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Ag Facility Work Days Planned:

Saturday - Sept. 23rd & Sept. 30th.

If you have not been to the Borden County High School Ag. Facility west of Coyote Stadium lately, then you may be in for a surprise. There is construction taking place towards another feeding facility.

The original FFA & 4-H feeding facility was constructed six years ago. It has grown so well that there are more students wanting to feed animals at this facility than there is room available. Due to this fact, the school has generously approved plans for the construction of new 18' x 90' barn consisting of 15 pens.

The goal is to have the new addition operating by November. Mr. Wallace and the Ag Mechanics Sr. Ag. class are working on this construction as part of

their skills development activities. However, to achieve this goal, there will be some work time needed in addition to student working during classroom hours. The first of these work days are scheduled for this month. Each will be on Saturday and will start at 8:00 a.m. Tools needed will consist of welders, welding equipment, torches, ladders and cut off saws. The focus of work on Sept. 23 and Sept. 30 will be on framing the 18'x90' barn. Anyone having questions concerning these work days should contact Buddy Wallace at 806/756-4313 (work) or 806/756-4478 (home).

Thanks for your support.
Buddy Wallace

Cotton Growers To Get Glimpse of Future Varieties

County Cotton growers will have a chance Sept. 26th, to see firsthand the latest cotton varieties produced using traditional breeding and biotechnology at a Cotton Variety and Biotechnology Field Day at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and

Extension Center.

The introduction of biotechnology to farming will revolutionize our production system in ways we can't yet imagine.

Even the biotechnology traits that will be available to cotton producers over the next two years-her-

bicide tolerance and worm tolerance - will offer tremendous benefits.

The field day will begin with registration at 8:30 a.m. and continue until noon. Local experts on cotton biotechnology from Texas A&M and the USDA Plant Stress Laboratory will provide and update on current and upcoming varieties developed through both traditional breeding and biotechnology. After an hour in the auditorium, producers can see the new varieties and herbicide tolerance cottons and visit with the scientists working on cotton.

Important Election Information

You may now apply for a ballot by mail.

October 8, 1995:
Last day to register in person to vote in the Nov. 7, 1995 election

October 18, 1995:
First day to vote early in person.

November 7, 1995:
Election Day

Borden County Landfill TO CLOSE

The Borden County Landfill will be closing as of October 7, 1995, if the EPA (Environment Protection Agency) does not approve a proposed rule change that will delay the implementation of Subtitle D for two years. The Borden County Commissioners' Court regrets having to take this action, but because of the high cost of the tough, stringent environmental standards dictated by the EPA Subtitle D this action was necessary.

Major EPA SUBTITLE D Regulations

1. Drilling and testing of groundwater monitoring wells
2. Financial assurance for thirty years after closing
3. Methane gas monitoring
4. Leachate disposal
5. Endangered wildlife assessment by qualified biologist
6. Stormwater runoff control
7. Benchmark surveying of site
8. Daily cover of waste
9. Permit modification to meet Subtitle D regulations by licensed engineer

If the EPA approves the rule change, the Borden County Landfill will remain open until the Subtitle D regulations take effect. This will allow the citizens of Borden County approximately two years use of their landfill. The EPA will announce the decision on the proposed rule change in 30 to 45 days (October 1, 1995).

The Borden County Commissioners' Court encourages anyone who would like to assist in getting the rule change approved to write or call their U.S. Congressman and/or U.S. Senator.

Rep. Charles Stenholm
1211 Longworth House Office Bldg.
Washington, DC 20515

Senator Phil Gramm
Room 370 Russell Senate Bldg.
Washington, DC 20510

Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison
703 Hart Senate Bldg.
Washington, DC 20510

If the Borden County Landfill is forced to close, each family will be responsible for obtaining waste disposal at their own expense; therefore, please assist the Court by contacting the above public servants.



Coyotes Victorious over Wildcats

The Borden County Coyote varsity team hosted the Grady Wildcats Friday night and held the Wildcats scoreless in a 42-0 shutout. The Coyotes played great defense as the Coyotes held the Wildcats to only 157 yards of total offense. The Coyote defense was led by Grant Key, Oscar Baeza, and Fernando Baeza who combined for 37 tackles. The defensive line was anchored by Chris Harrison, James Green, Roy Clayton and John Brummett who combined for 16 tackles for the night.

The Coyotes accumulated 331 yards of total offense for the night. Freshman quarter back Colt McCook was 3 for 5 passing for 51 yards. He connected on passes of 15 yards to Chris Harrison, 15 yards to Roy Clayton, and 20 yards to Oscar Baeza.

Colt had 7 tackles and one interception from his safety position, 5 of the seven were unassisted tackles.

The Coyotes rushing game was good for 280 yards for the night. Leading the Coyotes rushes was Fernando Baeza who carried the ball 14 times for 129 yards and four touchdowns. Fernando scored on runs of 31, 1, 50 and 8 yards each. He also had 14 tackles from his line backer position.

Oscar Baeza carried the ball 10 times for 113 yards and one touchdown. Oscar scored on a 55 yard romp into the end zone. He also had 11 tackles on defense.

Grant Key carried the ball 9 times for 35 yards and one touchdown. Grant dove over the line from 2 yards out to score for the Coyotes. He had 12 tackles on defense.

Ryan Grant had one carry for 3 yards. He had 7 tackles on defense, and recovered a fumble.

John Brummett kicked 3 out of 4 extra points attempted for a total of 6 points for the Coyote team.

James Green had 3 tackles on defense and recovered a Wildcat fumble.

Colt Miller saw action on the offensive line and had 3 tackles on defense.

The Coyotes played almost flawless football Friday night. It seemed that everything went their way early. The Coyote offense was executed perfectly, the blocking was great and the backs ran hard. The defense refused to budge. Roy Clayton and Chris Harrison had a great night on the defensive line. The secondary really stepped up and made some big plays as well.

Pups Drop Season Opener To Ira

The Borden County Junior High football team traveled to Ira last Thursday and was defeated 19 to 12 in the contest.

The Pups began the game a little tentatively. Ira jumped on top first after a Pup fumbled and took an early 6 to 0 lead. Things didn't get any better when a Bulldog was left all alone to catch a 40 yard pass for a touchdown. The Bulldogs converted a 1 point PAT, and the score was 13-0. The Coyotes put the ball in the air on their next possession only to get a pass picked off to be

returned for another Bulldog touchdown. The score at the half was 19 to 0.

In the second half the Pups tightened their chin straps and screwed their hats on tight. They came out with fire in their eyes and held the Bulldogs scoreless for the rest of the game.

On the Coyotes first possession of the second half, Kevin Pinkerton followed blocks laid by Ramon Griffin and Robert Stamper to get to the end zone from 37 yards out. The PAT failed, and the score was 19-6.

The Coyote defense of Justin Lawrence, Nick Flanigan, Robert Stamper, D. J. Smith, Ramon Griffin and Kevin Pinkerton again held the Bulldogs without a first down.

On the first play of this possession, Kevin Pinkerton took the pitch and sprinted 52 yards to the goal line, diving over to prevent a Bulldog tackle. The PAT failed, and the Coyotes were getting closer as Ira had only a 19 to 12 point lead early in the fourth period.

The Pups fumbled their next possession to the

Coyote JV Soaks

A.C.H.S. JV

The Borden Junior Varsity squad met Abilene Christian High School's Junior Varsity in Ira last Thursday. The rain had been falling during the early Jr. High game but had picked up by the time the JV played. On a rain soaked field the Coyotes took the ball first and capitalized on their first possession with a good fake between fullback Clell Knight and quarter back Jeff Dennis as Jeff pitched to a "wide open" Clint Scott as tailback, who outran the defense for a 35 yard TD run. The PAT failed and the score was 6-0.

The Coyotes defense stopped Abilene Christians' next drive and again Clint Scott scored on the same play as before from 15 yards out this time. Jeff Dennis kicked the PAT good for the Coyotes to make the score 14 to 0, in the first period.

The Coyotes' next possession ended at the 25 yard line. The Coyotes reached the 5 yard line, but were unable to put the ball over. The Coyotes attempted a field goal on 4th down, but a good defensive rush kept the

kick from getting off.

On the next play, Coyote safety Jeff Dennis intercepted a pass and the ball belonged to the Coyotes again. The Coyotes were unable to get a first down this time, and the ball went over to Abilene Christian. The Coyotes held the ACHS spread and had one more chance with the ball before half. Due to the rain they were unable to move the ball very far. At the half the score read 14-0. The game was called at the half due to the rain soaked conditions and a serious injury to an Abilene Christian athlete.

The Coyotes' offensive line consisted of Cesar Mujica, center; Preston Sharp, guard and Jason Scott, end. In the backfield was Jeff Dennis, quarterback; Clell Knight, fullback and Clint Scott, tailback. On the defensive line was Jason Scott and Josh Hobson. Clint Scott, middle line backer; Clell Knight and Preston Sharp, corner backs; and Jeff Dennis, safety.

Also getting in on the action were Clint O'Brien, Ronny Gutierrez, Ronnie Rivera and Clint Cowart.

Bulldogs, but 3 plays later recovered a Bulldog fumble. With only seconds left in the game Kevin Pinkerton hit Ramon Griffin with a 25 yard pass to the Bulldog 16 yard line. After two incomplete passes, Kevin Pinkerton kept the ball on the next play and was tackled at the 5 yard line as the buzzer sounded to preserve the Bulldog victory.

The Coyotes' offensive line consists of Justin Lawrence at center, Nick Flanigan at guard, John Harding at end, Lee Pepper at end, Robert Stamper as

the Pup's quarterback. Ramon Griffin and Kevin Pinkerton are the backs for the Pups.

Defensively D. J. Smith comes in to play corner back.

Also seeing action for the Pups were Ross Aten, James Bond, Carson Blagrove, Georgie Vasquez, and Ryan Sanders.

**Yeah
Borden
Coyotes!**





1995-96 Coyote Booster Club Members

- Roland & Karan Key
- Bobby & LaNita Avery
- Larry & Wanda Smith
- Terry & LaRhea Pepper
- Joel & Betty Dennis
- Nancy Flanigan
- Jeanette Koehler
- Bob & Cookie Dyess
- Bill & Donna Aten
- Royce & Nora Nance
- Mickey & Shirley
McMeans
- Scott & Brandi Brooks
- Doug & Debbie Isaacs
- Keith & Odee Kemp
- Johnny & Nancy Kemp
- Alton & Jean Harrison
- Gary & Connie Stipe
- Charles & Beverly Tubb
- R.D. & Carol Lewis
- Jon Herring
- Kenneth & Shirley Bennett
- Hurston Lemons, Jr.
- Van & Barbara York
- Ross & Sarah Sharp
- Frank & Joyce Herridge
- Arland & Avis Youngblood
- Tommy & Kelli Merritt
- Kenny & Carla Hensley
- Joe & Rhonda Harding
- Greg & Beth Stamper
- Barry & Susan O'Brien
- Bob & Terri Buchanan
- Riley & Mary Miller
- Brent & Jennifer Smith
- Scott & Inez Clayton
- Alfonso & Maria
Benivedez
- Jimmy & Kim Thomas
- Lin & Deb Smith
- Randy & Donelle Hensley
- Glen & Sharon Perry
- Monte & Deidre Smith

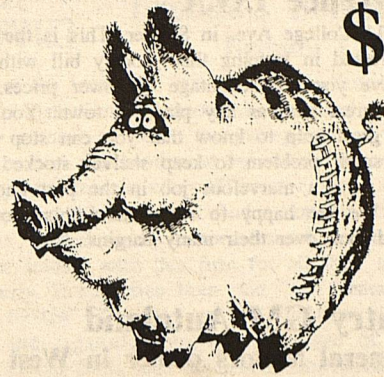


"Kiss A Pig"

Who will get to "Kiss a Pig"?

Coach Avery ?
Coach Dyess ?

Coach Richey ?
Coach Stout ?



You can help determine which coach will kiss a pig, by placing your votes in your favorite (or NOT so favorite) coaches' container. At the end of this contest, the coach with the most VOTES in his "Money Jug", will be the lucky winner. He will have the honor of kissing a pig at half time of the last Jr. High home football game.

Any amount of donation will be appreciated.

Sponsored by the Jr. High Cheerleaders as a fundraiser.



Coyote Football

Thursday Night
Sept. 21st.

Borden Jr. High
vs.

Southland

6:00 p.m. - Gail

High School JV

vs

Southland

7:30 p.m. - Gail

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Friday Night
Sept. 22nd.

Borden Co. Coyotes

vs

Southland

7:00 p.m. - Southland



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COYOTE BOOSTER ITEMS FOR SALE:

- NEW Red Caps \$10.00
- NEW Lt. Blue T-shirts \$10.00
- Sizes Youth 6-8
- Youth 10-12
- Youth 14-16
- Adults S to XXL

BABY SHOWER BRUNCH

Saturday, September 23, 1995
10:00 A.M. - Borden School Cafeteria
For Zach, Mollie, and Mallory McMeans
Triplets of Bart & Vivian McMeans
(Please do not feel obligated to give three of anything)

Gail FFA Members Begin Annual Sausage Sale

The Gail FFA will be starting their first fundraiser of the year on September 18 and will be sold until Oct. 1. This fundraiser will be Annual Sausage Sale and the items that will be sold are as follows:

2-1/2-lb. pkg of Pan Sausage	\$ 6.50
3-lb. box Link Sausage	\$ 8.50
3-lb. box Pattie Sausage	\$ 8.50
3-lb. box Pork Burger	\$ 8.50
3-lb. box Peppered Bacon	\$ 8.50
3-lb. box Hickory Smoked Bacon	\$ 8.50
3-lb. box Smoked Sausage	\$10.00
3-lb. box Beef Fajita	\$13.00
3-lb. box Chicken Fajita	\$13.00
3-lb. box Beef/Chicken Combo Fajita	\$13.00
3-lb. pkg. Sausage Biscuit	\$10.00
3-lb. pkg. Sausage, Egg, Cheese Biscuit	\$10.00
6.5 - 8-lb. Hickory Smoked Hams	\$20.00
8.5 - 10-lb. Hickory Smoked Turkey	\$16.00

The FFA members really appreciate all of your help in the past. If you have any questions about the sell, please contact Mr. Wallace at (806)756-4478.

The FFA members would also like to inform you that they will be starting on their Christmas Fruit Sale on October 27.

Shelby Isaacs
FFA Reporter

School Lunch Menu

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

September 25-29

MONDAY

Meat & Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Green Peas
Hot Rolls
Fruit
Milk

Cheese Toast
Juice - Milk

TUESDAY

Lasagna
Green Beans
Blackeyed Peas
Garlic Toast
Milk

Muffins

Fruit - Milk

WEDNESDAY

Ham & Cheese Sandwich
Lettuce & Tomatos
Tater Tots
Spice Cake
Milk

Donuts

Juice - Milk

THURSDAY

Chili
Beans
Corn Bread
Fruit
Milk

Toast & Jelly

Juice - Milk

FRIDAY

Steak-on-a-Bun
Lettuce & Tomato
French Fries
Oatmeal Cookies
Milk

Cinnamon Toast
Juice - Milk



Lawrence I.G.A

This enterprising seller is located at 4111 College Ave. in Snyder. This is the store to which you will want to come if you are interested in keeping that grocery bill within range. They sell on a close margin of profit to give you the advantage of lower prices. Folks in this section have found the values to be as great here as any place in town. You sure won't go wrong by trading at this store. It is a great help to know that you can stop at one grocery and get everything you need. It is no small problem to keep shelves stocked with desirable foods. But, this grocery in Snyder has done a marvelous job in the past and will continue with their progressive business policy. We are happy to recommend this prominent grocery and market and suggest you drop in and look over their many bargains.

Big Country GM Autoland

The largest full line General Motors dealer in West Texas

Big Country GM Autoland is your authorized dealer for Chevrolet, Geo, Buick, Cadillac, Oldsmobile, Pontiac and GMC trucks. They are located on the West side of the East traffic circle in Snyder, phone 573-5456 or toll free 1-800-573-5459 for any information. These General Motor products are a motorist dream come true. They will give you the advantage of driving comfort, safety, efficiency of operation and easy handling. So treat yourself to a ride in one of these General Motor products and you will agree that they have beauty, roominess and plenty of power. They are products of many months of planning by some of the finest engineers in the automobile manufacturing business. This firm is also completely equipped to service any and all makes of automobiles. The mechanics at this firm are experienced and will give your auto the best of care. So enjoy your car more by keeping it first class condition by bringing it to this outstanding firm. In this our first annual Business and Professional Good Neighbor Review we are happy to recommend **Big Country GM Autoland** to all our many readers throughout Borden County. You can be assured of a square deal when trading with prominent firm in Snyder for all your automotive needs.

McDonalds

This restaurant is located at 3414 College Ave. in Snyder is one of the finest and most popular in this section. They have gained a name that has spread over a large area as the place where both the local and traveling public can well satisfy their demands in good eating. The menu consists of many tempting dishes served with courtesy and a pleasant smile. It is indeed refreshing to find such an up-to-date restaurant as this. It is unsurpassed by any eating place in the way of service and good food. When Joel Hook, went into business it was with the idea that a modern restaurant would be appreciated by reason of their ever increasing patronage. Everyone will find this a pleasant place to visit while in Snyder shopping for the day.

Stribling Welding Service

Stribling Welding Service located in Fluvanna is the firm to see for all your welding needs. Phone 573-3442. This firm specializes in a complete welding service. Their slogan is "WELDING ANYWHERE - - ANYTIME". This company is one of this sections best equipped welding shops receiving work from all of the surrounding area and serving both industrial and agricultural interest in a most up-to-date manner. **Stribling Welding Service** has been especially instrumental in helping to keep the wheels of industry moving. Many of the business men, farmers and ranchers of this area offer the highest praise for the work done in their shop. However, a job does not have to be brought into their shop to receive their attention and service, for they are equipped with modern portable equipment and much of their work is handled right on your job, thereby saving much lost time in transferring the job to be worked on, to their shop. All work, whether large or small will always receive the same interest and courteous consideration.

Nix's Auto & Tire Service

Nix's Auto & Tire Service is located at 1510 25th Street in Snyder. Complete scientific automotive service on all makes of cars by trained mechanics is offered by this reliable company. It is always the policy of this garage to give the maximum of service at the lowest possible prices. This is proved by their many satisfied customers. As Nix's Auto & Tire, "SERVICE" is their motto and it is backed by their fine reputation. Here the finest experts among workmen give your automobile what it may need from the smallest repair job to a complete overhaul. You will find that they are your dealer for Bridgestone, Michelin and Firestone tires. Here you will find experts who will be glad to advise you on your tire needs. They realize that quality is as important as price and they stand behind their service and products at all times. So for guaranteed satisfaction, take your car to **Nix's Auto & Tire** the next time you need any automotive service or for your tire needs. When you once trade with this firm we are sure you will become another one of their regular satisfied customers. In this "Good Neighbor Review" you will find that this firm has our highest recommendations. Phone (915)573-3567 or 573-6818.

Farmers Insurance Group

Ronnie Shields - Agent

For all kinds of insurance call Ronnie Shields located at 1802 26th Street in Snyder. He represents **Farmers Insurance Group** and is ready to serve you in your every insurance need. He is now serving a great number of people in this section with auto, accident, property and life insurance. There are so many things over which we have no control, both of a personal and property nature, that you owe it to yourself and your family to insure against these things which do happen. When you think of insurance, think of Ronnie Shields, agent for **Farmers Insurance Group**. Go over your needs with him and he will be able to assist you in selecting the kind of insurance suited to protect you adequately. Once he has made a study of your problems, you will be advised how best you can meet that need at a minimum cost. You are invited to come in and discuss insurance with no obligation on your part and see for yourself if your protection is sufficient for all your needs. In this review we feel a sense of satisfaction in recommending this firm in Snyder for insurance of all kinds. Phone 573-0278 for any information.

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Snyder

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Jim Sartor

This firm in Snyder is your authorized Chrysler Products dealer, featuring complete service and parts. Stop by the showroom and let one of their representatives show you some of the many advantages of owning one of these wonderful automobiles. These automobiles have stood the test of years of rugged usage and have continued to reign supreme. In these Chrysler Products you will find riding qualities and visibility that is unequalled by any other car. For the highest engine efficiency, longest durable service and true economy, see these autos today and you will be glad you did so tomorrow. This firm realizes that satisfying a customer means success. They are capable of rendering you the most complete and dependable service for your car, regardless of the make or model. You can be assured that the work will be as you desired and that the price will be reasonable. In this "Good Neighbor Review" of the reliable firms of Snyder we wish to recommend this firm to the people of this trade area. Here you will find a bargain in buying a new or used car. Phone (915)574-6886 for any information.

Everybody's Thriftway

Drop in **Everybody's Thriftway** located at 1905 35th. Street in Snyder if you are interested in real bargains. You will find their shelves are stocked with a complete variety of vegetables, fruits and cereals as well as all the staple groceries and the finest in fresh meats. To assure you of top quality merchandise, this store handles only the better known brands in food products. It is a real pleasure to shop at this grocery store because all food has been placed in logical order and is in sections depending on the type. Great care is taken to see that all food available on the market today is within your reach and you can be assured that they are priced right for you. The outstanding virtue of this grocery store is the friendly and courteous service that is always yours when you trade here. It is to your advantage as well as your pocketbook to shop at this modern store in Snyder located at 35th and College Ave.

Snyder Concrete Company

Snyder Concrete Co. located at 2300 Ave. Q in Snyder offers prompt and dependable service in ready mixed concrete. This up-to-date company furnishes a complete service of high quality ready mixed concrete for building construction. They are prepared to supply out of town orders, real estate men, subdividers and home builders on short notice. They have a fleet of modern trucks for transporting and mixing concrete in any quantity desired. This is a real convenience in building as it eliminates delay and assures a high quality, hard setting concrete. The best of service is provided the public of this area. No matter whether you have a large or small amount of concrete work to be done, you will find it more convenient and economical to use the service of this well-known establishment. We wish to say that **Snyder Concrete Co.** has more than justified its existence as its service in this field has proven an essential necessity to this area.

Goin West Outfitters

Greg & Sandy Crawford, Owners

Goin West Outfitters is one of the newer business firms of Snyder, opening in May, bring you that authentic old west look in clothing for both men and women. You will find they carry a line of authentic cowboy clothing for the men as well as that frontier look for the women, along with books of cowboy poetry, a line of bits and spurs and leather goods such as purses and other gift items for the ladies, old time hats and mussel loading supplies among other gift items. They carry the Wah Maker brand, a leader in the old west style of clothing. In opening this store Greg and Sandy Crawford have brought something different and unusual in the clothing line to our area. So, for that gift for friend or family that has most everything, or for yourself, visit this firm located at 1813 25th St. on the square in downtown Snyder. Their business hours are from 10:00 - 5:30 Tues. - Friday and 10:00 - 4:30 on Sat. Phone (915)573-0999 for any information. Visit them for their Grand Opening on the weekend of October 6th & 7th during the White Buffalo Festival for a different experience. In this our first ever Business and Professional Good Neighbor Review of Snyder we comment Greg and Sandy for bringing an exciting and different business to our area.

Snyder Lumber Company

Snyder Lumber is conveniently located in Snyder at 2109 25th Street. Phone 573-3579. Here they feature building materials of every description and the highest quality at the lowest possible prices. This popular lumber concern carries a complete line of grade "A" building materials and through their fair dealings of doing business and the high quality and fair prices constantly offered they have won an enviable reputation throughout this section. The people of this territory, including contractors, building and farmers have come to know that they can depend upon **Snyder Lumber** for everything in building materials. It may be said that this firm is a valued asset to this community. One of the essential features of any house, store or any other structure is that it will stand the wear of the years. The same is true of the reputation of any business firm and that is why **Snyder Lumber** enjoys an ever increasing volume of business and popularity.

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D. M. Cogdell Memorial Hospital

Cogdell Memorial Hospital is a 99 bed facility fully accredited by JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations) and is located at 1700 Cogdell Blvd. in the Scurry County Medical Center, Snyder. Hospital services include Level III Emergency Room staffed by on site physicians 24 hours/day, Medical/Surgical services, 5 bed ICU/CCU unit, Maternity Center, and two Long Term Care Units. Also Cardiac Rehabilitation and Fitness Center, Physical Therapy, Respiratory Therapy and Speech Therapy, and a hospital based home health service. 11 physicians on the regular staff include six Family Practice doctors; Dr. James Burleson, Dr. Bid Cooper, Dr. W.B. McSpadden, Dr. Gary Nussey, Dr. Robert Pierce, and Dr. Paul Thompson; two surgeons, Dr. Kathleen Weaver, Orthopedic Surgeon, and Dr. Mark Weaver, General Surgeon; Dr. Thomas Kerr, Internal Medicine, and Dr. Sherman Merrit, Radiology. Dr. Carl Dillaha is the Unit Medical Authority at TDCJ Price Daniel Unit. **Cogdell Memorial Hospital** continuously strives to provide quality medical care in pleasant and comfortable surroundings. For more information, please call (915)573-6374.

Stanley Clark Customer Jewelers

Stanley Clark Customer Jewelers is located at 3203 College Ave. in Snyder, phone 915-573-8707 or toll Free 1-800-657-6236. Here at this firm, you will find that they feature the quality brand names in the jewelry business. You will find the finest in diamonds, watches, silverware, all types of gold and silver jewelry and gifts for all occasions. When you buy jewelry of any type, be assured of getting the best in quality merchandise. When shopping for something for that special loved one visit with these custom designers for that one of a kind jewelry item. They will design and make it from your gold and gems or with theirs. You can be assured that this prominent firm in Snyder designs with only the best of quality in mind and they will stand behind your purchase. They also maintain a repair division where only experienced jewelers work on that watch or fine piece of jewelry that you cherish and always at reasonable prices. So when you are shopping for a gift for that special someone, be sure to visit **Stanley Clark Custom Jewelry** and see their fine selection. Their employees are courteous and helpful and they are happy to assist you in selecting any item from their large stock or to sit down with you and design that special jewelry item you desire.

Permian Communications

For all your communication needs be sure to see **Permian Communications** located at 2403 25th Street in Snyder. Here you will find everything that you will need in communication equipment for business, industry or just for your own personal use. They carry a complete line of two-way radios, cellular phones and other needed communication devices. They have acquired a new addition to their business, that of being your Radio Shack Dealer Store, thereby, being able to bring you a larger and more varied selection of all your electronic needs and accessories. They are experts in helping you select the correct system for your purpose and can offer expert installation. You will find that they also have a superb repair department staffed with experienced personal. Through their years of satisfactory service to the public, quality products, top-notch repair service, fair treatment, fair prices and the fact they have a knowledge of every branch of the communication trade this firm has continued to witness an increase in the number of their patrons. We in this Good Neighbor Review highly recommend **Permian Communications** as being an asset to this and surrounding areas. Phone 573-8296 for any information you might need.

Paymaster Gin

The **Paymaster Gin** is located on the Lamesa Hwy. in Snyder, phone 915-573-2171. A cleaner cotton efficiently gained by modern methods is the product of their gin. Their equipment is of the best obtainable which accounts for the efficient operation they are noted for. You may take your cotton to **Paymaster Gin** and be assured of rapid and satisfactory service. The management and employees are experts in the business and are prepared to take care of any amount of cotton in a relatively short time. This modern establishment has been given the opportunity to work out their own successful career and at the same time be of incalculable service to the people of their home town and surrounding areas. With the excellent business judgment that has characterized the management career, they realized that it was important that the farmers of this area have an establishment of this kind that they can depend upon. We predict, in this Business and Professional Review that the future will see even greater strides in the progress of this firm.

Wal-Mart Discount Cities

Wal-Mart is conveniently located on South College Ave. in Snyder, phone 573-1967. The friendly atmosphere which predominates this store at all times has placed it in a class all by itself and can well be termed shopping headquarters "for Snyder and the surrounding territory." That much discussed work "Service" finds true expression in the friendly employees who are ready and willing to assist the customers of this store. Each department of this store is supervised by those well trained in needs of the department and the merchandise is well marked according to price, style, etc., to assist you in making your selections. You will find that they only stock those items that are in current style, design, materials and quality. We call the attention of our many readers to the advantage of having a store like this which has maintained the best in service to the public. This policy should guide one to do business with this reliable firm which has the interest of every customer at heart.



Brenda's Bernina Sewing Center

Brenda Lee, New Owner

This firm is one of the leaders of it's kind in this district and they have built their reputation upon the service, satisfaction and good will extended to their many customers. Having been in this line for a number of years, the management provides the demands of her customers with quality service and merchandise at reasonable prices. Here can be found a complete line of Bernina Sewing Machines in many different models, along with a large selection of sewing notions and accessories. Also you will find a complete and competent repair shop where your sewing machine is worked on by factory trained personal. Steve Lee, technician. The people of this area prefer trading with this firm for all their sewing needs because they know they will be treated fairly. It has often been said "that business goes where it is invited and stays where it is well treated". Through constant vigilance and execution of this policy they have attained success and popularity among the people of this district. In this review of the reliable concerns in our trade area we recommend **Brenda's Bernina Sewing Center**, located on the square at 2519 College Ave. in Snyder. Their quality merchandise, satisfactory service and fair prices purvey the ultimate reason for their success.

Snyder National Bank

This prominent bank is located at 1715 25th Street in Snyder is an FDIC member, phone 915-573-2681. **Snyder National Bank** is an institution of financial strength and safety and may well be termed "The Friendly Bank". It was founded by men of character and integrity who were very prominent in business and commercial activities and have progressed as this district itself has grown and progressed. Under the management of efficient and capable men they invite accounts of business men, women, farmers, labors or all people who desire profitable connection with a modern banking institution. At this bank you will find strength, seasoned judgment, dependability, accuracy in handling details and breadth of vision --- all to be applied to the management of your personal or commercial affairs. In making this review we wish to make the statement that at the **Snyder National Bank** you may at all times save with safety.

Wilson Motors

Wilson Motors is located on East Hwy 180 in Snyder, phone 915/573-6351. This is your authorized Ford, Mercury and Lincoln dealer and they are qualified to render a complete service on all models. They carry a complete stock of all parts for late models, as well as older models in order that you may keep your auto in tip-top shape. Have your car tuned up today. Every car needs a motor tune-up periodically if it is to give maximum service. A motor analysis by this firm gives your car that green light. Here you will find a complete repair department that is capable of handling any job quickly and efficiently. Maintaining a car in good repair will make it last longer and increase it's resale value. Have that old car tuned up at **Wilson Motors** in Snyder or trade it in on a new Ford, Mercury or Lincoln. The motto here is "Friendly Service". These Ford Products is considered by many to be the most outstanding autos of the year. Be sure to drive one of these autos and you will immediately see why.

Lone Star Cleaners

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Lone Star Cleaners is located in Snyder at 3111 College Ave., phone 915-573-7376. Here the finest of dry cleaning is done. They use the best and latest processes and as a consequence, when your garments are returned to you they are not only clean, but odorless and well pressed, which extends the life of your garments considerably. They specialize in all kinds of dry cleaning, both for men and ladies. The most delicate of dresses are handled in a very careful manner by this firm. You will find that they have complete laundry services, specializing in starched jeans. Many people have learned that through good dry cleaning and laundry service they can save the expenditure of many dollars for new clothes. Customers have found that the most sensitive fabrics are carefully handled and successfully cleaned by **Lone Star Cleaners**. So visit this shop the next time you want expert cleaning laundry and finishing.

Snyder Savings & Loan Association

Snyder Savings & Loan Association is located at 2619 College Ave. in Snyder. This institution is one of the corner stones of the financial structure of this community. If you have money to save or invest you should investigate the advantages this saving and loan can offer you. It is well-known in this territory for their reliability and many have found their desired method of saving through them. They offer a way for reliable parties to secure loans in a business like manner without being imposed upon in any way. You will be more than pleased with this efficient and modern establishment. Through this widely known institution many people of Scurry and Borden County have progressed. It's service is positively indispensable to the comfort, success and progress of this section. If you plan to build, purchase or repair in the near future, be sure to see **Snyder Savings & Loan**, phone 573-9305. They are a member of FDIC, whereby your savings are insured.

Propane Division of McCormick Marketing Inc.

Mark McCormick, President - Mike Dennis, Vice President

Through the services of the **Propane Division of McCormick Marketing, Inc.** located at 2401 Ave. Q in Snyder, suburban life in this section has been made more attractive. With their services there is no home that can not enjoy a modern system of cooking and heating. They offer the propane system, giving you a gas fuel which has been passed by the National Board of Fire Underwriters and can be secured as complete systems with ranges, heaters and other gas appliances. Propane can be used for practically every purpose natural gas is employed. With propane you merely turn on the gas and light it and you immediately have a flame intensely hot with perfect combustion and absolute freedom from soot and smoke. It affords us a distinct pleasure in making this review to recommend this firm and refer their propane service to all of our readers. Phone 573-6313 for any information or for home, farm and ranch delivery.

Borden County CSFA News

1995 CROP LOANS

Production from crops enrolled in the 1995 Farm program are eligible to be placed in a CCC Loan. All grain loans are available until March 31, 1996. Upland cotton loans may be obtained until May 31, 1996. 1995 loan rates are as follows:

Grain Sorghum	\$3.43 cwt
Wheat	\$2.64 bu
Oats	\$1.05 bu
Barley	\$1.79 bu
Cotton	\$.5180 lb.

FOREIGN INVESTORS

The Agriculture Foreign Disclosure Act requires any citizen of a foreign country who purchases land for agriculture purposes to report purchase of the land to our office within 90 days of acquisition. Forms for reporting are available at this office. Failure to report can result in penalties up to 25 percent of the fair market value of the land, for agricultural purposes, held by the foreign person.

FARM CHANGES

The 1996 crop year is fast approaching. If you have changed farm operators, purchased new farm land or sold farm land, these changes need to be reported to this office so we can update our farm records. On purchased land we will need a copy of the deed; on leased land we will need a copy of the written lease agreement.

Producers are reminded that if they bought, leased, rented, crop shared, or are thinking about buying or operating new acreage need to immediately check with NRCS about the conservation plan on the farm.

COTTON YIELD RECORDS

If you purchased the minimal catastrophic insurance (CAT) through our office, you must provide our

office with actual production records. Producers with "CAT" administered through our office must report a natural disaster that has affected the crop within 72 hours of the disaster. You cannot wait until after the crop is harvested. A preliminary inspection of a low yield crop is required even though the total crop is harvested.

13th CPR SIGN-UP

CRP sign-up will be held September 11, 1995 through Sept. 22, 1995. Eligible land for enrollment in the CRP includes cropland that has been planted or considered planted to an agricultural commodity in any 2 of the 5 crop years 1986 through 1990 that is physically and legally capable of being cropped at the time of enrollment.

For this sign-up, a new payment rate process has been developed in which bid caps are calculated uniquely for each bid at the county level. Before you bid, you will know the bid cap for the land that you are offering. Your bid will be rejected at the counted level if it exceeds this bid cap or if the bid is not in whole dollars per acre.

BORDEN COUNTY FSA COMMITTEE ELECTION

Farmers and other eligible voters are asked to nominate candidates of their choice by October 30, 1995 for the Borden County Farm Service Agency (FSA) committee election ballot. The FSA committee was previously known as the ASC committee.

The FSA county committee election will be conducted from November 25 to December 4 1995, by mail ballot. FSA, an agency of the USDA, administers farm commodity, crop insurance,

and conservation programs for farmers and makes farm ownership and operating loans.

Borden County farmers have the opportunity to nominate persons they feel would best serve their farm community on the FSA county committee. Farmers may request and receive nominating petition forms from the county office.

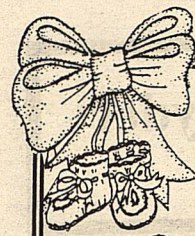
Farmers should petition for and elect those individuals they feel would do a good job as an FSA committee member.

CLOUD SEEDING EVENT INFORMATION AS PERFORMED BY THE COLORADO RIVER MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT OVER BORDEN COUNTY, TEXAS FOR THE SEVEN DAY PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 15, 1995

On September 9, 1995, a cloud system was seeded beginning at 8:22 a.m. and ending at 8:30 a.m., CDT, over an area beginning at a point approximately 18 miles southeast to 11 miles east of Gail. Clouds moved east at 25 miles per hour.

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Baptized on September 1, 1995

Saddleback Memorial Hospital

Laguna Hills, California

Weighed: 2 lbs. 15 ozs. 14 inches long

Emily died in her mother's arms, surrounded by her parents' love, on September 4, 1995. Services were held on Tuesday, September 5, 1995, with the Rev. Harry Wildenson, Chaplain, officiating. Her memory will live forever within the hearts of her loved ones.

Parents: Christopher & Gigi Kilmer

1100 Calle del Cerro, Apt. 8A

San Clemente, CA 92672

Grandparents: Oswaldo & Elva Reyes, Alice, Tx.

Keith & Rita Dotson, Gail, Tx.

Richard Kilmer, San Antonio, Tx.

The family suggests memorials to The Lupus Foundation or a favorite charity:

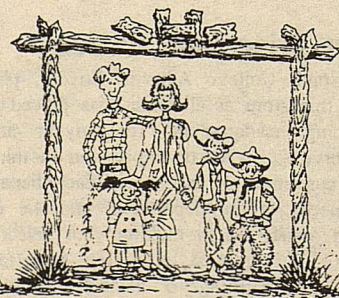
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4 Research Place, Suite 180

Rockville, MD 20850-3226



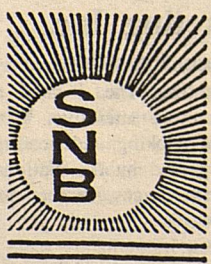
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The Texas Department of Transportation has the following job open:

JOB TITLE: Roadway Maintenance Tech II
SALARY: \$7.27 per hour

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: One (1) year experience in roadway maintenance work or a related field.

LOCATION: Snyder Texas

JOB DESCRIPTION: Under general supervision of a crew chief, performs maintenance work on a specialized or routine maintenance crew. Performs some duties independently. Work requires contact with the public.

ADDRESS: Applications may be mailed to P.O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas 79604-0150 or returned to any TxDOT office.

Applications must be received by the closing date and time noted on the job vacancy. **A mailed application must be postmarked one day prior to the closing date.**

RESUMES: Resumes will be accepted for whatever additional information they contain but **not** in place of a completed application.

CLOSING DATE: September 20, 1995 at 5:00 p.m.

For additional information about the job qualification requirement and application instructions, please call (915) 676-6844.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 7, 1995

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 50 proposes a constitutional amendment providing that the legislature by general law may authorize the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to issue general obligation bonds of the state in an amount not exceeding \$300 million to finance educational loans to students. The maximum interest rate to be borne by the bonds must be set by law. The legislature may provide for the investment of bond proceeds and may establish an interest and sinking fund to pay the bonds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of \$300 million in general obligation bonds to finance education loans to students."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 36 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation the property of an organization chartered by the Congress of the Republic of Texas if the property is used primarily for the charitable, benevolent, or public service activities of the organization as defined by general law. The Comptroller's Property Tax Division has identified the Grand Lodge of Texas, also known as the Masonic Lodges, as the primary organization which would qualify for this tax exemption.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation property of an organization chartered by the Congress of the Republic of Texas that is used primarily for the charitable, benevolent, or public service activities of the organization."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 51 proposes a constitutional amendment that provides that the farm and ranch finance program fund shall be administered by the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority and not by the Veterans' Land Board, as provided by current law. In addition, the proposed amendment provides that the proceeds of \$200 million of the \$500 million in bonds authorized by the Texas Constitution for the farm and ranch finance program fund may be diverted to the agricultural fund and the rural micro-enterprise development fund, also authorized by the Texas Constitution, to be used for agricultural and rural economic development programs.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment allowing the use of existing bond authority of the farm and ranch finance program to include financial assistance for the expansion, development, and diversification of production, processing, marketing, and export of Texas agricultural products."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 46 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow an encumbrance to be fixed on homestead property for an owelty of partition. In divorce and probate situations, a piece of property may be owned jointly by two

or more people, and each person owns an undivided interest in the property, as opposed to a specific portion of the property. If one owner wishes to purchase the other person's interest in the property and wishes to obtain a loan to finance the purchase, the lending institution requires all interests in the property to be used as security for the loan; this is called an owelty of partition. Senate Joint Resolution 46 would allow the lending institution to foreclose on the homestead property for an owelty of partition if the purchaser defaulted on the loan. In addition, the proposed amendment would allow the refinancing of a lien against a homestead. Finally, the proposed amendment would allow a purchaser or lender to rely on an affidavit that states that the property to be conveyed or encumbered is not the homestead of the affiant.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment permitting an encumbrance to be fixed on homestead property for an owelty of partition, including a debt of a spouse resulting from a division or award of a homestead in a divorce proceeding, and for the refinancing of a lien against a homestead, including a federal tax lien resulting from the tax debt of the owner."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment which would increase by \$500 million the constitutional authorization of the Veterans' Land Board to issue and sell general obligation bonds of the state to provide housing financing to Texas veterans. The proceeds from the bonds authorized by this amendment shall be used to augment the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund II to be administered and invested as provided by law. The bonds authorized by this amendment shall be incontestable after execution by the Veterans' Land Board, approval by the attorney general, and delivery to the purchaser.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to increase by \$500 million the amount of general obligation bonds that may be issued to augment the veterans' housing assistance fund II."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 64 proposes a constitutional amendment which would extend the tax exemption under article VIII, section 1-b(b) of the Texas Constitution for the residence homestead of a person age 65 or older to the surviving spouse of a person who received the exemption. The surviving spouse must be age 55 or older when the deceased spouse died, and the property must be the residence homestead of the surviving spouse when the deceased spouse died and remain the surviving spouse's residence homestead. A surviving spouse who already receives an exemption under this section of the Texas Constitution is not entitled to an additional exemption under the amendment.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment exempting from ad valorem taxation the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of an elderly person."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 73 proposes a constitutional amendment that would reduce the amount of general obligation bonds authorized for the superconducting super collider fund from \$500 million to \$250 million.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment reducing the amount of general obligation bonds authorized for undertakings related to the superconducting super collider research facility from \$500 million to \$250 million."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 80 proposes a constitutional amendment abolishing the office of constable in Mills, Reagan, and Roberts counties. In Mills County, the office of constable is abolished, and the powers, duties, and records of the office are transferred to the sheriff. In Reagan and Roberts counties, the office of constable is abolished and the powers, duties, and records of the office are transferred to the sheriff only if a majority of voters in each of the respective counties favors the proposed amendment.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the abolition of the office of constable in Mills, Reagan, and Roberts counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 7 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow investment of money from the Texas growth fund in a business without the business's disclosure of its investments in or with South Africa or Namibia. Currently, such investments are prohibited by article XVI, section 70(r) of the Texas Constitution, which would be repealed.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment allowing investment of money from the Texas growth fund in a business without the business's disclosure of its investments in or with South Africa or Namibia."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 1 proposes a constitutional amendment that would abolish the constitutional office of state treasurer effective September 1, 1996. The transfer of specific constitutional powers and duties to the comptroller of public accounts takes effect on that date. The statutory powers and duties and the property and other obligations of the state treasurer are transferred to officers and agencies of state government as the legislature provides by general law.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment abolishing the office of state treasurer."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 72 proposes a constitutional amendment requiring that land devoted to wildlife management be taxed on the basis of its productive capacity. The proposed amendment also adds a temporary provision to the Texas Constitution validating the changes to the law made by Chapter 560, Acts of the 72nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1991, which amended the Tax Code to allow land used for wildlife management to be appraised as agricultural land. The temporary provision also provides that a property owner is not authorized to claim a refund of taxes paid unless the tax payment was challenged before the effective date of the proposed amendment. The temporary provision expires on January 1, 1998.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow open-space land used for wildlife management to qualify for tax appraisal in the same manner as open-space agricultural land, subject to eligibility limitations provided by the legislature."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 31 proposes a constitutional amendment providing that the legislature may exempt from ad valorem taxation income-producing personal property and mineral interests that have a taxable value which is insufficient to recover the costs of administering the tax.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation personal property and mineral interests having a value insufficient to recover the administrative costs of collecting the taxes."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution No. 35 proposes a constitutional amendment authorizing the governing body of a political subdivision to exempt from ad valorem taxation boats and other equipment used primarily in the commercial taking or production of fish, shrimp, shellfish, and other marine life.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the governing body of a political subdivision to exempt from ad valorem taxation boats and other equipment used primarily in the commercial taking or production of fish, shrimp, shellfish, and other marine life."

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 68 proposes a constitutional amendment that allows the legislature to raise the current ad valorem tax exemption for disabled veterans and their surviving spouses and minor children. The tax exemptions would be raised based on a veteran's disability rating as follows:

Disability	Maximum Tax Exemption
10%-30%	\$ 5,000
30%-50%	\$ 7,500
50%-70%	\$10,000
More than 70%	\$12,000
Age 65 and 10% or higher	\$12,000
Loss or loss of use of limb	\$12,000
Blindness or paraplegia	\$12,000

The spouse and children of any veteran who dies while on active duty may be granted an exemption of up to \$5,000. The amounts of the exemptions provided for in this proposed amendment may be repealed by the legislature by general law.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment relating to raising the limits of the exemption from ad valorem taxation of property owned by disabled veterans or by the surviving spouses or surviving minor children of disabled veterans."

Este es el informe explicatorio sobre la enmienda propuesta a la constitución que aparecerá en la boleta el día 7 de noviembre de 1995. Si usted no ha recibido una copia del informe en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 a por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711

Published by Secretary of State Tony Garza

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OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 8A
DATE OF ISSUANCE: August 23, 1995

RULE 37 CASE NO. 0209755

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applicant, Phillips Petroleum Company, 4001 Penbrook Street, Odessa, TX. 79762, has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code Section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the distance between wells requirement to amended sidetrack Well No. 7. Boedeker Lease, 644.8 ac. Section 38, Block 25, H & TC RR Co./H. Haller Survey, A-928, Hobo (Pennsylvania) Field (s), Borden County, being 20 miles in a southeast direction from Gail, Texas. The location of this well is as follows:

SHL: 2012' from the south line and 1980' from the west line of lease.
2012' from the south line and 1980' from the west line of survey.
BHL: 1435' from the south line and 1700' from the west line of lease.
1435' from the south line and 1700' from the west line of survey.

Field Rules for the Hobo (Pennsylvania) field are 467/1200, 40 acres.
This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 7058 feet.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Rule 37 (b) (2) (A), this application may be granted administratively if no protest to the application is received. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, L.M. Sanders, Regulation Specialist at (915)368-1488. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission at (512)463-6718.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, YOU MUST FILL OUT, SIGN AND MAIL OR DELIVER TO THE AUSTIN OFFICE OF THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS THE ENCLOSED NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST. A COPY OF THE INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST ALSO BE MAILED OR DELIVERED ON THE SAME DATE TO APPLICANT AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN ABOVE. THIS INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE BY October 4, 1995. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, THE REQUESTED PERMIT WILL BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY, TO BE EFFECTIVE THE DAY FOLLOWING THE TERMINATION OF SUCH THREE-WEEK PERIOD.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE OF PROPOSED SETTLEMENT OF CLASS ACTION AND FAIRNESS HEARING

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA SOUTHERN DIVISION

Jack H. Woodward, et al. vs. NOR-AM Chemical Company
No. 94-0780-CB-C

U.S. WORKERS WITH ON-THE-JOB EXPOSURE TO FUNDAL®

and Their Spouses, Children, Other Relatives and Legal Representatives
and PRICE v. CIBA-GEIGY, Civ. No. 94-0647-CB-S (S.D. Ala. 1995),
SETTLEMENT CLASS MEMBERS

FUNDAL® WAS A COMMERCIAL AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE WHICH WAS MARKETED IN THE U.S. BY NOR-AM CHEMICAL COMPANY. FUNDAL® WAS NOT MARKETED FOR RESIDENTIAL OR HOME GARDENING USE.

U.S. WORKERS WITH ON-THE-JOB EXPOSURE TO FUNDAL® MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR FREE MEDICAL MONITORING AND/OR CASH PAYMENTS UNDER THIS PROPOSED LEGAL SETTLEMENT.

PRICE SETTLEMENT CLASS MEMBERS ARE ALL U.S. WORKERS WITH ON-THE-JOB EXPOSURE TO GALECRON® (INCLUDING GALECRON® AND FUNDAL®) WHO DID NOT EXCLUDE THEMSELVES FROM THE PRICE SETTLEMENT. PRICE SETTLEMENT CLASS MEMBERS MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR CASH SUPPLEMENTS UNDER THIS PROPOSED LEGAL SETTLEMENT.

PLEASE READ THIS NOTICE CAREFULLY. YOU MAY BELONG TO A CLASS OF PEOPLE COVERED BY A PROPOSED SETTLEMENT OF A LEGAL ACTION ("WOODWARD SETTLEMENT"). THE WOODWARD SETTLEMENT MAY AFFECT YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS. FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 1-800-211-6913

By Order of the Court, a class action has been conditionally certified for settlement purposes. On January 9, 1996, a fairness hearing will be held at the Courthouse, United States District Court, Southern District of Alabama, 113 St. Joseph Street, Mobile, Alabama, 36602, at 9 a.m. Central Time, so the Court can determine if the class action should be finally certified and if the Woodward Settlement, as summarized in this Notice, should be approved as fair, reasonable and adequate. Although participation in this settlement is voluntary, all Woodward Settlement Class Members who do not timely exclude themselves from the lawsuit will be bound by the Woodward Settlement if it is approved.

I. DEFINITION OF CLASS

Under the Woodward Settlement, Fundal® is defined as chlordimeform or any chlordimeform-containing product, either manufactured, formulated, packaged, distributed or sold by or on behalf of NOR-AM Chemical Company ("NOR-AM") or related parties, regardless of the trade name of the product; or any metabolite of Fundal®, including the substances known as 4-COT or 5-CAT. Galecron® has the same meaning as it did in the Price v. Ciba-Geigy Corp., Civ. No. 94-0647-CB-S (S.D. Ala. 1995), Settlement ("Price Settlement"), and is thus defined as chlordimeform or any chlordimeform-containing product, either manufactured, formulated, packaged, distributed or sold by or on behalf of Ciba-Geigy Corporation or related parties, regardless of the trade name of the product; or any metabolite of Galecron®, including the substances known as 4-COT or 5-CAT.

The Woodward Settlement Class is defined as:

- (1) All persons who fall into one of the following categories, and who reside in the United States as of the date of filing of the Class Action Complaint, who have been exposed in the United States to Fundal® only, but not to Fundal® and Galecron® or to Galecron® only ("NOR-AM Exposed Persons"):
 - a. **Formulators:** An individual (whether or not employed by NOR-AM Chemical Company) who in the course of his or her employment was exposed to Fundal® while at a plant or site which was involved in mixing, blending, packaging, handling or otherwise formulating pesticides which contained, in whole or in part, Fundal®;
 - b. **Applicators:** An individual (whether or not employed by NOR-AM Chemical Company) who in the course of his or her employment, was exposed to Fundal® while involved in the application of pesticides which contained, in whole or in part, Fundal®, including, without limitation, aerial and land applicators, flagmen, mixers, blenders, loaders and other individuals who handled such pesticide prior to or during the application process; or
 - c. **Other Covered Workers:** (i) An individual employed by NOR-AM Chemical Company who, in the course of his or her employment, was exposed to Fundal®; (ii) an individual who worked at Empak, Inc. in Deer Park, Texas and/or Micro Chemical in Louisiana and who was exposed to Fundal® in the course of his or her employment; (iii) or an individual who worked in a testing or research laboratory and who was exposed to Fundal® in the course of his or her employment; or
- (2) The spouses, parents, children, other relatives, or legal representatives of the NOR-AM Exposed Persons described above.
- (3) All members of the Price Settlement Class. The Price Settlement Class means all members of the settlement class certified by the court in Price v. Ciba-Geigy Corp., Civ. No. 94-0647-CB-S (S.D. Ala. 1995), excluding persons determined by the court to be opt-outs of that class. That settlement class thus includes persons residing in the United States who in the course of their employment were exposed to Galecron® or to Galecron® and Fundal® ("Ciba Exposed Persons"), and the spouses, parents, children, other relatives, or legal representatives of the Ciba Exposed Persons described above.

(Collectively "Woodward Settlement Class Members"). *Note: If you are a NOR-AM Exposed Person or a Ciba Exposed Person, you are a Woodward Settlement Class Member whether or not you have been diagnosed with an illness. Spouses, parents, children, other relatives, and legal representatives are Woodward Settlement Class Members but the claims they are settling are limited to those arising from a NOR-AM Exposed Person or Ciba Exposed Person's exposure.*

II. IMPORTANT MEDICAL NOTICE

To NOR-AM Exposed Persons and Ciba Exposed Persons (as defined above):

You may have an increased risk of developing bladder cancer if you had on-the-job exposure to Fundal® and/or Galecron®. Workers exposed to Fundal® and/or Galecron® should participate in a medical monitoring program because early detection of bladder cancer can result in more effective treatment.

If you had on-the-job exposure to Fundal® and/or Galecron®, it is recommended that you or your doctor call 1-800-211-6913 to learn how you can obtain further medical information or enroll in medical monitoring.

III. PROPOSED SETTLEMENT

The Woodward Settlement provides for the establishment by NOR-AM of two funds to provide medical benefits and compensation to eligible Woodward Settlement Class Members or their legal representatives. This settlement is intended, where applicable, to work as a complement to the Price Settlement.

The total package of benefits potentially available to a NOR-AM Exposed Person is the same as the total package of benefits potentially available to a Ciba Exposed Person. Thus, Woodward Settlement Class Members may be eligible for the same benefits whether they were occupationally exposed to Fundal® only, or to Fundal® and Galecron®, or to Galecron® only.

(1) **The NOR-AM Medical Monitoring and Treatment Fund ("The NOR-AM MMT Fund").** If the Woodward Settlement is approved, NOR-AM will make an initial deposit of \$3,500,000 into the NOR-AM MMT Fund, and will thereafter make additional deposits on an as-needed basis. There is no limit to the amount of money NOR-AM can be required to contribute over the life of the NOR-AM MMT Fund, which will last a minimum of 20 years.

NOR-AM Exposed Persons will be entitled to participate in the NOR-AM medical monitoring and treatment program: Ciba Exposed Persons may receive medical monitoring and treatment benefits only through the Price Settlement. The NOR-AM medical monitoring and treatment program and the medical monitoring and treatment program provided through the Price Settlement are identical. The NOR-AM MMT Fund will pay for a medical monitoring program designed to detect at an early stage the form of bladder cancer alleged to be associated with exposure to Fundal®, specifically, primary urothelial carcinoma of the urinary collecting system, i.e., renal pelvis, ureter, bladder and urethra. The NOR-AM MMT Fund also will pay for all medically necessary treatment for NOR-AM Exposed Persons.

(2) **The NOR-AM Disease Compensation and Administration Fund ("The NOR-AM DCA Fund").** If the Woodward Settlement is approved, NOR-AM will also make an initial deposit of \$21,000,000 into the NOR-AM DCA Fund, up to a required maximum of \$30,000,000. The NOR-AM DCA Fund will make cash payments of up to \$626,500 on behalf of a NOR-AM Exposed Person who, after exposure to Fundal® only, has developed or in the future develops the form of bladder cancer alleged to be associated with Fundal®. In addition, the NOR-AM DCA Fund will make cash supplements amounting to 40% of the amounts scheduled for and paid as compensatory payments pursuant to the Price settlement, up to \$179,000, on behalf of a Ciba Exposed Person who, after exposure to Fundal® and Galecron® or to Galecron® only, has developed or in the future develops the form of bladder cancer alleged to be associated with Fundal® and Galecron®. The NOR-AM DCA Fund will also pay for administrative costs and class counsel's and administrative class counsel's attorney fees, costs and expenses

as determined by the Court. The total attorney fee award to be requested will not exceed 20% of the benefit conferred upon the class. The benefits of the NOR-AM DCA Fund will continue as long as the NOR-AM MMT Fund continues, or until the NOR-AM DCA Fund is exhausted. If the NOR-AM DCA Fund is exhausted, NOR-AM may continue paying for compensable claims. If NOR-AM does not continue to pay for these compensable claims, Woodward Settlement Class Members will be able to opt-out of the NOR-AM DCA Fund and pursue any legal claims they may have, except for claims for medical monitoring, medical treatment, fear of illness or cancer, or increased risk of illness or cancer.

(3) **Other Conditions.** The Stipulation of Settlement presently provides for medical monitoring, treatment and compensation payments for certain medical conditions set forth in this Notice. In the event, however, that a Court-approved Epidemiology Panel determines to a reasonable medical certainty that any other medical condition is caused by Fundal® or Galecron® exposure, that condition will be deemed a compensable claim, and will be eligible for medical monitoring (if feasible), medical treatment, and cash payments.

(4) **Release.** Woodward Settlement Class Members who do not exclude themselves from the Woodward Settlement Class release all past, present and future claims (i) relating to the covered medical conditions listed above; and (ii) relating to a Woodward Settlement Class Member's exposure to Fundal® or Galecron®, including all claims alleging that any other cancers, personal injuries or risks are caused by exposure to Fundal® or Galecron®.

IV. CLASS REPRESENTATIVES AND CLASS COUNSEL

The Court has designated the following Woodward Settlement Class Members, Jack H. Woodward, Alta Woodward, Tom Lofton, Cindy Lofton and Rita Snow, as class representatives to represent all Woodward Settlement Class Members. The Court has also designated as Class Counsel the following individuals: Timothy E. Eble, S.C. Middlebrooks III, and David R. Donaldson.

V. RIGHTS AND OPTIONS OF WOODWARD SETTLEMENT CLASS MEMBERS

If you are a Woodward Settlement Class Member, you have the following options:

(1) You may do nothing and remain a Woodward Settlement Class Member. If you choose to take no action, your interests as a member of the Woodward Settlement Class will be represented by the Class Representatives and Class Counsel at no cost to you.

(2) You may remain a Woodward Settlement Class Member and either represent yourself or hire your own attorney to represent you at your own cost.

(3) You may remain a Woodward Settlement Class Member and object to the settlement.

(4) If you choose to remain a Woodward Settlement Class Member (under options 1, 2 or 3 above), you may receive the benefits afforded by this settlement within six months of the Court's Order directing this Notice.

(5) You may request exclusion from this settlement.

DEADLINES FOR ABOVE OPTIONS. The deadline for filing an Entry of Appearance if you choose to represent yourself or retain an attorney; for filing objections to this settlement; for filing a Notice of Intent to Appear at the fairness hearing; or for filing a request to be excluded from the Woodward Settlement Class is **DECEMBER 1, 1995. TO LEARN MORE INFORMATION ABOUT HOW TO FILE ANY OF THE ABOVE ITEMS, PLEASE CALL 1-800-211-6913 OR WRITE TO: Woodward Class Action, P.O. Box 974, Charleston, SC 29402.**

VI. PROOF OF CLAIM PROCEDURE

In order for any Woodward Settlement Class Member to receive any of the benefits of this settlement, he or she must comply with the proof of claim procedure. To learn how you may receive benefits under this settlement or to obtain a Proof of Claim Form for medical monitoring, medical treatment or disease compensation, call 1-800-211-6913 or write to Woodward Class Action, Post Office Box 974, Charleston, SC 29402.

VII. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

THIS NOTICE IS ONLY A SUMMARY. If you believe you are a Woodward Settlement Class Member you are urged to call 1-800-211-6913 or write to Woodward Class Action, Post Office Box 974, Charleston, SC 29402 to obtain further information regarding this settlement, how to exclude yourself from the class, and how to obtain benefits. **DO NOT CALL THE CLERK OF COURT** with questions about this Notice or this settlement.

Mobile, Alabama
Dated: August 21, 1995
By Order of the Court
Judge Charles R. Butler, Jr.

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION FORM (This is not an Exclusion Request)

I would like to have more detailed information of the Woodward Settlement mailed to:
PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____
STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE _____
(Including area code):

Mail this Request for Information to:
Woodward Class Action
Post Office Box 974
Charleston, SC 29402