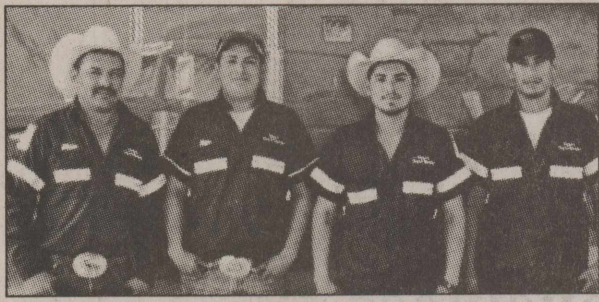
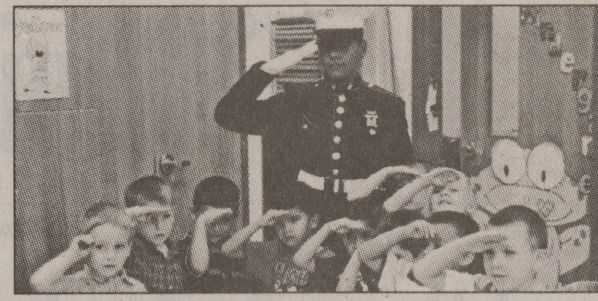


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Dies y Sies de Septiembre



MEMBERS OF THE ESCARAMUZA LA PRIMAVERA perform at the annual OLPH Dies y Sies de Septiembre Festival held this past weekend. It featured a parade, a Mexican rodeo, live bands and music, food and prizes. More photos page 9.

Davy Crockett Festival Saturday featuring Jake Hooker & The Outsiders

BY MELISSA PERNER
 THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The 18th annual Davy Crockett Festival will take place Saturday, Sept. 25, at the town square.

The festival begins at 8 a.m. and will feature a "Wild Wild West Parade" at 10 a.m. Entries are free.

Food booths include funnel cakes, taquitos, tamales, brisket and cabrito plates, colitas and tacos, brisket burritos, hot dogs, turkey legs, Girl Scout Cookies, drinks, cookies and sweets.

Vendors include ceramics, Fashionista Ranch, decorated T-shirts, ring toss, Juice Plus, Scentsy, hair bows and hats, lap blankets and crochet items, wood crafts, metal art, jewelry, decorated flip flops, leather crafts, paintings, concrete bird bath, candles, crosses and clothing.

Activities include bounce houses, military dress and a canon from Fort Lancaster, face painting, dunking booth and a performance by the Levis and Lace Square Dancers.

The evening dance will feature Jake Hooker & The Outsiders. The dance will be from 7 p.m. to midnight at the Fair Park Convention Center.

According to the band's website, Jake Hooker was born listening to the sounds of traditional country music



JAKE HOOKER & THE OUTSIDERS | SUBMITTED PHOTO
 JAKE HOOKER & THE OUTSIDERS will perform Saturday night at the Davy Crockett Days Festival. Dance starts at 7 p.m. at the Fair Park Convention Center.

through his father's west Texas country band.

Jake began playing the bass at the age of seven and practiced diligently until he mastered the honky tonk sound.

Jake formed his own band at the age of 14 and began performing. By the age of 18, Jake was playing bass and singing full time.

He spent some time at South Plains College in Levelland, Texas, studying music and theory.

Jake moved to the Fort Worth area in 1998 where he quickly became the local favorite. Jake signed with Southland Records that same year and began recording. Jake's popularity continues to grow.

His love and passion for traditional country music never ceases.

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Eagles run past Lions

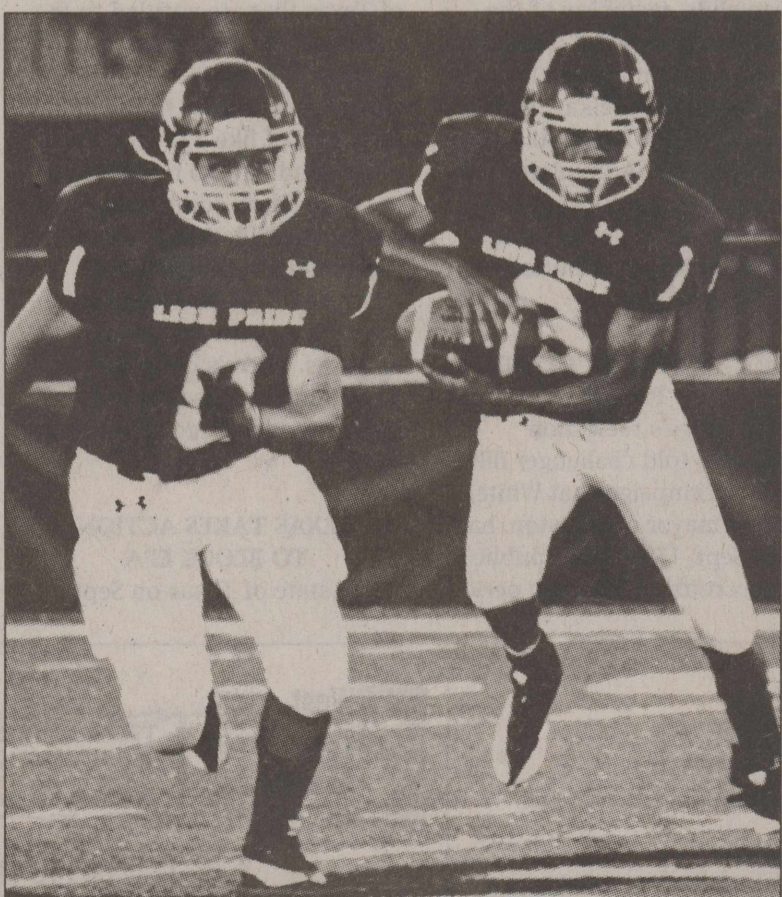
BY MELISSA PERNER
 THE OZONA STOCKMAN

MIDLAND - The Ozona Lions were plagued by mistakes and missteps Friday night as they lost to Van Horn 18-12 at Midland Christian's Mustang Field in Midland.

The Eagles would get on the board with their first play of the game as Alex Baca took off for a 58-yard touchdown. Baca would run all over the field for Van Horn, racking up 187 yards.

Both teams' defenses dominated in the first half, including a fumble recovery by Austin Suddreth for the Lions.

Sophomore Blake Morrow would recover a fumble for the Lions on the Van Horn 36-yardline at the start of the second quarter. Three plays later, Quarterback Alejandro Mendez would pitch the ball to Abey Lara who then threw the ball into the hands of freshman Saul Vargas for a first down.



BLAKE MORROW gets ready to block for teammate Abey Lara during Friday's game against Van Horn in Midland.

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Chamber banquet honors members

BY SHANON BIGGERSTAFF
 and MELISSA PERNER
 THE OZONA STOCKMAN

More than 120 members attended the 45th Chamber of Commerce Banquet held at the Civic Center on Sept. 14.

The event was catered by Sutton County Steakhouse and entertainment was provided by The Guitar Club featuring Tammy McWilliams, instructor, Rae Lynn Arredondo, Makayla Badillo, Murphey Black, Erik Carrizales, Cuatro Jones, Jayce Logan, Jady Poindexter, Chad Poindexter and David McWilliams.

The program included introductions of the Chamber Board of Directors, staff and new 2010 members were welcomed.

Chamber Chairman of the Board, Randy Verner, recognized this year's Business of the Month recipients; Kerrie's Cre-



TAMMY MCWILLIAMS and her guitar club perform at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce's annual banquet on Sept. 14 at the Civic Center.

ations, The Ozona Stockman, Triple C Lumber and Hardware, Super S Foods and Treto's Tire & Towing.

Members heard about new programs and services introduced in the Chamber's 2010 Plan of Action.

"With the economic change in climate in the oil and gas industry, the chamber changed it's direction this year," said Chairman Randy Verner. "We developed a number of goals and have introduced new programs and

services that we feel we be of service to our members and the community."

Attendees of the banquet heard from Crockett County Abstract, Oglesby Ranch, Robert Massie Funeral Home, KHOS/KYXX Radio, Kerrie's Creations and Ozona Body Shop member testimonials about how chamber services and programs are working for their business.

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Know about the industry before starting a small business

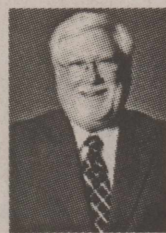
The advisors at the ASU-SBDC see many potential small business owners. Most are familiar with the industry in which they are going. Some unfortunately are not.

Entrepreneurs need to know their industry before they start their small business. You will be expected to explain the general state of your industry and the nature of your small business, especially if you plan to raise capital by going to a bank or investors. Whether you sell a prod-

uct or provide a service you should do an industry analysis. Find out what those trends are.

Determine who your competitors are. Anything that happens in your industry may affect your business.

The more you know about your industry the more advantage



BUSINESS TIPS

PAUL HOWARD

and peace of mind you will have.

A well developed business plan is a must. Discuss how you intend to operate your business, who your customers will be and a financial analysis such as cash flow projections.

This will give your small business a solid foundation and will describe the nature of your business to outsiders.

There are websites for business analysis, financial statistics, demographics and trade associations to assist

with your business plan. Analyze your main competitors.

Who are they? What are their strengths and weaknesses?

Consider their products, reputation, management, financial position, channels of distribution, brand awareness, business development, technology and any other important factors. In what segments of the market do they operate? What is their strategy? What impact will they have on your business and what threats and oppor-

tunities do they represent?

Products and services follow many different paths between suppliers and consumers.

Explain how distribution works in your industry. Some products are typically sold through retail stores directly to consumers. Others are sold from manufacturers to stores.

Products can be sold from manufacturers to consumers through promotional efforts. There are many alternatives and distribution choices are strategic.

Technology can change distribution patterns in any industry or product category. The Internet is changing distribution options for software, books, music and other products. Distribution may not be as critical to service oriented businesses, but always be on the lookout for any changes in your industry.

"Business Tips" is written by Paul Howard, Business Development Specialist and Certified Business Advisor III of Angelo State University's Small Business Development Center. Contact him at paul.howard@angelo.edu.

Helping a newspaper friend

Friends help each other out. They scratch each other's backs, give each other a helping hand and pick each other up when one of them is down.

Last week, The Ozona Stockman helped out a fellow newspaper friend.

After printing our latest edition, we received a phone call from our friend Kirby in San Angelo. Kirby prints the Livestock Weekly, as well as several other small newspapers. Kirby is also the person that we buy the giant newsprint rolls from for The Ozona Stockman. Kirby was in a bind. His printing press was out of commission. The control panel was broken and he was unable to complete some needed press jobs.

A phone call and an e-mail away, the Stockman staff got to work in helping out our friend.

Each week, we print our own edition and the Terrell County News Leader as well. Last week, printed three extra editions, San Angelo Spotlight, Eldorado Success and The Big Lake Wildcat, for our friend.

Like many other industries, newspapers are and can be a competitive business. However, in these struggling times the competition has turned into partnerships.

Let's face it; in West Texas there are not a lot of places that have a print shop that can print a newspaper.

The San Angelo Standard-Times no longer has there pressroom. There paper is printed in Abilene. Kirby and his crew print a lot of small weekly publications located in and around San Angelo, as well as his main paper the Livestock Weekly.

For him, the fact that his printing press was not working was not only good, it was close to devastating.

In this age of technology, people still want their



WHAT'S ON MY MIND

MELISSA PERNER

newspaper, especially small town readers. While the Stockman has continually been working on its website each week, we still maintain that readers want to feel that news-

print in their hands every week.

That is why community newspapers are still going strong.

Doing a favor for our friend was not even given a second thought. As we cranked up the machine three extra times, we knew that one day we may be calling on Kirby to print the Stockman.

Machines are not perfect. Parts break, technology goes haywire, life happens, which is why it is important to have friends in this business.

Small businesses, no matter what the product is being sold, need to stick together in today's economy. We are all working hard to grab that consumer's business, but we can't neglect the fact that without all of us working together our businesses would not survive.

The positive aspect of being a small business is being able to provide unique services to a variety of customers. It also allows us to help those in our industry, such as we did last week.

Community newspapers are still essential, just like any other small business. Without the small town newspaper, how would other businesses get their products known to their customers?

We are glad and thankful that we were able to help our friend, and we would be happy to help him again.

MELISSA PERNER is the editor and publisher of The Ozona Stockman. She welcomes everyone to stop in and see the press in action.

Pockets Of Poverty

I've never been one to carry lots of cash around on my person. You know that television commercial a few years back that asked, "What's in your wallet?" Well, most of the time, if I answered that question truthfully the answer would be... "lint."

There are several good reasons why I don't burden myself down with cash. The best reason is obvious: I don't have any cash to carry! The second reason is equally obvious: My wife won't give me any folding money. Her philosophy is that I simply can't be trusted to spend my own money responsibly.

Another reason my wallet is as empty as a church on Monday morning is that I rarely go to town to spend any money. Finally, I am notoriously tight and I believe that there is no such thing as "petty cash." I'll not only stoop down to pick up a penny, I've been known to go diving for one in a fountain. And I believe strongly in the old adage, "You can't spend what you don't have."

If I do get caught a little short I can always charge it on my credit card, and I don't even have to get in my wallet for that. I hate to admit this, but I have a bony butt and as a consequence, I never have liked carrying a wallet in my back pocket because it puts my spine out of alignment when I sit down. So I made myself a front pocket wallet that holds a gas credit card and a bank credit card on the outside. Therefore, the only reason I'd ever have to



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open my wallet is if I got a ticket and needed to show my driver's license to the cop, or if I needed cash for some reason. These are both rare occurrences that happen, on average, once every 10 years.

I also believe that a fool and his money are soon spotted. I've never been robbed, mugged or even asked for money by a homeless person and I attribute this to the fact that I don't wave a lot of

cash around. And I usually dress worse than they do. To look at me you wouldn't think I'd have two nickels to rub together. In fact, I've even been given money by strangers mistaking ME for a homeless person.

I am in good company when it comes to living in a cashless condition. I am reminded of the two old cowboys who had been on the trail for weeks and were approaching a town. One cowpoke asked the other, "Have you got any money?"

"Fifty cents," replied his partner.

"Well throw it in the sagebrush and we'll go into town like gentlemen."

What the cowboy was referring to is the difference between old money and new; the rich and the monied. You see, to impress people the newly rich usually go around

with what's called a "Chicago Roll" in their pocket; a wad of cash that would choke a billy goat. Whereas "monied" people never carry cash. In the rare occurrence that they do, it has to be ironed first. Historians tell us that American aristocrats never carried money and "monied" people might not handle \$1,000 cash in an entire year.

When a "monied" person went shopping he or she would pick out the items they wanted, have the store hold them and they'd send their butler or maid around later to pay for them and pick them up.

So, you see, I am in good company. Some wealthy people have no concept of cash. Like the true story of the old and wealthy rancher who went in for a haircut early one morning.

The upstanding citizen told the barber that the bank was closed and he didn't have any cash on him, but he did have a check in his pocket. So he asked if the barber would cash it in order to be paid.

Never one to turn down business, the barber said, "Sure, I'll cash it."

After his hair was cut and in its proper position the rancher reached in his shirt pocket and pulled out a check for a trainload of cattle for sixty thousand dollars! In all seriousness he handed it to the barber to cash so that he could be paid.

The barber looked at the check, never batted an eye and said, "I'll cash it but it's going to take all my pocket money."

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Perry backs efforts to retrieve education jobs funding

AUSTIN — Gov. Rick Perry on Sept. 14 praised legislation filed to repeal a Central Texas congressional representative's amendment to the recently passed federal education jobs bill, H.R. 1586.

U.S. Sens. Kay Bailey Hutchison and John Cornyn teamed up to write and file repealing legislation, S.3768, and U.S. Rep. Michael Burgess, R-Lewisville, led Texas' GOP House delegation in offering a House version, H.R. 6108, to strike the amendment from H.R. 1586.

The amendment authored by U.S. Rep. Lloyd Doggett, D-Austin, requires the governor to make assurances about how Texas would spend its \$830 million share bill's \$10 billion in jobs funding.

If the assurances are not made, Texas will not get the money. Gov. Perry called the requirement, which applies only to Texas, "unfair" and "anti-Texas."

The U.S. Department of Education rejected the Texas Education Agency's application for the \$830 million on Sept. 9, because the application lacked

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the required assurances from the governor. Perry, in response to the rejection, argued that the state constitution and state laws prohibit him from entering into binding commitments about future budgets or funding levels.

The Senate and House versions of the repealing legislation have been sent to committees and await deliberation. Meanwhile, members of the Texas congressional delegation have been sent a Sept. 15 letter by Johnny L. Veselka, executive director of the Texas Association of School Administrators, urging them to do what they can to remove barriers that would inhibit distribution of the \$830 million.

SEPT. 15 DEBATE 'DEADLINE' PASSES

Gov. Perry's reelection campaign told challenger Bill White's campaign that White, former mayor of Houston, had until Sept. 15 to make public his tax returns for the period

in 1993-95 during which he served as a deputy secretary of energy in the Clinton administration.

Perry, a Republican, said White, a Democrat, had to meet the deadline in order for the two to meet in a public debate. White chose not to publicize his tax returns from that period, and on Sept. 15 he told reporters, "The fact is, it's the people of Texas that are entitled to the debate. ... (Perry) thinks that appearing in a debate where you can be accountable to the public is sort of like a favor to the other candidate to be bestowed or withheld on some whim or political calculation. I believe it's a public responsibility."

Perry said "(White) needs to come clean with the people of Texas. There's obviously something in those tax records or he would have released them by now."

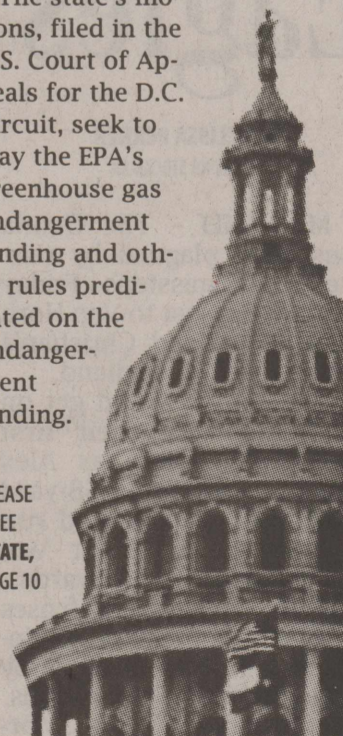
TEXAS TAKES ACTION TO BLOCK EPA

The state of Texas on Sept.

17 filed motions to stop the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency from implementing new federal regulations that Texas Attorney General Greg Abbott said would harm the state's economy and increase unemployment.

The state's motions, filed in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit, seek to stay the EPA's greenhouse gas Endangerment Finding and other rules predicated on the Endangerment Finding.

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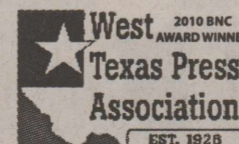
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Paisano Encampment celebrates its 90th consecutive year

BY KELLY HERZOG
PAISANO BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT

PAISANO ENCAMPMENT - Paisano Encampment celebrated its 90th consecutive General Encampment July 25-30.

In commemoration of the anniversary, a few long-time Paisano attendees shared memories during the evening services.

Mariwyn Blythe Maloney recalled the food service that began as a few donated head of beef.

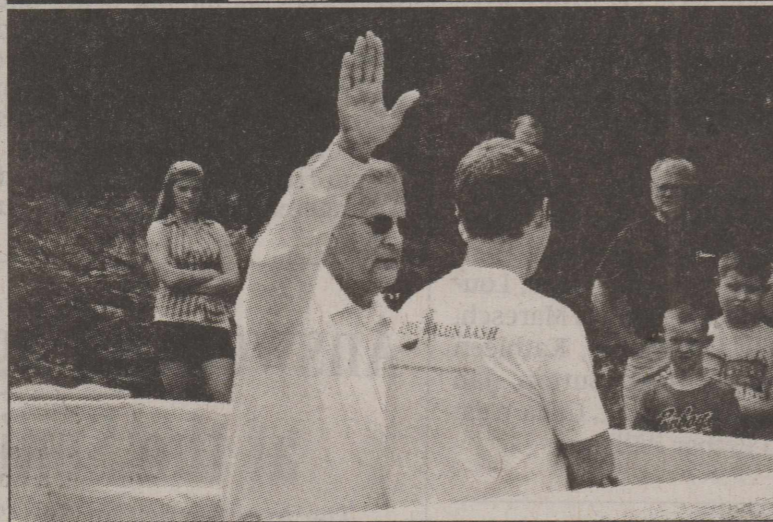
Mary Barton Robinson spoke of the incredible preachers that have visited Paisano through the years, including George W. Truett, for whom Baylor University's seminary is named.

Ruth Collins Wilkerson reminisced about how the pioneers slept in tents, then cabins, and eventually some church dormitories.

Ed Wittner recalled the music ministers, including B.B. McKinney, whose hymns are still sung in churches today.

All four emphasized that although Paisano has grown and changed, the foundation of faith remains constant.

The ladies of Woman's Missionary Union held their annual tea during camp. In attendance were 18 former WMU officers from across



TOP PHOTO: L. R. Millican, the original preacher for Paisano, conducts a baptismal service on August 26, 1926. BOTTOM PHOTO: Levi W. Price Jr., the current president, conducts a baptismal service on July 21, 2010.

Texas, along with two international missionaries as honorees.

The youth program was very successful with 36 professions of faith.

President Levi Price also baptized six people on the grounds during encampment.



Whitten graduates from boot camp training

Austin Whitten, 2010 OHS Graduate and son of Ike and Donna Whitten, recently completed United States Marine Corps Boot Camp Training at the Marine Corps Recruiting Depot at San Diego, Calif.

He enjoyed a well-deserved 10-day leave after graduation on Sept. 3 visiting with family and friends in Ozona.

He returned to California on Sept. 14 to training at Camp Pendleton.

His family is very proud of Austin, as well as his friends and former teachers. His willingness and commitment to serve his country is greatly appreciated.

Knights of Columbus hosting October Crockett County Market Days

BY FRANK TAMBUNGA
CROCKETT COUNTY VETERANS

In preparation for our upcoming Crockett County Market Days in October we are asking anyone that has items to market, whether it is used furniture, tools, appliances, clothes, or if anyone is planning on having a yard sale consider joining us during our Market Day.

Our Market Day will be featuring a live auction from used equipment from the County and our School District. A 10 x 10 space for \$30 will be available.

For more information, call Frank Tambunga at 392-2827.

Historical Commission seeking information on Crockett County towns

SUBMITTED BY BOB CHILDRESS
CROCKETT COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION

The Crockett County Historical Commissioner is seeking information on ancient and pioneer towns of Crockett County.

This information is for the second volume of the Crockett County History Book, 1976-present.

Bob Childress, president of the Crockett County Historical Commission, has made a list of the Crockett County towns:

1. Live Oak Spring - western Crockett.
2. Cedar Springs - western Crockett.
- These two town were

important early water sources for prehistoric people and early travelers.

3. Gobbler Shelter - located on a small tributary canyon of Live Oak Creek. Prehistoric people lived for very long periods.

4. Pantaleon - northwest Crockett with Lipan Apaches, Tonkawas and Comanches in the 18th Century. On May 22, 1684, Juan Mendoza found this town and named it.

5. Camp Melvin or Pecos Station - 1866-1871, had a battalion of Rangers there.

6. Couchwell or Eureka - 1891.

7. Mobil - 1881

8. Wight - 1880-1883

9. Bullisford - 1882

10. Ellis - 1885 town moved to Edwards County.

11. Emerald - eastern Crockett 1890.

12. Hembrie - northwestern Crockett from 1890-1911. Had a post office from 1890-1911.

13. Hyde - northwest Crockett from 1891-1906. Had a post office from 1891-1906.

14. Mozart - 1899 for one year. Had a post office for 10 months.

15. Grubie - one mile south of Iraan, early 1920s.

If anyone has any information on one of these towns, call Bob Childress at 392-2382.

History Channel seeking Texans for new special

SUBMITTED BY SHANON BIGGERSTAFF
OZONA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The History Channel is seeking people and locations to film for a new special about meat in America.

The channel is looking to film in Texas.

"We would like to film

with true Texas cowboys and partake in part of a cattle drive, then learn the ropes of a Texas style barbecue," said Robin J. Forman, with The History Channel. "We would ideally like a person or persons who could appear on TV alongside our host and explain the history of cattle

drives, Texas longhorns, and beef as a food staple."

Forman's request came through the Texas Film Commission.

For more information, call Forman at (202) 641-5535 or e-mail robinf@half-yardproductions.com.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, Sept. 22

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Dominoes, 1:30 p.m. at the Crockett County Senior Center.
- CCCCS Board of Trustees meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Thursday, Sept. 23

- Autumn Begins
- Seventh Grade Lions vs. TLC, 5 p.m. in San Angelo.
- Eighth Grade and JV Lions vs. McCamey, 5 p.m. at Lion Stadium.

Friday, Sept. 24

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Lions vs. McCamey, 7:30 p.m. at McCamey.

Saturday, Sept. 25

- OHS and OMS Cross-Country Teams "Running with the Lions" at Ozona Country Club.
- Ozona YMCA Football Teams at Lion Stadium. Pee Wee squad vs. Big Lake at 8 a.m.; Heavy Weight squad vs. Menard at 3:30 p.m.
- Davy Crockett Days, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. with a "Wild, Wild, West" Parade at 10 a.m. at the town square. Dance: Jake Hooker and The Outsiders, 7 p.m.-midnight at the Fair Park Convention Center.
- Levis and Lace Square Dance, 4-6 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Monday, Sept. 27

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Ladies Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Athletic Booster Club meeting, 7 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Tuesday, Sept. 28

- OHS Band Rehearsal, 7-9 p.m. at OHS and Lion Stadium.

Wednesday, Sept. 29

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Dominoes, 1:30 p.m. at the Crockett County Senior Center.

Happy Birthday

Sept. 22 - Susie Bishop, Karen Webb, Ruben Talamantez, Teresa Torres, Wes McGuire and Sam Perner

Sept. 23 - Maria Oritz, Kaitlyn Tambunga, Mariah Gallardo, Jennifer Venegas and Eva P. Bordan

Sept. 24 - Bobby Bryson, Bryce Martin, Joe Bean, Tina Bean, Pep Talamantez, Olga Talamantez, David De La Rosa, Francisco Vasquez, Ariana Huerta, Romaldo Cervantez and Alejandra Cruz

Sept. 25 - Riley Williams and Jacqueline Venegas

Sept. 26 - Bill Carson Jr., Adam Onofre, Afton Payne, Jana Harrison, Jay Haire, Chelsea Spence and Derek DeWolfe

Sept. 27 - Lara Sue Baggett, Zachary Polk, Betty Tambunga, Bobbie Griffin, Consuelo Garcia, Eva Vasquez, Tyler Vitela and Lori A. Martinez

Sept. 28 - Mary Welty, Kimberly Balderrama, Mari Longoria, Randy Jones, Edward Chipman Jr. and Bailey Badillo

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MEALS ON WHEELS MENU

- SEPT. 22**
• Pot roast with potatoes and carrots, roll and dessert.
- SEPT. 23**
• Pork chop, dressing, spinach, roll and dessert.
- SEPT. 24**
• Cheeseburger, French Fries, lettuce, tomato and pickle and dessert.

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OZONA GARDEN CLUB NEWS

Organization holds first meeting of the season

BY CHARLOTTE HARRELL
OZONA GARDEN CLUB

The Ozona Garden Club met at the home of Louise Ledoux Monday, Sept. 13, for its first meeting of the season.

Hostesses were Louise Ledoux and Charlotte Harrell. Twelve members and two guests, Ginger Perner and Janie Riggs, were present.

President Jan Van Shoubrouek conducted the business meeting and announced that Dianne Phillips has resigned as club secretary, and Charlotte Harrell agreed to fill that office.

Vice President Jeannine Henderson presented the yearbook for review.

Treasurer Carmen Sutton reported on the club's finances.

Kathleen Shott gave members samples of fresh stevia, an herb used as a sweetener.

Charlotte Harrell pre-

sented a small collection of historic Ozona Garden Club yearbooks, which will be placed in the library.

She encouraged members to locate other old yearbooks to add to the collection.

Jan Van Shoubrouek reminded members of 2010 Lily Fest in San Angelo Saturday, Sept. 18.

Charlotte Harrell distributed copies of an article on tropical gardens from Martha Stewart Living.

Louise Ledoux presented a program on outdoor garden lighting with slides and handouts.

Then, she delighted and surprised members with a series of pictures taken secretly of various members' gardens.

She discussed the present lighting of the gardens and made suggestions on how the gardens could be enhanced in both beauty and safety by additional

lighting features.

Charlotte Harrell noted the fall TGC District VIII convention to be held in Abilene Nov. 12-13 and the TGC fall convention to be held in Tyler, Oct. 17-19.

Members were especially encouraged to attend the district convention in Abilene.

She referred members to the Lone Star Gardener for details of the state convention.

The next meeting will be held Oct. 11, with a program on Native Ornamentals by Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lewis, owners of Native Ornamentals Nursery in Mertzon.

Members in attendance were Arlene Clayton, Charlotte Harrell, Jeannine Henderson, Camille Jones, Louise Ledoux, Pamela Maresch, Jerri Lynn Pierce, Kathleen Shott, Carmen Sutton, Jan Van Shoubrouek, Celia West and Esther Williams.

LIBRARY NEWS

Annual meeting and meal Oct. 4

By LOUISE LEDOUX
CROCKETT COUNTY LIBRARIAN

The Friends of the Library are pleased to announce that Museum Director Howard Taylor of the San Angelo Museum of Fine Arts will present a program on Western Art at the annual meeting of the Friends of the Library.

The meeting on Monday, Oct. 4, at the Civic Center will begin with a catered Mexican buffet meal by the Guadalupanas for \$12 per plate.

Everyone is invited and

urged to R.S.V.P. and buy their tickets early to attend this wonderful Art program and delicious Mexican buffet meal.

Call or come by the Library, 392-3565 at 1201 Ave. G, no later than Friday, Oct. 1, to get your tickets.

We must have an accurate count of tickets before the meal.

Howard Taylor is an engaging speaker and very knowledgeable about all art genres.

He will be bringing several paintings from the SAMFA collection to exhibit

for the program.

The Crockett County Public Library is a member of area outreach by the San Angelo Museum of Fine Arts.

The Library has displayed many works of art on loan from the museum and enjoys using a fine glass display case, which Mr. Taylor obtained through grants for the outreach program.

It is sure to be an entertaining evening full of good food, good company, and a very special speaker and program. R.S.V.P. today!

OBITUARIES

Concha L. Zapata

Concha L. Zapata, 75, died Tuesday, Sept. 14, 2010 in San Angelo. She was born in Langtry, Texas on Dec. 8, 1934, but spent the majority of her life in Ozona. Concha was preceded in death by her husband, Julian (Pete) Zapata.

Concha worked for many years as a tax preparer and was an active member of her community. She was a wonderful wife and mother, as well as grandmother and great-grandmother. She delighted in her family. She volunteered often with Helping Hands and was an active member of the Catholic Church throughout her life. She was an avid reader, had a wonderful sense of humor, and a quick wit that was appreciated by all. She touched the lives and hearts of many, and will be missed immensely.

Concha is survived by three sons and daughters and their families: Melissa and Lloyd Kromis of Salt Lake City, Utah, Elaine Garcia and Elizabeth Martinez, both of San Angelo, Peter and Robin Zapata of Dallas, Paul and Sonya Zapata of Shakopee, Minn., Philip and Alicia Zapata of San Angelo, as well as 12 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. She leaves behind one sister and two brothers: Juanita Gutierrez and Carlos Lopez of Ozona and Justo Lopez of Andrews, Texas. She is also survived by two sisters-in-law: Alicia Lopez of Ozona and Sally Lopez of California, along with a host of nephews, nieces, other family, and good friends.

Funeral service was Friday, Sept. 17, at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial in Lima Cemetery. Arrangements are by Preddy Funeral Home.

Answers on Aging Sept. 30 at the Senior Center

The Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley strives to provide information, assistance, and services to the older citizens of Crockett County. AAA staff will be available to assist individuals on Thursday, Sept. 30, from noon to 1 p.m. at the Crockett County Senior Center.

Needing to learn more about services offered?

"Answers on Aging" is designed to provide information about services and programs available to older individuals.

Needing to apply for services?

Intake Specialists will be available to assist you with any questions you may have. Programs that are housed in the Area Agency on Aging include: Advocacy (Texas Silver Haired Legislature), Benefits Counseling, Care Coordination (Prescription and Utility assistance),

Caregiver Support (Respite Care), Foster Grandparent Program (Mentoring Children), Ombudsman Program (Advocates for Long-Term Care Residents), Senior Companion Program (Companions for the Elderly), and 2-1-1 Texas of the Concho Valley (Information and Referral for health and human services).

A wide variety of printed information regarding each program and related information will also be available.

Feel free to stop by and visit with the Area Agency on Aging staff when we visit your community. We look forward to speaking with you.

For more information, call Toni P. Gutierrez, Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley at (325) 223-5704 or toll-free at 1-877-944-9666 or just by dialing 211.

Museum Photo Contest winners

Winners from the Crockett County Museum's Amateur Photo Contest:

YOUTH 1-8 GRADE COLOR
Tied for 1st Chanz Elliott and 4-H photo 2nd 4-H 3rd Xavier Perez

YOUTH 9-12 COLOR
1st Abby Newton

YOUTH 9-12 BLACK & WHITE/SEPIA
1st Abby Newton
2nd Abby Newton

Adult - There were a lot of ties in the adult categories

BEST IN SHOW
Carmen Sutton

COLOR
1st Kay Stewart
2nd Amy Newton
2nd Kay Stewart
3rd Vivian Childress
3rd Justin Moran

BLACK & WHITE/ SEPIA
1st Carmen Sutton
2nd Amy Newton
3rd Amy Sewell
3rd Kay Stewart

BLAST FROM THE PAST
1st Susie Bishop
1st Susie Bishop
2nd Jean Owens

BOARD MEMBERS
1st Shannon Hunnicutt
2nd Roberta Schoenhals
2nd Camille Allen
3rd Shannon Hunnicutt

THE SCATTERED CARCASSES

We noticed some buzzards circling a good ways from the house and when we got over there to see what was going on it was a sad scene because a coyote had moved in and had been killing sheep. As we drove around we began to see more dead carcasses strewn around. I came home feeling very low and sorrowful because of seeing the scattered remains of what were once live beautiful young sheep, now totally destroyed. Predators do not normally kill the old weak ones, they usually like to kill the young ones. Another thing they are sneaky and sly and many times even try to hide their kill or not let it be so evident. Seeing those dead lamb carcasses reminds me of something in the Bible. You can go around any Church or any town and see dead carcasses scattered all over the place. No they are not sheep sheep, but sheep from God's flock, Christians. Not physically dead but spiritually separated from God. They have not attended Church in a long time or opened a Bible in who knows when. And if they pray it is, "God give me". Our enemy, the Devil, is meaner and craftier than any old coyote, (1 Peter 5:8, Acts 13:10, Ephesians 6:11). We need to watch out (Ephesians 4:27, James 4:7, 1 Timothy 3:6&7, 2 Timothy 2:26). See you in Church next week. Brother J

<p>First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D Pastor Chris Johnson Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6 p.m. Awanas: Wednesday - 5:30 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. Pastor Ron Shott Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wed. Worship - 5 p.m.-Meal, 5:30 p.m.-Study</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>Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St. Pastor Tom Baden Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m. Bible Class: Sunday - 6 p.m.</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. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida Corner of Secretariat & Man O' War Pastor Juan Avila Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Iglesia de Dios De La Profecia 102 Man O' War St. Pastor Maria C. Salcedo Lunes: 6:00 p.m. Domingo: 9:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Martes: 6:00 p.m. Jueves: 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Our Lady of Perpetual Help 219 Martinez St. Fr. Felix Okeke Sun. Mass: 11 a.m. Sat.: 7 p.m. Tues. - Fri.: 6 p.m.</p>
<p>Calvary Baptist Church 601 Ave. I Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Sunday Worship: 6 p.m. Wednesday Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday</p>	
<p>New Beginnings Church 701 9th Street Pastor Carlos Cantu Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Iglesia de Cristo Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run Interim - Ray Valadez Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.</p>	

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS

Treto's Tire & Towing chosen as August Business of the Month

BY SHANON BIGGERSTAFF
CHAMBER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Chamber of Commerce would like to recognize Treto's Tire & Towing as our August Business of the Month.

Treto's Tire & Towing is a family owned and operated business.

It initially started as a welding business out of Eliseo Sr.'s home in 2002.

"My dad really enjoys welding and has a love of building things. He discovered there was a demand for a tire shop. So in 2004 we moved the welding business and expanded our services to include tire repair. It wasn't until 2009 that we began the towing operation," said Rigo.

"Our very first customer, and long time friend, was Sony Malone. He was a good man and he supported us when we opened the shop," said Eliseo Sr.

"We really appreciate the business and work very hard to provide the best service, at the best price within our means. Business is good, but there are more customers than there are enough hours



TRETO'S TIRE & TOWING has been chosen by the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors as the August Business of the Month. Pictured are: (left to right) Eliseo Treto Sr., Rigo Treto, Eliseo Treto Jr. and J.D. Borrego.

in the day. We feel in order to give the best customer service, we need to have the best equipment. The biggest problem is maintaining that equipment," said Rigo. "One of the services that we offer, is if a vehicle breaks down that we have to tow, and the customer is stranded, we will drive them home. We have driven people to New Mexico, El Paso and San Antonio. So it is important that our equipment is comfortable for traveling. Customer service is our number one priority."

Treto's Tire & Towing is AAA approved. They are open Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. - 6 p.m., and on Saturday from 6 a.m. - noon.

Their services include tire repair, towing, oil changes, car washes, brake work, minor vehicle repairs, trailer service and repair, and sell some parts and accessories.

For more information call 392-9111, 392-5263 or 650-3507.

DAVY CROCKETT: Proceeds benefit Ozona Community Center

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He feels it is necessary to relay that love to the fans who are so dedicated to it as well.

There is no doubt that Jake is strongly influenced by the sounds of Ray Price, Johnny Bush, Farron Young, Curtis Potter, Leon Rausch and Darrell McCall.

He spends much of his spare time studying these artists' music in depth. Jake is consumed by his dedication to the music and his hobbies include playing the drums and learning the steel guitar.

Jake's graceful and professional image on the bandstand, along with his voice and talented band, make his show unbeatable.

His band is the Outsiders and it is made up of Rick Price, Randy Elmore, Rocky King and John Jenkins.

"He is great to see. You have just as much fun listening to him as you do dancing along. He's loved by all generations, kids to grandparents," said Andi Richardson, festival coordinator.

Tickets are \$15 pre-sale

and \$20 at the door. There will be a booth at the festival selling tickets.

All proceeds go to the Ozona Community Center.

For more information,

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School board to hold regular meeting tonight

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County CCSD Board of Trustees will hold their regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. tonight (Sept. 22) at the Administration Building.

- Items on the agenda:
- Transportation and maintenance report.
- Principals report.
- Athletic Director report.
- Financial report and bills.
- Superintendent report - enrollment update and construction update

- Consent agenda: Approve Minutes from the Regular Meeting held Aug. 25, 2010, approve minutes from the Special Meeting held Sept. 8, 2010 and approve amendments to the 2010-2011 Official Budget.
- Consider proposals for irrigation and landscape at Ozona Elementary.
- Consider approval of Shared Services Agreement with Menard Special Education Coop for 2010-2011.
- Consider Make Education a Priority Acknowledgement and Resolution.
- Resolution regarding Extracurricular Status of 4-H

- Organizations.
- Consider TASB Policy Update 88 - Policy Update 88, affecting local policies: electronic communication and data management, employee standards of conduct and academic achievement - retention and promotion
- Executive/Closed Session - Texas Government Code Chapter 551 for personnel matters
- Possible action from Closed Session.
- Future Business - October 2010 Regular Board Meeting, Oct. 20, 2010 and Facility/Maintenance Workshop.

OHS students, parents invited to ASU College Fair

Ozona High School 10th, 11th, and 12th grade students and parents are invited to attend ASU's College Fair on Oct. 5.

Colleges and Universities from all over the state will have booths set up with representatives from those schools ready to answer all your questions.

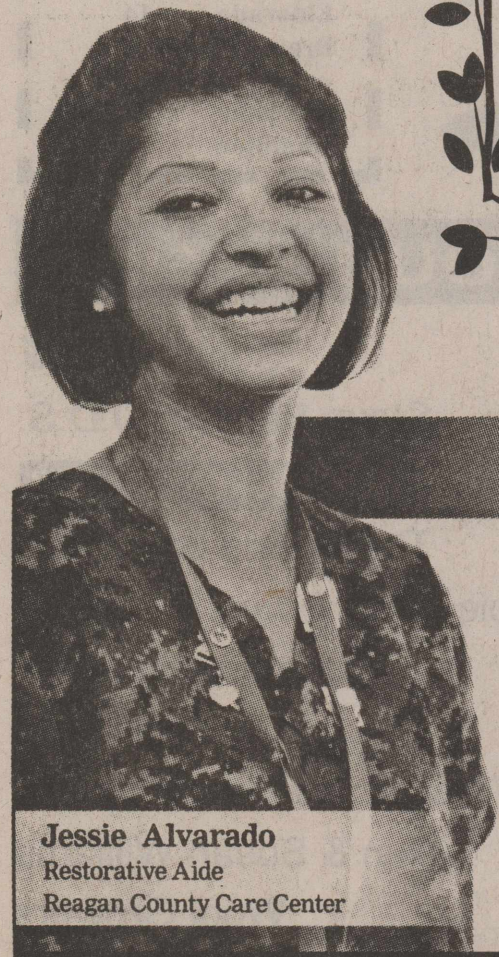
A financial aid workshop sponsored by ASU will also take place for any of you who would like to attend.

Transportation on CCCSD buses will be provided for both parents and

students. Buses will load and leave from OHS at 4:15 p.m. Deadline to sign-up is Friday, Oct. 1. Students may sign up

in the OHS Go Center. For more information, call Carol Stevens, OHS Guidance Counselor, or Susie duBois, OHS College Readiness Coordinator, at 392-5711.

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Lara, Mark Gallardo, Kyle Dean and Mendez would move the ball down the field to the Van Horn 7-yardline. On the next play, Van Horn would intercept the ball.

"We played better offensively and were able to move the ball, just made critical mistakes and turned the ball over in scoring position. If we will remain focused, our mistakes can be fixed and we will find ways to win," said Coach Ray Brown.

On the Eagles' next series, Ozona would recover a fumble to give the Lions the ball back. However, another Van Horn interception would lead to the Eagles second touchdown by Daniel Corralez making it 12-0 at the end of the first half.

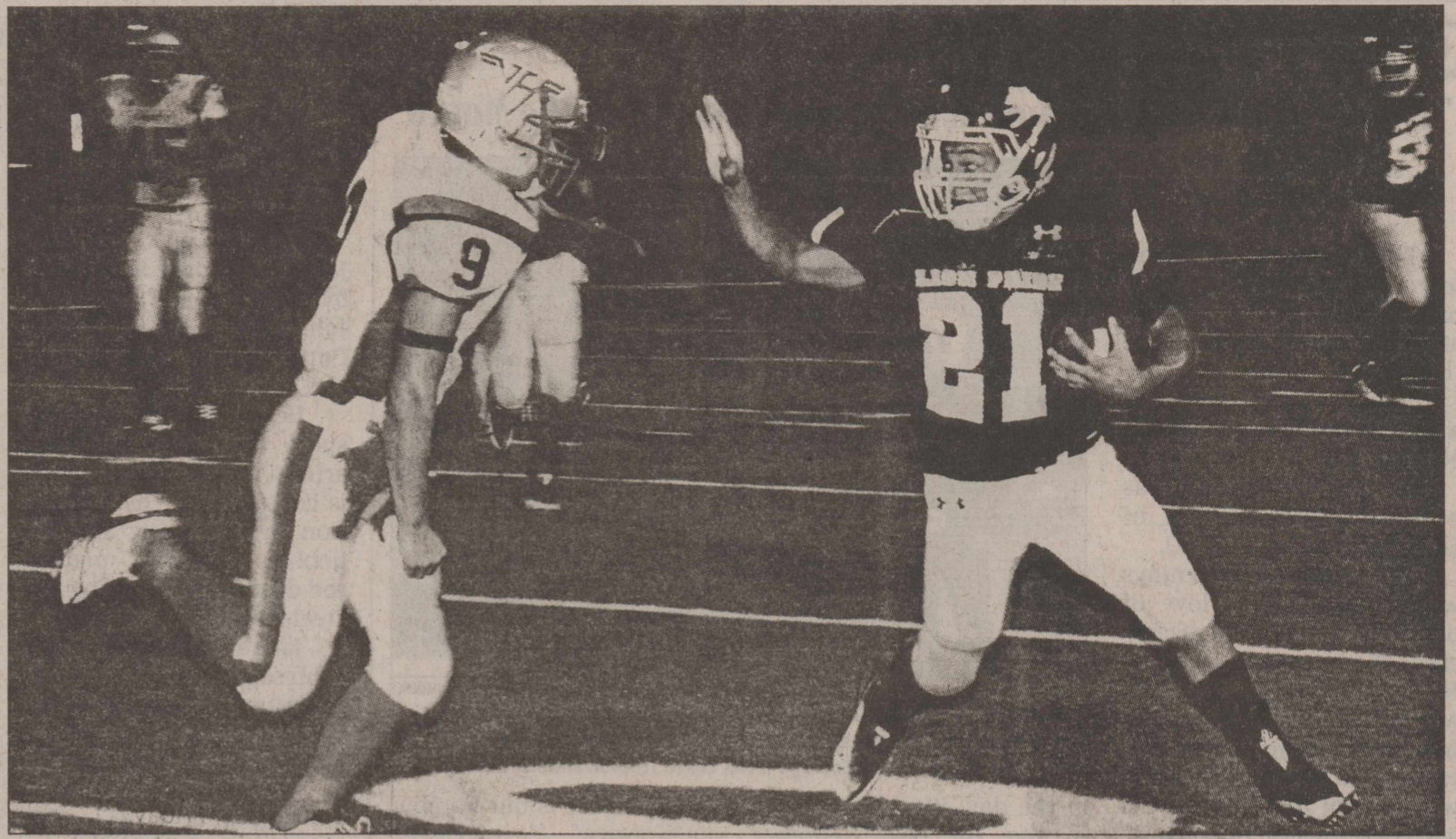
At the start of the third, the Lions would lose the ball again on their next offensive series, but the defense

would hold off the Eagles. Ozona finally found a rhythm as Vargas took off down the field for a 46-yard run to put the Lions at the Eagles' 9-yardline. Deap would punch it into the end zone two plays later to put Ozona on the board at 12-6 in the third.

However, the Eagles would quickly answer back in the beginning of the fourth as Corralez scored his touchdown of the game to give Van Horn the 18-6 lead.

With Lara at the helm, Alex Borrego would catch the ball and run it to the Van Horn 15-yardline. Jarrod duBois then grabbed the ball to put Ozona at the five. Lara would run it in on the next play for the 18-12 score at the end of the game.

Ozona is now 1-2 overall going into Friday's game against McCamey. The Badgers are 1-3, coming off a 45-7 loss to Stanton. Game time is 7:30 p.m. Friday at McCamey.



KYLE DEAN PREPARES TO STIFF-ARM VAN HORN'S #9 BRYAN ALVARADO TO GAIN SOME YARDS FOR THE VARSITY LIONS in their Sept. 17 game against the Eagles held in Midland Christian Stadium in Midland.



THE OHS MIGHTY LION BAND, "THE PRIDE OF CROCKETT COUNTY" gave an outstanding performance at during halftime.



#74 TRES PEREZ (L) HIKES THE BALL TO QB ALEJANDRO MENDEZ in the Ozona Lions 18-12 loss to the Van Horn Eagles.

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THE OZONA LION BAND DRUMLINE ADDS A DRAMATIC FLAIR TO THE HALFTIME PERFORMANCE at the varsity football game on Sept. 17.



OHS BAND STUDENTS OF THE WEEK ARE: (l. to r.) Bethani Trevino, Abelika Estrada, Vivian Medina and Saul Vargas.

LIONS VS. MCCAMEY
Friday, Sept. 24
7:30 p.m. in McCamey

PEP RALLY
3:00 p.m. at Davidson Gym

Thursday, Sept. 23
7TH LIONS VS. TLC
5 p.m. in San Angelo

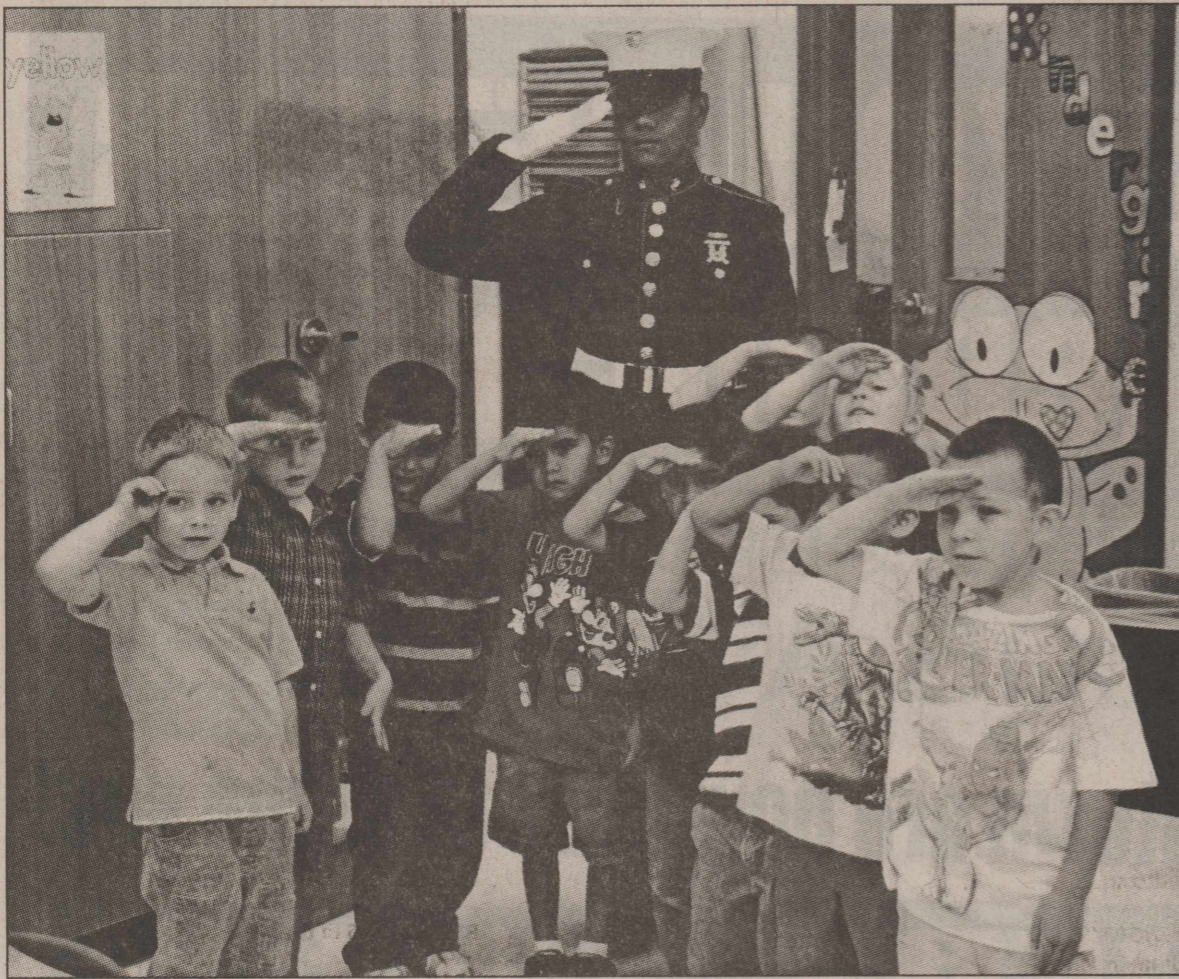
8TH & JV LIONS VS. MCCAMEY
5 p.m. at Lion Stadium

WEST TEXAS SCORES

Clint	43
Alpine	41
Brady	46
Comanche	27
Coahoma	37
Crane	7
Colorado City	39
Coleman	0
Junction	31
Johnson City	19
Sonora	46
Brackett	0
Stanton	45
McCamey	7
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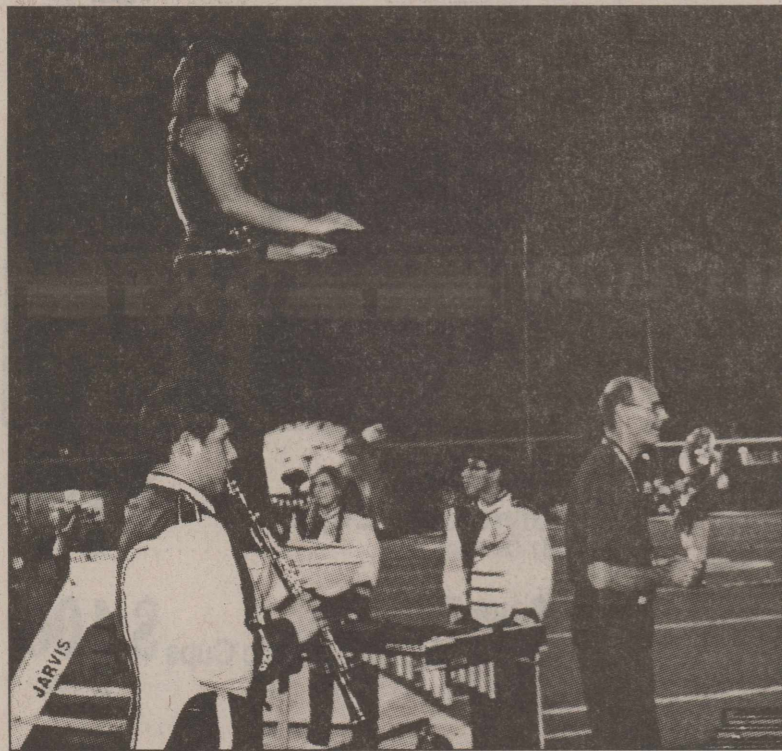
LALO LONGORIA, a recent United States Marine Corps boot camp graduate, visited with the Ozona Elementary Students last week.

Lady Lions fifth, Lions eighth at ASU Stampede

The OHS Lady Lions and Lions competed in the ASU Stampede Saturday in San Angelo. In the 1A-3A Division, the Lady Lions came in fifth as team. Team Totals: 1. Harper; 2. Sonora; 3. Central; 4. Wall; 5. Ozona; 6. Andrews; 7. Wall JV; 8. Big Spring; 9. Lake View Miller; 10. Eldorado; 11. Reagan County; 13. Eden and 14. Reagan County JV. Alex Rodriguez finished fourth with a time of 13 minutes, 37 seconds. Close behind her was Daisy Guerra, seventh at 14:07, and Crystal Vasquez, 10th at 14:11. Also running for the Lady Lions: 62. Melanie Miller, 16:31; 66. Sabrina De La Garza, 16:40 and 70.

Lexi Poindexter, 16:49. The Lions placed eighth in the 1A-3A Division. Team Totals: 1. Andrews; 2. Harper; 3. Wall; 4. Sonora; 5. Big Spring; 6. Water Valley; 7. Central; 8. Ozona; 9. Eldorado and 10. Christoval. Saul Vargas was the top runner for the Lions, placing 16th at 19:12.82. Luis Soto was 20th at 19:23.82.

Also running for the Lions: 41. Josiah Jurado, 21:08.9; 83. Tevin Cordova, 24:18.52; 89. Weston Seahorn, 25:12.46 and 102. Jeffery Sanchez, 27:25.86. Running for the Ozona JV Team was: 84. Austin Perez, 24:20.21; 98. Deep Patel, 26:15.29; 103. Robbie Sanchez, 27:32.84 and 106. Cris Taylor, 27:49.09. The Lions and Lady Lions will compete Saturday in the annual "Running With the Lions" Invitational at the Ozona Country Club.



DRUM MAJOR JILL MARQUEZ DIRECTS THE OHS BAND during their halftime performance on Sept. 17. Also pictured are: (r.) OHS band director Stephen Martin, Austin Perez (l.) and Telsa Caperton and Chris Cantu in the background.

Homecoming events start Monday

OHS Homecoming Week starts Monday, Sept. 27. The annual Dress-Up Days will be:
 • Monday - Pajama Day (school appropriate).
 • Tuesday - Cowboy Up Day
 • Wednesday - Nerd Day
 • Thursday - Favorite Team
 • Friday - Purple & Gold Spirit Day

The annual Bonfire will be at dark Thursday, Sept. 30, across from the Senior Center.

The Parade will be at 2:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 1, starting in front of the Davidson Gym.

The route will be the same as last year, making sure to go by the Care Center and parking on the visitors side for floats and home side for spectators at Lion Stadium.

The Pep Rally will begin at Lion Stadium after all the floats have arrived.

Ozona Woman's League will host their annual brisket dinner with serving starting at 5 p.m. Friday at the Civic Center. Cost is \$8 per plate.

Crowning of the Homecoming Queen will take place at 7 p.m. Friday at Lion Stadium prior to the Lions' game against Reagan County.

For more information, or to sign a float up for the parade, call the OHS Office at 392-5501 ext. 5711.

STOCKMAN DEADLINE: MONDAY AT NOON!



VALYSSA HARTMAN, DAUGHTER OF ARNIE AND BONNIE HARTMAN, competed Saturday, Sept. 11 at the Texas Elite Gymnastics Academy in Lubbock. It was a district qualifying meet for the 2010 season and there were 68 girls in her division from El Paso, Amarillo, Lubbock, Abilene, San Angelo, Midland, Odessa and Big Spring. She won first place on the beam and vault, second place on floor and third place on bars. She will compete Saturday, Sept. 18 at Central High School in San Angelo.

This Saturday in Ozona!
SEPTEMBER 25TH
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Ozona Woman's League invites you to our Oct. 1 **HOME COMING Brisket Dinner**

\$8 per plate
 Brisket, Sausage, Cole Slaw, Beans & Cobbler

Located at the **Crockett County Civic Center, across from Lion Stadium.**

Serving starts at 5 p.m. and ends at kickoff

Proceeds benefit the **Ozona Woman's League scholarship fund**

Youth Center Calendar of Events

Sept. 24
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Sept. 27
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Sept. 28
 OMS Food Night - 7-10 p.m.

Sept. 13
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LEVIS & LACE SQUARE DANCE NEWS

Group to dance Saturday at the Davy Crockett Festival

BY CAROL ADCOCK
LEVIS AND LACE SQUARE DANCERS

On Saturday Sept. 11, Levis and Lace hosted a square dance to the calling of Tracey Dowell from McCauley, Texas.

Dancers twirled around the floor dancing to the callers mainstream and plus calling.

Visitor callers who called were John Geen from Promenade Square in San Angelo and Tracey Young from Levis and Lace in Ozona.

Between tips of music there was dancing to the waltz, line dancing, and folk dancing.

Members who attended were Carol Adcock, Tracey Young, JoAnn Couch, Jim Couch, Raul DeLaRosa, Lucy Hinde, Frank Fred, Danny Monzingo and Tammi Monzingo.

Visitors were Yetta Masters from Barnhart, Sally and Ernie Wolfe from Concho Squares in San Angelo, John and Nora Geen from Promenade Squares in San Angelo, and Debra Fred from Ozona.

Levis and Lace dancers have been joining together with other dancers to practice their routine for the Tex-



TRACYE YOUNG | LEVIS AND LACE SQUARE DANCERS
GUESTS AT THE LEVIS AND LACE SQUARE DANCE: (left to right) John Geen, Nora Geen, Yetta Masters, Melinda Malone, Sally Wolfe, Ernie Wolfe and Tracey Dowell.

as State Fair in Dallas, Texas in October.

Levis and Lace will be dancing in the gazebo at the square for Davy Crockett Days at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 25.

They will then go to the Crockett County Senior building for a regular dance from 4-6 p.m. to the caller Tracey Young of Ozona.

Levis and Lace are currently starting square dance lessons. Lessons are free to all. They will be held at the Crockett County Civic Cen-

ter in the small room.

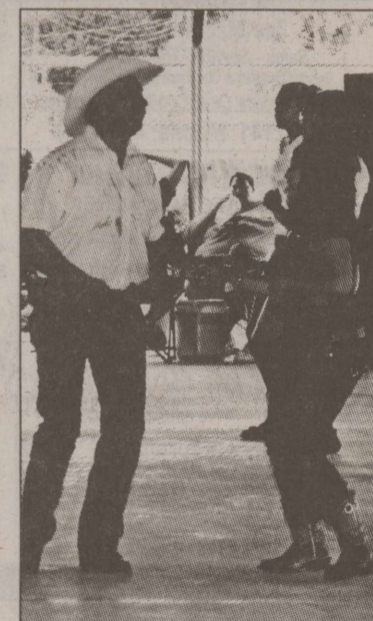
If you would like more information, call Carol Adcock at 392-2912.

Come join us for fun and fellowship set to music.

We currently dance on the second and fourth Saturday of each month at 7 p.m. These dances are held at the Crockett County Senior Citizens Center.

The dance on Oct. 9 has been cancelled due to the club will be dancing in the state fair.

Dies y Sies de Septiembre Festival



CHAMBER: Members give testimonials

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Shannon Hunnicutt, of Crockett County Abstract, spoke on how she helped two people who were visiting Ozona close on some retirement property.

"They put money in my pocket, a hotel and restaurants. That is exactly the kind of results the chamber works for," she said. "I want everyone that comes through to want to live in Ozona."

Gregg Underwood with Robert Massie Funeral Home said the chamber worked his business on holding a viewing for a local family.

"It was a wonderful event for that family," Underwood said.

Kerrie Baker, owner of Kerrie's Creations, said the chamber helped her business get in contact with the Go Texan program. Baker's products will be featured at the State Fair in Dallas this year.

"If you are proactive in your business, many things can happen," Baker said.

While driving through Ozona, Daryl Copeland found out Ozona had no body shop. When he began work on Ozona Body Shop, he said he immediately joined the chamber.

"I was immediately impressed by the energy the chamber puts forth," he said.

Sally Bailey Oglesby-Harris said that everyone should try to serve on the chamber board.

"It was an eye-opening experience," she said about



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN
GREGG UNDERWOOD (left) of Robert Massie Funeral Home visits with Ozona Chamber of Commerce Board of Director Will Seahorn at the Sept. 14 Chamber Banquet held at the Civic Center.

her time on the board. "Everybody that I served with put themselves in last place and thought first about this community."

KHOS/KYXX Radio DJ Eligio Martinez said he was grateful for the chamber's help in their recent open house and ribbon cutting.

"They really bring a sense of community," Martinez said. "I encourage all of you to become members."

Executive Director, Shannon Biggerstaff, recognized and thanked Lynda Falkner and Beth

Hoover for their volunteer assistance.

"These ladies have such

a good time that I don't know if they truly realize how much they are appreciated, and what a tremendous help they are to us," said Biggerstaff.

Both ladies received a certificate for dinner for two.

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Last day of class is Nov. 15. For more information, registration and cost, call Eddie Martin at (325) 392-3404.

FOR THE RECORD: WEEKLY COURT PROCEEDINGS

BAIL BONDS
• Ronald L. Kell, Hodge, La., theft by check, class B misdemeanor, \$1,000.
• Lajuana Renee Villarreal, Odessa, possession of dangerous drug, class A misdemeanor, \$5,000.
• Belia Castro Garza, Ozona, theft by check, class B misdemeanor, \$2,000 PR Bond.
• Sandra Borrego, Ozona, prohibited substance in a correctional facility, felony, \$10,000.
• Valentino Castillo,

Ozona, driving while license invalid/suspended with previous conditions, misdemeanor, \$2,000.
• Jorge Cardoza, San Angelo, cooperative agreements with states on fuel tax, misdemeanor, \$5,000.
• Ernesto Stephen Villarreal, Ozona, disorderly conduct, class C misdemeanor, \$1,100.

The above information was obtained from the Crockett County Clerk's Office

EMS DEPARTMENT RUNS

SEPT. 14
• 911 call - No treatment, no transport
SEPT. 15
• 911 call - Shannon Medical Center, transport and treatment
SEPT. 16
• Emergency transfer - Shannon Medical Center, transport and treatment
• 911 call - Family Health Clinic, transport and treatment
SEPT. 17

• Emergency transfer - Shannon Medical Center, transport and treatment.
• 911 call - No treatment, no transport
• 911 call - Family Health Clinic, transport and treatment
SEPT. 19
• Emergency transfer - San Angelo Community Med, transport and treatment
• 911 call - Treatment, no transport

FIRE DEPARTMENT RUNS

SEPT. 13
• 12:28 p.m. - Motor vehicle accident, mile-marker 328 I-10, Sheffield Fire and Pecos County EMS already on scene, Ozona units cancel. Two units, three firefighters. Time in service 1 hour 22 minutes.
• 11:36 p.m. - Tree on fire 30 miles west of Eldorado on U.S. Hwy 190. Canceled call was east of Eldorado and Menard FD handled. Three units, seven firefighters. Time in service 1 hour 5 minutes.
SEPT. 14

• 10:09 a.m. - Motor vehicle accident, 362 mile-marker I-10, trailer blocking lane, worked traffic. Two units, eight firefighters. Time in service 1 hour 39 minutes.
SEPT. 16
• 8:41 p.m. - Motor vehicle accident, mile-marker 352 I-10, one vehicle off roadway, worked traffic. Four units, seven firefighters. Time in service 1 hour 7 minutes.
SEPT. 17
• 2:41 a.m. - Motor vehicle accident at Loop 266 one mile east, one vehicle accident, worked traffic. Two units, four firefighters. Time in service 2 hours 7 minutes.

2011 Texas Conservation Awards Program

The Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board and the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts in cooperation with the state's 216 soil and water conservation districts annually sponsor the Texas Conservation Awards Program to recognize and honor those who dedicate themselves and their talents to the conservation and wise use of renewable natural resources.

The theme for students this year is "Forests for People-More Than You Can Imagine". The posters will be judged at the local soil and water conservation district level with winning posters sent to area-level competition. The state winner will be selected from the winners of the five area competitions. The 2011 entries must be postmarked and received in our district office by Jan. 14, 2011.

On the local level the conservation awards program provides opportunities for competition and incentives to help our conservation district expand and improve conservation efforts, resource development, and increase the wise utilization of renewable natural resources.

The Essay Contest is open to boys and girls in two age categories - ages 13 and under, and ages 14 to 18 years. The contest theme "Why Soil and Water Conservation is Important to My Future" provides participating students with the opportunity to express in a written format the importance of soil and water resources and how they are linked to providing food and clean water.

Though our district has several categories for which local citizens are honored for their soil, water and related natural resources conservation efforts, two primary categories are a major focal point of the district. These categories focus on a poster and essay contest for youth in our district.

The essays will be judged on the local district level with winning essays sent to the area level. The state winner will be selected from the five area winners. As with the poster contest, the 2011 essay entries must be postmarked and received in our district office by Jan. 14, 2011

The poster contest is open to boys and girls, ages 12 and under. The district's expected artistic content of a poster is for a student to graphically demonstrate the importance of conservation of soil, water and related renewable resources within the realm of their community environment.

Both state winners in the poster and essay contest are recognized and honored at the annual state meeting of soil and water conservation district directors.

STATE: from page 2

The state claims the EPA's Endangerment Finding is legally unsupported because the agency outsourced its scientific assessment to organizations that "relied on flawed science to conclude that greenhouse emissions endanger public health and welfare."

Workforce Commission reported on Sept. 17.

Abbott, acting on behalf of the state, is asking the court to prevent the EPA from imposing its greenhouse gas regulations until the state's pending legal challenge is resolved. On July 26, Abbott filed a legal challenge in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit in New Orleans to the EPA's decision to disapprove the state's Flexible Permits Program.

In contrast, the national unemployment rate was 9.6 percent for the month of August.

LICENSE DIVISION TO BE REORGANIZED

The Texas Public Safety Commission on Sept. 17 approved a reorganization plan for the Texas Department of Public Safety's Driver License Division.

According to an official news release, the reorganization will focus on "improving customer service, protecting the public and making the Driver License Division a more desirable place to work."

IT'S TIME AGAIN FOR THOSE FLU SHOTS

The Department of State Health Services is encouraging every Texan to get a flu vaccination in the fall. The official first day of the season is Sept. 22.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE RISES SLIGHTLY

The state's unemployment rate for August rose slightly to 8.3 percent, up from 8.2 percent in July, the Texas

DPS corporal killed in traffic collision

A DPS Highway Patrol corporal was killed in an on-duty traffic crash Monday night in Montague County.

Corporal David Ralph Slaton, 56, was killed in a two-vehicle wreck two miles south of Ringgold. The Montague County Sheriff's Office received a 911 call reporting the crash at 10:42 p.m.

Slaton, who was stationed in Bowie, was driving his patrol car northbound on US 81. Brett Douglas Noga, 37, from Morrison, Okla., was driving a 2007 Peterbilt truck-tractor-semi-trailer southbound on 81. Investigators believe that Slaton struck a cow in his lane, and the impact of the collision caused his vehicle to go into the southbound lane. The two vehicles struck head-on in the southbound lane.

Noga, the driver of the truck-tractor-semi-trailer, was not injured and was not transported to a medical facility. Cpl. Slaton's body was taken to the Southwestern Institute of Forensic Sciences in Dallas.

The Texas Highway Patrol Crash Investigation Team will conduct an investigation of the wreck.

Slaton joined DPS in 1974 and had been stationed in Bowie for his entire career. Funeral arrangements are pending. Slaton is survived by his wife and a son.

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Prime Operating/Mid	10000	Brown #1	Patterson Oil/Midland 169	Drig Ahead 8990
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Schleicher County				
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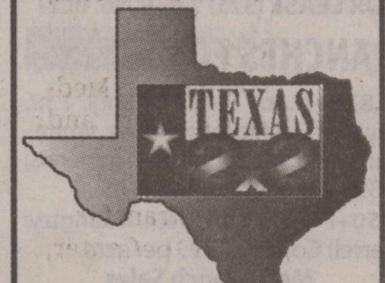
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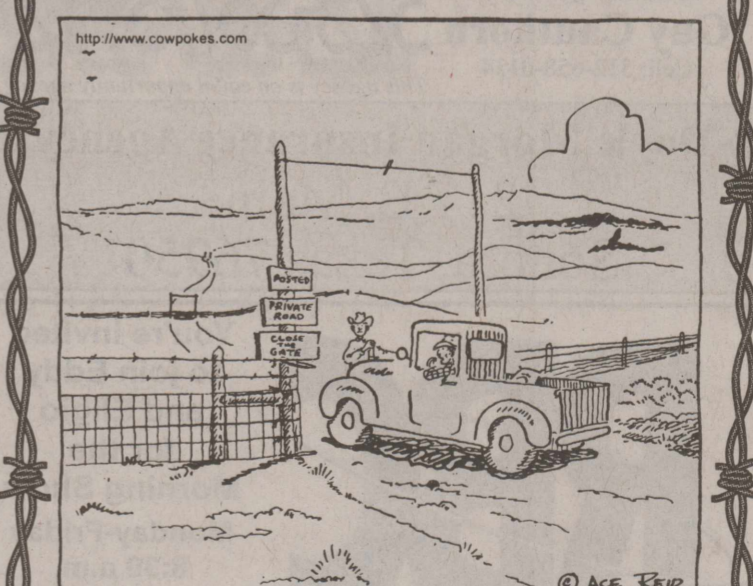
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