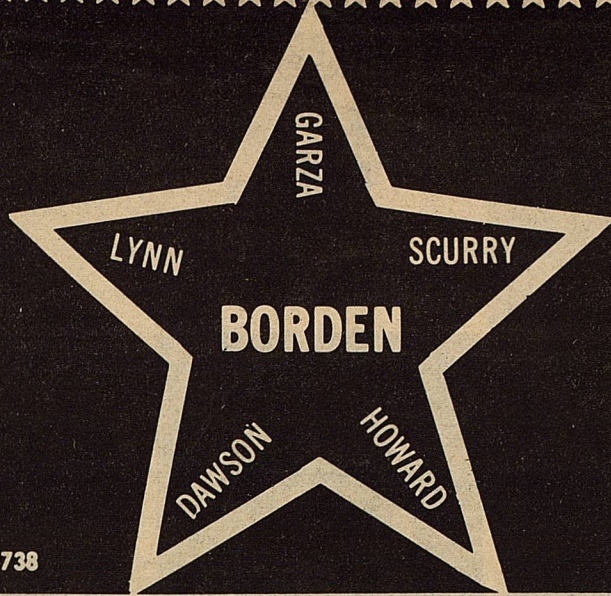


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TEXAS FHA/HERO WEEK



JUDGE JIM BURKETT signs Proclamation for TEXAS FHA/HERO WEEK. Pictured with Judge Burkett are: Standing, WANDA JOHNSON, MARY LEDBETTER, DONELLE JONES, DEIDRE TUCKER, and seated, CINDY BEAVER.

Judge Signs Proclamation

PROCLAMATION TO THE PEOPLE OF BORDEN COUNTY

WHEREAS, Future Homemakers of America, the national organization for students in homemaking, consumer and family life education and HERO students in home economics related occupations in the secondary schools, is a training ground for tomorrow's homemaker citizen; and WHEREAS, the accomplishments of this organization over the past thirty years are the basis for continuing growth of enthusiastic young people who are learning to be creative leaders in tomorrow's homemaker citizen; and WHEREAS, Future Homemakers of America as an organization offers members an opportunity to work as individuals and as a group for the betterment of themselves, their families and their communities; and WHEREAS, the week of April 4 through April 10, 1976 has been designated TEXAS FHA WEEK:

NOW, THEREFORE, I Jim M. Burkett, County Judge for the County of Borden, Texas do hereby proclaim the week beginning April 4 as

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF TEXAS WEEK

in Borden County and urge all citizens to acquaint themselves with the activities and values of the Future Homemakers of America organization, to show interest in it and to give help and encouragement to the members who are working to achieve knowledge that will make outstanding family members and leaders to our communities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Borden to be affixed this 5th day of April, 1976

/s/ Jim M. Burkett
County Judge
Borden County



Borden County Applauded

Hilmar C. Moore, immediate past-president of the Texas Cattle Raisers Association, applauded Borden County and the Borden County School system in his annual report to the association.

Speaking to approximately 1500 cattlemen at the state convention in Galveston, Mr. Moore called on members of TSCRA to assist in recruiting membership. He cited the membership drive held in Gail last June and sponsored by Rich Anderson as one of the most successful drives in the state.

In his address, Mr. Moore said, "If you want to see a beautiful school plant a highly successful academic system, an efficiently managed school program and clean cut, happy kids-- go to Gail, Texas." He went on to say "In my travels in Texas this past year, what I saw in Gail was one of my most rewarding stops".

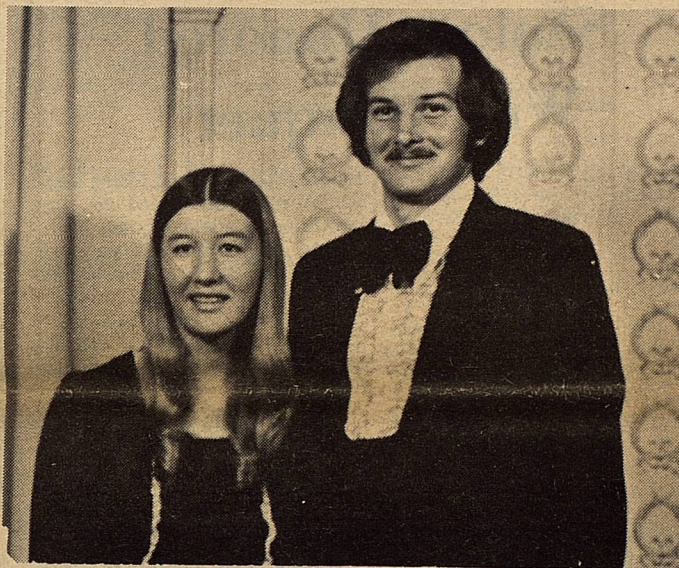
The past president went on to review the erratic cattle market, the work of the TSCRA staff and vital legislative issues. He called for just and equitable taxation of agricultural lands and pointed out the dire consequences for agriculture if this is not done.



BiCentennial Planning Committee

There will be a general meeting of the Bicentennial Planning Committee at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, April 14, in the school Cafeteria.

You are urged to be in attendance as detailed planning is being done.



RITA CORNETT and RILEY MICHEAL BARLOW

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. (Bud) Cornett are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter, Rita Ann, to Riley Michael (Mike) Barlow, son of Riley M. Barlow of Marfa, Texas. Rita is a 1975 graduate of Borden High School and is currently a student at Lubbock Christian Coll-

ege. Mike is a 1974 graduate of Marfa High and is also attending L.C.C.; however, he is planning to transfer to Sunset School of Preaching this fall. Wedding vows will be exchanged May the 7th at the Monterey Church of Christ in Lubbock. All friends are welcome.

Cattlemen Convene In Galveston

Fort Worth, Texas, The U.S. presidential election and its effect on the livestock industry captured the attention of the more than 1,200 cattlemen and visitors attending the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association's 99th annual convention in Galveston, Texas, March 21-24.

Former Texas Governor John B. Connally, a possible presidential candidate, said apathy by Congress has imperiled U.S. leadership throughout the world and, as a result, the Soviet Union will begin within the next year its greatest push for domination since the cold war.

Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White, another convention speaker, warned that "if we don't get a president with an interest in agriculture, we will end up in the same shape

with food as we are with oil."

White added that in recent years the younger generation has shown a tremendous interest in farming and ranching, but political policies are "destroying the profession."

Texas Governor Dolph Briscoe, a former president of the 14,000 member group, told them that "Texas is not going to be led down the path to bankruptcy because of overspending." Briscoe asked for the member's support in curbing needless governmental spending and got it through one of eight resolutions passed in the final hours of the convention.

The Uvalde, Texas, rancher reassured the assembly that as long as he is governor there will not be an increase in state

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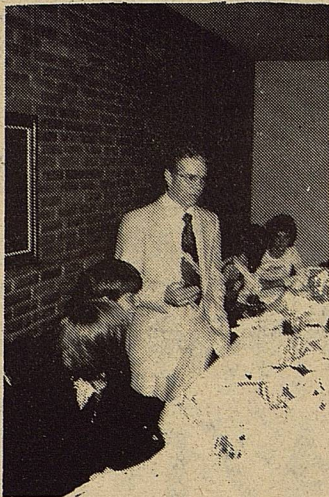
Borden School



County News



Bob McLeroy was Master of Ceremonies for the evening.



Dr. Roy McClung Speaker



Deidre Tucker, senior class president, responded to the welcome.

Seniors Honored With Banquet

Big Spring Country Club was the scene of the 1976 Junior Senior Banquet on Saturday, April 3.

The class of 1976 was honored by the Junior Class of Borden County High School at this annual event. The theme for the banquet was "Look Forward with hope..look back with pride".

Following the invocation by Kristy Smith, the Juniors, Seniors, sponsors, and special guests were served a buffet dinner.

Bob McLeroy, president of the Junior class gave the Welcoming address to the honored class. Responding to the welcome was Deidre Tucker, senior class president.

Bob introduced Amy Frederikson and Rex Mauney who provided the entertainment for the evening. The guest enjoyed their musical selections for voice, piano and guitar. Amy and Rex are both graduates from Wayland Baptist College.

Following the entertainment, Bob introduced his father, James McLeroy, superin-

tendent of schools. Mr. McLeroy then introduced Dr. Roy McClung as guest speaker.

Dr. McClung's address was well received. He challenged the seniors to "Look Forward With Hope" by acquiring respect, self-confidence, enthusiasm, resiliency, optimism and compassion.

Dr. McClung, a native of Oklahoma and a graduate of Oklahoma Baptist College is President of Wayland Baptist College in Plainview. He has held this position since 1963.

Sponsors for the Senior Class are Mr. Sid Long and Mr. Ed Huddleston. Class officers include: Deidre Tucker, president; Donelle Jones, Vice-President; Cindy Beaver, Secretary; Jim Buchanan, Treasurer; Debbie Herring, Reporter.

Junior class officers are: Bob McLeroy, President; Tommy Patterson, Vice-President; Tricia Jackson, Secretary; Kristy Smith, Treasurer; Dana Westbrook, Reporter. Junior class sponsors are Mr. Dave Briggs and Mrs. Shirley Kountz.

One-Act Play Contest

The District 8-B One Act Play Contest was held in Borden County School auditorium Friday April 2.

Wellman and Union took top honors, competing against five other schools in the district. They were Dawson, Sands, Loop, Borden and Klondike.

Wellman's play entitled "The Saga of Kitty and the Gamblin Lady" was written by Ronald Burke and directed by Mrs. Sallye Lyles. Characters in order of their appearance were played by Gina Currie, Brenda Beavers, Danita Adair, Gary Brashears, Ricky Burris, Terry Crutcher, Natalie Berryhill, Doug Matney and Pam Slaughter.

Directing Union's selection of "Joint Owners in Spain" was Mrs. Robert Smotherman. The play was written by Alice Brown. The cast included Lisa Herring, Teresa Smotherman, Cathy McNeil and Teresa Herring.

Receiving an alternate rating was Dawson with a play entitled "I'm A Fool" by Christopher Sergel and directed by Mike Rainbolt. Included in the cast

were Ben Phipps, Janie Drennan, Kim Henson, Mike Moore, Gary Sisson, Linda Morris, Jan Boles and Mark Boardman.

Ben Jarrett directed the all girl cast in Borden County's play "To Burn A Witch" by Javes L. Bray. Giving a very commendable performance were Dana Westbrook, Denise Currey, Tricia Jackson, and Twila Telchik. The assistant director of Borden County's play was Mary Ledbetter; stage manager was Liz Ledbetter and understudies were Rhesa Wolf, Penny Thompson, Gail Grose, and Lesa Hensley.

The all-star cast chosen from the seven plays presented included the following: Best actor- Ben Phipps. Best Actress- Teresa Herring. Others excelling in their performances and being selected to the all star cast were Gary Sisson, Nathan Zant, Kaye Hunt, Velma Kelly, Gina Currie, Natalie Berryhill, Doug Matney and Teri Airhart. Receiving honorable mention were Dana Westbrook, Cathy McNeil, Susan Martin, and Mark Boardman.



Amy Frederikson and Rex Mauney provided entertainment.

Yearbook Sales

Yearbooks are now on sale in Mrs. Briggs office. The price for the yearbooks is \$5.00.

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The cast of the Borden County U.I.L. Play- "To Burn a Witch". Back Row- Twila Telchik (Widow Jones) Tricia Jackson (Dame Stanley), Mary Ledbetter (assistant mgr.), Denise Currey (Ruth Hannah Smith), and Dana Westbrook (Mary Abigal Gentry). Not available for picture Liz Ledbetter who acted as stage manager. Mr. Ben Jarrett was director.

Borden County School News



Perform for Parents Club-Back row Karen Williams, Carla Jones, Troyce Wolf, Front Row-Lisa Smith, Scot Long, Sandra Kountz and Gena McLeroy.

Parents Club Meets

U.I.L. reading contestants from the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades presented the program to a large group at the April Parents Club meeting. Those participating were Scot Long, Sandra Kountz, Gene McLeroy, Lisa Smith, Troyce Wolf, Carla Jones and Karen Williams.

A report was given on the sales of school bags, sponsored by the club. The response was very good and appreciation goes to those who helped make the project a success.

Plans were made to cater the F.F.A.-F.H.A. Banquet. All mothers who can help please be at the cafeteria at 2:30 Monday, April 12th. This is a major fund-raising project for the Parents Club. All help will be

greatly appreciated.

A room count was taken and the first grade received the candy this month for having the most mothers present.

Kindergarten will give the program for the May 6th meeting. Officers will be elected for the 76-77 school year. It is customary for those not attending to be elected to an office. Better make your plans to come.

An invitation is extended to all pre-schoolers to share in the Kindergartens Easter Egg hunt. This will be Friday, April 16th at 2:30. Please bring baskets and 6 to 8 eggs.

Remember, May is our last meeting. Everyone come.

/s/ Carolyn Stone

School Menu

April 12-16, 1976

MONDAY
Enchilidas with Chili
Vegetable Salad
Baked Beans
Brownies
Milk

TUESDAY
Steak Fingers and Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Fruit
Batter Bread and Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY
Pizza
Mexican Bean Salad
Peach Half
Cookie
Milk

THURSDAY
Fish Portions
Pinto Beans
Fruit Salad
Cornbread and Butter
Milk

FRIDAY
Hamburgers
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles
French Fries
Fruit Pudding with Topping
Milk

WTC

Summer Classes

Snyder--Copies of the schedule of summer classes at Western Texas College will be available from the office of the registrar in the Administration Building starting Monday March 22.

High School Girls Track Meet

Lesla Hensley placed 4th in the 100 yard dash and Penny Thompson placed 6th in the 880 yard dash at the Jayton Girls Track Meet Friday, April 2. Other girls entered in the meet were Gail Grose, Lonelle Jones, Sue Hancock, Kristy Smith, and Lisa McLeroy.

On Saturday, Dana Westbrook placed 3rd in the 880 yard dash at the Seminole Girls Track Meet. Dana's time was 2:35.0 her best of the year. The Seminole Meet was won by the Brownfield girls who are coached by Lisa Dennis, a 1970 graduate of Borden High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dennis.

Jr. Hi Boys Track

The Borden Junior High boys won 6th place in the Roby Track Meet, competing against 23 teams. Travis Rinehart came in 3rd in the 100 yard dash with a time of 12.4; Craig Peterson came in 5th in the 60 yard high hurdles with a time of 10.0. Craig also won 6th in the 100 yard low hurdles with a time of 14.0. Blane Dyess tied for 2nd place in the pole vault event jumping 8'. Borden's 880 yard relay team consisting of Troyce Wolfe, Travis Rinehart, Craig Peterson and Mark Walker won 2nd place with a time of 1:53.2.

Boys Hi School Track

The Boys high school track team didn't place at Roby. The events and times follow:

100 yard Dash-Chuck Canon-12.2
440 Yard Dash-Sid Westbrook-57.5
220 Yard Dash-Chuck Canon-27.4
880 yard Dash-Barney Cockrum-2:16 Kendall Davis 2:17.5
Mile Run-Bob McLeroy 5:46.6

Competes In District Food Show

Quint Creighton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bo Creighton, formerly of Gail, is among seven 4-Hers of Lamar County who will travel to Texarkana to compete in the district food show.

Of the seven county winners, five were from Quint's Delmar Club. Mrs. Bo Creighton (Whiz) and Mrs. Robert Ballard are the adult leaders of this club.

Other winners are David Ballard, Tammy Jones, Kathy Fondville, Coralea Basinger, Janet Driver and Kline Driver.



Betty Todman, assisted by John Todman steps from her magic castle.

Assembly

John and Betty Todman, illusionists, performed for Borden County students on Friday, April 2. Students watched spellbound as John Todman appeared to saw Betty in half, thrust daggers into a small box where

she had hidden, and see her hop out untouched. Mr. Todman was also a humorist as well as a magician, keeping his audience amused with jokes as he pulled pigeons from the air.

School Board

Election Results

Incumbents, Kenneth Williams and T. L. Griffin, II were reelected to the Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District in Saturday's Board Election. Williams has served six years on the Board and Griffin has served nine years. The incumbents received 52 and 50 votes respectively. The only other people receiving votes were C. B. Brummett, Jr. Lloyd Zant, and Rube Smith who received 1 vote each.

Clinic

Snyder---The third annual Cheerleader Clinic has been scheduled June 14-18 at Western Texas College.

Planned for the second year are Girls' Basketball Camp with sessions from June 20-25 and June 27-July 2 and a Bible Camp scheduled July 11-17. The Bible Camp is for students from

grades 7-12 and recent high school cheerleaders, although students from junior high schools and colleges are also welcome to attend.

Instruction at the clinic will emphasize basic cheerleading techniques, partner stunts, tumbling, squad coordination, soul chants, pompon routines, tryout tips, voice control, leadership and responsibility.

Advisors are invited to accompany their squads at a minimum cost and special seminars are scheduled daily for advisors.

Tuition fees for students are determined by the ASCC. Applications for the clinic are to be obtained by writing to Pepster All-Star Cheerleader Conference, 819 Broadway, Kansas City, Mo. 64105. Additional information about the clinic may be obtained by writing Mickey Baird, Director of Student Activities, at WTC.

All summer campers at WTC are housed in the air conditioned dormitories and eat their meals in the Student Center cafeteria. Recreational facilities on campus are open to the campers during their stay, and other types of entertainment are planned for them as well.



Lamar County 4-H Food Show Winners. Front row. David Ballard, Tammy Jones, and Quint Creighton. Back row. Kathy Fondville, Coralea Basinger, Janet Driver and Kline Driver.

Jere's Gottings

As we approach tax paying time, let's remind ourselves of one of the purposes of the American Revolution. Wasn't it to free a struggling possession of Britain from the shackles of taxation? You bet-and those determined Patriots felt so strongly about their God given rights that they were willing to go to war to preserve them. One of those rights was (and is) to be allowed to use the fruits of their labor as they saw fit. So the war was fought and won. Then it became their task to set up a new government which would justify their loss of blood, sweat and tears. This they did within the framework of the Constitution of the United States.

Hear what Thomas Jefferson had to say about good government. "...a wise and frugal government, which shall restrain men from injuring one another, which shall leave them otherwise free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvement, and shall not take from the mouth of labor the bread it has earned. This is the sum of good government." Quite a summation. That philosophy should be incorporated into the oath of office taken by each elected official.

But how far we have strayed. We no longer are free to regulate our own pursuits. And the government, federal, state and local, does take from the mouth of labor the bread it has earned through taxes. Income taxes are by far the most damaging form of taxation. Year by year these taxes have increased as the expenditure of them has increased. No longer are taxes-or any other money used by the government-used to restrain men from injuring one another. Our tax money is now being funneled to those who are able to work but refuse to. It is used to support a food stamp program in taken advantage of by college students as well as teachers during summer vacation. The teachers probably earn more than you do. Those college students are most likely receiving sizeable allowances from old dad, the tax payer. Our tax dollars pay more than half of New York City's welfare costs. And you

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know about all those hundreds of inane tax supported programs that are about as meaningful as counting the number of fairies that can stand on the head of a pin.

There is light at the end of the tunnel though. What better way to celebrate our birthday than by demanding a constitutional tax limitation on taxing and spending power of government. The concept is that taxes and spending should be limited to a defined percentage of the total income of the people. This would automatically prevent Congress or state and local governments from raising taxes faster than personal income. Such an amendment to the Constitution would place definite limits on government budgets. It would control inflation. We the taxpayer would again be able to keep and spend more of the bread we have earned.

It might not be a bad idea if your Bicentennial effort were directed toward your Congressman. Ask him to promote a tax limitation amendment. By insisting upon a frugal government-by freeing us to regulate our own pursuits of industry- by limiting the amount taken from the mouth of labor, we will have returned to what Mr. Jefferson summed up to equal good government.

Hospitalized

It has been reported that Eunice Yadon is recovering nicely from surgery. She expects to be out of intensive care by Wednesday of this week and will remain hospitalized for several more days. She is recuperating in Methodist Memorial Hospital in Lubbock.

Humorist To Speak

Post- Justin Wilson, Cajon humorist and one of America's most sought after dinner-speakers, will be speaker for the annual All-Sports Banquet to be held in the Post High School Gym, April 17, at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are priced at \$7 and will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis, and will not be sold at the door.

Tickets may be obtained by calling Booster President, Joe McCowen at 806-495-2232, or writing to Box P.A., Post Tex. 79356.

The banquet will honor all athletes in Post High School who have participated in football, basketball, track and tennis for the past year.

Another Fine Texas Recipe

TURKEY CASSEROLE

- 1 5-ounce package wild rice and herb mix or plain wild rice
- 1 15½-ounce can French-style green beans, drained
- 1 10½-ounce can celery soup
- ½ c. mayonnaise
- ¼ c. chopped onions
- 2 c. turkey in small pieces
- 1 2-ounce jar pimiento, sliced
- ¼ c. slivered almonds
- Paprika

Cook rice according to directions, less five minutes. Mix all ingredients with rice and sprinkle with paprika. Bake 30 minutes at 350 degrees. Serves 8.



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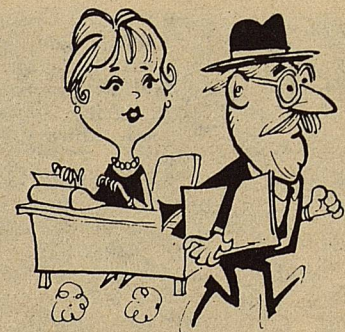


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Brucellosis Hearing

The "merry-to-round" on the eradication of brucellosis is continuing. New regulations regarding this cattle disease, commonly known as "Bangs," have been proposed by the Texas Animal Health Commission to meet federal standards. These regulations will go into effect unless rejected at a statewide hearing on April 15.

The hearing will begin at 9 a.m. in the Trinity Room of the Downtowner Motor Hotel in Austin. Anyone interested in attending to voice their opinions on the proposed regulations is encouraged to do so, says Kiker, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The proposed regulations are aimed at effectively controlling the disease and to thereby establish Texas as a "Certified Free State." The regulations are in accordance with the U.S. Animal Health Association and the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Kiker lists a few of the requirements set forth in the proposed regulations. First of all, all male and female cattle two years of age or older offered for sale at any livestock market in Texas intended for breeding purposes must be tested for brucellosis. Steers and spayed heifers will be exempt.

If an infected animal is found in any herd, the herd will be quarantined on the owner's premise until such cattle have been tested to meet the requirements for quarantine release. Herd owners will have the right to supplemental tests. Reactor cattle will not be branded and condemned to slaughter until results of such supplemental tests

(if requested) are ascertained. Regarding calf vaccinations, Kiker points out that the proposed regulations call for all female beef calves to be vaccinated between the ages of three and eight months.

The proposed regulations on brucellosis control and eradication also provide specific definitions and procedures in classifying cattle, obtaining and maintaining certification status, and qualifying methods and standards. Cattlemen interested in reviewing the proposed regulations are invited to stop by the county Extension office.

C. B. Emergency Club

Sponsored by the Lions Club, citizens of Borden County have formed a C.B. Emergency Club. This was the main order of business at the regular Borden County Lions Club meeting held Monday, April 5.

Being named coordinator of the C.B. Emergency unit, Dick Shaw explained that the club is being formed in order to assure the county and surrounding counties of an organized alert system to aid residents in any type of emergency--fire, flood, accident or other disaster.

Enthusiast for the Emergency Club decided not to operate through channels of civil defense because those units are being fazed out to exclude anything but atomic alert, it was explained. Forming a county organization also insures its citizens that it will be locally operated and the concerns of the area will be primary.

Presently, there are four "alert" phone numbers that cit-

izens may call in case of an emergency of any kind. Any of these stations will then notify the 30 C.B. units using channel 15 of the location and type of emergency needing assistance. They are Sheriff Sneed; office, 8564311, home 8564397; school, 8564262; Court House 8564255; Dick Shaw 8564543.

Long range plans call for a siren in Gail, monerating stations in the four corners of the county as well as fire-fighting and first aid equipment, according to Mr. Shaw. Mr Shaw is Bull Dog CBI.

The Borden Star will continually carry the emergency phone numbers for the convenience of their subscribers.

Sheriff
865-4311
856-4397

School
856-4262

CB EMERGENCY

Dick Shaw
856-4543

Court House
856-4255

Weather

WEATHER AT THE COUNTY SEAT

By K. T. Reddell.

Weather conditions for the week of March 29 - April 4, 1976

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
MAX.	75	58	73	84	83	84	65
MIN.	51	37	37	35	55	50	50
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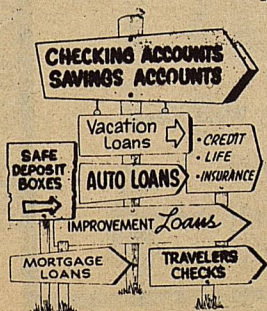
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Rex Robinson Chairman

Cattlemen

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taxes or a state personal income tax.

Other speakers included Wray Finney of Oklahoma, president of the American National Cattlemen's Association; Mrs. Frances Owen of Lubbock, president of the Texas CowBelles; John L. Huston of Chicago, an officer of the National Live Stock and Meat Board; O.J. Barron of Spur, chairman of the Beef Development Taskforce; Topper Thorpe, manager of ANCA's Cattle-Fax' and others.

New officers elected for a two year term are J.A. Whittenburg III of Amarillo, president; John B. Armstrong of Kingsville, first vice president John S. Cargile of San Angelo, second vice president; and Don C. King of Fort Worth, secretary-general manager. Whittenburg succeeded Hilmar G. Moore of Richmond.

Elected as "new" Honorary vice presidents were Electra Biggs of Vernon and F.B. Pyle of San Antonio.

New directors include Lewis L. Crenshaw of Marlin, Scott M. Felton of Waco, Chaunce O. Thompson Jr. of Breckenridge, Thomas S. Moorman of Brady, Winston J. LeJeune of Amarillo Richard L. Wood of Houston, Clyde H. Wells of Granbury, and Richard P. Klein of Amarillo.

King reported the associations' field inspectors investigated thefts of livestock and equipment valued at \$2,438,376 last year. He said they recovered an average of \$66680 worth of goods per day. King also noted a marked increase in horse thefts throughout the southwest.

One of the most controversial issues to come under consideration as a TSCRA resolution dealt with the condemnation of private lands by Federal, state and local authorities for parks and recreational areas. While the group recognized the need for such facilities, with the growing population, the assembly expressed concern that large areas of privately-owned land would be wrenched from their owners and would not really serve a large segment of society. Additionally, they felt the removal from tax rolls of such

large land masses would heap even more financial burdens on the now overtaxed agricultural landowner. In their resolution, they vigorously opposed such actions and called for careful study of such proposals by all concerned and for the greater use of existing parks before additional money is spent for new land.

The members asked in another resolution for a restatement of TSCRA's original request to Congress to initiate and fund a high-level, impartial study of brucellosis and the current program for combatting it by a qualified organization, such as the National Academy of Science.

TSCRA also came out in opposition to interpretations of the Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resources Planning Act of 1974 which assigns authority and responsibility for work on private lands to the U.S. Forest Service. It also strongly supports the traditional individual responsibility of the private land owner through the Soil and Water Conservation Districts for these private lands. TSCRA did indicate its support of adequate funding and staffing of the U.S. Forest Service to meet its needs for caring of federally-owned lands for which the service has been given responsibility.

Fort Worth was designated as the site of the 100th annual TSCRA convention.

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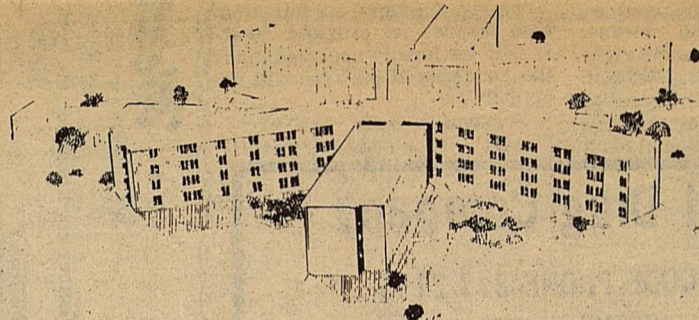
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Incumbent
- SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR-
Norman (Slick) Sneed
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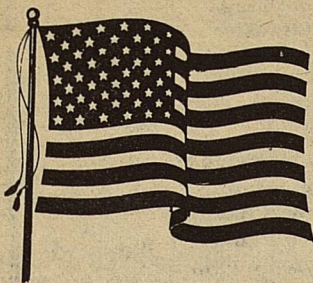
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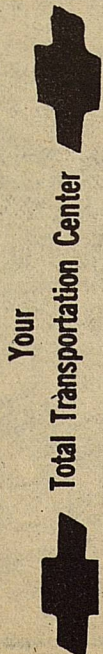
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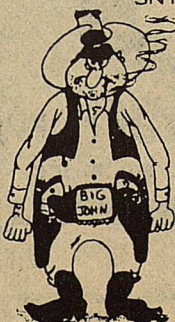
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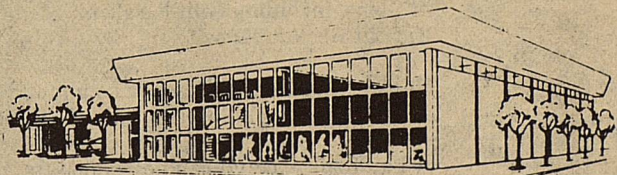
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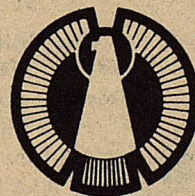
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