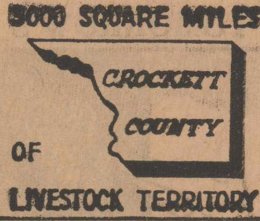


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## Kitty's Korner By Kitty Montgomery

A killer is loose in Ozona. That most inhuman of all creatures the evil old dog poisoner is at it again. There is no fate too bad for this creature who goes secretly about his business of throwing poisoned food items into yards, over fences and in driveways, killing pets and being a very real threat to small children.

This cold-blooded killer gives no thought to the fact that some toddler could be killed by his evil doing as well as the dogs he seeks to destroy, as he boldly distributes the poison without any thought whatsoever about the safety of the children of the community.

He is clever and elusive and has struck in Ozona at least once a year for a half a century without being caught by the law or the irate citizenry. Hundreds of pets have been poisoned and at least one child was violently ill after getting some of the poison several years ago.

The poison has been found in most everything edible from weiners to candy bars, so any food found on one's premises should be viewed with suspicion. Yards should be checked before letting pets out and by all means children.

Maybe this will be the year some alert citizen will catch the old monster in the act and he will get his comeuppance. Let us hope so.

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We've been so busy this week here at the Stockman being sidewalk superintendents for the wrecking crew next door that we really didn't have time to get the paper out, but we forced ourselves. It's been sort of fun really, in spite of the fact that we have expected our own wall to go most any time. There has been some speculation as to whether it would fall toward us or away from us. If you don't get a paper next week, you'll know which way the wall fell.

At the rate they are going, by week's end the entire corner will be cleaned and work will be started on the basement for the new bank building by next week.

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Everyone is rushing around like mad to get a copy of Look magazine, which has the first installment of Manchester's controversial book, "Death of a President". The December 30, issue of Time magazine, I felt, was much more interesting than the installment in Look can be. It had all the deletions, plus a few other little highlights.

I can't help but respect President Johnson for keeping silent during the entire hub-bub and feel it's a perfect example of Texas "good taste."

If the reviews are any indication at all of the book's contents, a Kennedy on a national ticket would have to write-off Texas. Bringing the Kennedy - Johnson rift into the open in this manner can't possibly do anything but hurt Bobby and help Lyndon politically. It goes back to that old saying "even a fish wouldn't get caught if he kept his mouth shut."

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In placing so much emphasis on higher education, I often wonder if we stifle a child's common sense these days. It may be my imagination, but today's colleges and universities seem to turn out more educated idiots than society is able to absorb and it makes one wonder what is going to come of it all.

## Norton And Big Lake Favored As 14 Teams Enter Ozona Tourney

The Lion Basketball team will host the Sonora Broncos Tuesday night in the last game prior to the Ozona Invitational Basketball Tournament next week-end. The Bronco tilt had originally been set for tomorrow night.

## Mrs. Harrell Is Named To Assist Cultural Census

A complete cultural census of Texas is under way with the combined forces of the Texas Fine Arts Commission, the Texas Historical Survey Committee, the four regional chambers of commerce in the state and the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs thrown into the gigantic task of tallying Texas' fine arts assets.

Many purposes will be served by the count, including plans for developing an over-all commission operational plan to utilize the cultural resources of the state to meet the needs of the greatest number of persons possible.

The survey is being manned in every county in the state by volunteer forces under the direction of one coordinator. Mrs. R. A. Harrell, chairman of the Crockett County Historical Survey Committee, has been named to head the census in Crockett county. Statewide coordinator of the enormous count is John Ben Sheppard of Odessa, former chairman of the Texas Historical Survey Committee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and recently named sole trustee of the LBJ Park fund.

The surveyors plan to gather both exhibits and information for the Institute of Texas Culture which will be housed in the State of Texas pavilion at San Antonio's HemisFair in 1968.

The census count is also designed to compile and publish a "who's who in the arts in Texas," compile a calendar of cultural activities for Texas and make available a list of Texas talents, performing art groups, slides, and film presentations. (Continued on Last Page)

## Team Named To Spark March Of Dimes Campaign

An energetic team of community leaders was named today to direct the March of Dimes fight against birth defects in Crockett County this month.

Mrs. Vic Montgomery, chairman of the Crockett County March of Dimes Campaign, announced the following appointments: Mrs. R. L. Bland, chairman of the Mother's March, assisted by Mrs. Napoleon Vitela; Roy Killingsworth, chairman of school collections; Bill Watson, coin collector chairman.

Date for the "Mother's March" will be announced next week by Mrs. Bland. The March will take place on a Sunday afternoon and is the highlight of the campaign. Many volunteers will be needed and all who are interested in participating may contact Mrs. Bland.

## \$400,000 BANK HOME — Ozona National Awards Contract For New Bldg.

Crews of workmen and machines began the demolition early this week of two buildings in downtown Ozona to make way for the construction of Ozona's new \$400,000 bank building.

Directors of the Ozona National Bank last Thursday awarded contract for construction of its new banking home to J. D. Burk of San Angelo on his low bid of \$334,380. The bid included the demolition of the two buildings, the former Wilson Motor Co., building at the corner of Ave. D and 11th street and the two-story Davidson building adjoining it. The two buildings and lots were recently purchased by the bank as the site for the new bank building.

There were five bidders for the job, according to Lowell Littleton, executive vice president of the bank. The bidding was close, he said, not over 1 percent difference between the high and low bid.

The contractor will have 270 days in which to complete the construction project. The job will include moving the present vault and other fixtures from the present bank building to the new.

The new bank building will occupy the entire lot formerly occupied by the two buildings. It will be one of the most modern and beautiful bank buildings in West Texas. The property purchased included the entire lot south to the alley. This area will be used as a parking lot by the bank.

Added floor space will be provided in the building by a big basement. It was expected that the demolition work on the two buildings will be completed before the end of the week and the basement excavation begun.

## Cheerleaders To Seek Rooms For Tourney Visitors

As has been the custom in the past, the cheerleaders and twirlers will begin calling local residents this week in order to find beds for basketball players, who will be in town next weekend for the annual tournament.

Since more of the teams entered this year live in nearby towns, the need for housing will not be as great. Around 75 or 80 boys will be spending Thursday and Friday nights here.

Anyone wishing to keep players may call 392-2185, the high school library, and Miss North or someone on duty will take your name and address. If you have a preference, you may ask for players you prefer to keep. A place to sleep is all that is required, those who play host to the boys are not asked to furnish them meals. However, may do so if they like.

Ramos is accused of the Dec. 4, 1963 gunshot slaying of a schoolmate, Juan Jose Arrebalo, also of Sonora. He was arrested the night of the death after suffering a leg injury.

The youth was sent to Gatesville on a charge of firing a gunshot at highway patrolman Joe Wylie, then stationed in Sonora.

Mahon Thursday asked Sheriff to move the case to Ozona because he didn't feel an impartial jury could be selected in Sonora.

Ed Idar of San Angelo has been appointed to represent Ramos in the trial.

## School Operation Topic For P. T. A.

Ozona PTA will meet Monday night at 7:30 in the high school auditorium for "School Board Recognition Night." Members of the board will discuss the operation of the school.

Superintendent of Schools L. B. T. Sikes will speak on state and federal school money. A panel of high school students will discuss athletics and other school activities.

## RRC Orders Hearing On Pioneer's Application For Gas Rate Hike

### GRASS FIRES MENACE — Fires Result In \$5000 Damage To Two Homes

After six months of relative inactivity, Ozona firemen have been called out seven times in the past two weeks to extinguish fires within the city. Two house fires last week caused an estimated \$5,000 worth of damage to the Ed Cranfill residence at 102 Ave. D and to a house owned by Fred Hagelstein in the 600 block of Ave. I.

The Cranfill home was damaged to the extent of about \$1,000, Fire Chief Jim Marks estimated, when a waste-basket located in the hall ignited early last Thursday morning. Most of the damage was caused by smoke.

Around \$4,000 worth of damage was the estimate on the house on Ave. I, which caught fire Saturday afternoon when the occupants were out of town. The house was occupied by the Lewis Fincannon family. The fire is believed to have started between two walls from over-loaded wiring. It spread to the attic and badly burned one wall before firemen were able to contain it.

Except for a truck fire which incurred no damage, the other calls have been potentially dangerous grass fires. So far firemen have been able to control the grass fires, but officials have expressed concern over conditions which could set off a devastating grass fire, the over-abundance of tundry grass and the lack of moisture for the past two and a half months.

Firemen, with the cooperation of the sheriff's department, are compiling a list of all available stock sprayers in the county. Chief Marks asked that all ranchers who have a sprayer of this type available please call the sheriff's department and give his name, telephone number and the location of the sprayer. This is being done in order that the sprayers could be called into use immediately, should the need arise. The cooperation of all residents in this matter will be appreciated by officials of both departments.

## Ozona Lions Club All-Dist. Banquet At Civic Center

The annual Lions Club Football Banquet will be held at the Civic Center Saturday night at 7:30 p. m. There are 100 tickets available to anyone who wishes to attend. Tickets are on sale now at \$1.75 and may be purchased from any Lions Club member.

In addition to the 100 paid guests, 175 guests are expected from all over the district, including the Lions and their guests locally, the all district teams and coaches from over the district.

The affair will be catered by Fred Harris of San Angelo. Wally Bullington, ex-coach at Abilene High School and an entertaining after-dinner speaker, will be the guest speaker for the evening.

A hearing has been set for January 25 before the Texas Railroad Commission in Austin on the application of the Pioneer Natural Gas Co. for an increase in rates for natural gas service to customers of the firm in Ozona and other areas in Crockett, Reagan, Sutton and Schleicher counties.

Notice of the hearing as issued by the Railroad Commission is published elsewhere in this edition of the

## Three Teachers Resign From Posts In Ozona Schools

Resignation of three teachers in the Ozona school system, effective Friday of this week, was announced by Supt. L. B. T. Sikes.

Miss Geneva Knox, physical education teacher in high school, Miss Lucille Farmer, elementary school music teacher, and Quentin Brentz, high school science teacher, have submitted resignations.

Miss Knox and Miss Farmer have announced wedding plans and Mr. Brentz is moving with his family to Biloxi, Miss., where he will enter the civil service. Substitute teachers will be used until replacement can be employed, Mr. Sikes said.

## Fire Chief Warns Of Dangers From Inflammable Doll

Ozona residents have been asked to be on the alert for the highly inflammable doll that was widely sold in San Angelo stores over the Christmas shopping period. If you have in your home a rag type doll with a celluloid face tagged "made in Poland," chances are the harmless looking doll is as lethal as a bomb.

If you have a doll of this description, take it to the fire chief, Jim Marks, at the Foodway store and he will check it out for you.

## Morrison Gas Field Extended By Mobil Strike

Second producer and a 1-16-mile east-northeast extension has been indicated in the Morrison (3,600-foot Wolfcamp) gas field of southwest Crockett County with the flowing of gas at the rate of 200,000 cubic feet daily while drilling at Mobil Corp. No. 1 State-Morrison, in 8-Q4-s. Enriquez Original Grantee, 32 miles southeast of Ozona and eight miles east of the JM (Ellenburger field).

The project was bottomed at 4,700 feet, running logs. The discovery, the firm's No. 1 Blakeney-Krueger, was finalized May 2 for a calculated, absolute open flow of 1.84 million cubic feet of gas per day, with gas-liquid ratio of 287,000-1, through perforations at 3,596-4,468 feet.

## CROCKETT COUNTY HOSPITAL MEMORIAL FUND

List of donors to the Crockett County Hospital Memorial Fund since December 6, 1966:

Mrs. Alma Oberkampff Roach in memory of Mrs. Tom Smith, Mr. Tom Owens and Mrs. Margaret Powell. Mr. and Mrs. Vic Montgomery in memory of Mr. Joe Cunningham, father of Mrs. Jack Williams.

Stockman constituting legal notice of the hearing.

The Texas Railroad Commission exercises original jurisdiction over regulation of rates for natural gas service in Ozona. However, Pioneer Natural has filed information concerning its operating costs and revenues with the Commissioners Court of Crockett County, together with supplemental information incorporating all gas service provided by Pioneer in other areas of Crockett, Reagan, Sutton and Schleicher counties, according to Dorris Haire, local manager for the company. The same information has been filed with the Railroad Commission.

Mr. Haire pointed out that there has been no increase in rates since Pioneer started its operation in Ozona in 1951. The company feels that an increase is necessary in order for the company to meet higher operational costs.

Under the new rate as requested of the Railroad Commission, the average customer would find his monthly gas bill increased an average of \$1, Mr. Haire said. The present minimum is \$2.00 a month for 2,000 cfm of gas. This minimum rate will remain the same. The next step in the graduated scale of charges would be increased from the present 75 cents per cfm to 93 cents and the next step, or 10,000 cfm, would command a rate of 80 cents against the present rate of 65 cents. The new rate scale compares with charges of gas companies serving other communities in the area.

Pioneer Natural Gas Co. based in Amarillo serves a total of 1,050 residential and commercial customers in Ozona. The original gas company to establish the distribution system in Ozona was the Empire Natural Gas Co., in 1951. Empire was purchased by Pioneer in 1958.

## Tom Owens Is Buried Saturday In San Angelo

Tom Owens, 70, prominent Irion county ranchman and member of a pioneer Crockett County family, died at 12:08 Friday morning in a San Angelo hospital.

Funeral services were held at 11 o'clock Saturday morning in San Angelo from the Robert Massie Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Roy Schilling, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Weslaco, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Joe Ray, pastor of First Methodist Church in Big Lake. Burial was in Fairmount Cemetery in San Angelo.

Mr. Owens was born Dec. 9 1896, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Owens who came to Texas in 1853. They came from Illinois and first settled in Ellis County. The family then moved to Crockett County where Clint Owens operated extensive ranching interests.

Tom Owens worked actively in the development of Reagan County after moving there in 1923. He started purchases of his headquarters ranch in 1926, and leased a six-section ranch in Irion County, about 14 miles from Barnhart. (Continued on Last Page)

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ESSAY ON CAPITALISM

John Kenneth Galbraith, the Harvard professor who writes books proving conclusively that the government is better able to spend your money than you are, has been in England on one of those hands-across-the-seas cultural exchanges. Fortunately he has not been advising the British on their dismal fiscal affairs, which seem to be shaky enough as it is. He's been talking into BBC microphones feeding our British cousins some inside stuff about the capitalist system, as he pronounces it.

It's too bad that Beatrice and Sidney Webb who pioneered Socialism in England, were not alive to hear Galbraith because they would have loved the message as confirmation of their theory as to "the inevitability of gradualness." According to the Professor, American corporations are becoming so dependent upon government orders that they "will eventually become a part of the larger administrative complex with the state."

"In time," the newspapers quote him as saying, "the line between the two will disappear. Men will look back in amusement at the pretense that once caused people to refer to General Electric or duPont or Vickers as private business." While we don't like to dispute such an erudite deparit as Galbraith, we'd like to correct him on one point. In the sad event that government takes over private industry, men are not likely to "look back in amusement." We think they will look in sadness. Abject sadness. Maybe Galbraith can point to some examples of big business that function more efficiently under bureaucrats than under businessmen who

have freedom of decision. However, we doubt it. And, maybe it isn't even necessary to give examples if you're a Harvard don.

We earnestly hope that while pontificating in Britain the good Professor will pause between lectures long enough to look about him at the system which Big Brother Harold Wilson and his associates are trying to salvage.

We doubt that he'd find that close inspection as great a source of "amusement" as his anticipation that General Electric and duPont are doomed as "private business."

1968 OR 1972?

"The question to be decided," announced Ted, rapping his water glass with a spoon for attention, "is whether brother should go in 1968, or wait until 1972. Suppose we start with you Ethel."

"Personally," Ethel stated promptly, "I don't see how he can wait until 1972."

"One vote for 1968. Now, what about you, Pat?" Ted asked.

"I vote," laughed Pat, "for both 1968 and 1972."

"Tally two votes for 1968", quoted Ted. "And what do you think, Jacqueline?"

"As I understand it," murmured Jacqueline, "1968 is the first possibility, and I certainly think Robert should proceed at the first opportunity."

"Unanimous, so far," observed Ted. "Three votes for 1968. Mother?"

"I am sure," mother replied, "that John would have planned for 1968, and that is reason enough. I, too, recommend 1968."

"Uncle Robert," shouted John-John, bursting into the room, "is it true that J. Edgar Hoover bugs you?"

"Who told you to ask me that?" barked Uncle Robert. "Get out of here before I holla you."

John-John exited, scampiring to avoid a vigorous touch-tackle.

"Father?" asked Ted, when quiet was restored.

Joe nodded vigorously. "You think 1968, rather than waiting until 1972, then?"

Again nodding, even more vigorous than before.

"Sargent can't be here," announced Ted. "He's off buying tuxedos for the graduating class of his Head Start boys. But he asked me to report his vote in favor of 1968, and that Eunice feels the same way. So, that leaves only Jean to be heard from. Jean?"

"Well," Jean reflected, "I certainly don't look at this from the top as most of you do, but I won't vote against 1968, since everybody else thinks that's the time."

"Very well," announced Ted. "It seems to be the consensus that 1968 is the year. Robert, what do you say?"

Robert rose slowly.

"Ethel has been pressing me to go in 1968," said Robert. "I wanted the family to be unanimous. Go, I will. I will get a haircut in 1968."

FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Joe Davidson entertained the Friday Bridge club last Friday in her home.

Winning over all high was Mrs. Bill Grimmer of Winfield, Iowa. She was presented a gift.

Others winning were, high guest, Mrs. Fred Hagelstein; high club, Mrs. E-vart White; low guest, Mrs. Carl Malone; low club, Mrs. Max Schneemann. Winning the cuts were Mrs. V. I. Pierce and Mrs. Frank McMullan.

A delicious dessert plate was served from the tea table by Mrs. Bailey Post and Mrs. Lee Childress.

Others attending were Mrs.



Early Baggett, Mrs. Henry Miller, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Fred Chandler, Sr., Mrs. J. M. Baggett, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr., Mrs. Lovella Dudley, Mrs. Ben Robertson, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. W. H. Bunger, Mrs. Bill Cooper, Mrs. Charlie Davidson, Mrs. C. O. Walker, Mrs. Boyd Clayton, Mrs. W. O. Mills, Sr., and Mrs. Bill Arledge.

Tea guests were Mrs. Ira Carson, Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., Mrs. Tom Clegg, and Mrs. Marshall Montgomery.

LADIES GOLF ASSN.

The Ladies Golf Association met last week at the Country Club for golf play Wednesday and bridge Thursday.

In golf play, low net on the club trophy and low

puts on the Nicholas trophy were won by Mrs. Jack Baggett. Winning balls in blind bogey play were Mrs. Byron Williams, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr., and Mrs. Baggett. Others playing were Mrs. Tom Mitchell, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Frank McMullan, Mrs. Jimmy Barbee, Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Roy Thompson, Mrs. Bill Clegg, and Mrs. Byron Stuart.

Bridge hostess was Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr. Winning high was Mrs. John Childress, second high, Mrs. Frank McMullan, and bingo, Mrs. Charles Williams. Others playing were Mrs. James Childress, Mrs. Cap West, Mrs. Bill Carson, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Gene Williams, Mrs. J. B. Parker, Mrs. Joe Clayton and Mrs. Byron Williams.

It Pays To Advertise!

Recipe of the Week From Kitty's Kitchen

Mushroom-Stuffed Baked Tomatoes

- 4 large tomatoes
- 1/4 cup butter
- 2 (4 oz.) cans sliced button mushrooms, well drained
- 1 tablespoon finely chopped chives
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped parsley
- 1 (1 1/2 oz.) package instant minced onion
- 1/2 teas. salt
- 1/4 teas. pepper
- 4 tablespoons dry bread crumbs
- 1/4 cup grated parmesan cheese
- 2 tablespoons butter, melted

Wash tomatoes. Remove stems. Scoop out center of tomatoes to within one half inch from edge. Place tomatoes in buttered shallow baking dish. Melt butter in small skillet; saute mushrooms, chives, parsley, and instant onion until mushrooms are brown. Stir in seasonings. Stuff tomatoes with mushroom mixture. Combine bread crumbs, cheese and melted butter. Sprinkle evenly on top of tomatoes. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) about 20 to 25 minutes. Makes four servings. Very good served with cheese dishes.

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FIDELIS CLASS

The Fidelis Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Leonard Dorris.

Mrs. S. E. Carnes gave the devotional.

During the social hour which followed coffee and cake were served to Mrs. Ivy Mayfield, Mrs. O. H. Goodman, Mrs. Tom Everett, Mrs. Doyle Purdue, Mrs. John Patrick, Mrs. Leo Baucom, Mrs. Jess Sweeten, and Mrs. Dudley McCary.

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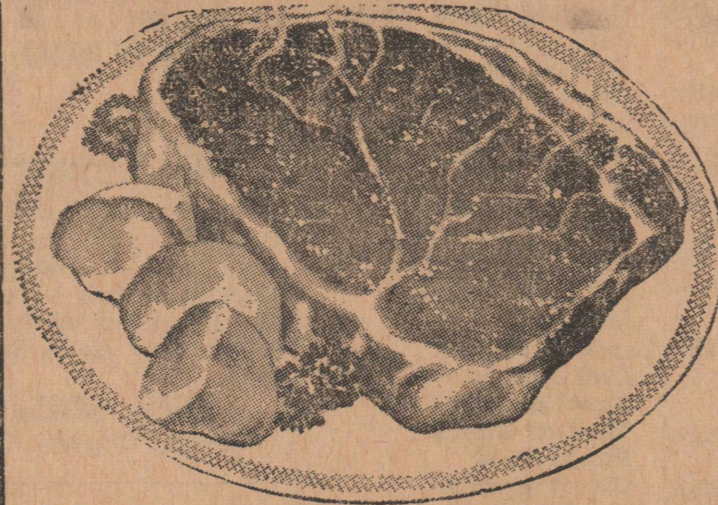
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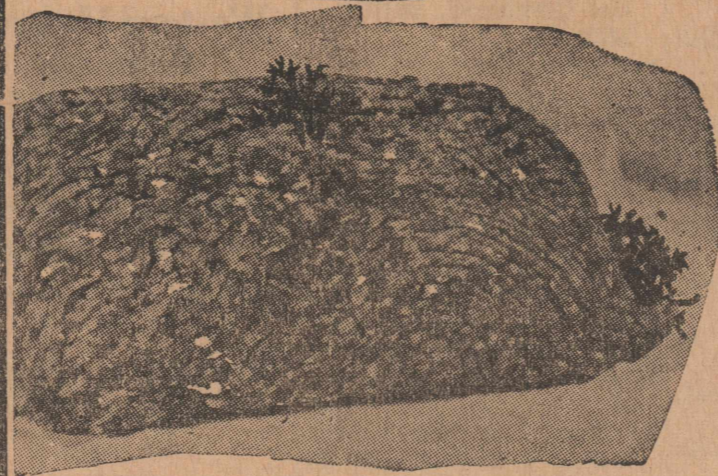


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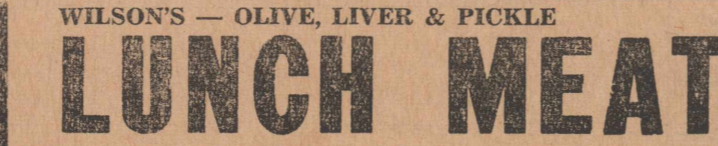
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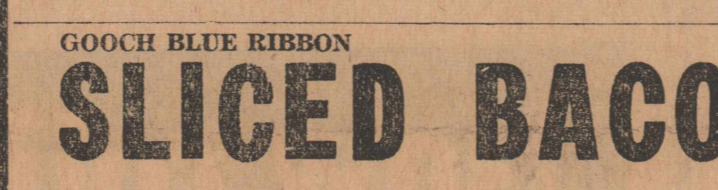
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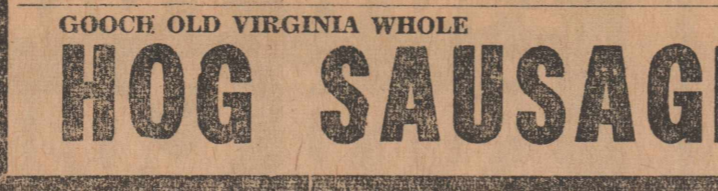
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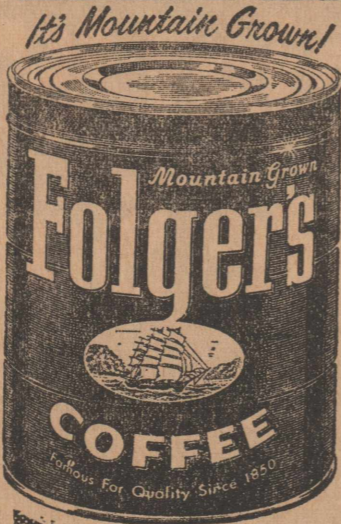


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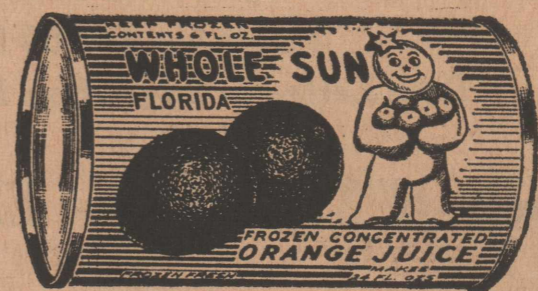
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**EDITORIAL**

By Kay Kyle

Are you a strong enough person not to go along with the crowd? Too often one doesn't consider what he personally should be but merely does what the group wants to do.

A person who shows real strength is one who stands up for what he feels is right for him. Sometimes what the crowd is going to do is wrong and sometimes it is just wrong for one person.

If the one person has some other duty he needs to do or has a study, it is wrong for him to be persuaded by the crowd. Often it is harder for one to stand up in a crowd and say that he refuses to go along when it is wrong only for him personally.

Let's all try in the new year to be strong and not just to follow the crowd!

**SPORTS WORLD**

The boys' A team traveled to Big Lake Thursday to overcome the Big Lake B team with a score of 66-34 for their first game in the Big Lake Tournament. Friday night the Lions were defeated by Big Lake A team.

**DAFFYNITIONS**

By Patsy Walker

Bird Sanctuary — The White House.

Juveniles — Little Rivers that run into the Nile.  
 Cousin—Man from UNCLE World — A jigsaw puzzle with a peace missing.  
 Jacket — What you do to a car when a tire needs changing.  
 Saboteur — A trip that spies take.  
 A courterspy — A store detective.  
 Snoring — Sheet music  
 Exit — What a teacher does to the wrong answer.  
 Axe — Chopstick.  
 Avail — Something a bride wears.  
 Seashell — A torpedo.  
 Spirit — What Eskimos do to a seal.  
 Hatchet — What a hen does to an egg.  
 Foul shot — a turkey shoot  
 Artificial — Judge at a drawing contest.  
 Hot rod — A branding iron  
 Rotisserie — A ferris-wheel for chickens.

**DO IT AND YOU'LL FAIL**

By Kathy McAlister

Stay out late.  
 Television must be on.  
 Up and down every minute to get something to snack on.  
 Daydream about how rich you'll be one of these days.  
 You don't have to study.  
 Forget your notebooks  
 Open your books but daydream, that's better.  
 Read your library book or magazine in study hall.  
 Stare into open space; it clears your mind.  
 Eat candy; it helps you think.  
 Meet your friend at 3 to study but just gossip.  
 Each hour run see if you favorite TV show is on.  
 Songs help you think so turn the stereo up louder.  
 Telephone your friend and gossip.  
 Every day tell yourself to

study but don't listen  
 Radio's help you think so keep it on.  
 Talk to your friend an hour after school at the drug store.  
 Exclude all worry about the test until the day of them.  
 Start studying the night before because you have 3 test the next day.  
 Test are for the birds; someday I'll be rich without having to study for test.  
 Now put the first letter of each sentence and put them into a sentence.  
 You should have followed this for the semester tests.

**QUESTION OF THE WEEK**

By Connie Bradford

What is your New Year's resolution?  
 Patsy — Try to leave Kay and Rick alone.  
 Janie — To pass English now.  
 Esther — Starve!  
 Pitts — To not let Jack pick on me.  
 Jill — Study so I can be exempt for Finals.  
 Derold — Never to make another one.  
 Kay — to try to be sweet to everyone.  
 Jack — To be good to Deborah.  
 Rodney P — Sleep, eat, and play my guitar.  
 Randel — I don't make 'em.  
 Rodney — No more wrecks  
 Connie B — To quit gambling.  
 Terry L — Stay away from the game warden.  
 Lenora — Don't believe in them.  
 Barbara — To graduate!  
 Kay F — Study  
 Esperanza G — Try to pass my exams.  
 Suzanne L — not to mess-up anymore classes at OHS.

**School Cafeteria MENU**

Monday, Jan. 16:

Fried Pork Cutlets — Gravy  
 Whipped Potatoes  
 Cream Peas  
 Beet and Onion Rings  
 Pineapple Pudding  
 Hot Rolls, Butter  
 Milk

Tuesday, Jan. 17:

Meat Loaf  
 Buttered Hominy  
 Seasoned Green Beans  
 Super Duper Salad  
 Oatmeal Cake  
 Bread, Butter  
 Milk

Wednesday, Jan. 18:

Chicken ala King  
 Peas and Carrots  
 Combination Salad  
 Lemon Ice Box Dessert  
 Hot Rolls, Butter  
 Milk

Thursday, Jan. 19:

Beef Raviola  
 Pinto Beans  
 Mustard Greens  
 Potato Salad  
 Cherry Kuchen  
 Hot Cornbread, Butter  
 Milk

Friday, Jan. 20:

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT  
 GOSSIP

By Janie Edgerton

Esther do you always go around with your shoes tied together? Have Esther, Kay, Lenora and Kathy returned to their childhood days?  
 Mr. Leath, was your house decorated New Year's Eve?  
 Marcia P. do you really do fish tails?  
 Brenda B., Buster, Marcia, and Don did you have fun Sunday night?  
 Elizabeth Jones, who were you with Saturday nite. Maybe Smokey.

Janie — Do you always fall down on the library steps.  
 Connie B. why have you been going to Odessa so often?

Terry L — Why don't you make any new year's resolutions.

Kathy M — was that a good book?

What senior girl runs down little boys on Hondas?

Are semester tests worrying anyone?

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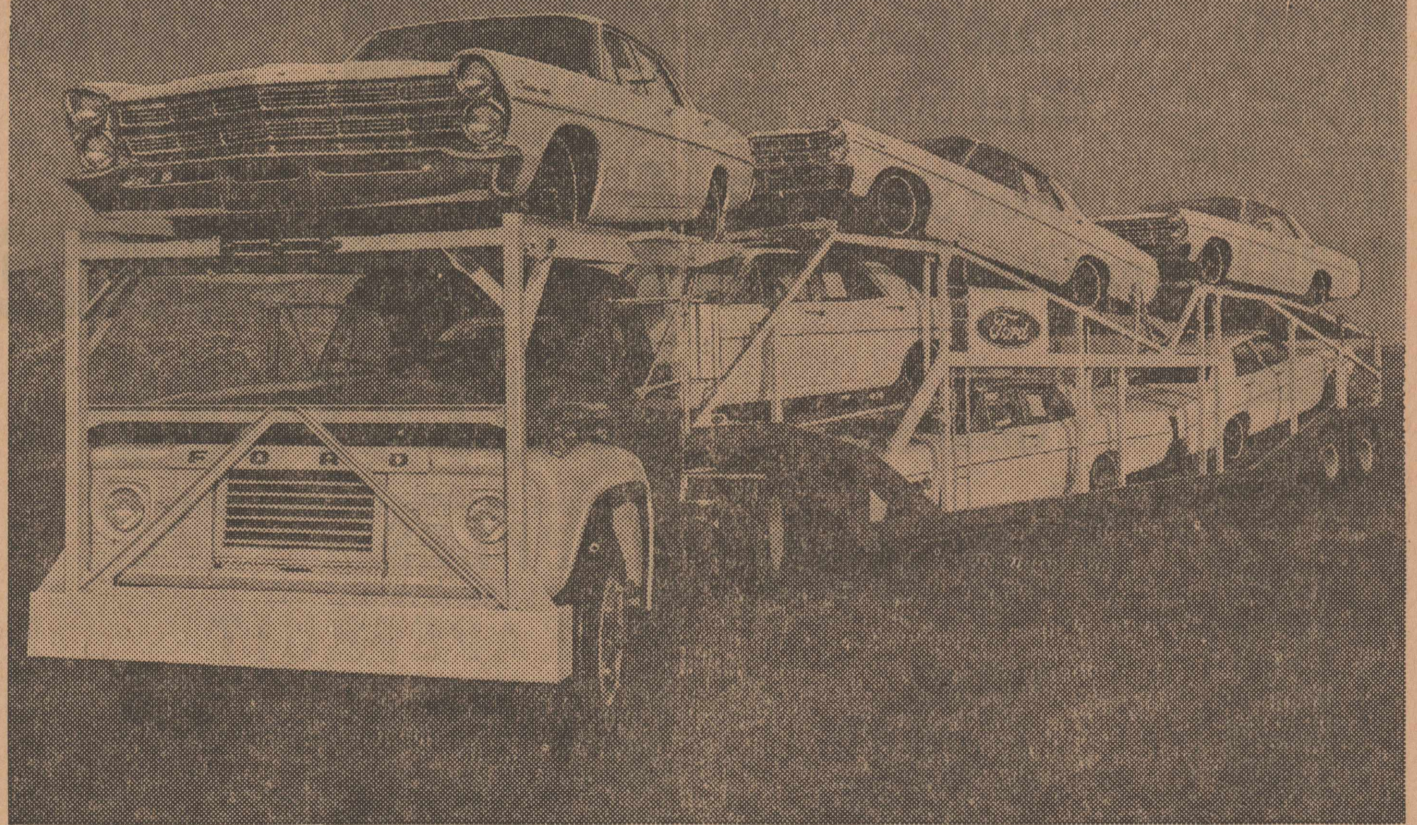
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There's just such a place and it's nestled deep in the heavily timbered wilds of East Texas.

It's called the Wildlife Kingdom and Fishing Resort. It's a 1,500 acre layout located about 10 miles out of the small East Texas town of Newton. Newton is a lumber town, on State Highway 87 about 60 miles north of Beaumont. State Highway 87 runs north-south and is about 15 or 20 miles west of the Sabine River which separates Texas from Louisiana.

Wildlife Kingdom is the pampered child of Newton Lumber Company. It's owner is Claude H. Williams.

Actually it's the realization of a childhood dream. As a youngster Williams enjoyed many hours fishing East Texas pothole lakes. He vowed that someday he would own land and have his own lake.

When he did acquire that lake, he and his friends had so much enjoyment that the idea of acquiring more land and lakes for public enjoyment and fishing was born.

Today Williams' Wildlife Kingdom and Fishing Resort includes eight lakes ranging in size from two to 40 acres.

All have been stocked with black bass, catfish, crappie and bluegills.

Their crappie and bluegill fishing is consistently good. Several of the lakes have produced catches of bass going to nine pounds and catfish to 18 pounds. All the lakes can be fished either from the shorelines or from boat.

There's a small fee charged for fishing and for overnight camping. But this fee includes use of a boat on any or all of the lakes.

A limit of three horsepower is put on outboard motors. Actually no motors are needed since the aluminum johnboats are light and easy to paddle.

For those who don't want to camp out or rough it, Williams has four cabins, a house and a house trailer for rent by day, week or month. All are completely air conditioned.

For the fellow who likes to fly fish, these lakes are unexcelled. Nestled in valleys and surrounded by tall and heavy timber stands, the lakes are protected from the winds that can make fly fishing difficult.

In addition to camping and fishing, Wildlife Kingdom offers the city dweller a chance to see wild game in its native habitat.

Some 80 deer and 36 Barbardo sheep roam the 800 acre portion of the kingdom that is enclosed with a deer-proof fence. Smaller game like squirrel, rabbit, and armadillo abound. The area

also is rich in birdlife with quail and dove most abundant.

During the open season a limited amount of deer and squirrel hunting is permitted in some portions of the Wildlife Kingdom.

Bulk of the land in the 1,500 acres is heavily wooded with nearly 10 miles of car trails winding throughout. These trails allow for interesting hiking jaunts for those who like to study the flora and fauna of East Texas.

All these lakes, formed by damming small valleys, are spring-fed. Water in all of

the lakes is clear and some of the larger lakes have holes as deep as 30 feet.

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When Kathy prays I can almost hear angel wings flutter. Her simple conversations with God are so full of trust and confidence, I feel as though I am standing at the doorstep of heaven.

After prayers, I tuck her into bed, turn out the light and go downstairs. And I find myself continuing the conversation she has started. My prayer is always the same . . . that as she grows, and her needs and wishes change, my little girl will continue to develop her understanding and love of God.

How grateful I am for my church. It has been a constant source of inspiration for my own religious growth. I know it will be ready to help me answer Kathy's questions. It is wonderful to know that I do not have to tackle the religious education of my daughter alone.

Attend your church. Let it help you as you guide your child's religious thinking.

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Sunday II Chronicles 7:11-18	Monday Daniel 9:3-11	Tuesday Mark 11:20-26	Wednesday Acts 4:23-31	Thursday Romans 8:26-29	Friday Colossians 2:1-6	Saturday II Timothy 2:1-7
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Sheffield Man Is Assigned Vietnam Post As Cannoneer

Pleiku, Vietnam — Army Private Valeriano M. Flores, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Valeriano V. Flores, Sr. of Sheffield, Texas, arrived at the Pleiku, Vietnam, base camp of the 4th Infantry Division, Dec. 17.

Before being assigned to a specific unit, he received 50 hours of training with the division's 4th Replacement Detachment.

Training included field sanitation, civil affairs, mine and booby trap familiarization, reconnaissance and ambush patrolling.

Pvt. Flores is a cannoneer in his unit. He entered the Army in July 1966 and was stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla.

He is a 1965 graduate of Iraan (Tex.) High School.

South Elementary PTA Met Monday

The South Elementary P. T. A. met January 9th at the South Elementary Cafeteria with President Johnnie Ramirez presiding.

Roy Killingsworth, principal of Junior High School, spoke on "New Resources for Better Learning."

Mrs. Margaret Spiller's third grade won the room count.

After refreshments, Mrs. Helen Ellis of San Angelo, a world traveler, lectured and showed slides on the Near East.

Million Mothers Fight Birth Defects In Traditional March of Dimes Drive

Famed actresses Jane Wyatt, Angela Lansbury and Gigi Perreau share a secret—they have learned there can be a great deal more to life than the glamour and glitter of stage and screen stardom.

Behind the scenes these stars are among the more than one million American women who have become March of Dimes volunteers so that countless millions of infants, yet unborn, may have the chance to lead normal and useful lives.

For the fourth consecutive year, Miss Wyatt is national chairman of the March of Dimes Mothers' March on birth defects. Miss Lansbury is chairman in New York City, and Miss Perreau is chairman in Los Angeles, Calif.

As the world of stars helps the 1967 March of Dimes, so does the world of space. The Mothers' March chairman in Houston, Tex., is Mrs. L. Gordon Cooper Jr., wife of the famous astronaut, while the mother of astronaut Wally Schirra, Mrs. Walter Schirra Sr., heads the Mothers' March in San Diego, Calif.

These well-known women and the many other equally dedicated Mothers' March volunteers across the nation seek their neighbors' support and contributions for the 1967 March of Dimes because the need is so vital and immediate.

Each year more than 250,000 American babies are born with birth defects, many of which can disfigure, disable or kill. That's about 700 infants born each day with a physical or mental defect. Birth defects each year destroy an estimated 500,000 infants before they are born.

"On their Mothers' March from door to door, volunteers will have two main goals," Miss Wyatt explains.



THE OBJECT OF THEIR AFFECTION is 5-year-old Donna Dill, the 1967 National March of Dimes Child, who symbolizes the 250,000 American babies born with birth defects each year. Actress Jane Wyatt, left, is national chairman of the Mothers' March. Visiting Santa Claus with Donna is another Mothers' March leader, Trudy Cooper, Houston, Tex., wife of astronaut L. Gordon Cooper, Jr.

"These women want to educate parents and parents-to-be about birth defects and what is known about how to prevent them. They will also try to raise funds to support the fight on birth defects."

The educational leaflet, "Happy Birth Day," will be distributed during the Mothers' March. It explains what to do if you are about to be married, if you are expecting a baby, if a birth defect occurs in your family or if you have friends with a defective child who needs assistance.

Contributions to the 1967 March of Dimes will help the fight on birth defects by supporting:

- The growing nationwide network of 77 Birth Defects Centers for diagnosis and treatment.
  - A scientific research program aimed at finding the causes and methods of preventing birth defects.
  - A Professional Education Program for scientists and medical personnel.
  - A nationwide Public Education Program to distribute authoritative information about prenatal care and birth defects treatment and research.
- The million mothers who march this month will share the certain knowledge that they will indeed be marching to help generations of babies yet unborn.

POSTMASTER WARNS — Damaging Mail Boxes May Bring Severe Penalties

Mailboxes are protected by federal law and pranksters or vandals who damage or destroy the boxes or their contents may be in for a heavy fine or imprisonment, Postmaster Floyd Hokit warned today.

Some 25,000 mail receptacles were damaged or destroyed the past year. It was also noted that 2,641 persons were arrested in the year for damaging or destroying mail receptacles.

The law reads "Whoever wilfully or maliciously injures, tears down or destroys any letterbox or other mail receptacle intended or used for the receipt or delivery of

mail on any mail route, or breaks open the same and wilfully or maliciously injures, defaces or destroys any mail deposited therein, shall be fined not more than \$1,000. or imprisoned not more than three years."

This applies to all mail receptacles and the mail in them, even though the boxes are bought by citizens and are their personal property. Pranksters — and especially children who do not know any better — should be made to realize the seriousness of their actions.

Often mailbox damage is the work of youths who do it for kicks. Throughout the country the courts have shown little sympathy for this youthful means of expression. Anyone seen causing damage to mail receptacles or the mail therein

should be reported to local law enforcement officers.

CROCKETT COUNTY HOSPITAL NEWS

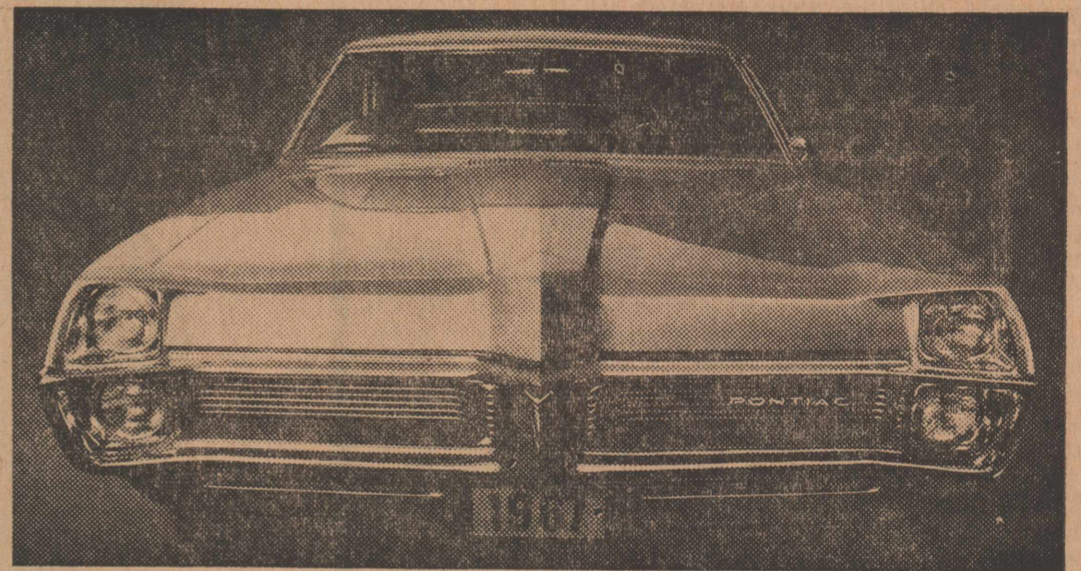
Patients admitted since January 3rd:

Pete Guerro, Jr., Gene West, Margriet Munoz, Mrs. Walter Dunlap, Mrs. Joe B. Edens, Mrs. George H. Grant, Mrs. Francisco Lopez, Mrs. Louella Dudley, Mrs. Ed Cranfill, Mrs. Ann Etheridge, Mrs. Mary Huckabee.

Patients dismissed since January 3rd:

Mrs. Danny Galindo, Mrs. Francisco Trujillo, Mrs. Maria Vargas, Ernest Dunlap, Donna Thurman, Bobby Jack Maness, Clinton Crisp, Pete Guerro, Jr., Gene West, Margriet Munoz, Mrs. George H. Grant, Mrs. Louella Dudley, Mrs. Ed Cranfill.

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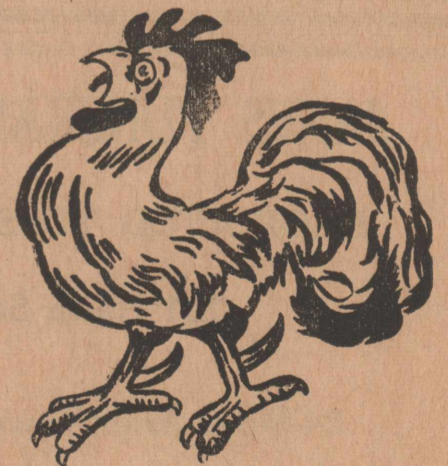
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the Commissioners Courts of Crockett, Reagan, Sutton and Schleicher Counties, Texas; and to Pioneer Natural Gas Company which shall cause said Notice of Hearing to be published in two regular weekly issues of the Ozona Stockman at Ozona, Texas, which shall constitute legal notice of such hearing.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS FRED OSBORNE SECRETARY 43-2tc

Ruth Class Hears Lecture On Egypt

The Ruth Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Hanson Clark Tuesday night with Mrs. Jack Davee as co-hostess.

Mrs. Helen Ellis of San Angelo gave the program. Painting a colorful picture of Egypt with artifacts, costumes and slides, Mrs. Ellis gave a thoroughly entertaining program.

Other members and guests present included Mmes. Jack Mathews, Clarence Key, Perry Hubbard, Bruce Mayfield, Weldon Maness, Dean Rippetoe, Buster Loudamy, M. A. Barber, G. D. Flanagan, Wm. O'Bryant, Dean Phillips, Ray Henderson, Bill Gillet, Huey Ingram, Q. A. Brentz, Bill Kern, Brooks Dozier, Ted Lewis, Lowell Littleton, Floyd Hokit and Bobby Halydiar.

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Birthday Party For 5-Year-Olds

Gloria Sands and Lisa Mitchell were honored jointly with a birthday tea Saturday afternoon at the Civic Center. Both girls were five years of age last week. Gloria is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Sands and Lisa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell.

Arriving in dress-up clothes, complete with high heels, guests were presented with pink and white carnation corsages and seated at tea tables laid with pink cloths and centered with floral arrangements. The serving table was laid with a white cut-out cloth with a pink underskirt and centered with a ballerina. Colored balloons decorated the room.

Prizes were given for games with Shannon Minica winning the "Pin the Ruffle on the Doll" prize and Janelle Watson the "Musical Chairs" prize.

Assisting Mrs. Sands and Mrs. Mitchell were Sandra Sands, Suzie Russell, Debra Wellmon and Carol Kern. Other guests were Lori Clayton, Darla Farmer, Peri Pennington, Kay Carpenter, Leann Arledge, Jennifer Marley, Luree Fitzhugh, Christy Kirby and Donna Stovall.

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By A. R. Rutherford

All over the United States, wherever there is enough water to put a boat in within a hundred miles, the water sport craze is mushrooming. Boating, swimming, skin-diving, water skiing are just a few of the recreational uses that dried-out Americans have discovered, some of them for the first time. Water recreation is by no means new. Yachting, for instance, has been popular for many years. The name "yacht" is from the Dutch word "jagt", meaning a swift vessel. The first yacht was given to Charles II of England in 1660 by the Dutch. This gift gave rise to the fabulous sport of yacht racing which is becoming more and more popular as more and more people become water-conscious.

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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS GAS UTILITIES DIVISION GAS UTILITIES DOCKET NO. 393

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF PIONEER NATURAL GAS COMPANY FOR AN INCREASE IN RATES FOR NATURAL GAS AND NATURAL GAS SERVICE IN THE UNINCORPORATED TOWN OF OZONA, TEXAS, AND OTHER AREAS IN THE COUNTIES OF CROCKETT, REAGAN, SUTTON AND SCHLEICHER.

NOTICE OF HEARING

WHEREAS, On January 2, 1967, Pioneer Natural Gas Company applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for approval of an increase in rates for natural gas and natural gas service to be charged its customers in the unincorporated Town of Ozona, Texas, and other areas in the Counties of Crockett, Reagan, Sutton and Schleicher, and

WHEREAS, It appearing to the Railroad Commission of Texas that the persons purchasing natural gas and natural gas service from Pioneer Natural Gas Company reside in the unincorporated Town of Ozona and other rural areas in the Counties of Crockett, Reagan, Sutton and Schleicher and that the Commission should exercise its original jurisdiction in the matter of

approval of just and reasonable rates to be charged by Pioneer Natural Gas Company of its customers in Ozona and other rural areas of Crockett, Reagan, Sutton and Schleicher Counties, Texas.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS that Pioneer Natural Gas Company and any other interested parties are hereby notified that on the 25th day of January, 1967, at 9:00 a. m., a hearing will be held in the Ernest O. Thompson Building at Austin, Texas, to determine, fix and order fair, just and reasonable rates to be charged for residential and commercial natural gas and natural gas service in the unincorporated Town of Ozona, and other rural areas in the Counties of Crockett, Reagan, Sutton and Schleicher, Texas.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that in the event that the Commission or any of its members is not present to preside over and hold said hearing then and in that event the Director of the Gas Utilities Division is hereby empowered and designated to hold the same and to do and perform any act as provided for in Article 6519A, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Notice of Hearing be mailed to

## New Parcel Post Rates And Rules In Effect Jan. 15

Use of Zip Code will make it easier to mail packages after January 15, Postmaster Floyd Hokit of Ozona said today. New rates and a new system for identifying parcel post zones will go into effect on that date as provided in legislation signed into law by President Johnson on Sept. 20, 1966.

The rate increases will average about 10 cents a parcel. Starting July 1, the new law provides for a series of size and weight increases on packages mailed between first-class offices. Ozona is a second class office. The size and weight increases will be in five annual steps, the last coming on July 1, 1971.

Use of Zip Code in the recipient's address will enable the sender or a mail clerk to quickly determine the proper zone, and thus the rate, for the package. The zones will be based on the distance a parcel travels between the 552 sectional centers in the country. By consulting a simple chart, which is available at all post offices, the zone can be readily identified because the first three numbers of the Zip Code represent the Sectional Center. This replaces a method in which a directory often had to be consulted to locate the proper zone for each of the nation's 33,000 post offices.

The new rates will range from 40 cents for a three-pound parcel destined for local delivery to 60 cents for the same parcel to zone 3 (150-300) miles to \$1.05 to zone 8 (over 1800 miles). The new zoning method will also apply to air parcel post, catalogues and to publishers who pay zone rates on the advertising portion of their periodicals.

All parcels mailed between post offices within the San Angelo Sectional Center will be charged at the first zone rate. There are 28 post offices within the San Angelo sectional center.

Mailed intended for servicemen at overseas military post offices must be completely addressed to assure

prompt delivery. The recently authorized airlift service for letters, post cards, sound-recorded messages and parcels weighing up to 5 lbs and measuring up to 60 inches in length and girth combined to all oversea military post offices has greatly reduced the time required for transportation.

Use a complete 5 digit number in the address of letter or parcel, Hokit asks. Include either APO or FPO and the area to which it is going. Mail without this five digit number has to be given directory service and this is time consuming and greatly delays the mail to servicemen. All of the old APO numbers have been replaced with the new Zip Code of 5 digits, the Postmaster said. The old numbers and the zip codes have been combined.

### Gulf Slates New Test For Tippet Dual Production

Gulf Oil Corp. will drill the No. 2-E J. H. Tippet, a 7,000-foot test, one location south-southeast of the recently opened one-well Tippet, West (McKee and Ellenburger oil) field of Crockett County, nine miles southeast of McCamey.

Location is 4,966 feet from the northeast and 660 feet from the northwest lines of 36-31-H&TC.

The dual discovery, Chambers & Kennedy, Midland, No. 1 Amacker, was finalized Dec. 22, 1964, from the Ellenburger for 144.04 barrels of 43 gravity oil, no waste, with gas-oil ratio of 505-1, through a 12-64-inch choke, and open hole at 6,598-639 feet; and from the McKee for 126.89 barrels of 43 gravity oil through a 14-64-inch choke and perforations between 5,850-5,864 feet.

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## The News Reel

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

From The Stockman Thurs. Jan. 13, 1938

Wayne W. West, who has served as vice president of the Ozona National Bank for the past several years, was elected to the presidency of that institution by action of the directors in annual meeting this week. Mr. West succeeds his father, W. E. West.

—29 years ago— Buddy Phillips, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Phillips, suffered a dislocation of a shoulder joint and a broken collar bone Sunday afternoon when he fell while at play on the lawn.

—29 years ago— Rev. Clyde Childers of Westbrook, has been called to the pastorate of the Ozona Baptist Church and will arrive early next week to take up his new charge.

—29 years ago— Sheriff W. S. Willis, who is serving his fifth term in office, announced this week that he will seek re-election to the office of sheriff.

—29 years ago— Miss Florence Sparks, of Ozona, became the bride of Everidge Davidson in a wedding ceremony performed in San Angelo Saturday night.

—29 years ago— Mrs. Bryan McDonald and Miss Dixie Davidson were hostesses to the Ozona Music Club at the regular meeting of the group Monday afternoon at the McDonald home.

—29 years ago— Mrs. Gertrude Perry entertained members of her bridge club at the home of Mrs. Wayne West Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. North drew high score prize with cut prize going to Mrs. Welton Bunger.

—29 years ago— Mr. and Mrs. Sam Houston are the parents of a daughter born yesterday morning. The child, the twentieth

grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haire, weighed 10 1/4 pounds and has been named Sammie LaJean.

—29 years ago— Mrs. Mike Couch is convalescing from an operation performed late last week in the office of Dr. Sellers Moore here. She is reported much improved this week.

—29 years ago— Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook are the parents of a son born Jan. 2. The youngster, who weighed in at 10 1/2 lbs., has been named Doyle Lee.

—29 years ago— Mrs. Leona Brooks has returned to her home in Houston after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid.

—29 years ago— E. R. Kinser, county commissioner from Precinct No. 4, this week announced his candidacy for re-election to that office.

—29 years ago— The Ozona Lions jumped out to a head start in the new basketball league formed recently, by nosing out the Eldorado Eagles 24-22. J. W. Johnigan was high point man of the contest with 11.

—29 years ago— Gerald C. Mann, Dallas attorney, former Texas Secretary of State and gridiron star of the S. M. U. Mustangs a decade ago, will speak from the pulpit of the Ozona Methodist Church next Sunday.

—29 years ago— The Nelson Circle of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Bean. Mrs. S. L. Butler and Mrs. J. M. Edwards directed the Bible study.

—29 years ago— FOR SALE — good used television. Will sell cheap. Call Hack Leath 392-3068. 42-tfc.

—29 years ago— LOST — Gold and pearl bracelet, Reward, Phone 392-3124. 1tc

—29 years ago— All kinds of shrubs and plants for planting this time of year, including oak trees. Hubbard Greenhouse, 205 12th St. 43-tfc

## Student Panel Discusses Issues At League Meet

The Ozona Woman's League met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Frank McMullan, Jr., with Mrs. Bill Black as assisting hostess.

High school students gave a panel type discussion as the program. The panel consisted of leader George Cox, Gloria Gilbert, Esther Williams, and Peggy Biagels. League members joined in the discussion and gave the students a great deal of advice.

Other members present were Mrs. Roy Coates, Mrs. Joe Couch, Mrs. Buster Deaton, Mrs. H. O. Hoover, Mrs. Perry Hubbard, Mrs. H. M. Phillips, Jr., Mrs. Nat Read, Mrs. Wayne Loury, Miss Fern Mikeka and Miss Loretta White.

### WSCS MEETING

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday morning at the Methodist Church. The study, "The Church Grows in Canada" was continued under the leadership of Mrs. Stephen Perner.

The devotional was under the leadership of Mrs. G. K. Mitchell.

"The Protestants in Early Canada" was discussed by Mrs. Joe Tom Davidson. "Protestants in Lower Canada" by Mrs. J. A. Fussell and Mrs. Perner told of "Protestants in Upper Canada." Mrs. M. C. Couch gave the closing prayer. Eighteen attended.

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## HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From Your State Capitol

Austin, Tex. — Show is on the Road — The 60th session of the Legislature now is underway. How long it will last is anybody's guess.

Three officials in a position to be among the state's best guessers are predicting it will not continue beyond the 140-day deadline for a regular session. This despite a mountain of problems to be resolved.

"We can finish on time," commented Speaker of the House Ben Barnes, as the representatives began to assemble. And he emphasized "I want no special sessions."

Gov. John Connally has voiced a similar view. Lt. Gov. Preston Smith is even more strongly convinced that special sessions are out of the question.

"It is not only possible to complete our work in 140 days... there ought to be no other thought than finishing by then — and probably before," commented Smith.

Lieutenant Governor Smith suggested that legislators could speed up their work if they abandoned the usual practice of four-day weeks and stayed in sessions Fridays and Saturdays once the bills start coming out of committees. Asked if he felt that the lawmakers would do that, the lieutenant governor acknowledged that chances of them doing so are slim.

Smith feels the 60th Legislature faces no more problems than previous ones.

Mrs. James Cullens entered Baylor Hospital in Dallas today to undergo bone surgery. She expects a three or four-week stay there before returning home.

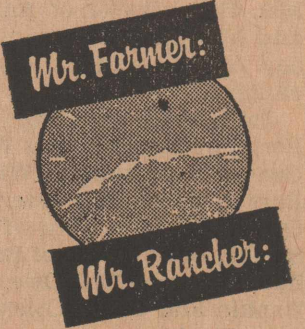
Home Craft Fire Protection Chests at Stockman.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kost and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Fields attended the mid-winter showing of the 1967 Zenith TVs in San Antonio last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pagan and son, Steve, spent the weekend with Mrs. Pagan's relatives in Hale Center.

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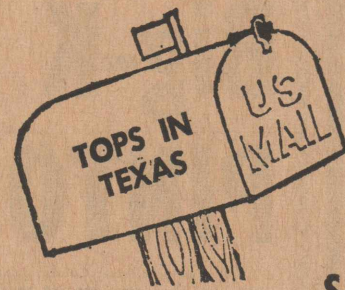
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# VOTER REGISTRATION Now In Progress

Annual registration of all voters under the new voter registration law is now in progress.

Applications may be secured by calling at the office of the Crockett County Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector or you may call the office and ask that applications for all eligible members of your family be mailed to you.

All residents who expect to vote in any election this year, except those over 60 years of age, must register on or before January 31 to be eligible. Upon presentation of applications properly filled out, voter registration certificates will be issued. Only holders of such certificates and those over-age exemptions will be eligible to vote.

Remember, Jan. 31 Is Deadline To Register

**Billy Mills**  
Sheriff, Tax Assessor & Collector - Crockett County

**Tom Owens —**  
(Continued from Page One)

He married Mary Ella Bolt on Dec. 17, 1917, in Kimble County. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bolt, came to Texas before the Civil War.

Mr. Owens, a top authority on wool and mutton, was a longtime member of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Lottie Jo Bloxson of Big Lake; four brothers, J. W. Owens of Ozona, Bode Owens of Barnhart, Clint Owens of Sheffield and Bob Owens of Mason; four sisters, Mrs. D. I. McCauley of Muskogee, Okla., Mrs. T. E. Autrey of Alpine, Mrs. H. A. Porter of Austin, and Mrs. Lennie Sprague of San Angelo; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ellis Lee Porter of Midland, Ellis Word Owens of Marathon, Wilson Barr of Crane, Jeff Owens of Ozona, Dudley Owens of Big Spring, Buck Owens of Barnhart, Tommy Clint Owens of Rankin and Claud Owens of Fort Stockton.

**DUPLICATE BRIDGE**

In Tuesday night's Duplicate Bridge Club play, winners were: first, Mr. and Mrs. Evert White; second, Mrs. Jack Wilkins and Mrs. Ashby McMullan; third, Mrs. Byron Stuart and Mrs. Jack Brewer and fourth, Mrs. Wilma Hayes and Miss Mildred North.

**BACK FROM CONVENTION**

Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mrs. George Montgomery and Mrs. Buster Deaton returned Sunday from Denton, where they attend the State Make-It-Yourself-With-Wool Contest.

Mrs. Harvick ended her term as State Director of the contest. She will be installed as president of the National Wool Growers Auxiliary at its annual convention in Las Vegas next week.

**Mrs. Harrell —**  
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Authentic and recognized collections, exhibits and productions will be counted and listed and when completed the work will give a true reflection of the state's cultural heritage.

Mrs. B. F. Seay of Andrews, state president of the Federated Women's Clubs, has called on district presidents of the federation to set up means of canvassing and counting culture in their own districts.

Mrs. Harrell has asked for the support and cooperation of all individuals and groups in the county in gathering information on all cultural aspects of Crockett county, including recognized collections, art objects, cultural aspects of ethnic groups, photographs, slides, films and static exhibits typical of Texas culture.

**Officers Named At HD Club Meet**

The Ozona Home Demonstration Club held its first regular meeting Monday at the Auditorium - Coliseum and elected officers.

Elected to fill offices were Mrs. Duwain Vinson, Sr., president; Mrs. Bob Stephens vice-president; Mrs. John Gilliam, secretary; Mrs. Richard Field, treasurer; Mrs. Bill Lewter, reporter.

Members present were Mrs. Jack Matthews, Mrs. G. D. Flanagan, Mrs. Harry Earles, Mrs. A. Y. Alee, Mrs. Glenn Sutton, Mrs. C. W. Ellis, Mrs. Sam Houston, Mrs. Bill Watson, Mrs. George Glynn, Mrs. J. L. Elledge, Mrs. Bill Lewter, Mrs. Richard Field, Mrs. Troy Williams, Mrs. J. B. Cutright, Jr., Mrs. W. D. O'Bryant, Mrs. Bob Stephens, Mrs. Duwain Vinson, Sr., Mrs. Allen Haire and Mrs. John Gilliam.

The club will hold its next meeting Monday, January 23 at the same time and place.

**CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION**

Sealed proposals of constructing 192.684 miles of Seal Coat from Coke C-L to 2 Mi. NW Sanatorium, Fr: Tom Green C-L to 1 Mi. North, Fr: FM 2059 to 2 Mi. West, Fr: US 87 to 5.6 Mi. South, Fr: Coleman C-L to Millersview, Fr: FM 765 to US 83 in Eden, Fr: RM 33 to SH 163, Fr: RM 33 to 9.8 Mi. West, Fr: Midland C-L to SH 158, Fr: 4 Mi. South of Tom Green C-L to 11.1 Mi. South, Fr: 15.138 Mi. S. of Tom Green C-L to 8 Mi. North of Barnhart, Fr: US 290E 5.0 Miles, Fr: Itm RM 864 to 6.5 Mi. W. of Menard, Fr: 8.1 Mi. E of US 83 to RM 1221, Fr: Menard to 4.7 Mi. E. of Menard, Fr: 1 Mi. S. of Glasscock C-L to 6.5 Mi. N. of Stiles, Fr: Glasscock C-L to 3.9 Mi. N. of RM 1800, Fr: 3.9 Mi. N. of RM 1800 to RM 1800, Fr: FM 53 to 5 Mi. South, Fr: 915 to 5.4 Mi. West Fr: 8.9 Mi. SE of Sonora, Se, Fr: RM 864 to 5 Mi. SE, Fr: Coke C-L to 3.3 Mi. South, Fr: 1.8 Mi. West of Veribest, Fr: FM 853 to US 67 and From Loop 306 to FM 1692 on Highway No. US 87, SH 208, FM 2742, FM 176, FM 2134, FM 2402, RM 865, RM 1980, FM 1800, SH 163, RM 1534, SH 29, RM 1773, FM 2092, RM 33, FM 2111, FM 1828, RM 1691, RM 2597, SH 208, FM 380, FM 2288, and FM 388 covered by C 69-6-12, C 454-1-26, C 2713-1-2, C 1642-1-3, C 2006-2-5, C 2278-1-5, C 1643-1-4, C 2279-2-9, C 494-7-4, C 1648-4-4, C 1648-4-4, C 1648-5-5, C 2934-1-2, C 396-5-10, C 1719-1-7, C 2008-1-6, C 494-9-3, C 558-8-5, C 558-9-10, C 828-2-4, C 2428-1-4, C 1649-1-5, C 2573-1-2, C 454-2-22, C 555-1-22, C 2141-2-5 and C 2284-1-5 in Tom Green, Coke, Concho, Crockett, Glasscock, Irion, Kimble, Menard, Reagan, Runnels, Schleicher and Sutton Counties will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 a. m., January 27, 1967, and

then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of R. N. Jennings, Resident Engineer, San Angelo, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 43-2tc

**Motor Vehicle Inspection Lags; Deadline Apr. 15**

Austin — Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, reminded Texas motorists today that most vehicles have not yet been inspected for their 1967 vehicle inspection sticker.

"The inspection period is two-thirds over and only about one-third of the vehicles have been inspected," said Garrison. "This means that during the 14 weeks remaining before the April 15 deadline for inspections, more than twice as many persons each week must have their car inspected to avoid long lines forming at the end of the period."

He advised that inspection stations are being urged to request permission to inspect any vehicle brought into the garage for repairs or regular service.

"In this way," Garrison pointed out, "time will be saved for the motorist as well as for the inspection station. "And if you have not had your vehicle inspected, take it to one of the 5,500 authorized inspection stations for a "check-up" and start the new year off right with a safe vehicle."

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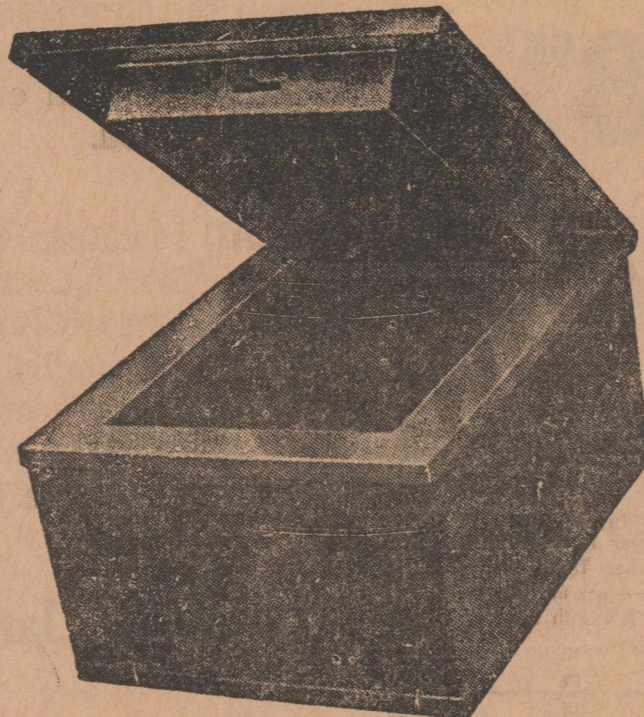
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