

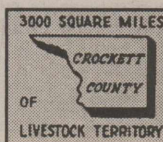
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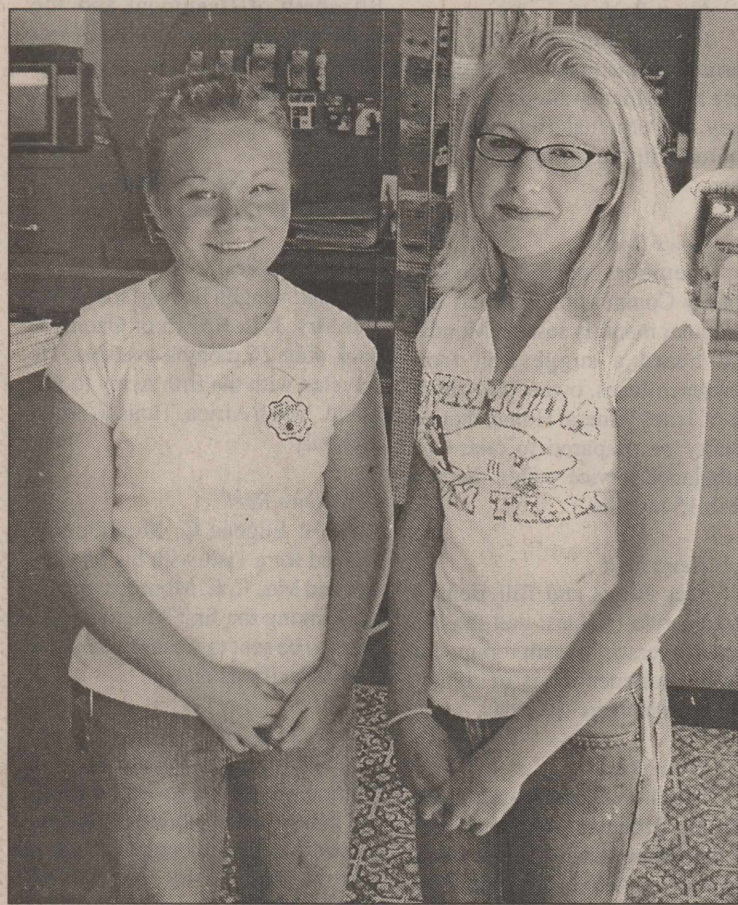
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MELISSA MORRIS AND MAKINSEY MORRIS (r.) are the new Ozona Stockman sportswriters. The Stockman wishes to express its appreciation to the coaches for their assistance in submitting information to these young ladies. *DigiCam Photo by Scotty Moore*

Care Center fund raiser proves huge success

Crockett County Care Center held its second annual fund raiser on the front lawn of the care center July 16. The fund raiser began at 11:00 and lasted until 4:00.

Benny Gibbs, administrator at the care center, reported to The Stockman that donations and contributions doubled this year from what was made during the first fund raiser last year.

Gibbs was pleased to announce that \$4,150.53 was the final count at the close of the day's events. Gibbs went on to say that the whole fund raiser was nothing but a team effort.

Hot dogs, Cokes (free), watermelon and canteloupe were enjoyed throughout the day. Sack races, hoola-hoop contests, jump rope contests and wheelchair races were conducted throughout the day with prizes going to the

top three places.

"I want to continue to make this an annual event for our staff and residents," Gibbs said. "Last year we were able to raise money to remodel our 'day room', and now this year a 61-inch big screen T.V. with an entertainment center, surround sound package, DVD player and a 5-year warranty will be delivered this Wednesday to the care center. Plus \$600.00 left over to be deposited into the residents' activity fund possibly to be used for Christmas."

Gibbs went on to say a special "thank you" to the community of Ozona that contributed to this year's fund raiser. He stated that "Ozona has some very caring folks, and I'm proud to be a part of the care center. We are looking forward to another great fund raiser next year."

Building purchase tabled

By Cynthia Hokit

In their regular monthly meeting that was held on Tuesday, July 15, members of the Ozona School Board approved the employment of Mrs. Cecilia Richter for the middle school 8th grade math position.

A budget workshop was held to discuss the proposed budget for the 2003-04 school year.

A presentation was given by Claims Administrative Services for the worker's compensation insurance.

Bids were reviewed for property, liability, vehicle and worker's compensation insurance. Key and Piskuran Insurance was awarded the property insurance including a small premium for acts of terrorism. Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) was awarded the liability, vehicle, underground tank storage and professional legal liability coverage. Worker's compensation insurance was awarded to Claims Administrative Services for a three year term.

Bids for food service products were reviewed and B&R Food Service, Gandy's Dairies, and Mrs. Baird's Bakery were approved.

The draft master equipment lease-purchase agreement with Wells Fargo Services for National Fitness Equipment Foundation was approved.

The board voted to table the purchase of the J. B. Miller Firestone Store until further options were reviewed. The board also voted to table calling a bond election until more data was available.

**(As previously reported in The Ozona Stockman, at their June 17 meeting, trustees voted to authorize Supt. Jim Ramage to begin contract negotiations to buy the building. Plans include moving the maintenance and transportation operations of the school district there.)*

The board approved a proposed stipend for unused local sick leave days on a two-year trial period. All employees would be eligible for this stipend. An employee would be paid \$250.00 for non-use of local sick leave.

Ray Don Myers gave a report on maintenance and transportation. Rod Miller gave a technology report, and reports were given by campus principals. Following the superintendent's report, the

board voted to set the date and time for their regular August 2003 meeting for Aug. 26, at 6:30 p.m. Adjournment followed after this board agenda action item had been acted upon.

**Editor's Note*

West Nile virus still a threat to Crockett County

A few moments with your local veterinary practitioner in Crockett County can help protect horses, mules and donkeys against mosquito-borne diseases, advises Dr. Terry Conger, veterinarian and state epidemiologist for the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC), the state's livestock health regulatory agency. Vaccines are available to protect horses against three viral diseases that pose a risk to Texas horses: West Nile Virus (WNV), and Eastern and Western Equine Encephalitis (EEE) and (WEE). The three diseases are forms of "sleeping sickness," that can cause infected

horses to develop debilitating fever, swelling of the brain, muscle tremors, weakness and extreme fatigue, and in about a third or more of cases, death of the animal.

"As of July 1, 38 cases of West Nile Virus (WNV) have been reported this year by the Texas Department of Health's

(TDH) Zoonosis Control Division, which maintains the state's statistical database for reporting laboratory-confirmed WNV cases in humans, mosquitoes, birds, and horses," said Dr. Conger. "According to the TDH, the 38 cases have been confirmed in one horse

Please see page 2

USDA accepts grassland reserve applications

Financial assistance for the Grassland Reserve Program (GRP) is now available to eligible landowners. GRP is authorized by the Food Security Act of 1985, as amended by the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002. The USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) and USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) administer the program, in cooperation with the USDA Forest Service. Funding for the GRP comes from the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC).

According to Dr. Larry D. Butler, NRCS State Conservationist, "This voluntary program helps landowners and operators restore and protect grassland, including rangeland and pastureland, and certain other lands, while maintaining the areas as grazing lands. The program emphasizes support for grazing operations, plant and animal biodiversity, and grassland and land containing shrubs and forbs under the greatest threat of conversion to other land uses."

To participate in GRP, offers must be private land that includes at least 40 contiguous acres. Participants voluntarily limit future use of the land while retaining the

right to conduct common grazing practices; produce hay, mow, or harvest for seed production (subject to certain restrictions during the nesting season of bird species that are in significant decline or those that are protected under Federal or State law); conduct fire rehabilitation; and construct fire-breaks and fences.

Applications for participation will be accepted on a continuous basis with the local office of NRCS or FSA. For the current funding cycle, an application must be received by Aug. 1, 2003. All applications received by that date will be ranked on specific selection criteria to ensure only the highest priority areas (lands) are protected. Once funding has been exhausted, eligible applications will remain on file until additional funding becomes available. Applications accepted after Aug. 1, 2003, will be held for ranking during the next funding cycle.

For more information about the GRP, contact your local NRCS field office.

Additional information is available on the agency website at: <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/farmbill>.

Make-up athletic physicals July 26

Make-up athletic physicals for any Ozona High School athlete who has not gotten a physical will be July 26 at 9:00 a.m. at the Family Health Center with Dr. Marcus Sims.

The charge for the physical on this day only will be \$10.00.

Youth rodeo date changes to Sept. 27

The annual youth rodeo sponsored by Ozona Lions Club will not be held the first weekend of August as in the past. The event is to move to Sept. 27, which is Ozona High School's homecoming weekend.

Ozona Chamber of Commerce announced earlier that the David Crockett Festival would be moved to homecoming weekend.

Examples of Trabajo Rustico plentiful at Ozona home



centered with a concrete tree stump which seems to have been a fountain at one time.

Edging the yard along the front and the south side are concrete logs which appear to be the real thing to passersby.

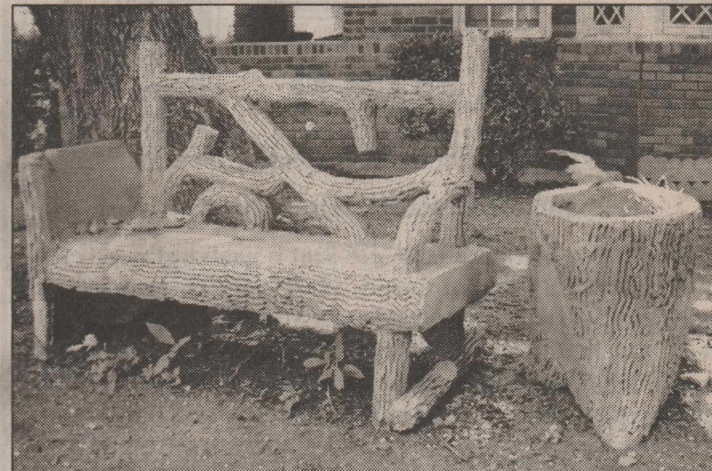
The house was built in 1929 for Dora and Arthur Clinton Hoover, and a photograph taken not long after shows some of the concrete work. Pine trees newly planted in front of the home were only about three feet tall.

Examples of trabajo rustico may be seen in San Antonio where Carlos Cortés has created pieces for parks, museums, backyards and missions, including the HEB Science Treehouse Project at the Witte Museum. Cortés revived his family's artistic heritage and has practiced this art form for more than 15 years.

He was awarded a San Antonio Conservation Society Award of Merit for preserving trabajo rustico and has also appeared on HGTV's "Modern Masters" and the "Martha Stewart Living" show.

A bench similar to the one at the Villarreal home has been featured on the television program "The Incurable Collector".

Although Mrs. Hamilton is unable to locate anyone with information as to the methods used by her grandfather to create these realistic concrete sculptures, Cortés' work is documented. Cement is poured into a metal lath, shaped, molded, and then stained naturally with mineral salt and local dyes. After a second layer of stucco is applied, the still-damp concrete is custom textured with handmade and crude tools to create the illusion of different tree



barks or other natural patterns.

Cortés received an Apprenticeship in the Folk Arts award given by Texas Folklife Resources to encourage the continuation of Texas traditional arts by providing small grants to master folk artists who then pass their knowledge and skills down to fellow community members.

Also to be found in San Antonio is work by the late Dionicio Rodriguez who died in 1955. His work may be seen on the back of the Urrutia gate which was a landmark at the southwest corner of Broadway and Hildebrand Ave. for many years. The gate was moved to a permanent home at the

San Antonio Museum of Art in 1998. Other San Antonio work by Rodriguez includes a concrete wood-like bridge in Brackenridge Park and the entrance to the Sunken Gardens. The most extensive examples of Rodriguez' work are in Arkansas. He also has sculptures in New Mexico, Maryland, Michigan, Illinois and Tennessee. Other Texas locations are Castroville, Houston and Dallas.

Anyone with information about the construction of the Villarreal home is invited to share that knowledge with them, with Mrs. Hamilton or The Stockman.



The yard at the 412 Ave. E home of Martha and Ismael Villarreal contains numerous examples of trabajo rustico (rustic work), a type of sculpture that depicts leaves, tree branches and logs in concrete.

Making the work even more interesting is the fact that it was created by Jesse Wade Allen of San Antonio, grandfather of Debi Hamilton, who came here to live a few years ago. With him when the work was being done was Debi's father, a very young Jesse Wade Jr.

The Villarreal home has owned their home almost 10 years and take pleasure in the trabajo rustico bench displayed in front of the two-story house. A flowerbed encircled with the concrete work is



THIS 1940 PHOTO shows the property as a snow-covered winter wonderland.

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Crockett County History
"This is the way it was"
By Oscar Kost



Some of the stories have been in other past articles. Thought it would be interesting to cover the entertainment from 1898. Many forms of entertainment were planned by the early pioneers. Of course, one of the best was the steer roping that the Legislature voted out in 1904. They held ropings down Johnson Draw near where the school is now on farther west on that side of the draw. They had a cigar race where the rider rode to the end of the course, got off, lighted a cigar and rode back. In 1898 through 1904 they always had a barbecue for all who came, that was the whole county population. It lasted three days. They always had dances and some two or three fiddlers would play. Later years there was orchestra music. One thing I missed. They had burro races. This always happened during the Fourth of July, and there was always a carnival that week. There were some parties. The only method of travel was by horse, buggy or wagon. In the early years there were some hunting and fishing trips, and of course, swimming in rock tanks. It makes one wonder how people survived in those days. No phone, no electricity, no running water or sewer system. From 1905 on things began to change. It's good we can enjoy all the good things of life. See you. Oscar

Head Start registration July 30

Registration for the 2003-04 school year for Ozona Head Start will be held July 30 from 1:00 until 6:00 p.m. Registration will take place at Head Start's location at 1310 Avenue G. A child must be three years old by Sept. 1, 2003, in order to register for the program. Parents or guardians of the child must bring copies of the following with them to registration: Proof of income (4 recent consecutive check stubs or 2002 W-2/Filed 1040 tax form) Proof of child's age (certified birth certificate) Child's Social Security number Up-to-date immunization records If applicable, Medicaid, health insurance coverage for child, TANF and food stamps case numbers. All of these items must be brought with you to register your child for the program. Children with disabilities are a priority to the program. If you suspect your child has a disability (i.e., speech delay/developmental delay) or your child has been diagnosed with a disability, please be sure to inform the enrollment staff at time of registration. Extended Head Start school hours will be offered for those parents that are either working or attending school on a regular full-time basis. Head Start is a comprehensive pre-k program serving children of low income families. School days are Monday through Friday, 7:45 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Nutritious breakfast, lunch and snack are provided.

Ozona Weather Conditions and Forecast table with columns for Date, Hi, Lo, Rain and rows for July 14 through July 20.

Reported by Ozona Butane Co. for the National Weather Service. EXTENDED FORECAST: Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

Crockett County Official Rain Gauge
A few showers
For complete weather data for Crockett County Log on to: www.ozona.com

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

AUG. 16, 1973
News Reel
Funeral services for Mrs. Bernabe (Amadita) Villarreal, 46, were held Monday afternoon in Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial in Lima Cemetery.
AUG. 17, 1944
News Reel
Members of the Crockett County Commissioners Court met in regular monthly session Monday and heard a suggestion from Lawrence Janes, owner and operator of Janes Funeral Home, that the county be prepared to take over ambulance service within the next 12 to 15 months.
News Reel
Jack Riggs and Bill Benson, earning two buckles, had the best season average in team roping during the summer series of ropings which ended here Saturday.
News Reel
Winston Koerth and Eileen Mahon, Ozonans, took the top prize in the championship flight of the Ozona Couples Partnership Tourney.
News Reel
Monica Delgado and Rink Davis represented Crockett County at the District 6-4-H Council meeting Aug. 9 and 10.
News Reel
Mrs. Mary Jo Patrick and daughter, Donna Jo, of Dallas spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker.
News Reel
BRYAN MONTGOMERY IS FAMILIAR FACE... A front page special in the Ozona Stockman describing Bryan's career in the restaurant and television (acting) business in Los Angeles.
News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sweeten recently returned from Denton where they attended funeral services for Mrs. Sweeten's brother-in-law, A. O. Calhoun, 82, well-known retired educator.
News Reel
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Whitley and Elizabeth of Beaumont and Joe Perry and son, Scott, of San Antonio, were weekend visitors of Mrs. Gertrude Perry.
NEWS REEL
AUG. 17, 1944
News Reel
Sgt. Vaughn Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown of Ozona, is back after 26 months overseas. He traveled with the fifth Army to England, North Africa, Tunisia, Sicily and Italy.
News Reel
T-4 Eugene C. Montgomery arrived for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Montgomery. He was among the first American soldiers to be sent to Australia, and the South Pacific Islands.
News Reel
Johnnie L. Armentrout, U.S. Marine, may soon return home after being twice wounded. He received his first wound in Tarawa and the other in the newer Island campaigns.
News Reel
Joe J. Nussbaumer was promoted from Second Lieutenant to First Lieutenant. He is the husband of Mrs. Lela Mae Nussbaumer of Ozona. He is a pilot on a Liberator Bomber and has thirteen combat missions to his credit.
News Reel
First Sgt. Elwood McWilliams was killed in action in Italy. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McWilliams.
News Reel
Aviation Cadet Billy L. Hannah, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Hannah of Ozona was reported to be in training at Atlas Army Air Field.
News Reel
Maurice Lemmons received his wings and Flight Officer bars at the Midland air-school as a glider pilot.

School Registration Dates

Table with columns for dates (August 5, 2003 and August 6, 2003) and school events (Ozona Primary School-1st Grade, Ozona Int. School-3rd Grade, etc.)

2003-2004 Ozona School Calendar

Table listing school events from August 11, 2003 to May 28, 2004, including Staff Development Days, Labor Day Holiday, Thanksgiving Holidays, Christmas Holidays, Student Holidays, and Graduation/Staff Dev. Day #7.

Master gardener program begins in August

Do you need a hobby that is relaxing? Would you like to learn information about beneficial and harmful insects or water conser-

vation when it deals with your lawn or garden? The Master Gardener program is for you.

YMCA football registration July 24

Anyone interested in playing YMCA football may register Thursday, July 24, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the intermediate school library.

YMCA football is for anyone in grades three through six. Pee Wee division is for grades three and four, and the heavyweight division is for grades five and six.

Ozono, Eldorado, Big Lake, Sonora and Junction are in the South Division of YMCA football. Games are played every Saturday beginning Sept. 27 and ending Nov. 1.

The YMCA also offers a cheerleading program for girls in grades two through six. Any interested girl may attend the meeting July 24.

The YMCA also needs coaches and team sponsors. All coaches must have an application on file with the YMCA.

Eldorado hosts Running of the Bull July 26-27

Inspired by Running of the Bulls in Spain, Eldorado will host the Running of the Bull Festival July 26-27. More than 20 different contests will take place on the shaded courthouse square.

Categories include: biggest liar, fastest talker, comedy routines, backwards talk, cowboy poetry, double talk, punning, mangled English, rhyming, shaggy dog stories, painful poetry, tongue twisting, skits and stunts.

Car shows, arts, crafts, food, carnival games, petting zoo, pony rides, inflatable obstacle course, bounce house, giant slide and 4x4 skiing are among the entertainment.

For entry forms, vendor applications or more information, contact Jim Runge at shootthebull@hotmail.com

The Texas Master Gardener program is an educational activity offered by Texas Cooperative Extension of the Texas A&M University System.

Topics for this year include: plant growth and development; soils, water and plant nutrients; environmental horticulture, managing plant health; home fruit and nut production; vegetable and herb gardening; landscape horticulture, and lawn care.

Speakers will be Extension horticulturists John Begnaud and Janet Laminack; Mark Muegge, Extension entomologist; Billy Warrick, Extension agronomist, and Billy Kniffen, County Extension Agent, Menard County.

The program will start Aug. 14 and will meet every other Thursday until Nov. 20.

If you are interested, please contact Wendy Scott, CEA-FCS at 392-2721. The cost of the program is \$80.00.

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



July 23 - Vi Allen, Jim Bob Rodriquez, Pam Groll, Lisa Mendez, Domingo Leal, Becky Barrera, Glenda Henderson, Jason Vitella II, Ruben Cantu Jr., Austin Herrera

July 24 - Arlene Clayton, Phyllis Ingham, Dana Moran, Nino Tambunga Jr., Israel Perez, Wade Maness, Jessica Moore, Willie Fierro, Bill Fuller, Chuck Preddy, Tucker Pool, Spencer Knox, Candace Weddle, Crystal Tijerina

July 25 - Bel Martinez, Diane Myers, Joyce Perez, Keith Longoria, Christy Flores, Charles Preddy, Lucinda Castillo, Frankie Galan, Britni Buchanan

July 26 - Loretia Stewart, Christofer Rivera, Justin Gotcher, Mandy Munoz, Levi English,

Loren Talamantez, Minnie Gandar, Paul Sanchez, Blake Esparza

July 27 - Ismael Lujan, Marguerite Martinez, Charlie Lopez, Leticia Sanchez, Tony Villarreal, Joceline Porras, Mike Edinburg, Charles Claburn

July 28 - Vicky Munoz, Sandy Stark, Stephen Perez, Joyce Hernandez, Jacklyn Jefferson, Millie Wadsworth, Eric Garza, Chayo Flores

July 29 - Bud Cox, Arnold Vargas, Nicole Perez, Bruce Beasley, Kim Gillit, Sandra Barrera, Ricky Webster, Destiny Huereca, Gloria Cruz, Janna Pridemore, Karissa Gonzales, Linda Vasquez, Kimberlee Martinez, Paula Morales, Victoria De Luna, Joanna De Luna

Senior Happenings

Friday night, July 18, was our Red Bandana dance with Willena Holden at the keyboard. The crowd was small, but we who were here had a delightful time and left looking forward to our dance next month.

Those who came from Sonora were Brigitte Rogers, Jim Brisban, Betty Elledge and Henry Turk. Attending from Barnhart was Lucy Hinde. We were all happy to see Cecil and Elma Buckner coming out to join in our fun.

The party planned for Sgt. Fierro completes nursing studies

Valerie Ann Fierro recently completed the Howard College Accelerated Nursing Program. Graduation ceremonies took place on May 28 at Howard College Auditorium in Big Spring.

Upon completion of her studies, Valerie became eligible to take the nursing license exam required by the state to practice nursing. On July 8, Valerie took her exam and was informed that she had passed and would be issued her state license as a registered nurse.

Valerie is employed by Crockett County Care Center where she works as an R.N. She is the daughter of Tony and Alma Fierro who are proud of her for persevering and completing her goal.



Amanda Stover Rhoades

Rhoades on Dean's list

Amanda Stover Rhoades achieved the Dean's Honor List by attaining a grade point average of 3.76 for the Spring Semester 2003 at North Central Texas College in Corinth.

In a letter of congratulations from Dr. Larry D. Gilbert, Dean of Arts and Sciences, Mrs. Rhoades was commended for her excellent academic achievements.

To earn a place on the Dean's Honor List, a student must attain a grade point average of 3.50 or higher.

Mrs. Rhoades is the daughter of Allan and Carolyn Stover of Ozona. She is pursuing a teaching career.

Community Calendar

July 1-Aug. 31 - Pro-Rodeo Memorabilia Exhibit Featuring Shawn McMullan, Crockett County Museum, Mon.-Fri. 9-5, Sat. 10-4.

Aug. 3 - Jay Miller Memorial Calf Roping. Enter Noon, Rope 1:00. Fairgrounds Arena. FMI Rod Miller, 392-5714 or 392-2294. No Admission Charge

Aug. 3 - Ministerial Alliance Summer Church at the Park, 7 p.m.

Aug. 11 - Commissioners' Court, Annex Bldg., 9 a.m.

Aug. 26 - School Board, 797 Ave. D, 6:30 p.m.

Aug. 29 - Southwest Boar Goat Breeders Summer Classic Sale, 9 a.m. Public Viewing, Sale 7 p.m. Fair Park Convention Center. David Slaughter 915-836-4431, W. E. Whitehead 915-387-3003

Sept. 1-Oct. 31 - Art Exhibit Featuring Mary Jo Mason, Crockett County Museum, Mon.-Fri. 9-5, Sat. 10-4.

Sept. 27 - David Crockett Fall Festival, Fair Park, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Arts, Crafts, Activity Booths, Children's Games, Entertainment, Street Dance at 8 p.m. FMI Chamber of Commerce 392-3737

Nov. 1-30 - Veterans' Exhibit, Crockett County Museum, Mon.-Fri. 9-5, Sat. 10-4

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Correction please...

We didn't mean to re-write history with the July 16 story on Ground Zero. As some of you called to our attention, the "Little Boy" bomb dropped over Hiroshima was carried by the plane Enola Gay. Bock's Car dropped the "Fat Man" bomb on Nagasaki.

Ozono native Doris (West) Dutton, who now lives 30 miles west of Los Angeles, took the time to send a clipping from her local paper, the Tribune, which contained a photo taken in Ozona.

Pictured are two young California girls holding a copy of the Tribune as they stand by the Heritage sculpture. The travelers were on their way to San Antonio for the Lackland AFB graduation of a brother of one of the young ladies.

"Thought you might find it interesting that Ozona made the news in California," said Doris.

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SAN ANGELO, TX - Bank Repossessed cars and trucks are among the most hunted-for bargains in the automotive industry. Unfortunately for the general public, they're also the hardest to come by. Banks often unload repossessed vehicles to car dealers at rock-bottom prices - allowing dealers to re-sell them for retail value. But bargain-seekers can take heart: This week, Mitchell Toyota Kia is going to change that.

This Wednesday, July 23rd through Saturday, July 26th, Mitchell Toyota Kia will offer 90 bank repossessed, lease returns, fleet returns, auction vehicles and other clean used vehicles for thousands below normal values, and pass the savings on to their customers.

"These vehicles have been acquired at incredible savings from banks (repos), auctions, and other sources." Mike Griffin of Mitchell Toyota Kia said. "We have been asked to sacrifice this inventory immediately - regardless of loss or profit. And if that means selling these vehicles some for thousands below normal values, then that's what we'll do."

Every bank repossessed and other pre-owned vehicles will be available for just a \$59 possession fee* then start making payments. Some payments only \$99 per month.** "It's that simple," said Mike Griffin. "To make these bargains even easier, we'll mark the payments right on the windshield. Just pick your payment and then customers prompt, quality service and the best finance terms possible. Mr. Griffin said, "We'll have over \$4 million in financing available for this event, so chances are we can arrange financing for just about anyone who is employed, regardless of past credit history."

Trade-ins will be accepted, and customers should bring their title or payment book to expedite delivery.

"The opportunity San Angelo area bargain-hunters have been waiting for happens this Wednesday through Saturday at Mitchell Toyota Kia. Every bank repo and other used vehicle is just \$59 then start making payments.* Customers may never see savings like this again." said Mr. Griffin.

After the \$59 Super Sale ends at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 26th, many of these vehicles will be sent to auction. Any questions can be directed to (915) 653-2302. Mitchell Toyota Kia is located at 1500 Knickerbocker Road in San Angelo.

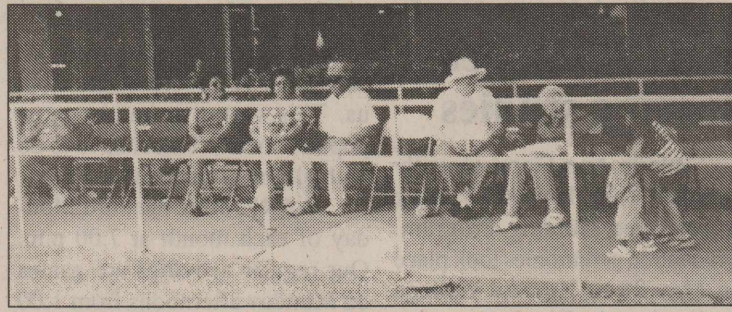
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LOCAL BANDS ENTERTAINED LAST WEDNESDAY at the Crockett County Care Center fundraiser. Submitted Photo

"Brethren, if any person is overtaken in misconduct or sin of any sort, you who are spiritual [who are responsive to and controlled by the Spirit] should set him right and restore and reinstate him, without any sense of superiority and with gentleness, keeping an attentive eye on yourself lest you should be tempted also.

Galatians 6:1



VISITORS ENJOY THE CARE CENTER FUNDRAISER held last Wednesday. Submitted Photo

May we introduce

VALERIE FIERRO

Registered Nurse Valerie Fierro began work at Crockett County Care Center two months ago.

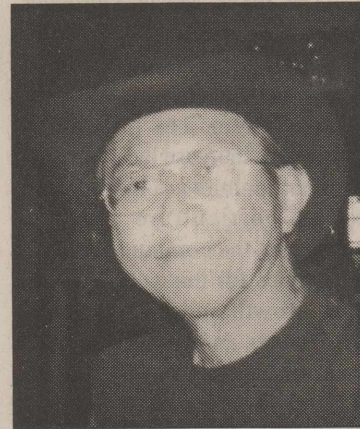
She was born in Arlington, but has lived in Ozona approximately eight years at different times.

"I have one daughter, who is my greatest blessing from God, who will be a senior at OHS," said Fierro.

"After two year of nursing school, I've forgotten what my hobbies are. I am trying to get into the swing of things and will be a co-leader of the Daisies this year. I am a member of OLPH."

Obituaries

July 19 rites for Armando Ramirez



San Angelo and Julian Ramirez Jr. of Ozona; and halfbrother, Jose Rodriguez of Ozona.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Julian Ramirez Sr. and Ysabel Ramirez and brother Gregorio Ramirez.

"We will always love and remember you, Bronson."

MISS ME - BUT LET ME GO

When I come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom filled room,
Why cry for a soul set free.
Miss me a little - but not too long,
And not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love that we once shared,
Miss me - but let me go.

For this is a journey that we all must take,
And each must go alone,
It's all part of the Master's plan,
A step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick of heart,
Go to the friends we know.
Any bury your sorrows in doing good deeds,
Miss me - but let me go.

Armando B. "Bronson" Ramirez, age 47, of Ozona died Wednesday, July 16, 2003, in a San Angelo hospital. Funeral services were held July 19 in Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Arrangements were by Preddy Funeral Home.

Mr. Ramirez was born May 10, 1956, in Ozona. He was a member of the Catholic Church.

Surviving family members include: two daughters, Penny Ramirez and Amanda Ramirez, both of Ozona; two grandchildren, Kahlid Valencia and Jackie Sanchez, both of Ozona; ex-wife Stella Fierro of Ozona; four sisters, Irene Gonzales, Cecilia Longoria, Belia Reyes and Lucrecia Ramirez, all of Ozona; two brothers, Rosendo Ramirez of

Wilted Plants...

Recently while visiting some friends I noticed some beautiful (I should say were beautiful) tomato plants lying by the side of their house. They had been so big and beautiful and still had a few tomatoes on them.

What happened? I inquired about the plants. They had them in the house and just quit watering them.

As I looked at those once beautiful tomato plants, I realized that many Christians are in that condition today. They may have once been living very beautiful Christian lives and very active in church and serving (living for) God. Today they have fallen by the wayside or just lying by the side of the house slowly wilting or dying spiritually little by little.

Jesus said we were to abide in Him moment by moment, day by day (John 15:4-11). Our Christian well-being depends on our relationship and walk and constant abiding in the Lord Jesus (Psalms 91:1, Galatians 5:25). God says if we don't abide in Him He will or may cast us away (Psalms 51:11, 12, Jeremiah 7:15).

Yes, we did pick up those plants, put them in a good place and water them. Guess what? In a few days they were back looking as healthy as ever.

If you have gotten separated from God, return today. He is just a prayer away.

See you in church on Sunday.
Brother J

Card of Thanks

On behalf of the Ramirez family, we would like to thank the many people for their support and acts of kindness during our time of sorrow. Thanks to all the people who showed their support through the phone calls, flowers, food, sympathy cards and prayers. To all the relatives and friends who came from out of town to be here with us. We would also like to thank Father Serafin and the Catholic choir for the beautiful burial services. To the Guadalupanas for providing the meal and Temple Siloe Women's Ministries for serving the meal. The love and support shown is greatly appreciated.

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Mrs. Chandler buried in Clairette

STEPHENVILLE - Pauline Williams Chandler, 85, died Wednesday, March 26, 2003, in Brownwood Regional Medical Center in Brownwood.

Services were March 30 in Stephenville Funeral Home Chapel with Mike Cunningham officiating. Burial followed in the Clairette Cemetery in Clairette.

Mrs. Chandler was born on June 11, 1917, in Ozona. She was married to Melvin Chandler on July 1, 1935, in Iraan. He preceded her in death on April 23, 1980.

She was a member of the Central Texas Art Association and

a founding member of HOPE. She was also a member of the Zonta Club and a Baptist. She was Erath County Clerk for 22 years.

Survivors include: two daughters, Johnnye Montgomery of Midland and Kelly L. Barbee of Bluff Dale; two sons, Larry M. and Darlene Chandler of Mancos, CO, and Daniel F. (Rusty) Chandler of Cathedral City, CA; one sister, Louise Geers of Paxton, IL; one aunt, Cloma Trotter of Big Lake; two cousins, O. B. Williams of Stephenville and George B. Armentrout of Granbury; six grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Redemption of the Body

By Dr. Dennis J. Prutow

We annually spend millions, perhaps billions, on medical care. With all this emphasis on the care of the body, many of us will hardly walk across the street to receive proper treatment for our souls. We get the reverse thinking from some professing Christians. I've been challenged about emphasis on the redemption of the body. "You place too much stress on your body. The soul is the important thing. The soul goes to heaven." What about our bodies? Does God consider them important. Absolutely. "For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who have fallen asleep in Jesus" (1 Thessalonians 4:14). What does it mean to fall asleep in Jesus? It means, when Christians die, their souls go to heaven and their bodies, still united to Christ, rest in their graves until the resurrection. Here is the promise. "The Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive and remain will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we shall always be with the Lord" (1 Thessalonians 4:16-17). This is final salvation, the "redemption of our body" (Romans 8:23).

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| <p>First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D Rev. John Collis Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.</p> | <p>Ozona Church of Christ 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p> | <p>Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St. Rev. John Fluth Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.</p> |
| <p>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida Corner of Secretariat & Man O War Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 7 p.m.</p> | <p>Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St. Rev. Charles Huffman Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 9 am.</p> | <p>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.</p> |
| <p>Templo Bautista Jerusalem 138 Blas St. Rev. Esequiel Cervantez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.</p> | <p>Church of God of Prophecy 102 Man O' War St. Pastor Lupe Domoniquez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 4:30 p.m. Tues. & Thurs: 6 p.m.</p> | <p>Our Lady of Perpetual Help 219 Martinez St. Rev. Henry Laenen Sun. Mass: 11 a.m. Sat.: 7 p.m. M. W. F. - 8:30 a.m. Thurs.: 7 p.m.</p> |
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| <p>Templo El Paraiso Inc. 604 11th St. Pastor Jesse Cardona Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Tuesday Worship: 7 p.m.</p> | | <p>Iglesia de Cristo Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run Minister: Amelio Hinojos Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Wed. Bible Study: 6 p.m.</p> |

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Crockett County Sheriff's Report

CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT WEEKLY NEWS REPORT 07-15-03 through 07-21-03

07-15-03 Deputy assisted a stranded motorist at MM 367 on I-10. Report of gas drive off from local store.

Report of livestock out on Hwy. 163 S. Dispatcher notified ranch owner. 07-16-03 Deputy assisted EMS personnel on medical call at the Senior Apts. Subject was taken to clinic by EMS. Deputy met with complainant on Ave. D in reference to a broken window on the high school building. Deputy took report. Deputy unlocked vehicle on

Santa Rosa St. Deputy assisted stranded motorist with fuel. Deputy unlocked vehicle on Appaloosa Run. Report of panhandlers at local store on 15th St. Subjects were gone upon Deputy's arrival. 07-17-03 Report of loud music in the area of Piedra St. Subjects were advised to call it a night. Report of intoxicated subject who was causing problems at 1000 Block of 11th St. Subject was taken to stay with family member. Report of same intoxicated subject back at 1000 Block of 11th St. Subject was arrested by Deputy on a charge of public intoxication. Deputy met with complainant at County Road 301 in reference to person or persons who vandalized a rig truck and trailer. Deputy took report. Deputy met with complainant on Yucca Lane in reference to damage to a vehicle. After further investigation, it was determined that it was a hit and run. Deputy located subject and turned over to DPS for investigation. Deputy met with complainant on phone in reference to stolen vehicle. Complainant advised that he had let a family member use the vehicle, and it had not been returned. Deputy talked to subject, and they advised vehicle will be returned. Deputy assisted motorist who needed a ride out to his vehicle. Deputy assisted a subject at the Senior Apartments who needed help getting up. 07-18-03 Report of a disturbance at local motel. Upon Deputy's arrival, subjects were gone.

Report of subject knocking on doors at local apartments. Deputy advised subject was looking for another subject. Report of a fire at a local restaurant. Fire Dept handled the call. Report of an alarm going off at local bank. Deputy advised it was a false alarm, and all was clear. Report of suspicious person in the area of 6th St. Subject was gone upon Deputy's arrival. Deputy assisted EMS with a medical call at the Senior Apartments. Subject was taken to clinic by EMS. 07-19-03 Report of minor motor vehicle accident on Ave. E and 5th Streets. Subject was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Deputy met with complainant at the Sheriff's Office in reference to an assault. Deputy took report. Report of loud music in the area of Piedra St. Subjects were advised to call it a night. Deputy met with complainant at the truck stop in reference to theft of some money. Deputy took report. Deputy met with complainant on 500 Block of Ave. J in reference to criminal mischief. Person or persons broke a window in a vehicle. Deputy took report. Report of theft of gas from local convenience store. Vehicle was located, and subject returned to pay for the gas. Deputy unlocked vehicle at Crockett Heights. Deputy assisted a stranded motorist on I-10. Deputy met with complainant on 300 Block of Hillcrest in reference to some forged items. Report of gas drive off at a local convenience store. Deputy was unable to locate the vehicle. Report of theft on 900 Block of Teresa. Report was filed. Report of stranded motorist on I-10. Wrecker was at that location when Deputy arrived.

Deputy assisted EMS on a medical call on 400 Block of Santa Anna St. Subject was transported to clinic by EMS. Request for a close patrol at the football field. Subjects there had been threatened. Deputy met with complainant on 400 Block of Plum St. in reference to a child custody matter. 07-20-03 Deputy met with complainant at care center in reference to theft of property. Case is still under investigation. Deputy unlocked vehicle at local motel. Deputy unlocked vehicle on 11th St. Report of damage to street sign at Crockett Heights. Report was filed. Deputy unlocked vehicle on 100 Block of Jones St. Deputy unlocked vehicle on 1600 Block of Blas St. Deputy met with subject at the Sheriff's Office in reference to a civil matter. Deputy met with another subject at the Sheriff's Office in reference to same civil matter. Report of an unwanted subject on 1800 Block of Willow St. Subject was brought to Crockett Co. jail as a sleeper. Report of loud music on 1700 Block of Walnut. Subject was advised by Deputy to lower the noise. No further incident. Report of phone harassment on 800 Block of 5th St. 911 call at local convenience store. Male subject was being threatened. One subject was brought to Crockett Co. Jail as a sleeper. Deputy transported a stranded motorist back to his vehicle on I-10. 07-21-03 Deputy assisted a stranded motorist on I-10. Deputy unlocked vehicle on 600 Block of Ave. G. Report of a suspicious vehicle on 11th St. Deputy located vehicle, and advised the owner to move it. Deputy unlocked vehicle on 11th St. Deputy unlocked vehicle on Hwy. 163. Report of several traffic signs knocked down. Deputy filed a criminal mischief report. Deputy unlocked vehicle on 1200 Block of Ave. E. Deputy assisted subjects with courtesy transport on I-10. Deputy responded to a 911 hang up call. Everything was okay. Report of an alarm at the school. Everything was okay. Deputy assisted stranded motorist and family with a hotel room. Report of loose livestock on Highways 190 and 137. Land owner was contacted. Deputy unlocked vehicle at truck stop. Report of loud music on 1500 Block of Piedra St. Subjects were advised to lower the music. Report of loud music near a local motel. Subjects were advised to lower the music.

ARREST REPORT 07-15-03 through 07-21-03

07-16-03 Lloyd, Kevin Michael, age 36, of San Antonio was arrested by DPS Trooper on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Subject was released from jail after posting bond. Flores, Saul, age 18, of Ozona was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on charges on local J.P. warrants and criminal mischief. Subject posted a PR bond and was released 07-21-03 on time served.

07-17-03 Borrego, Ricardo, age 32, of Ozona was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of public intoxication. Subject was released on 7-21-03 for time served. Finnell, Kenneth Lavelle, age 51, of Ft. Worth was arrested in Tarrant Co. by Crockett County Constable on charges from a bench warrant out of Crockett Co. Subject remains in jail awaiting court.

07-18-03 Magarelli, Enjoli Michelle, age 23, of Port Royal, SC, was arrested by DPS Troopers on a charge of probation violation out of Yuma, AZ. Subject remains in jail awaiting transfer to Yuma, AZ. Vasquez, Tony, age 23 of Yuma, Az, was arrested by DPS Troopers on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 ounces. Subject was released after posting bond. Coronado, Ana Liliana, age 18, of Ozona was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy on a Crockett County warrant charging assault class A. Subject was released after posting bond.

07-19-03 Rivera, Ezekiel, age 20, of Ozona was arrested by DPS Officers on a charge of driving while intoxicated 2nd. Subject was released after posting \$2,000.00 bond. Arranda, Jorge Luis, age 20, of Ozona was booked into Crockett Co. Jail after being sentenced to 5 years at a Texas correctional facility.

07-21-03 Deputy filed a criminal mischief report in reference to damage done to oil field equipment on County Road 301. Deputy filed a criminal mischief report in reference to person or persons who broke a window at the high school entrance. Deputy filed an assault report on subject who was assaulted while at a residence on Ave. H. Deputy filed a report of theft of money. Deputy filed a report of criminal mischief report. Deputy filed a report of physical contact that was objectionable or provocative.

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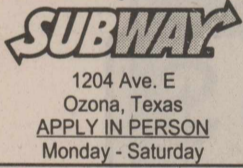
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Garage Sales

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4 FAMILY YARD SALE

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3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE

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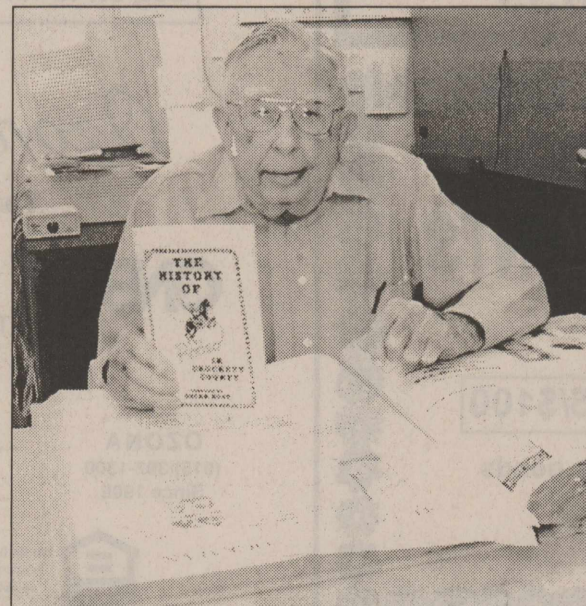
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