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Kitty's Korner

By Kitty Montgomery

It's been so hot this week that nobody has had the energy to get out and create much news. However, the hot weather has caused a stir over at the hospital. It seems the air-conditioning is out and the patients and staff are enjoying temperatures in the high 80's, like 88 degrees at mid-afternoon. The most unusual thing about this situation is the fact that the cooling system has been on the blink upwards of three years. Seems that in that length of time some of the county officials would reach the conclusion that it's hopeless and install a new system or give the existing one a complete and competent overhaul.

I understand that the county has promised the hospital board that something would be done by next summer. This will be fine for those who wait until next summer to use the facility, but what about the patients who are using the facility now?

Small wonder the hospital is losing money. It's bad enough to be sick in the summer-time, worse to be sick and hot too.

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I was in Del Rio last Wednesday morning when I read in a syndicated column that the front wheels of my new car might fall off any time. I didn't even panic. With all the other things that have gone bad on my pretty new car, what's a couple of wheels?

Two Ozona Men On Sul Ross Honor Roll

More than 375 students enrolled at Sul Ross State University for the spring semester have qualified for the Dean's List. The University has announced. Among these are Heberto A. Vargas with a 4.0 G.P.A. and Curtis Farris with a 3.0 G.P.A.

Dr. Delbert Dyke, vice-president for academic affairs, said 387 students, about 15 per cent of last semester's enrollment, earned grade point averages above 3.0 or "B" on a 4.0 scale.

He said 156 of the students on the honor list earned grade points better than 3.5, with 34 students completing the semester with 4.0 or all "A" averages.

Dr. Dyke said only "full-time students carrying at least 15 semester hour loads could qualify for the Dean's list." He also noted that in any semester no more than 15 per cent of the total enrollment could be named to the Honor Roll.

David North Is Recovering From Head Injury

David North, 23 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete North, was moved from intensive care to a private room at Odessa Medical Center Tuesday, exactly a week from the day he suffered a critical head injury at the roping arena here.

Young North fell or was thrown from his horse during a roping Tuesday night at the local arena. He was rushed to the hospital here and transferred by Janes Ambulance to Odessa where he was placed under the care of a neurologist.

His condition was critical and he remained unconscious until Friday when he regained partial consciousness. Over the weekend his condition improved and Tuesday morning he was moved from the intensive care unit to a private room, Rm. 207. Reports late Tuesday indicated that he might be moved to the local hospital in the near future, if his condition continued to improve.

Joey Pierce At Camp This Week

The nineteenth annual Youth Range Camp for outstanding 4-H and FFA boys of Texas opened Sunday in Junction with registration at the Texas Tech Center near there. The camp is sponsored by the Texas Section, Society for Range Management.

Joey Pierce is attending the camp from Ozona FFA Chapter and is sponsored by Joe Tom Davidson in memory of Mrs. Freida Noelke. He was selected on the basis of outstanding FFA work and interest in range management.

Amoco Drills No. 1 Morrison

Amoco Production Co., Odessa, No. 1 Mrs. L. M. Morrison Estate, in Crockett County unidentified gas discovery, 3 1/2 miles northeast of the one-well Morrison (Wolf-camp gas) field, 3 5/8 miles northwest of its No. 1 Kincaid, recent undesignated gas strike and 35 miles southwest of Ozona, flowed an unreported time, making gas at the rate of 360,000 cubic feet daily.

Flow was through a 1/2-inch choke and perforations at 5, 123-187 feet, which had been acidized with 1,000 gallons. Testing continued.

The Morrison opener, Mobil Oil Corp. No. 1 Blakney-Krueger, was finished May 2, 1966 for a calculated, absolute open flow of 1.84 million cubic feet of gas per day, with gas-liquid ratio of 287, 000-1, through perforations at 3,595-4,468 feet.



LARGE CROWD GREETED UT OF THE PERMIAN BASIN mobile information unit Monday morning at the downtown park. The new school's catalogs are being distributed by school officials. Discussing the catalog from left to right are Rev. Nelson Latham, pastor of First Baptist Church; Foy Moody, Ozona High

Ozona Ropings Are Continued Success

In spite of the heat, a large number of participants were on hand for the roping Saturday sponsored by the Ozona Roping Club. There were 89 team ropers, 86 calf ropers and 58 flag and barrel racers.

Trina Powers won the 12 and under barrel race. Gib Bell was second and there was a tie for third between Kristi Kirby and Joleta Everett.

The 13-16 barrel race was won by Sherry Altizer. There was a tie for second between Lee Ann McMullan and Margo Powell. Neva Dykes won fourth.

In open barrels Trina Powers came in first, Ann Tillman, second; Sherry Altizer, third; Jackie McAshan, fourth.

Trina Powers won the 12 and under flag race. Bubba Everett was second, Gib Bell, third and Joleta Everett, fourth.

Ann Tillman took the top spot in the 13-16 flag race, followed by Margo Powell for second, Lee Ann McMullan, third, and Peggy Harris, fourth.

Open flags was won by Jackie McAshan. Ann Tillman was second; Trina Powers, third and a tie for fourth between Lee Ann McMullan and Margo Powell.

Will M. Black won the 12 and under breakaway roping and Ed Hale was second.

Results of the 16 and under ribbon roping were: David Bean first; Rink Davis, second; Lindsey Hicks, third, and David

McMullan, fourth. Max Schneemann III won the open ribbon roping, Bill Davis was second, Clay Cade, third, and James Owens, fourth.

Calf Roping results: First go - Bill Littleton, Jim Bob Bailey, Jack Riggs, Dan Riggs.

Second go - Bill Davis, Mack Altizer, Bill Benson, Larry Sanders. Average - Bill Davis, Mack Altizer, Jack Riggs, Johnny Powell.

Steer Roping results: first go - Jack Riggs and Bill Littleton; Mark Tillman and Dan Riggs; Joe Everett and Howard Swarington; Jack Riggs and Olin Smith.

Second go - Jack Riggs and Dan Riggs; Olin Smith and Mack Altizer; John Rae Powell and Howard Swarington; Jimmy Powers and Bill Benson.

Average - Jack Riggs and Bill Littleton; Bill Tankersley and Bill Benson; Mark Tillman and Max Schneemann, III; Jack Riggs and Olin Smith.

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JENKINS COMPLETES SCHOOL

Marine Lance Corporal Thomas H. Jenkins Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Jenkins of Ozona, Tex., graduated from the Marine Security Guard School here.

Graduates are usually assigned duties as security guards at American embassies and consulates abroad.

School Principal, Ted Lewis, County Judge Troy Williams, Dr. Halsey Jones, Chairman of Management, UTPB; Hubert Baker, manager of the Chamber of Commerce; Dr. Eugene Nini, Chairman of Accounting, UTPB; Jim Marks, Dorris Haire, J. D. Brown, and student Bill Irving in background.



C. F. (Jack) BROWN

Jack Brown Retires From Pipeline Co.

C. F. (Jack) Brown, area supervisor, Crane District of Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co. retired last week after 39 years service with that company.

He and Mrs. Brown were honored Saturday night with a retirement party at the Crane Community Hall, with approximately 100 persons in attendance.

Out of town guests included a daughter of the Browns, Mrs. S. G. Wartick of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kunkel of Ozona, company officials and their wives of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hawkins, and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Heard.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown will move from Crane back to their home in Ozona Aug. 1.

Retailers Need Authorization For Food Stamps

Food retailers in counties entering the Food Stamp Program will have to be authorized by the U. S. Department of Agriculture before they will be eligible to accept food stamp coupons.

This word comes from Martin D. Garber, Dallas, administrator of the West-Central regional office of USDA's Food and Nutrition Service.

Under the Food Stamp Program, which is scheduled to be operating in all Texas counties by the end of the year, needy families are certified for the program by the State Department of Public Welfare.

Families then pay a certain amount of money, depending on income, resources and other factors, for food stamps, which they then use to purchase eligible foods at local stores authorized by USDA.

"Most grocers in a food stamp county apply for authorization," Garber stated, "since the program usually means a noticeable increase in business."

USDA will conduct meetings in advance of the start of the program in each county to acquaint grocers with the food stamp operation, Garber added. Although regulations are relatively simple, certain items

cannot be bought with food stamps. These include all non-food items sold in the store, as well as most imported foods.

Ozona Firemen Assist In Large Grass Fire

Continued dry weather has kept firemen busy fighting grass fires, the most destructive, a blaze Monday afternoon which consumed an estimated 10 sections of grassland in Crockett and Schleicher counties.

County Gains Second Well And 6 Tests

A Crockett County area gained a second Strawn well and locations were scheduled for six Canyon gas tests in Sutton.

Texas Oil & Gas Corp., Midland, completed as a Strawn gas discovery and suggested field designation of Miller Ranch for its No. 1 Williams Gas Unit, former producer in the Miller (Ellenburger) field of Crockett County, 1 1/2 east and slightly south of a recently completed undesignated Strawn gas discovery and 25 miles south of Ozona.

It was finalized for a calculated, absolute open flow of 4,610 million cubic feet of dry gas per day through perforations at 10,325-350 feet, which had been acidized with 250 gallons.

Originally drilled to 11,849 feet and plugged back to 11,510 feet, it was finalized Sept. 14, 1972, for a calculated, absolute open flow of 19 million cubic feet of gas day through perforations at 11,806-843 feet.

Location is 2,000 feet from the south and 1,200 feet from the west lines of 5-0-C.W. Brown.

Third Case Of Screwworms Is Confirmed Here

Crockett County had its third confirmed screwworm case of the year last week. The case was discovered in the ear of a cow on the V. I. Pierce Lower Ranch.

County agent Pete Jacoby urges ranchmen to keep a close check on their livestock and collect and mail samples of any worm cases found to the Screwworm Eradication Lab at Mission. Early detection is very important to prevent a buildup in the area. Each confirmed screwworm case has been receiving a drop of approximately 100,000 sterile flies per week for three weeks.

Two earlier cases of screwworms were discovered on the Bob Bissett Ranch in June. No additional cases have been found since the area was saturated with sterile flies.

Ozona Volunteer firemen along with firemen from Mertzon, Eldorado and Sonora spent around four and a half hours Monday afternoon fighting the fire which started about a half mile north of Texas Hwy. 29 near the Crockett-Schleicher county line in the vicinity of an oil well flare.

The call came in about 3 p.m. to both the Ozona and Eldorado fire departments and the blaze was contained at approximately 7:30.

Fire trucks included one from Big Lake, two from Mertzon, two from Ozona and three from Eldorado and two from Sonora. Also on hand to assist were several ranchers with sprayers.

The fire, fed by dry grass and uprooted mesquite, was fanned by a strong wind from the southeast. It traveled some ten miles to the northwest before it was finally brought under control near the Irion County line.

The fire started on the Woodward ranch and spread quickly to the Lewis Brooks and Aubrey DeLong ranches to the northwest.

Six Contestants For 1973 Rodeo Queen Title

Rodeo queen contestants were announced this week and there are six lovely girls in the running, sponsored by local merchants.

Dawn Burns, Ozona High School sophomore and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burns, will represent the Village Drug Store.

Karla Fenton, also a sophomore student and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Fenton, will represent the Baggett Agency.

Luann Perner, sophomore and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Perner, will represent South Texas Lumber Co.

Sally Bailey, Ozona High School junior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob (Sonny) Bailey, will be sponsored by Stuart Motor Co.

Mary Jo Hayes, May graduate of Ozona High School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hayes, will represent Mae-Lu's Dress Shop.

Lynn Maness, sophomore and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Maness, will represent the Big "O" Theatre.

The girls will be guests of the Ozona Lions Club at their luncheon next week and will be honored at a coke party at the home of reigning queen, Debra Clayton.

The girls will ride in the parade, be seen in the grand entry each night at the rodeo and be judged by out of town judges. The winner will be announced during a performance and will be crowned before the grandstand by Miss Clayton.

1973 RODEO QUEEN CONTESTANTS



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SALLY BAILEY

MARY JO HAYES

LYNN MANESS

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Not True

The U.S. Travel Service, an agency of the Commerce Department seeking to encourage tourists to visit America, reports the number of foreign visitors sharply up. This is not as significant as it seems, since the nation in recent years has attracted relatively few tourists.

What is happening is that the dollar is steadily descending to lower and lower levels, thus making American visits cheaper and cheaper for Europeans and others. In effect, bargain or sale rates are attracting foreign tourists.

Propaganda by some apologists about how much foreigners like New York City, and image-building hokum from the USTA, should be taken with more than a grain of salt in this trend. The truth is that most Europeans find New York City a horror, and this in the past has been a major handicap in increasing travel to the United States.

The Pill

A Boston study indicates women who take birth control pills regularly are more inclined to develop gall bladder disease.

Results of the study, published in the journal "Lancet," suggest the estrogen pill changes the composition of the body's bile and this is thought to account for a rate of bladder disease twice that of women not taking the pill.

The study was conducted as a part of the Boston Collaborative Drug Surveillance Program and also showed taking the pill did not increase a women's chances of developing breast cancer.

But it did show the possibility of developing blood clots is increased by usage of the pill; thus there are changes, there are conditions to be watched regularly, and checked by a physician, for millions who now depend on the pills—though it's estimated only three women in every two thousand taking the pill will likely experience bladder disease.

American Ignorance

A recent Gallup Poll indicated most Americans had never heard of the European Common Market. This is shocking and dangerous ignorance and a poor commentary on the reading habits of the average American.

The Common Market, or European Economic Community, as it is called, is the world's most powerful economic bloc; it is a force which can threaten the U.S. standard of living.

For many years now, beginning especially with the Kennedy Administration, efforts have been made by Washington and various European governments to head off a confrontation between the United States and the EEC. The goal has been to negotiate mutually lower tariffs between the two powerful economic forces, and this has often been successful.

The balance of power has been steadily changing in the EEC's favor; this year three more nations were added to the bloc, Britain, Denmark and Ireland. This fall U.S. and EEC negotiators will meet in a crucial negotiating session, the Americans handicapped by the EEC's growing power, a weak dollar and a deficit in the U.S. international trade balance.

A failure to work out new agreements facilitating trade, and resulting in higher trade barriers, more restrictions and possibly a confrontation between this nation and most of western Europe would be an ominous turn of events which could lead to economic disaster for millions.

It would inevitably raise the dread image of an international trade war, and memories of the early 1930's, the Smoot-Hawley tariff law and world depression. Thus the Nixon Administration, which should be supported by an informed American public, cannot allow upcoming EEC trade negotiations to falter.

Slanted Reporting

Slanted reporting on the Watergate scandal continues, with little credit due that segment of the American news media participating in a push to get rid of President Nixon, forcing his resignation or impeachment, by any means.

Without minimizing the scandal or its importance, ample investigation and prosecution are now underway. The President has accepted responsibility, admitted poor judgment and mistakes. A host of misguided individuals are "coming clean" or are being prosecuted in the courts.

The nation is almost certain to emerge from the scandal better assured such improper and illegal activities never again become a major part of White House operations. Some have gone to jail; others will be sentenced. The whole affair will handicap Republicans, blot the record of the Nixon Administration and enhance the chance of the Democratic Party to regain power.

But this smell of blood, of having found, at last, something to swat the President with, to vilify and abuse him, has led much of the press, which has never liked Mr. Nixon, to excesses. The President is assumed totally guilty by many, news reports contain too much slanting. Senate hearing reporting repeatedly favors and features Democratic critics, who, it is often noted, get "prolonged" applause from the hearing audience, etc.

THAT'S A FACT

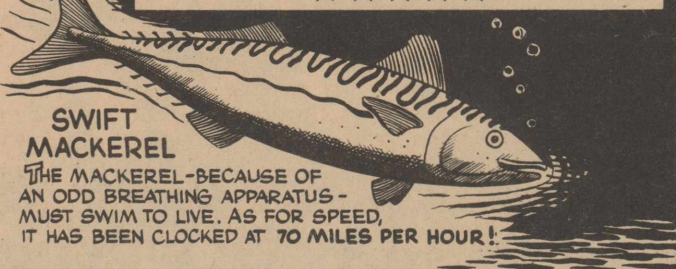
SPEED DEMONS
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SWIFT MACKEREL

THE MACKEREL—BECAUSE OF AN ODD BREATHING APPARATUS—MUST SWIM TO LIVE. AS FOR SPEED, IT HAS BEEN CLOCKED AT 70 MILES PER HOUR!

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

Dear Editor:

The present warm situation at our hospital is not a new thing. Monday afternoon I took a fan to my aunt (for the second time this summer) to help relieve the 88° temperature of her \$30 a day room.

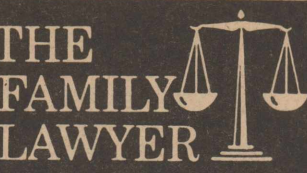
I decided to register an official protest and have been on a campaign to call all members of the Commissioners Court and the Hospital Board.

One commissioner told me he knew it was hot and he was sorry. All I have talked to have assured me they are aware of the long-standing (3 years or more) situation and agree that "something should be done."

I have three possible solutions to offer: 1. Get someone capable of fixing the cooling system to work on it. 2. Install individual units in each room. 3. Transfer the patients to a hospital with a cooling system.

I do agree "After three years, something should be done."

Billy Jo Hayes



Yellow Houses Only

Developers of a new suburban neighborhood thought it would look nice if all the houses were painted yellow. Accordingly, in selling lots, they included a "yellow only" requirement in each deed.

But after a number of homes had gone up, one incoming family decided they liked green better. The developers refused to allow any deviation, and, in due course, the dispute landed in the courtroom.

"This kind of restriction," the family argued, "is an unlawful interference with our personal liberty. We have a right to follow our own tastes."

NEWS REPORT FROM WASHINGTON

Kennedy & Wallace—Strange Bedfellows?
Wallace The Key-Agnew & Wallace—

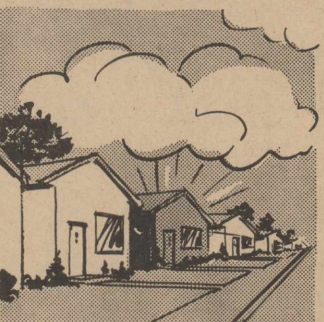
WASHINGTON, D.C.—The recent visit by Senator Ted Kennedy to Alabama to deliver the major speech at an award ceremony honoring George Wallace, is a reflection of the concern all presidential aspirants have concerning the Alabama Governor.

Kennedy was bold enough to champion Wallace's right to his views, and smart enough to remind listeners this is the kind of broad party the Democratic Party must be—if it is to win.

This pits the Massachusetts Senator against the extreme faction of the party which propelled Senator George McGovern into fame and McGovern and the party into disaster in 1972.

Nothing is so admired in politics as success and Kennedy, with his Wallace visit, certainly shows he knows extreme leftism will kill Democratic hopes again in 1976.

The whole Democratic Party wooing of Wallace, since his shooting, has been



However, the court held they would have to stay with yellow whether they liked it or not. The court said the requirement was a reasonable means to a reasonable end—to benefit the community as a whole.

It is common, in developing a neighborhood, to impose deed restrictions of one kind or another. They may cover anything from the size of houses to the height of hedges, from the style of architecture to the type of fencing.

And, by and large, the law will enforce these restrictions. Although they reduce the rights of the purchaser, they do so on the basis of a lawful contract, freely entered into, at the time of original sale.

True, some restrictions may be unenforceable for reasons of overriding public policy. The leading example is the racial restriction, now outlawed everywhere.

Furthermore, a restriction valid at first may gradually lose its validity as the neighborhood changes. Say a dozen home owners in the "yellow only" neighborhood had been allowed to get away with different colors. At that point, even if the developers suddenly decided to crack down, a court would probably refuse to enforce the restriction. As one judge put it:

"Restrictions will not be enforced where the character of the neighborhood has so changed as to defeat the original purpose of the plan."

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

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Just Deserts

"And furthermore," the female battle-ax told her lawyer, "you might warn my husband that if he misses a single alimony payment, I'll repossess him."

THE NEWS REEL

A re-run of
"The Ozona Story"

as gleaned from the files of
"THE OZONA STOCKMAN"

Thursday, July 27, 1944

29 years ago
County Judge Charles E. Davidson died at his ranch home in Ozona. He served Crockett County for 52 years.

29 years ago
Mike Pena received the Purple Heart awarded posthumously to his son for wounds which resulted in his death. He was killed in action in North Burma on June 4, 1944.

29 years ago
Ozona Boy Scouts started a house-to-house canvass to gather scrap paper to meet the sufficient volume for the Army trucks to transport to the city.

29 years ago
Frank James won the election for incumbent sheriff plus other duties. He ran against M. C. Corbell in one of Ozona's closest races for a County office.

29 years ago
Sheriff Frank James urges dog owners to obtain new dog tags and license. Dogs running around without them are subject to destruction.

29 years ago
Because of the quick eyes of an Internal Revenue agent, 35 to 40 vehicles owners in Ozona had to pay fines. Their vehicles were found without the little sticker required by the government as evidence of payment of auto use tax.

29 years ago
Capt. Marl A. Westerman, was killed in action in France. His wife, Mrs. Allena Kinney Westerman, was for several years home economics teacher in Ozona High School. He was commander of a United States Tank unit.

29 years ago
S/Sgt. Clifton W. Taliaferro, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taliaferro, left here for Corpus Christi. He is to start training as an aerial gunner.

29 years ago
T/4 Eugene C. Montgomery, returning from 29 months overseas with the Field Artillery in the Southwest Pacific. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Montgomery in Ozona.

29 years ago
Pfc. O. Dale Walker, grandson of Mrs. F. W. Schwalbe, has been wounded in action in the Pacific. He is in the Marines. He is the son of Mrs. Ollie Gause of Rockwell, N.M.

Best Of Press

True

Politics can be kept out of anything that human beings can be kept out of.

—Times, Bristol, Va.

About Time

Every time we see the sign "Ladies-Ready-To-Wear-Clothes" we think it is about time.

—Tribune, Chicago.

Maybe

Married men may have better halves but bachelors have better quarters.

—News, Detroit.

Time For Thought

When politicians agree, the angels may rejoice but the voters just wonder what's cooking.

—Globe, Boston.

B.J. Crowley's HOROSCOPE

Week of July 29, 1973

LEO--Persevering, earnest and sincere, with much self-control and compassion, but often hasty and impetuous. Generally kind and sympathetic, and possess a certain amount of pride, ambition and love of power.

LEO--July 23 to Aug. 22 --Don't allow yourself to be discouraged by adverse criticism. Stick with it until you reach final accomplishment.

VIRGO--Aug. 23 to Sept. 22--While you still retain the initiative, see to it that your financial affairs are put on a very sound basis.

LIBRA--Sept. 23 to Oct. 22--Recognize that your financial judgment is not of the best at this time; postpone important decision making in that direction.

SCORPIO--Oct. 23 to Nov. 22--Home affairs should claim your attention now, and you would be well advised to consider some home improvement plan.

SAGITTARIUS--Nov. 23 to Dec. 21--Give plenty of thought and effort to all creative work at this time. Seek out some wise, long-range investments.

CAPRICORN--Dec. 22 to Jan. 19--Don't be pressured into making hasty decisions at this time, and keep your temper well under control.

AQUARIUS--Jan. 20 to Feb. 18--Let your mate or partner take the initiative in any plan for the week, and go along with whatever is suggested.

PISCES--Feb. 19 to March 20--You may be the one to lead the way back to honest effort on a new scale of ambition.

ARIES--March 21 to April 20--This is a good time for new employment or taking on new employees.

TAURUS--April 21 to May 20--Have sympathy for others but do not sacrifice any of your own advantages.

GEMINI--May 21 to June 20--Do not underestimate the abilities of new friends

now. You may be in the companionship of someone much more talented than you imagine.

CANCER--June 21 to July 22--Contact relatives who can be helpful to you financially, aiding you to attain some of your goals.

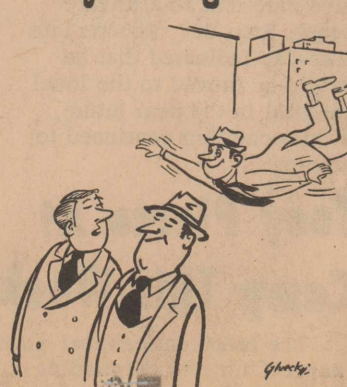
Polluted Water

Fairly or unfairly, the recent incident in which a thousand cruise passengers became ill because of polluted water, raises anew questions about the quality of water on Florida's gold coast. The water, which could have become contaminated aboard ship, was taken aboard at Miami.

Not long ago the water in this general area became so bad federal authorities refused to let airliners use it. Sewage dumped into ocean and streams and lakes—because of rapid growth adequate sewage treatment is often lacking in Florida communities—is one cause of the pollution. Industrial waste is another.

What Florida needs, as many western states have learned, is a slower pace of growth, at least in highly congested areas, and fewer tourists. This is strong medicine for chambers of commerce, the building industry and others but facts are facts.

My Neighbors



"Some nut, that Sanders—claims he can fly..."

SCRATCH PADS, good quality unruled tablets, from \$2 per dozen, Stockman Office.

NEWS NOTES

GARBAGE GIVES HEAT

OSAKA, JAPAN--The Japan Housing Corp. is planning an experiment to use heat from burning garbage—for heating 1,400 homes and supplying hot water. The experiment will be Japan's first.

MONUMENT PLANNED

WASHINGTON--The American Historic and Cultural Society, that promoted Honor America Day three years ago is now planning to erect a sister monument to the Statue of Liberty on the West Coast for the nation's bicentennial.

LAST CONVERTIBLE

DETROIT--The convertible era ended at the Ford Motor Company at 10:40 A.M., July 6, when a 1973 Mercury rolled off the Dearborn assembly line.

FLOATING CITIES

VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA--Bruno Feschi of the University of British Columbia suggests that man-made islands could accommodate complete cities equipped with all modern conveniences of North America life.

CHINA & WHEAT

TOKYO--China has reported that despite drought and hail, production in three important wheat-producing areas is about 10 per cent better than in 1972.

SHOE TROUBLE

BISMARCK, N.D.--A woman returned a pair of shoes she had bought several months before and had worn several times since because they hurt her feet. One was size 11B, one 10B and both for the left foot.

RECRUITING DOGS

ENT AIR FORCE BASE--The Air Force hopes to recruit 100 German shepherds now and more than 1300 during 1974 to be trained as "law" dogs for the Department of Defense and other Federal agencies.

BAHAMAS FREE

NASSAU, BAHAMAS --Prince Charles and representatives of 52 countries joined 185,000 Bahamians in a glittering round of independence festivities on the eve of the end of three centuries of British rule.



Poison ivy will get you if you don't watch out.

What most people don't realize is that its poison is potent the year 'round—even after the plant is dead.

Furthermore its poison can be transferred from one person to another by clothing or shoes—even by animals that brush up against you or that you pet after they have run through a bed of ivy.

It's not uncommon for campers who pick up firewood to be poisoned—or even from the smoke of burning poison ivy buds. In this instance the buds emit droplets of poison ivy oil that are carried away in the smoke and settle on clothing, then seep through to the skin.

You can lessen the damage of ivy

poisoning by a thorough washing of hands and arms as quickly as possible after contact—and by a good scrubbing of all wearing apparel at the very first opportunity.

There are numerous "relief" medicines on the market.

But the best "cure" we have found is to rub the skin gently (don't ever scratch) or dab it lightly with cotton soaked in a mixture of 12 aspirin tablets and some camphor gum dissolved in a pint of rubbing alcohol. Apply it often.

Some say that after a bad case of poison-ivy-itch you're immune to the infection for a year or two. But, it could be that you're just a darn sight more careful and give the itchy vine a wide berth for a long time thereafter.

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SOCIAL SECURITY VISIT FOR AUGUST SCHEDULED

Ken King, Field Representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his August visit to Ozona. He will be at the County Courthouse on Wednesday, August 15th from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact

him at this time. Persons who are unable to meet with him are encouraged to call the office in San Angelo. Residents of Ozona may call toll free by dialing "Operator" and asking for "Enterprise 2058".

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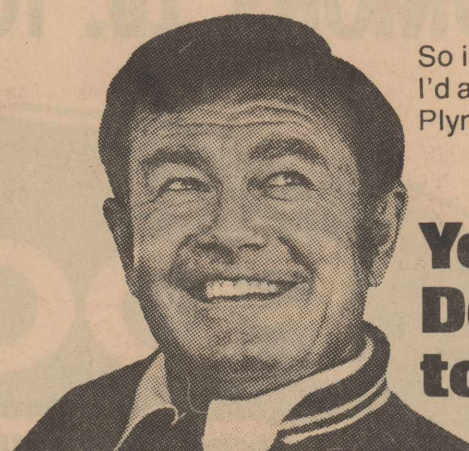


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Tips For Gardeners

From the
Ozona Garden Club
by
Mrs. Bailey Post

Since our rain has been rather short in measurement here in town, it seems that a constant reminder to water is in order, though it does get rather monotonous.

Watering in the summer involves more than simply keeping all plants moist. A gardener has to learn to treat each plant as the individual that it is, with its own special moisture requirements. Most plants need to dry out a bit between watering, for this allows the soil to allow the air to get to the soil. Watering should never be delayed to the point that plants wilt. Also, since more water is required during the hot time of the year, this means that additional nutrients may have to be applied to replenish those taken away.

Don't crowd your plants too much, but planting fairly close helps with shade to protect the roots. The flower lover has to use self-restraint and grow only as many plants as can be cared for well. In the spring when planting time comes, most everyone looks forward to having beautiful blooms through the summer, without giving a thought to the usually very hot, dry months.

Now is the time to check your plants and make a note of the one's that take the least care and still stay attractive. In the shade, I have found

Sultanas, begonias, ferns, and caladiums make an attractive area. These do have morning sun. In the sun, petunias, pinks, periwinkles, salvia, shasta daisies, zinnias, glorio daisies do well. Also, the foliage plants that require sun to be colorful are the copper plant, decorative kale and sage, Joseph's coat and amaranthus. --0--

Debra Says:

By HD Agent
Debra Price

This week isn't too soon to get things ready for canning. If your one of those homemakers that doesn't have a pressure canner, you may want to consider borrowing one or buying a secondhand canner. However, make sure it's in good working order. All canners should be checked each year before use.

Examine the cover and rubber gasket for damage. Clean openings of the safety valve and petcock--which closes the valve--by drawing a cord through them. Have the dial pressure gauge checked for accuracy by an appliance dealer or the manufacturer.

Also wash the canner itself. Covers with gauges attached should be wiped clean with a cloth, and not submerged in water. Remove the gasket and wash it. Turn it over be-

fore returning it to place.

Remember too good canning jars are necessary. Often secondhand jars have nicks on the rims which results in imperfect seals and can allow foods to spoil. Also, jars in which food comes from the grocery may present similar problems. They aren't designed for home canning--so may fail to seal properly.

Texas A&M University has publications titled Frozen Foods and Home Canning of Fruits and Vegetables which may be helpful with your summer canning. You can come by the Extension Office or call 2-2721 and we can mail the canning booklets to you. --0--

MRS. WILLMON IS PINK AND BLUE SHOWER HONOREE

Mrs. James Willmon was honored with a pink and blue shower Friday night in the home of Mrs. Wm. D. O'Bryant.

Other hostesses were Mrs. Otis Holt, Mrs. Herbert Kerby, Mrs. J. V. McKinney, Mrs. Norris Haire and Mrs. Bennie Bishop.

The serving table was centered with an arrangement of pink and red roses surrounded with baby items.

Around thirty-five guests called during the evening. --0--

RECIPE

By Sarah Anne Sheridan

Macaroni salads are hearty enough to feature as main dishes for luncheon and evening menus. They should contain something crunchy like crisp celery, something colorful like strips of green pepper and pimientos and something to give them zest like scraped onion or a tangy salad dressing.

Macaroni and Crabmeat

8 oz. elbow macaroni
1 c cooked crabmeat
1 c green pepper chopped
1 c chopped celery
1/4 c chopped pimientos
1/4 slivered almonds
3 hard cooked eggs chopped
1/2 c mayonnaise
2 t salt
Pepper to taste.

Cook macaroni by directions. Chill. Flake crabmeat. Combine cooked macaroni, crabmeat and remaining ingredients. Mix thoroughly, but lightly. Chill several hours before serving on salad greens.

Macaroni Cream Slaw

8 oz. shell macaroni
4 c finely shredded cabbage.
1/2 c slivered green pepper
1 c round carrot slices
2 T sliced scallions
1/2 c sour cream
2 t cider vinegar
2 t salt-pepper

Cook macaroni as directed. Combine all ingredients. Mix thoroughly. Chill several hours before serving. --0--

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boykin were in Grand Prairie over the weekend for a high school class reunion. 20-1tp



DRUM MAJOR FOR THE 1973 O. H. S. BAND is Karen Moody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foy Moody, who recently returned from drum major camp at Texas A & I University. Miss Moody won third in the talent contest out of 250 participants. Ozona High School band director Lane Scott was one of the instructors. --0--

BOY TO WORTHINGTONS

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Worthington are the parents of a boy born July 20, at 5:12 p.m. in a Fort Stockton hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds and has been named Fleet Ray.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bud Coates of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Worthington of Aspermont. --0--

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Summer Foods Help Beat The Heat Now

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"Serve foods that offer cool contrast to the weather," suggests Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"Success largely depends on planning ahead--using foods that help 'beat the heat.'"

"Cool, summer meals start with an on-hand supply of canned or convenience foods from each of the four basic food groups. Include canned tuna, deviled ham and other canned meats which don't require cooking."

Also, homemakers can prepare foods ahead to serve cold, the specialist continued.

For instance, leftover meats become delicious sandwiches. Or, turn hardcooked eggs from breakfast into deviled eggs for another meal.

"Another technique involves preparing large quantities of foods which last several days. For example, refrigerate a gallon of sweet-

sour bean salad and use as needed."

For a unique summer treat, serve a colorful fruit salad in a watermelon rind.

"Brimming with watermelon and cantaloupe balls, pineapple chunks, strawberries or other fresh fruits, it's nutrition-packed with vitamins A and C."

"Serve fruit salad--along with an assortment of sandwiches and tall glasses of iced tea--on the terrace in late afternoon."

"For extra flavor--and a boost in vitamin C--add fresh fruit such as peaches, strawberries or cantaloupe to the ice cream."

"Or try a slush sherbert using three cans grapefruit soft drink, two cups crushed pineapple and one can sweetened condensed milk."

"Freeze it in the refrigerator freezing compartment--or in a crank-style or electric ice cream freezer. Whatever method, it can be a real adventure for kids."

THE UNEXPECTED

What if you looked out your window and saw an elephant standing in your back yard? Would you think you'd been transported to Africa--or that the zoo had lost a boarder?

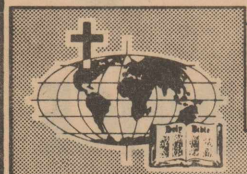
Situations just as bizarre and unexpected can happen anywhere, anytime, to anyone. When they happen to you, are you able to cope with them?

Merely attending church isn't going to solve all your problems. But it will help build a base that teaches you how to take the unexpected in stride. And life, when you get down to it, is in itself unexpected.

Start going to church next Sunday.

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Hebrews
11:4-19

Monday
Acts
4:24-35

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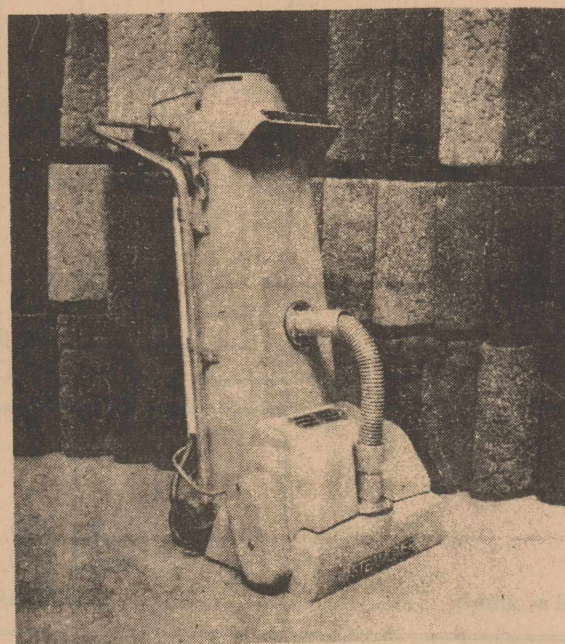
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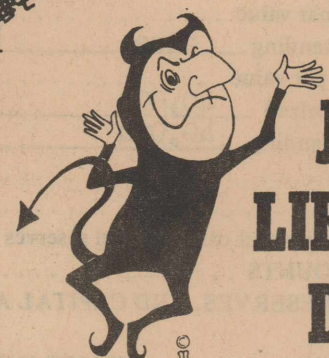
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**Consumers Can Keep
Beef On The Table**

Beef-hungry consumers can follow seven guidelines to keep meat on the table in spite of the "shrinking buck," a livestock marketing specialist said this week.

Dr. Edward Uvacek Jr. with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, cited careful spending of meat dollars as the key.

Compare meat cuts on a cost-per-serving basis, rather than price per pound.

"For example, you can get about four servings from a pound of ground beef, but only two and a half servings from a sirloin steak. For them to be equal on a cost-per-serving basis--when sirloin brings \$1.49 per pound, ground beef could sell for as much as \$2.38 per pound," the specialist explained.

"A brisket at \$1.19 a pound

will cost as much per serving as a boneless chuck at 99 cents a pound, or shortribs at 79 cents a pound.

"Boneless chuck roast at \$1.09 a pound and shortribs at 88 cents a pound have exactly the same cost per serving, but a T-bone steak at \$1.59 a pound costs twice as much per serving as liver at the same price."

Uvacek also advised home-makers--when substituting other meats such as broiler chickens for beef--to remember that most of them have very low servings per pound.

"For example, a ready-to-cook broiler at 59 cents a pound is slightly more expensive per serving than brisket or rolled rump at \$1.29 a pound."

Don't pay extra for minor conveniences.

"Pre-formed ground beef patties are pretty--but expen-

sive. The amount of work in making a hamburger patty is pretty negligible.

"Similar types of conveniences--at a cost--are built into such items as tenderized or formed steaks, cubed stewing beef, breaded chicken-fried steaks and precooked cuts. Do the work yourself, and save a bundle," he added.

Carefully compare prices for beef cuts in different stores.

"All retailers don't charge the same price for individual cuts. In fact, it's not unusual to have very substantial variations in retail prices between stores--even in a small town."

"Shop around. Don't always buy your beef in the same old store, simply because that's where the watermelons are cheaper."

Get your money's worth in quality.

"Unless you're an expert, the easiest way to insure consistent acceptability and quality is to buy only USDA Choice beef."

"It's either labeled as such, or has a purple shield with the word 'Choice' inside of it, stamped on the outside of the meat cut."

"Look for this before you buy. You could buy U.S. Good beef, but it's not as safe a bet in terms of quality."

Don't be ashamed to return an unsatisfactory piece of meat.

"Most retailers, particularly larger chains, flaunt a money-back guarantee. Use it. If not completely satisfied, return it. Don't assume your cooking was bad."

"In some cases, cooking can intensify the problem (like well-done steaks), but, in general, you need a good piece of beef to begin with."

Learn some of the basic cuts of beef.

"Several different names are used for the same cut because of regional preferences. Just a little study will show you, for example, that a rib-eye steak is the same and probably cheaper than a Delmonico."

"Similarly, a rib steak and a club steak are basically the same. Sirloin steak is a much more tender piece of meat than round steak."

"Also, take a little time to learn the recommended cooking method for each cut which should be broiled, braised, roasted, pot-roasted."

Oriental Garden**Perfect For
Limited Space**

An oriental garden can be just the answer for landscaping that small lot.

"Homeowners with limited garden space may do well to borrow a good idea from the Japanese who have expertise in creating miniature landscapes," points out Everett Jamne, landscape horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Since such a garden in the Orient is designed to simulate nature while providing a place for meditating in quiet repose, you may want to develop your small yard or a portion of a larger area into an oriental-style retreat from the work-a-day world."

An oriental garden is designed by grouping three different shapes: upright, rounded or leaning, and flat or spreading. The groupings can be repeated throughout the garden.

Emphasis is on materials that do not change, such as rocks, evergreens and soil or pebbles, explains the Texas A&M University specialist. A few colorful flowers may be included. Trees and shrubs are pruned carefully each year so that they keep their form and size.

"Paths or stepping stones lead you around the garden, turning here or there to make you pause when there is something special to admire," notes Jamne.

"Water is an important element in an oriental garden, both for sight and sound."

Appropriate plant materials may include bamboo for vertical or upright shapes, dwarf azaleas for recumbency, and rounded masses of dwarf Yau-poon or prostrate cotoneaster for the horizontal feature. Jamne encourages each homeowner to create his oriental garden with materials and designs of his preference.

"The important thing is to capture the spirit of an oriental garden by adapting ideas to your particular situation," says the horticulturist.

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Other securities (including \$ None corporate stock)		30	000 00
Trading account securities			None
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		2,300	000 00
Loans		4,516	257 45
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		382	207 66
Real estate owned other than bank premises			None
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and "associated companies"			None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding			None
Other assets (including \$ None direct lease financing)		42	603 06
TOTAL ASSETS		17,213	253 28
LIABILITIES			
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		5,522	436 39
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		8,612	856 72
Deposits of United States Government		5	974 51
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		1,172	635 35
Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions			None
Deposits of commercial banks			None
Certified and officers' checks, etc.		16	578 31
TOTAL DEPOSITS		\$ 15,330,481.28	
(a) Total demand deposits		\$ 6,717,621.56	
(b) Total time and savings deposits		\$ 8,612,856.72	
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase			None
Liabilities for borrowed money			None
Mortgage indebtedness			None
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding			None
Other liabilities		12	070 00
TOTAL LIABILITIES		12,342	481 28
MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES			None
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES			
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)		109	601 93
Other reserves on loans			None
Reserves on securities			None
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES		109	601 93
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS			
Capital notes and debentures			None
none % Due none \$ none			
none % Due none \$ none			
Equity capital-total		1,761	170 07
Preferred stock-total par value			None
No. shares outstanding none			
Common Stock-total par value		400	000 00
No. shares authorized 40,000			
No. shares outstanding 40,000			
Surplus		600	000 00
Undivided profits		761	170 07
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves			None
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		1,761	170 07
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		17,213	253 28
MEMORANDA			
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date		15,186	916 53
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date		4,461	840 92
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts			None

I, J. W. Howell, Cashier, of the above-named bank do
(Name and title of officer authorized to sign report)

hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Directors.

Miss Marsha Moore Becomes Bride Of Stephen Limbaugh

The Ozona United Methodist Church was the setting Saturday evening for the wedding of Marsha Dee Moore and Stephen Nathaniel Limbaugh, Jr. Officiating was Bishop O. Eugene Slater of San Antonio and Rev. John B. Berkeley, pastor.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Kirby D. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen N. Limbaugh of Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Mrs. L. B. Cox, III, organist, provided wedding music, special selections by Handel, and arranged by the bridegroom.

The bride wore a gown of candlelight imported re-embroidered Alencon lace traced with tiny seed pearls and paillettes applied on English net and pure silk organza. The moulded Empire bodice veiled with the lace was fashioned with a high Victorian collar accented with a yoke of tiny seed pearls in a lattice-work pattern and long fitted sleeves. Tiny self-covered buttons accented the back closing of the gown and the sleeves. The slim A-line skirt of back-gathered closing swept to a wide cathedral length train with a banding of the jeweled lace enhancing the hem and the entire edging of the train. Her veil was a bandeau covered in a lattice pattern of pearls. The illusion

was edged in jeweled Alencon lace and fell in soft folds extending beyond the length of her train.

Matrons of honor were Mrs. Randle Brookings of Midland and Mrs. Lance Holland of Dallas. Bridesmaids were Miss Chris Clegg, Miss Sharon Logan, Miss Helen Bunker, Miss Cathy Dawn Davis of Pecos, and Miss Ellen Carstens of Houston.

Serving as best man was James Limbaugh, brother of the bridegroom, of Cape Girardeau. Attendants were Andrew Limbaugh, brother of the bridegroom, Douglas Moore, brother of the bride, David Wallace and Steve Tarkington, both of Dallas and Frank Kinder and Thomas Zimmer, both of Cape Girardeau. Ushers were David Limbaugh and Robert Meyer, both of Cape Girardeau, James Holliman, III, of Dallas, and Carey Robertson of Monroe, La.

Candlelighters were Miss Karen Kirby and Miss Kristi Kirby.

A reception followed the wedding in the fellowship hall of the church. Silver appointments were used on tables. Candelabras entwined with smilax and roses of varying shades of pink were placed in epergnes on the tables. White gardenias were floated in the fountain accompanying the wedding cake.



MRS. STEPHEN NATHANIEL LIMBAUGH, JR.
.....nee Miss Marsha Dee Moore

Members of the reception houseparty included Mrs. Welton H. Bunker and Mrs. Audra Moore, both grandmothers of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Young, Mr. and Mrs. Frank James, Mr. and Mrs. George Bunker, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnigan and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson.

Also Mr. and Mrs. George Bunker, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boy Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Clegg, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress and Mrs. Chas. Black, Jr.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson, III, Mrs. Fred Hagelstein, Mr. and Mrs.

L. D. Kirby, Mrs. Billy Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore, Dr. and Mrs. Joe B. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Arledge, Miss Betsy Sikes, Mr. Charles Turland, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cox, III, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cameron of Waco, Mr. Welton Bunker, Jr., of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Nieri of San Marcos, Mrs. Paul Farrar of McMurray, Pa., Mrs. Joe L. Brown of Sanderson and Mrs. Scott Horsburgh of Pecos.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. Brent Moore, Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Kirby of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Young, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Straley, all of Albuquerque, N.M., Mr. and Mrs.

Howard Davis of Pecos, Randal Brookings and Mr. and Mrs. Harding Collins, all of Midland, Mr. Lance Holland of Dallas and Mrs. O. Eugene Slater of San Antonio.

Distributing rice bags were Erin Young of Albuquerque, Bonnie and Katy Cameron of Waco, and Stacy Chapman.

Cake-box masters were Jon D. Horsburgh of Pecos, Les and Mike Moore of Odessa, Jake Young, III, of Albuquerque, Wade Farrar of McMurray, Pa., and Louis Bunker.

Mrs. Limbaugh is a 1972 graduate of Southern Methodist University with a degree in business management. She was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, Angel Flight and Association of Women Students. She served as Sophomore sponsor and as Kappa Alpha Theta house president.

Her husband will receive his degree from SMU in December. He is a member of Alpha Tau Omega and served as sophomore advisor.

Following a wedding trip to the French Riviera, they will return to Washington, D. C., where they will be guests of the bridegroom's parents and grandparents at the American Bar Association Annual Convention. They will be at home in Dallas after August 15.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Rush Limbaugh, grandparents of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Limbaugh, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Merit Leming, Miss Emily Blattner, Miss Beth Johnson, all of Cape Girardeau, Mrs. David Wallace of Dallas, Miss Lynn Dalton of Jackson, Miss. Mr. James Dearien of Dallas, Mrs. Charles Sweeten of Rocksprings, Mrs. Keith Somerville, Miss Bea Lea Somerville, and Miss Carol Collins, all of Midland, Mrs. H. B. Tandy of Abilene, Mr. Jonathan Sheppard of Comanche, Mrs. A. J. Carson of Houston and Mrs. Henry Schooler of Big Lake.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Ozona Country Club Friday night. In addition to the wedding party, guests included Mr. Gary Mitchell and Mrs. David Bean.

The bridesmaids luncheon was given at the Civic Center by Mrs. Jake Young, Mrs. George Bunker, Mrs. Tom Cameron, Mrs. George Bunker, Jr., and Mrs. Roy Henderson.

The bride was honored with a coffee in the home of Mrs. Frank James Friday morning. Other hostesses were Mrs. Hartley Johnigan, Mrs. J. W. Johnigan, Mrs. Joe Boy Chapman, Mrs. Scott Horsburgh, Roberta Johnigan and Gilda Johnigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kirby and daughters, Karen and Kristi, honored the couple with a barbecue supper at their home Wednesday evening.

The bride was honored with a shower at Pandale earlier this month. Hostesses were Mrs. Larry Arledge and her daughters, Mrs. Joe L. Brown, Lara Sue Arledge and Leanne Arledge.

Another party was an ice cream supper at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Joe B. Logan. Other hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Randle Brookings and Miss Sharon Logan.

OZONAN TO ATTEND AG WORKSHOP IN SAN ANTONIO
Vocational agriculture teachers, some 1600 strong, will meet in San Antonio, July 30 through August 3, for the annual conference and in-service education workshop sponsored by the Agriculture Education Department, Texas Education Agency.

Attending the four-day in-service workshop from Ozona will be Jim Leech, Vocational Ag. teacher for Ozona High School.

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D.P.S. Accepting Apps. For Patrolman/Woman

Colonel Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced today the DPS is accepting applications for the post of patrolman.

Applicants selected as cadets will enter 18-weeks of training at the DPS Law Enforcement Academy in Austin in a class tentatively scheduled to begin September 25.

Speir said general qualifications for DPS patrolmen are: Applicants must be 20 through 35 years of age (inclusive); good moral character; excellent physical condition; height not less than 68 inches nor more than 76 inches; weight not less than 150 pounds nor more than 200 pounds per inch of height; visual acuity no worse than 20/40 correctable to 20/20; and a citizen of the United States. Educational qualifications, which are now a minimum of 30 semester hours of college, will increase to 45 semester hours on September 1.

He pointed out that qualified female applicants are now being accepted for the uniformed services of the DPS, and that the department has been increasingly successful in recruiting persons from minority groups.

During the training period, cadets participate in some 850 hours of law enforcement classes on a wide variety of subjects such as criminal and traffic law, human and community relations, and investigative techniques. The schooling includes rigorous physical

Grimmers Tell Engagement

Dr. and Mrs. B. Grimmer have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nan Amanda, to Michael Gregory Tavella, son of Mrs. Nancy Tavella of Manheim, Pa.

The Grimmers live in Pleasant Valley. He is a native of Ozona.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Wellesley College with a bachelor's degree in theology. She is a first-year graduate student at Harvard University Divinity School.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Millersville State College in Pennsylvania. He is a third-year graduate student at Harvard University Divinity School.

Garage Sale-209 Mesquite Saturday, July 28, 10 a.m. until 20-1tp

training, marksmanship, and skills related to pursuit driving.

Some of the classes are taught under an agreement between DPS and St. Edward's University, and Academy graduates receive credit for six semester hours of college work.

After graduation, cadets will be commissioned as probationary patrolman I at a salary of \$719 monthly and assigned to the Highway Patrol, License & Weight Service, Motor Vehicle Inspection Service or Driver License Service according to the needs of DPS and consideration of personal preference.

The salary automatically increases to \$743 per month after six months. Upon completion of 12 months commissioned service, probationary patrolmen are promoted to patrolman I at a salary of \$794 monthly. They become eligible for promotion to sergeant or positions in the DPS Criminal Law Enforcement Division after two years commissioned service.

Officers electing to remain

in a non-supervisory uniformed position are eligible to compete for promotion to patrolman II after 60-months commissioned service.

All DPS officers receive fringe benefits including hospitalization and life insurance, paid vacations and sick leave, and holidays as for all State employees. Uniforms, vehicles and equipment are furnished and patrolmen receive a uniform cleaning allowance. Expenses are paid when away from home station.

In addition, personnel are members of both the State Employees Retirement System and social security.

Speir said prospective applicants should contact any DPS office or patrolman for application forms. The completed material should then be taken to the nearest regional, district or sub-district Department of Public Safety office where the competitive examination is given.

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Crockett Field Gains Producer

Delta-Suburban, Odessa, No. 1-D McMullan, 3/4 mile east of 7,890 Pennsylvania gas production in the Davidson Ranch multipay field of Crockett County, 9.3 miles east-southeast of Ozona, was finalized for calculated, absolute open flow of 1.075 million cubic feet of gas per day, with a trace of liquid. Gravity of the condensate was 56 degrees. Production was through perforations at 7,827 feet to 8,

048 feet, which had been acidized with 2,000 gallons and fractured with 40,000 gallons and 28,500 pounds of sand. Location is 660 feet from the north and west lines of 2-P-TCRR.

CROCKETT COUNTY HOSPITAL NEWS

ADMISSIONS: Roy Parker, Alice Ross, Alice Sparkman, Francisca Morado, Muriel Northrup, Nola Beasley, Harry Joslin, Maximo Loera, Elida Quiroz, Olyne Conaway, Mary T. Dunlap, Josephine Dominguez, Gertrude Perry, T. C. Woods.

DISMISSALS: Modesta Talmantez, Roy Parker, Alice Ross, Alice Sparkman, Francisca Morado, Muriel Northrup & Baby, Nola Beasley, Harry Joslin, Maximo Loera, Elida Quiroz & Baby, Olyne Conaway, Mary T. Dunlap, Josephine Dominguez.

Doctor Gas

The American Medical Association recently conducted a poll of its members on the question of medical care. The replies by most doctors were reasonable but the AMA reports a third of its members say they would quit medicine rather than participate in a national health program.

Anyone who has studied history on the question-nationalized health care-knows this has often been the defiant attitude of doctors before nationalized health service is inaugurated. The overwhelming majority of western nations have adopted such programs, however, and doctors have always changed their minds about quitting, with rare exceptions.

Few doctors are so slow from the mark mentally as to be unaware that they have a gravy train going for them, financially. If they don't have it quite as good under a national health system (and they might), they'll still enjoy a high level of remuneration for their work, and will still like hard cash, and eating regularly.

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Gas Production Properties Sold In Crockett Co.

Tomlinson Oil Co. and Kathol Petroleum, Inc. have announced the joint purchase of gas properties in the Ozona field of Crockett County, for \$2.3 million.

Acquired from Pan Ocean Oil Corp. of New York were 25,000 acres of proven and semi-proven gas production, 220 miles of pipeline and gathering lines, a compressor system and a liquid extraction plant.

Operation of the property will be transferred Aug. 1.

The property has 42 gas wells which average 20 barrels of condensate per million cubic feet of gas. The proven area has reserves estimated at 200 billion cubic feet.

The pipelines are designed to collect gas from the 42 producers and 43 additional wells owned by other operators. The extraction plant is designed to process 30 million cubic feet per day.

The presidents of the two firms, Warren Tomlinson and Gerald Kathol, said the acquisition was made to broaden base of operations.

"Indecisive government policies on tax shelters for risk capital in the oil business and the increased high cost of discovering new production dictates this change of operating policy," Tomlinson said.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Carpenter and children, Don and Cindy, of Durant, Okla. will be here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Clayton and family during the rodeo festivities.

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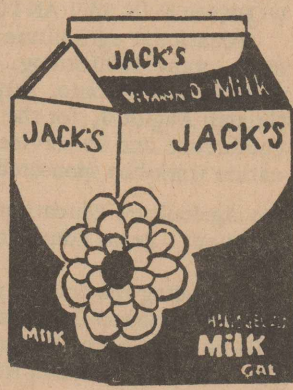
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