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Courthouse phase three bid approval put on hold

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The cost for restoring the courtroom in the Crockett County Courthouse is more than budgeted.

A guarantee maximum price of \$288,425 for phase three of the project was presented by architect Henry Schmidt. This part of the project includes door modifications, wood floors, sound panels, wood blinds, metal ceiling, bench seating, electrical, painting and sound system.

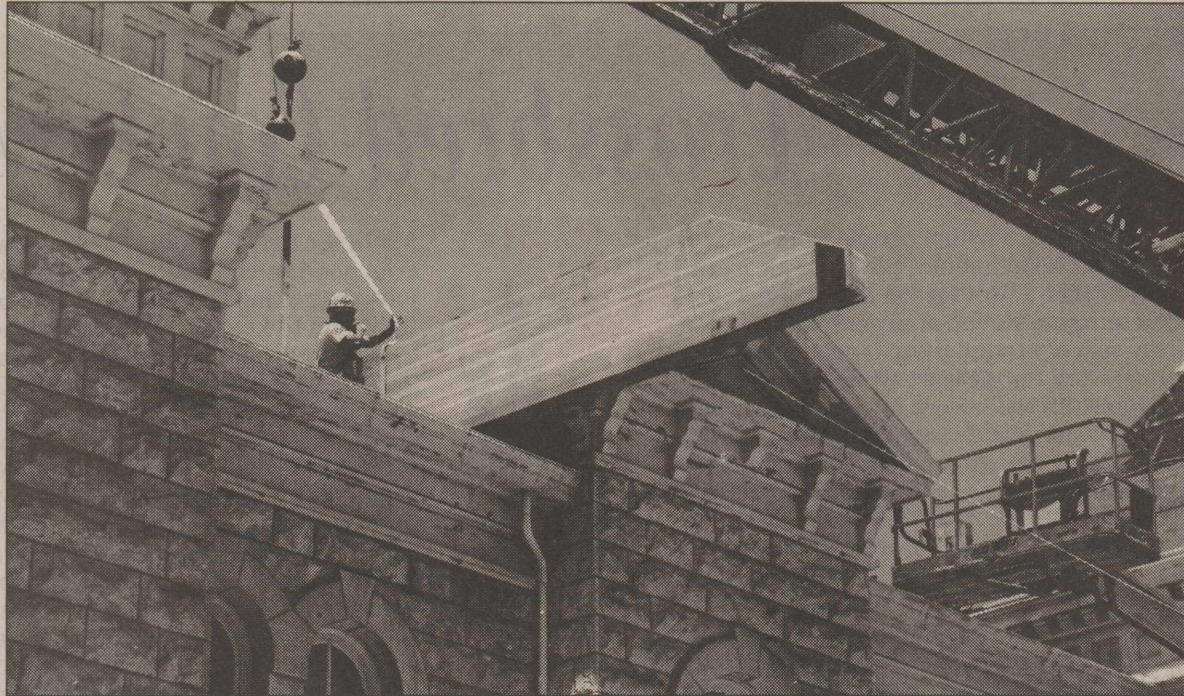
This new price brings the three-stage courthouse restoration project to around \$1.188 million. Over the past three years, the county has budgeted \$1.07 million for the project. This leaves the county around \$120,000 short for the project.

The commissioners approved a motion to wait on approving the phase three bid until after Schmidt talks with Templeton Construction officials to see if the price can be reduced.

"I will speak with (Templeton Construction) and see if they can reduce some of the general conditions," Schmidt said.

The estimate cost for the general conditions is around \$156,252.

"It looks like they are padding it a little bit for their protection, but on the other hand we only have so much money," said Commissioner



JOE HERNANDEZ / THE OZONA STOCKMAN

A REINFORCEMENT BEAM was placed inside the roof of the Crockett County Courthouse last month as part of the courthouse restoration project. The three-phase project was discussed in Monday's commissioners' meeting.

Pleas Childress.

"We certainly can't accept a bid that is over what budget money we have," added County Judge Fred Deaton. "We may have to look at cutting our project down."

Currently, Templeton Construction is working on phase one and two of the project, which is the roof, restrooms and heating and air conditioning system.

Deaton said people are concerned about how long the project will take. He also said it would be best for the county if the project was completed by the end of the year.

"I really would like to see some kind of a time frame of this project," said Commissioner Frank Tambunga.

Schmidt said he would work on getting a time frame from Templeton Construction on the project. Schmidt said the stages of the project can overlap and possibly be finished by September.

So far, \$250,000 has been paid to Templeton Construction for phases one and two, which is estimated to be at \$880,000, said County Auditor Sandy Stokes.

MUSEUM ELEVATOR

During the Crockett County Museum's report,

Deaton said that on the elevator some of the items needed could be done by the county, which could help lower the cost.

Schmidt said he would look further into the plans and the work needed to be done.

BUDGET WORKSHOP

The commissioners ended their meeting with a budget workshop with various department heads.

A called meeting will be held at noon on Tuesday, June 16, to discuss more on the courthouse renovation and a credit card for the constable. The meeting will be at in the courthouse annex.

Rep. Hilderbran to speak at Thursday's Chamber Luncheon

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

State Rep. Harvey Hilderbran, R-Kerrville, will speak at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce luncheon on June 11 at the Chamber Visitor Center.

The event will start at 11:30 a.m. and end by 1 p.m.

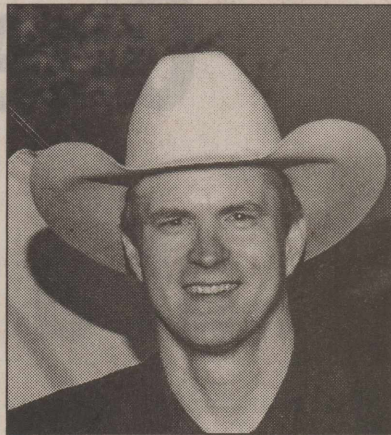
Hilderbran continues to strengthen rural admission to public universities, limit public taking of private property, continues to fight child abuse and fight for taxpayers.

Hilderbran was first elected to the Texas House of Representatives in 1988 and was most recently re-elected in 2008. He currently serves on the Redistricting, State Affairs, and Ways & Means committees.

From 2003 to 2008, he served as chairman of the House Committee on Culture, Recreation and Tourism.

Additionally, Hilderbran previously served as a member of the Natural Resources Committee, which oversees the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality as it relates to the regulation of water resources, and the Texas Water Development Board. He served as cochairman, along with Sen. Kip Averitt, of the legislative oversight committee for the Edwards Aquifer Authority.

In 2008, the Texas Deer Association awarded him the



HARVEY HILDERBRAN

"Frank Madla Award" for Representative of the Year. Rep. Hilderbran was also named "Legislator of the Year" in 2007 by the Texas Municipal League, and was the recipient of the 2006 Distinguished Legislator Award by the Texas Recreation and Parks Society.

In the private sector, Rep. Hilderbran has worked in real estate, ranching, advertising and business management. He currently serves as vice-president of marketing for an engineering firm in Kerrville. Born in Uvalde in 1960, he is a 1983 graduate of Texas Tech University. He lives with his wife, Tracy, and their two daughters in Kerrville, where they are members of St. Peter's Church.

Cost for the luncheon is \$9 catered by Ozona Chatter Box. RSVP deadline is June 9.

For more information, call the chamber at 392-3737.

Computer Science team places fourth at state

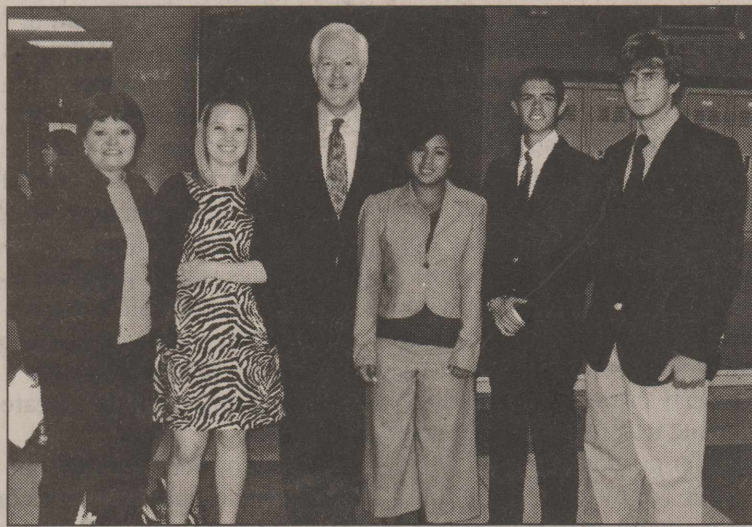
BY CATHY ENGLISH
OHS COMPUTER SCIENCE TEACHER

Ozona High School's Computer Science Team wrapped up their season with a tough competition at the State UIL meet on May 25 and 26.

The meet had been postponed by the state officials as a precaution against the H1N1 (swine flu) virus that was feared to sweep the state. Thankfully, the outbreak turned out to be much less severe than originally predicted, and the meet was able to be held about three weeks late.

The team left Ozona early on Monday morning, headed for Austin, and attended a reception sponsored by Senator John Cornyn for Ethan English. The reception was held to honor all the senator's nominees for the various military academies. It was fortunate that the reception didn't conflict with the competition time, and the team had just enough time to leave the reception and arrive at the University of Texas to compete.

At the end of the written portion of the competition, the team found themselves in fourth place, trailing by only a few points. Ethan placed seventh as an individual, only two points behind sixth place, but still just out of the medals. Heather Thompson and Lane White both tied for 11th place. Clarissa Burciaga made a



SENATOR JOHN CORNYN'S OFFICE / SUBMITTED PHOTO

OHS COMPUTER SCIENCE TEAM MEMBERS met with Senator John Cornyn (center) during a recent trip to Austin. Pictured are: Coach Cathy English, Heather Thompson, Clarissa Burciaga, Ethan English and Lane White.

strong showing with a very respectable score for a Computer Science I student.

The next day was filled with extra study for semester exams and preparing for the next part of the contest. We had our computer systems set up by just after noon and the contest began by about 1:30 p.m. It was a nerve-wracking two hours as Ethan, Heather, and Lane worked hard on the programming set. By the end of the contest, the team had held on to their fourth place position. Completing four programs, the team had scored a total of 655 points, only 27 points behind second place.

We were a little disappointed at first, but when we realized just how close we had been to the top places, we knew that we had nothing to feel bad about at all!

It was a great year, filled with ups and downs, but overall a lot of fun. We learned so much along the way and really appreciate all of the support of the school administration, faculty and community members. Already, we are looking forward to next year and all the fun competitions that it will bring. Thanks again, Ozona, for all your interest and support. It's been a tremendous pleasure to represent Ozona High School!

What passed, what didn't this legislative session

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The following is a list of issues that became law, were sent to the governor or died during the 81st Texas Legislative Session.

BECAME LAW
(with or without the governor's signature)

Booster seats — Requires children younger than 8 riding in passenger vehicles to sit secured in a booster seat or car seat.

Tejano monument — Allows for construction on the Capitol grounds of a monument honoring Texas' Hispanic history.

State Board of Education — Requires that meetings be webcast.

Shield law — Protects journalists from having to reveal confidential sources to authorities, with exceptions.

SENT TO GOVERNOR

Windstorm insurance plan — Issue declared emergency by Gov. Rick Perry.

Teacher raises — Provides an \$800 pay increase for teachers.

Prison security — Beefs up security at about a dozen state prisons where contraband smuggling has been rampant.

Disabled veterans — Provides homestead property tax exemptions for disabled veterans.

Top-tier universities — Seeks to lift some of the state's public universities to national stature.

State budget — \$182.3 billion for 2010-11, including \$1.9 billion increase for public education, \$1.2 billion increase for

higher education, \$2 billion in bonds for new roads, \$450 million in bonds for cancer research and a \$208 million increase to help people with mental disabilities live in community settings rather than in institutions.

State workers — The budget and another measure include a 7 percent to 8 percent pay raise for correctional workers and law enforcement officers and a one-time \$800 payment for other state employees.

Top 10 percent — Scales back the number of students the University of Texas at Austin would have to admit under the law guaranteeing a spot to those graduating in the top 10 percent of their Texas high school class.

Small-business tax cut — Exempts more small businesses from the state's business tax.

Doctor loan repayment — Repays medical school loans of doctors who agree to practice in underserved areas. Pays for this by changing the way the state taxes smokeless tobacco.

Governor's Mansion restoration — The budget and another bill include \$22 million to fix the arson-damaged mansion.

School accountability — Reduces the reliance on high-stakes testing in lower grades.

School supplies tax break — Expands the August sales tax holiday on school supplies to include 25 additional items, from backpacks to scissors.

Seat belts — Requires that seat belts be worn in the back seats of vehicles.

Tanning — Bans children younger than 16½ from using a tanning bed.

State schools — More oversight and security for institutions for Texans with mental disabilities and community homes that serve a similar population.

Cell phones — Bans use by drivers in active school zones, unless the driver has a hands-free device.

Capital murder — Requires that juveniles convicted of the offense be sentenced to life in prison rather than death.

Pre-kindergarten — Expands half-day prekindergarten programs to full day.

Laser hair removal — Requires training and certification for laser hair-removal technicians.

Employee Retirement System — Increases retirement contribution rate for members.

Department of Public Safety — Reauthorizes the state's primary law enforcement agency, with provisions to modernize and streamline management and operations that have been criticized as antiquated.

DEAD

CHIP expansion — Allows certain families that earn more than the income limit for the Children's Health Insurance Program to pay to join.

"Choose Life" license plates — Gives residents the option of buying a license plate that says "Choose Life."

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

An 'user friendly' Civic Center

Dear Editor:

I would like to compliment Allen Williams on the way he operates the Civic Center.

He has made it so "user friendly" for all of the people of Crockett County who use it for different functions.

Allen - along with his wife Susan - a big hearty thank you.

JoAnn Babbitt
Ozona, Texas

Student sets example of valuing right to free speech

Dear Editor:

To echo Tom Morrow's last words to the letter he penned to you last week: "God Bless America." This simple three word sentence caused me to reflect not only on the rest of his letter but also the lead story on the front page and your editorial in the same edition.

Indeed God has blessed America and every one of us who has enjoyed her bounty. This bounty includes the freedoms available to us from God and the rights to those freedoms given to us by our Constitution. Herein lies the

point of this letter.

If my feeble memory of American history serves me, this country was founded by folks whose freedoms and rights were being infringed on. These folks, our forefathers and mothers, in a noble and successful effort to preserve their freedoms sacrificed comfort for principle, the known for the unknown, and for many, life for death. The Constitution was developed by the above people to guide the citizens and their government in an effort to ensure what was fought and sacrificed

for would be available to all citizens of the United States. In reading this thought filled document it is evident that the motivation of the authors was not self serving or short sighted. Rather, it seems that like the Bible, the wisdom of the principles of the Constitution is timeless, priceless, and available to us all. The authors of the Constitution weren't just talkers and speech writers, but "get it doners" and examples to their peers and those of us who came after, that freedom isn't free and what we don't make an effort to

preserve won't last.

Yes, there are and probably have always been some of us who take our freedoms for granted. It is easy to do, especially given the fact that our country's great bounty allows us to enjoy great personal comfort. But the continuity of this is not nor has ever been guaranteed. If we value something we would do well to remember our forefathers' examples and accept the responsibility to protect it.

We had an example of this from Ethan English (see last week's Stockman). Thank you, Ethan, for

the example that you are of someone who values his right to free speech by voicing your opinion and for choosing to serve your country by your actions. Best of luck and go with God.

Allow me close with two quotes. The first is from Benjamin Franklin: "We must hang together or surely we will hang separately." The second from Martin Luther King, Jr.: "Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."

Art Roane
Ozona, Texas

One lap at a time

In an attempt to lose some weight, I've started walking again.

Whenever I get on my health kick (usually when my jeans start becoming tight), I often take up walking due to the fact that it is easy, cheap and I can listen to music while doing it.

However, when starting that first week it's easy to forget how hard it is to get back into this routine.

During my first week, I decided to stick to one mile, or four laps around the track.

I thought to myself, hey I can do this. One mile is no problems. I mean, really, what is four little laps around the track.

Here I go:
Lap 1 - I'm off and running, or walking. Music is going, feet are moving, I'm feeling great. My favorite song is playing, I'm singing along. I can do this. Heck, one mile, I may go two today. Why not?

Then I round the corner to start Lap 2 - Okay, sweat is starting to form, but I'm good. I've still got that good music going and my feet are still moving at, what I hope to be, a weight-loss pace.

My mind starts wondering. Did I proofread page 2 before I printing it out? What all did my husband say he needed at the grocery store? What's on my schedule for tomorrow?

Lists and to dos fill my brain as I continue down the straightaway. I can feel the sweat building on my forehead, so I wipe some of it away. My breathing starts to become a bit heavier, but I'm still good I can still sing along to my tunes, sort of.

Lap 3 - Okay, my calves are starting to burn, the sweat has started to pop up on the back of my neck (yuck) and the singing is no more.

Some muscular dude, in fancy workout clothes, just zooms past me on the track. He's running with his iPod. Making long, big strides and covering more ground than my short legs.

He zooms past me again. I get tired and sick watching him. Give me a break, if I started running my knees would send the message to my brain of "do what?" Then, my whole body would shut down.



WHAT'S ON MY MIND

MELISSA PERNER

P.E. was not my favorite class?

The dude passes me again. Is he even sweating?

Lap 4 - Last lap, hallelujah! Honestly, all I can think of at this point is Lord, please let me finish and not pass out face first on the track. That would be really embarrassing, especially with "Mr. Marathon" still zooming pass me. He's probably done two miles as I am still finishing my one.

I keep moving. I feel like the Little Train That Could as I keep saying to myself "I think I can, I think I can."

I see the end in sight. Just a few more steps, one, two, three, finish.

Yes! I did it! One mile done! Calories have been burned, pounds are coming off and I feel like I have just conquered Mt. Everest.

I walk off the track just as the guy running finishes. He's not even breathing hard.

Unlike me who can't wait to get to the Jeep and the bottle of water that waits.

I stare at the runner, who doesn't notice me. I bet he isn't as happy about his running as I am about my one mile. My one mile that feels like I just finished running a marathon. Man, I'm I that out of shape.

Now, I say to myself, you have to do this again tomorrow and the next day and the day after.

That's how you have to do it, I tell myself, one step at a time.

I start again on another mile. Lap 1 - music, feet moving and feeling great.

MELISSA PERNER is the editor and publisher of The Ozona Stockman. She is currently gearing herself up for another mile.

Crossbred Cowboys



IT'S THE PITTS

LEE PITTS

Scholars say that people work for four reasons: habit, money, power or pleasure. I would add a fifth reason after conducting an informal survey of my entire family. In my survey I found that 50 percent of people (me) work for pleasure while 50 percent of people (my wife) work for health insurance.

As more and more people are employed by big, impersonal corporations very few people are working at something they love. They are just in it for the paycheck. Meaningful work? Ha! They feel lucky just to have a job. Even if it is one they hate.

I've always measured success a little different than most folks. To me, if you have a job that you love and are passionate about then you are successful, no matter how much money you make or how powerful your title. But these days any man or woman who is making a living doing what they love is both lucky and rare.

Cowboyin' is one of the few occupations where the practitioners feel they are well paid even if their wages qualify them for food stamps. To work under a big sky without close supervision, while mounted on a good horse and having the opportunity to throw your rope at something every once in awhile is a bigger bonus than the ones Wall Street bankers routinely give themselves. I used to think that cowboying was a secure occupation, after all, few people can do it and the pay is terrible. Cowboys work hard for what they don't have.

But in the new economy even good cowboying jobs are getting harder to find. And to keep!

Oh sure, you can look through any paper and see help-wanted ads for people to work on ranches. Mostly the owners want caretakers, not cowboys. They want multi-taskers to irrigate permanent pasture, tend the vines, spray for weeds and entertain guests. Occasionally the hired hand may get to take the gooseneck to a corner of the ranch to gather cows, but when he unloads it's a four wheeler that comes out of the trailer, not a horse. Absentee owners ask their "cowboys" to caretake the big house and keep the fences painted white. Their "cowboys" wear rubber irrigating boots instead of the pointy toed variety and they sit in a tractor seat more than a saddle.

Absentee owners are nothing new to the cattle business. The industry was practically founded on wealthy Scots and Englishmen who couldn't wait to wire their cash west to invest in ranches. (It was the 1800's version of the internet bubble). Cowboys were cowboys back then. Oh sure, they might be asked to plant a post every now and then, but they didn't

have to like it. And cowboys have always been expected to shoe their own ponies, feed cows, and fix fence, but for the most part their job description was looking at the world through the ears of a good cow pony. Cowboys have always been part-time horse trainers and veterinarians, and most knew how to turn on an arc welder. But they were never asked to take the owner's kids to school.

Part of the allure of the cowboy lifestyle was that the world pretty much left you alone. It was a great job for men and women who preferred cows to people. Those old time hands would have quit in a second if they'd have been asked to prepare a basket lunch for guests or take them bird watching. But now is not the best of times to be a cowboy either. It was bad enough for a cowboy to have to feed the hay. Now these crossbred cowboys have to grow it too. The rope in their hands has been replaced with a shovel or a paint brush while their occupation is being outsourced to Argentina and Australia. Sadly, American consumers have fallen out of love with the cowboy and seem quite willing to let their beef be raised by gauchos and grazers.

I suppose recently fired folks may even see a fellow "downsized" worker waiting in the unemployment line wearing boots and a cowboy hat. But I'd venture to guess he's not a cowboy. Real cowboys aren't looking for a job. They're looking for a life.

Lawmakers leave plenty on table, but no signal of special session

AUSTIN — Lawmakers left Sunset bills and other major issues unresolved in the closing days of the 81st Texas legislative session that ended on June 1.

The Legislature, through the Sunset process, may tweak, overhaul or dispose of entire state agencies. Left undecided were the fates of the Texas Department of Transportation, the Texas Department of Insurance, the Texas Racing Commission and the Texas State Affordable Housing Corporation. Also left unresolved was the bill to expand the Children's Health Insurance Program to more Texas families.

But Gov. Rick Perry dismissed suggestions that the Legislature's failure to pass such major bills would force him to call lawmakers back to Austin for a special session this summer.

Perry lauded the Legislature for certain bills they did pass, namely the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association bill, legislation that provides coverage in hurricane-related disasters. Perry also cheered the cutting of the profit margin tax on small businesses.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS By Ed Sterling | Texas Press Association

The House and Senate did manage to pass 128 substantive bills that became law immediately when the governor signed them. On Sept. 1, 133 more bills will become law. And, on Jan. 1, 2010, five more bills will be on the books as new laws. The governor has until June 21 to exercise his veto power.

Now, here are a few random samples of new state laws:

• HB 205 by Rep. Jimmie Don Aycock, R-Killeen, makes municipal leash laws not apply to a dog used to protect livestock on property controlled by a property owner while the dog is being used on such property for that purpose.

• HB 328 by Rep. Joe Heflin, D-Crosbyton, eliminates the inspector of hides and animals, a county-level office created in 1871 to aid in the prevention of cattle theft by a thorough inspection of hides and animals shipped out of a county for sale.

• HB 375 by Rep. Sid Miller, R-Stephenville, reclassifies farm elk and elk hybrids as livestock

under the Agriculture Code.

• HB 772 by Rep. Donna Howard, D-Austin, requires the Texas Education Agency to provide a live audio and video webcast of all State Board of Education meetings and to maintain a publicly accessible archive of webcast meetings.

• SB 37 by Sen. Judith Zafirini, D-Laredo, grants eligibility to a child for services under the deaf-blind with multiple disabilities waiver program at the time of the child's diagnosis. The bill ensures the receipt of services that enhance the child's ability to communicate and learn.

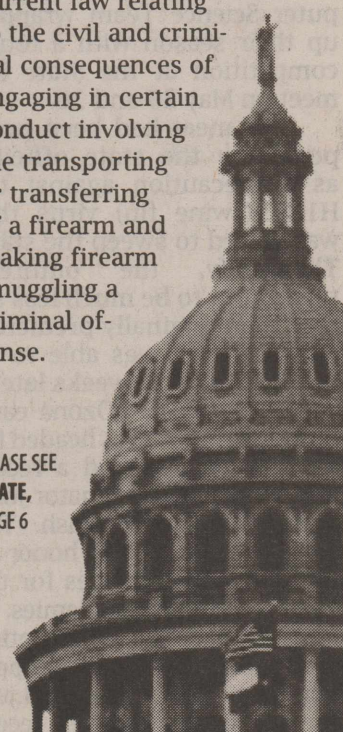
• SB 83 by Sen. Jane Nelson, R-Grapevine, authorizes a victim of, or a parent or guardian of a victim of a sexual assault, aggravated sexual assault or continuous sexual abuse of a child, to terminate a lease early and avoid liability, if the assault took place at the leased property.

• SB 1291 by Sen. Leticia Van de Putte, D-San Antonio, removes provisions in the Insur-

ance Code authorizing a health insurance policy to require that services of a licensed professional counselor or a marriage and family therapist be recommended by a physician.

• SB 2225 by Sen. John Carona, R-Dallas, amends current law relating to the civil and criminal consequences of engaging in certain conduct involving the transporting or transferring of a firearm and making firearm smuggling a criminal offense.

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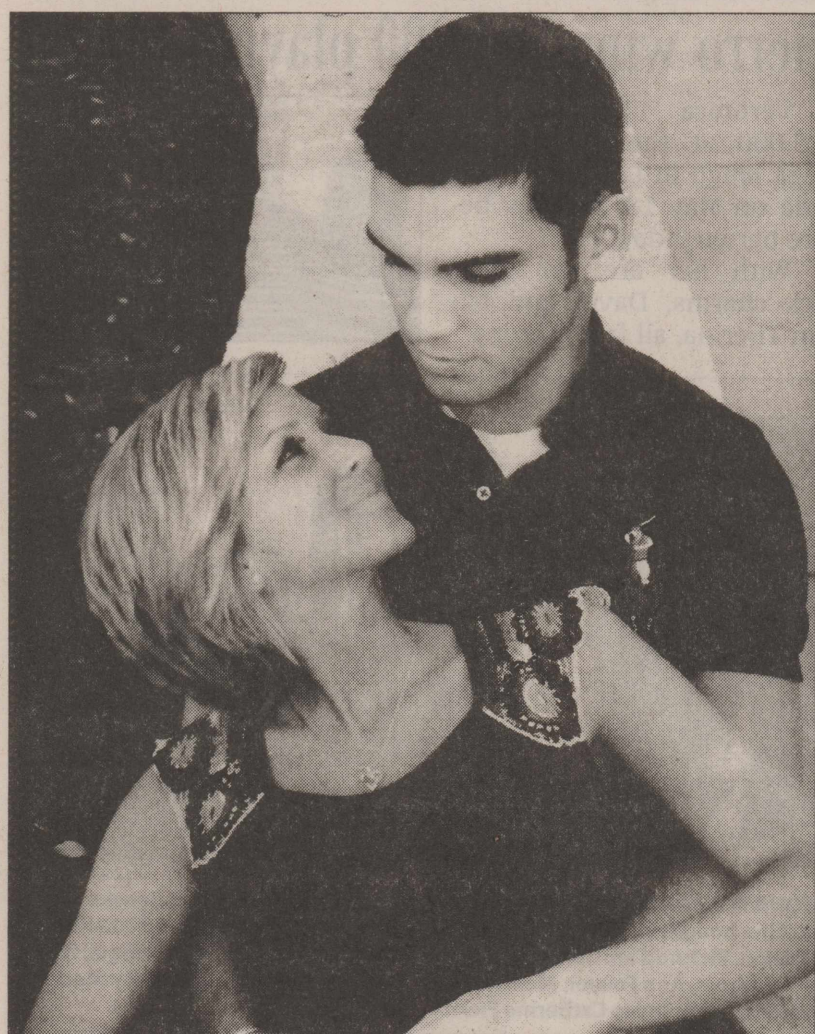


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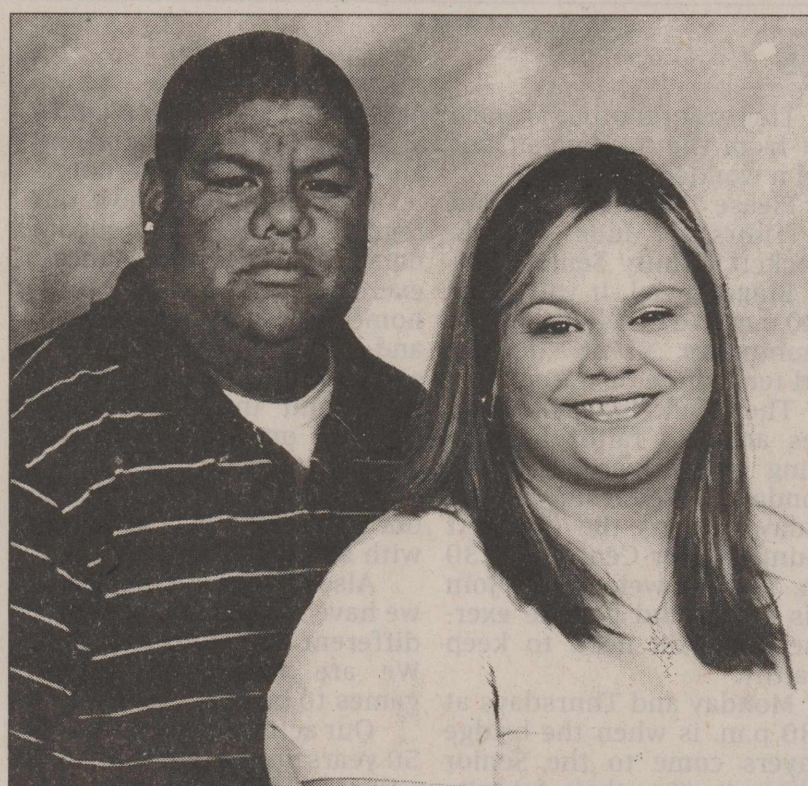
Guynes-Maldonado to wed in June

Doug and Judy Guynes, of Kermit, are proud to announce the approaching marriage of their daughter Cristi Nicole Guynes to Justin Maldonado, son of Joe and Tricia Mendoza of Ozona.

Cristi is the granddaughter of Christine Diltz of Kermit and Jimmy Guynes of Brownwood. Justin is the grandson of Pete and Grace Maldonado of Ozona and Joe and Josie Mendoza Sr. of Ozona.

The bride-elect is a 2007 graduate of Ozona High School and is currently attending Abilene Christian University where she is majoring in speech pathology. The groom is a 2008 graduate of Ozona High School and just finished his freshman year at Cisco Junior College. He will transfer to Abilene Christian University in the fall and is majoring in accounting.

The couple will be united in holy matrimony at the Elegante Esplanade in Abilene, Texas on June 26, 2009. After their honeymoon trip to San Antonio, they will continue to live in Abilene. They have made selections at Target and Dillard's.



Ramos-Ramos to wed in June

Victoria C. Ramos and Jaime Ramos are proud to announce their engagement.

Victoria is the daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Castro and the late Gene Castro of Ozona. Jaime is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwardo Ramos of Ozona.

Victoria is a graduate of Ozona High School and is a homemaker. Jaime is a 1998 graduate of Ozona High School and is employed by Production Services of Ozona.

The couple will wed at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church on June 13, 2009.

OHS students tour TSTC

Fabian Onate, Hunter Perez, and Felix Venegas, recently toured the Texas State Technical College in Sweetwater.

Mrs. Webb and Mrs. Jackson, OHS counselors, accompanied them. These young men are pursuing career fields associated with the emerging occupations involved in wind energy technology.

"These students are examples of what Ozona High School offers to our state: individuals interested in continuing their education and competing in a global market while making their teachers, parents, and community proud," Jackson said.

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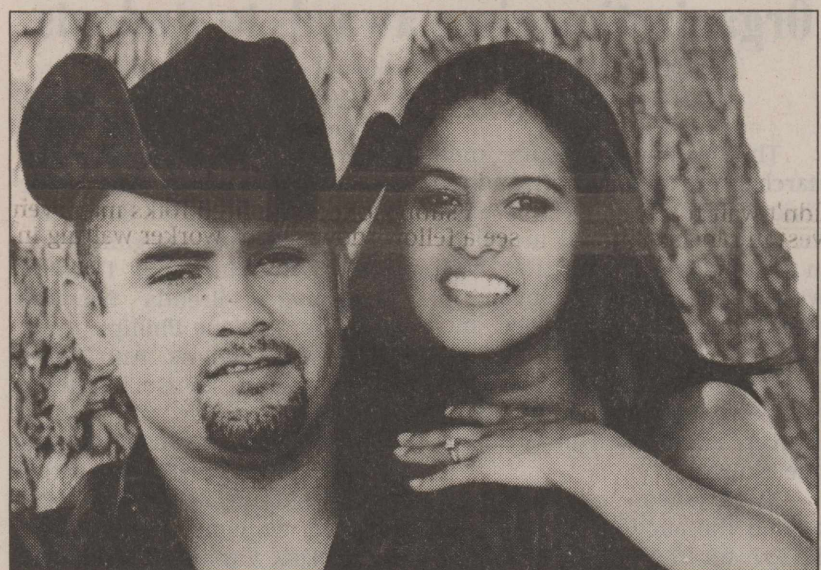
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Ramirez-Blanco to wed in July

Julia Ramirez and Isac Blanco are proud to announce their engagement.

Julia is the daughter of Julian and Eva Ramirez of Ozona. Isac is the son of Jaime and Socorro Blanco of Durango, Durango, Mexico.

The couple will wed on July 11, 2009 at the Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church in Ozona.

Wadsworth qualifies for College National Finals Rodeo

CASPER, Wyo. - Dean Wadsworth from Ozona has qualified for the upcoming College National Finals Rodeo (CNFR).

Wadsworth is a junior at McNeese State University and will compete in bareback and saddle bronc riding. This is his second qualification.

The CNFR will be held at the Casper Events Center June 14-20. At stake are National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association titles and nearly \$250,000 in scholarships.

This is the 61st Annual CNFR and the 11th anniversary of the event's home in Casper.

Along with individual titles, many of the competitors are hoping to be part of the men's or women's team that takes the team championship back to their college or university.

Each contestant has three

preliminary rounds of competition prior to the final round on June 20. Scores and times from those three rounds will be added up and the 12 contestants with the fastest total times or highest total scores will advance to the finals.

At the conclusion of the final round national event champions along with men's and women's all-around and team champions will be crowned.

In addition several special awards will be presented throughout the competition.

Complete results will be available at www.cnfr.com.

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Community Calendar

Wednesday, June 10

• Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.

Thursday, June 11

• Summer Reading Program, 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. at the library.

• Chamber of Commerce Luncheon, 11:30 a.m. at the Visitor Center.

• Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

• Senior Bingo Social, 6:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Friday, June 12

• Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.

Sunday, June 14

• Flag Day.

Monday, June 15

• Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.

• Summer Reading Program, 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. at the library.

• Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Tuesday, June 16

• Commissioners' Court called meeting, noon at the courthouse annex.

Wednesday, June 17

• Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.

• CCCSD Board of Trustees meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Administration Building.

Happy Birthday

June 10 - Linda Rios, Harvey Sanchez, Melissa Lozano, Silvia Coy, Juan Coy and Matthew Cornejo Jr.

June 11 - Leslie D. Mata, Tamie Gray, Matthew Beseril, Leticia Borrego, Esmeralda Castillo, Rebecca Pierce and Liliana Camarillo

June 12 - Ysabella Makae Flores, Ruby Rodriguez, Victoria Zapata, Erika Fierro, Rogelio Lopez and Wes Morgan

June 13 - Jason Sullivan, Becky Nowell and Rebecca Gal-

van

June 14 - Nicholas Hernandez, Ruth Craig, Myra Fernandez, Keano Perez, Lisa Garza, Sidney Perez and Moses Ramirez

June 15 - Fred Chandler, Amri Vargas, Melanie Rose Lozano, Lynn Maness Perner, Taylor Oglesby and Damon Johnson

June 16 - Manuel Gutierrez Jr., John Longoria, Romeo Perez Jr., Megan Bullard, Camille Cervantes and Rocky Venegas

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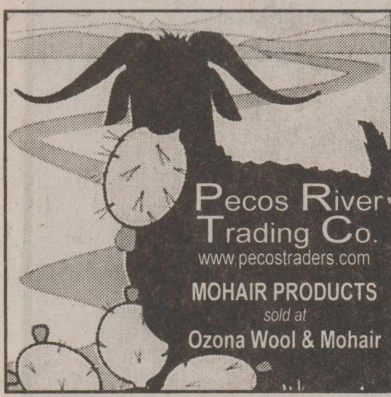
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OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

BY LYNN ENGLISH
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

These showers that we keep having are keeping all of us happy.

I am glad to be back home in Ozona and back after the hustle and bustle of San Antonio and the Buchanan Dam area.

One of my grandsons, Airman Layne B. English graduated from basic training at Lackland Air Force Base on June 5.

The following Sunday, my oldest grandson, Senior Airman Logan K. English, married Jessica Walker at a quiet spot they had chosen. They plan to reside in North Carolina after a wedding trip to the Texas Coast.

This grandmother is worn out from the excitement but had a wonderful time.

Please plan to attend on Thursday, June 11, the Crockett County Senior Center Bingo Social. It will be at 6:30 p.m. We will serve grilled hamburgers, chips, dessert and tea, coffee or water.

The "Walk Two Miles" ladies are still faithful about doing this exercise every Monday, Wednesday and Friday here at the Crockett County Senior Center at 8:30 a.m. You are welcome to join this group and get the exercise that you need to keep healthy.

Monday and Thursdays at 1:30 p.m. is when the bridge players come to the Senior Center to play their favorite

past time game. These ladies are faithful about coming and always have a fun afternoon.

We continue to have our regular activities: square dance lessons and dances, exercise class, bridge, bingo, home health, pool, canasta and puzzles. We also have a collection of books, magazines and three computers that are on the internet for seniors to use.

We have recently added to our activities a new projector with stand and a screen.

Also for your enjoyment, we have a Wii game and three different simulating games. We are anxious for these games to be used.

Our activities are for those 50 years young and older. We will remain flexible as to age.

Fierro wins \$15,000 playing bingo

Veronica Fierro won \$15,000 at the Gold Coast Mega Bingo in Las Vegas, Nevada on May 18, the day before her birthday.

With her are her good luck charms, David and Lillian Tijerina, all from Ozona.



OZONA WOMAN'S LEAGUE members surround the leg curl/leg extension machine bought with donations the members raised through the 2009 Rehab Telethon. Pictured are League members Kayla Davidson, Colbey Bunker, Kimber Childress, Ann Fowler, Melissa Hokit, Connie Crenwelge and Stacy Mecke and Rehab Employee Catherine Fierro.

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS NEWS

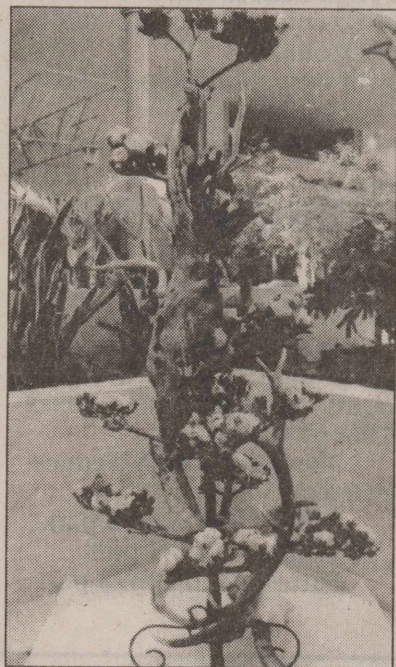
Annual convention held in Texas

BY CHARLOTTE HARRELL
OZONA GARDEN CLUB

"Blooming Magic: Texas Style" was the theme of the 80th annual National Garden Clubs convention held in Houston May 13-18, attended by over 800 garden club members from all over the United States, Canada and many Central and South American countries. The convention was held in Texas to honor Renee Blaschke of Smithville, Texas, who was installed as the 2009-2011 national president. Mrs. Blaschke noted that she had worked in garden clubs for 50 years.

All Texas garden clubs were hosts of the convention. Districts VIII (Ozona's district) and IX (El Paso) worked together to provide table arrangements for the Saturday lunch. Jo Ann Denson, Marolyn Bean, Sandra Browning and Kathy Cox were instrumental in developing the approved design.

Moreover, Nan Markland and Jane Padgett of the Town & Country Garden Club of Coleman (also District VIII) executed a delightful 8.5 ft. tall floor arrangement to showcase the talents of Texas floral designers and materials native to District VIII. The arrangement, titled "Texas Treasures with a Twist," included cedar elm wood from the Padgett Ranch, which took center stage on the Santa Anna purchased bottle tree. Rambouillet



"TEXAS TREASURES WITH A TWIST" was featured at the annual National Garden Clubs convention in Houston.

let rams' horns, white-tail deer antlers and a bovine skull were all South Coleman Co. products. Fallow deer antlers and elk antlers were from North Coleman Co. The century plant pods held approximately five dozen dried yellow roses. Accents were purple liatris and monarch feather butterflies to remind viewers that District VIII is

in the migratory path of the monarchs. This arrangement evoked only great comments.

Representing District VIII were JoAnn Denson of Stamford, Charlotte Harrell of Ozona, Charlotte James of Stamford, Nan Markland of Coleman, Pamela Maresch of Ozona and Jane Padgett of Coleman. Charlotte Harrell was among over 50 new National Life Members introduced and presented a rose from outgoing National President Barbara May at the Life Member Banquet May 14.

Other programs enjoyed by members during the convention were "Landscaping with Natives" by Neil Odenwald, Louisiana State University; "Images of Texas: A Floral Response" by Jim Johnson, director Benz School of Floral Designs, Texas A&M University; "Adventures in Space" by NASA Engineer Lyle Jenkins; a workshop, "Creative Design: Designing Women of Houston," introduced by Julia Clevef, Flower Show School Symposium Chairman; "The Wonders of Bamboo" by Judith Bussey for the South Central Region Luncheon and the Installation Banquet, theme "Everything is Coming Up Daffodils," honoring the 2007-2009 Executive Committee, 2007-2009 Board of Directors, and the 2009-2011 Executive Committee. The Installing Officer was Kitty Larkin, NGC President 2005-2007.

Rainwater Harvesting Workshop July 18 in San Angelo

SAN ANGELO - Texas AgriLife Extension Service's Concho Valley Master Gardeners will conduct a rainwater harvesting workshop from 8:45 a.m. to noon on July 18 at the Tom Green County 4-H Center. The 4-H Center is located at 3168 N. U.S. Hwy 67, next to the animal shelter.

The workshop will focus on teaching the benefits of harvesting rainwater and how to install rainwater capture systems.

Speakers will include Allison Watkins, AgriLife Extension horticulturist for Tom Green County, and Billy Kniffen, AgriLife Extension water resource specialist at Menard.

Watkins said there is a growing need for alternative water

sources, and rainwater harvesting is one source that's easy to learn and use.

"Half the water used by municipalities goes to water landscapes," Watkins said. "Capturing water to irrigate trees, shrubs and landscapes provides a source of water that is healthier for plants and easier on the water bill. Harvesting rainwater also reduces erosion and surface water contamination and lessens the demand on municipal water sources. Simply put, rainwater is a high-quality source of free water that should be used as much as possible."

The workshop is free to the public, however RSVPs are requested by calling (325) 659-6522.

OZONA WOMAN'S FORUM NEWS

Organization gives awards to students

BY CHARLOTTE HARRELL
OZONA WOMAN'S FORUM

The Woman's Forum met March 17 at the Crockett County Civic Center. Beth Hoover gave the invocation and led members in the pledge to the U.S. flag. Nell Wester conducted the business meeting, and Sandy Bebee and Jean Odom served as auctioneers for the annual auction. Hostesses were Shirley Kirby, Beth Hoover, Bobbie Griffin and Jimmie Cloudt.

Twenty-two members attended the auction, which made \$1,337 for the Forum. The proceeds from this annual auction, as well as memorial gifts, are used for scholarships and local charitable causes.

Members present were Marolyn Bean, Sandy Bebee, Norma Carson, Jimmie Cloudt, Marilyn Cox, Janie Everett, Bobbie Griffin, Betty Harrell, Beth Hoover, Virginia Hubbard, Betty Huffman, Shirley Kirby, Jean Odom, Diane Phillips, Janet Pullen, Katharine Russell, Mary Sellers, Kathleen Shott, Louise Taliaferro, Celia West, Nell Wester and Rosalind Williams.

The Woman's Forum also met April 14 in the parlor of the First Baptist Church. This meeting was held in lieu of a trip to Post, which was cancelled. Sandy Bebee, Norma Carson, and Rosalind Williams were hostesses. Members were entertained by Nanette Verner who sang gospel songs and Jerry Ann Fortune who sang

selected arias from operas.

Twenty-one members attended this meeting: Marolyn Bean, Sandy Bebee, Norma Carson, Jimmie Cloudt, Marilyn Cox, Janie Everett, Bobbie Griffin, Betty Harrell, Beth Hoover, Virginia Hubbard, Betty Huffman, Dorothy Montgomery, Brenda Newton, Jean Odom, Diane Phillips, Janet Pullen, Mary Sellers, Ann Shaw, Kathleen Shott, Louise Taliaferro and Nell Wester.

Finally, the Woman's Forum met for lunch May 19 at the Circle Bar Restaurant. Hostesses were Rosalind Williams, Brenda Newton, Norma Carson, Janet Pullen and Jean Odom.

It was recommended and approved that the Woman's Forum increase the amount of its scholarships to \$1,500 each this year and in the future. Our two scholarship recipients for 2009 are Kara Bird and Fabian Onate. The Woman's Forum also gave two Best Citizen Awards this year because the winners were tied: Ethan English and Fabian Onate.

Twenty members were present for the final meeting of the 2008-2009 club year: Marolyn Bean, Sandy Bebee, Norma Carson, Arlene Clayton, Charlotte Harrell, Beth Hoover, Virginia Hubbard, Betty Huffman, Shirley Kirby, Dorothy Montgomery, Linda Moore, Jean Odom, Diane Phillips, Katharine Russell, Mary Sellers, Kathleen Shott, Celia West, Nell Wester, Helen White and Rosalind Williams.

Benefit Fundraiser for Rosa "Chayo" Sanchez

Friday, June 12 - Town Square - 10:30 a.m.
Chayo has been diagnosed with Aplastic Anemia (the stage before leukemia) and her bone marrow is dead and it is not producing red blood cells, white blood cells nor platelets. She will begin treatments on June 15 - August 30, 2009.

We will be selling:

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Card of Thanks

The family of Rosario "Chayo" Sanchez would like to extend our heartfelt thank you to all that helped with the benefit bake sale on Saturday, June 6. This bake sale would not have been possible without you! So from the bottom of our hearts, thank you, thank you, thank you and may God continue to bless each and everyone of you! A benefit bank account has been set up for at Crockett National Bank. Anyone wishing to make a deposit is greatly appreciated and may do so under the name of Rosario G. Sanchez.

Card of Thanks

The Ozona Royals Baseball team would like to thank the community for their support and especially to thank their sponsors: Otter Service, De Hoyos Law Firm, Donna Herring Photography, Triple C Hardware, Irma's Nail Salon, Mata Remodeling, Nabors Well Service, Texas Energy, Mi Taco, Irma's Hair Salon, Lilly Construction, Ozona Car & Truck Wash, Joe Warren Friend Attorney At-Law and Michael's Lawn Service. They will be on the road this weekend to play the Wall Astros at the High School Field in Wall. This past weekend they fell short this weekend against the San Angelo Rangers.

SECRETS TO A HEALTHY BODY

It does not matter where you are or what you are looking at, or listening to, it is all about health. You can hear it twenty-four hours a day seven days a week. Some remedies are in the form of pills, others are liquids others are drops while others are creams. If you will take this, try that, or use this, it will improve your health. Oh yes, you get the first 30 days free. I am not saying they do not work or will not help but some health problems are caused by where we live or the type of environment, for instance a war torn country. Lack of proper exercise, smoking, drugs, overindulgence of alcohol, overeating, and eating the wrong types of foods can all lead to our downfall. The Bible addresses life and health. First, our days are numbered on earth. Second we are going to have health problems due to the fall in the garden and some of those problems are passed on down to following generations. There is one way we can improve our health. In proverbs 3:7&8 it says, "Do not be wise in your own eyes; Fear the Lord and turn away from evil. It will be healing to your body, and refreshment to your bones." Of course, all healing comes from God and the Master healer was Jesus, (Matthew 9:35).

See you in Church next Sunday.

Brother J

First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D Pastor Chris Johnson Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6 p.m. Awanas: Wednesday - 5:30 p.m.	Ozona Church of Christ 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.	Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St. Pastor Ron Shott Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.
Templo Bautista Jerusalem 138 Blas St. Rev. Esequiel Cervantez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.	Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St. Pastor Tom Baden Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m. Bible Class: Sunday - 6 p.m.	Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church 2121 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Dan & Ann Rios Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.
Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida Corner of Secretariat & Man O' War Pastor Juan Avila Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 6 p.m.	Iglesia de Dios De La Profecia 102 Man O' War St. Pastor Mario De La Mora Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 6 p.m. Tues., Thurs. & Fri: 6:00 p.m.	Our Lady of Perpetual Help 219 Martinez St. Fr. Felix Okeke Sun. Mass: 11 a.m. Sat.: 7 p.m. Tues. - Fri.: 6 p.m.
Calvary Baptist Church 601 Ave. I Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Wed. & Sun. Worship: 6 p.m.	Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday	
New Beginnings Church 701 9th Street Pastor Jesse Cardona Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Tuesday Worship: 7 p.m.	Iglesia de Cristo Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run Interim - Ray Valadez Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.	

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LIBRARY NEWS

By Louise P. Ledoux | Crockett County Librarian

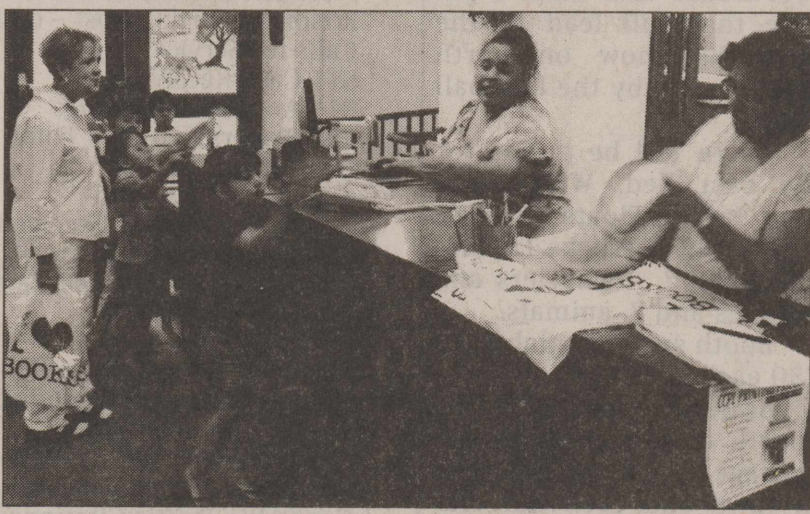
Summer reading program to feature Texas Wildflowers, shells and treasures from the beach

CCPL is celebrating "Libraries: Deep in the Heart of Texas!" at the library this summer during our Summer Children's Programs every Monday and Thursday morning in June.

There will be two age groups. Children 6 to 12 years come from 10-11 a.m. and children 3 to 5 years come from 11 a.m.- noon.

This summer beginning June 4, Friends of the Library volunteers will be reading stories, doing crafts and playing games with the kids. A beautiful certificate created by renowned illustrator and Texas native Joy Fisher Hein and signed by the Texas governor will be awarded to each child who attends.

This Thursday, we will be presenting a program on Texas Wildflowers and will also make a Texas Family Tree to



SYLVIA LONGORIA (left) and MARGARET LONGORIA help students from Dena Porter's summer school class check out books during the Crockett County Public Library's Summer Reading Program.

celebrate genealogy. The kids will be taking home a genealogy "tree" with all their family listed.

Next Monday, we will "Beat the Texas Heat" with a program about the Texas

Seashore. The kids will make decorated Sun Hats with shells and treasures from the beach.

Every Monday and Thursday this summer your Public Library is the place to be!

Lady Lions Basketball Camp June 22-25 at the Davidson Gym

The Ozona Lady Lions Basketball Ball Camp will take place June 22-25.

There will be two sessions each day. Session 1 will be from 9-11 a.m. for girls entering third grade through sixth grade and Session 2 from 1-3 p.m. for girls entering seventh grade through ninth grade. Both sessions will be at the Davidson Gym.

Each session will concentrate on teaching the campers the fundamentals of the game.

There will also be games and competitions for the campers to participate in during each session.

Snacks will be provided. Each camper will receive a T-shirt and a certificate.

Campers need to bring

gym shoes each day.

Registration forms may be dropped off at the OHS Office to Amanda Jackson (392-5712) Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Sign-up will be at 5 p.m. June 16 at the Davidson Gym.

For more information, call Coach John Jackson at 392-2385 or 226-4086.

LEGISLATURE: Cock fighting, abortion ultrasound, strip club fee, gambling bills all die in session

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Cock fighting — Expands laws to allow prosecution of people who raise roosters to fight or own a cockfighting arena.

Unemployment insurance — Expands eligibility for unemployment benefits to qualify for \$555 million in federal stimulus money.

Voter ID — Expands voter identification requirements at polls.

Smoking ban — Prohibits smoking at indoor workplaces, including restaurants and bars.

Guns on campus — Allows students with state handgun licenses to carry guns on campus.

Children's Medicaid — Expands the program by allowing families to enroll once a year instead of every six months.

Tuition controls — Restricts tuition increases at public universities.

University of Texas Investment Management Co. oversight — Alters the makeup of its board and puts the Permanent University Fund under the oversight of a pension and investment board.

Local-option gas tax — Allows metro voters to decide on levies to pay for roads and other transportation projects.

Electric cooperatives — Re-

quires member-owned utilities, such as the Pedernales Electric Cooperative, to abide by new rules on open records and meetings.

Abortion ultrasound — Women seeking an abortion must be offered an ultrasound.

Stem cells — A budget provision prohibiting the use of state dollars for embryonic stem cell research.

Veto override — Asks voters to allow the Legislature to convene for a limited time after the biennial legislative session to override gubernatorial vetoes.

Trans fats — Bans trans fats from food served at restaurants.

Take-home cars — Requires employees who drive state cars on personal errands to reimburse agencies for that personal use.

Incumbents on ballots — Designates incumbents on primary ballots.

Strip club fee — Lowers a \$5-per-patron strip club fee that's being challenged in court to \$3 and directs the money only toward programs helping victims of sexual assault, not to health insurance. Another measure repeals the \$5 fee and imposes a new tax on sexually oriented businesses.

Mezuzas — Prevents homeowners associations from banning mezuzas and other religious objects from home entrances.

State Board of Education — Strips curriculum and textbook authority from state board.

Solar panels — Starts loan program to help homeowners pay for installing solar panels.

Wine corkage — Allows restaurant patrons to bring their own wine and take home what's left in the bottle.

Gambling — Constitutional amendment for casinos and slot machines at horse and dog racetracks.

Workplace injuries — Clarifies state law to allow injured contract workers to sue work-site owners.

Development — Gives Hill Country counties more development authority.

Electricity — Allows cities to negotiate power prices for their residents.

Power generators — Puts new market share limits on power generators.

Utilities — New restrictions on when utilities may disconnect power service for certain disadvantaged customers.

Elementary Honor Roll

A HONOR ROLL

First Grade - Ralee Borrego, Esmeralda Castillo, Jacob Childress, Sebastian De La Cruz, Avery Edinburg, Chloe Edinburg, Vallyssa Hartman, Alec Lara, Roslynn Mendez, Austin Moran, Lazaro Rodriguez, Alycia Tambunga, Jaedin Tambunga, Humberto Torralba, Manuel Torralba and Justin Yeager.

Second Grade - Xavier Coward, Jacqueline Guerra, Ivana Hernandez, Jazmin Hernandez, Mark Hernandez, Josh Knaack, David Landin, Isaura Lopez, Austin Martinez, Dillon McGrath, Coulter McWilliams, Yasmin Ojeda, Alyssa Perez, Paige Villarreal and Caleb Webb.

Third Grade - Kassidy Gonzales, Brenna Hale, Hunter Smith and Samantha Torralba.

Fourth Grade - Jahnvi Bhakta, Austin Elguea, Madison Galindo, Garry Held, Asia Lara, Karmyn Lozano, Julie Marshall, Jose Martinez, Rachel Mendoza, Kabir Shah and Azaylea Tovar.

Fifth Grade - Narda Aguilar, Kimberly Borrego, Alex Hopper, Estefania Torralba and Kevin Villarreal.

A-B HONOR ROLL

First Grade - Austin Damian, Jaden Fay, Matthew Galindo, Georgina Garcia, Osiel Hernandez, Nathaniel Jackson, Hanna McGrath, Alexandra Montgomery, Holly Munsell, Alyiah Ortiz, Rayne Payne, Carlie Ramos, Ilene Ramoz, Precious Samario, Kayla Sarabia, Kendra Sarabia, Thomas Talamantez, Jaez Tambunga, Kaitlyn Tambunga, Davien Vasquez, Joseph Vitela, Tyler Webb and Adrian Whitby.

Second Grade - Andrea Cortez, Mireya Flores, Isaac Gonzales, Isaiah Gonzales, Edgar Guajardo, Austin Hokit, Johnathon Lewis, Karina Marmolejo, Jordan Martin, Carlos Martinez, Marisol Medina, Kameron Ortiz, Destiny Perez, Marcus Perez, Micaela Perez, Zackery Polk, Ebony Ramirez, Esparanza Ramirez, Spencer Salazar, Christian Valdes, Ivan Villarreal and Riley Williams.

Third Grade - Alejandra Camarillo, Josae Coy, Gregorio DeHoyos, Kimberlee De La Garza, Roman Esparza, Rodrigo Gonzales, Andy Hernandez, Bladen Hernandez, Murray Logan, Caleb Martinez, Destiny Ramos, Savannah Ramos, Denise Rodriguez, Kaelan Savala, Jacob Schroeder and Mark Valadez.

Fourth Grade - Victor Aviles, Bobbie Benson, Veronica Collins, Luis Contreras, Thomas Cruz, Edgar Damian, Vanessa De La Rosa, Henry Fay, Timothy Hardy, Madyson Hubbard, Maiah Jurado, Trace Justiss, Jennifer Lewis, Timothy Maldonado, Caleb Martinez, Ornelo Meza, Anthony Perez, Jadon Perez, Sidney Perez, Alberto Rodriguez, Elizabeth Rodriguez, Pricila Rodriguez, Emmanuel Sarabia, Kelly Sewell, Jasmine Talamantez, Juan Tambunga, Gabriela Treto and Autumn Villarreal.

Fifth Grade - Madison Childress, Mitchel Cox, Kristen Fierro, Erica Garza, John Gomez, Bryce Martin, Maria Mejia, Lauren Miles, Jeremy Munoz, Alyssa Newlin, Jose Ojeda, Belinda Rodriguez, Dulce Rodriguez, Ashley Vargas, Duston Vargas and Nereyda Vega.



THE 10-YEAR-OLD OZONA ALL STARS won the Eldorado tournament this past weekend beating Wall 7 to 6 in the last inning. They did a great job coming from behind to win, said Coach Mario Mendoza.

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REQUEST FOR INSURANCE PROPOSALS WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Crockett County Consolidated Common School District will receive sealed proposals in the office of the Superintendent through July 15, 2009. The mailing address is P.O. Box 400, Ozona, Texas, 76943; the physical address is 797 Avenue D in Ozona. Proposals received after that date will not be considered.

Each proposal shall be placed in a sealed envelope plainly marked "W/C INSURANCE PROPOSAL"

Proposals will be opened at 1:00 P.M. July 15, 2009, at the School Administration Office and will be approved by the Board of Trustees at their regular July Board Meeting. Crockett County Consolidated Common School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, waive any formalities in the proposal process and award the proposal to best serve the interest of the district.

Agents must furnish a 1999 A.M. Best policyholder rating for each separate insurance company with which coverage is quoted.

Coverage shall begin August 31, 2009. Please quote for one-year coverage and two-year coverage if purchasable. Rates quoted shall be guaranteed for that period.

The enclosed specifications are to be considered as minimum relative to coverage. **In order to facilitate comparison, providers are required to submit their proposals on the proposal forms provided.** Any plan of insurance, additional information, different methods of handling coverage, increased protection, etc., not in the specifications, will be welcomed, but must be submitted separately as an alternate proposal. Consideration will require supporting information and reasoning for better or more reasonable coverage for the district.

Additional information may be obtained from Cynthia Hokit, Business Manager, Telephone 325/392-5501.

BID NOTICE FOR CAFETERIA PRODUCTS

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District will receive sealed bids for the following:

Cafeteria Products including Meat Products, Canned and Frozen Goods, Grocery Staples, Bread, Milk, Paper and Chemical Products for August 1, 2009 through July 31, 2010.

All proposals will be received until 2:00 p.m. Monday, July 13, 2009. Any bid received after this date will be returned unopened. Proposals received without a signature will not be accepted. Bidders are invited to attend the Proposal Opening at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 13, 2009. Proposals will be awarded at the next regular school board meeting.

Please mail or deliver your proposals to:

Mr. Chris duBois

Crockett County Consolidated Common School District
PO Box 400, Ozona TX 76943

Please mark your Proposal Envelope as follows:

Sealed Proposal for Cafeteria Products: August 1, 2009 - July 31, 2009.

The district has the right to accept or reject any Proposal to make awards as they may appear advantageous to the district and to waive all formalities in proposals. Your proposal will be appreciated.

PROPOSALS NOTICE FOR GASOLINE PRODUCTS

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District is requesting bids for gasoline products (regular/unleaded and diesel) for the 2009-2010 school year.

Bids will be taken until 1:30 p.m. June 16, 2009. Please mark your bid envelope as follows: **SEALED PROPOSALS.** Proposals received after that date will be returned unopened. Proposals received without a signature will not be accepted. Multiple proposal awards may be made. Crockett County Consolidated Common School District reserves the right to accept and /or reject any and all bids and to make purchases as they may appear advantageous to the district. Please contact Willie Vargas, Bus Maintenance Supervisor; or Cynthia Hokit at the superintendent's office, for additional information. Telephone 325/392-5501.

ATHLETIC SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT BID FORM

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District is requesting proposals for athletic supplies and equipment for the 2009-2010 school year. Proposals are due in the Superintendent's office by 1:30 P.M. on June 15, 2009. Please mark your envelope as follows: **SEALED PROPOSAL - ATHLETIC SUPPLIES.** Proposals received after that date will be returned unopened. Proposals received without a signature will not be accepted.

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Knights of Columbus planning Fourth of July activities

Crockett County Veterans will host their annual G.I. Joe 5k Run/Walk at 8 a.m.

This year we will do the Ozona Tour Run/Walk. Participants will meet at the Gazebo located at the town square across from the courthouse.

Anyone interested in participating can sign up prior to or at the day of the event.

The run/walk will start right at 8 a.m. so participants need to be there before 8 a.m. to sign up. Everyone is welcome. If anyone is interested in a T-shirt, they will be available for \$12.

The Knights of Columbus will host their annual Fourth of July Celebration starting off with an American Festival at the Town Square from 3-8 p.m.

There will be food and game booths, face painting, washer pitching and bingo.

Also, there will be music in the afternoon.

At 8 p.m. participants

will line up in front of the courthouse and have a parade that will lead to the fireworks show on north side of town by the baseball fields.

There will be prizes for the best Red, White, and Blue Parade Floats in three categories: 1. Trucks, Trailers and Cars; 2. 4-wheelers and bicycles and 3. animals.

Booth space available for \$30 each at 12x12.

Starting now till the Fourth of July, I highly encourage all of our business in town and even our citizens at their homes to decorate and display our Nations RED, WHITE and BLUE Colors, said Frank Tambunga, coordinator.

Anyone interested in a booth space may contact Frank Tambunga at 392-2827.

Vendors will be restricted to one food or game item. It will be on a first come first serve basis.

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Knights of Columbus is seeking Fourth of July Fireworks Show Donations. Account is at Ozona National Bank

Youth Center Calendar of Events

June 15 - OHS Food Night, 7-10 p.m.

CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Crockett County Sheriff's Monthly Report for June 2009
For the Month of May:

Persons Placed in Jail	30
Persons Released from Jail	27
Persons Currently Incarcerated	12
Prisoners Currently Housed Outside County	5
Prisoner Housing Cost - on March	\$5,624
Calls for Service	461
911 Calls Received	172
911 Actual Emergencies	151
Civil Papers Received Total	36
Civil Papers Served	2
Civil Paper Unserved	6
Justice Peace Fines Received	\$3,949.30
Civil Fines Received	\$136
County Clerk Fines Received	\$87
Bond Fees Received	\$210
Misc. Receipts	0
Accidents in County Vehicles	0
Number of Deputies Injured	0
Traffic Citations Issued	27
Constable Served Civil Papers	1
Constable Transported Inmates	0
Constable Traffic Citations Issued	6

CROCKETT COUNTY CONSTABLE REPORT

Crockett County Constable's Monthly Report:

- Served as bailiff for one County Court and one J.P. Court.
- Served one civil citation and assisted sheriff's office with local calls.
- Issued six speeding citations for the month of May 2009.
- Unlocked three local vehicles and assisted stranded motorists.
- Attended a three-day continued education course in Odessa.

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JUNE 2 • Transfer - Shannon Medical Center.
JUNE 4 Local Run - Family Health Clinic.

Fire department runs

JUNE 4
• 3:35 p.m. - Motor vehicle accident at 365 mile-marker westbound on I-10. One vehicle, transport not required. Traffic control until EMS cleared. Two units and seven fire fighters. Time in service 20 minutes.
JUNE 8
• 7:30 p.m. - Motor vehicle accident, one vehicle roll-over 30 miles south on Pandale Road. Worked traffic until EMS cleared. Four units, eight fire fighters. Time in service 2 hours, 28 minutes.

STATE: House members pledge for Straus

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HOUSE MEMBERS PLEDGE FOR STRAUS

In the days after sine die adjournment of the Legislature, evidence of team-building in the House emerged. Some 106 House members signed pledge cards in support of a second term as speaker for Rep. Joe Straus, R-San Antonio.

Straus's first and current term as speaker extends until the 82nd Legislature convenes in 2011. Many Democrats signed cards, even with the possibility that their party could gain control of the House by picking up a couple of seats in the November 2010 election.

On June 5, Straus released

the list of pledges, saying broad bipartisan support for him is "a clear indication that members of both parties can set aside their differences to work together to find solutions to critical issues facing our state."

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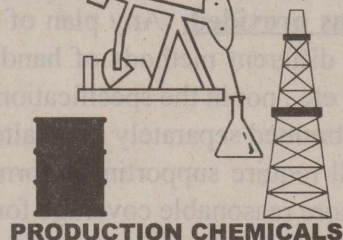
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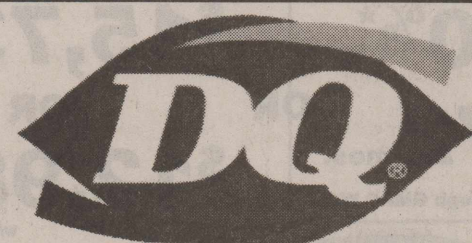
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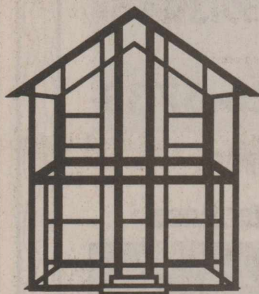
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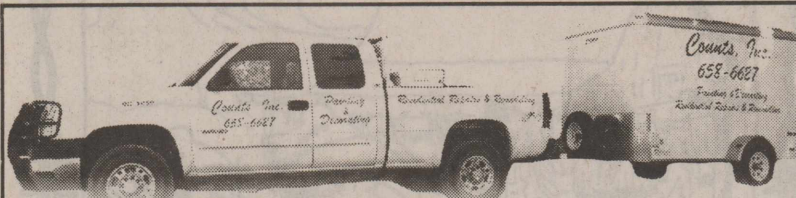
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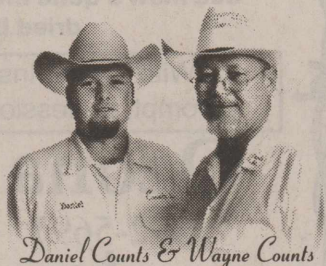


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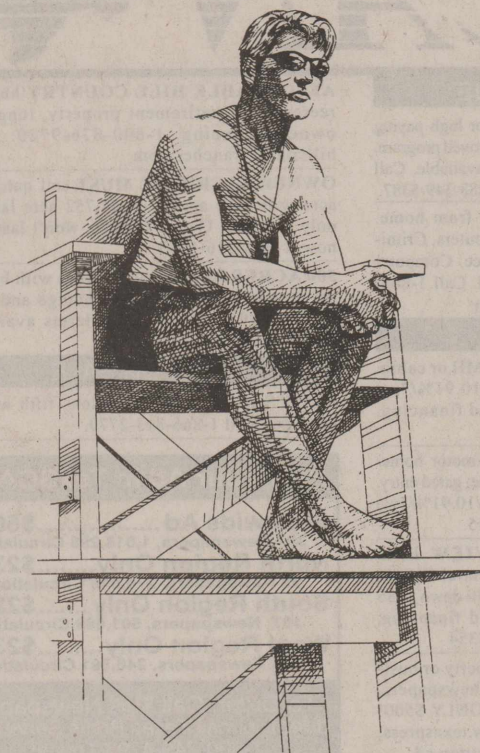
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