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## Confirmer Set In Davidson Ranch Field

Dan J. Harrison, Jr., Houston, will drill the No. 1 C. E. Davidson, III, as a location north offset to the triple opener of the Davidson Ranch (7890 Pennsylvanian, 6200 Canyon and 8606 detrital gas) field of Crockett County, six miles southeast of Ozona.

Location is 660 feet from the south and west lines of 4-KL-GC&SF. Contract depth is 8,700 feet; ground elevation 2,491 feet.

The field, with more than 55 Pennsylvanian gas wells, has one detrital and seven Canyon wells.

The discovery, Texaco Inc. No. 1-1 C. E. Davidson, was finalized Dec. 21, 1964, from 6200 Canyon for a calculated, absolute open flow of 520,000 cubic feet of gas per day through perforations at 6,201-361 feet; from the Pennsylvanian for a calculated, absolute open flow of 2.15 million cubic feet of gas per day, with gas-distillate ratio of 35,600-1 through perforations at 7,890-916 feet; and from the detrital for a calculated, absolute open flow of 690,000 cubic feet of gas per day, with gas-distillate rate of 61,430-1, through perforations at 8,606-636 feet.

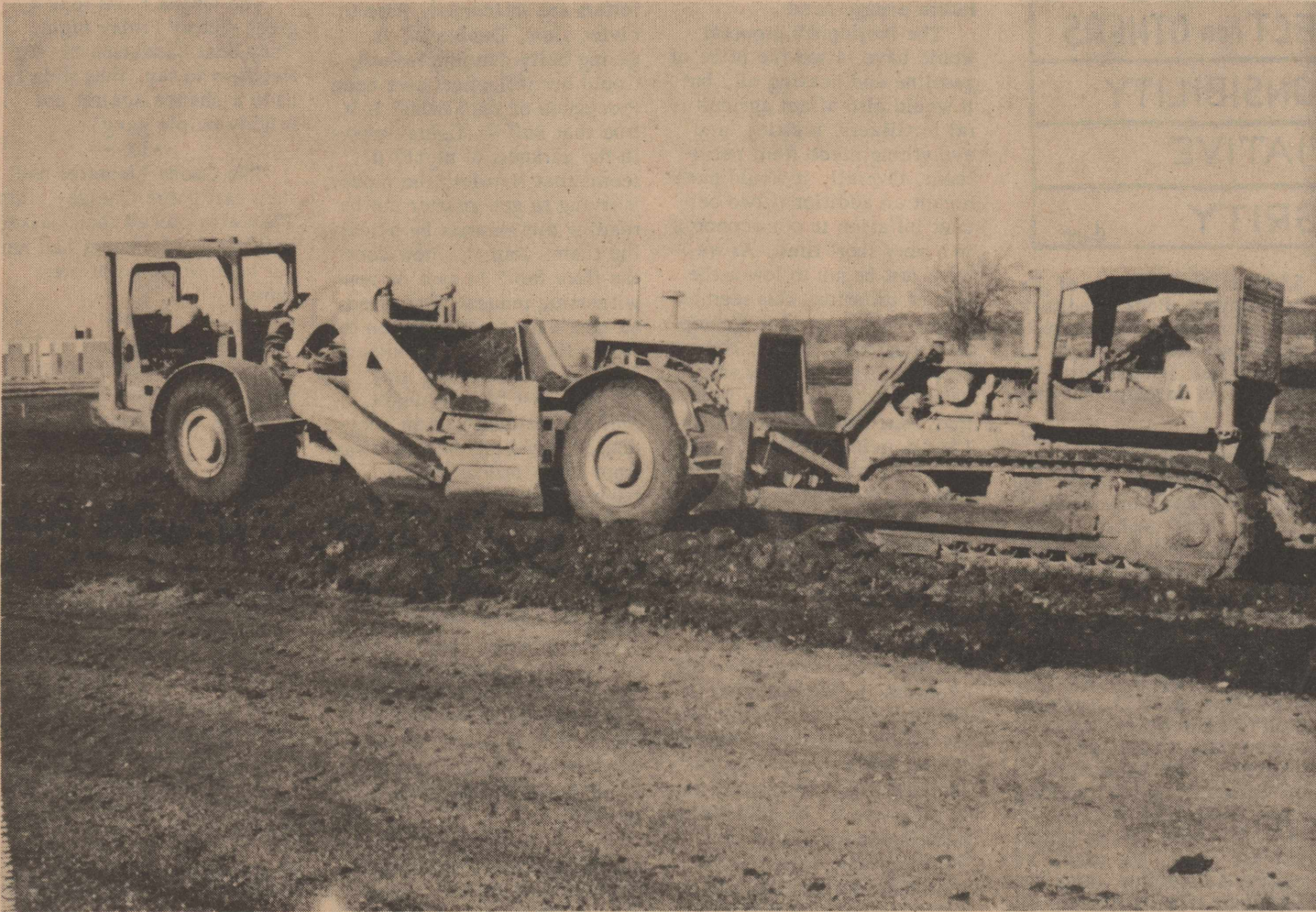
## Lions Win One And Lose One In Week

The Ozona Lion basketball teams, varsity and junior varsity, won one and lost one in last week's play. Last Tuesday the Lions were in McCamey, but the Badgers squeaked by them 57-56. The Lions played on their home court Friday and trounced Sanderson 91-43. McCamey beat the JV 46-41, but they came back to beat the Sanderson junior varsity 44-25.

The Lions played Sonora here Tuesday night, and all teams, including freshmen, will travel to Big Lake Friday for the last games of the season. After coming in second in the first half of district play, the Lions are 0-2 coming into the last two games of the year.

Leading scorers for the Lion varsity in the McCamey tilt were Richard Sanchez with 17 points and Ronaldo Cervantez with 10. Frankie Garza led the scoring Friday night with 23 points.

Leading scorer for the J. V. in McCamey was John Galvan, who totaled 16 points. Vaden Aldridge scored 10 points for the J. V. Lions against Sanderson.



MACHINES WHICH CHANGE THE FACE OF THE EARTH Sometimes need a little extra power when hauling a lot a mountain of good earth. Here the gigantic dirt hauler gets an assist from a bull dozer. Dirt is being taken from the bed of Gurlley Draw and dumped on the surface of what

used to be Powell Field where it is being leveled and formed up as a roadbed for IS 10 in the south part of town. Work has progressed on the new super highway east of Ozona until activity has become centered in the south part of town. The Zachry Co. workers have a good-size audience almost daily.

## Complaints Aired During Commissioners Court Meeting

The Crockett County Commissioners Court met Monday in regular monthly session with all members present. A group of petitioners, headed by V. I. Pierce, appeared and presented petitions requesting more work on county roads than has been done in the past.

According to a report on the meeting by County Judge Troy Williams, the court pointed out to the petitioners that the record breaking rains in the fall had created problems with county roads, but the county road department is making rapid progress in repairing all county roads.

The court directed the Judge to prepare a letter and a telegram protesting the rate increase by General Telephone without first providing better service, to be read at a hearing on telephone rate regulation next Monday in Austin. Rep. Jim Nugent, chairman of the House Transportation Committee, will preside over public hearings on the subject.

During the hospital report, the ambulance service was discussed at length. Complaints about lack of equipment and service were turned over the hospital administrator Keith Peters. The court gave Peters

supervision of the service and he will establish guidelines for weekly inspection of the ambulance to insure it is fully equipped and ready at all times. It was suggested that an attendant should accompany the ambulance driver on all calls in order to meet Blue Cross requirements. Peters was instructed to explore the possibility of hiring additional personnel in order to furnish another ambulance attendant.

A new pay scale, as approved by the Hospital Board, was adopted. The scale provides for a \$2 per hour wage for all beginning employees, and a 5 percent raise every six months if requested by the hospital board.

## Heart Fund Drive Feb. 16-23

The Heart Fund Drive, sponsored here each year by the Ozona Woman's Forum, will be held this year from February 16 through Feb. 23.

Members will be canvassing business and residential sections during this period. Mrs. Bonnie Warth is chairman for the drive.

Sonny Kirklen appeared before the Court and requested permission to put the driveway openings in for the new truck stop being built on Taylor Box Road. Permission was granted.

Dudley McCary was instructed to secure bids on the approximately 4,000 pounds of fertilizer he proposes to put on the parks.

The Court approved the low bid of White's Auto for five new lawn mowers. Bids were opened for two new dump trucks. Stuart Motor was awarded the purchase, submitting the lowest and best bid. Donations for the erection of a roof over the grandstand at the rodeo arena fell through and the Court agreed to refund money donated by the Lions Club and the Roping Club.

Swimming pool operators for the summer were hired. Tommy Wilson will be in charge of the north pool and Joe Borrego at the south pool.

Ozona National Bank was approved as the County and School Depository for the next two years. The bank agreed to pay 5 1/2 percent interest on time deposits made by the county.

## C of C Banquet At Civic Center

A large crowd of local and area residents is expected tonight for the 11th Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet to be held at 7 o'clock at the Civic Center.

Principal speaker will be C. W. Brown, independent oil operator and banker, from McCamey. Brown's business accomplishments and civic activities are outstanding and span a period of over fifty years. He has been especially interested in the progress of West Texas, and those present may expect to hear something of the business and civic progress over the past fifty years in this area of the state.

J. D. Brown, outgoing president will make the welcome address and introduce Mr. Brown, the speaker, following a dinner catered by John Held and his staff.

At some point in the banquet program, the winner of the Crockett County logo contest will be announced and recognized.

## School Board Election Will Be Held April 5

The school board trustee election has been called for Saturday, April 5, and will be the first election in this off year for Crockett County voters.

The three trustees whose terms expire have all filed for re-election. They are John Lee Henderson, Jr. Louis Martinez and Johnny Jones, who was appointed to fill out the term of Charles E. Davidson, III. Davidson resigned from the board several months ago after serving numerous terms. He was president of the board.

March 4, is the final day to file for a place on the ballot. All trustees serve two-year terms.

Holdover members are Joe Bean, Sam Perner, C. R. Fuantoz, and George Bunger, Jr.

## Garden School Set Monday At Civic Center

"Grow Your Own Groceries" will be the theme of the Spring Garden School to be held at the Civic Center Monday, February 17, according to county extension agents Debra Price and Bill Reagor.

The garden school from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Monday will teach step-by-step methods for growing a successful home vegetable garden in West Texas. The brand new drip irrigation method of watering will be described and a drip irrigation system installed in a local backyard garden.

Dr. William Peavy, Extension Horticulture Specialist will conduct the school.

"We were surprised, but glad, to see 40 people show up for our first garden meeting three weeks ago," said county extension agent Reagor. "This shows a healthy interest in home gardening," the agent said.

"All varieties of vegetables are not adapted to West Texas," according to county Extension agent Debra Price. "The home gardeners should select the best adapted, also the most nutritious and tasty.

Everyone interested in learning how to grow their own food is invited to this meeting at no charge. For additional information, call your county extension office at 392-2721.

## Hospital Nursing Wing Nears Completion; Donations Needed

As the finish date nears for the nursing home wing at Crockett County Hospital, a name for the facility has been selected. The facility will be known as the Crockett County Care Center.

The thirty-six bed center will have four private rooms and 20 semi-private rooms, plus dining room, recreation rooms, lounges, a terrace, etc.

Donations for furnishings are being taken now. The furnishings have been contracted for \$32,865 and the drapes at \$3,300. In addition to funds for these items, money will be necessary to pay for linens, paintings, washer-dryer laundry equipment, wheel chairs, and numerous other medical supplies.

Proposed open date is May 1, and the hospital board is most anxious to receive donations and/or memorials from those who wish to be a part of completing the facility. All financial help is solicited.

## Taliaferro On A.F. Academy Honor List

U. S. Air Force Academy, Colo. -- Cadet William C. Taliaferro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Taliaferro of Ozona, Tex., has been named to the Commandant's List for his outstanding military performance at the U. S. Air Force Academy.



Cadet Taliaferro, a member of the class of 1978, will wear a silver wreath designating the honor accorded him by the Commandant of Cadets, The 1974 graduate of Ozona High School will be commissioned a second lieutenant and awarded a B. S. degree upon his graduation from the academy.

Donations will be accepted to furnish entire rooms as well as smaller donations for the purchase of various miscellaneous items. All donations will be acknowledged.

Pledges and memorial donations are being taken now by Keith Peters, hospital administrator, at the Crockett County Hospital, and by board member Pleas Childress, III, at the Ozona National Bank.

## FBI Wanted Person Picked Up Here Sun.

A man wanted in at least three states in connection with various federal larceny charges was apprehended here Sunday after he fled the D. P. S. building. The man and a companion were picked up on the way out of town after a National Crime Information Center check revealed the man's record.

Jack Ray Cody and a companion entered the DPS facility about 1:30 Sunday afternoon, asking for gasoline to get out of town on. Apparently the men became suspicious when DPS personnel began preparing the NCIC check and fled the building. Shortly afterward the return indicated Cody was wanted, and Crockett County Sheriff Department officials picked them up just outside of town.

Cody was in Crockett County Jail until late Monday when FBI Agent Dick Burnett of San Angelo took him into custody.

Anyone wishing to contribute may do so at either place.

Some projected costs are: \$725 for furnishing a semi-private room and \$484 for private room furnishings. The extra costs for furnishing the semi-private rooms take in the cost of two hospital beds. The private rooms will have regular beds. The recreation room furnishings will cost \$3037, and the day room furnishings, \$1,000. The staff and patient dining area will cost \$1,262 to furnish. Hair dryers, barber chair, etc., for the personal service room will run \$475.

Clubs and civic organizations will be asked to help with the care center's furnishings. Also, local artists are urged to contribute some of their works for wall areas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell are furnishing the lounge completely in memory of Mr. Mitchell's father, the late John Mitchell, early day Crockett County rancher and landowner.

Plaques are available for memorials, and will be attached to all doors where furnishings have been donated. Memorial donations will be announced by card to the family of the deceased, and amounts not specified by the donor will go into the general fund. Plaques will be furnished for a piece of furniture or a painting as well as a completely furnished room.

The Ozona Woman's Forum has taken the responsibility of forming a hospital auxiliary. (CONTINUED ON LAST PAGE)

## Bicentennial Program Today At High School

Crockett County will receive official State and National Recognition as a Bicentennial Community today, Thursday, February 13, when representatives from the State office in Arlington, Texas, will be in Ozona for presentation ceremonies.

At 2:45 p.m. in the High School Auditorium, junior and senior high school students and all interested citizens will hear the speaker tell of various phases of Bicentennial observances and ways in which our community can share in them. The assembly will be under the direction of the high school student council whose members will lead in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the group singing of "America the Beautiful."

Also, the Crockett County Soil Conservation Service will

announce the winners of their Soil Conservation Essay Contest and present certificates and checks to the winners.

Interest in celebrating our Country's 200th Anniversary is growing throughout the nation and Crockett County already has a number of projects under way as part of our participation. The Steering Committee is hopeful that other projects will soon be adopted by organizations and individuals, cleared with the Committee in order to avoid duplication of effort, and implemented as soon as possible. The community can reap the benefits for many years to come.

Members of the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission of Texas have all been invited to participate in this local observance.



HOME GARDENERS ARE GETTING READY TO GROW THEIR OWN GROCERIES in Ozona. County Agent Billy Reagor, center, gives instructions on the new drip-irrigation method to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Montgomery in their garden back of their home on Beall St. The large growthy plants in the foreground are collards and sprang up from last year's seed. Otherwise, the garden spot is completely prepared and ready for the next step.



MRS. BROWNIE HARVICK IS RECOGNIZED by the Texas Sheep & Goat Raiser's Association at its annual meeting in Austin last week. The bronze plaque Mrs. Harvick is holding was presented to her by the Association for her many years work in the state auxiliary and the national auxiliary. She has served as president for both associations, traveled all over the country promoting wool and mohair and the Make It Yourself With Wool contest. For years she was active in the Miss Wool and Miss Mohair contests.



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**WHAT'S AN EDITOR TO DO?**

An editor's job is not and never has been an easy one; but today it's tougher than ever.

If you don't believe it, consider this. Every grass roots editor we know tries his very best to be of genuine service to his readers, to the community, and to the country. At the same time he endeavors to be loyal to the high standards of the profession of responsible journalism.

Part of the code of responsible journalism pertains to the public's "right to know." The idea is that in a republic, freedom is maintained by an informed and alerted people. It's all based on the premise that "the truth shall make ye free."

Now let's turn to the problem of some of the textbooks which fat-cat publishers are selling to public school systems. As you know, parents in many communities have been, literally, "up in arms" over the books. Logically, the only way you, the reader, will be able to reach an intelligent decision as to whether certain books should or should not be used in public schools is through knowledge of the contents. It follows then, that in order to fulfill our newspaper responsibility, we should print the material so that you can see and judge for yourself — right?

Not necessarily. *Editor and Publisher*, leading trade publication for our industry, says:

"We don't know of any newspaper of general circulation that is prepared to print the stuff verbatim."

Now, when material found in school textbooks is so foul, so filthy, so vulgar, that a newspaper can't print it, what is an editor to do?

Mr. Reed Irvine, editor of *AIM Report* monthly journal of Accuracy in Media, examined some of the books and then wrote:

"We debated reproducing some of these quotations, but we decided against it. They are too foul for this publication."

In Montgomery County, Maryland, concerned parents printed a pamphlet quoting material from three books bought by the school system. The local editor blasted the handbill, denouncing it as "disgusting" and calling it "an incredible piece of garbage."

At the same time, he refused requests of the parents to print the material in his paper, saying that "it would be the height of irresponsibility" to do so.

If you were an editor, what would you do?

**THE CIA CONTROVERSY**

To paraphrase William Shakespeare, the current flap over the Central Intelligence Agency is "full of sound and fury" and almost certainly signifies very little.

Just about everyone knows by now that the CIA stands accused of improper activities including domestic spying. What many — including some publicity-seeking politicians — seem to have forgotten is that the CIA is on our side. Both the Senate and White House have established panels to investigate the CIA. The House is considering similar action.

The irony in all the impassioned rhetoric about the CIA's alleged improprieties is that Congress at the same time apparently has turned a deaf ear to recent warnings about the CIA's Russian counterpart, the KGB — the real threat to America's security. FBI Director Clarence Kelley warns that his agency is now spread too thin to adequately monitor the activities of the flood of KGB agents in the United States.

And don't think the KGB agents aren't effective. In a recent interview with radio commentator Philip C. Clarke, a New Mexico law enforcement official, who, as an FBI official, used to handle liaison with the CIA, said, "I've acquired a deep respect for the capabilities of the Communist Bloc intelligence services, particularly the KGB."

"There is no question about it," continued the official, Sam J. Papish, "it's the largest and very likely the most effective intelligence body that's ever existed in this world. So if you start destroying the capabilities of the FBI, the CIA, and related services, we're certainly placed in a vulnerable position."

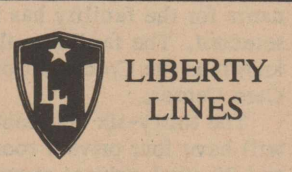
How many members of Congress have you seen on the six o'clock news calling for a beefed-up FBI to deal with this genuine threat?

No agency of government — including the CIA — should be beyond the reach of the law. But surely there are administrative ways to bring them into line when necessary. Our fear is that all the thrashing around we are going to see by these investigators over the coming months almost certainly will blow the lid off some legitimate CIA activities vital to our national security.

The bosses of the KGB must be laughing in their vodka tonight.

**THE U.S. — SOVIET STRATEGIC BALANCE**

"The impressive trend of new Soviet strategic weapons developments is very important to notice. Since 1956, when the first Soviet missile appeared, we have seen over 30 new missiles of all types. The U.S. research and development effort has produced less than half this number in the same time period."



**Feeding The Hand That Bites Us**

By ROBERT M. BARTELL  
WASHINGTON, D.C. (Liberty Lobby News Service)—The extension of the Export-Import Bank bill would have enabled the State Department to continue low-interest, long-term loans to the Soviet Union . . . friend and customer of the international bankers.

Through the Export-Import Bank, the United States gave Russia \$597 million in loans between May, 1973 and May, 1974. But, that's not a staggering figure compared to what the Soviets had planned to drain from the American taxpayer through our State Department.

The Soviets had planned to purchase 40 American passenger jets on credit, \$1 billion in air traffic control equipment and technology, \$500 million of U.S. help in building a Siberian truck plant and the development of natural gas fields in Siberia to the tune of \$16 billion.

This adds up to a lot of help to be giving a country that is dedicated to conquering us. And, the final unnerving aspect of the Export-Import Bank bill is that Congress would have no control over any dealings made by the President or the State Department!

And yet, the bill almost went through. After considerable pressure from the State Department and money hungry businessmen, it passed the House of Representatives. But, the Senate placed some restrictions on it. Most important of these was the chairman of the Ozona Red Cross Chapter at a meeting here Saturday.

29 yrs. ago  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Littleton entertained a large number of their friends at two separate dinner parties Friday and Saturday nights at the Oberkamp home.

29 yrs. ago  
Mrs. J. E. Ripple of San Angelo, mother of junior high school principal Joe Ripple, has donated six volumes of Jack London's works to the High School Library.

29 yrs. ago  
Funeral services for Miss Claudia Everett, 56, were held Friday afternoon from the First Baptist Church in Ozona.

29 yrs. ago  
Loffland Drilling Co. of Fort Worth has applied for permits to drill two more wildcats in south central Crockett County.

29 yrs. ago  
Mason has withdrawn from District 4-B and Big Lake has been added. Ozona's district schedule for the season begins Oct. 4, with Big Lake there.

29 yrs. ago  
Scott Peters left this week for Dallas where he will join other members of the Texas Bankers Assn. on a tour of district association meetings.

29 yrs. ago  
No. 22 J. S. Todd in western Crockett County has been completed in the Erlenburger with a daily flowing of 543, 24 barrels of 42.1 gravity oil.

29 yrs. ago  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones entertained with a birthday party at the courthouse Friday afternoon for their daughter Jan.

29 yrs. ago  
Pvt. and Mrs. Tommy Harris are the parents of a son, Bradley Cullen, born Saturday morning in a San Angelo hospital.

29 yrs. ago  
Lee Wilson, Ozona automobile dealer, was elected

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**Bob Krueger Reports**

U. S. Representative  
21st District

The President announced that he would impose increased taxes on foreign oil, rising from one to three dollars a barrel over the next three months, and would allow domestic oil prices to rise to that level. The Congress voted very strongly to prevent this imposition of additional taxes at this time. I would like to talk about this vote and about our future energy needs.

The President's proposal would have raised the price of gasoline and heating oil, but it would also affect agricultural fertilizers, plastics, and everything made from petroleum. Overall, it would have meant an additional two percent inflation in our economy in a very short time. As we have just begun to lower the rate of inflation, this seemed to me the wrong time to stop that progress. Further, the President's proposals would have made Texans pay more than New Englanders for oil. I am convinced that the energy prices are not going to drop much in the next two or three years. The days of very low priced energy, such as we Americans have enjoyed for many years, are largely passed. There are, however, several things we can do in the short term to improve our situation: 1. We can give incentives to people to improve the insulation in their buildings so that there is less heat loss in winter and less cooling loss in summer. 2. We can change building codes so that new buildings will require better insulation before they can receive government financing. 3. We can all conserve more. 4. We must find means of rechanneling the money that we are now paying out to the Middle East, into the USA. We need these funds as capital for badly needed investment in new factories and agricultural production. 5. We may require some adjustment in present pollution control equipment on cars to make them more energy saving.

In a future report I will try to describe some of the important and exciting ways in which our country can look to better and cheaper energy five to ten years from now. At this time, it is essential that we do all that we can to conserve, and to recognize that there are no easy short term answers to the major international problems of energy.

That could be good news for a change. Every time there is a Soviet Union-American trade deal, the Soviets get the flowers and we get the fertilizer.

Obviously, the "Kissinger brand of diplomacy" is becoming tarnished thanks to two of Kissinger's most ardent supporters, Senators Henry Jackson (D-Wash.) and Jacob Javits (R-N.Y.) . . . who insisted the Trade Bill force the Soviets to relax emigration standards.

It appears the Soviet Union has done something for Americans that even the Congress of the United States couldn't do.

More people might worry about the size of the national debt if the size of their own debts wasn't worry enough.

The ignorance that is bliss usually leads to knowledge that is painful.

Inflation is when you have money to burn and can't afford to buy matches.

Truth has only to change hands a few times to become fiction.

Some folks lie in wait; others lie in weight.

Some people get on the right track and go in the wrong direction.

The pioneers who blazed the trails now have descendants that burn up the roads.

If there must be warfare in the world, let it be between good and evil and not between nations.

The chill winds of adversity usually blows off a lot of high hats.

By the time most folks learn to behave themselves, they are too old to do anything else.

The kind of behavior that once brought shame and disgrace now brings a book, movie and a television contract.

Dust on your Bible is not evidence that it is a dry book.

If Columbus had turned back, no one would have blamed him, but no one would have remembered him.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK--Keep your face to the sunshine and you will never see the shadows.

**THE LIONS ROAR**  
by Virginia H. Suzanne W. Debbie M. Debra C.

Happy birthday, Bill Dudley, Karen Kirby, Tracy Talley, Dan Crowder and Jimmy Ortiz.

--LR--  
Gossip: Tia Sharp and Dan C. started the civics class wrestling matches. At press time Tia S. got in the last punch. By the way, Dan C. is in Room 103--all cards and letters are welcomed. Also in civics class, Debbie M. is giving belly dancing lessons. Could her influence have been Procession of the Sardar? Is it true that Buff K. fights turkeys in the darkness of night? It seems that Hamlet, the mouse, is trying to get smarter not by reading dictionaries by eating them. Dan C., how does the floor feel? In case of non-witnessing readers, Dan tried to kick a piece of paper on the floor. He accidentally kicked himself down. During play practice last Monday night, Buff and Belinda had an accident. They were running away from Mr. Clark and both tripped over a pipe outside the building. We think they should win a gold medal for flips. It seems that the track boys have a habit of singing in the Showers? Coach Richey, "Please Release Them." Tickets are now on sale for the senior play. There has been a change in the price for students. Adults are \$2.00 and students are \$1.00. Please, make haste and buy your tickets early.

--LR--  
Valentine Rhymes: Sugar is sweet and so are you. Sugar is sweet but it sure ain't cheap. -Anne T. Having happy bappy day is when you see big mama fly, pulling a flying Valentine across the sky. -Rosie R. Roses are red, violets are blue,

--LR--  
goodbye Mrs. Spieker, we'll miss you. Dear OHS I think you are great. How about a nice valentine and let me graduate. -Debra C. My heart is like a block of sugar. Come here you little booger. -Debbie M. Roses are red and violets are blue. My heart is cracked and so are you.

--LR--  
The Ozona Lions took a great victory Friday night. They beat Sanderson 91-43. Needless to say, they didn't have a chance against our mighty purple gang!

--LR--  
The Ozona Lionettes had their last game Tuesday night. They also picked their basketball beau. The honor had not yet been revealed at press time.

--LR--  
Girls, do you want to lose ten pounds of ugly fat? Then cut off your head! (Comments of Rex Parker.)

--LR--  
Marine PFC Emilio Tambunga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Renal Rumbunga of Ozona, reported for duty with the 3rd Marine Division on Okinawa. A 1974 graduate of Ozona High School, he joined the Marine Corps in June, 1974.

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--LR--  
The slaughter of grass-fed cattle, calves and yearlings increased sharply during the past year due to high feed costs and low prices for feeder animals.

Will there be a change in 1975?  
"The same trend in commercial slaughter will continue but increases will be even more drastic than in 1974," points out Dr. Ed Uvacek, livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Since there will be fewer animals moving to feedlots, beef supplies will come primarily from bulls, cows, calves and non-fed steers and heifers," notes the Texas A&M University System specialist.

Uvacek expects the slaughter of non-fed or grass-fed steers and heifers to increase a whopping 56 per cent over 1974, while calf slaughter should increase 33 per cent and cow slaughter, 32 per cent. The slaughter of bulls is expected to increase 12 per cent. On the other hand, the specialist sees little change in the level of fed steers and heifers available for slaughter in 1975.

A total of 42 million head of cattle are expected to move to slaughter in 1975, an increase of 14 per cent over the past year. An additional four million head of calves will also be slaughtered, up a million head from 1974.

"All this points to a reduction in the nation's beef cattle herd which has grown too rapidly in the past two years. The resulting oversupply situation has been largely responsible for current low market prices," contends Uvacek.

And the court ruled that the motorist had indeed overreacted. The court said that while he may have been justified in taking the boy directly to his parents, carrying him off to the police station was uncalled for.

It is human nature, when a person is provoked, to retaliate. Generally speaking, the law has no objection.

But the retaliation must be in reasonable proportion to the original provocation. Otherwise, says the law, a minor incident may escalate swiftly into a major conflict.

For example:  
A home owner, called a mocking name by his neighbor, retaliated by bashing the neighbor over the head with a shovel. For this, the home owner was later held liable in a courtroom.

In another case, a man responded to a push by knocking the pusher down and then—when he was lying helpless—kicking him in the face. Again, a court ruled that the man must pay for "the sheer vindictiveness which led him to take the law into his own hands."

On the other hand, the victim of the original offense does not have to calculate his retaliation to a fine point. In judging his response, the law will make fair allowance for the tensions of the moment and a normal degree of error.

As Oliver Wendell Holmes once put it:  
"Detached reflection cannot be expected in the presence of an uplifted knife."

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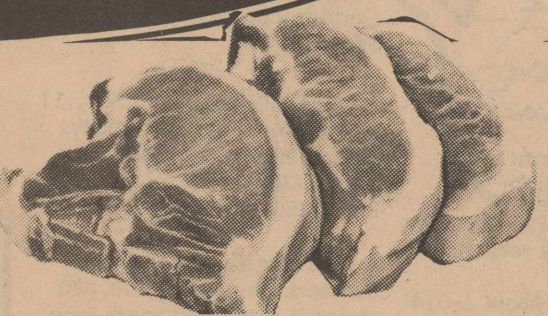
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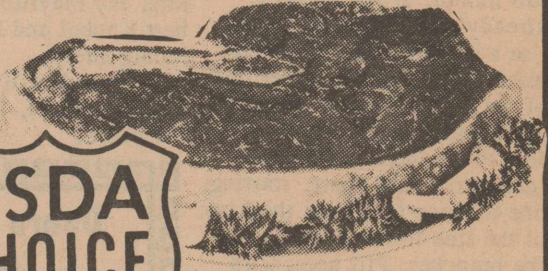
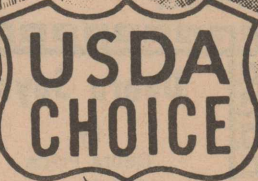
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**Tips For Gardeners**

From the Ozona Garden Club by Mrs. Bailey Post

Since there have been such a few days clear and warm enough to work out of doors, chores have piled up in a hurry.

Start your feeding program this month, if you haven't already, especially for trees. Use a well balanced fertilizer, using about one pound per inch of the circumference of the tree. Punch holes in the soil four to six inches deep, six inches to a foot apart, starting one to three feet from the base of the tree to the drip line of the branches. Fill holes with fertilizer and water well.

For shrubs, place fertilizer evenly over the ground utilized by the root system and lightly work into the soil, not disturbing the roots.

Apply fertilizer to perennials including bulbs that have been planted a year or more and new growth appears above the ground. Scatter the fertilizer evenly and except in grassed areas, cultivate it shallowly into the surface.

Delay fertilizer for azaleas and camellias until after they are through blooming. The fertilizer used last fall and spring after blooming should produce fine blooms.

It is not too late to use the dormant spray on fruit, nut and shade trees and shrubs.

Notice vegetable gardeners in our city are very busy cultivating and planting their garden areas. Lefty Walker was seen buying his onion plants last week. Seeds of all kinds are now available in the stores and from catalogues. After all the good rains gardens should produce an abundance of home grown vegetables.

If enough interest is shown, the Garden Club would be delighted to have a vegetable and fruit division in the flower show the seventeenth of April. So all you gardeners start planning for a little competition.

You, who are participating in the soil conservation tree growing project, be sure not to forget them. Several men should be on the alert and come up with their share of seedlings. Beth Boyd couldn't wait for the 45 days the seed were to stay in the refrigerator so she planted part of them and already has some seedlings up. Her mother, Mrs. O. D. West, says she will soon have a forest. We hope you will report on the results of the seed planting and how growth progresses.

**FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB**  
Mrs. L. L. Bryant was hostess for the Friday Bridge Club at the Civic Center last week. Winning high score prize was Mrs. Bailey Post. Second high went to Mrs. Evert White and bingo to Mrs. O. D. West.

Others playing were Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mrs. T. J. Bailey, Mrs. J. B. Miller, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Lee Childress and guests, Mrs. Larry Arledge, Mrs. Ivy Mayfield, Mrs. Herbert Kunkel and Mrs. Beecher Montgomery.

The club will meet next week with Mrs. T. J. Bailey at her home.

**Debra Says**  
by Debra Price HD Agent

Let me remind you of the Spring Garden School, to be held Monday, February 17, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Civic Center. Dr. William Peavy, Extension Horticulture Specialist will conduct the school.

Used and unfinished furniture often looks better antiques or frosted, rather than just stained. Both techniques are easy.

The antiquing and frosting processes both begin with a completely dry enameled piece of furniture. Then prepare a mixture of three tablespoons turpentine, one tablespoon varnish and one teaspoon of oil color. Choose dark oil colors such as raw umber or black if the furniture is to be antiqued. White oil or any colored primer or enamel will give a frosted look.

Apply the turpentine-varnish-oil color mixture with a paint brush, an old stocking, cheesecloth, or crumpled paper. Work from the center of a surface to the edges, finishing small sections at a time.

If the furniture has a curved or carved surface, remove excess glaze from the depressions with a dry brush. When the whole piece has been glazed and has thoroughly dried, apply a water clear varnish to protect it. Avoid ordinary varnish or shellac, for they will show yellow and water spots.

After the varnish dries, rub the antiqued or frosted furniture with 0000 rated steel wool to produce a stain appearance.

Consumers may have one bright spot in the bleak economic picture for 1975.

Indications are that apparel will be offered at substantially reduced prices during the first six months of the year. Retail sales were slow during

1974--consumers weren't spending their take-home pay on clothing. Purchases were postponed, leaving retailers with huge inventories that have to be moved.

Careful shopping with an eye to quality workmanship can help consumers find good clothing buys during the first half of 1975.

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Corn Dogs  
Macaroni & Cheese  
Blackeyed Peas  
Cabbage Salad  
Fruit Cup  
Cornbread

**Tuesday:**  
Chicken Spaghetti  
Buttered Peas  
Vegetable Salad  
Fruit Cup  
Hot Rolls

**Wednesday:**  
Hamburger on Bun  
Buttered Corn  
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles  
Peaches

**Thursday:**  
Pinto Beans  
Weiners  
Cabbage Slaw  
Jello  
Cornbread

**Friday:**  
Meat Loaf  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
White Cake  
Hot Rolls

**CARD OF THANKS**

May we express our sincere appreciation for the many kindnesses extended to us upon the death of our loved one. For the food, the beautiful floral offerings, and the many acts of sympathy, we are eternally grateful.

Sincerely,  
The family of  
Lester Allen

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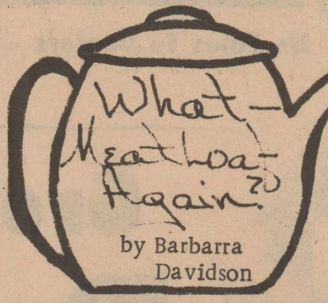
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Mrs. Charlie Black  
Memorials Chair.



**BRAISED CELERY PARMIGIANA**

(Serve with any roast or fish)

1 stalk celery (about 1-3/4 lb.)

3 whole cloves  
1 bay leaf, crumbled  
1/2 tsp. peppercorns  
1 small carrot, sliced  
1 small onion, chopped  
3 oz. salt pork

3 c. boiling chicken broth  
1/2 c. grated Parmesan cheese  
Wash celery and trim top and bottom of stalk. Cut crosswise into thirds. (Use leaves for preparing soups, stuffing or as a garnish.) Tie celery ribs into 6 bunches with string. Tie cloves, bay leaf and peppercorns in a cheesecloth bag.

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Put all ingredients except cheese in a 10x7 1/2-in. baking dish. Cover with aluminum foil. Bake in a 375 degree oven for 1 hour. Let the celery cool in the broth.

(Can be made ahead to this point.)

Remove the salt pork, chop into small pieces and saute slowly in a small skillet until crisp.

Pour off the broth and vegetables from celery, saving them for soup or sauces. Remove the strings from the celery and arrange bunches back in the baking dish. Sprinkle with crisp salt pork and Parmesan cheese. Place in a 375 degree oven until it is heated through and browned, 25-30 minutes. Garnish with celery leaves. Serves 6.

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If your faith has taught you to observe Lent: by foregoing pleasures or adding new religious experiences or both . . . those Six Sundays are occasions for taking inventory of your spiritual progress.

If yours is a religious background that does not emphasize Lent, those Six Sundays are still milestones on the way to the great Christian celebration of Christ's Resurrection—Easter!

And if, perchance, you have never given much attention to spiritual matters, those Six Sundays (and the thoughtful days between) are an invitation from your Lord . . . to walk with Him the path He walked for You.

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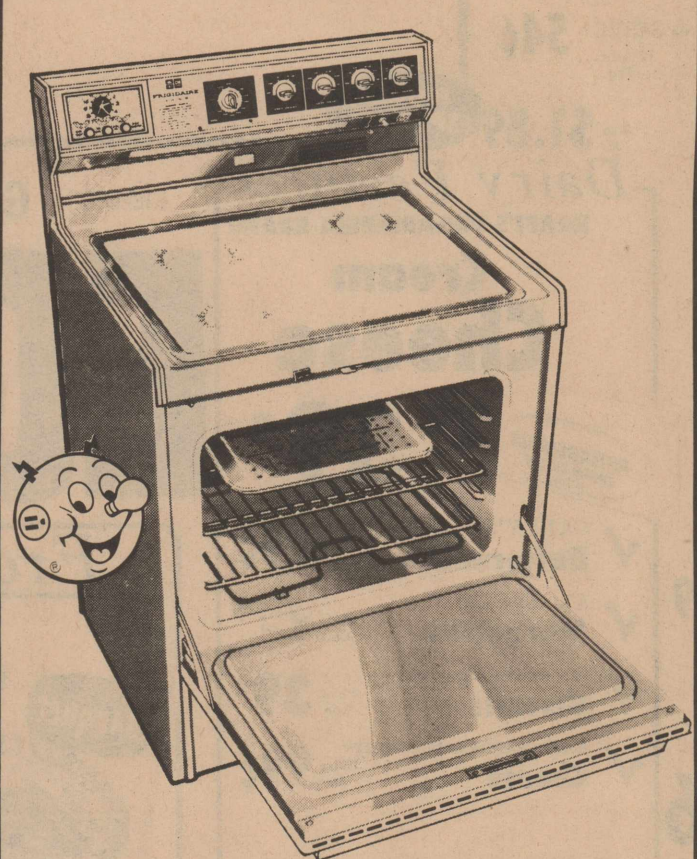
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**BAKING.** Plan your oven meals. A complete meal can be cooked in the oven as economically as one food item. Get foods into the oven as soon as it's preheated - or don't preheat at all.

**BOILING.** When cooking vegetables, use a small amount of water. It takes less time to bring them to a boil. As soon as water reaches the boiling point, you can cut the setting back. When boiling water for coffee or tea, heat only as much as you need. Remember, too, that water comes to a boil quicker in a covered pan.

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## Garden Club Meets Mon.

The Ozona Garden Club met Monday at the Civic Center with Mrs. Armond Hoover, Jr., Mrs. Steve Kenle and Mrs. Bob Childress as hosts.

was presented by Mrs. Charles Williams. The program on horticulture was given by Mrs. Gene Lilly, entitled "Pillar and Tree Gardening."

Other members present included Mrs. Larry Williams, Mrs. Bonnie Warth, Mrs. George Bean, Mrs. L.B. Cox, Jr., Mrs. Fleet Coates, Mrs. Maggie Crawford, Mrs. Ben Bohmfalk, Mrs. J.W. Howell, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. Starley

Lenamon, Mrs. Bailey Post, Mrs. J.C. Schroeder, Mrs. O.D. West, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. James Kay, Mrs. Terie Dickerson, Mrs. J.R. Hinds, Mrs. Glenn Sutton, Mrs. Richard Mayfield, Mrs. S.M. Harvick, Mrs. Vic Pierce and Mrs. Lee Childress.

## Forum Meets With Mrs. Jones

The Ozona Woman's Forum met February 4 in the home of Mrs. Dempster Jones. Mrs. Ralph Jones and Mrs. G.W. Snively acted as co-hostesses.

The program topic was Ecology and Conservation. Billy Reager, county agent, was guest speaker and talked on "Custodians of the Present."

The club discussed the Heart Fund Drive which is to be held February 16 through 23. The quilt which is to be auctioned at the buffet dinner in March was displayed for the club members to see.

Those attending were Mmes. Larry Arledge, T.J. Bailey, Charlie Black, George Bunker, P.L. Childress, L.B. Cox, III, Fred Hagelstein, L.D. Kirby, Beecher Montgomery, Kirby Moore, C.O. Walker, Jake Young, W.T. Stokes and Ben Bohmfalk.

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# Tax Deductions Important As March 3 Deadline Approaches

With the March 3 income tax deadline for farmers and ranchers rapidly approaching, particular attention should be given to various deductible expenses.

"Each year agricultural producers pay extra income taxes because they fail to deduct certain legitimate business expenses," points out Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "Every dollar of business expense not deducted will result in a higher income tax bill."

The Texas A&M University System specialist lists a number of commonly overlooked expense items:

## Gardeners Need To Conserve Fertilizer

Home gardens are appearing in backyards, flower beds and on patios all over Texas. And with continued high fertilizer costs due to low supplies, homeowners should give special attention to conserving fertilizer.

Sam Cotner, vegetable specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, offers these suggestions:

1. Have soil tested. Many home gardens are already fertile enough to produce good yields of most vegetable crops. Soil samples may be sent to the Soil Testing Laboratory at Texas A&M University. Information is available at any county Extension office.

2. Apply only light applications of fertilizer at planting time. In absence of a soil test, use one-and-one-half to three pounds of a complete fertilizer, such as 8-8-8, 10-10-10 or 12-12-12, per 100 square feet of garden area. Thoroughly mix the fertilizer with the soil. Use organic fertilizer and compost whenever possible.

3. If at all possible, use mulch in the garden to aid in moisture retention and to prevent leaching of plant nutrients.

4. If vegetable plants appear to grow slowly or lack good color, sidedress lightly with a quick-acting fertilizer. Sidedress leafy crops such as lettuce, cabbage and greens after they develop six to eight leaves. Fruiting crops such as tomatoes, peppers and squash will respond to light applications at flowering. Avoid over-fertilizing or allowing fertilizer to come in contact with plants or roots.

Home gardening can be expensive and fertilizer is one of the more costly items, points out Cotner. Therefore, it should be used wisely.

1. Allowance for space in the home used as an office.
2. Items in the home used for business--calculator, typewriter, paper and recordbooks, to name a few.
3. Postage.
4. Meals for hired labor.
5. Bank charges and interest on charge accounts.
6. Tax preparation fees.
7. Bookkeeping fees.
8. Cost of purchased livestock that was lost, stolen or died during the year.
9. Auto and truck expenses, such as licenses and insurance, according to the portion used for business.
10. Costs of utilities, telephone service and other service charges that pertain to the farming and ranching business.
11. Subscriptions to farm and ranch and related magazines.
12. Farm organization dues.
13. Expenses incurred on business trips, and that portion

## Easter Seal Appeal Gets Underway Here

The 1975 Easter Seal Appeal will officially open in Crockett County on Monday, February 24 according to Roy H. Thompson, who serves as Easter Seal Representative for the county. Easter Seal Appeal letters will arrive at homes in the county between February 15 and March 15.

The Easter Seal Representative is the person to contact to request services from the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. These services include physical and occupational therapy, speech and hearing programs and special information services to help solve the many problems faced by the families of handicapped children and adults.

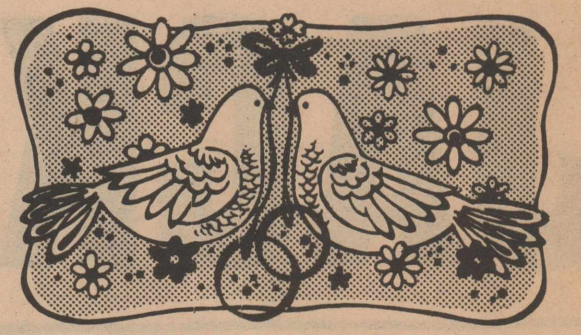
Last year 20,152 handicapped people received help from the Texas Easter Seal Society. With the costs of providing expert professional care rising, more money than ever will be needed to assist more disabled Texans and remain ahead of inflation.

Funds help support professional treatment centers in Texas, where services are provided to those crippled children and adults who cannot provide for themselves and who do not qualify for help from any other source.

"The people of Texas have always responded generously to helping the handicapped, and I feel certain they will make it possible to increase Easter Seal services to crippled Texans throughout the coming year," Thompson said.

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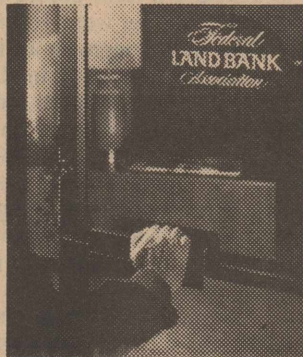
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## Baby's First Year Not Easy For Father

It's not always easy for a father to be content during the first year of a baby's life in a supporting role to his wife and child, Dorothy Taylor, family life education specialist pointed out this week.

"Although fathers are familiar figures to an infant, a real father-child relationship doesn't begin until the second year," the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, specialist said.

"Many fathers want to be actively involved in childrearing. They want to parent, rather than be a mother-substitute, nursemaid or provider of

physical needs. They seek personal response from the child.

"Often it's frustrating to new fathers when the very young child looks to his mother for feeding, bedtime and emotional comfort and to the father for play and acrobatic sessions," the specialist said.

In the normal course of development for the first year, a child is almost totally dependent upon the mother. During the second year of his life,

the child has matured enough and has skills to add a second important personal relationship to his social group—his father.

"When new fathers fail to understand a child's normal growth patterns and the importance of fathers during the second year, conflict may be ahead. Love, hate, anger, jealousy and even rivalry may be rooted in the first few months of life. It is the relationship to both parents that helps children develop to their maximum potential."

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TOPS CLUB MEETS  
Regular meeting of the Tops Club was held Tuesday at the Chamber of Commerce building. There were nine members present with a total loss of 15½ pounds. Helen Wall was Queen of the Week. Mrs. Bill Price met with the Tops Club last week and gave a program on "Nutrition While Dieting."

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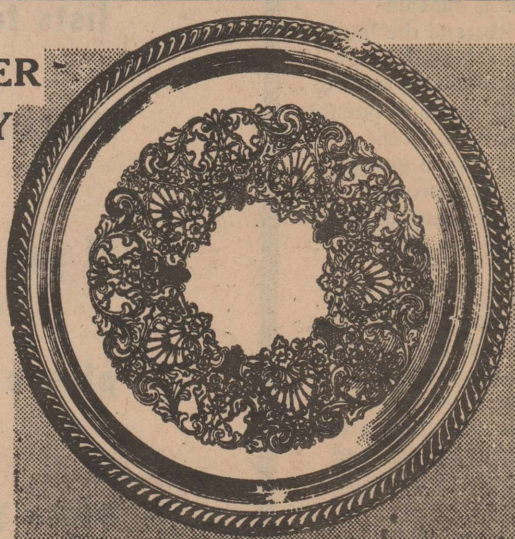
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TO: LORI SAMPLES HARPER,  
Respondent, Greeting:

You (and each of you) are hereby commanded to appear before the 112th Judicial District Court of Crockett County at the Courthouse thereof, in Ozona, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 17th day of March A.D. 1975, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 31 day of January A.D. 1975, in this cause, numbered 3791 on the docket of said court and styled CHARLES R. HARPER, JR. PETITIONER VS. LORI SAMPLES HARPER, RESPONDENT.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Petitioner prays that the Court grant Petitioner a Divorce from Respondent and enter its other orders in accordance with this Petition. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, Leta Powell, Clerk of the District Court of Crockett County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Ozona, Texas, this the 31 day of January A.D. 1975.

/s/ Leta Powell, Clerk District Court Crockett County, Texas

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From US 290 in Sonora To 9.1 Mi. S.

From 9.1 Mi. S. of Sonora To Edwards Co. Line

From Coke Co. Line To Railroad Crossing, 13 Mi. S.

From Runnels Co. Line To US 277 in Bronte

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Because a family room has so many uses, by so many people, it needs some extra planning and thought. Here are a few ideas. To give a family room the mood you want, you might consider a furniture piece that has shelves which can be used to display hobbies, or a collection, or something special you'd like to show. Many family rooms are decorated with furniture that is light and airy, so it can be easily moved for the changing functions of the room--yet you should also consider getting furniture that is durable enough to withstand the hard use it gets in a family room. Since you probably want to leave as much space as possible for easy movement in the room, and still have enough storage, why not invest in some chests that can double as table tops with storage units below. The right sofa can be the making of a family room, and how about a real lounge chair and good reading lamp? For a table in the room, you might want to think about getting one that can be used for both dining and cards or games. If you need any help in furnishing your family room, stop in. We'll look forward to seeing you.

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NOTICE: Beginning Feb. 17 we will be closed on Sundays and Mondays until further notice. LORRAINE'S CAKES & PASTRIES, 201 Ave. J. 47-4tc

**Nursing Wing—**

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)  
A group from the club met yesterday with the hospital administrator. The organization will be a service organization, but will not necessarily be limited to this function.

Applications are being accepted now for residency in the center. Anyone wishing to reserve a room may contact Keith Peters at the hospital for information.

An open house will be held following completion of the inside of the building. The date will be announced later, but officials hope to have the opening as soon as possible following completion of the building.

**COUNTRY CLUB BRIDGE**

Mrs. Hugh Childress was luncheon and bridge hostess Thursday at the Country Club.

Winning high score prize was Mrs. Clay Adams. Second high went to Mrs. Frank Tillman, low to Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Jr. and bingo to Mrs. Gene Williams.

Others playing were Mrs. Bob Bailey, Mrs. Joe Bean, Mrs. Joe Couch, Mrs. Tommy Harris, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Kirby Moore, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. W. E. White, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. Tommy Wilson, Mrs. John Childress and Mrs. L. B. Cox, III.

Luncheon guests were Mrs. George Burger and Mrs. Dempster Jones.

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**Bond Sale Top Goal For 1974**

According to County Bond Chairman Lowell Littleton, December sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Crockett County totaled \$20,709. Sales during 1974 amounted to \$40,221 for 134% of the yearly sales goal of \$30,000.

Texas purchased \$29,340-067 in Savings Bonds during the month. Total bond sales during 1974 were \$242,120,223 for 102% of the state's goal of \$236.8 million. One hundred thirty-nine (139) counties have achieved their 1974 sales goal.

**Sorority News**

The Alpha Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Monday at the Civic Center with Hostesses Mrs. Floyd Hokit and Mrs. Tommy Wilson.

Mrs. Hokit and Mrs. Eddie Hale gave a program on "Action." Guest speaker was Pam Durham, case worker with the State Department of Welfare in San Angelo. She showed slides and answered questions on child abuse and neglect.

Other members present were Mmes. Tony Allen, Jack Bentley, Ray Boykin, Joe Boy Chapman, Frank Hill, Jim Leech, Jimmy Lott, Terry McPherson, Johnny Meyer, Ruben Pena-Alfaro, John Richey, Lane Scott, Walter Spiller, Bob Wallace, Alex Valverde, Gary Vannoy, Gary Pfister, Denny Roach, Chuck Morris, James Kay, Nancy Miller and two guests, Mrs. Eppie Winkley and Mrs. Maxine Pfister.

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**V.F.W. Party**

There will be a Valentine party with barbecue dinner and all the trimmings at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post tomorrow, Friday, night at 8:00 at the post.

The party will be for members and guests only.

**Senior Class To Present Comedy-Drama**

The comedy-drama, "Night of January Sixteenth," will be performed by the Senior Class in the High School auditorium Monday, February 24 at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are now on sale at any of the schools. Adults are \$2.00 and students, \$1.00. Everyone is urged to buy their tickets early since there is a limited amount of seats in the auditorium.

The setting of the play is in a courtroom. It is divided into three acts. Karen Andre is on trial for the murder of Bjorn Faulkner, her boss and "notorious fellow swindler." Each act consists of very tense arguments by both lawyers.

The audience is greatly involved in the play because at the beginning there will be a jury of 12 people picked out of the audience. These 12 will determine the verdict: guilty or not guilty. Each and every one is invited to attend and it is guaranteed that parents and children alike will enjoy this intense and comical courtroom murder trial.

Proceeds will go to the senior class for their senior trip.

About a third of every food dollar is spent for meat, poultry and fish, according to marketing specialists at the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

**Krueger Is Co-sponsor For HISC Bill**

U.S. Representative Bob Krueger today announced that he is co-sponsoring House Resolution 67, a bill to restore the House Internal Security Committee (HISC) as a standing committee of the House. Introduced by Representative John Ashbrook of Ohio, this bill seeks to reverse action taken by the House last month to transfer the functions of the HISC to the House Judiciary Committee.

"I was disappointed that the House chose to transfer the functions of the HISC to the Judiciary Committee as part of the House organization proposals enacted early in the session," Krueger continued. "A number of us opposed this transfer when it was voted on as a separate item before the Caucus, but we were defeated."

The new Congressman from the 21st District explained, "This bill will give the entire House a chance to vote on the status of the House Internal Security Committee as a separate issue without its being tied to an enormous package as was the case under the previous vote."

"Many of us were forced to make the difficult decision of voting for the whole rules package, which contained many necessary and good provisions but which also contained the transfer provision, or voting against the package and further delaying the organization of the House and therefore its action on the important issues facing our nation," Krueger concluded.

Mrs. George Montgomery is in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo undergoing medical treatment.

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We are now in the process of changing our voters registration lists to conform to the new precinct lines drawn up by the Commissioners Court- August term.

If you were affected by this change, or think you might be, please contact the tax office immediately, so that we may place your name on the correct list.

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TRELLIS PEAS	303 CAN	3 FOR \$1
MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING	QUART	\$1.49
WILSON'S SILVER BELL OLEO	QUARTERS LB.	59¢
CARNATION MILK	TALL CAN	3 FOR \$1
RIVER RICE	2LB. BOX	75¢
ALL FLAVORS WAGNER DRINKS	2 FOR	79¢
2-ROLL DELSEY TISSUE		49¢
CALA RIPE ALBERTA PEACHES	2½ CAN	59¢
1½ QT. CRYSTAL WHITE LIQUID DETERGENT		98¢
7-UP, MR. PIBB COKE	RETURNABLE BOTTLES	3 FOR \$1
5 LB. BAG ORANGES		63¢
CABBAGE		12 1/2¢
10 LB. BAG POTATOES	LB.	79¢

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