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## Showers and flowers in revue

"April Showers Bring May Flowers" was the theme of the third annual Borden County 4-H Fashion Revue. Thirteen contestants modeled the garments they made themselves. The 4-Hers were divided into two categories, Jr. Iage 9-11 and Jr. II age 12-14.

Jr. I winner was Rene' Telchick with D'Lynn Lloyd being named alternate. Kelli Williams was named winner of Jr. II with Kristi Stone as alternate. These four girls will be going to District. Rene and Kelli will be entered and Kristi and D'Lynn will be going along as alternates.

Kristi Stone was named Best Model of the Fashion Revue Blue ribbon winners are: Sandy Buchanan, Melenda Buchanan, Ralynn Key, Kate Phinizy, Shelly Lewis, Amy Lewis, Kandy Belew, Mendy Williams, and Christi Holmes.

The project show was held in conjunction with the Fashion Revue. There were several entries in the Home Accessories Division. Winners in each division are as follows: Kristi Stone, Clay & Glass, Amy Lewis, Fiber Arts; and Shelly Lewis; Personal Accessories These three girls will enter their projects at A & M during competition there.

Other contestantants in the project show include Cody Stone, D'Lynn Lloyd, Kandy Belew, Julie and Jim Ridenour and Ralynn Key.



Win District Elem. and Jr. High Literary Meet-These students participated in the Literary Meet last week, winning 1st place. Pictured-Shana Bradshaw, Jeanette Massingill, Tanya Hollis, Dana Gray, Becky Massingill and Samantha Porter. 3rd row-Kim Turner, Julie Ridenour, Kristi Stone, Kelli Williams, Nancy Martinez. 2nd Row-Hope Portales, Cindy Balague, Kate Phinizy, Shelly Lewis and Mickey Burkett. Front-Amy Lewis, Christie Holmes, Rachael Wilson, Cody Stone, Shawna Vaughn, and Ralynn Key. Not Pictured-John Stephens



Rene' Telchick and Kelli Williams received top honors in the Jr. I and Jr. II divisions of the 4-H Fashion Revue held Sunday afternoon. They will represent Borden County in the District Revue in Lubbock next month.

Rene' is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Telchick of the Plains Community and Kelli is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Williams also of the Plains Community.

# President Reagan Proclaims Small Business Week

Lubbock-President Reagan has proclaimed the week of May 10-16, 1981 as Small Business Week.

In issuing the proclamation, President Reagan said "To revitalize the Nation, we must stimulate small business growth and opportunity. Small business accounts for over 60 percent of our jobs, half of our business output, and at least half of the innovations that keep American industry strong. The imagination, skills, and willingness of small business men and women to take necessary risks symbolize the free enterprise foundation of the American economy and must be encouraged."

Small Business Week is held annually to recognize the contributions of small entrepreneurs.

A study found that in a recent seven year period, small businesses with less than 50 employees created 56 percent of all the new jobs in the Nation. Small business directly or indirectly provides the livelihood of more than 100 million Americans. The President urged all Americans involved in small business to continue their resourcefulness, adding that "it is with justifiable pride that the American small business man can point to himself as the backbone of our Nation."

For more information about small business, visit or call the district office of the U. S. Small Business Administration located in Room 712 of the Federal Building, 1205 Texas Avenue, Lubbock, Texas, telephone 806-762-7462.

## EN COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS



story Telling-Cody Stone, 1st; Amy Lewis, 2nd; Christie Picture Memory-Team placed second-Kate Phinizy, Shelly Holmes, 6th



Lewis, Ralynn Key and Kim Turner, Alt.

### **Open House** & Tea

The Open House and Secret Grandparents Tea sponsored by the Borden County Homemaking Department will take place May 13, 1981.

Open House will begin at 12:30 p.m. in the Home Economics Department. The Tea and Style Show will begin at 2:15 in the School cafeteria.

### Elementary & Jr. High Win Literary Meet

On Wednesday, April 29, Loop Elementary School was the site for District 5, Elementary U.I.L. Literary Meet. Borden County won the contest with a total of 85 points: Klondike and Loop tied for second place with 45 points; Union was third with 35 points. Other schools involved were Grady, Sands and Wellman. Borden County students participated in the Following events:

Spelling and Plain Writing (Grades 5-6)

Hope Portales-second place Kelli Williams-third place Julie Ridenour-fourth place

#### Grades 7-8

Dana Gray-first place Cindy Balaque-fourth place Samantha Porter-fifth place

Nancy Martinez-alternate Coaches Mrs. Peggy Westbrook and Mrs. **Dolores Wolf** 

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**Ready Writing** Dana Gray-first place **Tanya Hollis Becky Massingill** Jeanette Massingill-alternate Coach: Mrs. Peggy Westbrook

Story Telling Cody Stone-first place Amy Lewis-second place Christie Holmes-sixth place Coaches: Mrs. Ann McLeroy and Mrs. Shirley **McMeans** 

#### **Picture Memory** Ralynn Key Team placec **Kate Phinizy** Second Shellie Lewis Kim Turner-alternate Coaches: Mrs. Dorothy Gray and Mrs. Dolores Wolf

Number Sense Samantha Porter **Becky Massingill Tanya Hollis** John Stephens-alternate

#### Jr. High Golf

Becky Massingill placed 2nd in district tennis last week, while teammates Debbie King and Sherry Vaughn placed 4th. The following are complete results of the district tennis meet. **Boys Singles** 

Bric Turner 8, Bodecker of Loop 5; Bric Turner 0, Bearden of Sands 8; Rockie Harber 2, Garza of Loop 8

**Girls Singles** Shana Bradshaw 6, Perry of Sands 8; Becky Massingill 8. Snell of Klondike 4; B. Massingill 6-1, 6-1 over Shults of Union; B. Massingill lost 0-6, 2-6 to Todd of Klondike. Becky placed 2nd in district

**Boys** Doubles Smith-Jeff Gerry

Oral Reading (Grades 1-6) Kristi Stone Sherry Vaughn **Mickey Burkett** John Stephens-alternate Coaches: Mrs. Peggy Westbrook and Mrs. **Dolores Wolf** 

**Oral Reading (Grades 7-8)** Dana Gray Ronda King Tanya Hollis Shana Bradshaw-alternate Coaches: Mrs. Peggy Westbrook and Mrs. **Dolores Wolf** 

Covington

Sands 7;

Girls Doubles

Klondike 8.

Tanya

8:



Spelling and Plain Writing-Grades 5-6-Hope Portales, 2nd; Kelli Williams, 3rd; and Julie Ridenour-4th.

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Michael

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Ridenour 3; Davis-Jensen

King-Sherry Vaughn 8;

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Vaughn 8, DeLeon-Mata of

Union 5; Deborah

King-Sherry Vaughn lost to

Hogg-Stone of Klondike 1-6,

2-6; Deborah King-Sherry

Vaughn lost of Hewitt-Hale

Deborah King-Sherry

of Union 1-6, 1-6. King and Vaughn got 4th in McNeil-Deporpter of Union district. Michael

> Parents Club

The Borden County Parent's Club will meet on Thursday, May 7th at 2 p.m. in the auditorium. The program for this meeting will be a play presented by the Kindergarten Class. After the play, the officers will be elected for the next school year. Please try to attend.



Spelling and Plain Writing-Grades 7-8-Dana Gray, 1st; Cindy Balaque,4th; Samantha Porter,5th. Dana also placed 1st in Ready Writing.



Snyder

Sarah Sharp, Reporter

## **BORDEN COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS**

### **Coyote BAnd Receives Division** I

The Borden Coyote Band competed in the Region XVI Concert and Sightreading contest April 28, 1981. They received a Division I rating for their concert performance and a Division II in the sightreading competition. The contest was held at Seagraves High School and it was a welcome relief not to leave Gail before sunrise in order to make it in time for the

#### Spring Band Concert

The Music Department of Borden High School will present the Annual Spring Concert on May 14, 1981, at 8:00 P.M. Groups from Grades 5-12 will be performing and friends and parents are cordially invited.

### Girls Regional Track

Jana Edwards competed in the regional track meet Saturday, April 25, and finished in 8th place in the shot put. Jana's toss of 31'91/2" was 1/4" short of making the finals. Sixteen girls competed in the event for the two spots to go to state. At the district meet, April 9, Jana finished 4th in the 200 meter dash, 3rd in the 100 meter dash, and 2nd in the shot put to qualify for regional. Teammates Gena McLeroy and Stephanie Stephens both finished 4th in the 3200 meter run and 1600 meter run respectively.

contest. Forty two members of the band were selected to compete and did a fine job. Sundown High School also received a division I rating. Some of the other area schools and their ratings were Loop, III, Whiteface II, Wilson II. Judges for the event were Sam Roberson from Snyder, G.T. Gilligan from Kermit, and Charles Traylor from Abilene.

**Annual Sale** \$5.00 May 1 - 22

### **Fan Letter Praises State Qualifiers**

Dear Gena, Heather, and Tammy,

This is an open letter to congratulate you-all three--on your accomplishments at Levelland in the Regional U.I.L. Competition---both on the athletic and literary side of the coin. This is also to inform the people of Borden County of how lucky we are to have young ladies as special as you.

You see, Borden County, Tammy, Heather, and Gena all have advanced into the State U.I.L. Tournament by placing in the top of their individual event.. and there are not many schools in

### Jr. High Girls Track

Jeanette Massingill and Mary Washington combined for six 1st place finishes in the Jr. High District track meet to lead Borden to a 3rd place finish overall. Mary had the only points in field events as she placed 1st in the long jump. The 400 meter relay and 800 meter relay composed of Ralynn Key, Cathy York, Kelli Williams, and Shawna Vaughn placed 5th in both events. In the 800 meter run, Jeanette Massingill came in 1st for the second year in a row and Ronda King and Cindy Balague placed 2nd and 6th Mary respectively. Washington picked up two firsts afterwards, placeing 1st in the 100 meter dash

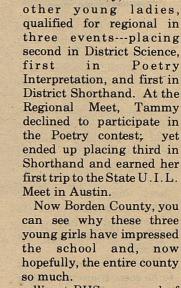
and 1st in the 200 meter dash. Ralynn Key picked up a 4th place finish in the 100 meter. Again for the second year, Jeanette Massingill won 1st in the 1200 meter run and Cindy Balague finished 4th. In the final race of the day, Borden fielded its strongest event by placing 1st in the 1600 meter relay. The team composed of Mary Washington, Shawna Vaughn, Jeanette Massingill, and Ronda King came in 60 yards ahead of 2nd place finisher Wellman who was later disqualified for throwing the baton. Wellman won the meet with 115 points, Loop second with 98 and Borden was third with 95.

Texas that can boast of sending three students to the State Tourney.

Gena Faught is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Faught of Gail. Gena placed first in district tennis and, likewise, placed first at the regional level. Gena also qualified to go to Regional in Feature Writing, but declined in favor of tennis--the sport in which Gena will make her third straight trip to the State tennis tournament.

Heather McPhaul is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McPhaul of the Plains Community. Heather was also a double qualifier--advancing to Regional with first place wins in both Feature Writing and Prose Interpretation. Prose has proven to be the more productive of the two, with Heather placing first in Regional and planning her third consecutive trip to the State U.I.L. Meet.

Tammy Telchik, also of the Plains, is the daughter

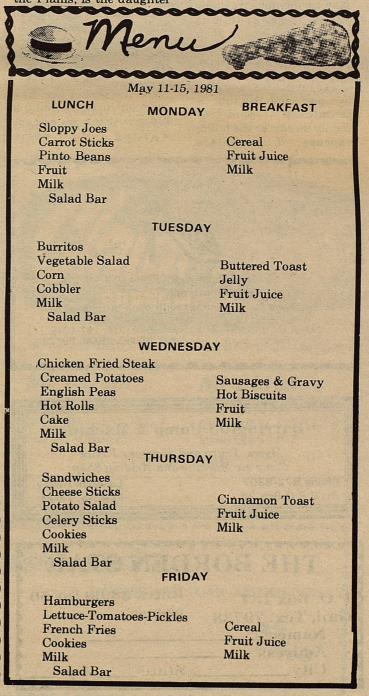


of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy

Telchik. Tammy, unlike the

We at BHS are proud of you Heather, Gena, and Tammy. We think you are all wonderful young ladies and as you prepare for your trip to Austin and the State Meets, we all wish you the very best of luck and once again...

Congratulations, Your Fans



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MAY 1981 Thursday Wednesday Friday Saturday Tuesday Monday Sunday 2 1 Pre-school Day Boys Regional Track & Field 9 7 8 5 6 3 4 Girls State -H Meeting 10:16-10:46 Ten<u>nis</u> St<u>ate Lite</u>rary Girls State Track & Field Grade 9 PMA Testing SRA Testing 16 15 13 14 10 11 12 Spring Sr. Trip Begins Area FFA Conv. 2:00 p.m. Secret Grand-parents Tea San Angelo Boys State Track & Field Concert 8:00 p.m. Awards Banquet 8:00 p.m. 21 22 23 19 20 17 18 Trip-Return Practice for Baccalaureate 30 29 28 25 26 27 24 Teacher Workday Semester Ends 8:00 p.m. H.S.Graduation J.H.Graduation Practice for Commencement 11:00 a.m. Baccalaureate Piano Recital 31

4...The Borden Star, Wednesday, May 6, 1981



The principal objective of American civilization is to get organized. Anv impromptu, disorganized, unscheduled or unrehearsed activity without rules, coaching and supervision is subversive and anti-social. Uniforms must be provided for all participants in games and scores must be kept so that there can be trophies, ribbons, contracts or letters of intent prepared for the winners. The alternative is anarchy.

If there are no new movies to be seen, there is nothing good on TV, and no activities have been planned, everyone is going to die 'of boredom unless something is provided for people to do, especially young people. The spectre of ennui is so horrible that young folks are bound to turn to drugs or alcohol to escape from its fearsome cluches, and society must be blamed for not furnishing enough programmed activities to occupy their idle time.

There is the possibility, of course, that some spare time can be taken up by working for pay and making a contribution toward the family income or the future expense of a college education. There is also the real satisfaction to be

derived from a solitary effort that doesn't require organization and, as a matter of fact, may be hampered or distracted by it. Getting good at playing the guitar or painting a picture or reading a language is foreign accomplished mainly by solitary practice, once the basics have been learned. Without human company there is the pleasure of raising and training an animal, such as a bird dog or a sheep dog, and there can hardly be anything more satisfying than the training of a saddle horse to work with the rider in roping calves and cutting cattle. After dark, a couple of buddies restoring a junk car or repairing an engine, or building a couple of canoes for use next summer find that there's not enough time. Being organized is okay, but it limits initiative and imagination and the sense of personal pride that is provided by the solo effort. Making a dress, flying an airplane, playing the piano, painting a masterpiece, running the Marathon, none of these requrie being a member of a team or belonging to an organization. This type of individual project, of course, requires more initiative and personal effort than joining a club or being on a team.

For the person who has the desire to create and the inner drive to work without waiting for some





organization to plan his schedule for him, the opportunities for individual accomplishment are probably greater, on the whole, in Gail, Texas than they are in Stockholm, Washington, London, or Moscow, where every activity is organized, with a committee, a bureau, a title, an administrator, and a budget; and freedom thrives in towns like Gail while it chokes to death in the world's capitals.

By Bruce T. Pearson

### Hospital Notes

We were sorry to hear that Jean Taylor was hospitalized last week and surgery was performed Wednesday, April 29. She is in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock and is making a satisfactory recovery.

Glenn Toombs has been hospitalized in Snyder and is reported to be in a stable condition.

The good news Jeanna Love has been released from St Mary's Hospital' following major surgery.

Minor surgery slowed Don

Cox down for a day or two but he is now back on the job. Norval Cunningham was released from the hospital Sunday after a brief illness.

#### Work At Home Offer Be Careful

Tempted by a "work at home" offer?

Be careful, and proceed with caution, or create your own "work at home" business, advises Linda McCormack, a family resource management specialist.

Mrs. McCormack is on the home economics staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

In many "work at home" cases, the potential "employee" or "investor" (you) is asked to send a membership or registration fee to a company "for more information" or "to obtain the materials necessary to start the job," Mrs. McCormick notes.

Too often, these "job materials" and "investment secrets" turn out to be simply promotional literature, not work, she says.

If you want to make money at home, and if you have an idea of what you want to do, place your own advertisement in the paper, the specialist says.

### Anderson Elected President N.S.S.L.H.A.

San Marcos, Tex.-Miss Martha Anderson of Gail, Texas, was recently elected President of the local National Students Speech, Language and Hearing Association (NSSLHA)

The first undergraduate to hold this office, Martha was installed at the Annual NSSLHA Spring Banquet April 24, 1981 in San Marcos.

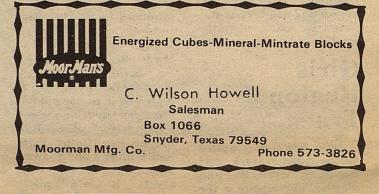
As president for 1981-82 Miss Anderson will be in charge of the Associations activities not only on the campus and in San Marcos but also in the surrounding area. One of her duties will be to represent the university and participate in the Texas Speech, Language and Hearing Association Convention.

Martha, a 1978 graduate of Borden County I.S.D., is a senior at South West Texas State University. She plans to begin her graduate work in Speech Pathology and Audiology in January, 1982, at S.W.T.S.U.

Miss Anderson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rich Anderson of Borden County.



Martha Anderson



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### "Big Spring-Howard County Centennial Day" May 21 - May 30

The week of May 21-May 30 has been proclaimed "Big Spring - Howard County Centennial Day" by Judge Jim Burkett.

Saturday, May 2 a caravan advertizing the Centennial was excorted into Gail by Sheriff Sneed. The three car caravan carried representatives of the celebration including a dance hall girl, a chamber maid, one of the nominees for "first Lady", a preacher, vocalists, and various "drummers", bartenders & cowboys.

Gathering at the museum, Joe Pickle introduced the group and gave a rundown of the upcoming weeklong celebration and presented Judge Burkett with a Stock Certificate.

Judge Burkett pledged Borden Countians support when he read the following Proclamation:

COUNTY OF BORDEN

STATE OF TEXAS

#### PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, the railroad was built in Howard County in 1881 instead of Borden County and
  WHEREAS, the residents of Borden County who harbored ill feelings toward Howard County and the City of Big Spring in 1881 have ceased to voice their objections, and
  WHEREAS, the present day citizens of Borden County whole
- WHEREAS, the present day citizens of Borden County whole heartedly support the celebration commemorating the coming of the railroad to Howard County and
- WHEREAS, the Big Spring Howard County Centennial Celebration will be held May 21 - May 30, 1981,
- NOW THEREFORE, I, Jim M. Burkett, County Judge of Borden County do hereby proclaim that May 21 to May 30 will be

"BIG SPRING - HOWARD COUNTY CENTENNIAL DAYS"

in Borden County and urge all citizens to join me in support thereof,



I, HEREBY set my hand and seal this 2nd day of May, 1981

COUNTY JUDGE BORDEN COUNTY

The caravan was welcomed to Gail by approximately fifteen people including LaRhea Pepper and Allan Day with a group of 4-Her's tending an old fashion lemonade stand. The guests toured the Museum and were offered coffee and cookies by Mrs. Roy Reeder, also in an appropriate costume. Anyone interested in

Anyone interested in buying tickets to one of the six performances of the "Iron Horse Revue" contact LaRhea Pepper or Rich Anderson, Borden Co. co-ordinator. The shows will be start Thursday May 21 and will run through May 27 with the exception of Sunday May 24. Tickets are priced at \$2.25 each, through the Borden County group. Individual tickets are priced at \$2.50 each.



Borden County Judge Jim Burkett receives a Stock Certificate from Howard County Centennial Day spokesman, Joe Pickle.



Borden County co-ordinator Rich Anderson was among the group to greet the caravan Saturday afternoon.

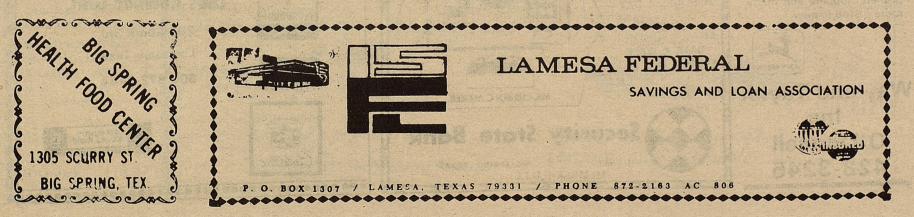


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Attend the "Iron Horse Revue"



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by Alan Day

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For Borden County

ranchers and farmers

interested in coyote control,

there will be an M-44

certification Tuesday, May

12th. The certification will

be held in the Borden

Sodium

Your County Agent Says



1981 4-H DRESS REVUE PARTICIPANTS - Back row: Christy Holmes, Rene' Telchick, Kristi Stone, Shelly Lewis, Kelly Williams, Mindy Williams, and Melinda Buchanan. Center: Amy Lewis, Kandy Belew and Ralynn Key. Front row: D'Lynn Lloyd, Kate Phinizy and Sandy Buchanan.

County High School Ag

room beginning at 1:30 p.m.

The M-44 certification will

be done by a representative

of the Texas Department of

Agriculture. The M-44 is a

ground mounted device

used to control coyote

Certification for the M-44

is for life requiring no

recertification. This allows

you to purchase all needed

materials to set your own

In conjunction with this

program, there will be a

trapping seminar done by

Joe Gilmore. Mr. Gilmore is

a local trapper and will

show some techniques for

setting traps and snares.

This portion of the program

will begin at approximately

3:30 and will conclude

between 5:00 and 5:30 p.m,

Make plans to attend this

program if you have coyote

problems and want to know

more about trapping. This

will be an excellent

opportunity for you to be

populations.

control program.

about controlling coyote kills.

PECAN MANAGEMENT SHORTCOURSE

There will be a tri-county Pecan Management Shortcourse given May 19th at the Plains Community Center in Borden County. The program will begin at 8:30 a.m. and will conclude at 12.30 p.m.

Dr. George McEachern, pecan specialist from Texas A & M, will be on hand to give the program. Topics to be covered include spraying, grafting, planting and general pecan management.

The program will begin at the Plains Community Center and will move to the Herman Ledbetter Orchard to get an actual first look at what will be discussed. Come prepared to go out in to the orchard and get a first hand look.

Make plans to attend this program if you are a pecan tree owner. Topics discussed will give you an opportunity to increase your production. Producers from Scurry and Dawson Counties have also been invited. If you need more information, call my office 856-4201.

g coyote blankets, coats and scarves. This removes all growth stages of fabric pests, from eggs to adults. tri-county g e m e n t New

### New Arrival

Tasha Ann announces the arrival of her new brother, Johnny Jerome, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Montgomery.

FABRIC PESTS ABOUND

Springtime brings about

Carpet beetles and

clothes moths are a

continuing problem in

Texas, particularly since

more woolens are being

worn today either as a 100

percent fabric or the

popular wool synthetic

Such materials should be

stored properly during the

off season to protect them

Before storing, dryclean

all woolen fabrics,

including clothing,

from these pests.

uninvited visitors into the

house that are often

overlooked, fabric pests.

IN SPRING

blends.

Johnny Jerome was born at 10:46 a.m. April 27 in Colorado City. He weighed six pounds, eight ounces at birth and measured 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and mrs. T. L. Griffin of Gail and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Montgomery of Lamesa. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lopour of Snyder, Mcand Mrs. Dempsey Darden of Loraine, and Mrs. Lois Montgomery of Lamesa. After drycleaning, store fabrics in clothing bags, using liberal applications, of moth balls or crystals. Blankets and other large or bulky items can be stored in plastic garbage bags or wrapped in heavy kraft paper and tightly sealed with tape. Be sure moth balls or crystals are inter-layered with these goods prior to sealing.

Another method of ridding fabrics of potential damaging pests is to hang them outside in bright sunlight during the hottest part of the day for several successive days. Make sure both the inside and outside of the garments are exposed to sumlight. Follow this with vigorous brushing.

Another good practice in battling fabric pests is to empty closets and vacuum them thoroughly. Wool feeding pests can live on natural accumulations of lint found in corners and on shelves and baseboards. After cleaning, apply a residual household spray.

With proper care and maintenance, woolen clothing and other goods will be protected from fabric pests and will be shipshape for next winter.



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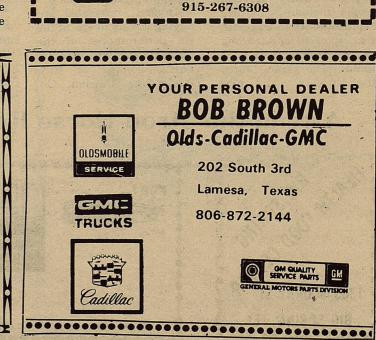
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#### **RECORD CHANGE**

Please help keep our records up to date by notifying this office of any changes in your farm acreages, change in address, sale of land, etc.

#### EMERGENCY FEED PROGRAM

All receipts for feed purchased during the feeding period ending April 30, 1981, must be filed by May 30, 1981.

Producers are reminded that an amount of feed equal to that purchased under the Livestock Feed Program must be fed to the applicant's livestock during the feeding period. Feed left on hand at the end of the feeding period cannot be sold, traded, or dsiposed of by any method other than feed the applicant's livestock.

1980 COMMODITY LOANS

The final availability date for price support loans on 1980 crop cotton and grain sorghum is May 31, 1981. The interest rate on 1980 commodity loans is still 11.5 percent for the life of the loan.

1981 LOAN INTEREST RATE

The 1981 commodity loan interest rate has been raised to 14.5 percent. The rates will be reviewed October 1st and April 1st each year and may be adjusted up or doen during the period the loans are outstanding.

SMALL GRAIN CERTIFICATIONS

The final certification date for small grain acreages of wheat, barley, oats and rye is May 15, 1981.

All small grain acreages whether planted for grazing or for harvest as grain should be reported timely.



Snyder, Texas 79549

To be eligible for program benefits under the 1981 program producers must certify by the established crop certification deadline. Reports must also be accurate and cannot vary more than the larger of one acre of 5 percent of the reported acreage.

MEASUREMENT SERVICE

Measurement service is available for producers who are not sure of the acreage planted to program crops for harvest during the 1981 crop year. An accurate certification is one of the eligibility requirements of the 1981 Farm Program.

ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION IN ALL PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY

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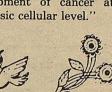
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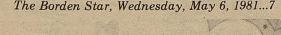
#### **Can vitamins** prevent cancer?

HOUSTON, TX. - Vitamins are proving more than mere breakfast supplements. Scientists are studying compounds found in several common vitamins to learn more about the growth and development of cancer cells.

Dr. Guy R. Newell, director of cancer prevention programs at The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, explains that retinoids, components of vitamin A, are attracting considerable scientific interest for their ability to control cell growth in certain body organs.

'Retinoid deficiency may improve the ability of a carcinogen (cancer-causing agent) to act on the cell's DNA," he says. "DNA serves as the blueprint for normal cell replication. Scientists hope eventually to find ways to supplement the diet to prevent, slow down or even reverse the development of cancer at this basic cellular level.'

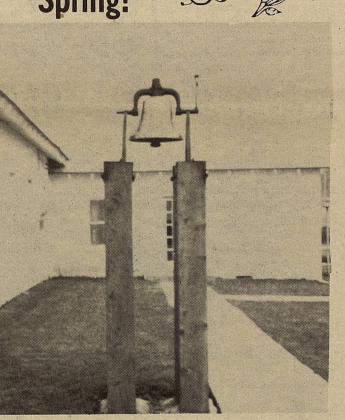






D'Lynn Lloyd and Kristi Stone were named alternates in the 4-H Dress Revue Sunday afternoon. Kristi was also selected as best model of the afternoon revue.

D'Lynn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lloyd of Fluvanna and Kristi is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stone of Gail.



The First Baptist Church of Gail has received a bell given in memory of Dotty Wills by Rich and Barbara Anderson. The bell is a fitting memorial for one who gave so much in service for her Lord, her church, and her community. The bell was rung for the first time on Easter and will be rung before regular services of the church each Sunday.





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Help Still Needed

Individual donations and volunteers are still being accepted to help with the cost and general renovation of the Exhibit. Remember this is a

county wide project and the building belongs to you.

10:00 a.m. Specifications may be obtained at the Office of the County Judge, Box 156, Gail, Texas 79738, 915-856-4255.

Borden County Commissioners court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By Order Of The **Commissioners** Court

Jim M. Burkett County Judge Borden County