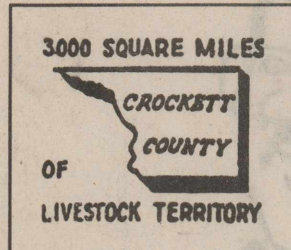


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Ozona Lady Lions - 1995 State Champs

By Neal Ulmer
Stockman Sportswriter

Sometimes dreams really do come true - if you work hard enough. The Goddess of Liberty smiled down on the Frank Erwin Center from her perch atop the Texas Capitol on Saturday, March 4, watching the Ozona Lady Lions take fate into their own hands and demolish a talented Cooper team 61-47 in the UIL girls' state basketball tournament finals.

Ten thousand fans -- and a good portion of Crockett County from octogenarians to infants -- watched a poised Ozona team hang on after a rough start to outscore the Bulldogettes from Cooper by a 40-20 margin in the last two quarters.

Ozona's talented freshmen Amber Tarr, Bobbie Bryson, Amber McWilliams and sophomore Shelly Sullivan took the "never give up" philosophy of the team's seniors seriously, as they managed to overcome as much as a 10-point deficit before running away from a rapidly tiring Cooper team in the final minutes of the game.

"If we could bottle this team chemistry," said Coach Dickie Faught, "we'd be really good the next several years." Faught added, "It was great to win state! It's the ultimate in victories and accomplishments. This year's just been too good to be true."

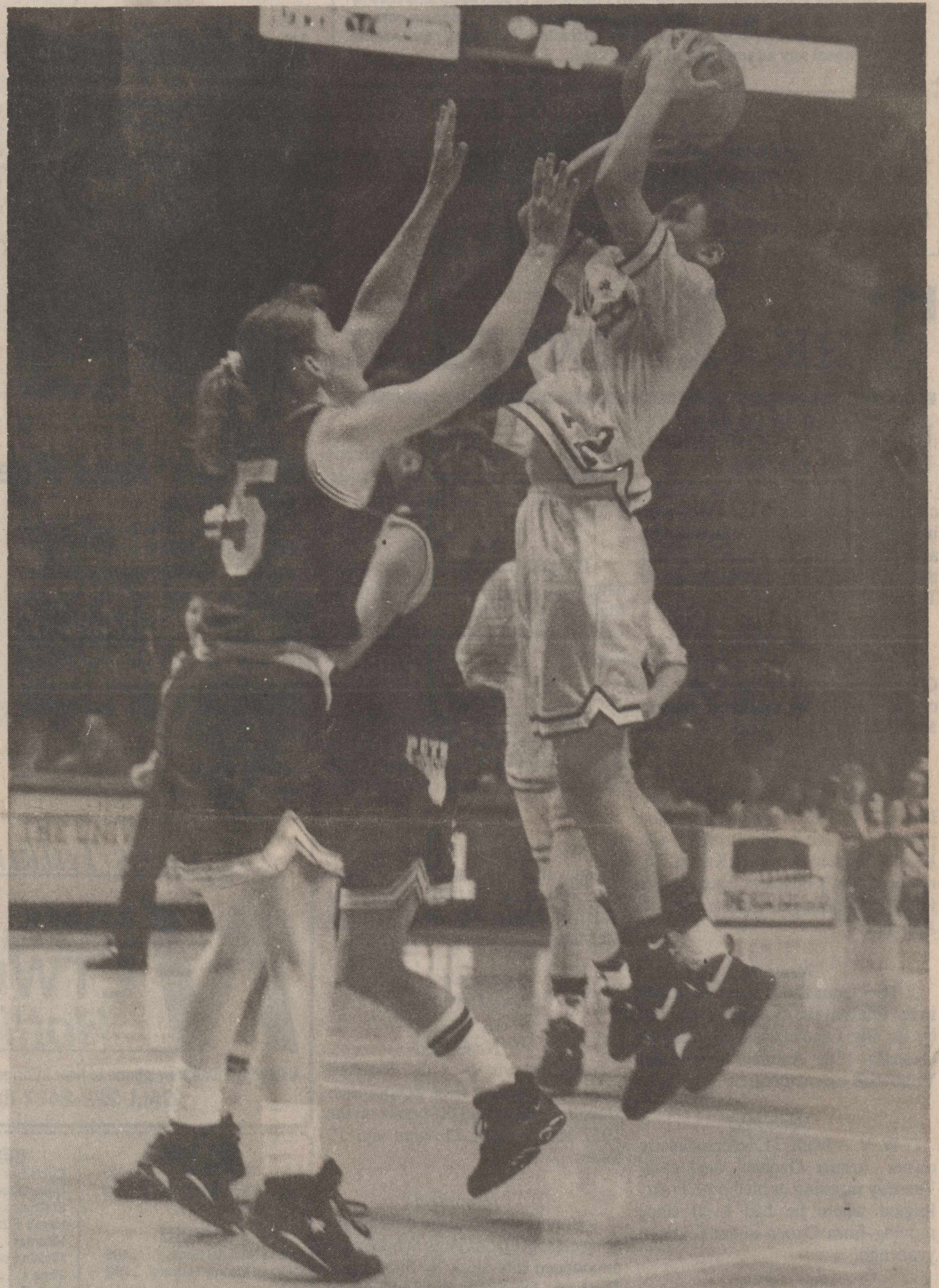
After a relatively easy victory over Poth on Friday, the Ladies were scored on early by Cooper's Leslee Zachry. Early fouls by both teams paid off for Ozona in the first half, as they shot 80 percent. In fact, the Ladies managed to carve out a 14-8 lead as the quarter ended, but Cooper came back with five quick points to cut the margin to one by 7:28 in the second period.

With 2:34 left in the second period, the Lions had managed to make only one point on a free throw by Tarr, and Gloria Peña-Alfaro had picked up her third foul. Cooper took advantage of momentum to enlarge their lead to 10 points, but Amber Tarr started an Ozona run with 1:57 left that cut the margin to four. Cooper's Kenda Patterson, who was the high-point scorer against Gunter on Friday, managed to sink a drive down the lane, and the half ended with the score Ozona 21, Cooper 27.

Coach Faught compared the second half to a scene from the movie "Hoosiers", as Ozona came out determined to play their game. Amber McWilliams came out of a shooting slump to fire a three-pointer following a Tarr free throw, and the Cooper lead was suddenly reduced to two points. The teams traded shots back and forth until with 2:59 left, MVP Amber Tarr took the ball on a baseline drive from the left side, and deadeye Shelly Sullivan scored on a pass from Tarr 42 seconds later.

Ozona's fortunes also improved when Bobbie Bryson decided to turn on the defensive heat. At time, Cooper's O'Neal must have thought there were at least four or five Lady Lions wearing number 10 on the court, as Bryson appeared to be in several places at once. A steal by Bryson turned into an awesome spinning layup, and suddenly the Ladies were in command, taking the lead on a pair of free throws by Amber McWilliams. McWilliams sank another three-pointer with 54

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SENIOR GLORIA PENA-ALFARO goes up for a jump shot as a Poth Pirate raises her hands to block. Pena-Alfaro scored 12 points in the Lady Lions 65-42 win.

photo by Neal Ulmer

One Act Play Entertainment For Chamber

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce will have its annual awards banquet March 21, 1995, at the civic center. The reception begins at 6:30 p.m. with the banquet starting at 7:00. This year the meal will be prepared by the chamber directors and served by members of the AA state champion girls' basketball team.

Ozona Garden Club members will be in charge of table decorations, and members of the Ozona UIL one act play will be the entertainment for the

night. Awards to be given that night will be Citizen of the Year, Teacher of the Year, Outstanding Young Citizen, Unsung Hero and Organization of the Year.

Tickets may be purchased by contacting Jack Baggett Jr., Camille Jones, Carmen Sutton, Lou Chapman, Will Thompson, Robert Bryson, Raul De La Rosa, Johnny Jones, Donnie Laughlin, Maida Sims or Richards Vargas and at the chamber of commerce office. Tickets are \$8.00 each. A table of 10 is \$75.00.

Incumbent Files For Trustee

Elliott Barrera has filed for a place on the May ballot for school trustees. He is the incumbent in Dist. 1.

Incumbents Wade Richardson, Dist. 6, and Dr. Marcus Sims, Dist. 7 (at-large) filed last week. Walter Spiller, former primary school principal, has also filed as a candidate for the Dist. 7 post.

March 22 is the final day to file. Early voting by personal appearance begins April 17.

Sutton Retires From Immigration Service

Roy G. Sutton retired in January from the U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service in the Harlingen District after 34 years of Federal service.

Mr. Sutton's career with the INS began on June 1, 1964, in McAllen with the Border Patrol as an Immigration Patrol Inspector. He has received seven promotions, five reassignments and three quality step increases for sustained superior performance during his distinguished and outstanding career with INS. He ends this career as the Assistant District Director, Investigations.

"Roy has been an outstanding leader in the federal law enforcement community in south Texas," says INS District Director Mike Trominski. "It

won't be easy to find someone with his experience and stature to take his place."

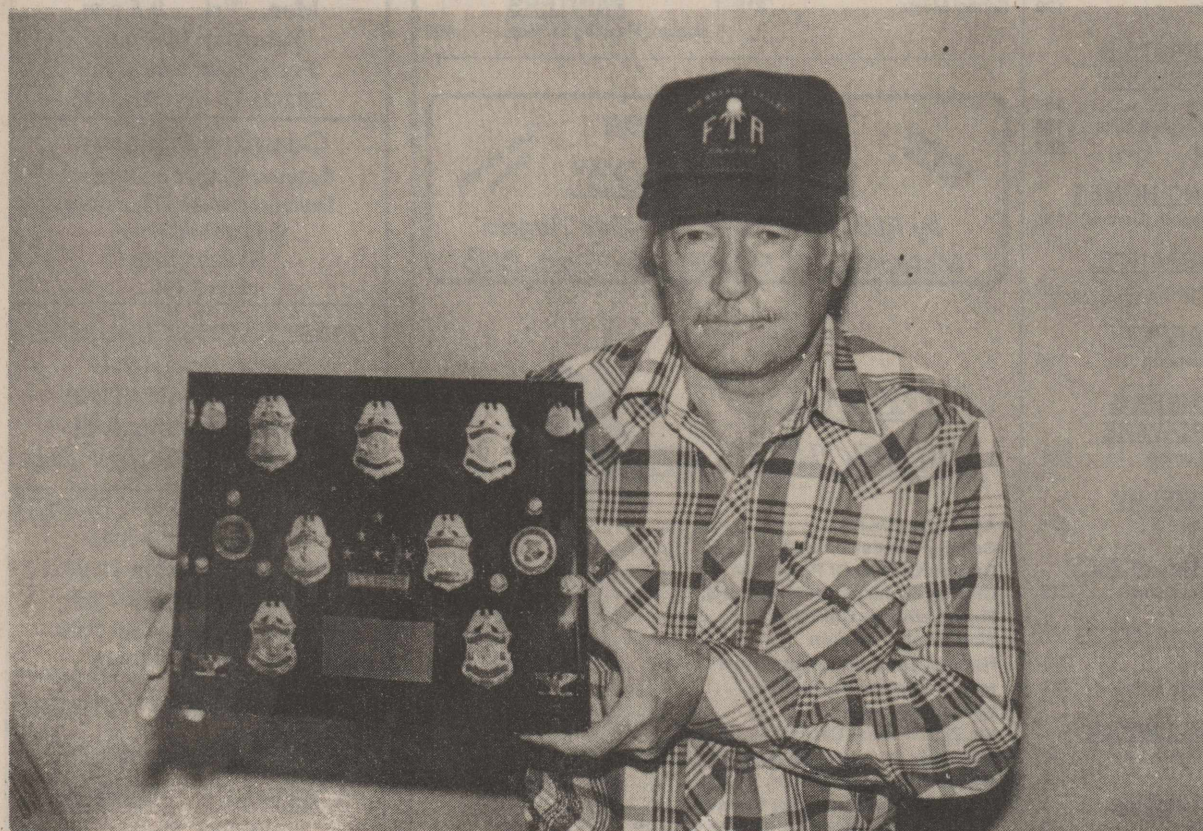
Sutton has an enviable reputation throughout the Immigration Service. He is considered one of the more knowledgeable and experienced officers in the Vehicle Seizure Program. He was instrumental in establishing the vehicle seizure program at the ports of entry in the Harlingen District. He is well versed on unusual and complex aspects of his job. His experience and expertise have earned him the respect and appreciation of those who work with him and who have benefitted from his knowledge and skills.

Among some of the highlights of his career were his temporary assign-

ment as officer in charge of smuggling investigations in Key West, FL, during the 1980 Cuban boatlift. During his 12 years in Harlingen, Mr. Sutton instituted important INS programs such as the Vehicle Seizure Program, the Employer Sanctions Program and a street survival firearms program which is now nationally available to INS personnel.

Upon his retirement, Sutton was presented with the Commissioner's Distinguished Career Award to recognize his outstanding contribution to immigration law enforcement during his long career.

He has returned to his hometown with his wife, Patsy, and his two children, Glenn and Staci.



ROY G. SUTTON holds a display of badges he wore and awards earned during his 34 years in the U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service. Sutton retired in January from the Harlingen District.

Grant Site Inspection Completed

Eric Hartzell of the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs came to Ozona March 1 to conduct an inspection of part of the town which is to be served by a \$199,999 grant for water improvements. This grant will be used by Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District #1 in conjunction with a grant for \$198,869 awarded in 1993 for use in sewer improvements.

The inspection is one of the final steps before receiving the newer, already approved grant according to Doug Meador of the water district.

The sewer/wastewater project should be bid out in June or July of 1995 with construction to start soon thereafter. This grant will enable the

New Location For Natural Resources Conservation Service

According to Vaden Aldridge, District Conservationist, the Natural Resources Conservation Service (formerly Soil Conservation Service) has relocated to 201 11th Street. The NCRS is now adjacent to the Consolidated Farm Service Agency (formerly ASCS).

The NCRS will still provide technical assistance to landusers and interested individuals for the protection and conservation of valuable natural resources.

district to remove sewer lines from yards and under houses. The lines will be rerouted under streets and alleys. The water district's matching portion of the \$198,869 grant is \$29,831.

The district will be required to put up \$22,000 in matching funds on the \$199,999 grant which is designed to pay for a booster pump station south of I-10 and a water storage standpipe above Heraclio Street and additional six inch water line.

Application has also been made

for a Colonias grant in the amount of \$495,800. No word has yet been received on this application, Meador said. If received, this money will be used to finish the sewer line project, provide for several new fire hydrants and new six and eight inch water line to replace two inch line.

There are approximately 428 residents who would benefit from these improvements according to a study done prior to the application filing.



READY TO INSPECT that part of Ozona to be served by a \$199,999 grant from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs are: grant writer Mike Duran, Judge Jeffrey Sutton, TDHCA representative Eric Hartzell, and Doug Meador and Dee Keilers of Crockett County Water Control & Improvement District #1.

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THE NEWSREEL

MARCH 10, 1966

News Reel

A total of 18 Crockett County citizens had registered for a free vote in the 1966 elections made possible by a federal court order which abolished the poll tax as a voting requirement in Texas.

News Reel

Mrs. Jack Crossland of Gouldsbush, and Mrs. Sue Hagler and children spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones.

News Reel

Ronald Carnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. S.E. Carnes, was recently elected president of the newly installed Eta Kappa Chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi, national men's business fraternity, at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

News Reel

The Ozona Lionettes were beaten in the finals of the championship bout by the Big Lake six last Saturday in Ozona's 13th Annual Invitational Volleyball tournament.

News Reel

W. V. Adwell, 71, veteran theatre owner, former Ozonan, died early Tuesday morning at his home in Arlington where he had lived since moving from Ozona about fourteen years ago.

News Reel

After hiding in a closet while the Masonic lodge was in session an hour or more Monday night, then sawing through the lodge floor to the bank below, would-be bank robbers spent the rest of the night pounding with hammer and chisel on unyielding masonry walls in a futile attempt to gain entry to the vault in the Ozona National Bank, then turned out on the floor the contents of a couple of desks in the bank offices and finally left with aching backs and empty hands.

News Reel

Captain Larry M. Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted M. Lewis of Ozona, was recently awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for his participation in combat operations in Vietnam.

News Reel

Rob Miller, 77, pioneer Ozona ranchman, died shortly before midnight Wednesday in the Crockett County Hospital after an illness of about 6 weeks duration.

News Reel

Coach Chick Womack's Lions captured their 14th Annual Invitational track Meet last Saturday at Lion Stadium as they outdistanced the runner-up Eldorado Eagles 131-113.

News Reel

Mrs. Norma Wiet of Merced, California, is here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Miller.

News Reel

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Simon and daughters, Margaret, Mary, Martha, Madeline and Millie, of Dallas, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L.B.T. Sikes.

News Reel

Hubert Baker, who suffered a heart attack several weeks ago, is steadily improving and will be able to go home from the hospital in a few days.

News Reel

Mrs. Ashby McMullan returned Tuesday night from a trip to Phoenix, Ariz., where she visited with her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McMullan and Kirk.

NEWS REEL MARCH 11, 1937

News Reel

With a win over the Barnhart Cagers, the Ozona High School Basketball squad closed the books on the 1937 season with 21 wins and 12 losses.

News Reel

Honor students of the 1937 graduating class of Ozona High School were announced this week by Supt. C. S. Denham, following a tabulation of grades made at a meeting of the faculty. The two highest ranking students of the 1937 class are Mary Williams with the highest grade average of 94.64 and Joyce Garrison, with a mark of 91.42, for salutatory honors.

News Reel

The Joe Oberkamp store is undergoing a thorough renovating on the inside this week. The store walls and ceiling are being repainted by Charlie Butler and his crew.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hoover are attending a meeting of the executive committee of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association in Del Rio.

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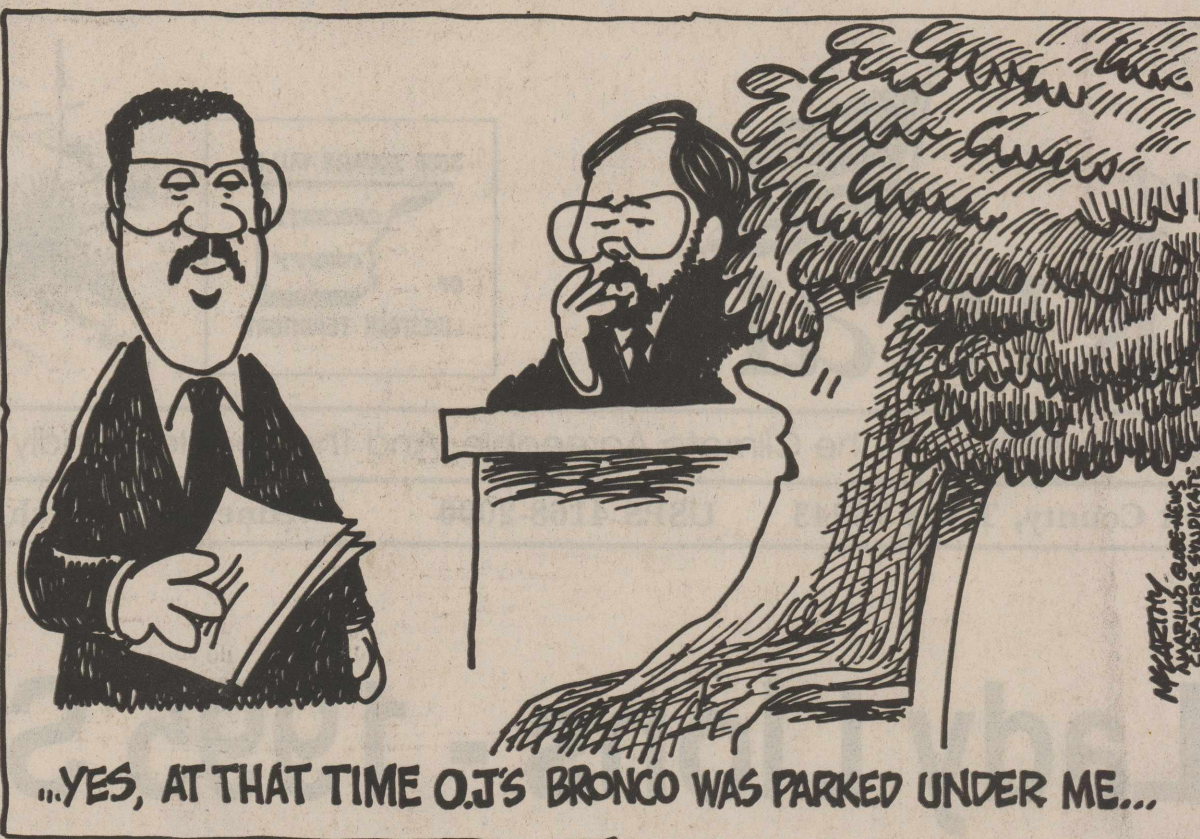
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Karnes City Service For Glenn Laxson

Memorial services were held on Thursday, Feb. 16, 1995, at Rhodes Funeral Home Chapel in Karnes City for Glenn Sellers Laxson. Rev. Jack Dool officiated.

Mr. Laxson was born on July 29, 1935, in Ozona to William T. Laxson and Alma Gladys Luxton Laxson. He died Feb. 14 in Karnes City at the age of 59 years, six months and 15 days. Mr. Laxson had lived in Karnes City since 1980, moving to Karnes City from George West.

He was married to Norma Jean

Allen Laxson on Oct. 9, 1976. He was a truck driver for Mo-Vac Vacuum Service.

Survivors include his wife, Norma Jean Laxson of Karnes City; daughters Gail Boothe, Debbie Brody and Lyna Donley, all of San Angelo; a son, Tony Laxson of San Angelo; a brother, Tommy Laxson of Brady; a sister, Sally Ann Thompson of Sonora; and nine grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William T. and Alma Gladys Laxson, and two two infant daughters.

Happy Birthday

March 8 - Julie Vargas, Irma Tambunga, Marie Pierce, Alexandria Bean, Elma P. Ybarra, Olga Gonzales, Paul Vargas, Kim Tambunga, Martha Sewell, Anthony Tambunga

March 9 - Pon Seahorn, Sandra Childress, Jeannine Henderson, Rosie Ramirez, Phillip Young, Cherrie Davis, Greg Stuart, Kelsey Vargas, Matthew Garza

March 10 - Jolissa Payne, Perry Hubbard, Dean Fierro, Gerald Ortiz, Maria Tollett, Joe Perez Sr., Tina Elizondo, Robin Tambunga, Ann Mayo, Ryan Bean

March 11 - Emily Moore, Gary Buck Mitchell, Amelia Tambunga, Robin Myers, Susan Pullen

March 12 - Andy Wilson, Mitchell Martinez, Santiago C. Ybarra Sr., Janie Chandler, Billy Tom Turland, Ty Porter, Anna Lara

March 13 - Pat Glaze, Leonard Munoz, Natalie Arredondo, Anthony Vasquez, Morris King, Ami Sewell

March 14 - Diego Pena Jr., Ann Duran, Kay Stewart, Anthony Vasquez, Collin Hibdon, Sue Cosper

Your news is always welcome at The Stockman. Call 392-2551 or come by the office at 1000 Ave. E.

Big Lake Hosts Blue Grass Festival

Big Lake's third bluegrass festival is scheduled for March 31-April 2 at the Big Lake Community Center.

Entertainment will be by: Big Sandy, Concho Grass, String Fever, Gore Brothers, Yellow House Canyon, Star Canyon Band, Alan Mundy and Joe Carr. Cowboy poet and storyteller Biscuits O'Bryan will also be part of the festivities.

The event includes an indoor stage and full concessions including Ma Moon's Cajun specialties.

A handicraft show and sale will be part of Saturday's activities, and a Gospel show is scheduled for Sunday.

RV campers joining the festivities will be treated to a free hamburger supper Thursday night.

Friday night's admission charge is \$5 with entertainment beginning at 6 p.m. Music starts at 1 p.m. Saturday with an \$8 admission charge.

The festival is sponsored by the Big Lake Volunteer Fire Department.

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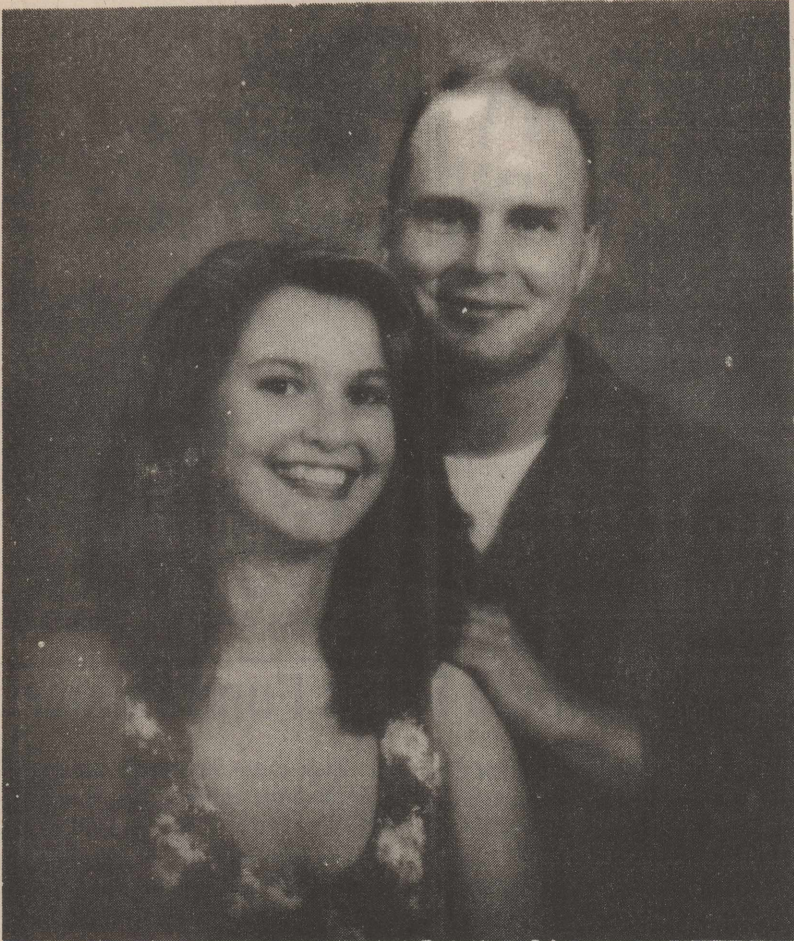
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April Wedding Plans Told

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blackledge of Godfrey, IL, and Mrs. Belle Burks of Ozona announce the engagement and coming marriage of their children, Bridget and Travis.

The wedding will be held on

Saturday, April 29, 1995, at First Assembly of God Church in East Alton, IL.

Miss Blackledge and Mr. Burks are both stationed at the U. S. Marine Corps base at 29 Palms, CA.

Country Club Bridge News

High Score at Ozona Country Club Bridge on March 2 went to Jane Black with Jewel Bailey winning second high. Dorothy Friend won bingo.

Kitty Montgomery was hostess to three tables of bridge. Others playing were: Emma Adams, Louise Burger, Eileen Childress, Alice Couch, Sophie Kyle, Mary Jo Mason, Dorothy Montgomery, Jonesy Williams and Winnie Williams.

It's A Boy!

Thomas and Christie Gries of Houston are the proud parents of a baby boy. Jacob Arledge Gries arrived in the Women's Hospital of Texas on Feb. 3, 1995, at 5:44 p.m. He weighed five pounds, six ounces and was 17 1/2 inches long.

Happy grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David Hemenway of The Woodlands and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Gries of Ozona. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Hemenway of Midland and Mrs. Magdeline Pridemore of Brownwood.

Meals On Wheels Menu

Monday, March 13
Smothered Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Cake Squares
Tuesday, March 14
Meat Loaf, Buttered Spinach, New Potatoes, Bread, Pink Panther Dessert
Wednesday, March 15
Chicken Casserole, Carrots and Peas, Bread, Pineapple Pudding
Thursday, March 16
Chili Con Carne, Pickled Beets, Cornbread, Peach Cobbler
Friday, March 17
Baked Fish, Parsley Potatoes, Carrot and Raisin Salad, Bread, Lime Jello

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Living Light Workshop Set For March 14

Wanting to lose weight, cope with diabetes or heart disease, or simply eat a better diet?

Dr. Bethann Witcher-Byers, nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Texas A&M University, will teach a "Light Living Workshop" on Tuesday, March 14, from 9 a.m. to noon in the Crockett County Civic Center. The deadline for registration has been extended to Friday, March 10, and space is limited. The workshop is being sponsored by the Crockett County office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The specialist will teach you how to change your diet for better nutrition and health, including food buying, preparation and serving. You will also learn how to apply the USDA Food Guide Pyramid and Dietary Guidelines, the keys to better diet and behavior change.

How many calories, grams of fat, sodium, sugar or milligrams of cholesterol does your favorite family recipe have? Any idea? If you come to the Living Light Workshop you can find out. Just bring a favorite family recipe to the workshop, and Dr. Witcher-Byers will discuss changes for better nutrition. Each participant will also receive the Living Light manual to keep.

While the program is most helpful to overweight persons or those who have heart disease, diabetes or high blood pressure, it is also good for anyone who is interested in good nutrition and a healthy lifestyle.

Learning to prepare healthful foods doesn't mean taking out all fat, sugar or salt from the diet. If you usually cook foods high in these problem ingredients, says the specialist, you can learn which steps to take to begin slowly reducing them and also how to make substitutions in your

favorite recipes. Several tasty low-fat recipes will be demonstrated (and tasted by participants) during the workshop.

Cost per person to attend the workshop is \$15 and includes the cost of the manual and supplies for the program. All fees must be paid by March 14. Space is limited and enrollment is on a first-come, first-serve basis.

For years nutritionists have been telling people what they can't or shouldn't eat in order to feel good and be healthy. Would you like to learn how to prepare your favorite recipes with lower fat but with that same special taste? Would you like to learn how to add variety and pizzazz to your meals to make them even more appealing, appetizing and greater-tasting?

Don't wait - register today. For more information, call the Crockett County Extension Office at 392-2721. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages, regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, national origin or disability.

Individuals with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, service or accommodation in order to participate in this workshop are encouraged to contact Tedra Ulmer at 915-392-2721 as soon as possible to determine how reasonable accommodations can be made.

Melissa Vallejo
bride-elect of
Paul Tambunga

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Those words sometimes send fear into our hearts. Like the person who gives a party and no one comes.

Well dear friends--dear family of Ozona--Bobby and I have always been without much of a circle of family. Myself an only child with just my mom. Bobby with a sister and mom far away.

We want to thank so many, many friends and Ozona family members for so many things.

The calls, the donations of money, automobile, home, apartment, anything we've needed in any way. But most of all, the caring, the concern and help. We all want to say thank you.

Please don't get offended if I don't call you, by name, because you are all special.

A special thanks to Kim Baker, Jim and Judy Baker, Morris and Betty King, Brenda Preddy, Frank Adkins, Brother Bill Fuller, Bennie Logan, Manuel and Sharon Harnett, Abe and Billie Morris, Spencer and Jade Morris, Attn. and Mrs. Bill Mason, Tammy Collins, Clint Perner, Monica and Eddie Lewing, Dewayne Davee, Barbara Davee.

Even though the last names are of our children, they have been there in many ways, that because they are our children should not go unrecognized.

Thank you Ozona--God bless each one of you.

Nancy and Bobby Davee and Family

Thank You Note

We would like to thank all of our relatives and friends from Ozona and the surrounding towns for their prayers, cards, flowers, and especially for the concern you have shown for Pete Gomez Sr. during his surgery, hospitalization and now recovery.

May God greatly bless all of you for your kindness. We love you all.

Pete and Irene Gomez

Pete Jr., Gloria, Mary and Janice

Thank You Note

Our Dear Friends,
It isn't until we become ill that we appreciate fully the marvelous gift of health. And it isn't until we are separated from friends and loved ones that we realize how they have immeasurably enriched our lives.

During Jim's recent surgery at M.D. Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, we came to know how blessed we are living in Ozona, and what a caring community it really is. Every pastor, every congregation, even people we did not know communicated their concern and voiced their prayers. We discovered through this ordeal that we are rich not in what we keep but in what we share. We are now eager to be guided by God's Spirit in every area of our life, for we know that only in this way can life become for us productive and fulfilling and can we become a blessing ourselves.

We give thanks that God's power and grace has been made manifest through our weakness. Thank you!

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Crockett County Public Library

By Louise Ledoux

News

The Friends of the Library are now conducting their annual membership drive. Their goal for 1995 is to sign up 50 new members and supporters of the public library. To go along with the drive, the Friends are raffling off a great fat meat goat for barbecue. Join now and get a free chance on the meat goat.

There are many levels of membership in the Friends, so everyone can afford to participate. Individual memberships are \$5.00. Family is \$10.00. Supporting is \$15.00. Businesses, organizations and clubs pay \$25.00. Patrons are \$50.00 and a life membership is \$100.00. Business members get a special thank you for their support. Business bookmarks are made for each business and are handed out to everyone visiting the library. Our library patrons love them to mark their books and it's great advertisement.

Tickets for the meat goat raffle are \$1.00. The drawing will be held during the "Meet the Texas Author" program the end of March. Get your tickets at the public library or at the

membership booths the Friends will be setting up around town at the banks and at the Village Shopping Center.

They will be out from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on March 9 at T&C, on March 10 at Ozona National Bank and Crockett County National Bank, on March 11 at T&T and again at both banks on March 15.

The Pierce family is donating the goat for the raffle, and it's a big 4-H meat goat perfect for barbecue. Get your tickets and get ready to win. Join the Friends now and get a free raffle ticket. Show your support for the public library, the building fund and the Friends. Join today.

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"LADIES CAN PUT OUT FIRES, ALSO" Ladies of the Alpha Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi demonstrated how to put out a pipe fire tree recently. Each member had her chance to dress in fireman's gear and put the fire out. The ladies were instructed by fireman Keith Olive and assisted by several other volunteer firemen.

photo by Neal Ulmer

Firefighters Appreciated More After Display

Alpha Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi would like to say thanks to all the members of the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department who were gracious enough to take time away from their busy lives to demonstrate their roles as volunteer firefighters to us.

At our meeting on Monday, Feb. 28, we were shown a video on volunteer firefighters of America. There are

nearly as many volunteer firemen as there are full time firemen. Several volunteer firefighters were there to answer our questions. We found that it takes all kinds of people to be a firefighter; they range from being a housewife mother of three, a highway patrolman to a probation officer.

Once a call is dispatched, they drop everything they were doing to

respond, whether to a house fire or to a car accident. They potentially put their lives on the line each time they do this. They work together as a team, with each having defined roles and responsibilities. They each attend rigorous training and are very qualified. It was very evident that they take great

pride in their role, abilities and equipment. They even took part in building their own fire truck.

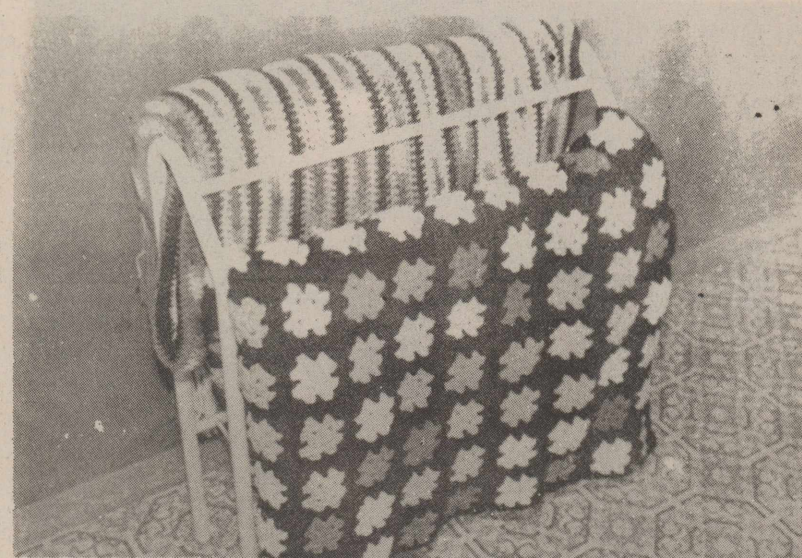
Mrs. Minnie McCaleb, also known as "Ms. Mac", lives in her quarters at the fire department. She answers and dispatches most all of the calls. We were told she is there seven days a week, 24 hours a day. All the nez are the proud parents of a son

After touring the fire department, we were on our way to actually participate in putting a fire out. We each were excited to be a volunteer fireman just a few minutes. When we arrived the firemen had a pipe fire tree set up in a parking lot. Each of us donned our fire suits, known as bunkers, hats, gloves, boots, etc. and were to douse the fire. They instructed each of us on what to do and what not to do, whether we were at the end, in the middle or at the front line of the extremely heavy water hose. They fire was lit, we were to walk up and put it out. Walking up to the fire is not an easy task. It's intimidating, exhilarating, scary and very, very hot. Once the fire was out, we backed away slowly, feeling pretty confident that we were able to put the fire out. I can't imagine being responsible for a real fire where property and lives were at risk.

Overall, I know that each of us thoroughly enjoyed our short-lived volunteer fireman status. I also know that when I look at a firefighter, whether volunteer or not, I will look upon him or her with the utmost respect. Volunteer firemen are courageous, thoughtful and very giving people.

"Thanks" again, it was an evening we will always remember.

Alpha Alpha Mu Reporter



THESE AFGHANS donated by Fay Henry and Opal Everett will be given away at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Banquet to benefit the Helping Hands Building Fund.

Helping Hands Plans Fund Raiser

The Helping Hands/Senior Citizens' building fund will be increased this month with proceeds from the raffle of two hand-made afghans. The afghans, donated by Opal Everett and Fay Henry, will be given away at the chamber of commerce banquet on March 21.

The afghans are to be displayed in local businesses until given away.

Tickets are \$1.00 and are available from the Helping Hands board, AARP members, Mavis Dunlap at Ozona National Bank, or you may go by the Helping Hands Building. Tickets are also available by calling 392-5026 or 392-5216.

"Our thanks to Opal and Fay for helping us add to our building fund," said Janet McDaniel.

Ecologists believe that a bird in the bush is worth two in the hand.

—Stanley C. Pearson

Oh, to be only half as wonderful as my child thought I was when he was small, and only half as stupid as my teenager now thinks I am.

—Rebecca Richards

Thank You Note

Living in a small town has its benefits. The love and concern that has been given to the family of Julian B. Ramirez Jr. while in the hospital is tremendous. Thank God for such friends and family. All expressions of kindness are deeply appreciated.

May the Lord keep, guide and bless you.

Sincerely yours,

Belia (Betty) Flores Vasquez

(Sister of Eva Ramirez)

Thank You Note

Cherrie and Connie Mae Fielder would like to thank the following people and friends for their flowers, gifts and wishes for supporting me and the Ozona Lady Lions.

B & H Weed Wash, Dick Hall, Wade and Jennifer Beasley, Bob and Jodie Childress, Elma and Cecil Buckner, Elma's Roadside Grocery and big thanks to those friends who helped on the trip to Austin.

Thanks for everything you have done.

We love ya! and God Bless you all.

The Fielders

Thank You Note

Your letters, cards and telephone calls were greatly appreciated during my hospital stay. Thank you for remembering me and helping speed my recovery.

J. B. Parker

Thank You Note

First, I would like to thank the Ozona's Woman's Forum for the wonderful home made cookies they prepared for Crockett County EMS. They were delicious!

Secondly, I would like to tell the EMS personnel how proud I am of them. Of the 14 taking the BCLS course, all 14 passed. I appreciate their dedication and effort for this intense two-day course, and what they do for Ozona.

Doug Meador

Thank You Note

We would like to give thanks to each and everyone who attended my baby shower and for all the wonderful gifts that we received. Thanks for all my friends and relatives who helped with refreshments. Special thanks go out to Erma Fierro and Molly Munoz for decorations.

May God Bless you all

Glen Tinney & Natalie Martinez

Thank You Note

To all the wonderful people of Ozona, Crane, Odessa, Lubbock, Midland, San Angelo, Fort Worth, Chicago, IL, and Detroit, MI... Words cannot express our sincere and heartfelt appreciation for the support you've given us. To the Crockett County Hospital and Care Center, thank you for your words of encouragement.

The prayers, cards, flowers, phone calls, visits and monies have given us strength to face each day. We are so grateful to have such caring friends and family. God bless you all.

Julian will be transferred to Dallas for surgery and then transferred back to San Angelo for recovery.

Sincerely,

The family of Julian B. Ramirez Jr.

Eva, Mark and Julia

Attend Church This Sunday



Model Families

By Dennis J. Prutow

Mickey Cohen was a famous Hollywood gangster. He repeated the so-called Sinners Prayer with one of his compatriots. What did Mickey Cohen think about "becoming a Christian"? Not much. He said something like this, "There are Christian baseball players, Christian actors and actresses and Christian business people. What's wrong with being a Christian gangster?"

We laugh. Why? This guy thought there is nothing incompatible with following Jesus Christ and stealing Social Security checks from unsuspecting retired people. Old time gangsters are frequently depicted in the movies this way. We often see them in church with their families. They are quite religious.

But the world does not need more religious families. The world needs more Godly families. What is the difference? These are families that love God enough to do what He commands. These are families that understand the Bible when it says "you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might" (Deuteronomy 6:5). These are families that model what it means to be good and right and just. These are families that teach their children to model what is good and right and just. And they do this because moms and dads and sons and daughters are not just religious. They are busy learning what it means to love God with all their hearts.

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For, behold, the day cometh, that shall burn as an oven; and all the proud, yea, and all that do wickedly, shall be stubble: and the day that cometh shall burn them up, saith the Lord of hosts, that it shall leave them neither root nor branch.

But unto you that fear my name shall the Sun of righteousness arise with healing in his wings; and ye shall go forth, and grow up as calves of the stall.

Malachi 4:1-2

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Gomez Poem To Be Published

A poem written by Ozona Junior High student Miriam Gomez was chosen for publication in the Anthology of Poetry by Young Americans. Miriam, a seventh grader, submitted the poem to her teacher, Mrs. Lynda Falkner, to be entered in the competition.

Miriam's poem, *The Riverside*, follows.

The Riverside

As I was strolling down the riverside,
I saw little birds singing,
Prairie flowers swaying to the rhythm
of the wind.
I saw little deer running
And playing on the hard grassy land.
Then the evening came and all fell
silent,
Only the sounds of insects and owls,
And the whistling winds could be
heard.
How magnificent!
I thought to myself
As the others slept silently in their
tents.
How beautiful it would be
To be one of those animals and
Experience all of what I've seen.
-Miriam Gomez

Youth Basketball League To Get Underway Soon

By Neal Ulmer
Stockman SportsWriter

Youngsters in grades four through six will get their chance in starting their season on Monday, March 20, beginning at 5 p.m. They will be using the same gyms as last year.

This week will be used for practicing in the gyms. League officials would like for the players to stay in contact with the coaches for practice times and the correct game time and place.

For any further information, please contact Terri Fought at 392-5871.

It's A Boy!

Glen Tinney and Natalie Martinez are the proud parents of a son named Glen Eugene Tinney III. The baby was born at 7:52 a.m. Feb. 25, 1995, at Shannon Women's Hospital in San Angelo. He weighed six pounds, 15 ounces and was 19 inches long at birth.

Welcoming the baby are grandparents Mr. and Mrs. David Gonzales and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tinney and Melecio Martinez along with great-great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Jose Rodriguez, Mr. and Mrs. Luis Martinez and Rudy and Polina Vargas all of Ozona and great-great-grandmother Rena Tinney of Junction. The baby's great-great-grandmother is Carmen Vargas of Ozona.

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This week's scholarship preview is the George Washington Award from the Orphans International Foundation Incorporated. Each award is accompanied by a cash scholarship for tuition at any accredited college. If selected, award recipients must volunteer 20 hours in a public service program for disadvantaged children within one year from the date the award is made. Everyone is eligible for the award. You do not need to be an orphan to apply. Grade point average, family financial standing and chosen fields of study are not factors in the selection process. This award encourages future generations to take leadership roles, benefiting abused, exploited and abandoned children.

For an official application, send a stamped self-addressed business sized envelope to: 1995 George Washington Award, P. O. Box 820, Sudbury, MA 01776-0820. Application deadline is July 31, 1995.

Beginning March 22, a new opportunity is going to be offered to students at Ozona High School. Mr. Cox, our vocational adjustment counselor, has volunteered to make available some of his motivational and self-improvement tape programs to our students. The program will begin each morning at 07:40 a.m. in room 125. It will run for approximately 30 minutes. All students who are not involved in tutorials are encouraged to take advantage of these offerings.

The first program Mr. Cox plans to share with the students is a couple of short programs on goals and the mechanics of goal setting. This will be followed in later weeks by a full course, "The Psychology of Achievement" narrated by Brian Tracy. The ideas that will be presented in this course are: Building a Positive Self-Concept; Accepting Responsibility and Taking Charge; Programming for Success; Goals and Goal Achieving; Creative Problem Solving and Decision Making; Superior Human Relations.

This is a great opportunity for our students to be introduced to ideas and concepts that have been shown to be practiced by successful people throughout the world. This is an opportunity for students to find out how to integrate what they are being taught in school with outside information in order to be successful. Parents are encouraged to come by and check this out and to bring your student with you.

This week marks the beginning of the last quarter in high school. This year has certainly flown. Seniors, please prioritize your last quarter for academic achievement. We have many senior activities planned to honor you, and this quarter will be really busy with all of the U.I.L. activities, as well. Plan ahead, keep concentrating on school work and finish strong!

This week is the T.A.A.S. testing week for most schools. In high school, we are giving the EXITT.A.A.S. with the writing portion on Tuesday, math on Wednesday and reading on Thursday. School will not begin until 10:10 a.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday if your student is not taking the T.A.A.S. If a student is taking the T.A.A.S. (sophomores or juniors and seniors who have not previously passed all portions) they must report to their testing room at 7:55 a.m.

Encourage your students to get a routine night's rest and come to test full of confidence!

Nothing is so good as it seems beforehand.

—George Eliot

Thank You Note

Our beloved Mary (Mrs. Eli) Hagelstein enriched the lives of many friends in her more than eighty years of gracious living.

Her family wishes to express our gratitude to each of you who did so much to honor her during her lifetime especially to those who stood by her in her decline.

For cards, letters, visits, flowers and phone calls she received, as well as the memorials directed to us after her death, we thank you.

The Ft. Stockton Nursing Center we commend for the compassionate care and gentle lifestyle they provided.

We particularly appreciate the encouragement and support many of you extended to our son Karlton Hagelstein in his self chosen role as her primary care giver the last three years of her life.

Her gentle steel in velvet guidance, we surely miss in our lives.

Eldora & Chris Hagelstein

Local 4-H Members Win At Houston Livestock Show

Tara Wilkins took first place with her light-weight finewool market lamb and Lauren Wilkins placed first with her middle-weight finewool cross market lamb last week at the Houston Livestock Show. Each girl received \$7,000 from the sale of her lamb.

Ty Allen won second with his light-weight finewool cross market lamb and received \$6,500 for his efforts.

Exhibitor Nancy Arrott placed her heavy-weight finewool cross lamb 17th and received \$1,000. G.L. Bunker also placed 17th with his heavy-weight finewool and received \$1,000. Amy

Laughlin placed 18th with her heavy-weight medium wool lamb and sold him for \$1,000.

The show started at the Fort Bend County Fair Grounds on Sunday, Feb. 26, with the weighing and tagging. The pre-judging was done on Tuesday. Youngsters whose lambs didn't make the top 25 and have an opportunity to go to Houston for the show and sale were: Leigh Chandler, Clay, Codi and Kyle Richardson, JoLynn Van-noy and Mason Wilkins.

According to Billy Reagor, Crockett County Extension Agent, there were some 1,400 lambs in the

show. Each exhibitor was entitled to enter only one lamb, so the competition was very strong.

"Crockett County made a good showing by winning two classes and a second in a third class, but it sure would have been nice to get all lambs in the sale like we did last year," Reagor said.

Adults accompanying the youth were: Tony Allen, Jimmy Arrott, Louis and Tammy Bunker, George and Wanda Bunker, Donnie Laughlin, Wade Richardson, Steve and Belinda Wilkins and CEA Billy H. Reagor.

Preceptor Mu Chi Hosted By Glen Watkins

Preceptor Mu Chi held its meeting on Monday, Feb. 27, at the Circle Bar dining room hosted by Glen Watkins. After the opening ritual, the minutes and treasurer's report were given and approved and a short meeting held. The Valentine committee announced that a good time was had by all at the party held at R&L Bar-B-Q. The newly elected queen is Sylvia Tomlinson, and Mavis Dunlap is princess. Other announcements were made and the closing ritual said.

Refreshments were served as Glen Watkins gave a report on the book "I'll Gather My Geese" written by her aunt, Hallie Crawford Stillwell. The

report turned listeners back to yesterday when their ancestors first came here and the hardships they faced but always with hope for the future.

Members attending were: Nancy Hale, Billie Jean Morris, Zoe Green, Jeannie Wellman, Bobbie Fatout, Mavis Dunlap, Glen Watkins and Terry Adams.

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Cappadocia Area Of Turkey Charms Tourists



THIS PHOTOGRAPH FROM OF ONE OF THE MANY CHURCHES which dot the Cappadocia area is an example of many fine photographs taken by Robert Maldonado during his tour of duty in Turkey. The arch is a perfect frame for distant fairy chimneys.

photo by Robert Maldonado

Robert Maldonado, who recently retired after 20 years in the U. S. Air Force, describes the military for him as a "blessing in disguise". The first four years often left him feeling "no way", Maldonado said, but after that, well, "I retired in 20 short years".

A 1971 graduate of Ozona High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Maldonado, he began his military career in 1974. U. S. postings include: Eglin AFB, Fort Walton Beach, FL; Altus AFB, Altus OK; Lackland AFB, San Antonio; Goodfellow AFB, San Angelo; Grand Fork AFB, Grand Fork, ND; and Dyess AFB, Abilene, along with three years in Germany where a daughter Abbey was born, one year in Korea, a two-month stay in Italy and two years in Turkey.

Maldonado retired with the rank of master sergeant at the end of his tour of duty in Inchirlik, Turkey, bringing back with him a Turkish bride, an admiration for the country and its Biblical history and many, many awe inspiring photographs.

A great number of the U. S. military personnel stationed in Turkey never leave the base, Maldonado said, but he took advantage of the opportunity to visit several parts of the country.

The area known as Cappadocia is described by Maldonado as "like a moonscape. You could spend a whole month there and never see everything. The whole area is very historic to Christians, but they (being a Moslem country) don't develop it." Turkey is dotted with ancient Christian churches filled with beautiful frescoes.

Despite the failure to promote the area, Maldonado said there were tourists of many nationalities in Cappadocia during his two visits.

Cappadocia, which was formed by two volcanoes, has approximately 200 self-sufficient underground cities as much as 20 feet below the earth where early peoples took refuge from their enemies. Stables, cellars, communal dining halls, churches and grape juice plants are found in these cities where large round stones were used to close the entrances.

The topography of the area was shaped by erosion of the layer of tuff,

which was created by lava spouting from the volcanoes. Interesting formations called fairy-chimneys are one result of the erosion. These cone-shaped formations have been converted into fortresses, dwellings, churches, burial places and store houses. Many have dove-cotes carved into the sides.

Maldonado said he was well received wherever he traveled in the country. "If you've got dollars, they like you." His dark complexion was also an asset, Maldonado said. Many of the natives mistook him for a Turk. However, "everybody there knows English. The people there are eager to practice their English." Maldonado admits to knowing 70 or 80 words in the language, "just enough to get in trouble".

Travel in the country is economical with 40,000 lira equalling \$1.00 U.S. when he left. Maldonado said he could eat well on \$1.50 a day on his excursions. Ancient artifacts were everywhere with fish tanks in some of the restaurants containing items 2000 years old. Shipwrecks were visible

when diving off the coast, but picking up any of the easily seen artifacts is prohibited, Maldonado said.

Around Inchirlik where he was stationed, the country was much like San Angelo with cotton production, Maldonado said.

His civilian job as production manager for soon-to-open Payless-Cashway in San Angelo will be quite different from his job in the military. Maldonado worked in disaster preparedness, developing contingency plans to deal with natural and man-made disasters and teaching how to survive and operate in chemical and biological environments.

During his military career, Maldonado received the Southwest Asia Service Medal with one Bronze Star, the Humanitarian Service Medal, two Air Force Commendation Medals with one Oakleaf Cluster, three Air Force Achievement Medals with one Oakleaf Cluster, the Joint Meritorious Unit Award, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with one Oakleaf Cluster, the Air Force Good Conduct Medal with one silver Oakleaf Cluster,

ter, the National Defense Service Medal and the Meritorious Service Medal.

Vacation time could result in a trip to Turkey. "I want to go back and see it again, to walk the same paths as most Biblical figures walked," he said.

Living History Weekend At Fort Lancaster

The Garrison at Mustang Springs living history group will be at Fort Lancaster March 11 and 12 to conduct a living history weekend. The group will portray Company K (the Walter P. Lane Rangers), 2nd Regiment of Texas Mounted Rifles, Confederate States Army.

A tentative schedule of events has the raising of the post flag at 9 a.m. each day followed by morning formation at 9:15. This includes roll call, reading of dispatches from the war fronts and weapons inspection on Saturday and roll call on Sunday.

Saturday's activities continue with an infantry and skirmish drill at 9:30. Troops will be in camp at 10 a.m. for discussions with spectators about camp life. Noon meal preparation begins at 11. After the troops have eaten and cleaned up their camps, afternoon formation and lectures start at 1 p.m.

A brief history of Fort Lancaster, a history of the Confederate New Mexico campaign of 1861-1862 and the role of Fort Lancaster in that period will be given.

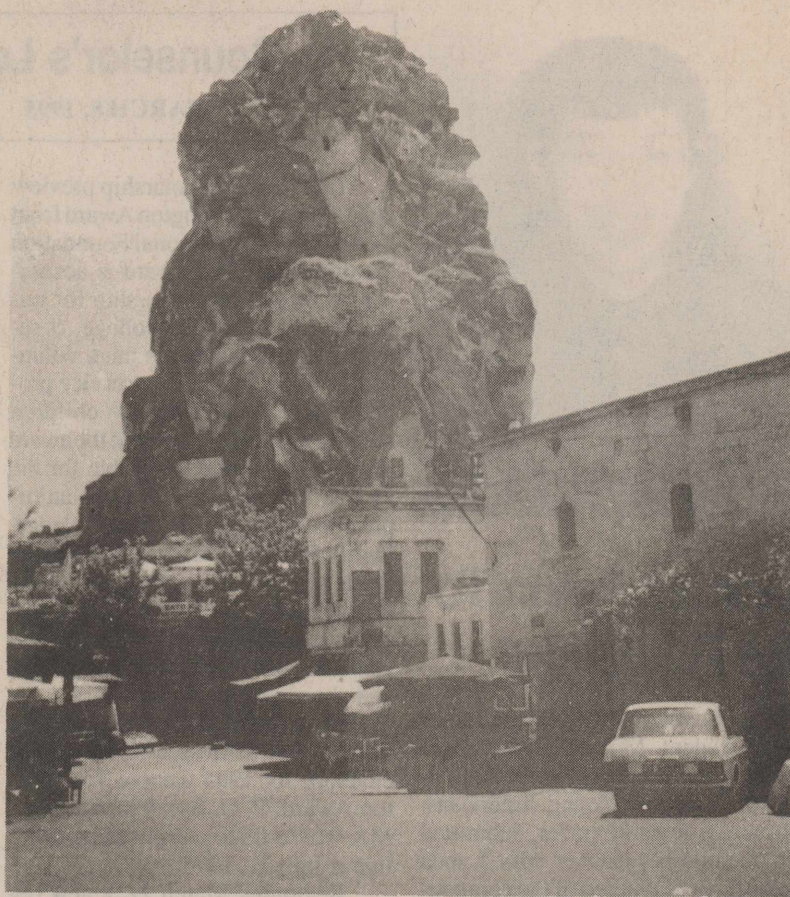
Other information will include a description of the unit, their uniforms/clothing and equipment, a lecture on the weapons used by the Confederate troops and a history of the various Confederate flags.

A skirmish drill and weapons firing demonstration is scheduled for 2:30 and retreat will be sounded at 4:30 p.m.

On Sunday, these activities will be included along with a divine service at 10 a.m. Troops will strike camp at 3 p.m.

Fort Lancaster is located eight miles east of Sheffield on U. S. Highway 290. Take exit 343 off I-10 and follow U.S. 290 to the park.

No food is sold at the fort. Plan to bring a picnic lunch and spend the day.



THE CITADEL OF ORTAHISAR was used as both a settlement and for defense. At the skirts of the citadel are typical civil architectural housing examples. On its valley flanks, hollowed out cold storage areas serve to preserve rural products such as potatoes and apples as well as oranges and lemons from the Mediterranean region. photo by Robert Maldonado

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Crockett County Sheriff's Report

WEEK ENDING 3-7-95

ARRESTS:

3-2-95...27-year-old Marc B. Gordon of Ozona was arrested on charges of theft. He pleaded guilty in JP Court and was released after paying his fine.

3-3-95...44-year-old Chris T. Villarreal of Ozona was arrested on charges of public intoxication. He pleaded guilty in JP Court and was released after paying his fine.

3-4-95...38-year-old John J. Galleguillo of California was arrested on charges of public intoxication. He is in county jail unable to post bond. The case will be tried in county court.

3-4-95...17-year-old James E. Perry and 17-year-old John Clayton Stuart, both of Tennessee, were arrested on warrants charging them with probation violation. They were released to Tennessee authorities.

INCIDENTS:

3-4-95...Joseph Albert Sanchez of Ozona reported that he was threatened by an Ozona man during an argument on Ave. H. Sheriff's deputies are investigating the offense.

3-4-95...Randy Tobar Munoz of Ozona also reported that he was threatened and slapped during the above incident. Sheriff's deputies are investigating the offense.

Davee Begins Radiation Treatment

Editor's Note: The following report on Bobby Davee is provided by his family.

Bobby Davee is still in Audie Murphy Hospital in San Antonio. The doctors have finally been able to relieve his pain.

Thursday, March 2, he received his first of 12 radiation treatments. These are given to relieve the pain and hopefully shrink the cancer some. It remains to be seen to what extent these things will happen.

Bobby will take radiation on the week days. The weekends will be free of treatment. If all other things are okay he will get to leave for the weekend.

We were counting on that last weekend. Duwayne left to go back to Korea and we were counting on some time together, but Bobby's blood pressure and fever came up after receiving two pints of blood Friday afternoon.

Saturday morning he felt better and was released on a pass until Sunday before 4. Saturday afternoon his fever went up and he was told to return to the hospital.

He is looking forward to coming home next weekend (The 11th) and seeing friends at the benefit. Maybe this can be.

Bobby has lung cancer in the lower left lobe of his lung and pneumonia is a real threat so we must keep him warm and dry.

The cancer in the bones is over 80% of his body, and that makes him susceptible to breakage so we must take care not to bump him or move him too quickly. He is better able to move himself than to be helped as much as we want to help him.

It is getting harder and harder for Bobby to smile, but he keeps smiling and visiting with our friends who call and come by.

March 11 Event To Benefit Bobby Davee

Donations are still being accepted for the March 11 benefit for Bobby Davee and his family. Added to the items to be given away during the afternoon is an afghan made and donated by Barbara Walker. Other items include a barbecue grill from South Texas Lumber, a microwave oven from WTU and gift certificates from various businesses.

You may buy tickets at numerous Ozona stores.

Beginning at noon, barbecue plates will be on sale followed by an afternoon of music from local and area musicians.

Anyone wishing to make donations, contributions or for further information, contact Benny Logan at 392-5470.

Give Credit Where Credit Due

A story in the Feb. 22 issue of The Stockman incorrectly identified DPS Sgt. Neal Roney as a participant in the recovery of a stolen car. Trooper Robert Sherrod of Sonora and Trooper Ben English of Ozona were actually the DPS officers at the scene, Roney said.

A return on a license plate check initiated by Constable Raymond Borrego near the Catholic Church came back as a stolen car the evening of Feb. 21. Borrego followed the car through

town to the north end of the square where a stop was made.

Crockett County deputies Fred Fierro and Lyndon English also joined the three at the scene.

The two occupants of the car appeared, according to observers, to be reluctant to leave the car, and handguns and a shotgun were drawn by the officers.

After California refused to extradite, the men were released from DPS custody. The car was impounded.

A quarrel between friends, when made up, adds a new tie to friendship, as experience shows that the callosity formed round a broken bone makes it stronger than before.

—St. Francis de Sales



It is often said that among the last things citizens need are more laws by either State or Federal Government. I think in most instances that this is the case. However, from time to time we discover areas of state government and supervision of state agencies that require change or clarification. I would like to provide a list of the different bills and pieces of legislation that I am sponsoring during this 74th session of the Texas Legislature. I want you to know what I am doing in the way of representing you and your concerns in state government. It is amazing how little communication there usually is about what is really going on in government at all levels.

I will first list and briefly identify the bills that I am the sole author on, followed by a list that I have co-authored with other members who share my philosophy, as well as yours, I believe.

House Concurrent Resolution #65 - This resolution asks the US Congress to revamp the Endangered Species Act, using input from the states, to provide the cost effectiveness, intent of the law and to protect private property ownership rights.

Levis And Lace Graduation Dance March 11

The public is invited to the 1995 graduation dance presented by the Levis and Lace Square Dance Club of Ozona. The dance will be at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 11, at the civic center located at the corner of First Street and Avenue H. There is no charge to attend.

The graduating students are: the Flemings, Danny, Debbie, Daniel Jr., Billy and Shannon, the Wakes, John and Eileen, Robert Ogle, Kimberly Nowell, Nancy Harris and Jennifer Thomas.

sons or media accountable to agriculture producers if false claims or accusations are made as to food safety, without scientific proof. (The Washington State apple scare several years ago bankrupted a number of apple producers, when there was no scientific evidence.)

House Bill 396 - This provides a means of prohibiting government agencies from the use of condemnation for the sole purpose of mitigation - this is primarily of concern in enforcement of Endangered Species habitat and Wetland area concerns.

House Bill 390 - Places a moratorium on land acquisition by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department - until certain operational levels and requirements are met on their already existing parks and historic site locations.

House Bill 560 - Removes the special property tax exemption that the Nature Conservancy has - would place Nature Conservancy in the same tax exemption status as all other non profit (501C3) groups or organizations. (I am joint author with Rep. Susan Combs, Rep. Jerry Yost and Rep. Warren Chisum.)

As you can see, the list is quite lengthy, and these are only some of the bills I have filed. There are a number of bills that deal with local issues, such as water districts, hotel occupancy tax authority and such issues.

I am also working on legislation that will enable rural volunteer fire departments to purchase affordable liability insurance and provide certain exemptions from liability claims, such as incorporated cities currently have. I am also filing legislation for the Texas Department of Agriculture concerning revision of their pesticide/herbicide regulations that would bring them up to date and in compliance with Federal laws and rules.

We either have Senate sponsors for our bills or have assisted the participating Senator to file a companion Bill 1 (which is identical to our own in the House) to be sure the issue doesn't become lost in the committee functions, either in the House or Senate.

Each of these bills first have to be drafted by the Legislative Council attorneys, then filed by myself with the Chief Clerk, then they are referred to the appropriate House Committee.

We then have to request a hearing on each individual bill and sell the committee on the merits of each bill, where they decide either to kill the bill, or pass it on to the Calendar Committee, to enable it to be heard by the full House of Representatives. This seems difficult enough, however, it's only half of the story. The bill then is sent to the Senate Committee, where the same repeat action to those in the House occur. If the full Senate ultimately approves the bill, it then must be signed by the Governor to become law. The major problems can arise when the Senate changes the bill, such as amendments, after which it then has to be re-approved by the House, or a joint committee of both House and Senate members.

This should make it clear that the best idea in the world is only campaign rhetoric unless you are personally capable of selling a majority of both House and Senate members on your idea to the extent they will vote for the bill, and even then, the Governor's got to sign it, so his approval is vital.

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Early Diagnosis Important With Shingles

HOUSTON - A sharp pain, especially on your torso or face, followed within a day or two by small blisters, could mean you have shingles, and the pain could worsen. It's important to get the painful skin condition diagnosed by a physician immediately.

"If shingles is treated within three days of the initial pain, chances are good the patient will heal faster and not experience any lingering pain," said Dr. Suzanne Bruce, a dermatologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Shingles is caused by the same virus that causes chicken pox and strikes only people who have first had chicken pox. The virus lies dormant until some unknown factor causes reactivation in a nerve. Stress may play a role.

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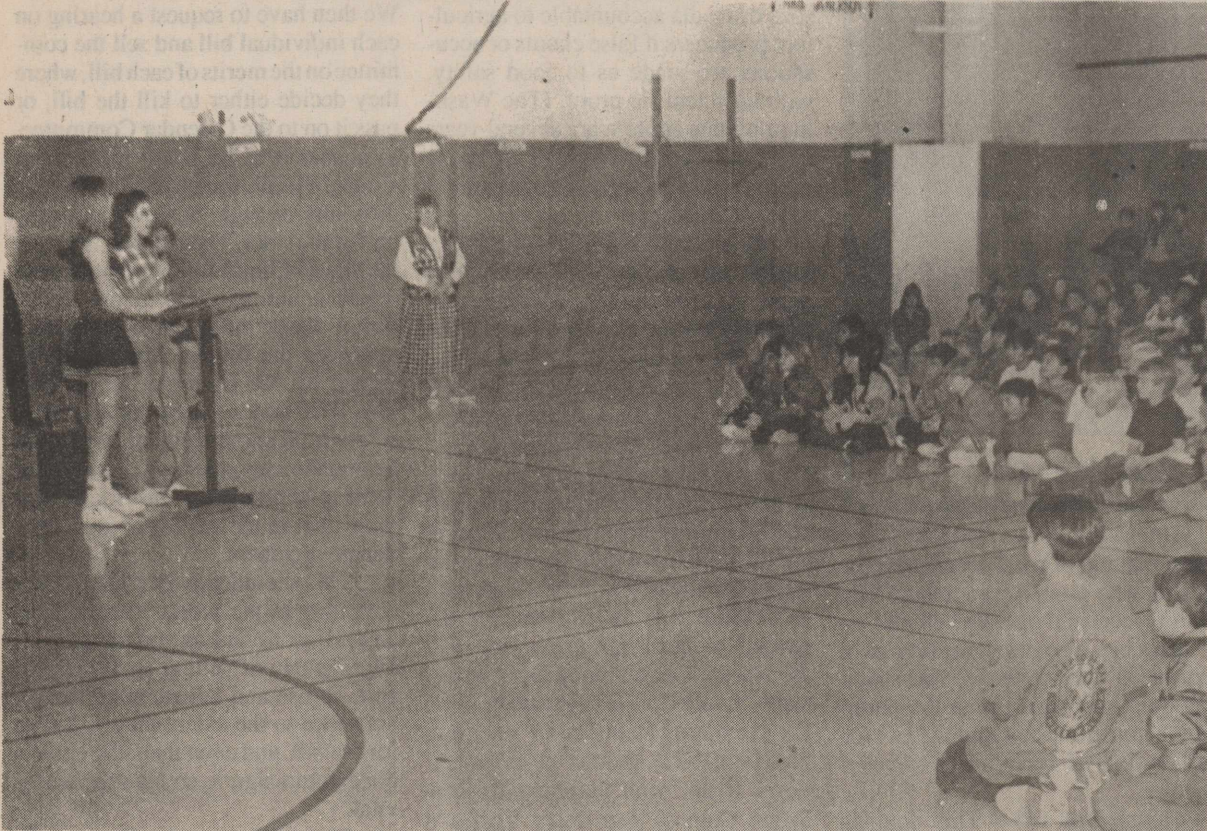
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SENIOR GLORIA PENA-ALFARO speaks to an enthusiastic crowd of Ozona basketball fans after returning as the "Number One" team in Class 2A State Girls' UIL Basketball Tournament.

photo by Judy Reagor

Texas Monthly Oil And Gas Statistics

JANUARY PERMITS TO DRILL

The Railroad Commission issued a total of 856 original permits to drill in January 1995 compared to 910 in January 1994. The 856 total included 631 permits to drill new oil and gas tests, 25 to re-enter existing well bores, and 200 re-completions.

Permits issued in January included 313 oil, 201 gas, 300 oil and gas, 41 injection and one other permits.

JANUARY OIL AND GAS COMPLETIONS

In January 1995, operators reported 306 gas, 315 oil and 13 injection and other completions, compared

to 294 gas, 377 oil and 23 injection and other completions during the same period of last year.

Operators reported 880 holes plugged and 125 dry holes in January, compared to 964 holes plugged and 209 dry holes reported during the same period last year.

NOVEMBER CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION

Texas preliminary November crude oil production averaged 1,421,940 barrels daily, down from the 1,503,864 barrels daily average in November 1993.

The preliminary Texas oil production figure for November is 42,658,199 barrels, down from the

45,115,910 barrels reported in November 1993.

Crockett County's production in November was 275,716 barrels.

NOVEMBER NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION

Texas oil and gas wells produced 463,128,761 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas in preliminary production for November, up three percent compared to November 1993's gas production total of 451,504,998 Mcf.

Texas gas production in November came from 167,203 oil and 47,356 gas wells.

Crockett County was ranked seventh in the state with production of 10,041,139 Mcf in November.

Rabies Quarantine Throughout State

The Texas Board of Health approved in January emergency rules designating all Texas counties as a quarantine area to prevent the spread of rabies. The quarantine forbids the movement of the following animals within or from Texas: dogs and cats that have not been vaccinated against rabies within the past 12 months, coyotes, foxes, raccoons, skunks, bats and all hybrids (including, but not limited to, dog-coyote and dog-wolf crosses).

Dogs and cats being transported by air, automobile or any other means should be accompanied by a rabies vaccination certificate issued within the past 12 months. Violation of the quarantine is a Class C misdemeanor.

Texas Department of Health officials said these quarantine rules supersede any permits to own, breed or sell wild or exotic animals issued by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

U. S. Department of Agriculture or other authorizing agency.

Two major outbreaks are currently taking place in the state. One outbreak, or epizootic, involves the "urban dog" strain of the rabies virus which had entered the coyote population in south Texas. This strain is moving from the U.S.-Mexico border northward but has not yet reached San Antonio. The other outbreak of rabies involves the "TF/MD" strain in the gray fox population in the central and western areas of the state. This outbreak appears to be spreading north-east, east and west.

In addition to the coyotes and gray foxes which have been confirmed rabid, these animals have transmitted the disease to many other species of mammals, both wild and domestic. Dogs, cats, cattle, horses, goats, sheep, skunks, bats, raccoons, bobcats, ring-

tails and rabbits are among the other mammals reported rabid within the last 18 months.

A January report from the Texas Department of Health Zoonosis Control Division reported 263 rabies cases reported in Public Health Region 9/10 in 1994. Crockett County, one of the 36 in this region, had no reports listed.

Tom Green led the list with 94, of which 37 were fox, 27 raccoon, 10 skunk and 8 cat, followed by McCulloch County with 70 rabies cases reported.

Nearer to home was Sutton County with 17 cases, 11 in skunks, 4 in foxes, and one each reported in cats and bobcats. Upton County reported four rabid foxes, Reagan County had one rabid bobcat and Irion County reported two cases of rabies in foxes and cows and one rabid dog.

Rep. Turner Appointed Vice-chair Of Military Committee

Texas House Speaker Pete Laney has announced the appointment of Rep. Bob Turner, D-Voss, to serve as vice-chair of the House Select Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.

Speaker Laney created the committee Thursday, Feb. 23, by proclamation. The seven-member committee will study and report to the full House on the impact of national military and defense policies on Texas. It also will look at issues affecting Texas veterans that may be addressed by state law.

"The State of Texas has a long and proud history of concern for its military veterans and their families," Speaker Laney said. "It is appropriate that the Legislature devote special attention to matters affecting those who have sacrificed so much for their country."

Speaker Laney said he believes Rep. Turner will serve the House well as vice-chair of this special committee. "Representative Turner is a de-

voted veteran. I believe he will make a thorough and complete study of these issues that are important to us all," Speaker Laney said.

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Junction Stockyard Report

Junction Stockyards reported sales steady to lower on cattle, sheep and goats Feb. 24 and 27.

At the cattle sale Feb. 24, steer calves sold about steady, heifers, slaughter cows and bulls were \$1-\$2 lower and stocker cows and pairs sold steady.

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Choice Heifer Yearlings .65-.72#
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Commercial & Utility Cows .37-.45#

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Low Yielding Canners .30-.36#

Bulls .53-.58#
Stocker Cows \$400-\$600 hd.

Stocker Pairs \$435-\$765 pair

The Stockyards sold 3624 head of goats and sheep Feb. 27. Lambs, slaughter ewes and stocker Angoras sold steady with fat kids and yearlings about steady. Slaughter Angoras were \$2-\$4 lower and Spanish goats were steady except kids which sold \$1-\$3 lower.

Choice Spring Lambs .7750-.81#
Choice Old Crop Lambs .74-.78#

Heavy Lambs .73-.77#
Fat Ewes .37-.45#

Thin Ewes .35-.41#
Bucks .30-.38#

Choice Young Angoras \$32-\$43 hd. shorn

Med. Angoras \$27-\$33 hd.
Choice Aged Nannies \$40-\$50 hd.; one lot at \$61.75 hd. in hair

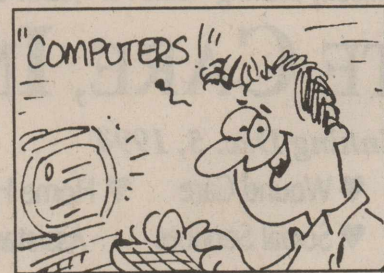
Choice Aged Muttons \$40-\$50 hd.

Angora Kids (choice) \$42-\$52 (med.) \$32-\$40 hd.

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.37-.42# (fat) .40-.49#
Big Fat Spanish Muttons and Billies \$70-\$100 hd.
Fat Yearlings \$50-\$69 hd.
Big Fat Spanish Nannies \$40-

\$52 hd.
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Fat Kids \$33-\$45; few up to \$49 hd.
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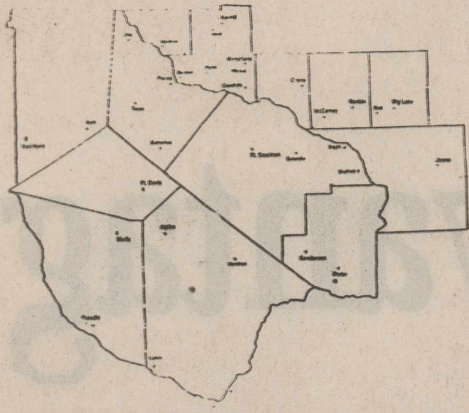
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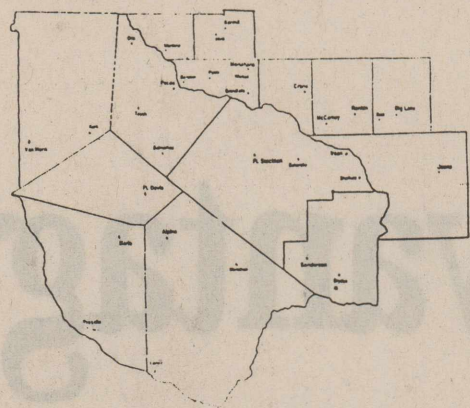
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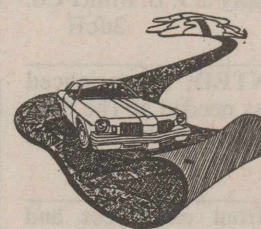
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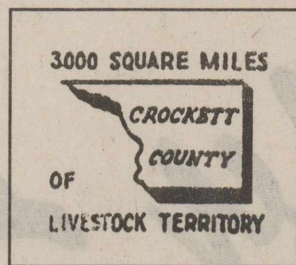
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Ozona Lady Lions -- 1995 Class 2A State Champions

CLASS 2A STATE CHAMPIONS - Ozona Lady Lions: Bottom row (l-r) Tara Wilkins, Bobbie Bryson, Amber McWilliams; Middle row (l-r) Connie Fielder, Leigh Chandler, Gloria Pena-Alfaro, Heather Hall, Autumn McWilliams, Megan Tambunga, Julie Perez, & Jessica Avila; Top row (l-r) Stormi Sessom, Amber Tarr, Shelly Sullivan, & Amy Laughlin.

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Ozona High School Ozona 5 AA

No.	Name	Class	Height	Position
10	Bobbie Bryson	Fr.	5'2"	G
12	Gloria Pena-Alfaro	Sr.	5'7"	F
14	Autumn McWilliams	Fr.	5'5"	F
20	Amber McWilliams	Fr.	5'5"	F
22	Heather Hall	Sr.	5'7"	F
24	Leigh Chandler	Sr.	5'4"	F
30	Tara Wilkins	Jr.	5'8"	C
32	Amber Tarr	Fr.	5'11"	C
34	Stormi Sessom	Fr.	5'8"	C
40	Julie Perez	So.	5'2"	G
42	Shelly Sullivan	So.	5'10"	C
44	Connie Fielder	Sr.	5'5"	G
50	Megan Tambunga	So.	5'5"	F
52	Amy Laughlin	So.	5'8"	C
54	Jessica Avila	Fr.	5'5"	F

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Opponents	Score
Rankin	81-29
Fort Stockton	75-48
Big Lake Reagan County	59-43
Sonora	61-22
El Paso Irvin	68-63
Midland Lee	50-44
Brownfield	39-43
Big Lake Reagan County	61-32
Comstock	96-31
Sterling City	62-31
Brownfield	59-56
Christoval	73-28
Coahoma	75-40
Sonora	58-31
Robert Lee	49-34
Eldorado	60-58
Snyder	40-19
Anthony	70-47
Van Horn	88-23
Fort Stockton	80-34
Eldorado	54-40
McCamey	68-27
Iraan	68-25
Anthony	83-42
Van Horn	82-29
Abilene Cooper	60-37
Eldorado	67-34
McCamey	66-24
Iraan	80-18
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Teamwork, Balance Pay Off For State Champs

By Neal Ulmer
Stockman Sportswriter

Teamwork, teamwork, teamwork. That's just one of the secrets for success of the Ozona Lady Lions as they took their first State Class AA Basketball title, placed three starters on the All-Tournament Team and eight players on the All-District Team.

They accomplished this while entering the record books with the third-best record of any Class AA team to win the state tournament since 1979 (when five-member teams were instituted in girls' basketball). Only the 1982 Hardin team with a 31-1 record and the 1988 Godley team with a 37-2 record can top the Lady Lions.

Freshman Amber Tarr was named Class AA Most Valuable Player for 1995's tournament, joining fellow classmate Bobbie Bryson and senior Gloria Peña-Alfaro on the top squad. Peña-Alfaro was the only senior chosen for the elite group, which was rounded out by Gunter sophomore Amy Sutton and Cooper junior Leslie Zachry.

In All-District voting for District 5-AA, Amber Tarr again took MVP honors and Bobbie Bryson was named "Newcomer of the Year". Gloria Peña-Alfaro, Amber McWilliams and Shelly Sullivan were also named to the first team, while Tara Wilkins, Stormi Sessom and Heather Hall received Honorable Mention status.

Ozona fans could be forgiven if they wanted to fill out all-tournament and all-district ballots with all-Lion names. Coaches and fans from other areas marveled during the tournament at the depth and balance of the team. Dickie Faught, head girls' basketball coach, said of his team, "At one time or other this year they all played key roles. We didn't have to depend on any one player like many of the teams, and that helped take the pressure off individual players."

For the two games in the state tournament, the Lady Lions shot 51% from the field versus 36% for their opponents. Shelly Sullivan had a terrific 83% from the field, making 10 of 12 field goals including 7 of 7 for 100 percent in the first game. Amber Tarr shot 55%, Amber McWilliams shot 50%, Bobbie Bryson made 45% of her shots, and Gloria Peña-Alfaro shot 36%.

They also outgunned their opponents at the free throw line, 75% to 52%, and in three-point shots, 38% versus 24% for the other teams. Faught felt the difference in both games was in getting enough points from turnovers and fast breaks. Ozona had 26 turnovers, but they were converted into only 23 points by opponents.

However, the Lady Lions forced 34 turnovers by their opponents and converted those into 43 points. That becomes especially important when one realizes the total margin of victory for the two games was 37 points.

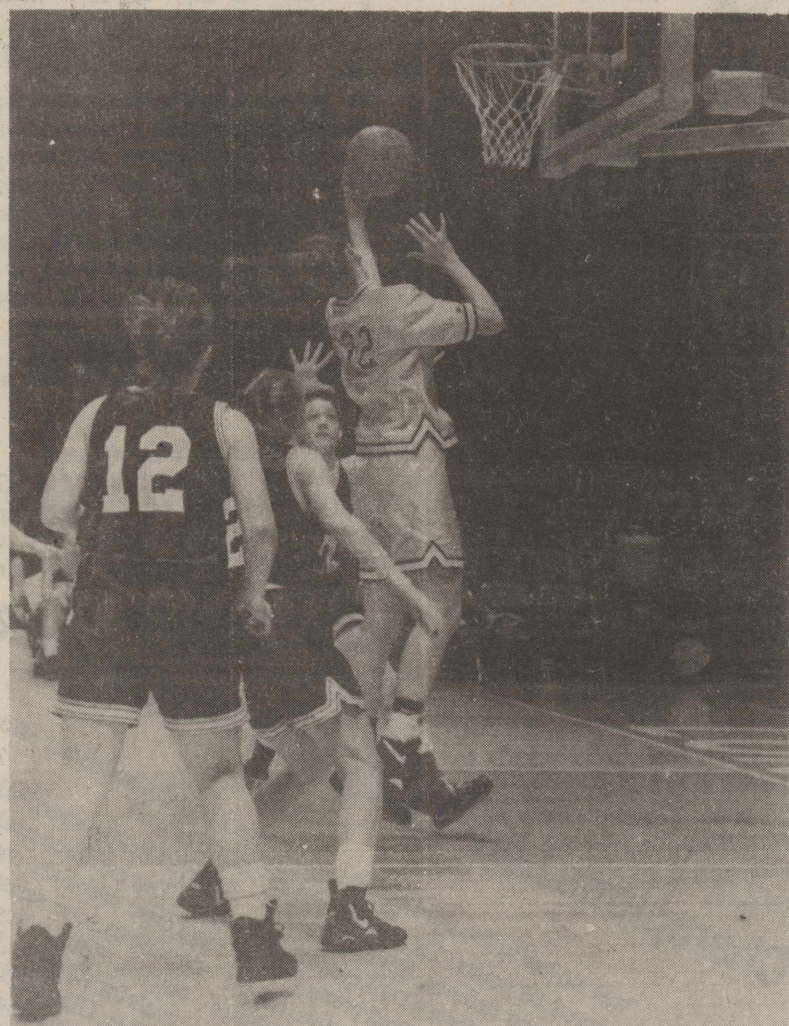
Ozona out-stole Poth and Cooper with 16 steals versus 12 steals by the opponents, and the Ladies overwhelmingly blocked shots, having eight blocks versus none for the opponents.

Faught also noted his team didn't force their shots. "They were pretty patient and worked it in well," he noted. "In fact, Ozona far outweighed the other teams in assists, having 28 total assists in contrast to the other two teams' 11 assists. The only area in which Ozona was outnumbered was in rebounding, as the other teams pulled down 65 rebounds against Ozona's 62."

The Lady Lions averaged 63 points per game, with a 15.7 point average per quarter, against the other two teams' average 44.5 points per game and 11.1 points per quarter. Ozona ended up with 126 total points while Poth and Cooper could only manage 37 points, making the average margin per game 18.5 points.

Besides dead-eye shooting and smothering defense, closeness and camaraderie on the team were key ingredients of success named often by Faught and the Lady Lions. Peña-Alfaro suggested young players looking to repeat the success of this year's Ladies need to "Start getting along and work at having closeness, not let jealousy get in the way, and start disciplining yourselves."

Peña-Alfaro and fellow seniors Heather Hall, Connie Fielder and Leigh Chandler, according to the underclassmen, were important factors in the team's ability to win the state tourna-



CLASS 2A MOST VALUABLE PLAYER AMBER TARR goes up for a lay up as several Cooper Bulldogettes attempt to defend. Tarr led the scoring in the championship game with 14 points, 4 steals, 2 blocked shots and 3 assists.
photo by Neal Ulmer

ment with a record of 34-2.

Freshman Amber McWilliams said the seniors were vital in helping her get out of a shooting slump in the first game to come back with three of four three-point shots against Cooper. "They just said, 'Keep shooting!' and I did." Twin sister Autumn McWilliams added, "They helped prevent you from getting nervous and fouling, and told us we could do it - especially in variety games." She said it feels "Awesome!" to be a part of the team, particularly with her twin sister on the same squad.

"Thanks to the whole town," Amber McWilliams added, "for being behind us no matter what we did." She also thanked God for protecting the team while traveling the thousands of miles they covered this year.

Sophomore Shelly Sullivan, who joined the varsity as a lone freshman in 1993, added, "They kept telling us to keep working - to never give up and never quit."

Coach Rodney Johnson also praised the seniors for their support of the younger players. "A lot of credit goes to Gloria for keeping them together. I also give a lot of credit to the other seniors for their leadership."

What advice would senior Heather Hall give future Lady Lions? "Start dribbling, start practicing young, and get good. Don't wait till the eighth grade like me."

Sullivan said she felt the team's strength, ability to get into position and their overall height helped pull out the tough games this year, but the main ingredient she proudly expressed as, "We're a team."

The 100-percent shooter from the Poth game also praised Faught's coaching style. "When we were down he supported us and stayed calm. When we didn't do well, he'd pull us out, call us over to him, tell us what to do and then send us back...he didn't yell at us constantly from the sidelines. I don't know what I would have done with a coach who did that," she said, shaking her head.

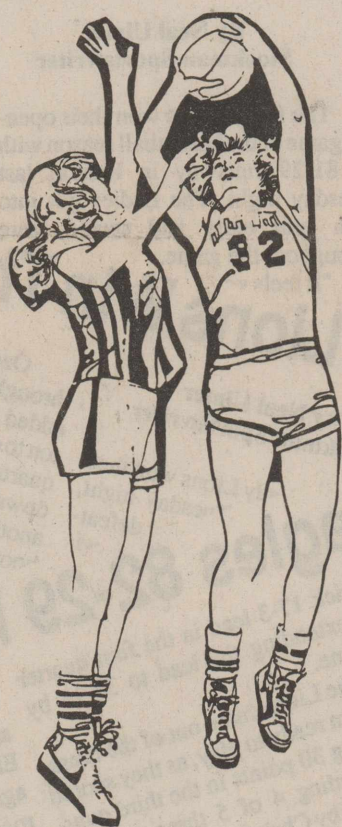
An overwhelmed Faught summed up the season, "What they've done and how they've done it...I've never been around a team -- even the Brownfield team -- with such togetherness and unity. They really cared about each other and didn't care about stats -- who was top scorer, etc. They just kept winning with style and class."

Coach Johnson added his praises by saying, "They showed a lot of poise, heart and a lot of fight. I was glad to be associated with them and happy I got to coach them -- they were good kids."

Peña-Alfaro spoke for all the seniors when she said, "I thank Coach Faught and the rest of the team for allowing me to have the best senior year." Hall echoed those sentiments by saying, "Thank you, freshmen, for helping me there (to state) this last year."

After playing through the losing season of her freshman year, Sullivan

doesn't want to repeat that experience -- she and the other returning Ladies are thinking about next season, and says for next year, the group is already dedicated to the idea they're starting over. "We just have to realize that 1996 is just going to be another year -- it's time to start over and forget about '95, focus on '96."



*Lady Lions

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seconds left in the period, then Amber Tarr made a spectacular play with 0.2 seconds on the clock to run the score to 38-33 at the end of the quarter.

The fourth quarter saw Amber McWilliams bury another three-point shot, but Cooper came right back with a Zachry field goal to keep the Ozona lead at 41-37. Gloria Peña-Alfaro went to work down the lane as Ozona began lobbing the ball down the court with every possession, easily beating Cooper's tired press. Sullivan and Bryson also continued to add to the score, and as Cooper was forced to foul, the Ladies racked up the score by shooting 75 percent from the free throw line.

The Ladies began to realize victory was in their hands when Amber Tarr came off a rebound with a big smile on her face. Coach Faught let his team continue to run until the last two minutes of the game, "I didn't want to put pressure on them by starting the spread and stalling, because I knew Cooper had to foul us, so we just kept running."

Senior All-Tournament pick Gloria Peña-Alfaro nailed the lid shut on Cooper with perfect one-and-one shooting, and the final score showed Ozona on top by 61-47.

The Ladies were led in the championship game by Amber Tarr with 14 points, hitting six of 14 field goals and two of four free throws. Tarr also had eight rebounds, four steals, three assists, and two blocked shots. Gloria Peña-Alfaro scored 13 points including four of four free throws and one three-pointer. Perimeter shooter Amber McWilliams hit three of four three-pointers, three of five two-pointers and two of three free throws for a total of 11 points.

Fueling her team several times, Bobbie Bryson scored 10 points, including three of four field goals, and four of five free throws. Bryson also

had three steals, one rebound and one assist. Shelly Sullivan had 11 rebounds, three blocked shots and scored six points. Tara Wilkins made two field goals and one free throw for a total of five points. Stormi Sessom finished the scoring with two points and one rebound. Connie Fielder and Heather Hall came off the bench, adding a spark to the team when it was needed.

*Congratulations
Lady Lions
State Champs*



HOW BOUT THOSE LADIES!!

Dear Ladies,

Trying to write down and express our feelings in words is extremely difficult. We have enjoyed following you this year, as we have in the past. We have known some of you longer than others, but yet feel so close to each of you after such an emotional and exciting season.

You have given our town great pleasure and pride while following you this year. One of the things that makes us especially proud is your poise and composure on and off the court. You are such a wonderful group of girls so unselfish and humble. You are truly great role models for our community, and especially our children.

You earned your state championship, and we love you! Congratulations!!

A special thanks to Coach Faught and his assistants for making everything possible.

Thank you for everything,

Danny, Martha, Justin, and Nathan Weant

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Lady Lions Roar Thru Regionals, State Bound!

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

The Ozona Lady Lions never let go of their dream during two tough games at the Class 2A Region I tournament in Abilene this past weekend, and as a result they will make their first state appearance.

Center in Austin. Attacking with speed, aggressive defense and a calculated offense, the Lady Lions coolly dismantled two top Panhandle teams before heading to Austin.

a talented Hart team (23-8) featuring a 6-2 senior post along with eight other seniors and three juniors.

know how it could have been any closer. We can't win without a win.

The Ladies had their work cut out for them before they sent the game into overtime. The Lady Lions took a 14-8 lead in the first quarter and Ozona had to fight hard to pull within five by halftime, 16-21. The third quarter saw the Lady Lions outscore Hart by three points, 14-11, to stay within six points.

In the fourth quarter, Faught said a 3-point basket by Amber McWilliams which put Ozona ahead was one of the biggest baskets all year. "That gave our team the confidence to finish the game strong," The Lady Lions outscored the Hart team 14-8 to tie the game and send it into overtime. Ozona's eagle-eye shooting during the game included

Lady Lions Ranked Fifth In State

By Neal Ulmer
Stockman Sportswriter

The Ozona Lady Lions received the state ranking.

With the two wins, the Ladies improved their season record to 18-1. The Ladies have never been in the playoffs, and this is the first time for the Lady Lions to be in the top 10.

Lady Lions Win Bi-District Over Lady Buffs

By Neal Ulmer
Stockman Sportswriter

Great defense by the Ozona Lady Lions in the fourth quarter gave the Ladies a 48-43 victory over the District 5-2A Buffaloes in

playoff you never know what might happen."

The Ladies got off to a slow start in the first period as the Lady Buffs scored the first five points. Warming up in the latter part of the first period, Bobbie Bryson stole the ball several times and made six of the Ladies' 11 shots and slowed the Lady Buffs to points.

With 4:40 into the second quarter the Lady Lions led the Buffs 16-10. The Ladies scored another four points in the second quarter. Stanton only two points is the cause for the Buffs for a skull.

seven points for a 26-16 Ozona lead. The Ladies increased their lead to 32-20 at the 5:57 mark, but the Lady Buffs started hitting three pointers by Herm and Chapa, giving them a 23-point quarter.

"They made a real good run at the end of the third quarter. The girls that was the rally of the game and I think

The fourth quarter was really all Ozona's as they scored eight points including four points by Amber Tarr, two points by Shelly Sullivan, and two points by Bobbie Bryson to seal the victory. Stanton had many chances and was only able to convert two by Woodfin and Herm and Bundas. The good defense in the second quarter by the Lady Buffs any

Lady Lions Overwhelm McCamey, Win District

By Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

Tremendous shooting and stealing the ball were the two big keys of the McCamey Lady Badgers 66-24. Last week's win gave the Ozona team their ninth district win and the title for the Ladies.

Winning their 21st game in a row and a season record of 27-1, the Ladies are still ranked fourth in the state of Class 2A by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches.

Aided by a full-court press, the Ladies jumped out to a 16 point lead. Finally, with 1:20 left in the first quarter, the Lady Lions

Playing good defense and shooting well, the Ladies never looked back as they scored 11 more points while holding McCamey to just one point for a 43-16 third quarter. The Ladies really sizzled as they floored the Lady Badgers with 23 more points in the fourth quarter. The Ladies scored eight points to the game 66-24. Thus, the Ladies were one game away from a perfect district record.

"Our primary motivation for that game was playing outright for the district championship. It ended up being anticlimactic because of the perfect game

Wilkins and Leigh Chandler made two points each. Wilkins lead the team in rebounding with seven and Faught's rebounding". Heather Hall added to the Ladies' defensive effort.

Getting a slow start, the Ozona JV Lady Lions picked up the pace to beat the McCamey JV Lady Badgers 16-10 in an earlier game. The Ladies' record is now 11-7.

Both teams struggled in the second quarter, trying to end Ozona's 3-point shooting improved getting 13 points and 16 in the fourth quarter for a 48-43 halftime lead.

District 5-2A Champions Lady Lions Win Big Over Iraan

By Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

Ozona Lady Lions mauled Iraan 80-18 to win the District 5-2A championship Feb. 22nd in their home district.

was slower in the third as the Ladies scored 10 points. They continued to play good defense, holding Iraan to three points for a 41-10 quarter. The last quarter was played pretty even as both teams scored nine points, but the game had already been decided earlier.

Jessica Avila made two three-pointers and three field goals. Autumn Longoria added her efforts to the game as well.

Sullivan led the squad with 18 points and eight rebounds, and Tarr had two steals, one assist, and eight rebounds. Bobbie Bryson hit six field goals for 12 points, had four steals and four assists. Gloria Peña-Alfaro scored 11 points, including two three-pointers, and Tara Wilkins made eight points, including two three-pointers, one assist, and four steals. Stormi Sessom scored four points, had three steals, one assist, and one rebound. Hall made six points, had one assist and six rebounds.

Lady Lions Defeat DeLeon For Area Title

Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

The Ozona Lady Lions took the third stop on the road to Austin with a commanding win over the District 8-2A runner-up DeLeon Lady Bearcats in Sweetwater on Tuesday, Feb. 21.

The Ladies came out swinging and never let up, outscoring DeLeon 19-10 in the first quarter. Apparently the Ladies were just warming up, because they blew out the Bearcats with a 23 point effort in the second period, while holding DeLeon to only five points.

At halftime, Ozona had a comfortable 42-15 lead, then came out running in the third period to enlarge their margin to 60-31.

The fourth quarter saw more of the same, with the scoring in favor of Ozona.

forced them into some bad shots which resulted in long rebounds and free break opportunities."

The coach noted that DeLeon stayed with the Ladies for a little while, but "I think when we settled into defense we were able to shut down their strengths inside and they were able to score from the perimeter."

Amber Tarr led her team in scoring with 28 points, had 15 defensive rebounds in the game. Gloria Peña-Alfaro made three of four free throws and four two-point goals for a total of 22 points. McWilliams

Lady Lions Win Second In Brownfield

By Neal Ulmer
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Thinking of future games Faught said, "We must improve and give a consistent performance in order to achieve at a higher level."

The JV Lady Lions started off slow but came on strong in the second half to defeat the McCamey JV Lady Badgers 42-20. The Ladies' record is 8-6.

Lady Lions Pounce On Red Devils 81-29

By Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

The Lady Lions won their opening game of the basketball season with an 81-29 runaway in Rankin last Tuesday night. The Ladies got into high gear early and stayed there throughout the game.

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Ladies Ranked Fourth In State

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period, scoring 23 points, and played great defense by holding McCamey to only three points for a 53-21 lead.

Again playing good defense and causing turnovers, the Ladies scored 15 points in the fourth and held McCamey to six points to roll to a 68-27 finish.

"We had great balance in scoring," Faught said. "I think that is what makes a team. It was an overall team effort."

Ozona Bags Eagles 82-29 In Easy Win

By Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

The Van Horn Eagles came away with a quick 17-3 lead in the first quarter and extending the lead to 38-14 by halftime.

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Lady Lions Win Thirteenth Straight Game

By Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

Ozona had little trouble scoring throughout the game. The Lady Lions added 16 points and held Fort Stockton to only four points for a 61-25 third quarter lead. The Ladies did not slow down one bit in the last period, as another 19 points went through the hoops. Fort Stockton was never really a threat to the Lady Lions as they lost to the Ladies 80-34.

The Ladies in the final score Ozona 30, Fort Stockton 26.

Lady Lions Maul Eldorado In 67-34 Win

By Neal Ulmer, Stockman Sportswriter

The Lady Lions continued their winning streak with a 67-34 win over rival Eldorado in the Davidson Gym on Friday, Feb. 3. The scoring hero victory gave the Ladies a 26-1 season record and an 8-0 district record.

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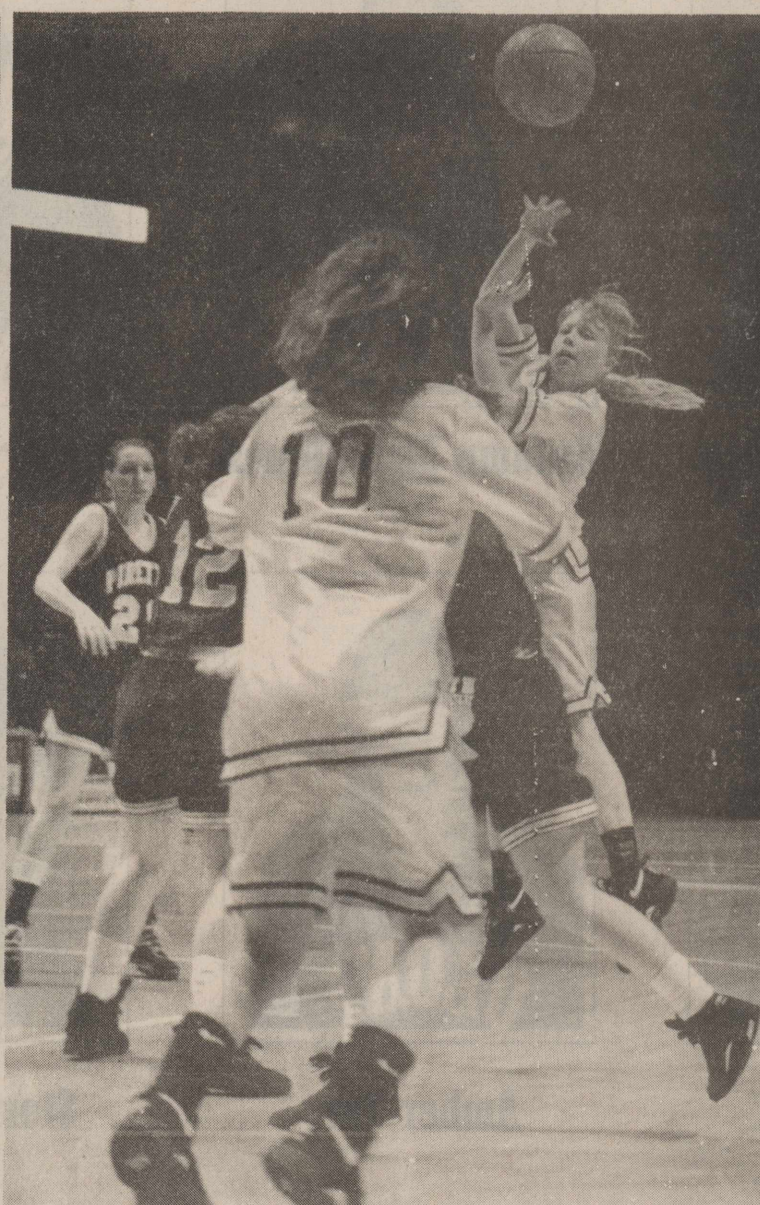
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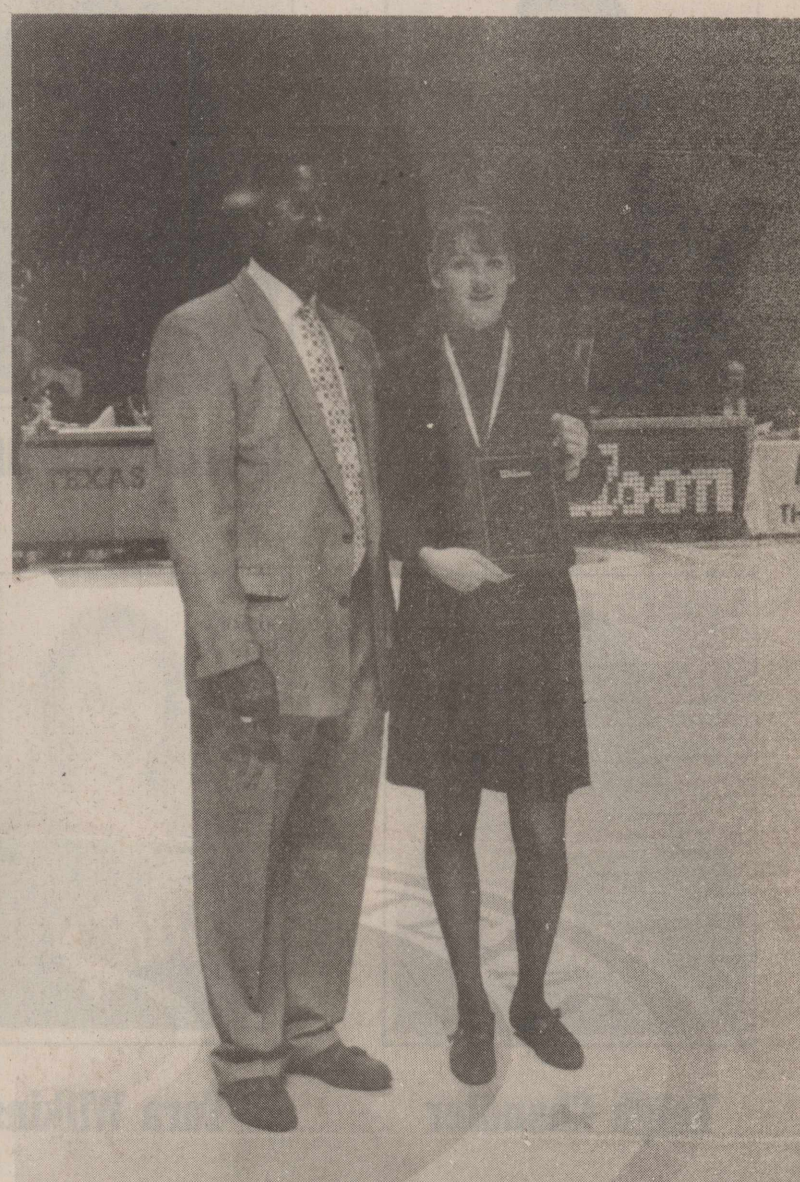
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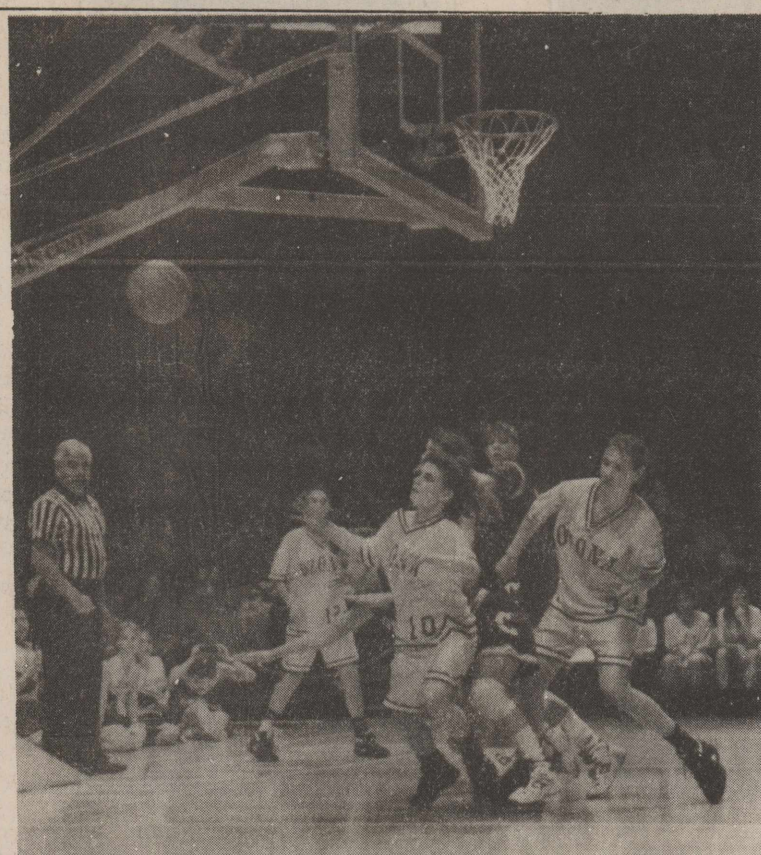
SENIOR HEATHER HALL holds the State Class 2A Championship Trophy and net for the fans to get a good look. photo by Neal Ulmer



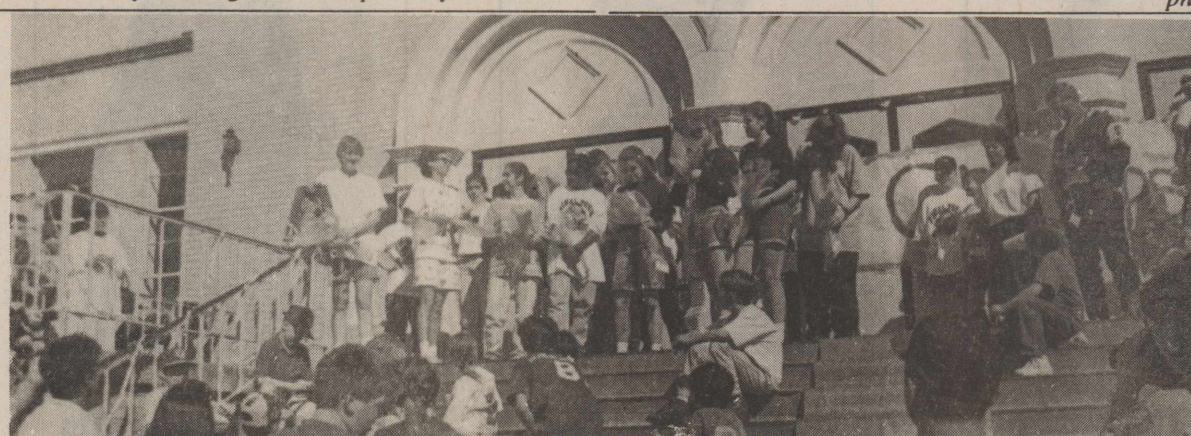
AMBER MCWILLIAMS passes off to teammate Bobbie Bryson as several Poth Pirettes try to defend. Ozona beat Poth in the Class 2A Semifinal game 65-42 in Austin last Friday morning. photo by Neal Ulmer



MR. MARCUS STALLINGS, a representative for Wilson Sporting Goods, presents the Class 2A Most Valuable Player Award to Amber Tarr of Ozona. Tarr was also chosen the Most Valuable Player for District 5-2A. photo by Neal Ulmer



"WHERE'S IT GOING?" Lady Lions Bobbie Bryson and Amber Tarr prepare to move toward the ball as a Cooper Bulldogette watches also. The Lady Lions won the Class 2A Championship game 61-47 over Cooper in Saturday's game in Austin. photo by Neal Ulmer



SENIOR GLORIA PENA-ALFARO speaks to an enthusiastic crowd of Ozona basketball fans after returning as the "Number One" team in Class 2A State Girls' UIL Basketball Tournament. photo by Judy Reagor

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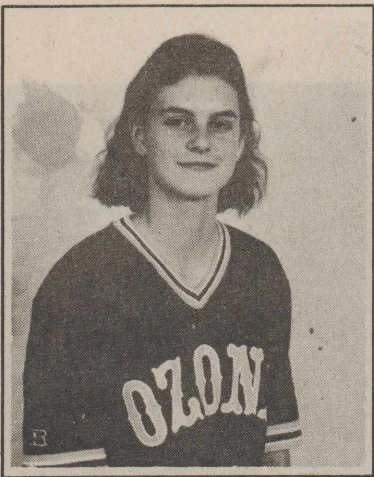
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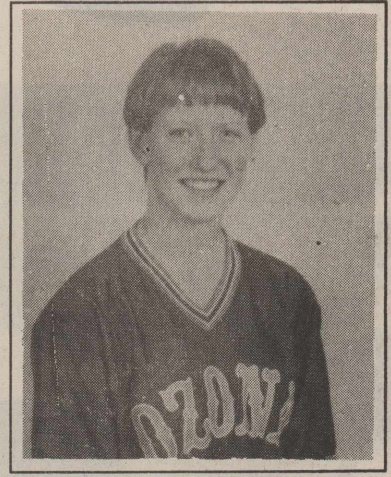
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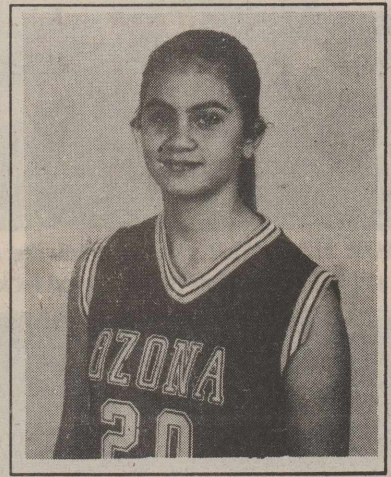
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Ladies' Third Quarter Secures Semi-Finals Victory

By Neal Ulmer
Stockman SportsWriter

The Lady Lions came up with a historical 21-2 run in the third quarter to roll past the Poth Pirettes in the Class 2A semifinal March 3 at the UIL Girls' Basketball State Tournament at the Frank Erwin Center in Austin. A hopeful Ozona crowd of more than 800 attended the Friday morning contest, with a total attendance of 5,716 enjoying the game.

Freshman Amber Tarr put in Ozona's first four points of the game, but Leslie Kopecki of Poth also started hitting for a total of 10 points in the first half. Jacqueline Jansky added four points at the 4:37 mark of the first quarter to take the lead.

The Ladies continued to have problems in the first quarter as Poth continued to get inside. The Pirettes used their strength on the offensive boards and a stifling 1-3-1 defense to build a 16-12 first quarter lead.

Ozona senior starter Gloria Peña-Alfaro led the beginning of an 8-2 run that put the Ladies ahead 20-18 at 3:50 in the second period. Poth's Gwendolyn Cooper responded with a three-pointer to take the lead and keep the advantage. Lady Lion point guard Bobbie Bryson then picked up a three-pointer to tie the game at 25-all with 1:07 left in the first half. Bryson added two more points to take the lead, but Ozona fouled Cooper as she was attempting a three-point shot, and she made 3-of-3 free throws to give her team a halftime lead of 28-27.

"In the first half, we were getting caught out of position on the double team, and we always seemed to be at a bad angle," said Coach Dickie Faught. "We played the first half at their pace."

The Lady Lions showed the fans and Poth what they were made of in the third period as they scored 21 points in two awesome scoring runs. With only 23 seconds gone in the third period, Bryson placed the ball in the hoop from an inbounds play by Peña-Alfaro to give the Lions a 29-28 lead. Teammates Tarr and Sullivan contributed several points in the third quarter run and Peña-Alfaro added two three-

pointers with the last one perfectly timed at .8 seconds for a 48-30 lead going into the last period.

"We tried to speed up the tempo, rebounded better and played better on defense," Faught said. "We stopped their offensive rebounding, and we limited them to one shot."

Tarr hit three field goals to begin the final period. With a pass from Peña-Alfaro, Bryson added a three-pointer from the left corner with 4:54 in the quarter, and the Lady Lions took a commanding 57-34 lead, sending a number of fans scurrying to the ticket booth to pick up their finals ticket. Poth's trio of Jansky, Cooper and Kopecki picked up 12 points, but as Amber Tarr commented, "We just got in there and blocked them out more in the second half. We realized the refs weren't going to call many touch fouls, so we went in there more aggressive."

Poth attempted to get inside the lane again in the second half, but a strong willed Lady Lion team prevented them from doing so. According to senior guard Peña-Alfaro, "I started getting my position in the sec-

ond half. Getting post position was the big difference."

When the Pirettes did try to force something, they invariably ended up turning the ball over. In fact, Poth had a total of 19 turnovers to Ozona's nine.

Five foot-ten sophomore Shelly Sullivan stayed calm throughout the game, burying a 12-foot right-side baseline jumper at the 2:10 mark and adding an under-the-basket shot at the .47 second mark to help her teammates to a 65-42 victory.

Key bench players Tara Wilkins, Connie Fielder, Leigh Chandler and Stormi Sessom gave the starters rest and provided good defense to stop the Pirettes cold. Former JV players Amy Laughlin, Autumn McWilliams, Jessica Avila, Megan Tambunga and Julie Perez got the chance of a lifetime and took the floor to scrap with the Pirettes in the last minute. Tambunga scored two free throws to end the Ladies' scoring in the game.

Amber Tarr led the Ladies in scoring with 22 points and 11 rebounds. Shelly Sullivan shot a perfect 100% from the field, scoring 14 points from

seven field goals. Bobbie Bryson lit up the court with six steals, two of five three-pointers and five two-point field goals for a total of 13 points. Gloria Peña-Alfaro had eight rebounds, hit two of four three-pointers and five of 14 two-point field goals for a total of 12 points. Amber McWilliams and Megan Tambunga added two points each to round out the Lady Lion scoring.



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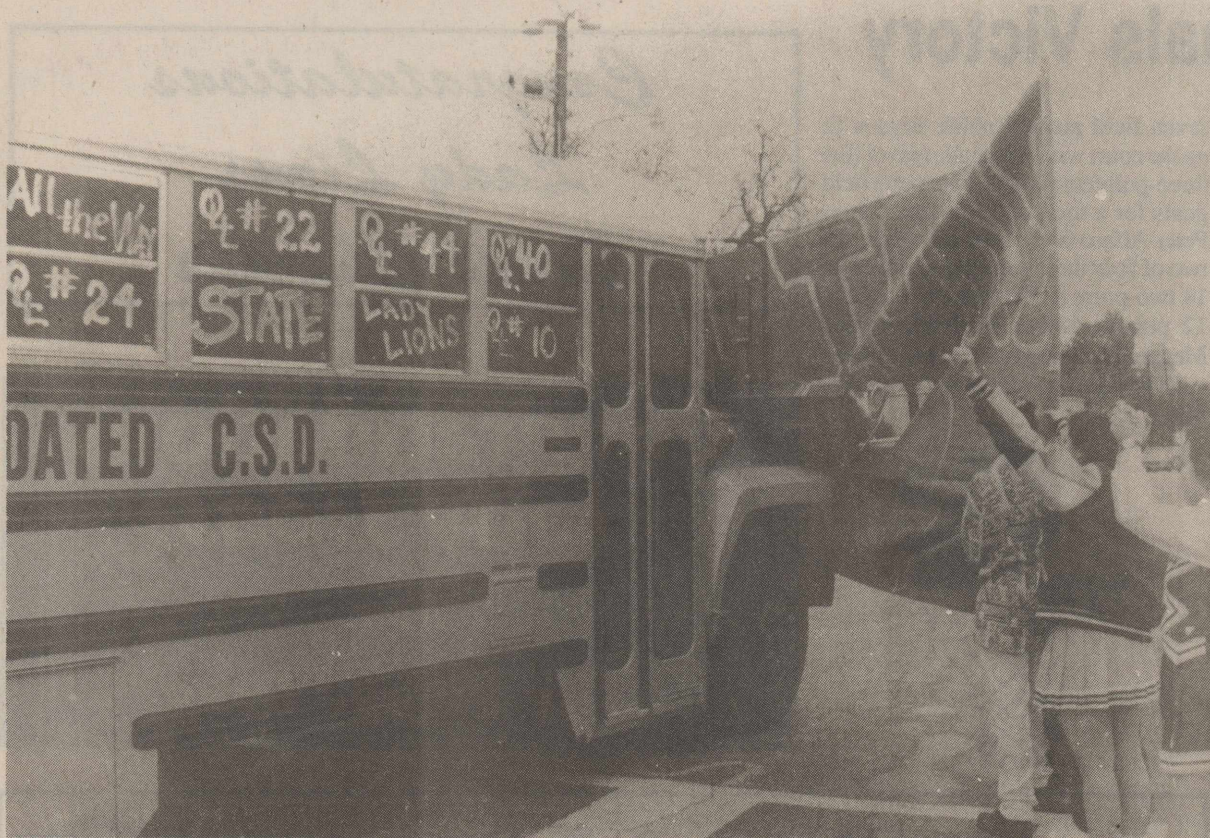
Winning is OK. Winning with dignity, honor, poise and solidarity the way you did will be remembered by fans and teammates for many, many years.

Please accept our very enthusiastic congratulations to each team member and to Coach Faught for your brilliant efforts.

Thank you, too, for the enjoyment and excitement you provided for your Ozona fans and your Sonora fans.



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A LARGE CROWD OF FANS sent the Lady Lions' basketball team on their way last Wednesday to Austin to the State High School Girls' UIL Basketball Tournament. These fans hold up a banner for the Lady Lion school bus to drive through. photo by Neal Ulmer



THESE YOUNG LADIES and a few gentlemen wait to present a long stem rose to each of the Lady Lion champion team members. They arrived back at approximately 3:15 p.m. Sunday to a large enthusiastic and appreciative crowd of basketball fans. photo by Neal Ulmer

The Ladies are #1

Thank You Note

To all our friends and Lady Lion fans,
We can't begin to express how appreciative we are for the outpouring of love and support you have given us the past few weeks. We are so fortunate to live in a community where so many people care.

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