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**WEST TEXAS AREA WIDE
 CRUSADE:** Community-
 wide event begins tonight
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 in judging contests
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The Ozona Stockman

OUT IN THE WEST, WHERE THE AIR IS PURE, THE CLIMATE AGREEABLE AND THE PEOPLE FRIENDLY—THE BEST PLACE ON EARTH TO CALL HOME

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 2011

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EGGCELLENT



OZONA CHILDREN HUNTED EASTER EGGS Thursday during school parties and Sunday as part of the Knights of Columbus County-wide hunt. The Easter Bunny managed to make an appearance and more than 2,000 eggs were hunted at the town square. More photos, page 8.

School board workshop, regular meeting tonight

The Crockett County CCSD School Board will hold a facilities workshop and their regular meeting tonight (April 27) at the Administration Building.

The facilities workshop will begin at 5:30 p.m., followed by the regular meeting at 6:30 p.m.

- Items on the agenda:
- District spotlight
 - Open forum/public comments.
 - Reports - Transportation and maintenance; principals; athletic director; financial, bills and board report; superintendent report: enrollment and attendance and legislative update.
 - Consider Walker Consulting Quality Services - Food Service Proposal.
 - Consent Agenda - Approve minutes from the Regular Meeting held March 23, 2011 and the Special Meeting held April 7, 2011 and amendments to the 2010-2011 official budget.
 - Executive/Closed Ses-

sion for Personnel Matters - Confirm contracts for 2011-2012; consider new employees, staffing and vacancies and consider professional resignations including OHS Principal Benny Granger. Granger has been approved as the new middle school principal at Andrews ISD. Any action or voting on items discussed in executive/closed session will be conducted in open session.

• Procedures for filling a vacancy created by a resigning board member. The board approved a resignation by Dr. Marcus Sims at the March 23 meeting.

• Consider resolution authorizing Qualified School Construction Bond/Maintenance Note.

• Consider Board Policy EHBB (Local).

• Future Business - May 2011 Regular Board Meeting, Consider Goal Setting Retreat for June 2011, Consider Budget Calendar 2011-2012 and Budget Workshop.

Playoffs: Lady Lions play Comfort this weekend in Junction

The Ozona Lady Lions Softball team is heading to Junction this weekend for the Bi-District playoff game.

Ozona will take on the Comfort Deer in a best of three-game series starting at 7 p.m. Friday and then at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. (if necessary).

Ozona finished second in District 7-AA with a 7-3 district record and a 20-5 overall record.

Comfort finished third in District 8-AA with a 4-4 dis-

trict record.

"This year, for the first time, our team is a team. We're always there to pick each other up and not let anyone get down on themselves. I think if we keep a strong focus we could make it past first round of playoffs," said Senior Melanie Miller.

Miller was a pivotal player in getting the Lady Lions to the playoffs, with a grand

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I-10 resurfacing project between Ozona and Sonora starts this week

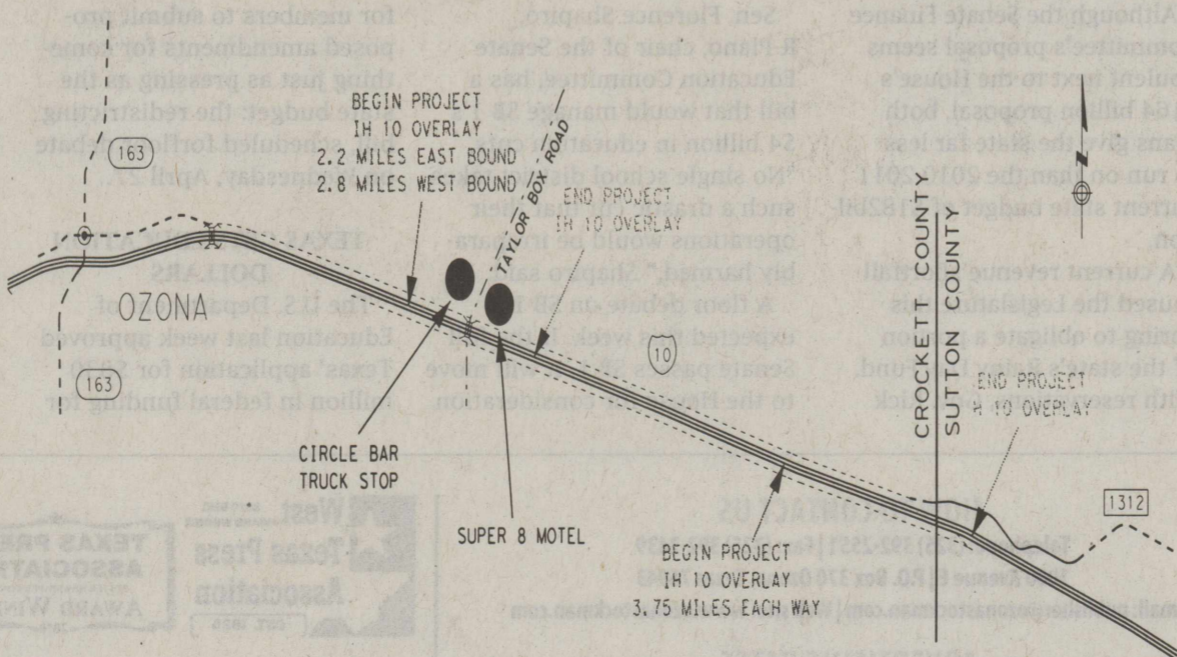
BY KAREN A. THREKELD
 TXDOT PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER

Nearly five miles of Interstate-10 between Ozona and Sonora will be repaved starting this week.

The work, which is divided into two separate projects, will begin near Taylor Box Road at the Crockett/Sutton County line and continue to 2.67 miles west of the Sutton County line.

TXDOT contractor Reece Albert will be resurfacing approximately 2.67 miles of Interstate 10, as well as the on and off ramps at Taylor Box Road. The Circle Bar Truck Stop will be accessible during paving.

Work is expected to start Thursday on the \$1.4 million



TXDOT will begin a resurfacing project on Interstate-10 this week between Ozona and Sonora. The map shows the project areas.

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Fires keep burning

BY MELISSA PERNER
 THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Thirty-six times the emergency siren has sounded. Out of those, 27 were brush and grass fires, two vehicle fires, four times to assist Crockett County EMS and all this just in the month of April.

Monday afternoon, Ozona Firefighters rolled on run 103 to another grass fire call on the West, Carson and Deaton Ranches in Val Verde County. Texas Forest Service and Val Verde County Fire Department also responded.

Fire Marshal Steve Kenley said the blaze has burned 5,000 acres so far.

Firefighters managed to save houses in the area.

Kenley said forest service crews would continue to fight the fire.

On Saturday afternoon, the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department rolled to a grass fire call off of County Road 106.

The fire was contained by the end of the day, but grass fire weather is not going away.

"We've had lots of assistance and local support," said Fire Chief Bob Falkner.

By April 23, the Texas Forest Service (TFS) was reporting the fire off of Pandale Road, which started April 14, had burned an estimated 31,200 acres and was 90 percent contained.

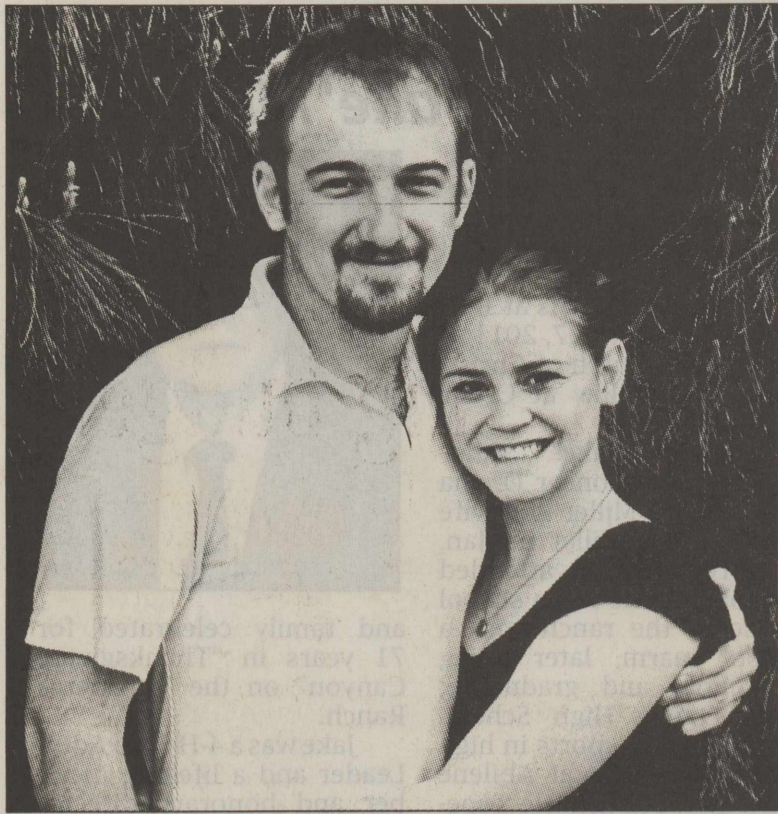
However, a storm system that blew in Thursday

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LADY LIONS VS. COMFORT
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY IN JUNCTION

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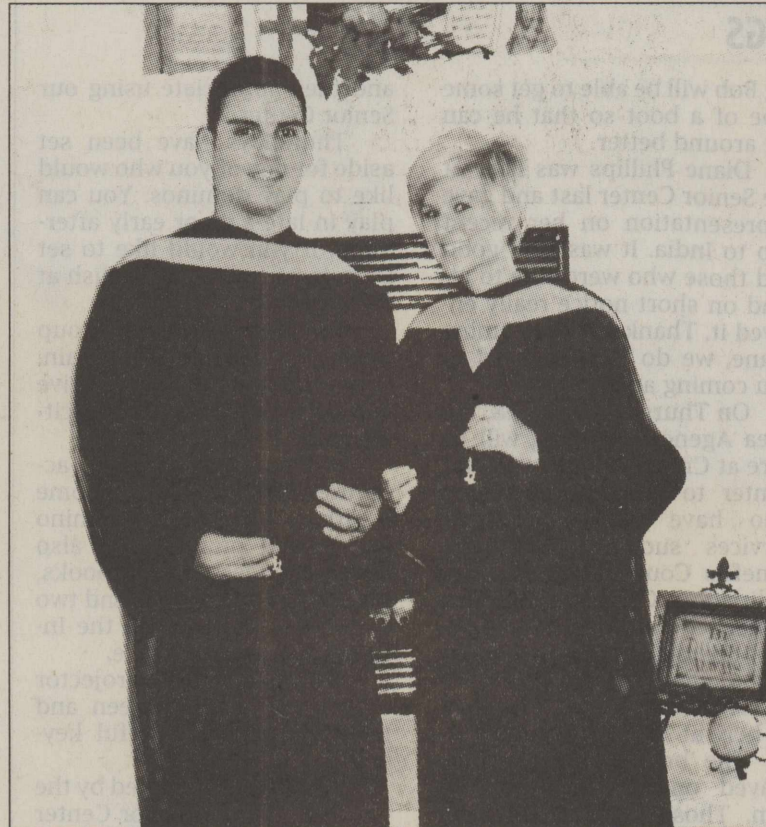
Begnaud-Komechak to wed in May

Jeanne and John Begnaud, of San Angelo, are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jayme Elissa Begnaud, to Matthew Thomas-Komechak, son of Gil Komechak and Cindy Reavis Komechak, of Ozona.

Jayme is a graduate of Wall High School and plans on graduating in May with an associate's degree in science from Cottey College in Nevada, Mo.

Matthew is a 2009 graduate of Ozona High School and is currently attending Angelo State University where he is majoring in finance. He is also the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Reavis, of Ozona, and Dr. Marilyn and Mr. George Komechak, of Benbrook, Texas.

The couple will exchange vows on May 28, 2011 at The Self's Garden in San Angelo, Texas.



Maldonados graduate from ACU

Justin and Cristi Maldonado are proud to announce their graduation from Abilene Christian University. They are both receiving their bachelor of science in speech-language pathology.

After graduation, Justin, who is a 2008 graduate from Ozona High School, will continue to attend ACU in order to receive his masters degree in speech-language pathology.

Cristi, a 2007 graduate of Ozona High School, has already obtained employment as a speech-language pathologist for the East End Educational Co-op for the upcoming year.

The graduation ceremony will be held at 11 a.m. May 14 in Moody Coliseum in Abilene, Texas.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 27

- TAKS Testing, grades 3,4,6,7 reading; exit math.
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- CCCSD Board of Trustees workshop and meeting, 5:30 p.m. at the Administration Building.
- West Texas Area Wide Crusade, 7 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Thursday, April 28

- TAKS Testing, grades 5,8,10, exit science; 9 math.
- Area Agency on Aging, 12:30-1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- West Texas Area Wide Crusade, 7 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Friday, April 29

- TAKS Testing, grades 8,10, exit social studies.
- Nutrition/Food Pantry program, 9:30 a.m. at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.
- Perfect Attendance Party, 2 p.m. at Ozona Elementary School.
- Lady Lions Softball vs. Comfort, 7 p.m. at Junction.
- West Texas Area Wide Crusade, 7 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Saturday, April 30

- OMS Tennis Tournament at the tennis courts.
- Lady Lions Softball vs. Comfort, 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. (if necessary) at Junction.
- West Texas Area Wide Crusade, 5 p.m. Youth Night and 7 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Sunday, May 1

- West Texas Area Wide Crusade, 3 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Monday, May 2

- OHS Track Teams at the Region 1-2A meet in Odessa.
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Ladies Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Tuesday, May 3

- OHS Track Teams at the Region 1-2A meet in Odessa.
- Pink Party for women's health, 6 p.m. at the Crockett Room.

Wednesday, May 4

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Happy Birthday

April 27 - David Craig, Janell Tambunga, Judy Reager, Erin Castro, Jeffery Mendez and Roxanne Talamantez

April 28 - Dena Porter, O.J. Ortiz and Carlon Stapper

April 29 - Karen Webb, Yvonne Rodriguez, Hector Hernandez, Briana Lara and Isaac Gonzalez

April 30 - Fernando M. Galvan, Freida Zuberbueller, Glen-

da Winkley, Gabriela Baltazar, Brian Anderson, Justin Pullig, Joe Ortiz Jr., Ruben Mendez Jr. and Ben Pena

May 1 - Corey Mitchell

May 2 - Jodi Adcock, Angelina Ramos and Becca Enriquez

May 3 - Bianca Aiguier, Peggy Dickerson, Rita Rios, Cristy Dominguez, Kristen Mendoza and Josh Smith

Answers on Aging Thursday

The Concho Valley Area Agency on Aging "Answer Van" will be at the Crockett County Senior Center on Thursday, April 28, from 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

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

AAA staff will be available to assist you with any questions you may have.

Programs that are housed in the Area Agency on Aging include Advocacy, Benefits Counseling (Medicare Part D, Low Income Subsidy (LIS) application assistance and Medicare Savings Program information), Care Coordination (Prescription and Utility Assistance and Homemaker Services), Caregiver Sup-

port (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 of the Concho Valley (Health & Human Services Information).

A wide variety of printed information covering various topics will also be available.

For more information, call D.D. Norton, with the Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley at (325) 223-5704 or toll free 1-877-944-9666.

The Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services funds the services of the Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley.

Pink Party for women's health Tuesday

A Pink Party for women's health will take place Tuesday, May 3, at the Crockett Room.

Program and exhibits begin at 6 p.m. Casual dress.

Refreshments and door prizes.

Speaker is Dr. Kristy Edwards, MD with the Sonora Medical Clinic, Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital.

There is no cost for the event and all women are welcome to attend.

For more information, call Susie Bishop at 392-2721.

Shotgun shoot seeking entries

The Crockett County Shotgun Shoot, sponsored by Ozona Trap & Skeet, will be held May 14 at the Crockett County Shooting Sports Complex.

The event will feature 50 Five Stand, 50 American Trap and 50 American Skeet. Cost is \$75 per 150 birds and deadline to register is May 1. Late entries are \$85 per 150 birds.

Awards for top five places in all divisions: High Point Over-All Individual Awards 4 Divisions - Junior, Intermediate, Se-

nior 1 and Senior 2 Divisions. Registration begins at 8 a.m. and matches start at 9 a.m. Cut off for registration is 10 a.m. Concession Stand will be open.

This is a "Whiz Bang" for 5 Stand and Sporting Clay qualifier. Lunch will be available for purchase. Proceeds to benefit Crockett County 4-H Shooting Sports Program.

For more information, call Tom Anderson at (325) 392-3774 or Ken Stokes at (325) 392-3282.

LIBRARY NEWS

By Louise P. Ledoux | Crockett County Librarian

Turn memories into a story

"Closing libraries— there is no other way to put this—is a symptom of societal decay. Libraries are a symbol of functional democracy and informed citizens—and, indeed, of an enlightened people. Many of our nation's most celebrated figures, from Benjamin Banneker and Abigail Adams to Abraham Lincoln, Ray Bradbury, and Jack London, educated themselves in public libraries. These institutions represent our collective commitment to equal access to knowledge and information, regardless of status or income." - Matthew DiCarlo, "The High Cost of Closing Public Libraries,"

HISTORY OF CROCKETT COUNTY VOLUME II

CCPL is teaming up with the Historical Commission to update and print a new Volume II of the History of Crockett County book. If your family is

not listed in the original book, or if you have family updates, now is the time to put your info together and get it turned in to be included in the new book.

There are forms available at the library to help you get your info organized. We are looking for family stories, pictures, business and organization info, land and personal history, brands and ranch history, and anything that you have on your family history.

We want to include every family living in Crockett County now, so come by the library and get your forms. It is as simple as filling in the blanks and letting us scan your pictures. Historical Commission members are standing by to help you, but it's really a matter of getting your information together with your pictures and submitting them at the library. Come by today!

Spring Clothes Sale

April 28 - May 8
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Leigh Ann Staggs, bride-elect of Chris Fierro

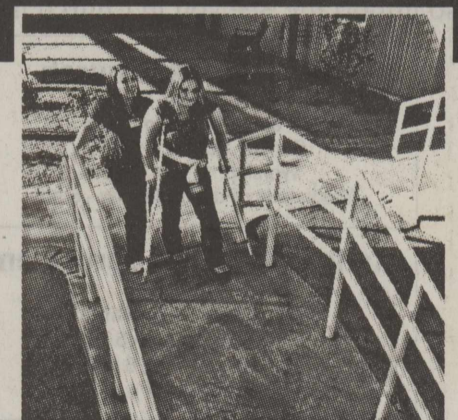
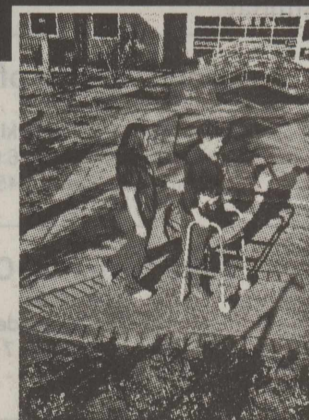
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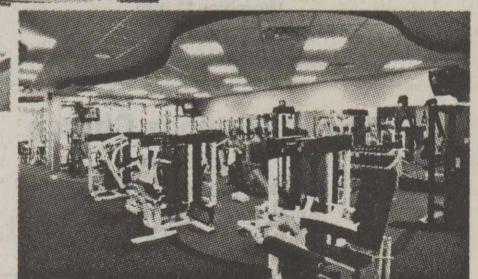
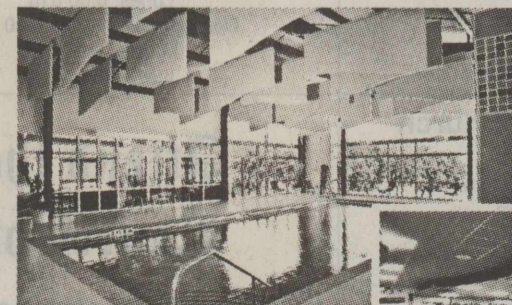
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OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

BY LYNN ENGLISH
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

This past week was a busy week. Something was going on every day Monday thru Thursday and we were closed on Friday. The long three-day weekend was greatly appreciated. We did get a shower Thursday night last week. It measured different amounts depending where you were during the shower. It was with deep regret that we learned Monday morning that Jake Miller had passed away on Sunday. He will be missed so much. Jake was everyone's friend. We send our condolence to his family and many, many friends. Dale Bebee had surgery this week and we are anxious to hear about the result of his surgery. Also Bob and Betty Hartley went to Midland on Monday to see Bob's doctor. We are hop-

ing Bob will be able to get some type of a boot so that he can get around better. Diane Phillips was here at the Senior Center last and gave a presentation on her recent trip to India. It was very good and those who were able to attend on short notice really enjoyed it. Thank you for coming Diane, we do look forward to you coming again. On Thursday, April 28, the Area Agency on Aging will be here at Crockett County Senior Center to help those seniors who have questions about services such as Advocacy, Benefits Counseling, Care Coordination, Caregiver Support, Foster Grandparent Program, Ombudsman Program, Senior Companion Program and 2-1-1 of the Concho Valley. They will be here at 12:30-1:30 p.m. The bridge game will be played on Mondays at 1:30 p.m. Those who attend have the best time playing bridge

and they appreciate using our Senior Center. Thursdays have been set aside for any of you who would like to play dominos. You can play in late a.m. or early afternoon. If you would like to set up a game, call Lynn English at 392-9094. On Wednesday, a group meets to play Mexican Train. These players get competitive and have fun playing this exciting game. We have our regular activities: bridge, bingo, home health, pool, canasta, domino games and puzzles. We also have a collection of books, magazines, a Wii game and two computers that are on the Internet for seniors to use. We also have a projector with stand and a screen and have added a wonderful keyboard. Activities sponsored by the Crockett County Senior Center Board are for adults only.

HELPING HANDS HIGHLIGHTS

BY MELINDA KAY MALONE
DIRECTOR

**Crockett County Businesses and Community:
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We hope everyone had an awesome Easter Sunday! We are thankful for the blessing of the small amount of rain and cloud cover. Our volunteer firefighters are ever on the alert in Crockett County and across the state. Keep them in your prayers as well as the families who have had losses from the fires. There are still areas of ministry during this statewide crisis. Our Board of Directors met on April 12. New officers are President - Weldon Nicks, Vice-President - Allan Stover, Secretary/Treasurer - Irene Gonzales. We welcome Arthur Franco to the Board. Other Directors are Betty Bullard, Barbara Nicks, Dianne J. Phillips, and Roberta Schoenhals. We also have many Friends of Helping Hands. Thank you

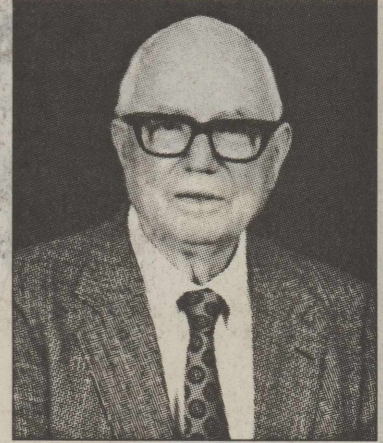
to all you give so unselfishly of their time. Thank you to Audrey Glynn, Melissa and Paul Perner of the Ozona Stockman for providing items on our wish list. Helping Hands Wish List: two wireless adapters, colored printing paper and we can always use colorful stickers to decorate paper lunch sacks. Thank you, Crockett County for your generosity. Volunteers were appreciated for office tasks, kitchen tasks and delivering meals. Drivers are greatly needed and we have personnel who can ride along and do the walking to the homes. If you have at least 45 minutes or more to volunteer, please contact us. Contact: (325) 392-5026, by fax (325) 392-8006, email hhozona163@yahoo.com, or come by to see Melinda (325) 226-4460, Becky, Laura, and Mona. Se habla Español.

- Beef & Pork Chop Suey with Oriental Rice, Oriental Vegetables, Mandarin Oranges, Fortune Cookie, Banana Pudding, Milk
- Thursday, April 28**
• Chili Spaghetti, Baked Onions, Mixed Salad, Garlic Bread, Praline Cake, Milk
- Friday, April 29**
• Baked Seasoned Fish, California Vegetables, Cornbread Salad, Mixed Fruit Cup, Milk
- Monday, May 2**
• Garlic Herb Pork, Wild Rice, Carrots, Honey Mustard Coleslaw, Wheat Roll, Dutch Apple Cake, Milk
- Tuesday, May 3**
• Chicken A La King, Green Beans, Marinated Corn, Bell Pepper & Onion Salad, Lemon Bar, Wheat Twist Bread, Milk
- Wednesday, May 4**
• BBQ Beef Platter, Red Potato Salad, Tomato Salad, Garlic Bread, Peach Cobbler, Milk

Menu is subject to change
Wednesday, April 27

OBITUARIES

Eugene 'Jake' Miller



Eugene "Jake" Miller, 95, our beloved Dad and Grandpa, went to be with his Lord on Easter Sunday, April 24, 2011. Funeral service is at 1:30 p.m. today, April 27, 2011 at the Ozona Church of Christ. Burial will follow at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

and family celebrated for 71 years in "Thanksgiving Canyon" on the V I Pierce Ranch.

Jake was a 4-H Club Adult Leader and a lifelong member and honorary director of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, served on the Ozona School Board and the Crockett County Appraisal Board during the land purchases for the construction of Interstate 10 Highway. Jake is survived by his son Pierce Miller and wife Betty of San Angelo; his daughter Robilen Miller and Gail Hartman of Canyon Lake; grandchildren Camille Miller Yale and husband Ed of San Angelo; Roy Miller of Austin; Rod Miller and wife Kim of Stephenville; Walt Miller and wife Lolita of San Antonio; Kevin Miller and wife Maria of Victoria; Shari Miller Hughes and husband David of Ingram; Shelly Miller Vargas of San Antonio; 20 great-grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Rob and Zilla Miller, brother J. B. "Buster" Miller, sister Norma Miller Wiet, son Jay Miller and grandson Rhett Pierce Miller. Pallbearers will be Roy Miller, Rod Miller, Walt Miller, Kevin Miller, Mike Miller, Miles Miller, Ed Yale and Marshall Rhett Yale. Honorary Pallbearers will be Miles Pierce, Tuffy Whitehead, Glen Richardson, Erby Chandler, David Hughes, Jim Wiet, Frank Childress, Harvey Winkler, Tony Sanchez, James Sanchez, Michael Sanchez, Anthony Sanchez and Patrick Sanchez. A special "thank you" to Dad's good friend and ranch foreman of 34 years, Tony Sanchez and wife, Lupe as well as caregiver Veva Vargas. Memorials can be made to Meals on Wheels, P.O. Box 944, Ozona, TX 76943, Crockett County Museum, P.O. Box 1444, Ozona, TX 76943 or a charity of choice. Gary Vannoy, DVM said of Jake, "among his fellow man and creatures of the land, he walked humbly with God."



A GOAT AMONG THE SHEEP

Last week my wife and I were feeding some sheep and to our surprise up walked a goat. Now it was not just any ordinary goat it was a hair goat or Angora goat one that produces mohair. It was totally white with a lot of hair. I knew it was not mine because I do not have any hair goats but my neighbor across the highway does. I guess that goat found a hole in the fence and got in with the sheep. That hair goat reminds me of something in the Bible. Jesus called people that have submitted their lives to Him and called upon or are trusting in Him for Salvation, sheep. And people who have rejected God and Jesus Christ, goats. While we are on the earth Christians and non Christians will dwell together. But when physical death comes the two are treated differently. The Bible pictures Jesus one day sitting on a glorious throne and judging everyone. The ones that have trusted Christ, sheep, (obeyed God) He moves to His right but the disobedient or unbelieving, goats, He moves to His left, (Matthew 25:31-46). Those on right will enter into His presence and a New Kingdom for eternity. But those on left he will say, "Depart from Me accursed ones" and they will be cast away to eternal punishment, (Matthew 25:41). Trusting in Christ is so important. See you in Church next Sunday. Brother J.

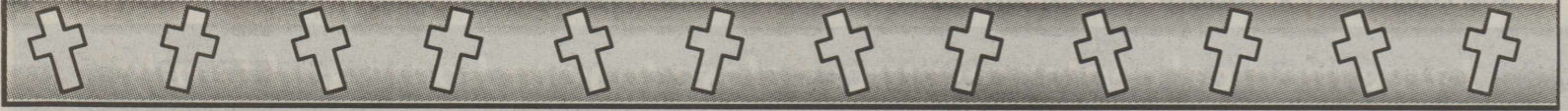
First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D Pastor Chris Johnson Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6 p.m.	Ozona Church of Christ 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.	Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St. Pastor Ron Shott Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.
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.	Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St. Pastor Tom Baden Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m. Bible Class: Sunday - 6 p.m.	Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church 2121 Santa Rosa St. Pastor Ruth & Gerson Posadas Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.
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.	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.	Our Lady of Perpetual Help 219 Martinez St. Fr. Nilo Nalugon Sun. Mass: 11 a.m. Sat.: 7 p.m. Tues. - Fri.: 6 p.m.
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.	Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday	Apostolic Church 307 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Refugi Vega Sunday School: 4 p.m. Sunday Worship: 5 p.m. Tues & Thur. Service: 7:00 p.m.
New Beginnings Church 701 9th Street Pastor Carlos Cantu Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.		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.

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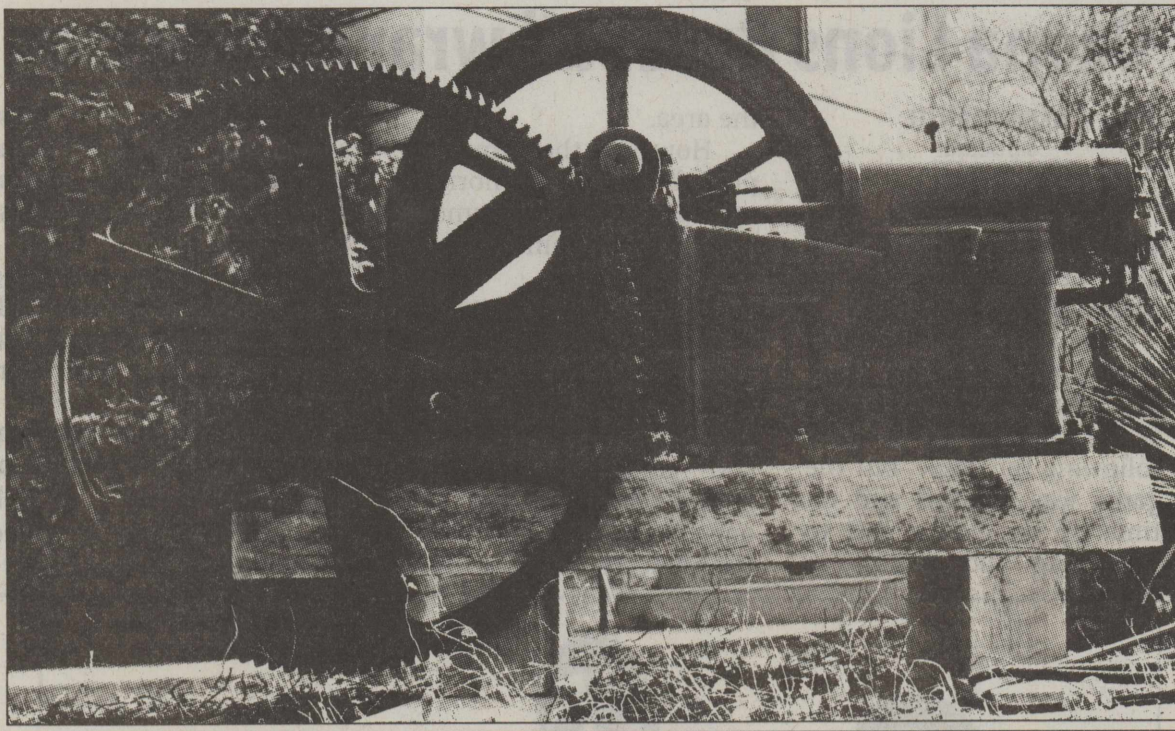
The Nutrition/Food Pantry program will be held Friday, April 29 beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the Ozona United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. This class focuses on nutritious foods and spending your food money wisely. Recipes will be given. The class is open to all interested persons. However, in order to receive a food box, you must pre-register. For more information, call E.A. Wadsworth, RN, at 392-3060.

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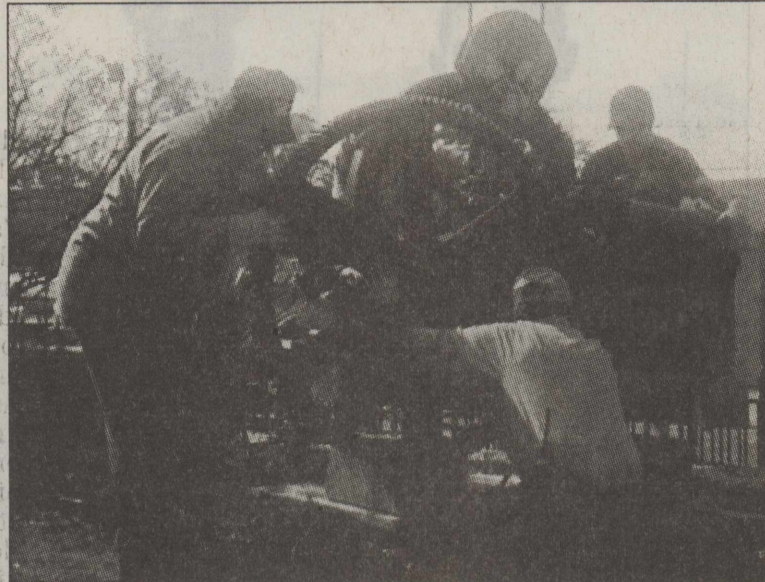
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THE LATE JAKE MILLER donated the steam engine motor to well pump that was installed by Crockett County Road Department employees for display at the Crockett County Museum. Miller's wife's grandfather bought it from Angelo Public Water System. Judge Davidson then bought well pump for Ozona Water Works. Joe Sudderth Pierce first bought the well pump from Ozona Water Works for \$600 and moved it to Roy Ranch where the well would pump water into a dirt tank at 50 gallons a minute. The well pump is located in front of the museum on the corner facing 11th Street. A plaque is planned for the display.



Community-wide revival starts tonight

The West Texas Area-Wide Crusade will take place tonight (April 27) through Sunday.

The community-wide revival will feature Gospel preaching by evangelist Mike Courtney and music by Chad and Maliana Ferrell.

Events will begin at 7 p.m. tonight through Saturday and 3 p.m. Sunday at Civic Center.

Youth Night will be at 5 p.m. Saturday. All youth are welcome to come for burgers and fun.

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Sheriff's office investigating vandalism

The Crockett County Sheriff's Office is investigating several acts of vandalism that took place on the south end of the town square last week.

Grease was found on the Davy Crockett statue, spray paint on the sidewalk and rock wall and broken spotlight in front of the statue.

There are no suspects at this time and sheriff's officials plan on patrolling the area heavily.

Anyone with any information can call the sheriff's office at 392-2661.

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CARE CENTER CHATTER

BY ODILIA SANCHEZ
ASSISTANT ACTIVITY DIRECTOR

In the month of April we have been celebrating several fun activities.

National Volunteer Week was from the 11th-15th. We have several, great individuals and groups that help out at the Care Center daily. We also have a new volunteer pastor that just moved to town and she is also helping out on Friday afternoons. Her name is Ruth Posadas and she is the pastor at Temple Siloe Assembly of God. She sings with the residents, brings them the Word and then prays for them. She is a wonderful asset to our community. All of these ministries are a great blessing to our residents and we really appreciate all that they do. God bless you and thank you on behalf of the staff and residents.

On the 21st, we had a big celebration! First, we celebrated Easter and April Birthdays with cookies and punch and a cute, bunny decoration cake made by Lil Payne. Then, the front lawn of the Care Center was adorned with colorful Easter eggs. It looked awesome! Hanging from a tree, was a bunny Pinata made by Mary Ybarra. The children from the community started arriving around 3:30 p.m. for the Easter egg hunt. At 4 p.m., the hunt for the eggs and prizes started. The lawn was covered with girls and boys, and the Easter Bunny, Marta, was helping them find the eggs. Within a few minutes, the lawn was back to its everyday look. The

kids then lined up to bash the pinata. Candies started flying all over the place and they disappeared within a few minutes. We also had a drawing for two Easter baskets donated by Dorinda, one of our nurses. The kids had a great time and the residents enjoyed watching them. It turned out to be a beautiful day for the celebration.

The Bingo Buck store will again be open to the residents on April 28. Some of them will be carrying up to \$100 or more Bingo Bucks which they will spend on that day. They always have a good time shopping and

the staff enjoys setting up the store and helping the shoppers. We will have a variety of items to choose from and we appreciate everyone who donates items for this day.

Soon there will be a class starting for 10, Certified Nurses Assistants. Their job will be a very special one. They will have many responsibilities they will be performing daily in order to make sure that our residents are cared for with the best possible care available. We hope the students do well and hope they will soon be part of the staff at the Care Center.

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<p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 TX-based salsa</p> <p>5 TXism: "brains in _____" (computer)</p> <p>6 TXism: "Is the _____ Catholic?"</p> <p>7 young dogs</p> <p>8 chowd down</p> <p>9 TX-born Bryan Hitt is drummer for _____ "Speedwagon"</p> <p>12 TX-born Andy Stahl was in '93 film "The Real _____"</p> <p>17 this Levi started 1st blue jeans company</p> <p>19 Barbary Sheep</p> <p>21 TX Guy Clark tune: "_____ Build"</p> <p>22 "the bull" south of the border</p> <p>23 you can breathe it in on cruise from Galveston (2 wds.)</p> <p>28 cloth belt worn by early TX pirates</p> <p>29 this Laura was in film "I Am Sam" with TX Loretta Devine</p> <p>30 TX Mandrell sang "If Loving You Is Don't _____"</p> <p>31 this Murphy was in "48 Hrs." with TX Annette O'Toole</p> <p>35 company that started desktop publishing in "Texas Carnival"</p> <p>36 TXism: "hunkered down _____ go" (ready)</p> <p>42 Lacy _____ TX</p> <p>44 TX Duvall was this Oyl in "Popeye" ('80)</p>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; height: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>8</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>9</td><td>10</td><td>11</td><td>12</td></tr> <tr><td>13</td><td>14</td><td>15</td><td>16</td></tr> <tr><td>17</td><td></td><td>18</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>19</td><td></td><td></td><td>20</td></tr> <tr><td>21</td><td></td><td></td><td>22</td></tr> <tr><td>23</td><td>24</td><td>25</td><td>26</td></tr> <tr><td>27</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>28</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>29</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>30</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>31</td><td>32</td><td>33</td><td>34</td></tr> <tr><td>35</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>36</td><td>37</td><td>38</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>39</td><td>40</td><td>41</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>42</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>43</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>44</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>45</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>46</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>47</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>48</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>49</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>50</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>51</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>52</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>53</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>54</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>55</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>56</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>57</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>58</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> </table>	1	2	3	4	5				6				7				8				9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17		18		19			20	21			22	23	24	25	26	27				28				29				30				31	32	33	34	35				36	37	38		39	40	41		42				43				44				45				46				47				48				49				50				51				52				53				54				55				56				57				58				<p>DOWN</p> <p>1 "House" in '76 was 1st of Houston based restaurants</p> <p>2 Travis Tritt's "It's All _____ Change"</p> <p>3 _____ Cove, TX</p> <p>4 former UT students: "Texas _____"</p> <p>9 this Courtnell was a 1993-95 right wing for the Dallas Stars</p> <p>10 Olympian swimmer in "Texas Carnival"</p> <p>11 "bear" south of the border</p> <p>12 actress West in '70 "Myra Breckinridge" with TX Farrah</p> <p>13 TXism: "_____ to make cows give ice cream"</p> <p>14 TXism: "_____ as a bug's ear"</p> <p>15 boot aroma</p> <p>16 TXism: "spin a _____" (lie)</p> <p>18 TX Tanya's "One Love _____ Time"</p> <p>20 TX George Strait's "What _____ You Say to That" ('99)</p> <p>23 dir. to Comanche from Dublin</p> <p>24 Ranger C.J. stat internet services co.</p> <p>25 internet services co.</p> <p>26 TXism: "searched high _____"</p> <p>27 film "The Night of the _____" ('64)</p> <p>32 county prosecutor (abbr.)</p> <p>33 TX "_____ Pepper"</p> <p>34 TX Willie's "Farm Aid _____" was in '86</p> <p>36 TX Howard Hughes girl friend Gardner who was in 27-down</p> <p>37 zero or nonexistent</p> <p>38 in Comanche Co. on hwy. 6 & 16</p> <p>39 Forest _____ TX</p> <p>40 TXism: "worn to a frazzle"</p> <p>41 baking chamber</p> <p>43 TX-born Debbie Reynolds hubby Fisher (init.)</p> <p>45 Houstonians use an "_____ Tag" on toll roads</p> <p>47 TXism for "mosquito"</p> <p>48 ex-Ranger outfielder Canseco (1992-94)</p> <p>55 TX Betty Buckley Broadway musical</p>
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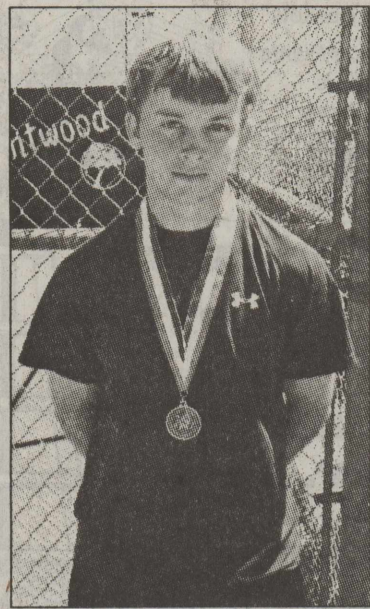
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Wilson takes third at regional tennis



OHS Tennis Player Stefan Wilson placed third at the Region I-2A Tennis Meet last week in Odessa. In the first round, Wilson defeated Edgar Castillo, of Spearman, 6-0, 6-1. Next, Wilson advanced to the semifinals after defeating Caleb Bunch, of In-

gram Tom Moore, 6-0, 6-3. In the semis, Wilson fell to Tyson Turnbow, of Muleshoe, 6-3, 6-1. Wilson then won the third-place match, 6-0, 6-4, over James Kyle Stevenson, of Forsan, but lost the second-place playoff to Jesse Guerra, of Tornillo, 6-0, 6-0. "Stefan had a great regional tournament. Even though he didn't reach his goal of advancing to the state tournament, he beat the number four seed and the number three seed to finish third in a really tough boys' singles draw," said Coach Wendy Justiss. "I am really proud of the way he handled and represented himself in the face of his losses. He has grown so much as a player and individual over the last four years and this will be a great benefit as he continues his tennis career in college."



Renfroe competes at regional golf

Ozona Lady Lion Kelbie Renfroe competed at the Region I-2A Golf Tournament last week in Odessa. Kelbie shot a 98-99 for a two-day total of 197. "Congratulations to Kelbie on making it to regionals for the second straight year and representing Ozona High School," said Coach Ubaldo Elguea.

LADY LIONS:

slam homerun over Sonora. That win put Ozona in second place.

Also earning her share of homeruns this season is Senior Britni Mitchel.

"We are playing with a young group who focused on the game when we needed it the most," Mitchel said.

Rounding out the roster for the Lady Lions is Sabrina De La Garza, Arleen Castillo, Kodi Glosson, Stacie Quiroz, Lexi Poindexter, Bethani Trevino, Cynthia Garcia, Adrienne Sanchez, Rae Lynn Arredondo and Vivian Medina.

The games will be broadcast on KYXX 94.3 FM.

Jadie, Kinsey, Lanna, and Julie Marshall were third in both events.

Erik and Linda competed as senior individuals since it takes three to make a team. In Mohair they were fifth and third respectively and in Wool Linda was first. She also won the Overall.

4-Hers qualify for State Roundup

BY ANN STAPPER
CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H

Crockett County 4-H judges have competed in their District contest and two Invitational contests in recent weeks.

The Senior Mohair team of Erik Carrizales, Abby Newton and Linda Stapper placed first in District and will be heading to State Roundup at Texas A&M University in June.

The Intermediate teams of Jadie Marshall, Kinsey Chandler, Lanna Stapper, and Alex Hopper, Thomas Cruz and Austin Elguea took first and second in Wool, first and third in Mo-

hair, first in Range and second in Plant ID in their District competitions.

At the Crockett County Invitational the Seniors took second in Wool and Mohair and the Intermediates took first in Wool, Mohair, and Range Evaluation and second in Plant ID.

At the Kerrville invitational meet Jadie, Kinsey, Lanna and Alex took first in both Range Evaluation and Plant ID with Kinsey as high point in Plant ID and Lanna high point in Range.

Thomas Cruz, Chantz Elliot and Julie Marshall, and Preston McCutcheon placed third in Range.

In Wool and Mohair,



CROCKETT COUNTY 4-HERS recently competed at the District Wool and Mohair and Range and Plant ID contest. Pictured are: (left to right) Lanna Stapper, Abby Newton, Alex Hopper, Thomas Cruz, Carlon Stapper (coach), Erik Carrizales, Linda Stapper, Kinsey Chandler and Jadie Marshall. Also pictured is Mia Cruz. Not pictured: Austin Elguea, Chantz Elliot, Preston McCutcheon and Julie Marshall.

Ozona Lions Baseball wraps up season

BY NIKKI LAFITTE
OHS BASEBALL

The Ozona Lions Baseball team concluded their 2011 season last Friday at home against Ballinger.

The Lions were scheduled to play their last game on Thursday evening with senior night ceremonies following the game, but the game was delayed and ultimately postponed due to lightning and storms in

the area.

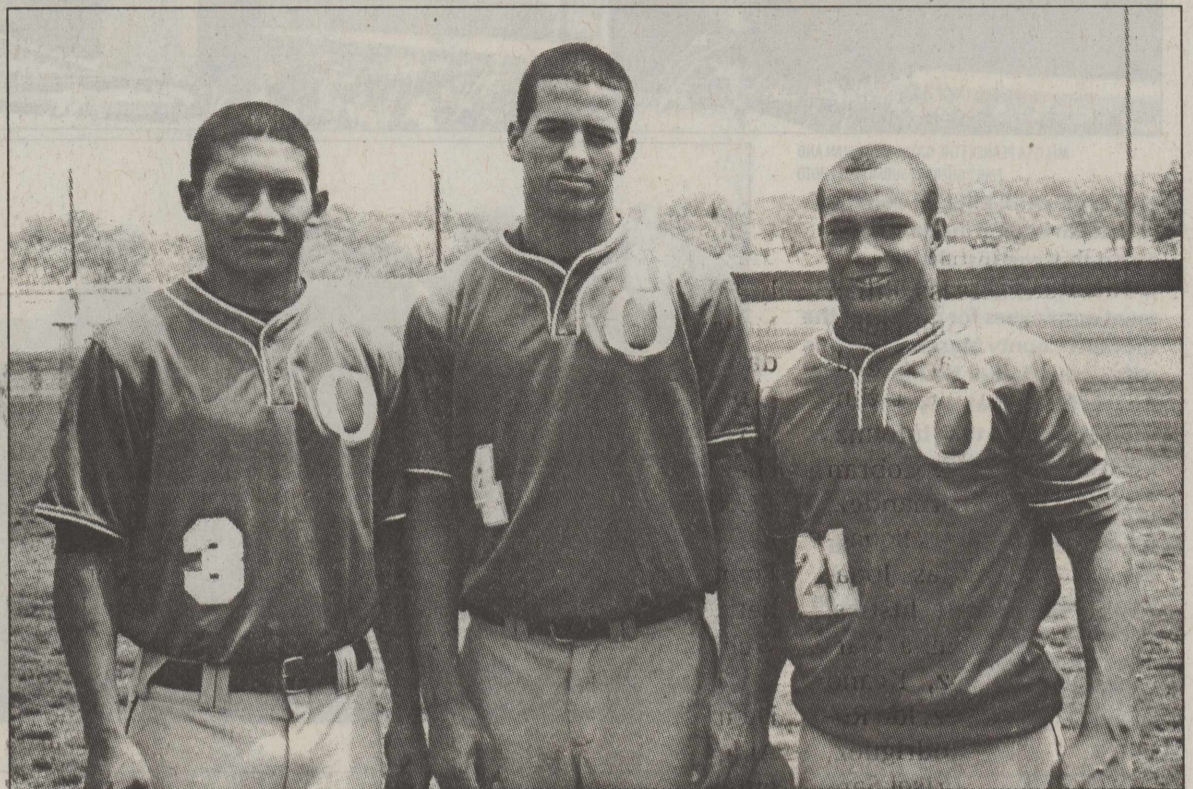
However, the game was played on Friday morning with the senior ceremony following the game.

The 2011 Varsity Lions Roster included seniors Kyle Dean, Abey Lara, Austin Suddreth, Nathan DeHoyos, Andrew Sanchez and Ismael Castro. Alejandro Mendez was the only junior on the team. Sophomores include Alex

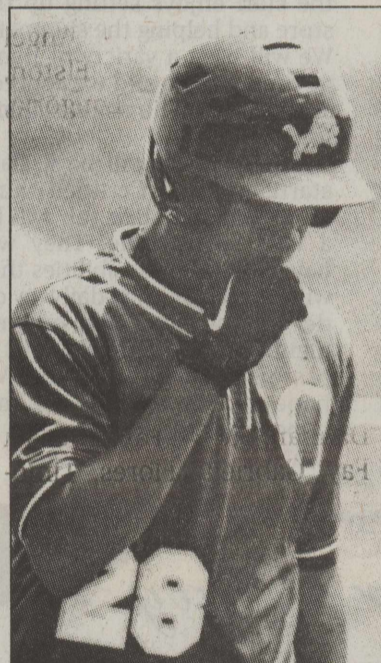
Borrego, Adam Gonzales, and Jeffery Sanchez. Freshmen players for the season were Saul Vargas and Tristen Alvarez.

Immediately following the final game against Ballinger, the Lions recognized the seniors and their parents on the field.

Parents were presented with a signed picture of their senior player as well as a baseball autographed by the 2011 Ozona Lions.



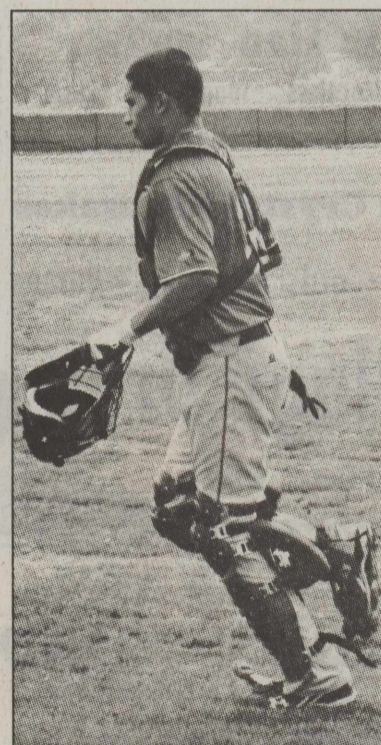
OHS SENIOR BASEBALL TEAM MEMBERS recognized in their final game on April 21 are: (l. to r.) Abey Lara, Austin Suddreth and Kyle Dean.



TRISTAN ALVAREZ



ALEX BORREGO BATS FOR THE LIONS in their final game of the year.



ABEY LARA



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OES Honor Roll

FIFTH SIX WEEKS "A" HONOR ROLL

First Grade - Monserrat Blanco, Roxana Camarillo-Mares, Mattison Camp, Juan Cantu, Ivan Escamilla, Noah Escamilla, Ethan Gonzalez, Bryce Gray, Harley Hernandez, Adam Hopper, Sydney Knaack, Jason Lopez, Mary Jane Macias, Brianna Maskill, Mysti Mata Zapata, Amber Moran, Haleigh Moran, Haley Nowell, Allyson Ortiz-Gaige, Lea Quigley, Genesis Venegas and Krysten Webb.

Second Grade - Izac Adkins, Lianna Blanco, Austin Castro, Madison Castro, Carson Childress, Ethan Criswell, Jose Dominguez, Michael Esparza, Sydney Flores, Shelbie Galindo, Jorge Garcia Molina, Reagan Gonzalez, Cobran Hernandez, Ian Hernandez, Kaitlyn Hernandez, Michaela Holley, Diego Irlas, Jonathan Jurado, Jarett Justiss, Idaly Ledezma, Jenna Marshall, Jose Munoz, Keano Perez, Raul Ramirez, Ida Rodriguez, Norah Rodriguez, Kyndall Rohan, Dorisel Sanchez, Jace Savala, Kaleigh Thomas, Jacqueline Venegas and Tate Williams.

Third Grade - Raelle Borrego, Esmeralda Castillo, Jacob Childress, Sebastian De La Cruz, Jaden Fay, Matthew Galindo, Valysa Hartman, Osiel Hernandez, Alec Lara, Cristina Mata, Austin Moran, Carlie Ramos, Peyton Rohan, Thomas Talamantez, Humberto Torralba, Manuel Torralba, Joseph Vitela and Tyler Webb.

Fourth Grade - Chantz Elliott, Jacqueline Guerra, Josh Knaack, Paige Villarreal and Caleb Webb.

Fifth Grade - Cassidy Gonzalez, Brenna Hale, Andy Hernandez, Murray Logan, Emily Marlatt, Hunter Smith and Samantha Torralba.

"A-B" HONOR ROLL

First Grade - Madison

Bullard, Esperanza Castillo, Dameion Daigle, Matthew De La Garza, Kayleigh Dominguez, Kayleigh Hernandez, Westyn Hubbard, Makayleigh Martinez, Alejandra Mata, Jacqueline Medina, Declan Perez, Lizbet Quiroz, Mary Rodriguez, Nicholas Sanchez, Leena Sanchez-Garcia, Deziree Tambunga, Adin Thornhill, Ethan Tobar and Jaron Villarreal.

Second Grade - Reagan Borrego-Barrera, Christopher Contreras, Angela Damian, Brianna Garcia, Daniella Gonzales, Alondra Hernandez, Kemberly Hernandez, Skylar Luna, Melvyn Mejia, Perla Ojeda, Shelly Ortiz, Alexandra Quiroz, John Ramirez, Isaiah Samario, Elisabeth Sanchez, Pilar Sanchez Garcia, J'Ce Schroeder, Michael Solis, Jesus Vega, Juan Vega, Emmanuel Venegas, Elizabeth Villarreal and Matthew Wellman.

Third Grade - Austin Damian, Alana Escamilla, Aiden Fuentes, Amber Fuentes, Laney Galindo, Georgina Garcia, Kenadi Iglehart, Nate Jackson, Marco Lozano De Hoyos, Hailey Marlatt, Wendy Mata, Roslynn Mendez, Alexandra Montgomery, Holly Munsell, Alyiah Ortiz, Ilene Ramoz, Kristy Rodriguez, Lazaro Rodriguez, Kayla Sarabia, Kendra Sarabia, Kenzee Talamantez, Alycia Tambunga, Kaitlyn Tambunga and Adrian Whitby.

Fourth Grade - Ivana Hernandez, Jazmin Hernandez, David Landin, Isaura Lopez, Coulter McWilliams, Adalyne Nehus, Yasmin Ojeda, Alyssa Perez and Ivan Villarreal.

Fifth Grade - Alejandra Camarillo, Roman Esparza, Angel Gamez, Larissa Hernandez, Brandon Jara, Toni Parker, Savannah Ramos, Denise Rodriguez, Cierra Sanchez, Kaelan Savala, Autumn Villarreal and Christian Yruegas.

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FIFTH SIX WEEKS "A" HONOR ROLL

Freshmen - Christian Cantu, Lisa Dorrough, Desiree Marshall and Vivian Medina
Sophomores - Allie Black and Jerrod duBois
Juniors - Lane Hale
Seniors - Duncan Knox, Rosendo Lara, Jayce Logan, Rebecca Pierce and Stefan Wilson

"A-B HONOR ROLL"

Freshmen - Tristan Alvarez, Jonatan Arredondo, Daisy Guerra, Deyanira Hernandez, Lorenzo Hernandez, Abby Newton, Jordyn Poindexter, Amy Quiroz, Lazarae Rodriguez, Nancy Ro-

driguez, Sierra Stokes and Saul Vargas

Sophomores - Arleen Castillo, Brandon DeHoyos, Cynthia Garcia, Mayra Rios, Ingred Silva, Cristopher Taylor and Sierra Trevino

Juniors - Leigh Galindo, Gabriella Gutierrez, Natalie Hernandez, Ryan Mayfield, Kelsie Ramirez and Isabel Ybarra

Seniors - Khushbu Bhakta, Clarissa Burciaga, Sean Davis, Leandra Hernandez, Miriam Lugo Valdes, Jill Marquez, Melanie Miller, Layla Perez, Jady Poindexter, Gabriela Rodriguez, Judith Rodriguez, Roxanne Talamantez and Brenda Venegas

OMS Honor Roll

FIFTH SIX WEEKS "A" HONOR ROLL

Sixth Grade - Austin Elguea, Asia Lara, Kamryn Lozano, Julie Marshall, Rachel Mendoza, Elizabeth Rodriguez, Kabir Shah, Dacie Taylor and Azaylea Tovar

Seventh Grade - Narda Aguilar, Kimberly Borrego, Taylor Luna, Jeremy Munoz, Alyssa Newlin, Dulce Rodriguez and Estefania Torralba

Eighth Grade - Angel Aguilar, Kaylenn Elston, Chellil Gonzalez-Longoria, Bryce Gutierrez, Daniel Lombrana, Jadie Marshall, Alan Salazar, Zackary Taylor, Nathaniel Valdes, Nydia Valdes and Dalan Wilson

"A-B" HONOR ROLL

Sixth Grade - Luis Contreras, Thomas Cruz, Edgar Damian, Henry Fay, Michael Fay, Gabriella Flores, Timothy Hardy, Garry Held, Madyson Hubbard, Maiah Jurado, Trace Justiss, Jennifer Lewis, Timothy Maldonado, Caleb Martinez, Jose Martinez, Preston McCutcheon, Jadon Perez, Sidney Perez, Amery Robison, Kelly Sewell, Jasmine Talamantez and Megan Vasquez

Seventh Grade - Daisy Cantu, Madison Childress, Kristen Fierro, John Gomez,

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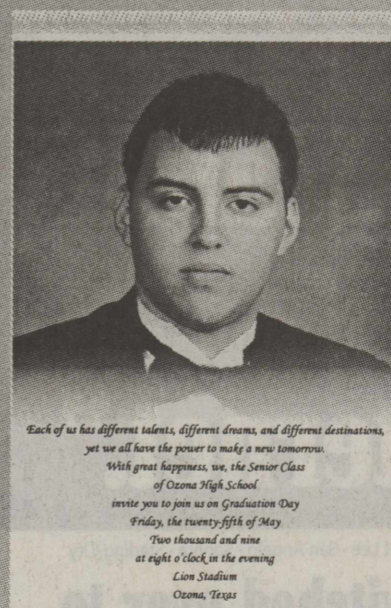
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It takes several working together to do our Annual Easter Egg Hunt. Providing an experience of an Easter Egg Hunt for our children in the community is special we hope our children had fun and remember their experience as they get older. I feel these annual events are very important for our children.

I would like to thank everyone that supported our Easter Egg Hunt and I apologize if I did not recognize someone. Everyone's support was greatly appreciated.

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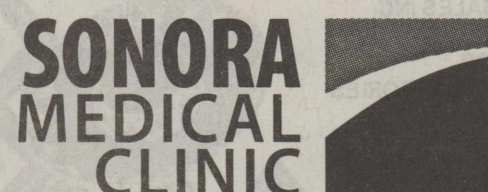
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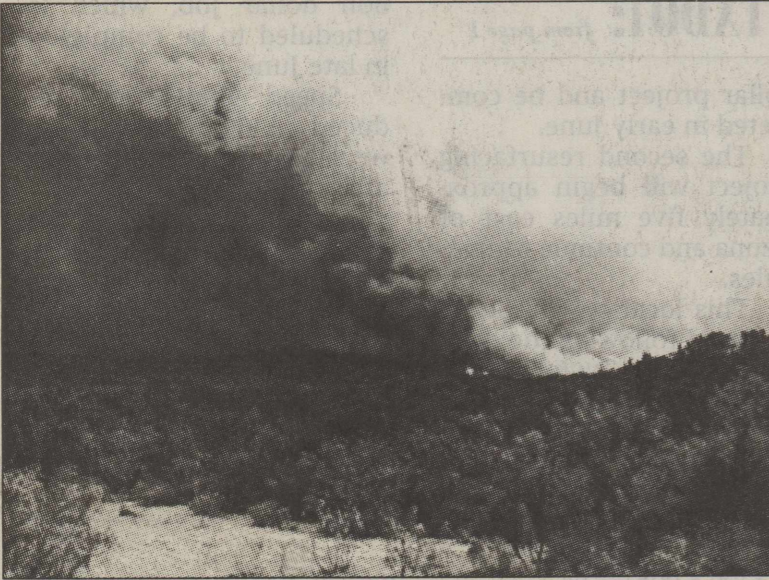
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BLACK SMOKE fills the air from a fire on the West and Carson Ranches in Val Verde County. Ozona firefighters, Val Verde firefighters and Texas Forest Service crews fought the blaze that started Monday afternoon.

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night started new fires due to lightning. These fires were located off of Couch Road off of Farm-to-Market Road 2083 and County Road 106, which the TFS helped fight.

Iraan and Sheffield battled a blaze off of U.S. Highway 190 six miles east of Iraan, which burned 10 acres.

On Monday, TFS stated that the fire between Couch Road and Howard Draw had burned 600 acres and was 100 percent contained. A 20-person hand crew from TFS assisted on the fire. No structures were threatened.

Since Jan. 1, the Texas Forest Service has responded to more than 810 fires that have burned more than 1.5 million acres. At last count, more than 5,570 structures have been saved and 370 lost this year. In Crockett County, Falkner estimated around 35,000 acres have burned so far this year.

"This has been a high fire year, but not the highest," Falkner said. The highest believed to be 1978 for Crockett County.

The worst fire in the state is the Rockhouse Fire in Presidio and Jeff Davis Counties. As of Sunday, the forest service reported that fire had burned 207,660 acres and was 75 percent contained with 23 homes and two commercial structures destroyed in the Fort Davis area in the initial burning period. The Buffalo Trail Boy Scout Ranch remains threatened.

Around 300 firefighters continue to work the fire burning in heavy brush and pinyon-juniper, the TFS report stated. That fire started April 9.

Over the Easter weekend, Gov. Rick Perry declared days to pray for rain. He also stated in a press release tougher penalties against arson.

Perry said he would support legislation that increases the penalty beyond a second degree felony. Authorities have charged a homeless man with arson in connection with a blaze that scorched about 100 acres of southwest Austin. The man told investigators that he left a campfire unattended while he went to a store for beer.

"I don't care whether they're homeless or what," Perry said. "If they set a fire, the punishment needs to be stiff. You're talking about losing people's lives with these fires, particularly with these conditions we're in."

Perry also called on federal officials to "step up at a substantially greater role" to contain the fires fueled by bone dry conditions. The governor has sent a letter to President Barack Obama requesting a Major Disaster Declaration for the State of Texas, which would give the state eligible to more federal aid and federal resources.

Congressman Francisco "Quico" Canseco, R-Texas, and members of the Texas Congressional District have also sent a letter to Obama urging him to approve Perry's request.

"This past weekend, I saw firsthand the damage and devastation caused by wildfires that have rolled

through parts of West Texas and in the 23rd District. The fires have not only left the landscape burnt but have destroyed homes and businesses across Texas," Canseco said. The congressman's district includes Pecos, Jeff Davis, Presidio and Crockett counties. "Wild land fires still pose a great danger to everyone in the State of Texas. Right now, the state and local governments are doing everything they can to battle these fires. However, Governor Perry has indicated that the resources needed by state and local governments could soon be exhausted. Ensuring that funding is available to meet the threat posed by wildfire is absolutely critical to protecting the lives and property of Texans."

The Texas Forest Service also reported last week that they are partnering with Texas Military Forces in fighting wildfires. This includes Texas Army National Guard, U.S. Air Force Bases, ariel support, heavy equipment and medical personnel.

This fire season, Texas Military Forces personnel have dropped more than 730,000 gallons of water by helicopters, the forest service stated.

The Texas Adjutant General, Maj. Gen. John Nichols said: "We will provide assistance as long as it takes, fly missions and provide ground crews until the Texas Forest Service tells us we are no longer needed. We will serve the citizens of Texas and stand together with the brave men and women of the Texas Forest Service, local fire departments and the many volunteer organizations that have been working tirelessly to protect the homes and businesses of so many. We will pray for all those who are fighting these fires and those who have been impacted."

For more information, visit the TFS online at <http://txforestservicetamu.edu> and follow updates about Crockett County on The Ozona Stockman Facebook page.

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ORDER RESTRICTING OUTDOOR BURNING

The Commissioners' Court finds that circumstances present in all or part of the unincorporated area of the county create a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by outdoor burning; and NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Commissioners' Court of Crockett County, Texas, that outdoor burning is restricted in Crockett County for 30 days from the date of adoption of this Order, unless the restrictions are terminated earlier based on a determination made by the Texas Forest Service or this Court. This Order is adopted pursuant to Local Government Code 352.081, and other applicable statutes. This Order does NOT prohibit outdoor burning activities related to public health and safety that are authorized by the Texas Natural Resources Commission for: (1) firefighter training; (2) public utility, natural gas pipeline or mining operations; (3) planting or harvesting or agricultural crops; or (4) burns that are conducted by an approved Prescribed Burning Association, Natural Resource Conservation Service, the and/or Texas A&M Agricultural Experiment Station, or prescribed burn manager certified under Section 153.048, Natural Resources Code, and meet the standards of Section 153.047, Natural Resources Code.

All burns shall be reported to the Crockett County Sheriff's Office (325) 392-2661 and the Fire Chief (325) 392-2626 prior to commencing, together with the name of the landowner, location involved and expert to be on hand.

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