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Toxic Plant Handbook for West Texas

by *Dennis Poole,*
Borden County CEA-Ag

Toxic Plant Handbook: Integrated Management Strategies for West Texas describes and illustrates the 52 most common potentially toxic plants in West Texas. Along with one or more color photos of each plant, the handbook includes poisoning symptoms in cattle, horses, sheep and/or goats, toxic chemicals and dosages, suggested treatments for poisoned animals and

management strategies for plant infestations. Also included are a glossary, an index, an overview of integrated toxic plant management, descriptions of animal conditions and a field key that cross-references animal symptoms with plant species.

This handbook may be purchased at the rate of \$17.45 which includes postage and handling. If you are interested, call or come by the Extension office to secure an order blank.

Midwest Electric Cooperative's Annual Membership Meeting

Midwest Electric Cooperative celebrated their 60 Anniversary at the annual membership meeting Thursday evening at the Scurry County Coliseum. The event was attended by almost 1,600 who enjoyed a Bar-B-Que meal prior to the business meeting. The members and guest heard reports from the cooperative officials concerning the condition of the cooperative, and General Manager Jerry Stapp reported to the members on the consolida-

tion of Midwest Electric Cooperative and Stamford Electric Cooperative, which has just recently been approved by the vote of the members of both Electric Cooperatives. On January 1, 1999, both Midwest Electric and Stamford Electric Cooperatives will cease to be, and "Big Country Electric Cooperative" will began serving the combined area that will span from Gail and Post, Texas on the west to just west of

Albany and Throckmorton, to the east. The 529 registered members re-elected the incumbent directors to the board, those being Jerry Upshaw, of the Roby area; Bobby Gruben of the Rotan area; and Mickey Sterling of the Ira/Lake Thomas area. This the 60 Anniversary of Midwest Electric Cooperative will mark its last annual meeting, and plans are underway for the coming of Big Country Electric Cooperative.

Meet Your Borden County EMT

This weeks Borden County EMS is Danita Roe.

Danita started with Borden County EMS in 1996. She took her EMT and EMT-I classes and is now certified as an Intermediate. She hopes to start the Paramedic classes this year.

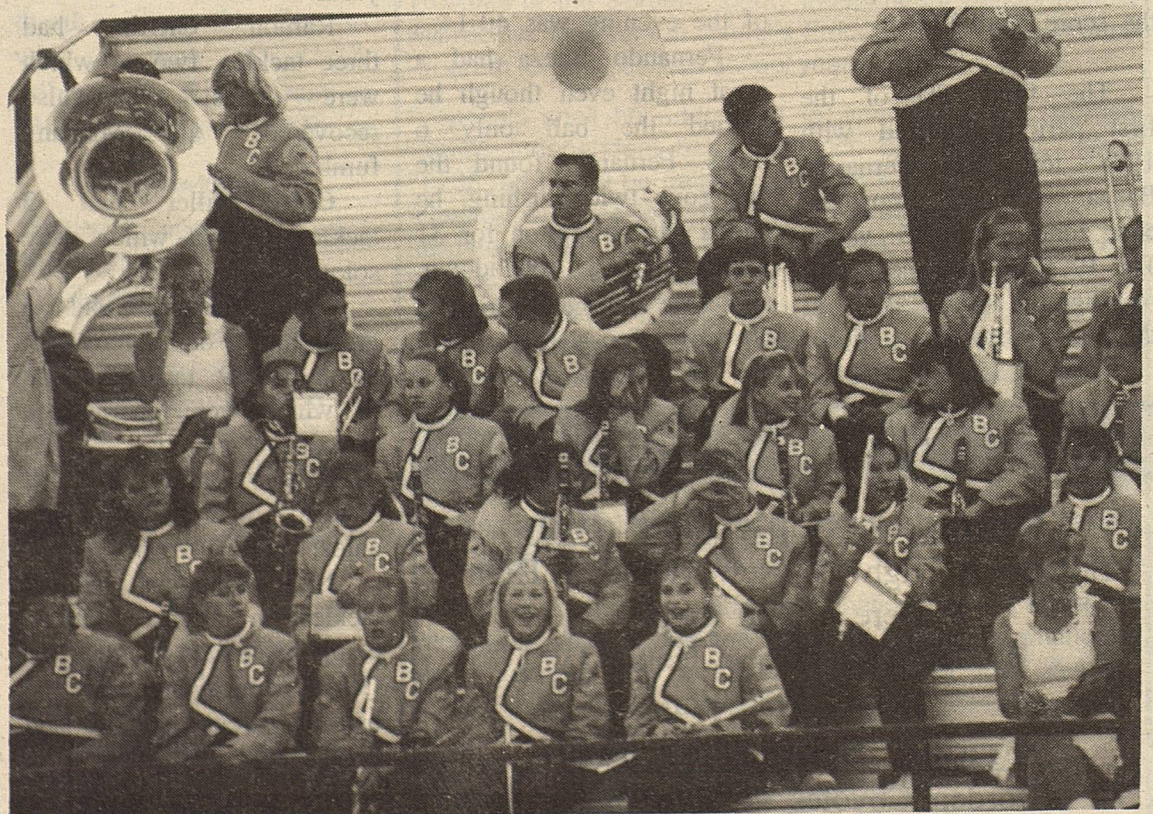
She is the reporter and also in charge of grant proposals. She has taken ACLS (Advanced Cardiac Life Support) and EMT-Defib Classes. She is also a CPR instructor as well as a Skills Examiner.

She is a first responder



Danita Roe

for the north side of Lake Thomas. Danita and her husband have two daughters Heather and Haley.



LOOKING GOOD!!! The Borden Coyote Band was seen sporting a new look Friday night in their new uniforms during Friday nights game.



Coyote Football



Coyotes Win Opener Against Wilson Mustangs

The Borden County Coyotes won their season opener last Friday night by defeating the Wilson Mustangs 40 to 15. The Coyotes wasted no time getting started as they took their first possession down the field for the first touchdown of the season. Ed Rodriguez got the call from 9 yards out and went into the end zone untouched with 6:30 left in the first quarter. The PAT failed making the score 6-0.

With 3:19 left in the quarter, Fernando Baeza found pay dirt from 10 yards out. Nick Flanigan kicked the PAT through as Robert Stamper held the ball, to make the score 14-0.

Preston Sharp scored the next Coyote TD, scampering into the end zone from 4 yards out. The PAT failed and with 2:05 left in the first period the score read 20-0.

The final TD of the first period occurred with 1:20 left as Fernando Baeza stomped into the end zone from 15 yards. The PAT failed once again, making the score 26-0 at the end of the first period.

With 8:35 left in the

second period Colt McCook attempted his only pass of the night. The pass was completed to Fernando Baeza who carried the ball to the end zone for a 31 yard reception. The PAT failed making the score 34-0 at the half.

The Mustangs found the end zone next with 5:13 left in the third period on a 26 yard pass play. The PAT was blocked by Robert Stamper and the score was 34-6.

The Mustangs again found the end zone with 9:07 left in the final period with a 10 yard run. Their PAT was good and the score read 34-14.

The Coyotes did not take long to answer this time as Fernando Baeza picked up the on side kick attempt and scrambled 50 yards for the kick off return. With 8:57 left to play the PAT attempt failed and the final score of the evening was 40-14.

Fernando Baeza had a great night even though he carried the ball only 6 times. Fernando found the end zone twice rushing, he had a pass reception for 31 yards and a touchdown, and a he returned a kickoff 50 yards for a touchdown. He had 5 assisted tackles

and 1 unassisted tackle as linebacker.

Ed Rodriguez carried the ball 8 times for 54 yards and a touchdown. Ed recovered a fumble and had two tackles.

Preston Sharp carried the ball for most of the second half. He had 44 yards on 12 carries and scored a touchdown. He had 3 unassisted and 2 assisted tackles and he recovered a Mustang fumble.

Colt McCook is 100% so far in 1998, as he completed the only pass he attempted for a touchdown from 31 yards out.

Kevin Pinkerton played a lot of defense and accumulated 9 tackles. Four of the tackles were unassisted, and one of them was a sack of the quarterback. Kevin also recovered a fumble and he punted one time for 38 yards.

Ramon Griffin had three tackles, two of which were solos. He also recovered a Mustang fumble.

Colt Miller had 3 tackles, two of which were solos.

John Harding had a great night on defense as he tallied 9 tackles, three of which were quarterback sacks.

Ryan Grant had 4 tackles, with two being solos.

Nick Flanigan had 7 tackles on defense, with 6 being unassisted tackles. Cesar Mujica snapped the ball on offense and he had two solo tackles on defense.

Cesar Mujica snapped the ball on offense and he



HEADED FOR THE END ZONE: #15 Preston Sharp is shown headed for the end zone during Friday night's game against the Wilson Mustangs. Robert Stamper #21 is close behind. The Coyotes defeated the Mustangs 40-14 for the season opening game. Story on page 2.

(Photo by LaNita)

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COACHES COMMENTS: by Bobby Avery

The Coyotes were ready to get the '98 season under way. The long hours, heat

and sweat on the practice field are finally going to start to pay off. The victory gives the Coyotes a record of 1-0 for the season and 15 consecutive victories. Let's keep on rolling guys.

Coyote JV Manhandle the Mustangs

The Borden County JV opened their 1998 season by playing the opening game of a JV--Varsity double header Friday evening. The JV promptly set the tone for the nights activities. The Coyotes were stopped only twice all night, one on the first drive and the other on a fumble. In between that, the Coyotes mixed some play action passes with some very effective running

by 5 different Coyote runners.

After being held on downs on the Coyotes first drive, Dale Grant forced one of his two caused fumbles on a sack and then he had the presence to recover the ball as well. Two plays later, Jacob Zant hit Cody Nowlain on a pretty 18 yard strike for a 6-0 lead.

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COYOTE FOOTBALL

Thursday, September 10th

Borden Jr High vs. New Home Jr High

Here - 6:00 p.m.

Borden JV vs New Home JV

Here - 7:30 p.m.

Friday, September 11th

Borden Coyotes vs New Home

There - 7:30 p.m.

Coyote JV

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Mustangs deep, Rowdy Dunlap tackled the punter in the end zone for a safety and an 8-0 lead, six minutes into the contest.

Dale Grant then made some very nifty moves to take the kick back 60 yards for another Coyote score. Javier Galvan hit the 1st of 4 kicks to take a 16-0. After one period of play.

After a Cody Nowlain interception on the 1st play of the 2nd period. Jacob Zant hit Tom Griffin on a beautiful 46 yard pass to up the score to 24-0. That would be all the scoring in the 1st half.

Moments after the start of the 2nd half, Payton Brown sacked the Mustang quarterback that forced a fumble which Dale Grant recovered. Jacob Zant improved to 3 for 3 with a 10 yard pass to Payton Brown for a touchdown. Javier Galvan hit David Wright for 1 point to make the score 31-0.

On the ensuing kick, a Wilson runner traveled 72 yards to pay dirt.

The Coyotes took only one minute to get that score back as Lee Pepper broke loose on a fine 23 yard run. Galvan kicked the PAT making the score 39-6.

Later in that same period, Jacob Zant again completed a pass, making 4 in 4 tries for yet another touchdown to Rowdy Dunlap for an 8 yard score, giving the Coyotes a 45 to 6 lead.

Wilson would get the 1st score of the 4th period, but the games leading rusher, Philip Abalos, broke free on a 52 yard scamper for the Coyotes final score of the evening. Javier Galvan's kick gave the Coyotes 53 points.

Wilson would connect on a pass play to make the final score 53 to 18 for the home town Coyotes.

COACHES COMMENTS:

What can you say, what a total team effort. Eight different players scored and everyone had at least one tackle. The guy's just continue to fly all over the field. Good things happen to people who sell out, and that is just what is happening right now. I thought for a 1st game, we executed perfectly. 5 different runners gain 244 yards and 5 different receivers caught passes for 4 scores. Super job guys keep up the good and hard work This is going to be fun!

STATS:

Philip Abalos had 9 rushes for 103 yards and 1 TD.

Lee Pepper had 6 rushes for 83 yards and 1 TD.

David Wright had 1 rush for 8 yards.

Dale Grant had 2 rushes for 12 yards.

Javier had 2 rushes for 38 yards.

PASSING:

Jacob Zant 4 for 4 for 82 yards and 4 TD's

Lee Pepper 1 for 2 for 13 yards

RECEIVING:

Cody Nowlain had 1 for 8 yards and 1 TD

Tom Griffin had 1 for 46 yards and 1 TD.

Payton Brown had 2 for 10 yards and 1 TD.

Rowdy Dunlap had 1 for 8 yards.

Dale Grant had 1 for 13 yards.

TACKLING:

Tom Griffin had 6 assisted, 2 unassisted and 1 sack.

Rowdy Dunlap had 3 assisted, 2 unassisted, 1 sack and 1 safety.

Dale Grant had 8 assisted, 2 unassisted, 1 sack, 2 caused fumbles, and 2 recovered fumbles.

Philip Abalos had 4 assisted and 2 unassisted

Cody Nowlain had 3

OFF AND RUNNING

by Trent Pepper



Starting Off Right

The Coyotes kicked off their 1998 cross country season Saturday at Abilene with the high school girls team placing third in the A division.

Two girls medaled, placing in the top fifteen. Lindsey Smith placed fourteenth with a time of 14:45, followed closely by Bekah Hensley who placed fifteenth in 14:48. Julie Mayes barely missed a medal, coming in seventeenth with a time of 14:51. Valerie Wootan was fourth among the girls with a time of 15:21, and Holly Thomas completed the course in 15:26. Other girls running and their times were: Hailey Adcock, 16:15; Crystal Dye, 17:09; Staci O'Brien, 18:07; and Jessica Ellission, 19:39.

In the A/AA high school boys division, Trent Pepper placed third, covering the five kilometer course in a time of 18:06. He was followed by Fernando Baeza in 22:04, and Colt McCook in 22:13. T.C. Stipes placed fourth among the Coyotes with a time of 23:27, followed by Ryan Grant in 23:33, and Ramon Griffin in

assisted, 3 unassisted and 1 interception

Payton Brown had 2 assisted, 2 unassisted, 1 sack and 1 pass def.

Javier Galvan had 3 assisted, 2 unassisted, 2 sacks and 1 pass def.

David Wright had 3 assisted, 1 unassisted and 1 pass def.

Ross Aten had 1 assisted and 1 unassisted

T.C. Stipe had 4 assisted and 1 sack.

Jacob Zant had 3 assisted.

James Bond had 1 assisted.

24:28. The junior high girls and boys also competed in the Abilene meet, running a one mile course.

The eighth grade girls had two medalists, with Bobbi Kempf placing eighth with a time of 7:27, and Dalene Kempf placing twelfth with a time of 7:33. They were followed by Carolina Arellanos with a time of 8:49, Laura Stamper in 9:01, and Michelle Bond in 9:28.

Shayla Gass was the lone seventh grade girl, and she placed seventeenth, two places out of a medal, with a time of 8:28.

Talin Pepper and Evan Winegarner ran in the junior high boys division. Talin ran the course in 7:10, and Evan's time was 7:58.

The high school teams will compete in Plainview on Saturday.

School Lunch Menu

Lunch: \$1.00 K-6th
\$1.25 7th-12th
Breakfast: .50c

September 14th-18th.

MONDAY: Tacos, Beans, Salad, Cake & Milk

Breakfast: Muffin, Fruit, Juice & Milk

TUESDAY: Spaghetti, Carrot Sticks, Green Beans, Galic Toast & Milk

Breakfast: Pancake Pups, Juice & Milk

WEDNESDAY: Pizza, corn, Salad, Pudding, & Milk

Breakfast: French Toast, Fruit, Juice & Milk

THURSDAY: Meat & Gravy, Potatoes, Green Peas, Hot Rolls, Fruit & Milk

Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice & Milk

FRIDAY: Hamburger, Salad Cup, French Fries, Cookies, Cookies, & Milk

Breakfast: Cinnamon Toast, Juice & Milk

BORDEN COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BID REQUEST

The Superintendent's office, on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District will receive bids on the district's Employee Health Insurance Program for the 1998-99 school year.

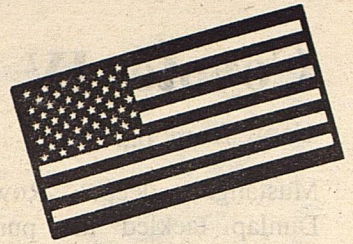
Proposals shall be addressed to Jimmy Thomas; Borden County Independent School District; Box 95; Gail, Texas 79738, and shall be delivered in a sealed envelope marked "Health Insurance Bid". Proposals will be received up to but no later than 1:00 P.M. on September 17, 1998. Bid proposals will be opened and read aloud in the Board Room at that time. Bid proposals will be tabulated, researched, and presented to the Board of Trustees for their consideration at the September 21, 1998 meeting. Bids received after the specified date will not be considered.

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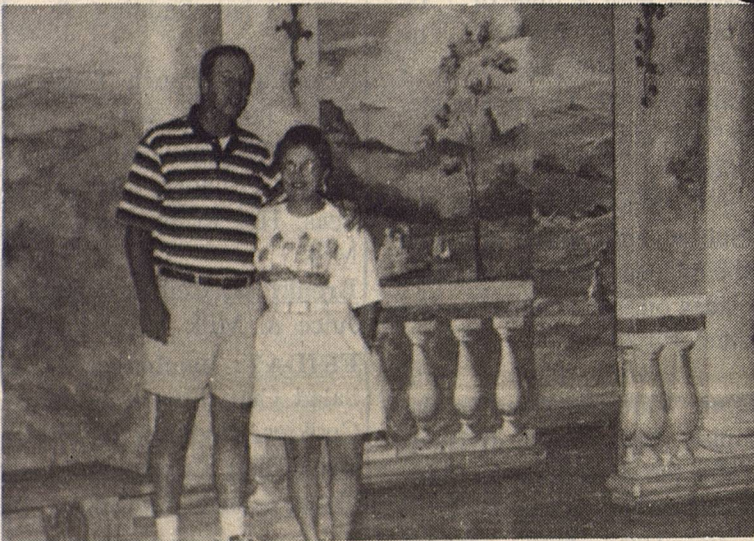
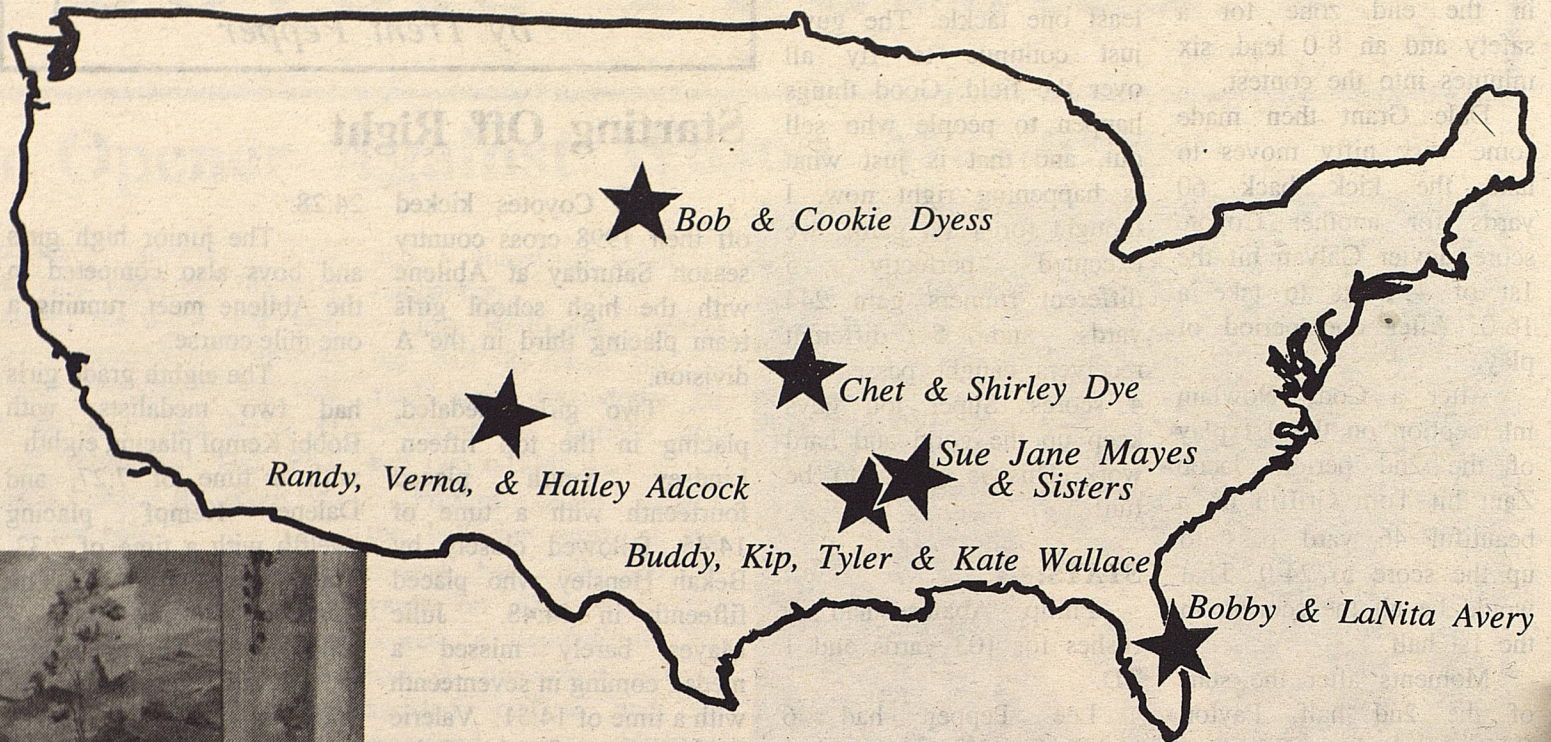
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SUMMER VACATIONS '98



The Borden Star sent out a plea this summer for some stories of your vacations. We finally had to go out and threaten a few people to get anyone to talk (except for Cookie Dyess who went to a lot of trouble to tell her saga.) Anyway, the summer is over, and for most, vacation time is, too. Perhaps these few pictures and stories will inspire you to take a trip in the summer of 1999—and share it with the rest of us.



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY! Borden High School Principal, Chet Dye and his wife, Shirley - fifth grade teacher, were "sent packing" on their 25th wedding anniversary in June. The couple's four children surprised them with a special dinner in Lubbock and a trip to Branson, Missouri.

LAST ONE IN IS



A ROTTEN EGG!



COOLING OFF IN THE MOUNTAINS! Verna Adcock - Borden Star editor did get a time away from the paper this summer as her and husband Randy and daughter Hailey packed up their suitcases and headed to Ruidoso to meet John and Jackie Harris for a few days of visiting and relaxing. Of course on their way, they thought they needed to stop by and pick up their daughter, Kristi and grandson Thomas, for his first trip to the mountains. (Son-in-law Jon was busy at work and couldn't get away.)



ALL-PRO TRAVELERS! Football coach Bobby Avery and his wife, LaNita - special education teacher - enjoy taking many trips throughout the year. This summer they traveled with LaNita's brother and his wife to Florida, enjoying a cruise, a tour of NASA, and avoiding the forest fires!

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Bob and Cookie's Big Adventure

After making three short trips with their camper, they felt like seasoned travelers. So when Sam and Joy Adams called them about making a BIG trip with them, they naively said sure. "Oh, by the way where are we going", they asked? South Dakota was the answer. Did they say south Dalhart, no they said SOUTH DAKOTA.

Ignorance is bliss, so they packed extra blankets wind suits, warm jackets and pants, long sleeved shirts and sweaters and food for many cold days and nights.

They almost burned up wearing T-shirts and shorts. They even had to take the opportunity when they stayed in the KOA's to wash and dry and wear again those few short sleeved shirts and shorts.

The traveling plan was to drive north on the interstate through Colorado Springs and Denver. They tried to co-ordinate their driving in Denver at a slack time. Big joke. As Bob Kempf later told them there is no slack time. He had the opportunity to drive a grain truck on that same road at 2:00 a.m. and said the traffic was so bad he had a difficult time making the trip.

After their near accident and the Adams' being pushed out of their lane by an 18-wheeler, they almost turned around for home. But remembering the beautiful scenery at the Garden of the Gods in Colorado Springs and the plan to go to the Cheyenne Rodeo kept them chugging along. They did the whole bit at Cheyenne....the rodeo slack time (at 7:00 a.m.) the parade and the rodeo. The concession stands had bought 4,000 souvenir cups to sell during the week-long rodeo. In the 90 plus

temperatures, they sold out the first day. The very hot weather didn't keep the travelers from enjoying the show. Bob said the pick-up men were almost more fun to watch than the rodeo competitors. There were about half dozen in matching shirts and they performed their job very efficiently and unobtrusively. This was Quail Dobbs (a famous rodeo clown) last rodeo. He will retire and work as a judge. (I can't believe that is less stressful than being a rodeo clown).

The last leg of the big adventure took them to Custer, SD. They visited the Crazy Horse Monument, Mt. Rushmore and the President's Walk, Custer State Park where the buffalo roam, a drive-through wild animal park with lots and lots of bears and Rapid City. To relax from all the sightseeing, the guys played golf in the rain and the women visited



a real neat Christmas store.

The three-day drive home was uneventful except the door to Bob & Cookie's camper burst open when they hit a deep chughole on a short detour road. Luckily, the two couples were traveling with CBs and the Adams were able to calmly tell the Dyess's....YOUR DOOR IS OPEN!!!! They were able to go off on a side road and tightly close it. Whew...no damage done except to their nerves.

Everyone is safely back home and resting from their 4 state, 12 day, 1750 mile. one mishap, and one near hit trip. They all agreed they had a super time and saw wonderful things, but maybe they would just check out the neat stuff in Texas for the next few trips

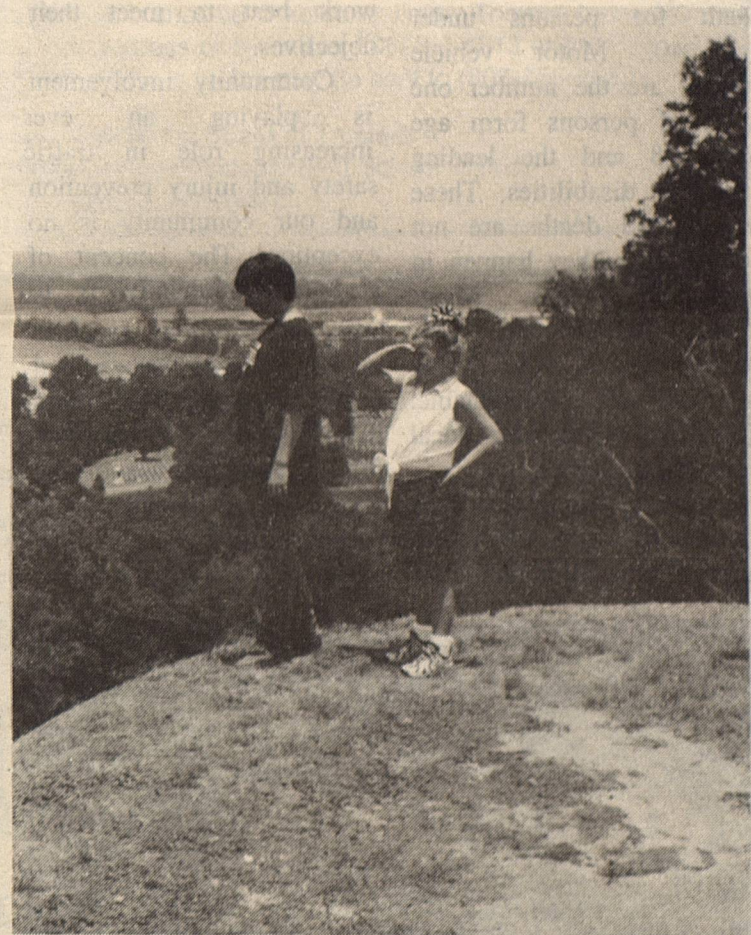


SISTER ACT THREE: In Natchez, Mississippi, Sue Jane Mayes, center, along with sisters Sabrina, left, and Sara, right, enjoyed touring the Antebellum homes of the Old South.

**All packed and
ready to go . . .**



Bob Dyess, Sam and Joy Adams standing by the model for the Crazy Horse monument. They will probably not be around to see the finished mountain. (Photo by Cookie)



RECALLING THE OLD SOUTH IN VICKSBURG!

Kate and Tyler Wallace at the Vicksburg Battleground in Vicksburg, Mississippi. They are standing on the Louisiana Redan, an important defense site for the Confederate Army. This area overlooks the Yazoo River which flows into the Mississippi River. As we walked the trenches, it was amazing to see just how close one army was to the other. Since this war actually pitted family against family and friend against friend, it was usual practice for the opposing soldier to visit each other's trench by moonlight and catch up on news from home.

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BORDEN COUNTY 4-H NEWS
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Safe Communities

Imagine what it would be like if you could help stop a nationwide epidemic from devastating our community. Protecting children from needless pain, sparing numerous people from being hospitalized, and saving many lives. The epidemic is injury and no one is immune. Living in a safe community could benefit us all.

Injury is the most common cause of hospitalization the leading cause of death for persons under age 40. Motor vehicle crashes are the number one killer of persons from age 6 to 28 and the leading cause of disabilities. These injuries and deaths are not acts of fate, they happen in predictable ways. Many injuries can be kept from happening at all. Many injuries are predictable. That is where our local community comes in.

A Safe Community is a community that promotes injury prevention activities

at the local level to solve local highway and traffic safety issues and other injury problems. It uses a "bottom up" approach involving its citizens in addressing key injury problems. This is a national program only so far as providing tools to collect data, ideas for coalition building and suggestions for maintaining a safe community. Beyond this framework, each community develops strategies that work best to meet their objectives.

Community involvement is playing an ever increasing role in traffic safety and injury prevention and our community is no exception. The concept of a Safe Community is to bring a community together to solve local issues and injury problems. The "grass roots" approach is successful, in part, because of the expansion of resources and partnerships. The new challenges and opportunities



4-H Council members T.C. Stipe, Tanner Poole, Holly Thomas and Kaci Poole recorded public service announcements and a brief portion of the Community Affairs program for KSNY radio in Snyder to create awareness and promote use of car safety seats, seat belts and reduce speed and DWIs.



FFA News
 by Brande Wells

The Borden County High School Chapter of Future Farmers of America has kicked off an year of fun, contests, and other activities.

This year's newly-elected officers, under the direction of Advisor Buddy Wallace, include the following: President, Kaci Poole; Vice-President, Hailey Adcock; Secretary, Brande Wells; Reporter, Colt Miller; Treasurer, Shawna Kempf and Sentinel, Fernando Baeza.

We are all looking forward to another great and successful year.

that our coalition identifies will be central to injury prevention.

The Borden County 4-H Council is addressing the situation of Borden County. By increasing the use of child safety seats and safety belts, and reducing speed, our community believes we can reduce the number of injuries and fatalities related to motor vehicle crashes.

For more information or to pass along suggestions to make our community a safe community contact the Extension office at 756-4336.

Meat Sale

Just a reminder, the Gail FFA Chapter is still taking orders for a vareity meats, which they will be

selling until September 16th.

If you have not been approached by a FFA member and would like to place an order please contact the school at 756-4313 or call Mr. Wallace at 756-4478 and they will be glad to send a FFA member to take your order.

September 12
FUNDAY
 4:30-8 p.m.
 Ericksdahl Picnic Grounds

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Call 773-5521 or 1-800-391-0704 for more information.

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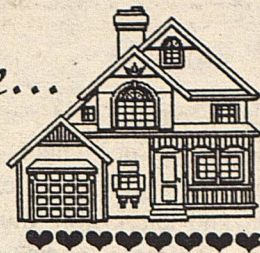
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By Julie D. Mumme
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September is National Food Safety Month

Separate: Don't Cross-Contaminate

Fight Bac!

(Part 2 of 4)

Cross-contamination is from one food product to the scientific work for how another. This is especially bacteria can be spread true when handling raw

meat, poultry and seafood, so keep these foods and their juices away from ready-to-eat foods. Here's how to *Fight BAC*:

*Separate raw meat, poultry and seafood items from other foods in your grocery shopping cart and in your refrigerator. If possible, ask the sacker to place these items in a separate bag.

*Use a different cutting board for raw meat products.

*Always wash hands, cutting boards, dishes and utensils with hot soapy water after they come in contact with raw meat, poultry and seafood.

*Never place cooked food on a plate which previously held raw meat, poultry or seafood.

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YOUTH ART EXHIBIT

U.S. Census Bureau is hiring in Borden County

Field Workers and Office Clerks Needed Immediately

The U.S. Census Bureau is gearing up now for Census 2000 by updating its maps and address lists in counties and communities throughout the state. Locally the Census is looking for people who can work at least 20 hours a week. The hours are flexible, and some of the work can be done on weekends and during evenings.

Census field workers drive through communities and rural areas, even walking street by street, to check the accuracy of Census Bureau maps and addresses. They get reimbursed 31¢ a mile for using their car. The census clerks handle a variety of standard office tasks, like answering phones, filing documents, and managing supplies.

"We're looking for people who are out of work, who are retired, or who want to schedule census work around their current employment," explains, census spokesman Frank Newton, "The hours

are flexible and the pay is very good."

In Borden County, the Census pay for field workers is \$7.25 per hour and for crew leaders the pay is \$8.75 per hour.

To qualify for census work, applicants must be a U.S. citizen and be 18

years old (or 16 and have a high school diploma or GED). They should not have a conviction (other than for a minor traffic violation) and they should not be currently working as a tax collector or law enforcement official. All Census employees must

pass a security and employment reference check.

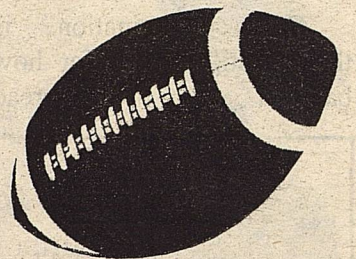
Applicants for the field worker and clerk job must pass a 30-minute exam of basic work skills. For details about the exam dates and locations or to get more information about these opportunities, phone the local census field office at 806/472-7009 or call the Census Bureau's Recruiting Department toll-free in Dallas at 1-888-325-7733.

Applicants should be assured that the U.S. Census Bureau is an equal Employment Opportunity employer and all qualified applicants will be considered regardless of age, race, color, sex, creed, national origin, or other non-merit factors.



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FOOTBALL FORECAST



TEAMS	Avery, B.	Sharp, R.	Jerry	Katie	Guest
<i>home team listed last</i>					
Borden vs. New Home	Borden	Borden	Borden	Borden	Borden
Jayton vs. Klondike	Jayton	Jayton	Jayton	Jayton	Jayton
Sands vs. Highland	Sands	Sands	Sands	Highland	Highland
Silverton vs. Miami	Silverton	Silverton	Miami	Silverton	Silverton

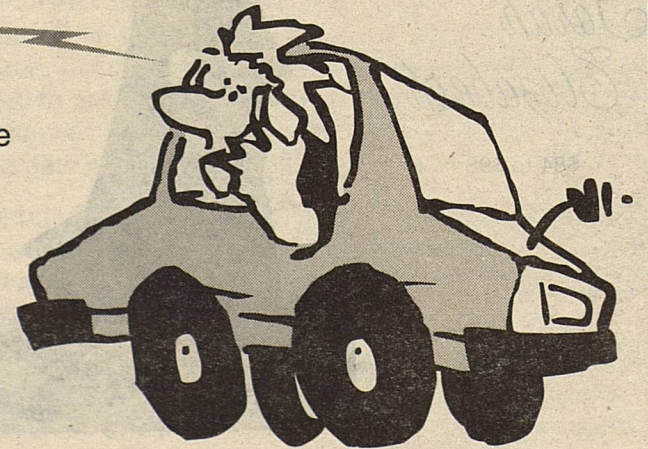
Tech vs. North Texas	Tech	Tech	Tech	Tech	N. Texas
La. Tech vs. A & M	A & M	A & M	A & M	A & M	A & M

Dallas vs. Denver	Dallas	Denver	Denver	Denver	Dallas
Philad. Vs. Atlanta	Atlanta	Atlanta	Atlanta	Philadelphia	Atlanta
Chicago vs. Pitts.	Chicago	Chicago	Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh
Carolina at New Orleans	Carolina	Carolina	N. Orleans	Carolina	Carolina
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