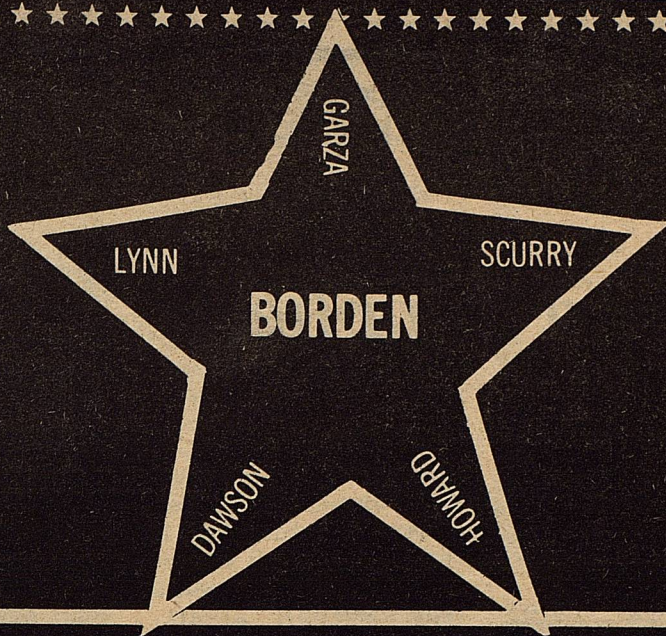


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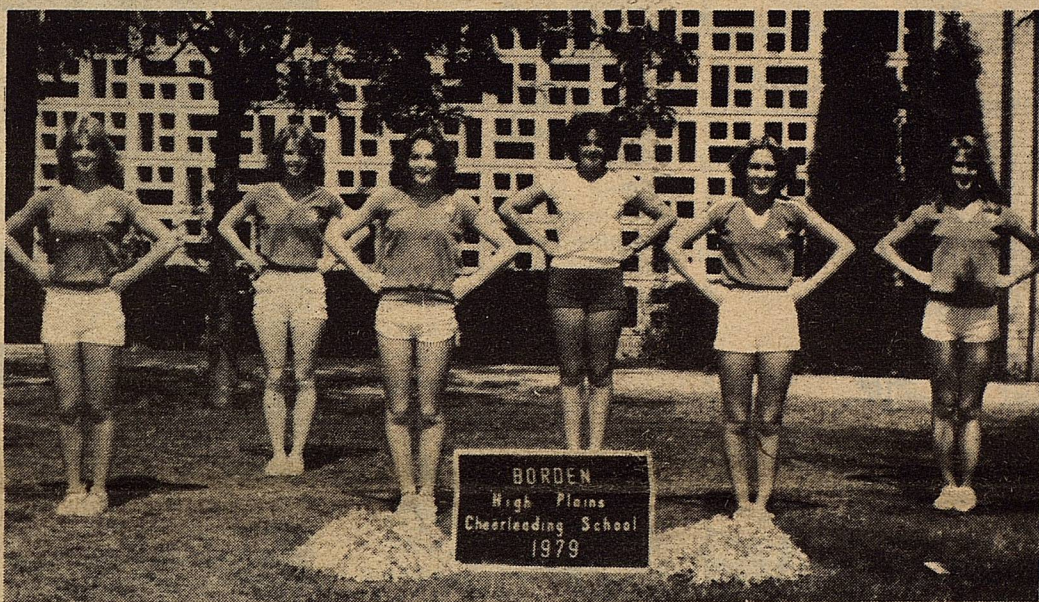
## Brand To Be Selected

Ten cattle brands are to be selected from Borden Co. to be burned into the oak stairway of the Robert J. Kleberg Jr. Center at Texas A & M University.

Nomination Forms for brands are available in the County Judge's office for those who wish to submit a brand for consideration. The County Livestock Subcommittee of the Program Building Committee will review all nominations and select 10 on the basis of historical significance, etc. the brand must still be in use.

A delegation from Borden Co. and District 2 consisting of one or two representatives of each brand and the County Agents will travel to Texas A & M September 16 and 17 to take part in the branding activities. The representatives will need to bring a branding iron for this purpose. The trip to A & M and the branding iron should be considered when submitting brands.

Please pick up forms and send your nominations to the County Agent's office as soon as possible. The Livestock Subcommittee will meet August 16.



Borden County Cheerleaders for 1979 are Tammy Merritt, Suzanne Walker, Lisa Smith, Karen Williams, Jennifer Wilson and Gena McLeroy.

The BHS Cheerleaders attended High Plains Cheerleading School this summer at Lubbock Christian College. They received instruction in new yells, chants, tumbling, pyramids, pom pom routines, crowd control, crowd participation, and spirit arousal techniques. The Coyote Cheerleaders received several excellent ribbons as well as a superior ribbon. The cheerleaders are looking forward to a great year backing the Coyote teams.

## Counties Economy Boosted

The sale of crude oil and natural gas from Borden County wells in 1978 boosted the county economy and accounted for \$106-million of the \$17.1 billion value placed on Texas production last year, according to Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

In a report on the economic impact of oil and gas industry operations in the top producing counties of Texas, the Dallas-based Association said the County ranked 43rd among the 202 counties having marketed production valued at \$100,000 or more, not including the sale of natural gas liquids.

The county's wells produced 10.2 million

barrels of crude oil, valued at \$95.1 million, and 10.8 million Mcfs of natural gas, valued at \$10.9 million. Owners of royalty in the county received \$13.3 million as their share of the output, the Association said.

"Considering the shortfall in total U. S. petroleum production relative to our nation's energy needs, production from every Texas county is more vitally important today than ever before," said the Association's president, H. B. (Hank) Harkins of Alice, an independent producer and drilling contractor.

In addition to paying local, county, and state property taxes, producers in the county also supported

state government through production tax payments estimated at \$5.2 million, according to the Association. Crude oil taxes amounted to \$4.4 million, while natural gas levies totalled \$819,000.

Based on Texas Employment Commission figures, some 20 oil and gas industry employees in the county received wages of about \$368,000 in 1978.

In the search for new petroleum reserves in the county, oil and gas operators spent a reported \$16 million in the drilling of 84 wells, including 18 wildcat, or exploratory, wells. This effort resulted in the completion of 48 oil wells, although some \$7.1 million was lost in the drilling of 36 dry holes.

## Williams Inducted Into Society

First Baptist Church of O'Donnell has announced that two of their students have been inducted into The Society of Distinguished American High School Students

Students who were inducted are: Laura McDaniel, and Karen Williams.

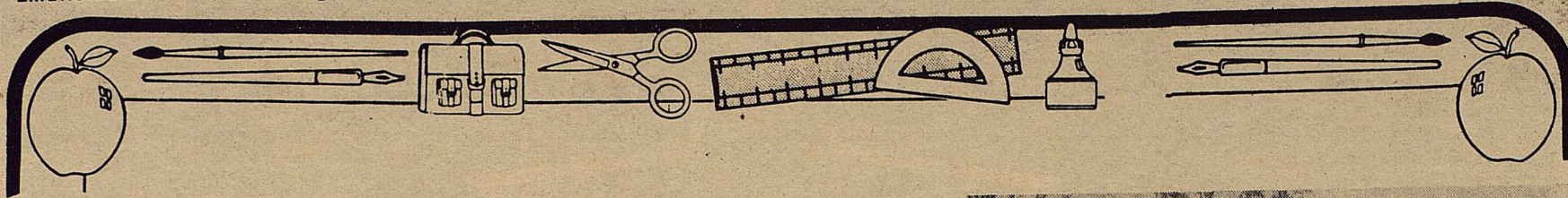
The Society, which is one of the nation's foremost high school honoraries, inducted the students because of their demonstrated excellence in scholastic leadership and civic achievement according to Rev. Harry Kennedy.

The National Awards Program is sponsored by 60 colleges from across the country. Thousands of dollars in scholarship funds from these institutions are made available to Society members each year.

Sponsor Rev. Kennedy received a National Appreciation Award from the Society on behalf of the students and stated, "I am extremely proud of these exceptional students and the honor that they have received. It is a reward and should also be accepted as a challenge to them to continue their course of excellence."

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## Youngsters Need Supplies

No child can attend school and be expected to so well without the proper supplies used in the preparation of school work.

While teachers in the upper grade levels will require specific supplies depending on the course taken, the students in kindergarten through fifth grade at Borden Elementary School will all need about the same items.

The following list is being carried to better acquaint parents with the general supplies needed for their children.

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Notebook  
No. 2 Lead Pencils  
Scissors  
Gym Shoes

**THIRD GRADE**  
Crayons  
White Glue  
Scissors  
Notebook Paper  
Pencils  
Gym Shoes

**FOURTH GRADE**  
Crayons  
Glue  
Scissors  
Notebook Paper  
Pencils  
Gym Shoes

**FIFTH GRADE**  
Notebook Paper  
Pencils  
Pens  
Ruler  
Compass  
2 Spiral Notebooks  
Protractor  
Gym Shoes



Coach Larry Steele shown putting Freshman Kieth Williams through the Quarter-Eagle, an agility drill. Waiting his turn is Mark Mills, another Freshman. Twenty-six young men turned out for the first practice session of the 1979 Coyote season.

## Student Immunizations Required By Texas

Now is the time to begin preparing for the next school year. One of the most important preparations is to see that your child has current health immunizations.

Texas state law requires immunizations for all public school students. The student's immunization record must be validated by a doctor's signature or by a clinic. Necessary immunizations are listed below:

1. Diphtheria-Tetanus - three doses required, with the last dose since the fourth birthday, and additional boosters every ten years.
2. Oral Polio - three doses required, with the last dose since the fourth birthday.
3. Red Measles (Rubeola) - one dose since the first birthday or a doctor's statement of disease.
4. German Measles (Rubella) - one dose of vaccine
5. Mumps - one dose of

vaccine, or doctor's statement of disease, required for first graders or below.

If your child has had these immunizations, send a record of the dates to the school as soon as possible.

Francis Burkett, Borden County School Nurse strongly encourages parents to bring immunizations up-to-date immediately. If immunizations or boosters are necessary, these must be obtained from family physicians or Health Departments. Immunizations cannot be given at the school.

This will be the first year for Mumps to be required for first graders. Nurse Burkett encourages you to get these records in order to avoid any confusion at the beginning of school.

No student will be allowed to enroll in the Borden Public School without satisfying the state immunization law.



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September 4

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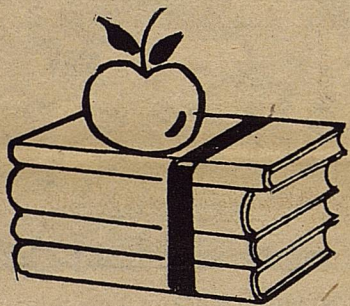
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# What's Hap-nin

Bonnie Sneed spent last week in Scott & White undergoing tests and will be re-admitted this week for further tests.

Herman Ledbetter was in Lubbock, Monday attending the funeral of his nephew, Eldon Stubblefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Corky Ogden and grand daughters Kelly Jo Ogden and Tammy Voss spent the weekend in San Angelo.

Babe Underwood is recuperating after minor hand surgery.

Glenda Burkett spent the weekend at Oak Creek Reservoir with friends.

Kimberly Doyle has been visiting the Kingstons in Garden City.

Our congratulations to our Borden County AJRA members on a job well done at the Finals.

## Borden Co. AJRA Champions

Borden County was represented well in the crowning of the champs at the AJRA National Finals rodeo held in Snyder last week. The young contestants have traveled hundreds of miles to some 30 AJRA rodeos this year building their points to the championship standings.

Gayla Newton was crowned All Around Champion of the 16-19 girls division, Reserve Champion of Optional Race, and 7th in Optional Roping.

Talley Griffin took over the title of Champion Barrel Racer of 16-19 girls division. She also placed 6th in optional roping for the year.

Brice Key was named Reserve Champion of Optional Racing for 12 and under, boys division.

Julie Rindenour of Borden County was crowned AJRA Finals Queen for 1979.

Other contestants from Borden County did a great job too. Mayme McLauri placed 3rd in 16-19 Barrel Race standings for the year.

Dana Gray was 7th in optional racing for 12 and under girls, Glen Gray was 10th in Optional Roping of 13-15 age boys, 9th in tie down roping and 9th in All Around competition.

### Williams con't from p. 1

One of the Society's guiding principles is to both academic and civic achievement on the high school level by recognizing students in its Membership Registry. The Society of Distinguished American High School Students, which is published annually and distributed nationwide.

Karen Williams is a senior student at B. H. S. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Williams.



ALL-AROUND WINNER|Gayla Newton of Gail was given a saddle during the national finals of the American Junior Rodeo Association for winning first place in all-around competition for girls 16-19.

## BACK-TO-SCHOOL

### BORDEN COUNTY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Sept 7	Klondike	Klondike	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 14	New Home	Borden	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 21	O'Donnell	O'Donnell	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 28	Dawson	Dawson	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 5	Wilson	Borden	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 12	Jayton	Borden	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 19	Loraine	Loraine	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 26	Garden City	Garden City	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 2	Sterling City	Borden	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 9	Roby	Borden	7:30 p.m.

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### OBITUARY

#### Mrs. Hardberger

Services for Mrs. R.E. (Jenny Lee) Hardberger, 95, of Ozona were at 3 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church in O'Donnell.

Burial was at 5 p.m. Monday at City of Lubbock Cemetery under direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hardberger died at 3:45 p.m. Saturday at Crockett County Hospital in Ozona.

The Grayson County native lived in Lubbock from 1925 until 1941. The former Geneva Reeves married R.E. Hardberger on Aug. 14, 1904, in Munday. Her husband died in 1940. Mrs. Hardberger had lived in Ozona 15 years and was a member of Ozona First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Lucille Littleton and Geniece Childress, both of Ozona; three sons, Homer of O'Donnell, R.E. Jr. of Beaver, Okla., and Billy of Lamesa; 12 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

## Ambulance News

As of this date we have not had to use our new Ambulance, which is always good news to everyone.

Memorials since last publication: Lisa & Amber Rinehart in memory of Jessie B. Jackson

Mr. & Mrs. Skeet Porter in memory of Jessie B. Jackson

Bill & Sadie Ludecke in memory of Jessie B. Jackson

Mr. & Mrs. Jim Burkett & Family in memory of Jessie B. Jackson

Bert & Dorothy Dennis in memory of Jessie B. Jackson

Jake & Sybil Holmes in memory of Nona Smith

Lisa & Amber Rinehart in memory of Dottie Wills

Mr. & Mrs. Skeet Porter in memory of Carl Gotcher

A new school for any one interested in E. M. S. training will be announced later. Please notify any of the following if interested: Mr. McLeroy, Buster Taylor, Frances Burkett, Buddy Telchik.

-Fran Bennett



# Clark Judges Fiddler Contest

The 27th of July, Pauline and I went to Eunice, New Mexico where I had been asked to help judge a fiddlers contest. This was a new experience for me, and did I get into a job!! It was not easy- I was almost a nervous wreck!

They had two contests - one Friday night and another Saturday night.

To start things off, Friday they had a fiddle jamboree. Different groups would get up on stage and play. This lasted two hours and they had some good bands.

Then the judges were asked to get up on the stage and play one tune.

Next they had a "no holds barred contest". Each fiddler played one tune-anytune of his choice, any style, he wanted to play it. No age groups. About thirty fiddlers played. All of them were good and a lot of them were just sure enough good. They were from all over Texas and New Mexico. The youngest was 10 years old, and the oldest was 93. One fellow 89, came out in a wheelchair - but that didn't keep him from playing the fiddle!

There were seven or eight women and girls playing. Two girls tied for first-one from Arlington, Texas, and the other from Albuquerque.

Oh well maybe their looks did help just a little but!! they were real easy on the eyes!! But they sure could play the fiddle! One was lady champion of New Mexico. They played again and tied so that is the way they left it. First prize was

\$100 and I think they got \$75.00 each.

Saturday night, about the same ones played but they were divided into four age groups from 15 down - 15 to 40 - 40 to 65 - and over 65.

Each fiddler played three tunes. A "warm up tune" then a Waltz and a Breakdown. We scored them on the Waltz and Breakdown.

The girls didn't win that one. There was a lady from Lovington in the over age 65 group who played beautifully but a man from San Angelo took first. He was just about the "out fiddleingest" old fellow I ever saw.

There were three judges. One was from Goldwaite, Texas, and one from Silver City, New Mexico. Each of us had a table and chair at the foot of the stage. They would bring each of us a slip of paper with the fiddlers name on it. We would write down his score, then they would take up the papers. That way, we didn't know, how the other judges were scoring them.

Seems like I must have judged them about as the others did - as everyone I gave first did get first.

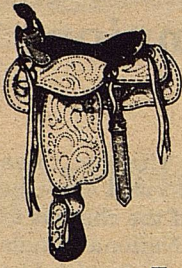
The contest was in the Community Center Building. It is read nice place and will seat about 900 people. It was full. Saturday they had a big dinner which we did take advantage of!!

They paid me \$75.00 and furnished a motel room for two nights.

We met a lot of nice people, made new friends, and had a lot of fun.

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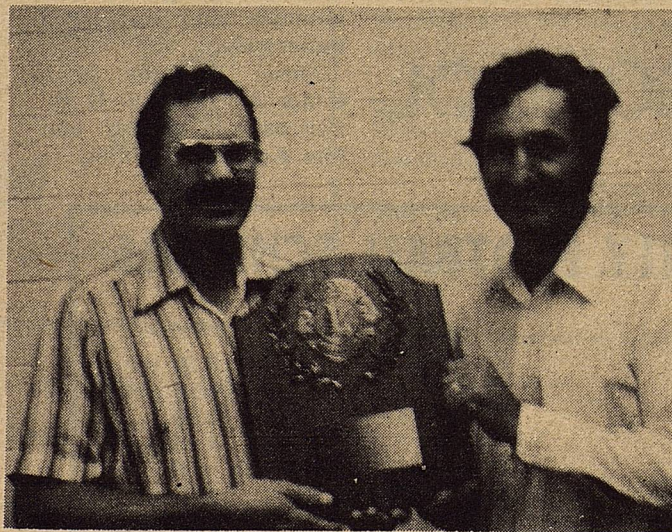
## Davis Reunion Held

The family of John Gilmer Davis held their annual Family Reunion at the Knapp Community Center on the 11th and 12th of August. More than 70 people registered. Mr. Davis was a pioneer of Borden County.

- Those attending were:
- Esther E. Peevyhouse
  - Mildred M. Skelton
  - J. C. Skelton
  - May M. Shaffer
  - Ertis Kulla
  - Michael Neyland
  - Mae Kirby
  - Nora Della Buchanan
  - Raphael Buchanan
  - Louis, Morris, Felicia and Adam
  - Melton Davis
  - Delwyn, Judy and Laura Davis
  - Martha Davis
  - Curley Davis
  - Corky, Janice, and Jannica Northern
  - Gilmer Davis
  - Robert and Marda Briggs
  - Ludy Davis
  - Renee Ogden
  - Da id McKeown
  - Jeanett McKeown
  - Fern Ogden
  - Francis Ogden
  - Robert Wright
  - Arthur Davis
  - Carolyn Davis
  - Greg Davis
  - Anthony Davis
  - Juli Sconyers
  - Paula Davis
  - Michael Davis
  - Don, Norma & Darla Davis
  - Fred, Lajayne, and Vanessa Jones
  - Darrel, Litha & Sarah Davis
  - Max Perry, Lina Perry, Linda and Jarrett Stanford
  - Ruth F. Morgan
  - Bill Buchanan
  - Tim Buchanan
  - Dorothy Buchanan
  - Floyd Buchanan
  - Melinda Buchanan
  - Edna Buchanan
  - Partice Davis
  - Ruth Weathers
  - Dorothy Browne
  - Mr. and Mrs. Isaac LaRue and Family
  - Jay Brooks
  - Charles LaRue
  - Bobby LaRue
  - Robert Dickerson
  - Joyce Lucas
  - Darrell Lucas
  - Darla Graham
  - Bethel Graham
  - Ernestine Graham
  - Della Brooks
  - Bobby Davis
  - Betty Davis
  - Morvin Davis
  - James Morris
  - James Morris
  - Kendall Davis



RESERVE CHAMPION--Brice Key won second place in Optional Racing for boys 12 and under. Tanya Boydston of Snyder presents Brice with a belt buckle.



Jack McPhaul, past years Zone Chairman is presented a plaque of appreciation by Bob Dyess, Gail Lions Club Vice-president.

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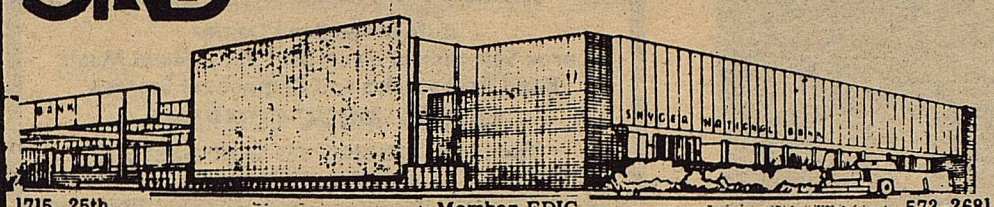
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# Railhead Arts & Crafts Roundup Scheduled

The 7th annual Railhead Arts & Crafts Roundup sponsored by the Colorado City Texas Chamber of Commerce is scheduled for Saturday October 27 from 10 am until 6 pm, and Sunday October 28th from 12 noon until 6 pm at the Mitchell County Fair Barn, West of the City of Old Highway 80, just off Interstate 20. Display areas are \$32.50 for an 8' x 16' booth

We will have in conjunction with the Roundup, a play produced by The Colorado City Playhouse. Also at or near the fairgrounds during sale

times, there will be a target shoot, calf roping, ethnic dancers, food and art demonstrations. There will be a disco dance with Kindercare Child Center in charge. Mrs. Don Latimer will schedule the entertainment.

The barn has been recently remodeled and now has cement floors, additional wiring and a renovated kitchen.

The City offers camper hookups at the State Park, Bernard's Tourist Town and entrants may park free at the fairgrounds without benefit of hookups.

Overnight security will be provided.

Early entries include crocheted quilts, jewelry fashioned from porcelain and antique buttons, frames, folk toys and paintings. Also expected to return is the delicious Mexican food prepared by the Franco family.

For further information contact chairpersons Pam Beasley at 915-644-3311 in Westbrook or Carolyn Smith at 915-728-3323 in Colorado City. You may also call the Chamber offices at 915-728-3403

DAWSON COUNTY 4-H MOTORCYCLE AND THREE WHEELER RODEO  
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## Hess Appointed WTC Instructor

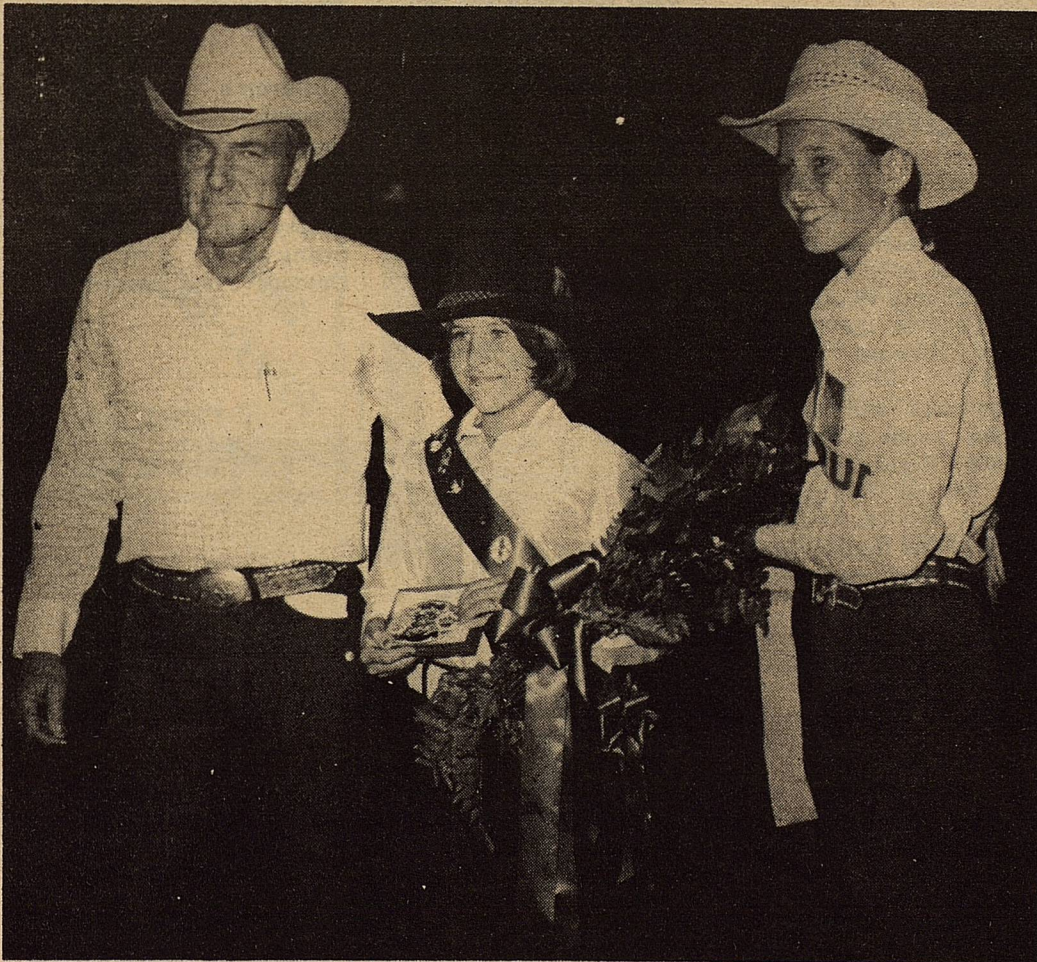
Jimmy Hess has been employed as an instructor in Automotive Mechanics at Western Texas College.

A graduate of Hermleigh High School, Hess received the Associate in Applied Science in Automotive Technology from Texas State Technical Institute in Waco. He taught part-time at WTC and was employed as an automobile mechanic later. For the past three years, he has been employed by IR Compression Services and has been assigned to the New Orleans District for the past 18 months.

College courses on the fall schedule which Hess will be teaching are Principles of Engines (AM 164), General Overhaul (AM 165), and Auto Air Conditioning (AM 264). All these will be evening courses. Precision Measurements (AM 121 is also on the evening schedule.

During morning hours, Hess will be teaching students from high school in Snyder, Ira, Hermleigh and Post.

Registration for the fall semester at WTC is scheduled for Sept. 4-5, with classes beginning on Sept. 6.




**NATIONAL FINALS QUEEN**—Eleven year old **Julie Ridenour**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rindenour of Fluvanna received the honor of National Finals Queen. At left is **Ralph Miller**, representing sponsors of the American Junior Rodeo Association and at right is **Sissy Doss**, last year's winner of the National Finals Queen Title.

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**GAIL GIRL HONORED--**Talley Griffin of Gail, right, was presented a saddle and belt buckle by Darrell Lambert during the national finals of the American Junior Rodeo Association that ended Saturday night at the Scurry County Coliseum. Miss Griffin won top honors in barrel



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The Playschool will be operated by Cynthia Roemisch of Gail.

Hot and nutritious lunches will be served daily, with morning and afternoon snacks. The menus for the week will be posted at the playschool.

A program of planned activities will be provided. These activities shall include supervised rest periods, assisted toileting as necessary, and developmental activities, including alternating active and quiet activities. Outdoor play will be permitted unless your child is ill or the weather is bad. Indoor play will provide opportunities for experiences in blocks, dramatic play, art, music, books, and large muscle activities.

Each child must enter with a statement from a physician, clinic, or parent that he is free from

communicable and infectious disease and able to participate in a group program and this statement must be updated annually. We must have a record of immunization for whooping cough, tetanus, diphtheria, polio vaccine, measles, rubella and one TB skin test.

The schedule of fees and overtime policies is as follows: 1 child-\$5.50; 2-\$8.50; 3-\$12.50. Drop ins are welcome at \$1.50 an hour or \$6.00 a day.

Enrollment forms and Day Care Policy Statement will be available from Cynthia Friday, August 17, 1979. If you have any questions, please contact Cynthia at 915-856-4882.

we are in need of some items. If you have any of these things to donate please call me.

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A Scurry County Reunion has been added to the attractions of the annual Scurry County Fair set for Sept. 13-15 in the Scurry County Coliseum.

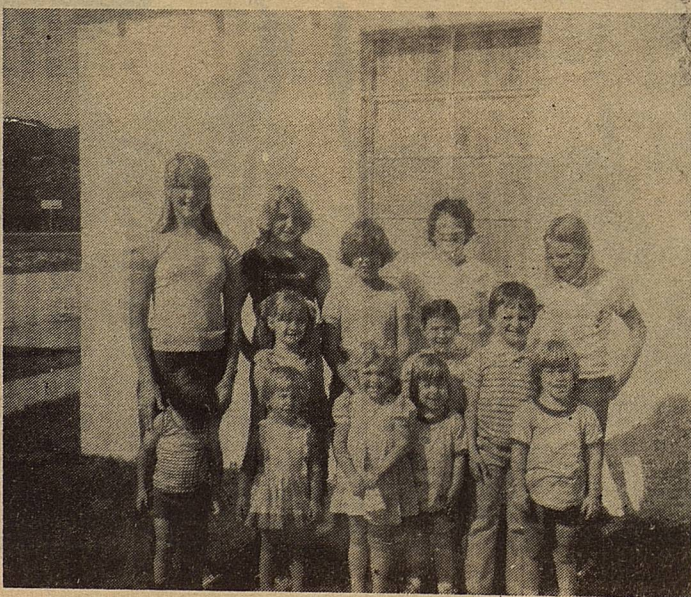
The reunion headquarters will be in Meeting Room A of the coliseum. Registration will begin on the evening of Sept. 13, and everyone is invited to use the Meeting Room as a gathering place throughout the Fair.

On-Sept. 15, (Saturday), a coffee is planned starting at 9:30 am and a barbecue is scheduled for noon. At 7 pm, a historical program titled "Scurry County Times: From Buffalo to Oil" is to be presented on the stage in the coliseum.

Arrangements for the reunion are being made by the Scurry County Historical Commission, and inquiries about the reunion may be sent to Mrs. Jess Everett, chairman of the Commission, at Route 2, Snyder, Texas 79549.

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A good group of youngsters are really enjoying Vacation Bible School this week at the Gail First Baptist Church.



## Rural Electric leaders elect Lyntegar's manager to post

Wilton J. Payne of Tahoka and general manager of Lyntegar Electric Cooperative has been elected president of the Association of Texas Electric Cooperatives.

Mrs. JoJon Cox of Stanton was elected to offices in two statewide organizations in conjunction with the 39th annual membership meeting of the Association held July 30 - August 1 in Austin.

The meeting drew more than 500 rural electric leaders and ladies representing 74 of Texas' 83 rural electric systems which serve more than 750,000 rural homes and enterprises in all but nine of the state's 254 counties.

The Tahoka - based Lyntegar Electric Cooperative owns and operates nearly 5,500 miles of lines extending into nine South Plains counties including Dawson County. The system serves the electric light and power needs of some 16,000 rural families and installations.

Payne has been with Lyntegar Electric since 1947, as general manager since 1973. He's a Tahoka native and life-long resident, member of the Methodist Church, and past president of the Rotary Club.

Cox is now chairwoman of the Texas Rural

Electric Women's Association and a member of the board of directors of a political action group known as Rural Friends - ACRF. The latter is an organization of rural electric men and women and other individuals throughout Texas involved in education on political issues of concern especially to rural Texans.

Mrs. Cox has been active in rural electric women's activities for the last 10 years.

She is also active in civic and youth development work. She has been a 4-H Club adult leader since 1953, and she is currently secretary and treasurer of the Texas Hereford Auxiliary and chairman of the Multiple Sclerosis Readathon Drive. She's permanent secretary of the Martin County Old Settlers Reunion and past president of Beta Sigma Phi.



WILTON J. PAYNE



MRS. JOJON COX



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will look at weed and insect controls. Bob Stephens, KCBD-TV weatherman, Lubbock, will be moderator.

Weeds and new herbicide application techniques will be discussed by Dr. John Abernathy, weed scientists with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station (TAES), Lubbock. Cotton scouting and pest management will be the topics of Dr. James Leser, area entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Lubbock.

## Conference To Focus On Regulations Of Ag Chemicals

Legal ramifications in the use of agricultural chemicals will be examined during the 27th annual West Texas Agricultural Chemicals Conference, Sept. 12-13 at the Memorial Civic Center in Lubbock.

Some 500 agribusiness leaders and educators from western and midwestern states are expected for the conference, said Bob Sims (cq) of Brownfield, president of the West Texas Agricultural Chemicals Institute which sponsors the annual meeting.

Two awards for outstanding contributions to West Texas agriculture will be presented to an institutional representative and an agribusiness recipient during the conference.

Registration begins at 8 am Wednesday, Sept. 12. The program begins at 1:15 pm, focusing on the theme, "Living with Legality." Federal and state regulations with which agricultural chemical manufacturers and users are concerned will be examined. Bedford Forrest, farm and ranch director of KVII-TV, Amarillo, will be moderator at the afternoon session.

Federal regulations under which chemicals are registered to permit their

use for specific conditions and agricultural products will be discussed. Speakers will include Dr. Stan Fertig, project manager, pesticides impact assessment staff, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Beltsville, MD., and Paul Ekoniak of the registration section of I. C. I., an international chemical company.

The application of Texas' usury law to the collection of past due accounts will be discussed by Jim Hale, an attorney from Brownfield. And federal legislation with bearing on agricultural chemicals will be discussed by Terry Star, agricultural assistant to U. S. Sen. John Tower, D-Tex.

Jim Mills, of the National Agricultural Chemicals Assn., Washington, D. C., will bring a report from that organization. Harold Hardcastle, president of the National Aerial Applicators Assn., Vernon, will report for that group.

Speaker for the awards banquet at 7 pm Wednesday, Sept. 12, will be humorist Justin Wilson of Baton Rouge, La.

Thursday morning's session, beginning at 9:30,

The concept and practice of integrated pest management will be explained by Dr. Ray Frisbie, Extension pest management leader for Texas, College Station, and Dr. Stan Nemecek, secretary of the Texas Association of Consulting Entomologists, College Station.

Thursday afternoon, Dr. John Stauss of Taralan Corp., Wheaton, Ill., will trace the history of fertilizer solution application. Institutional and commercial viewpoints on soil testing will be discussed by Dr. Dale Pennington, Extension area soil chemist, and Don Ankerman of A & L Labs, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Also during the afternoon program, leaf petiole analysis and foliar feeding will be discussed by Dr. Art Onken, professor of soil fertility with TAES, Lubbock, and Alan E. Lengyel, agricultural consultant from Phoenix, Ariz. Plant growth regulators will be discussed by Chris Cole of BASF Wyandotte Corp., Bob Etheredge, agricultural manager for the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, will moderate the afternoon session.

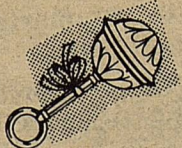
The conference will conclude with a business meeting.

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## The Speaker Reports



by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN—For the first time in Texas, the Legislature—during its most recent session—has enacted a statute dealing with the rights and duties of landlords and tenants.

This action was partly due to a recent court case, *Kamarath v. Bennett*, in which the Supreme Court of Texas held that there is an "implied warrant of habitability" in rental contracts.

H.B. 1773, the result of several months of negotiations between landlord and tenant groups, sets minimum standards for the living conditions of residential rental property and requires landlords to correct unsafe or unhealthy conditions unless they were caused by the tenant, tenant's family or guests. The tenant, after giving a landlord written notice of the condition and "reasonable" time to make the repair, could terminate his or her lease and receive a partial refund of his or her rent if the landlord failed to make the repair and the rent was paid.

In the alternative, the tenant could obtain a court order requiring the landlord to either make the repairs or compensate the tenant for his or her losses, including court costs and attorney's fees, or both. A tenant could not withhold rent in an attempt to force the landlord to make repairs, and the landlord would be prohibited from retaliating

against the tenant for requesting repairs or going to court.

The landlord may terminate a rental agreement by giving written notice and agreeing to demolish the property or to close the rental unit. The provisions of the law may be waived if the lease is written and if the waiver is specific and in bold print. The waiver by the tenant must be knowingly, voluntarily, and for consideration.

I believe that as Texas continues to grow the setting out of the rights and duties of landlords and tenants becomes more and more important. This is one area where the State has a duty to protect its citizens and see to their best interests.

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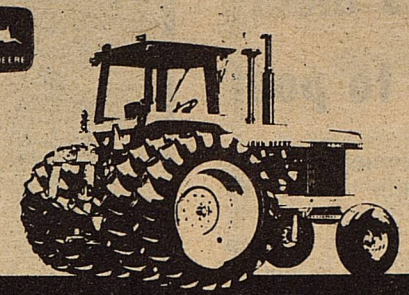
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### Legal Notice

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

The Commissioners' Court of Borden County will hold a public hearing on the proposed budget of Borden County for the year 1979 at 10:00 am, August 27, 1979 in the Commissioners' Courtroom of the Courthouse in Gail, Texas. A summary of the proposed budget is as follows:

Jury Fund \$1,700  
Road & Bridge Funds 481,817  
General Fund 210,135  
Officers Salary Fund 121,611  
Revenue Sharing Fund 20,000  
Permanent Improvement Fund 35,000  
Total Budget \$870,263

The proposed budget includes a 13 percent increase in salaries and allowances for all elected officials.

Borden County taxpayers are invited to attend and present oral or written comments.

The proposed budget may be examined at the Office of the County Clerk or the Office of the County Judge. FOR THE BORDEN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'

Jim M. Burkett  
County Judge  
Borden County

### Thanks

#### APPRECIATION

To all our friends we want to express our sincere thanks for your expressions of sympathy, cards, memorials and prayers in the loss of my sister, Nona.

-Lorene Jones, and Jealene Hodge and family

### Notice

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### LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF BORDEN  
LEGAL NOTICE

Borden County Commissioners' Court will consider sealed bids for the sale of 4 used refrigerated room air conditioner units on August 27, 1979 at 10:00 A.M.

Units will be sold as is and for cash.

BY ORDER OF COMMISSIONER'S COURT

Jim Burkett  
County Judge  
Borden County

### Legal Notice

I, Norman Sneed Tax Assessor-Collector for Borden County, in accordance with the provisions of Article 7244 (c), have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three (3) percent by the Commissioners Court without holding a public hearing as required by the Article 7244 (c).

That rate is as follows:

\$0.81 per \$100 of Assessed Value.

-Norman Sneed  
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