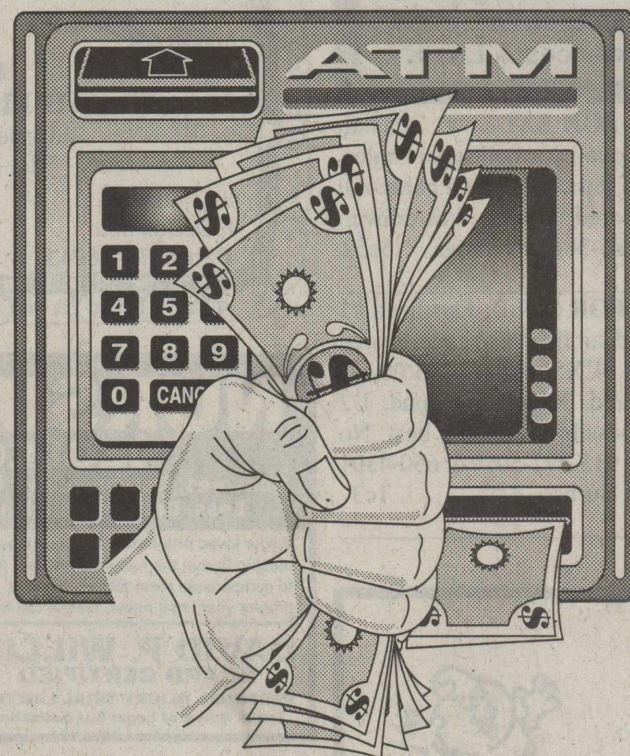
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