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17 Crockett 4-H Clubbers Showing Stock At Angelo

Lambs, Breeding Sheep And Calves Entered In Judging

County Agent Pete Jacoby and 17 Crockett county 4-H Club members are in San Angelo to show livestock in the annual San Angelo Fat Stock Show which gets under way there today.

The San Angelo show got under way this morning with the judging of fat lambs. Ozona 4-H Clubbers showing fat lambs there are Bryan Montgomery, Frank Childress, Billy Troy and Larry Williams, Jimmy Baggett, Mark and Penn Baggett, Bill Black, Howard Mock, Bob Childress, Bill and David Jacoby and Joe Everett.

Paul Perner and Jay Miller each will show a group of commercial ewe lambs.

Pierce and Jay Miller, Pam Jones and Joe Everett will show breeding sheep. Billy Troy and Larry Williams will show one steer and four Hereford heifers. In addition to the cattle, sheep numbers total 24 fat lambs, 17 head of registered Rambouillet and 6 commercial ewe lambs.

Sale of fat lambs will be held at the San Angelo Show auction ring on Saturday morning. The show will end Saturday this year, since no rodeo is being held this year in conjunction with the livestock show because the new coliseum was not completed in time.

Gas Sales at Semmler Station Friday To Go To Red Cross Benefit

James Semmler, owner of the Semmler Texaco Service station announced this week that he will assign a percentage of all gasoline and motor oil sales to the local Red Cross fund drive on Friday of this week.

One cent per gallon on every gallon of gasoline sold that day and 5 cents on every quart of oil will be donated to the Red Cross fund drive, the station owner said. "Aid the Red Cross with your gasoline purchases here Friday," is his invitation.

The Red Cross fund Drive was kicked off Monday morning under the direction of Drive Chairman Pleas Childress. Representatives from the various women's organizations of the town assisted in the house-to-house solicitation of funds for the mercy organization. The drive will continue through the month of March.

Abilene Firm Wins Contract On Highway 290 East

Johnson, Gurley Widening Projects Up For Letting

A contract for 14.817 miles of construction on U. S. Highway 290 in Crockett County has been awarded to an Abilene, Texas firm, it was announced in Austin this week by the State Highway Commission.

Harry Campbell submitted the low bid of \$130,767.76 on the project. Construction of flexible base and surfacing located from Powell St. in Ozona, east to the Sutton County Line, a distance of 14.817 miles, is provided in the contract is expected to take 90 working days, according to J. A. Snell, District Highway Engineer at San Angelo.

Robert A. McCulloch, Resident Engineer at Sonora will be in active charge of the project while it is under construction.

The paved section of the highway is to be widened two feet on each side to a total width of 24 feet from the present 20 feet, and new surface applied the entire width, shoulders extending the road crown to a total width of 34 feet.

Family Has Narrow Escape From Death In Gas Filled Ranch House

Mrs. Gene Williams, her two children and niece, Grace Chandler, owe their escape from suffocation by gas fumes to the prompt action by a couple of Mexican bracero ranch hands last week.

While Mr. Williams was gone for a week-end fishing trip, Mrs. Williams and the children went for a week-end stay at the ranch, a part of the Tom Smith ranch.

All of them ill throughout the night, Mrs. Williams thought that they had suffered a virus attack or food poisoning and early Saturday morning sent the Mexican ranch hands to the Smith headquarters with instructions to phone her sister, Mrs. Earle Chandler, to come bringing them to town.

Unable to get telephone connections, the men went back to the ranch and when they could not rouse Mrs. Williams, entered the house and found her near unconscious and the children in similar condition. They smelled the gas and opened windows and then helped Mrs. Williams and the children out of the house. All were treated at the Crockett County hospital from effects of breathing the gas, which was escaping from an improperly adjusted gas-burning refrigerator.

1958 March Of Dimes Here Totalled \$1146

Crockett county residents contributed a total of \$1146.98 to the 1958 March of Dimes Campaign on behalf of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Frank James, county chairman, announced this week.

Personal gifts totalled \$225, the North Elementary School collected \$165 and the high school \$13.91. The Mother March produced \$507.57, the coin boxes \$134.55 and the cafe coffee days \$100.95.

Girl Scouts Cookie Sale Profits Go To New Camp Fund

All over the United States, at 4 p. m. on Friday, March 7, Girl Scouts and Brownies will be starting their annual cookie sale.

The Frontier Council, made up of ten counties, this year has a much greater incentive to sell cookies than ever before. For the first time, they have Girl Camp site in their own territory to help develop. Heretofore, arrangements have been made with Boy Scout Camps to accommodate camping groups. The new camp will be available to all counties of the council for year round camping.

Thanks to the generosity of a neighboring county ranchman, who prefers that his name not be used, 245.5 acres have been secured and approved by National Council officials. The camp site is located in Real County, and is situated on the Nueces River. Currently it is undeveloped, but a storeroom for tents and other camp supplies belonging to the Council and accessible to all camping groups, is being planned and will be ready for use in a couple of months.

Each of the ten counties in the Frontier Council have voted this year to use all of the cookie money profit, except the 5c per box given the individual troops, for camp development.

Charles Sowers Makes Sul Ross Honor Roll

Alpine, Texas — The 1957-58 Fall Semester College Honor List of Sul Ross State College has been announced. Among the ninety-three students listed was Charles A. Sowers, a graduate of Ozona High School.

A junior student majoring in Industrial Arts, Charles maintained an average of 3.33, which placed him in the upper 15% of the student body for the fall semester. He and his wife are presently living in Brick Cottage 130, Sul Ross Box 195, Alpine, Texas.

FOR RENT — New 3-room furnished house. Mrs. Ross Beardmore, Phone 370-J. ltp

Contract To Be Let March 24 On Flood Dam No. 6

Will Be Fifth In Series of Control Dams Under Construction

Notice to bidders has been issued by the Commissioners Court of Crockett County for bids on construction of the fifth in a series of seven flood control dams on Johnson Draw and its tributaries.

Bids will be received by the court, the contracting body, March 24 for construction of the flood control dam at Site No. 6. This site is the nearest to Ozona, blocking the big draw which joins Johnson about two miles north of Ozona. The dam site is just south of the Big Lake highway. It will be one of the larger dams in the series.

Meanwhile, contracts were being prepared ready for signing with the Frank Montgomery Construction Co. of Midland, low bidder on construction of the dam at Site No. 5. Bids were received last week by the court on this project and Mr. Montgomery's bid of \$76,916.55 was low of six bids submitted.

Members of the Court and the Soil Conservation Service completed an investigation of Montgomery's equipment and financial condition during the past week and found everything satisfactory, it was indicated. Contracts were to have been completed in a few days and the work put under way.

7 In Race For School Board In April 5 Election

Deadline For Filing For Trustee Posts Passed March 5

With the passing of the deadline yesterday for filing for places on the ballot in the annual school board election, set for April 5, names of seven candidates had been filed with County Judge Houston Smith.

Voters will be required to fill four places on the district board of school trustees at the coming election. Terms of four present members expiring are Dempster Jones, board chairman, not a candidate for re-election, Hartley Johnigan, not a candidate for re-election, Byron Stuart and Earl Deland, both candidates for re-election.

Other candidates whose names will appear on the ballot are J. B. Miller, M. A. Lemmons, Roy Pearson, James Childress and Carl Appel. Order of appearance on the ballot will be determined by lot.

Holdover members of the board are Quebe Alford, Bill Carson and Glenn Sutton.

Miss Wanda Carden Presented In Piano Recital By Trinity

Miss Wanda Carden, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Henry H. Carden of San Antonio, and Miss Kathryn McDowell, both pianists, were presented in junior recital by the music department of Trinity University in San Antonio Monday night.

Miss Carden, a former Ozonan and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watson of Ozona, and Miss McDowell are students at Trinity University. They played two-piano and solo selections, including compositions by Bach, Mozart, Beethoven, Bartok, Debussy, Chopin, Milhaud and Schumann.

The recital, held in Ruth Taylor Concert Hall, starting at 8 p. m. Monday evening, was attended by Mrs. Watson and Miss Wanda Watson of Ozona.

MOCK LEASES STATION

H. R. Mock has leased the Phillips 66 Filling Station at the Woody Mason Motor Co. and is now in active management of the business. The station is to be known as Mock's Phillips Station.

Weather Gives Lion Tracksters Extra Week Of Preparation; Entered This Week In Brady To Be In Readiness For Own Meet Next Week

By Ernie Boyd

The Ozona track team continued to find the weather its main obstacle as members prepared to travel to Brady this week to open their 1958 season.

Heavy rains in the Eldorado area forced the postponement of the Eldorado meet to the 29th of this month and gave the Lions another week to get ready.

Even though Coaches Chick Womack and Sonny Cleere have more proven performers this year than during any year recently, the task of finding more point makers is a most important one.

Junction will be top heavy favorites in the district this season, as usual but the Lions can more than match the Eagles in a number of events and if a number of third and fourth place point getters can be developed then the local team could make it hot for the Kimbell County crew.

Over fifty boys have been out for track for several weeks and more recently the addition of the basketball team has set the team in good shape as far as numbers go.

Development of 440 and mile relay teams will be of prime importance but at the moment prospects seem dim for the mile event.

Bobby Sutton, Bobby Vargas, Jerry Jacobs, Tony Parker, and Jim Doran give the Lions the speed for a fast quartet that promises to be one of the best for the Lions in years.

The same crew will run the 880 relay but that event is not included in the district meet.

The broad jump seems to be another Lion strong point with last year's district champion, Bobby Vargas getting strong competition from team mates Jerry Jacobs and Bill Holden, all three have topped 21 feet so far this year in practice.

Holden, Jacobs and Vargas are also the top Lions in high jump, an event where Junction picked up 12 points last season.

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Highway Dept. To Let Contract For Bridge March 18th

\$130,767 Project To Require 90 Work Days For Completion

Texas State Highway Department will receive bids on March 18 for construction of a new, longer and wider bridge over Johnson Draw on U. S. Highway 290 in Ozona. A notice to contractors on the project is published in this week's issue of The Stockman.

Reconstruction of the Johnson Draw bridge became a necessity for completion of the channel improvement part of the Johnson Draw flood control project now in process of completion by the Soil Conservation Service. The new bridge design will conform to the new channel to be cut through the town of Ozona as a further precaution in controlling flood waters of the sometimes rampaging wash.

Included in the Highway Departments' call for bids is also widening work on the Gurley draw bridge just east of the city limits on the same highway. It is presumed that this structure will merely be widened without completely rebuilding as is the plan for the Johnson draw structure.

It is estimated that about three months will be required to complete the Johnson draw bridge. The present bridge is to be wrecked and a new one installed. While the work is under way, traffic on busy Highway 290 will be re-routed to a low water crossing over the draw two blocks north of the bridge. Traffic will be turned at the Williams-Taliaferro corner and will return to the highway at the Silver Spur Motel corner.

Child Injured In Pogo Stick Mishap, Undergoes Surgery

Lucille Childress, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress of Ozona, injured last week in a pogo stick accident, underwent oral surgery in a San Angelo hospital last week.

The child suffered the loss of several teeth and badly lacerated lips and gums when the pogo stick on which she was bouncing slipped on the wet sidewalk, the end of the stick handle striking her in the mouth.

Ozona Volleyball Team Playing In Big Spring Meet

Season's 2nd Tourney For Locals; To Host Own Next Week

The Ozona girls volleyball team will leave today to take part in the Big Spring tournament to be held today, Friday and Saturday.

Miss Geneva Knox announced she would carry 8 players and a student manager on the trip which will mark the team's second tournament appearance this season.

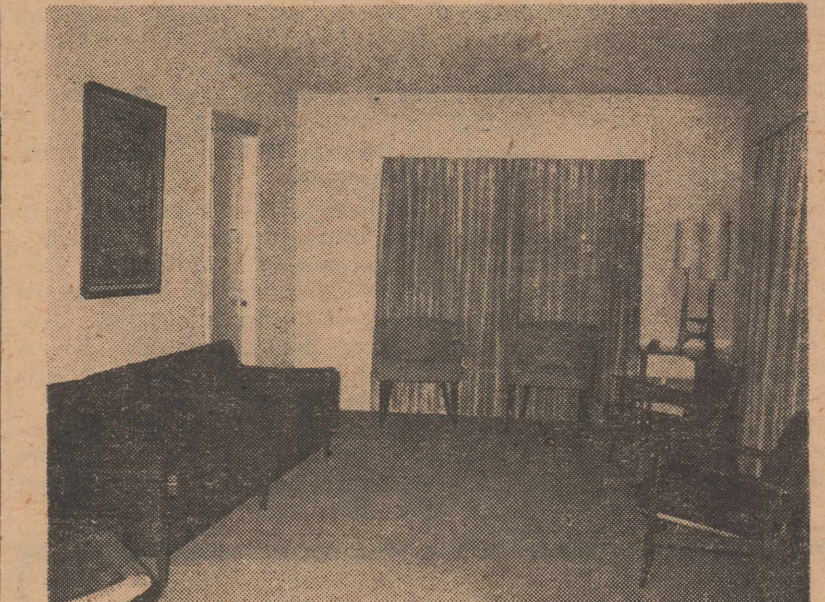
Twenty-two teams will take part in the Big Spring tourney with the Ozona team seeing its first action this afternoon at 4:30 when they meet the team from Sweetwater. The girls will play again Friday either at 11 a. m. or 6:30 p. m. depending on the outcome of the Thursday game.

The Ozona team took fourth place in the recent Odessa tourney and in addition copped the sportsmanship award given at the meet.

The Ozona team will entertain Big Lake in Davidson Gym Tuesday night with A and B squads playing and will hold its annual invitational tourney here next weekend.

Those making the trip to Big Spring will be: Gwynel Walker, Minnie Delgado, Olga Artiz, Carolyn Mayfield, Patsy Allen, Priscilla Stewart, Sandra Whitaker, and Delma Martinez. The student manager will be Francis Childress.

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Interiors redecorated and refinished at Cody Funeral Home

Cody Funeral Home, Newly Refinished And Redecorated, To Hold Open House March 9th In Observance Of Ninth Anniversary In Ozona

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Cody are celebrating their 9th anniversary in Ozona Sunday March 9th. The anniversary date coincides with the complete remodeling of the Cody Funeral Home. The reception areas of the funeral home have been enlarged to enable them to comfortably seat loved-ones and friends of the deceased who is lying in state at the funeral home. The state room has been remodeled and redecorated. A wall-to-wall drape in soft sandalwood color has been installed behind the casket setting Special-type torchire lamps and rose-beige carpeting lend a restful yet dignified air to the reposing room.

New-type wood folding doors have been installed in the reception rooms to provide privacy for the family when closed or they may be opened to consolidate the rooms so as to provide ample seating for the relatives and friends who call at the funeral home. New drapes and carpeting in sandalwood have been installed. The furniture and accessories for these rooms have been carefully chosen so as to provide a setting of warmth and beauty. Two handsome wool needlework scenic grace the walls of the reception area. The chairs and couches are of natural walnut with mohair and wool upholstery of harmonizing colors. The accessory furnishings are also in natural walnut with brass trim. The fluorescent lights in these rooms are concealed behind cornice boards, providing ample yet restful illumination. Table and new type "tree-lamps" complete the lighting system of the reception and visiting areas.

The Casket Selection Room has been refinished in mint green, with tangerine drapes. A complete selection of wood and metal caskets are shown, as well as a wide variety of funeral dresses and mens' suits. A selection of various Clark Grave Vaults are also on display. The Preparation Room has been remodeled and improved. A new cosmetology system has been added. All instruments and equipment are of the latest type available.

The funeral home has recently (Continued on Last Page)

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THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 1958

Lowlands Is Woman's Club Study Theme

Ozona Woman's Club members met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Sr., with Mrs. W. R. Baggett as assisting hostess.

Study subject was The Lowlands, and Mrs. Chas. Williams, Sr., leader, spoke on women's clubs of the area. Mrs. S. M. Harvick showed pictures made in the Lowland countries on her visit to Europe last year. Mrs. Roy Killingsworth gave the invocation. Eight pupils from Miss Lucille Farmer's class demonstrated native dances of Holland.

In a business meeting, presided over by Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., president, the club voted a donation to the Red Cross and endorsed Mrs. Richard Moseley of Rochelle for Sixth District president and Miss Molly Bierschwale of Mason for vice president. Markers for the memorial trees on the hospital grounds have been received, it was announced.

Other members present were Mrs. Bailey Post, Mrs. Evart White, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. P. T. Robison, Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. Floyd Henderson and Mrs. J. W. Henderson.

Miss Sue Littleton To Be Wed In Argentina

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littleton of San Angelo, former Ozonans, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sue, to Dr. Julio Gottheil of Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Miss Littleton, a Dallas resident, is a former student of Southern Methodist University. She will return to San Angelo early this month to visit her parents before going to Buenos Aires where the wedding will take place.

Dr. Gottheil, a graduate of the University of Buenos Aires school of law, received his master of law degree with distinction from SMU. A former teacher in the Law Institute of SMU, he is practicing law in Buenos Aires, where the couple plan to live.

FOR RENT — Furnished house All bills paid. See Hubert Baker Phones 322 or 346-J.

Deferred Grazing Is Recommended Practice For Range Recovery

By R. V. Ketchum, SCS

Deferred grazing can be defined as delayed grazing. Grazing is delayed in a pasture until a definite result is obtained. The length of deferment will depend upon the purpose to be accomplished. Deferred grazing is an important range practice that can be used to solve many range problems. Seed production can be increased by delaying grazing until after seed maturity and seedlings can be protected until established. The vigor of the better grasses can be increased which will result in increased production.

Deferred grazing is necessary to improve the condition of ranges in poor to fair condition and to improve the vigor of ranges in good condition. Proper use alone is insufficient to improve ranges in poor condition as the poorer grasses will increase at the expense of the better grasses. Deferment is imperative following brush eradication or reseeding operations to protect the investment.

The length of deferment necessary will depend upon several things such as the condition of the range, the climatic conditions, ranching operations, and plant associations. A range in good condition will seldom require more than a very short deferment to maintain high forage production. A poor condition range, however, may require several deferments to restore it to the original condition. The length of deferment that is necessary will depend upon the particular problem that is to be solved and the management following the deferment period.

Deferment is usually done in the spring, but the time of year that the range should be deferred will depend upon the particular kind of vegetation that the rancher wants to manage for. Some grasses set seed in the fall and others set seed in the spring. The cool season grasses need deferment in the winter. Climatic conditions affect the time of deferment as a pasture should be deferred when the optimum moisture conditions can be expected. In the Crockett Soil Conservation District, most moisture is received in the spring and in the fall. The optimum time to rest a pasture is following a good rain, if ranching operations are flexible enough to allow for such a program.

The benefits of deferment are many and may be enjoyed immediately or received in the future. The residual effects of deferment may be noticed for several years following a successful deferment. Deferment was nature's method of maintaining her lush climax vegetation before man upset the ecological balance.

A pasture is capable of producing so many pounds of forage and this production may be harvested by livestock as efficiently over a six or nine months period as by year long grazing. It must be remembered that good management must follow deferment if the full benefits of the deferment are to be received.



OBSERVE 50TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Collins Coates of Fort Stockton, former Ozonans, observed their 50th wedding anniversary at their ranch home near Fort Stockton last Thursday with a reception at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Coates were married in Ozona Feb. 27, 1908.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Coates Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary With Reception Feb. 27

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Coates were honored on their golden wedding anniversary last Thursday, Feb. 27, when their children entertained with a reception at the Coates ranch home southwest of Fort Stockton.

Mr. Coates and Mrs. Coates, the former Nettie Perry, were married in Ozona February 27, 1908. In the wedding party and attending the couple's golden wedding anniversary were Miss Dollye Coates of Ozona, a sister, and Ford Coates, brother of the groom, and Mrs. Ford Coates, nee Bertha Perry, sister of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Coates made their home in Ozona until 1929 when they moved to Pecos and established the "51" ranch where they now live. They have two children, Louise Coates Pyle, of El Paso, and P. C. Coates, Jr., Van Horn, and two grandchildren, Barney Pyle of Lubbock and Pamela Coates of Van Horn.

The tea table was laid with a linen Italian cutwork cloth with a centerpiece of yellow roses and gilded eucalyptus leaves. The threepartied white cake was decorated with white rosebuds. A silver coffee service was at one end of the table. Arrangements of gladiolas, mums and daffodils were used throughout the house.

Serving were Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., of Ozona, Mrs. Herbert Labadie of El Paso, Mrs. Max Schneemann of Ozona, Mrs. Effie Odom of Fort Stockton, Mrs. John Coates of Ozona and Mrs. Clyde Griffith of Sanderson.

Others in the house party were Miss Dollye Coates of Ozona, Mrs. Joe Teague, III, of Slaton, Mrs. Oscar Kost of Ozona, Mrs. Richard Kirby of Ozona, Mrs. Clyde Higgins of Sanderson, Mrs. Ford Coates, of Fort Stockton and Miss Pamela Coates.

About 60 guests called, including visitors from Sanderson, Fort Stockton, Ozona, Big Lake and Barnhart.

Quarterly Meeting Of TS&GRA Mon.-Tues. At College Station

The second quarterly meeting of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers Association will be held in College Station, Monday and Tuesday, March 10 and 11, T. A. Kincaid, Ozona, TS & GRA president announced here.

"This is a two day meeting," Kincaid said, "with Texas A&M College officials using all of Monday to show the visitors the type of work being carried on that is of interest to them."

Headquarters will be in the Memorial Student Center on the college campus and all meetings will be held there Tuesday, he added.

Association officers will report on activities in Washington where all out efforts are being made by the National Wool Growers Association for extension of the Wool Act of 1954. President Kincaid and Secretary Williams recently spent ten days there on this business.

"Of particular interest to the women will be style show at 3:00 p. m. Sunday, March 9. Both Miss Wool and Miss Mohair as well as several young ladies from Texas Womens University will model wool and mohair garments," Kincaid said.

"I want to urge all sheep and goat raisers in that section to attend the meeting. They will hear discussion of great interest to them," he said.

Requests for rooms should be addressed to Dr. Tom Watkins, Animal Husbandry Department, A&M College, College Station.

Texas Study Topic For Woman's Forum

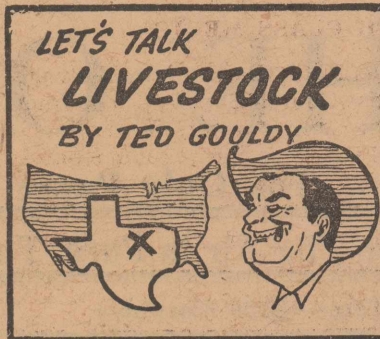
Ozona Woman's Forum members met Tuesday at the ranch home of Mrs. Ralph Jones, with Mrs. Dempster Jones as assisting hostess.

The program theme for the day was Texas. Texas parks were discussed by Mrs. Boyd Baker. Motion pictures taken by Mr. and Mrs. Dempster Jones on a vacation trip to Padre Island were shown. Mrs. Joe Clayton told of the growth and development of the big cities of Texas.

During a business meeting, the club elected Mrs. Joe Tom Davidson as delegate and Mrs. Bud Cox, III, as alternate to the district convention March 25 in Sweetwater.

The club decided to contribute toward a fund to buy a gift for the outgoing 6th District president, Mrs. Theriot of San Angelo. The legislative chairman announced that 100 percent of the members had paid their poll taxes.

Members attending Mmes. T. J. Bailey, Boyd Baker, Chas. Black, Jr., N. D. Blackstone, W. A. Childress, Joe Clayton, John Coates, L. E. Cox, III, Joe Tom Davidson, Ele Hagelstein, Ralph Jones, Jim Ad Harvick, Brock Jones, Dempster Jones, Marshall Montgomery, Vic Montgomery, P. C. Perner, C. O. Walker and Jack Williams.



Livestock Trade Strong At Fort Worth Monday

FORT WORTH — Cattle and calves moved in a very active trade at Fort Worth Monday as both slaughter and stocker buyers pressed for a share of the supplies. Again the supply of mature fed cattle was very small. The excellent grazing prospects developing all over the Southwest put added zest into the stocker trade, although high quality kinds were virtually lacking in the offering.

Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings cashed at \$24 to \$27.50, and medium and low grades sold from \$16 to \$23.50. Fat cows cashed at \$16.50 to \$19, and canners and cutters drew \$10 to \$17. Bulls were reported from \$14.50 to \$20.50.

Good and choice slaughter calves sold from \$24 to \$27.50 and medium and lower grades sold from \$14 to \$23. Stocker calves brought \$22 to \$28, and heifer calves sold from \$26.50 down. Stocker yearlings drew \$27 down. A few stocker cows sold from \$14 to \$20.

Old Crop Lambs Show Some Strength Monday

Trade in the sheep yards was active and prices on old crop lambs were strong to 50 cents or more higher, some of the heavyweight lamb showing the better gains.

Good and choice slaughter lambs sold from \$21 to \$22.50, the higher figure for No. 1 or Fall shorn pelts. Some good woolled lambs drew \$21.50, and some heavies up to 125 pounds also sold at \$21.50, considerably better than last week on those weights. A few odd lot medium and low grade stocker lambs cashed at \$18 to \$20. Slaughter ewes sold around \$9 to \$10 and other grades and classes were scarce.

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Mrs. Charles Ratliff Crowned Sweetheart of Epsilon Sigma Alpha

Mrs. Charles S. Ratliff was crowned sweetheart of Beta Rho chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority at the annual dinner-dance in the North Elementary school auditorium Friday night. Mrs. Ratliff was elected for her outstanding achievements in leadership, service, attendance and personal characteristics.

A five-year member of the group, she served as Executive President of the Girl Scout Board, president of the sorority, parliamentarian and historian. She served as general chairman of the stage show, "Fortunes For Fancy" last year and is scrapbook and memorial committee chairman this year as well as co-chairman of a special fund-raising committee to send members to the state convention. Holding as many as four committee posts at one time, she has always participated in the educational and service projects of the sorority and has supported the group in chapter, district, state and international efforts. This year she also served as chairman of the special committee on the outstanding ESA husband.

After a covered dish supper, members and husbands watched the presentation ceremony. Mrs. R. L. Bland played the processional as the candidate entered and approached the golden archway. Mrs. Wayne E. West sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" as Mrs. Pete Hickman relinquished the crown to Mrs. Ratliff. Mrs. Sam Perner presented a bouquet of jonquils. Mrs. Roy Coates placed the white robe of office around Mrs. Ratliff's shoulders. Mrs. James Isbell, runner-up, presented the gift of appreciation, a golden charm bracelet with an engraved disc. Mrs. Hickman read the citation and the ceremony closed with the music of "Sweetheart of Sigma Chi." Mrs. Ratliff then presented a gift to James Isbell, the chapter nominee for outstanding E. S. A. husband.

After the ceremony, members enjoyed a dance, featuring folk dances. The auditorium was decorated in the sorority colors of blue and gold. The table featured favors and settings in spring pastels and was centered with an ar-

range of golden jonquils, the sorority flower.

RUTH CLASS MEETS

The Ruth Class of the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday School met in the home of Mrs. E. E. Morgan Friday for the regular monthly class meeting. Mrs. Peggy Conner, president, presided. Devotional was given by Mrs. Bessie Matlock. After the business session, games were enjoyed and refreshments served. Attending were Mrs. Leon Dowdy, Mrs. W. O. Strothers, Mrs. Odie Haire, Mrs. Peggy Conner, Mrs. Doris Stephens, Mrs. Bessie Matlock and Mrs. E. E. Morgan.

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 1

Girl Scout Troop No. 1 met at the Scout cabin and nominated officers for the month of March. Sharon German was elected president; Jane Paulk, secretary; Janis Walker, sergeant-at-arms; Mary Frances Goolsby, nurse, and Linda Miller, reporter.

Records were played and refreshments were served by Vicki Applewhite and Carmen Childress. Present were Ann Long, Jan Paulk, Linda Leath, Linda Miller, Vicki Applewhite, Joleen Butterfield, Carol Harrison, Diana Couch, Linda Huff, Sharon German, Mary Frances Goolsby, Cheryl Lyles, Mary Jane Dunlap, Annie Ruth Wallace and leaders Mrs. Billy Mills and Mrs. Bruce Mayfield.

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- Ratliff Furniture
- North Grocery
- Cisneros Grocery And Market
- Smith Drug Company
- Ozona Drug
- Taliaferro Garage
- B & B Food Store

- Ozona National Bank
- Crockett County Water Control
- Empire Southern Gas Company
- West Texas Utilities Company
- Crockett County Hospital
- Dr. M. A. Lemmons
- Dr. Ralph E. Simon, Jr.
- Dr. H. B. Tandy
- Dr. L. H. Sherrill
- Dr. Joe B. Logan
- Joseph's Department Store

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- Devil's River Feed Company
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The News Reel

A re-run of "The Ozona Story" as gleaned from the files of The Ozona Stockman

From The Stockman, March 7, 1929

Hundreds of sorrowing friends of Ozona and surrounding sections followed the remains of Mrs. Tom Nolen, a resident of Ozona for more than thirty years, to its last resting place in Cedar Hill Cemetery where funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Nolen died Saturday in Del Rio following a stroke suffered four weeks before.

Ozona's newest business concern, the Ideal Barber Shop, operated by John Pettit, opened for business early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forehand are the parents of a 7 1/2 pound son born Wednesday morning. The youngster has been named Billy Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Montgomery narrowly escaped injury Tuesday when their car, a 1928 Buick coupe, turned over between Junction and Sonora and was destroyed by fire. Something went wrong with the steering gear of the car, Mr. Montgomery said.

Clarksville Tenn. — The monoplane of Carl Cromwell, wealthy San Angelo oil operator, turned over and crashed in an attempted takeoff from a farm near here today. E. H. Hunt, pilot, was uninjured. He estimated the damage at \$5,000.

V. I. Pierce, Crockett county ranchman, and a director of the Guaranty State Bank of San Angelo, has been elected president of the Texas Wool & Mohair Co., recently organized at San Angelo.

Wayne West, also of Ozona, was elected vice president.

Joe Pierce, Jr., is in Temple where he will remain for a month undergoing medical treatment and visiting his father, J. S. Pierce, Sr., who is recovering from a recent operation.

Even the erstwhile barren rocks of the rugged Pecos are now luxuriantly green, and the old story that once was told of Judge Davidson is no longer appropos: A prospective homesteader asked him about applying for four sections on the Pecos. "The proposition is quite simple," said the judge affably. "The State is willing to bet you that particular tract of land against \$14 that you can't live on it three years without starvin' to death."

Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., is visiting her parents in Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bailey returned to their ranch in Pecos county Friday after a few days visit in town. Miss Vivian Baggett went with them for a visit.

AVON Cosmetics representatives in Ozona are Mrs. Joe Vitela, Phone 103-W, and Mrs. E. C. Alford, Phone 3434.

HOMEMAKERS CLASS

Mrs. Bob Pitts was hostess when members of the Homemakers Class met Wednesday in regular monthly session. Mrs. Bud Coates led the devotional. Others present were Mrs. S. E. Carnes, Mrs. Clovis Womack, Mrs. Otto Pridemore, Mrs. J. W. Howell, Mrs. Dudley McCary, Mrs. Herman German, Mrs. O. C. Danley, Mrs. Curtis Hatcher, Mrs. Scotty Houston, Mrs. John Lockett, Mrs. Ted Lewis, Mrs. C. E. Butterfield, Mrs. George Glynn and Mrs. Homer Good.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Invitation No. 5
Site No. 6, Johnson Draw
Commissioners Court Crockett County
OZONA, TEXAS
March 5, 1958

SEALED BIDS IN ONE COPY ONLY, WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL 2:00 p. m., on March 24, 1958, and then will be publicly opened and read, for the construction of floodwater retaining structure, consisting of earthfill embankment, pipe outlet structures and appurtenances at Site No. 6, Johnson Draw near Ozona, Crockett County, Texas. The major items of work consist of the following, all quantities being approximate: EXCAVATION 31,410 CU. YDS.; PLACING AND ROLLING EMBANKMENT 278,900 CU. YDS.; CONCRETE, CLASS A AND B 78 CU. YDS.; FURNISHING AND INSTALLING 264 LIN. FT. OF REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE; FURNISHING AND INSTALLING 5,635 LIN. FT. OF WIRE FENCE; and FURNISHING AND INSTALLING 286 LIN. FT. OF GALVANIZED WROUGHT IRON PIPE.

Minimum wages of Laborers and Mechanics have been determined by the County. Other labor regulations will be complied with. All bids must be accompanied by bid Bond, certified check, Cashier's check or money orders in an amount not less than ten per cent (10%) of the amount bid. Checks or money orders, if submitted shall be made payable to CROCKETT COUNTY. Successful Bidder will, upon executing Contract, be required to furnish performance and payment Bonds in amounts of 100% and 50% respectively of the estimated total amount of the Contract. All work shall be completed within 315 calendar days from date of receipt of notice to proceed. Inspection of the Sites may be made by contacting RALPH WHITE, Phone No. 240, Ozona, Texas, during the hours 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., Monday through Friday, excluding Holidays. Complete assembly of the invitation

to bid, including instructions to Bidders, questionnaire, detailed specifications and plans, may be obtained by applying to: LETA POWELL, County Clerk, Crockett County, Ozona, Texas.

COMMISSIONERS COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS
By Houston S. Smith, 49-3c
County Judge

LADIES GOLF ASSN.

The Ladies Golf Association met for bridge last Thursday at the country club. Mrs. Ashby McMullan was hostess. High score went

to Mrs. C. O. Walker, low to Mrs. R. L. Bland, Jr., and cut to Mrs. Byron Stuart. Others attending were Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Charlie Black, Mrs. W. W. West, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr., Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Lloyd Sherrill, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. Sid Mills-paugh, Jr., and Mrs. E. L. Kraft of Philadelphia, Pa.

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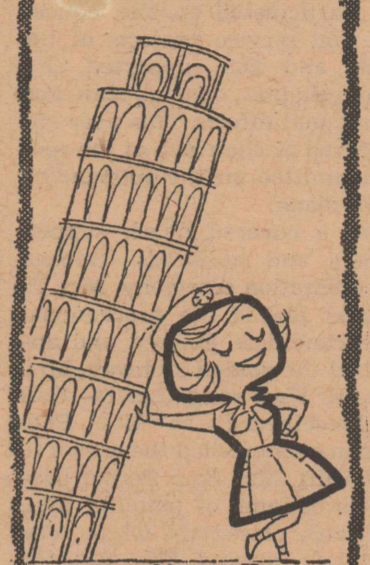
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Girl Scouts Thanked For Valentine Mats Made For TB Patients

A gift of Valentine place mats made by local Girl Scouts for patients at the McKnight State Tuberculosis Hospital brought the following letter of appreciation from Miss Sue Flanagan, volunteer coordinator:

Dear Scouts:

Just a note to thank you for your artistic work on the Valentine tray mats for the patients here at McKnight.

I'm sure it must have been a lot of trouble to get all the materials together and then think of some way to design a mat — but take my word for it — it was worth it.

You see, many of these folks out here have been here for as long as five or six years without seeing any of the youngsters in their home or family. There is not much for them to do out here but rest and that gets pretty tiresome when it runs into years.

In fact, sometimes they get to thinking that people outside the hospital don't care about them and have forgotten them.

Then comes something like your response to this plea for bright, cheerful placemats for the patients' Valentine trays. One man said, "You mean little Girl Scouts made enough of these for all of us?" They were really impressed and more than pleased with your work and interest. They compared mats with other patients and had as much fun as exchanging real Valentines.

Thank you again for being so thoughtful and helpful. And, you might tell your troop mother that we appreciate her guidance and the extra housework caused by this type of production.

Sincerely,
Sue Flanagan

FREE PRIZE WINNERS

Mrs. Charles Applewhite won the movie camera, Woody Mason the shotgun and a little boy from Junction, Preston Taylor, won the Kodak offered as attendance prizes last week at the formal opening of the Collett's Trading Post in Ozona. The Junction people were passing through and stopped off for a bit of shopping in the newly opened store and the lad won the prize for children.

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Girl Scout Week

March 9-15



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CAP Senior and Cadet Groups In Joint Meet

The Ozona Civil Air Patrol Senior and Cadet Squadron held a joint meeting Tuesday night, in the High School library. Both units were in uniform and the meeting was held primarily for the Cadets to demonstrate to the Senior members the score of their regular meetings.

The Senior squadron met at 7:30 p. m. for a short business meeting, joined by the Cadets at 8:00 p. m. Sgt. Jim Burton conducted the lesson which was on Aircraft Stability. The lesson was followed by a Dept. of the Interior film.

Senior members present were: S/M Jan Barbee, Lt. John R. Barbee, Lt. Jim Barbee, S/M Pat Barber, Lt. Walter Cawyer, Lt. Pleas Childress, Lt. Helen Coker, S/M Mildred Goodson, Lt. Maurice Lemmons, Lt. Anne Mullins and Lt. Jim Coker, Cadet Commandant.

Cadets present were: Lt. Becky Davidson, Sgt. Jim Burton, C/M Buddy Anderson and C/M Louis Mock.

The next regular meeting scheduled for the Cadets will be next

Monday night, March 9, at 8:00 p. m.

The next regular meeting scheduled for the Senior squadron will be next Tuesday night, March 11, at 7:30 p. m. in the High School library. All members are urged to be present.

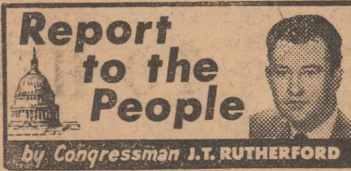
Small Permian Strike Recorded In Crockett

A small Permian strike was recorded Thursday in Crockett. Plugging back was scheduled at a Crockett wildcat and location scheduled for an outpost.

Crockett County gained a small unidentified Permian discovery with completion of Christo Ray Petroleum Co., Odessa, No. 1 University, 20 miles northwest of Ozona, for a daily pumping potential of 8.38 barrels of 24 gravity oil, plus two-tenths of one per cent water, with gas-oil ratio estimated to be 250-1.

Production was through perforations between 2,387-2,427 feet in 4½-inch casing cemented at 2,430 feet, the total depth. Top of pay was picked at 2,389 feet on elevation of 2,620 feet.

Location is 2,351.8 feet from the south and 2,310 feet from the west lines of 7-51-University.



This has been "Foreign Aid Week" in the Nation's Capital. President Eisenhower, former President Harry S. Truman, Vice-President Nixon, Adlai Stevenson and others joined forces in a bi-partisan effort to put across the Administration's \$3.9 billion program for fiscal 1959.

The day-long "spectacular," directed by former motion picture executive Eric Johnson, was designed to arouse public opinion in favor of foreign aid. The public is then supposed to contact their respective members of Congress and urge full support of the foreign aid program.

Polls that I have conducted throughout West Texas indicate the people will need a lot of convincing. In a four-point choice question, the people of West Texas felt the foreign aid program should, in this order: (a) be reduced; (b) be eliminated; (c) held at the present level and (d) be increased.

One of the "pry-poles" used in recent years to get the Congress to rally 'round the foreign aid flag has been the reportedly great amount of such aid given by the Russians. While it is true the papers are full of offers and counter offers by the Reds to other nations, they have given relatively little of the aid promised.

Russia's total aid granted since 1954 has totaled only \$1.8 billion, a great deal less than our annual requirements for each year since that date. Egypt has received most aid from the Russians, getting \$480 million of which \$250 was for military aid. Yugoslavia topped the list in economic aid from Russia, receiving \$465 million. Others getting Russian money: Afghanistan, Burma, Cambodia, Ceylon, India, Indonesia, Nepal, Syria and Yemen.

Of the \$110 million listed as "given" to Indonesia, only \$10 million has actually been accepted. The Indonesian Parliament has not yet ratified an agreement for \$100 million signed with the Russians. So while Russia has talked foreign

aid greatly, the Communists have in reality been miserly with their aid dollars in comparison with the United States.

Our Own Export-Import Bank has loaned much U. S. money to foreign nations, and there are many who feel this program is more worthy than the outright grants to foreign nations. True, the money is for the most part Government money, but it is at least offered on an interest-bearing loan basis and the return has paid for the administration of the program, plus some surplus.

When nations apply for loans, the Export-Import Bank officials first ask private sources of capital if they want to make the loan. Often one source will handle the loan, or several private capital sources will combine to cover the loan.

During the 24-year history of the Export-Import Bank it has authorized loans totaling \$9 billion. Only 1-20th of one per cent of the loans due have been lost, and any banker will tell you that's a good record. We currently have on our books loan and authorizations in 59 nations, totaling \$4.4 billion.

Although our foreign aid program has sent billions overseas, our Latin-American neighbors have received little of it. Instead, they have borrowed from the Export-Import Bank to a great degree. At the present time, we have \$2.25 billion on loan to our South American neighbors. One example of the good this program has done in Latin-American came to light recently in testimony before the House Banking and Currency Committee, of which I am a member. It was reported one small community had no schools, no hospitals and no industry other than agriculture. A loan was obtained from the Export-Import Bank, and the community now thrives with most modern conveniences. In addition to having a warm feeling toward the U. S., the people of the community help our domestic economy by purchasing many items from us. Congress does not appropriate funds for the Export-Import Bank, which has always been self-supporting and has, in fact, contributed a \$373 million profit to the U. S. Treasury.

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Garden Club Studies Conservation Practices

Ozona Garden Club members Wednesday observed their Conservation Pilgrimage with a trip to the T. A. Kincaid, Jr., ranch south of Ozona where a field trip to observe grass and water conservation practices was conducted.

The group met at the home of Mrs. S. M. Harvick, co-hostess with Mrs. Kincaid, Jr., to start the trip to the Kincaid ranch for lunch. Mrs. Bailey Post, president, presided at a business meeting after which a tour of the ranch was made. Members identified native plants for roll call. On the trip to the ranch members identified a total of 42 different grasses, weeds, shrubs and trees growing along the right of way.

Mrs. Post announced a school of instruction in gardening and flower arrangement to be held in San Angelo March 25-26 and urged as many members as possible to attend.

Members attending the meeting were Mrs. Neal Hannah, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mrs. John Childress, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Bert Couch, Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mrs. Lloyd Sherrill, Mrs. Leroy Russell, Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., Mrs. Evart White, Mrs. H. B. Tandy and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr.

CROCKETT HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted to hospital since February 25th: Mrs. William Johns, Barnhart, medical; Huey D. Ingram, Ozona, medical; Calvin Montgomery, Ozona, surgical; Mrs. Gene Williams, Ozona medical; Esther Williams, Ozona medical; Gene Williams, Jr., Ozona, medical; Mickey McBroom, Ozona, surgical; Cindy Gotcher, Barnhart, medical; Rosemary McDonald, Ozona, medical; Mrs. W. D. Cooper, Ozona, surgical; Sostenes De Hoyos Ozona, accident.

Patients dismissed: Juan Gaytan, Mrs. Wm. V. Conner, Boyd Andrews, Mrs. Kenneth Flanagan, Mrs. Oliver Payne, Gabriel Longoria, Jr., Mrs. Bessie Matlock, Mrs. William Johns Huey D. Ingram, Mickey McBroom, Mrs. Gene Williams, Esther Williams, and Gene Williams, Jr.

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Track Tem a—

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Jake Young will be a heavy favorite in the shot this season and is also likely to place in the discus.

Cico Cervantez will enter the discus where he has placed third for the past two years and will be favored to improve his position this season. Jim Williams and Young will give the Lions three entries in the event.

Jerry Jacobs, the Lions versatile athlete, will currently run the high hurdles, the 440 relay and the 880 relay with the broad jump but later on will not run the 880 and will either pick up the 100 yard dash or get more rest according to how the freshman sprinters come along later in the season.

Johnny Jones, David Sikes and Ronnie Paulk are all vaulting and may enter the mile relay. Sikes and Paulk have placed in district for the past two years.

Tony Parker and Jim Doran, last year's outstanding Jr. High sprinters, are showing fine improvement and will figure in how the Lions fare this season.

Next week the Lions will hold their annual invitational meet here in Ozona with 13 teams now scheduled to be present for the meet.

Among the boys not named above, Mark White, Joe McMullan, and Alonzo Galindo seem most likely to become point winners. White and McMullan are currently running the hurdles and Galindo will join Alonzo Lopez in the mile run.

Jimmy Adams is the Lions sole entry in the 440 run and Martin Castellano and Jesus Ramos are entries in the 880.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

The Church of Christ Ladies Bible Class met at the church Wednesday morning for the study of "Jesus in Capernaum." Mrs. Hubert Baker was the class teacher. Present were Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Bill Johnigan, Mrs. P. T. Robison, Mrs. J. W. Owens, Mrs. O. L. Sims, Mrs. Frank Lilly, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Mrs. Ed Cranfill, Mrs. Peery Holmesley, Mrs. T. C. Goodman, Mrs. Al Gibbs, Mrs. Lilly Smith, Mrs. J. D. Nairn, and Mrs. Bud Loudamy.

Cody Funeral —

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ly purchased cemetery equipment of the finest and latest type.

Ambulance and funeral coach services are provided for with late-model Cadillac equipment.

The funeral home provides service for Ozona and Crockett County as well as serving the communities of Barnhart, Sheffield and Iraan.

The funeral home is owned and operated by Ken and Jane Cody. Mr. Cody is a graduate of the Dallas Institute of Mortuary Science, and served his internship with funeral homes in Dallas and Abilene. He is a licensed Embalmer and Funeral Director. Mrs. Cody, who taught commercial arts in McCamey and Ozona, acts as receptionist and office manager. Ross Hufstelder has been an assistant with Cody for several years.

The funeral home was originally established by the late Joe Oberkamp about 1926. Prior to that a stock of caskets was kept in the

old Ozona Boot Shop. An embalmer from San Angelo was occasionally called to Ozona. No funeral coach service was available in those days. The late Joe North and his father, the late J. J. North, transported the casket to the cemetery in an old Cadillac touring car.

The late Mr. Oberkamp established his "undertaking parlor" in his hardware and furniture store. He employed an embalmer and provided the first complete funeral and ambulance services for Ozona and surrounding territory. Mr. Oberkamp sold the funeral home, hardware and furniture to J. L. Ratliff and Sons of Eldorado in 1946. The Ratliffs operated the funeral home until they sold it to Mr. and Mrs. Cody in 1949.

GIFTS ACCEPTED FOR DEAD DEPUTY'S FAMILY

Sheriff Billy Mills said this week that several persons had asked him about the means of making a donation to the family of Thad West, Ector county deputy sheriff, slain

by a fugitive he was attempting to arrest in Odessa recently.

The sheriff talked by phone with the sheriff's department at Odessa and learned that such a fund was being raised. Anyone here wishing to donate may leave such donation with the local sheriff's department and it will be forwarded to the fund being raised in Odessa.

FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The bridge club met last week with Mrs. J. M. Baggett as hostess. Spring blossoms were used in the rooms. High score went to Mrs. Evert White, high guest to Mrs. Sid Millspaugh, Jr., low to Mrs. O. D. West and cut to Mrs. Tom Harris. Others present were Mrs.

George Montgomery, Mrs. W. W. West, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Early Baggett, Mrs. Max Schneemann, Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Lovella Dudley, Mrs. Ted White and Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr.

Phone news to the Stockman

A Tribute

To Our Red Cross!

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\$10.00 FOR \$9.80

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\$50.00 FOR \$49.00



SNOWDRIFT

3-lb. can 89c

BAB-O Regular Size 13c



GIANT CHEER 72c

PET MILK TALL CAN 14c

ZESTEE PEACH OR APRICOT PRESERVES 20 Oz. Jar 35c



Swift's 'Sweet Rasher' Bacon lb 55c

LOIN STEAK Pound 59c

HAMBURGER MEAT Pound 39c

PURINA FED FRYERS lb. 39c

Pork Chops Nice & Lean lb. 59c

Kraft Velveeta Cheese 2 Lb. 89c

FRESH EGGS doz. 45c

46 OUNCE CAN Kimbell's Grapefruit Juice 25c

Beautiful Bowls 2 For 39c

Del Monte Ketchup 2 bottle for 35c

MISSION PEAS 303 Size 15c

Blackburn's Syrup 1/2-gal. Size 65c



LIPTON TEA

1 Pound Box \$1.59



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48 Tea Bags 75c

VAN CAMP'S TUNA 25c

HONEY BOY SALMON 55c



SCHILLING'S COFFEE

1 Pound 85c

Hill's Dog Food 2 Cans 25c

KIM TISSUE 2 For 15c

SUGAR 10 Pounds 99c

PATIO CHILI No. 2 Can 49c

Redwood Luncheon Loaf 39c



FOR LIGHT, LIGHT BISCUITS LIGHT CRUST FLOUR

25 Pounds \$1.99

SWIFT'S PURE LARD 3 Pound Carton 59c

KALEX BLEACH Qt. Size 15c

ZEE NAPKINS 80 Count 14c

Grandma Cookies 1 Lb. Pkg. 35c



10 lb. Mesh Bag Potatoes 55c

CARROTS (in cello pkg.) pkg. 10c

BANANAS 2 Pounds 25c

Delicious or Winesap Apples 2 lb 29c