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## ICA Calf Sale

Momentum is building quickly throughout the state for the Independent Cattlemen's Association 2nd annual statewide calf sale as hundred of ranchers donate calves and other livestock for the fundraising event.

The sale will be held Saturday, Sept. 29, beginning at 10 am at the Atascosa Livestock Exchange in Pleasanton.

ICA President Roy Wheeler, owner of the auction, invites all livestock producers to participate, as funds raised through the calf sale will enable ICA to continue its fight for legislation beneficial to the agriculture industry. Last year's sale raised more than \$100,000 for the Association.

"We are encouraged by the enthusiasm shown this year," said Wheeler, who is traveling throughout

various counties in Texas in the weeks before the sale to solicit livestock donations.

"We take this as a sign that the livestock industry leaders in Texas support our efforts to make the government responsive to our needs."

The success of last year's sale enabled ICA officials to attend all hearings concerning the federal bucellosis program - a program which could mean additional financial hardships for cattlemen if it is adopted in its present form. ICA will continue to present the viewpoint of the industry as long as it is able to do so.

"We thank all of those who helped us last year and urge them to double their contributions this year," said Wheeler.

A presale Cattle Drive Party will be held Friday, Sept. 28, from 6 pm to 10:20

pm at the St. Andrews Catholic Church Hall in Pleasanton. Food and drink will be plentiful with a dance following the dinner hour.

An added feature of this year's sale is a contest to name the Association's sale mascot. Last year, Happy Shahan of Brackettville, donated a Longhorn steer to the sale. The steer was sold and resold several times and the final purchaser was Wheeler, who donated the animal back to the Association. A \$100 prize will be given by Wheeler to the individual who creates the best name for the steer. The only requirement for entry into the contest is for each contestant to buy a subscription to the INDEPENDENT CATTLEMEN, the Association's monthly magazine. A panel of

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CLAUDIA OGDEN

WTBRA NOVICE HORSE CHAMPION

## Claudia Ogden Top Contender

Claudia Ogden, no stranger to the barrel racing circuit, won this beautiful trophy saddle this last weekend during the West Texas Barrel Racing Association Roundup held in Stamford, Texas.

"Jason" took Claudia to the top of the \$250 Novice Class in which she won the saddle with a total of \$274.10 and then went on to place fourth in the Open standings for 1979 with a total of \$3608.55.

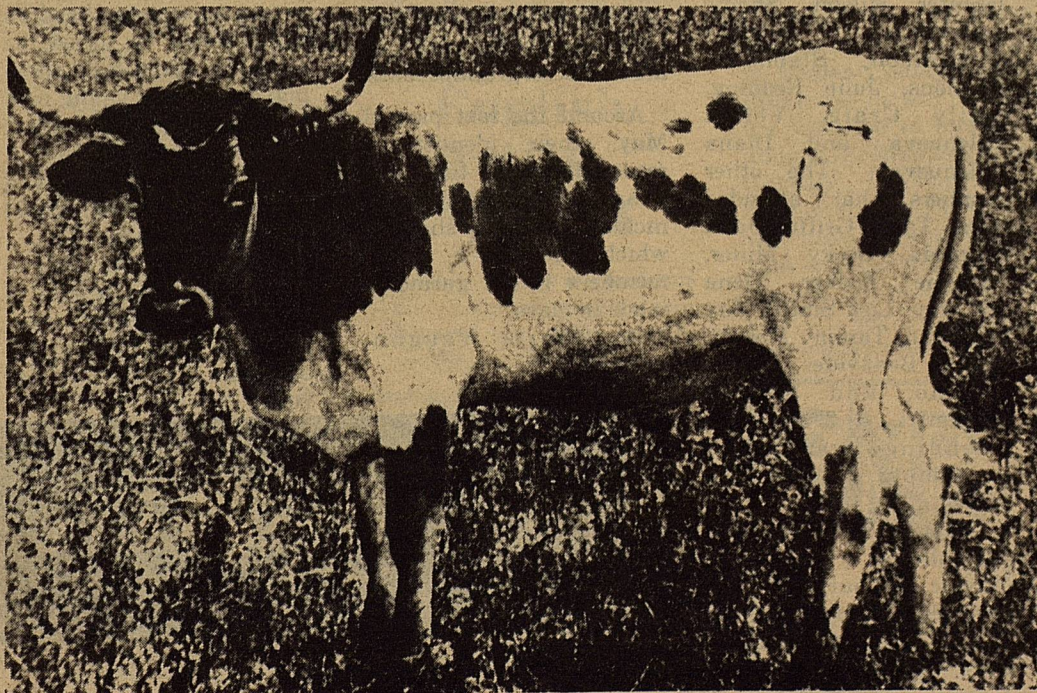
Claudia has been riding for eighteen years and this year it has sure been worth all the time and effort.

Claudia also placed a second horse, "Jigger" in third place in the \$250 Novice Class.

Claudia was Runnerup in the Open in 1974 and third the following year on her good horse, "Brown". She lost him due to a tragic barn fire.

Claudia's determination and love for the sport of barrel racing has produced another good horse.

Claudia and her husband Randy and daughter Kelly Jo make their home in Borden County and ride, raise, and train calf and barrel horses.



Name this Longhorn steer at ICA calf sale and win \$100 prize.



# Borden County School News

## Coyotes Make Comeback

### ...Almost

With four seconds left in the game here Friday night, Borden County's Blane Dyess found Travis Rinehart 60 yards away in the New Home end zone. Dyess let the ball fly, Rinehart pulled it in and it appeared the Coyotes had broken a 12-game losing streak.

But it was not to happen that way.

One of those little yellow flags, which seem to fall like rain each Friday in West Texas, hit the Gail Stadium turf. Borden County was charged with an ineligible receiver downfield and lost it's 13th contest, 13-12.

It was a frustrating finish for the Coyotes, who had scored 12 points in the final period of play to make a comeback against the New Home bunch.

New Home got a freebie-though well earned-in the third quarter when Mickey McClintock blocked a Coyote punt, picked it up and ran 12 yards to score. He added the PAT kick.

In the fourth quarter, McClintock paid off for New Home again, giving the visitors a 13-0 lead when he scored from two yards out. His kick failed this time.

Borden County didn't give up however. Craig Peterson, who toted the ball 23 times for 97 yards, capped a 65-yard drive moments later to put the Coyotes on the board. The PAT kick failed.

With only 48 seconds left in the game, Borden County scored again. Peterson crashed over from two

yards away, sealing a 55-yard march. The two-point conversion attempt failed.

The game wasn't over yet.

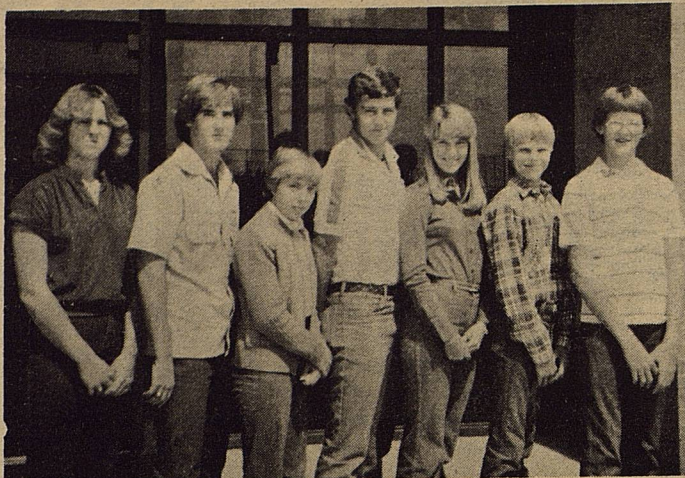
Borden County was successful with an on-side kick try and took over possession again. With four seconds remaining in the contest, Dyess hurled a 60-yard bomb to Rinehart which was caught in the end zone, but officials negated the play with a charge of ineligible receiver downfield.

The Coyotes, who travel to O'Donnell this Friday night picked up 230 yards offense during the contest. Peterson grabbed 97 of the ground yards, caught four passes for 62 yards, and made 17 tackles from his middle linebacker position on defense.

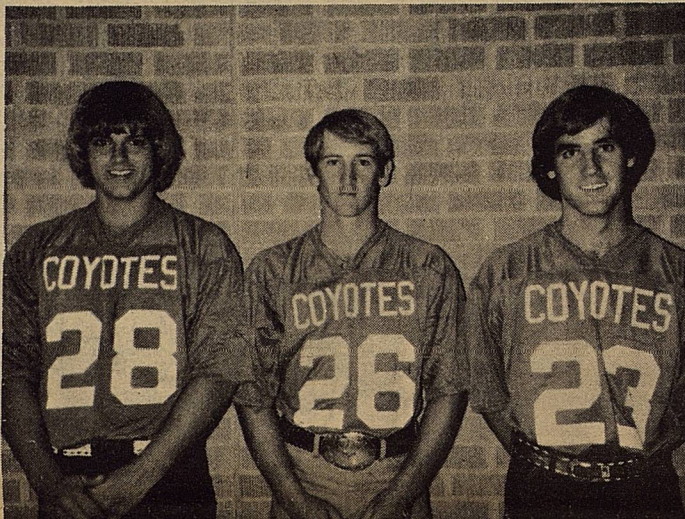
## Jr. High Has Big Win

The Coyotes plucked the Hermleigh Cardinals last Thursday 52-20. First scoring came as Phillip Benavidez carried a 30 yard touchdown. The extra point failed, but the Coyotes had just began. Sammy Williams grabbed the ball for a second touchdown for the Coyotes and Phillip Benavidez ran the extra point. The score was 13-0 at the end of the first quarter.

Phillip Benavidez ran the score up another 19 points for the Coyotes before halftime to make the Cardinals 32 points behind. Finally warmed up, Benavidez made another touchdown, his 5th of the evening, and tacked on the extra point for good measure. The Cardinals made it onto the board, bringing the score to 39-6. Sammy Williams would not be left out of the action and carried the pigskin 80 yards for a touchdown Williams style. Hermleigh was able to score two more touchdowns during the game, but could not hold the Coyotes from scoring. Williams carried another touchdown with Chris Cooley tacking on the extra point. Hermleigh intercepted the ball with 1 minute 40 seconds left on the clock. Keith Martin was able to recover the ball for Borden on the Coyote 36 yard line, finishing a beautiful win for the Coyotes.



High School Student Council Representatives. L to R Janna Love, Mark Walker, Becky Miller, Danny Holmes, Gena McLeroy, Ty Wills, and Doug Love. Jennifer Wilson was unavailable for picture.



Coyote Team Captains for 1979-80 are Craig Peterson, Travis Rinehart and Mark Walker.

## Band To Perform

The Borden Coyote Marching Band has a full year ahead of them under the direction of Mr. Kim Fisher.

They have been practicing every day in preparation for the Panhandle South Plains Fair. The band will depart from Gail at 7:30 a.m. on September 24th to March in the fair parade in Lubbock. The band students will return from Lubbock in time to ride the busses home from school.

The band will travel to Monahans on November 10 to participate in a marching contest. February 23rd will find band members in Monahans once again for a U.I. L. Solo Ensemble Contest. The U.I. L. Concert and Sightreading Contest has been set for April 29th.

## Pep Rally

Mark Walker, halfback and centerback for the Coyotes, gave the team talk at the last high school pep rally. He also presented the spirit stars which are chosen by the captains. The spirit stars were received by Troy King, offense and Maurice Herridge, defense. These football players are chosen for their outstanding performance in past games and also for loyalty to their team.

Jennifer Wilson played the part of a Leopard during a skit and the audience 'shouted her out' as the cheerleaders sprayed her with the popular cleaning aid.

Coach Maxwell gave the pep talk-removing his shoes as not to step too hard on guilty toes. He urged the school to get behind these players. These young men have given up a good part of their summer and several hours after school to get in shape to keep the school proud of the team.

Karen Williams presented the spirit stick to Kelley Richardson who yelled so hard at the last ballgame that she lost her voice.

## FHA Meeting

The 1979-80 Future Homemakers of America had their first meeting Wednesday, September 12th. The meeting was opened by Mayme McLaury, the President, who introduced the new advisor, Mrs. Bonnie Brumley.

The new members were then welcomed. They were: Jennifer Wilson, Shellie Peterson, Kelley Richardson, Stephanie Stephens, Julie Redding, Emily Craig, Velma Villeneuve, and Diana Villeneuve. The other members that attended were: Talley Griffin, Jana Edwards, Becky Miller, Suzanne Walker, Gena McLeroy, Lisa Smith, Kay Copeland, Tammy Merritt, Maria Benavidez, Terrie Moreno, and Sharon Brummett. Those not attending were Joie Brummett and Anita Masingill.

The 1979-80 officers are as follows: President, Mayme McLaury; 1st Vice President, Glynda Burkett; 2nd Vice President, Janna Love; 3rd Vice President, Karen Williams; Secretary-Treasurer, Heather McPhaul; Historian-Recreational

Leader-Tammy Telchik; Pianist, Carla Jones; Reporter, Charla Vaughn.

The projects were discussed and the new ones voted on. For the Valentines Project, Valentines are collected and taken to Lubbock to the children's home. The Secret Grandparents Project consists of drawing names of all the grandparents, and for the rest of the year they are the secret grandparents.

Around the last part of May, their identity is revealed at a tea. A program is planned including a style show at which time the F. H. A. members model garments made in class.

-s- Charla Vaughn, Reporter.

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# School Board Meeting

The Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District met in regular session on Monday, September 17, 1979 at 8:00 pm.

After routine business of minutes and bills, the Board opened sealed bids on gasoline, milk, butane, and a school car.

Gandy's Dairies was awarded the milk contract.

Bids were received for the purpose of purchasing a school car as follows:

Charles Darwin, LTD Ford, \$6683.00; Fenner Tubbs Co. Chrysler, \$7567.00; Bob Brock Ford, LTD Ford \$6519.12; Fred Barrington Chevrolet, Chev. Impala \$6063.00;(adjusted to 1980 prices); Wilson Motor Co. LTD Ford \$6798.00; Snyder Motor Co. Pontiac Catalina \$6800.00; Snyder Motor Co. Delta 88 Olds \$7000.00; Snyder Motor Co., La Sabre Buick, \$6950.00; Town & Country, Chev. Impala, \$6286.90.

Snyder Motor Company was awarded the bid for the 1980 Pontiac Catalina for \$6800.00.

Bids were received for the sale of the school car as follows:

Snyder Motor Company \$5000.00; Ken McMeans \$5300.00; George Williams \$5130.01; Sunshine Construction \$5003.00; Doyle Newton \$4513.33; Bill Phinizy \$3777.00; Norvel Cunningham \$5110.00. The car was sold to Ken McMeans for \$5300.00.

The following bid was received for the purpose of purchasing gasoline: Gulf Oil Corporation of Lamesa will continue to service the Borden County Independent School District as per the Federal Mandatory Allocation & Price Controls. The gasoline contract was awarded to Gulf Oil Corporation.

A decision on the butane bid was postponed until a later date.

A year-to-date financial report was given by the Superintendent and approved by the Board.

The attendance was reported to be 218 students as of September 17.

The Board began

proceeding to create an appraisal district for taxing purposes as set forth in Senate Bill 621. Since the Borden County Independent School District is the only taxing entity in the appraisal district, the three-fourth rule was adopted. The number of members on the Board of Directors was changed from five to seven. A recommendation was made by the Superintendent that the Board of Trustees serve as the Board of Directors for the appraisal district. The recommendation was accepted by the Board.

The Board of Directors for the appraisal district will take office on January 1, 1980.

Other business of the Board of Trustees was the approval of the Application for Foundation Funds.

A brief description was given of the Texas Association of School Boards and the Texas Association of School Administrators. An invitation was given to each member to attend the convention in San Antonio.

The meeting was adjourned.



Mr. John Frances, artist from England.

## English Artist Visiting

We now have in residence for two weeks, John Francis, an artist who is working with The Texas

# Letter To Grandparents

Dear Grandparents, The Gail F.H.A. is having the Secret Grandparents and Granddaughter project again this year. We hope you are as excited and anxious to get started as we are.

This project teaches our members to assume responsibilities. It also contributes to communication between community, school and home life. Thanks to you Grandparents, this project would not be the success it has been in the past.

We would appreciate and enjoy putting your name on our list of Secret Grandparents for the year 1979-80.

If you would like to be a Grandparent, send a card to the following address:

Mrs. Bonnie Brumley or Tammy Telchik c/o Home Economics Dept. Borden County School Gail, Texas 79738

We would appreciate your support in making this one of the best years ever in F.H.A.

Thank You. Sincerely yours, (Mrs.) Bonnie Brumley, Advisor Tammy Telchik, Project Chairperson

Commission of Arts and Humanities out of Austin. He will be working with grades 2, 3, 4, and 5. Near the end of the two weeks term, the parents and all interested persons will be invited to an art exhibit; the date and place are undetermined at this time but will appear in the next issue of the Borden Star.

Mr. Francis has scheduled the two Wednesday evenings as community service. The first, which will start at 8:00 p.m. will be a 'question and answer', critique, and inquiry session. The last one will be the results of the inquiry session. All citizens in Borden County who are interested in any type art are welcome to meet with John in the Resource Center (Library). If you have work done or started, bring it. If you have questions about your work, he will be glad to discuss the problems with you. We'll see you Wednesday evening.



# SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

September 24-28, 1979

LUNCH	BREAKFAST
MONDAY Barbecued Beef on Bun Corn Potato Chips Tossed Salad Peanut Butter Brownies Milk Salad Bar	MONDAY Cereal Fruit Juice Milk
TUESDAY Tocas with Cheese Lettuce and Tomatoes Mixed Fruit Cookies Milk Salad Bar	TUESDAY Cowboy Bread Fruit Juice Milk
WEDNESDAY Spaghetti with Meat Sauce Vegetable Salad Carrot Sticks Peaches Milk Salad Bar	WEDNESDAY Cinnamon Toast Fruit Juice Milk
THURSDAY Hamburgers Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles French Fries Jello Milk Salad Bar	THURSDAY Muffins Fruit Juice Milk
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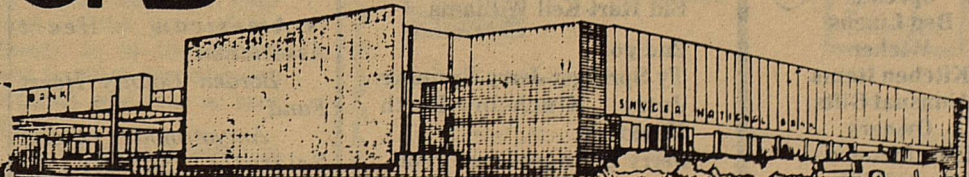
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# What's Hap-nin

Gae Ludecke is home recuperating from a week's stay in Medical Arts Hospital in Lamesa, she is reported to be feeling much better.

Buady Telchik is in Germany for two weeks on National Guard duty.

We were sorry to hear that Glenn Swan's mother is in the hospital in Sweetwater.

Tammy Voss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Voss, celebrated her 6th birthday Sunday afternoon. Her grandparents and great-grandparents joined her for lunch and an afternoon party.

Seen lots of college students at the ballgame Friday night, hey you'll let us know where you are and what you're doing!

## Thanks

The Borden County Parents Club would like to express their sincere gratitude to the Vealmoor PTA for their gift to us in the amount of \$208.27. This is greatly appreciated.

## FFA Meeting

The F. F. A. had a meeting Wednesday, September 10, to get a head start on the new year. The meeting started with the opening ceremony then went straight to the business on hand. The first business taken care of was the nominating of a chapter sweetheart. The F. F. A. dues were discussed next and each member agreed on \$3.50. There was a short discussion about entries for some of the livestock shows. The closing ceremony was then conducted and the members returned to their regular classes.

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## Ambulance News

In understand that they have been having a good attendance for the E.M.T. Training Sessions.

Memorials since last publication:

Bud & Willie Cornett in memory of Jessie B. Jackson

Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Johnson in memory of Jessie B. Jackson

Everyone remember about the training classes on Tuesday & Thursday Night of each week until further notice.

Fran Bennett

The Benefit Roping, Sunday afternoon proved to be another successful fund raising event for Borden County. The roping netted approximately \$700 with the money being donated to the American Heart Association, Borden County Heart Fund and the majority of the funds being sent in memory of Jessie B. Jackson to the Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Society of America.

A special thanks goes to all who participated, promoted and worked during the special roping.

Results of the \$20.00 - 2 header are as follows:

1st go  
Jerry Springer-Ty Springer  
Melvin Lewis-Jerry Kincheloe  
Jerry Springer-Dave Pool

2nd go  
Keith Hackfield-Barney Sisco  
Fred Myers-Rusty Yadon  
Jerry Kincheloe-Keith Hackfield

Average  
Fred Myers-Rusty Yadon  
Melvin Lewis-Jerry Kincheloe  
Fred Myers-Troy Howard

Results of the \$30.00 - Progressive after 2 are as follows:

1st go  
Keil Williams-Melvin Lewis  
Thad Springer-Connie Springer  
Sid Hart-Keil Williams

2nd go  
Ty Springer-Jerry Springer  
Jerry Kincheloe-Keith Hackfield  
Jerry Springer-Dave Pool

Average  
Arlan Youngblood-Dave Pool

## O'Donnell Homecoming

O'Donnell Ex-Student Association invites all O'Donnell High School Ex-Students to attend Homecoming September 21, 1979. The activities will include a parade and Pep Rally that afternoon, with the Banquet at 6:00 pm in the High School Cafeteria with the Class of 1929 and 1954 being honored. The football game with the O'Donnell Eagles vs the Gail Coyotes will follow the banquet. There will be a reception for all Ex-Students in the cafeteria after the game. The Class of 1954 will have a reception at Mrs. Carl Sanders and the Class of 1929 will meet at the Senior Citizen building after the football game. The 1954 Graduating Class included: Winona Anderson, Joyce Bailey, Jesse Barnett, Carl Copening, Nanabeth Cox, Martha Pearl Cooley, Don Fritz, Shirley Gass, Retha Gilespie, Sallie Howard, Odell Howard, Arthur Jackson, Lyndell Kensly, Hulen Ledbetter, Patsy Mahurin, Tommy Modisette, Derry Moore, Gerald (Fussy) Moore, Mary Moore, Frankie Parker, Carolyn Pearce, Peggy Pearce, Nolan Porterfield, James (Red) Rains, Lillie Reynolds, Mary Frances Sanders, Ralph Simpson, Ann Singleton, Rex Stokes, Frances Vandivere, Buddy Veach.


The 1929 Class included: Charlie Stuart, John Vermillion, Beulah Estes, William Travis Everett, Robert Stokes, Nannie Bell Smith, Truett Hodnett, Lola Weems, Dick Tune, Pauliene Wheeler, Era Harris, Erma S. Palmer, Hazel Burk, Gladys McGee, Virginia Edwards, Una Uashita Morrow, Florence Gary, Joe Bailey Chandler, Marcha Harville, J. A. Duncan, Vera Nicols, Otey Kendrick Gaston.

The 1929 Class included: Charlie Stuart, John Vermillion, Beulah Estes, William Travis Everett, Robert Stokes, Nannie Bell Smith, Truett Hodnett, Lola Weems, Dick Tune, Pauliene Wheeler, Era Harris, Erma S. Palmer, Hazel Burk, Gladys McGee, Virginia Edwards, Una Uashita Morrow, Florence Gary, Joe Bailey Chandler, Marcha Harville, J. A. Duncan, Vera Nicols, Otey Kendrick Gaston.

*Thank You*

*We would like to extend a special thank you to all who participated in the Benefit Roping, Sunday afternoon.*

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Dear Barbara Anderson  
Connie Voss  
Barbara York  
Penny Maxwell

The Borden County ASC Committee and Office Staff would like to thank you for the fine cooperation we receive on ASCS news coverage. A very special thanks for the coverage you gave us on the recent sign-up and certification in the 1979 Farm Program.

Agriculture is big business in Borden County and your coverage of our news articles is a big help in keeping the farmers and ranchers informed about our programs.

Thank you again.  
Jerry Neil Stone  
County Executive Director



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## Parents Club Meeting

The Borden County Parent's Club held their first regular meeting of the year September 13, 1979 at 2:30

Topics of discussion included the purpose and goals of Parent's Club and the selection of room mothers and installation of new officers.

New officers are  
President-Sue Mize  
Vice Pres.-Vickie Fulfer  
Sec-Tres.-Mrs. Pat Porter

Reporter-Sarah Sharp  
Room Mothers are:  
Kindergarten - Dolores Anderson  
1st - Freddie Wilson  
2nd - Freddie Wilson  
3rd-Mrs. Pat Porter  
4th-Beverly Massingill  
5th Sherry Telchik  
6th-Pam Cooley  
7th-Mary Lynn Williams  
8th-Marilyn McPhaul

The 2nd grade class was the best represented at the meeting and received candy.



# Jere's Gottings

By Bruce Pearson

Many of those good citizens who in 1976 used their ballots to express disgust with Nixon-Watergate and dissatisfaction with Gerald Ford must be wishing that there could have been some way other than to vote for Jimmy Carter, just as those who voted Richard Nixon into the White House to keep George McGovern out must have yearned for some other option. Right now it looks as if members of the Democratic party are going to have to make a selection from Jimmy Carter, Teddy Kennedy or Jerry Brown, which is like choosing Miss America from Jane Fonda, Betty Friedan or Bella Abzug.

The Republicans have lots of active or willing candidates, old and new, the best-known being Gerald Ford, John Connally and Ronald Reagan. Among the contenders is the Texas, George Bush, and the best thing he may have going for him is his experience with the mean, thankless, unrewarding, dead-end jobs that most of the big political noises wouldn't touch or couldn't handle. When the C.I.A. was in big trouble, demoralized, scandal-smearred and under congressional investigation, no one wanted to go near the outfit, much less be director, so the position was filled by George Bush. The United States ambassador to the United Nations, who usually is receiving criticism and abuse from every direction and visible support from nowhere, can get into a lot of trouble in a hurry, as Mr. Young found out. While George Bush had the job he gained respect for himself and his office, represented his country with firmness and dignity and stayed out of the headlines. No professional politician with presidential aspirations would have taken the assignment of representative to Red China, a real dead-end boondocks outpost, but George Bush took the job and came away with the stature of a statesman, having gained the friendship and respect of the Chinese in spite of the fact that he openly and frankly opposed our

abandonment of Taiwan. In the aftermath of Watergate, when a lot of Republican big shots were lying low or running for the lifeboats, George Bush took the job of Republican National Chairman, proving himself to be a strong helmsman in foul weather, earning the grateful support of many loyal but sorely tried party workers.

Well Bush is an actively campaigning candidate and it is going to be interesting to see how he makes out in competition with less tested and proven but more colorful candidates. Ronald Reagan makes a more theatrical, sensational appeal, Connally has a more flamboyant, dynamic image (Big Jaw from Texas), Carter makes more pious promises, and crown-prince Teddy of Massachusetts makes a bigger splash. Does a quiet dedicated candidate of proven competence and ability have a chance, or is it necessary to be a headline-grabbing public character. Selected because of personality, propaganda and promises?

Election years bring on the uneasy feeling of failure of our electoral system to do what our founding fathers intended, which was to put in government our best and wisest men. Did't the authors of our constitution mean for the people to be represented by outstanding leaders of their own kind--farmers, workers, businessmen--who would go to Washington, serve their terms and then return home to their own affairs? How did we arrive at the present state, where we are represented instead by highly paid politicians, mostly lawyers, whose primary goal is re-election and permanent installation in office?

Whoever the candidates are next year, wouldn't it be wonderful to lie awake on election eve worrying about which of two great honorable patiotic statesmen might make the better president rather than which of those two bums is likely to be less destructive while in office? Ah, to be able to cast an enthusiastic vote FOR rather than an angry AGAINST for a change!

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## 19 hunting fatalities in 1978

LUBBOCK — The enjoyment of a safe hunting trip cannot be measured by normal standards, but one careless act or misjudgment on the part of the shooter, and the trip will be remembered for many seasons.

The number and type of hunting accidents are monitored annually by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department since the agency regulates Texas hunting and trains safe hunters through it's volunteer hunter safety program.

Comparisons of the number of accidents and fatalities between 1978 and previous years indicate that a small number of hunters are continuing to violate the rules of safe gun handling.

"Texas recorded 83 accidents in 1978 and 19 of those were fatal," said Theron D. Carroll, P & WD hunter safety coordinator.

"Only 30 of the 125 persons involved in these accidents were under 17 years of age which indicates that our volunteer hunter safety program is working," Carroll continued.

Of the 10,890 students certified in 1978 by the P & WD, over 57 percent were in the 12-17 age bracket.

Hunting accidents occurred every month of 1978 with December recording a total of 20. Deer, dove, and rabbit were the three species of wildlife involved in the majority of the hunting accidents. These three species require continual judgment on the part of the shooter as to the correct time to shoot, identification of target, and zone or area of fire.

Visible identification in the field is necessary for both the shooter and other hunters. This is normally accomplished by the wear-

ing or displaying of bright colored clothing such as hunter blaze orange.

Of the 23 hunting accidents occurring in 1978 dealing with hunter judgment, none of the victims had any bright colors displayed.

All shooters should review their firearms handling procedures and remember the 12 commandments of shooting safety.

1. Treat every gun with the respect due a loaded gun. This is the cardinal rule.

2. Guns carried into camp or home must be unloaded and cased.

3. Always be sure that the barrel and action are clear of obstructions.

4. Always carry the gun so the direction of the barrel can be controlled.

5. Keep the safety ON until you are ready to shoot.

6. Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger.

7. Never point a gun at anything you don't want to shoot.

8. Unattended guns should be unloaded.

9. Guns and ammunition should be stored safely

beyond the reach of children.

10. Never climb a tree or a fence with a loaded gun.

11. Never shoot at a flat, hard surface or the surface of water.

12. Do not mix gunpowder and alcohol. Drinking alcoholic beverages slows the reaction of the hunter and

affects the judgment of the shooter.

More information and training is available by attending a Texas volunteer hunter safety class. Contact the nearest Texas game Warden, P & WD office, or call Austin at 512-475-4895 for classes in your area.

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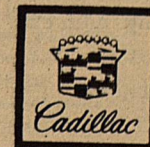
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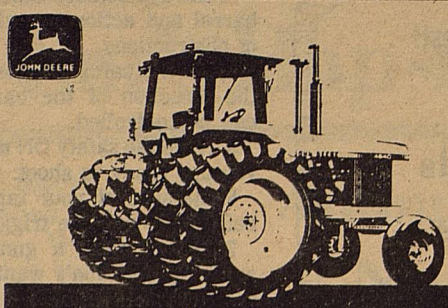
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# COW BELLE KITCHEN

By: Tejas CowBelles

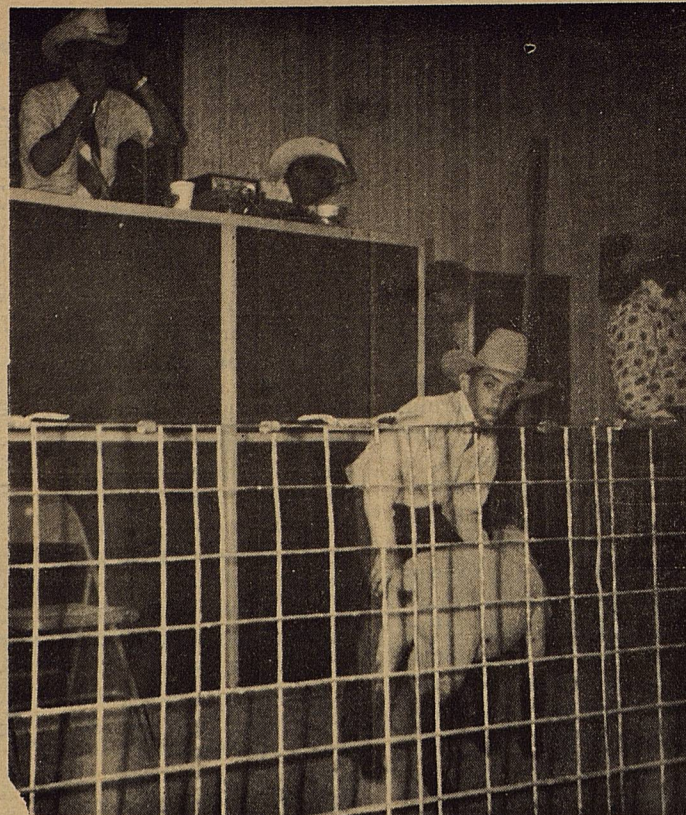
Foreign Seasoning tips add flavor frills to yesterday's "Plain Jane" Stews

Think Japanese Sukiyaki or Indian Curry are dull? Of course not! They are, however, relatives of stew, a dish once considered plain and ordinary. But today, stews have gained prestige. With seasonings inspired by the culinary history of the world, they have increased appeal for family or company service.

Reba Staggs, home economist with the National Live Stock and Meat Board, suggests trying two versions of stew that won't be called commonplace. One, Home Style Beef Stew, provides an especially flavorful family meal. Then for a tasty trip to the Russian scene, she recommends a veal stew that takes on gourmet character as the tender cubes of meat are smothered with sour cream and mushrooms. This recipe is party-sized.

*Home-Style Beef Stew*  
 2 lbs. boneless beef for stew, cut in 1 to 1 1/2 inch cubes  
 3 T. flour  
 1 t. salt  
 3 T. lard or drippings  
 1 cup water  
 1 can (8 oz.) tomato sauce  
 1 bay leaf  
 1 T Worcestershire sauce  
 6 small onions 4 med. sized carrots, cut in 1 in. pieces  
 1 10 oz. package frozen baby lima beans  
 1 9 oz. package frozen cut green beans

Flour for gravy, if desired  
 Combine flour and salt. Dredge meat in seasoned flour. Brown in lard or drippings. Pour off drippings. Add water, tomato sauce, bay leaf and Worcestershir sauce. Cover tightly and cook slowly until meat is almost tender,  
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The Caprock Breeders Club Lamb Sale was held last Thursday night in the Borden County Barn. Approximately 137 lambs were sold at the sale with the highest selling animal bringing \$250.00. The lamb was a Gale Tempel bred lamb owned by James McLeroy.

Cody Newton pictured above selling one of his lambs at the sale.

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## 4-H CLUB News

On Monday, September 10 the Borden County 4-H held its first meeting of the 79-80 school year.

The 4-H club motto and pledge was lead by Kristi Stone and the Pledge of Allegiance was lead by Julie Ridenhour.

Tim Taylor, secretary, took enrollment and also some of the projects the 4-H members were interested in.

Sam Field discussed a

calender that the 4-H officers will make to plan a whole year of projects at once to save confusion. If any members was not present for the meeting, they need to fill out the form below and send it to Borden County Extension office, Box 155, Gail, Texas 79738, or contact Sam Field or Kathy Blagrave.

Reporter, Cole Herring

### BORDEN COUNTY 4-H ENROLLMENT FORM

This must be completely filled out. Date \_\_\_\_\_

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 (Circle the name you prefer to be called)

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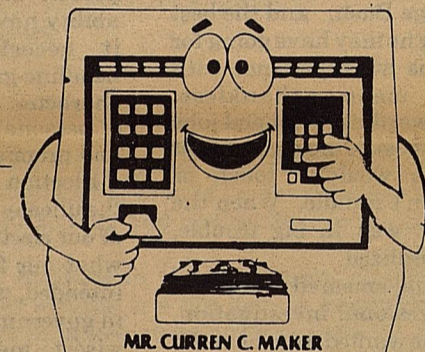
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 as of Jan. 1 of current year Month/Day/Year

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## Disaster Program gives Protection

The disaster payment program, administered by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, provides crop protection against severe weather conditions. Prevented planting and low yield payment provisions are included under the wheat, feed grain, and upland cotton programs.

Farmers are eligible to receive disaster payments when they are unable to produce a crop for harvest because of a natural disaster.

Disaster payments are authorized for a farmer whose wheat and feed grain crop yield is less than 60 percent of the established yield times the acreage planted for harvest. This payment is based only on the deficiency in production below 60 percent. For upland cotton, the payment is based on production losses below 75 percent.

The disaster program was established to help the farmer by offering insurance against impossible production conditions. It also helps protect the farmer's income.

Types of disasters covered by the program include drouth, flood, hail, windstorm, or any other type of disaster which occurs through no fault of the farmer.

Farmers should keep an accurate record of their 1979 crop production and notify the county ASCS office before destroying acreages or crop residue when a disaster strikes.

1979 is the last crop year protected under the agricultural Act of 1977. Disaster protection for 1980 crops is pending additional legislation.

Eligibility for participation in all programs administered by ASCS is established under law without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

## CowBelle

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1½ to 2 hours. Add vegetables and continue cooking 20 to 30 minutes or until meat is tender and vegetables are done. Discard bay leaf. Thicken cooking liquid with flour for gravy, if desired. 6 servings.

### Veal Stew with Sour Cream

3 lbs., boneless veal shoulder, cut in 1½ in. cubes

½ cup flour

1 T. salt

¼ t. pepper

¼ cup lard

3 medium-sized onions, quartered

1 cup sliced celery

2 cups water

½ t. thyme

1 Medium-sized head cauliflower, broken into pieces

1 can (4 oz.) button mushrooms, drained

1 cup dairy sour cream

¼ cup chopped parsley

Mix together flour, salt and pepper. Dridge meat with seasoned flour. Brown meat on all sides in lard or drippings. Pour off drippings. Add onions, celery, water and thyme. Cover tightly and cook slowly 1¼ hours. Add cauliflower and continue cooking 30 to 45 minutes, or until cauliflower is done and meat is tender. Stir in mushrooms, sour cream and parsley. Heat through. 8 to 10 servings.

## Calf Sale

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judges will select the best name from all the entries and the steer will remain the ICA Sale Mascot as long as it lives.

Auctioneer for the sale is Clyde Holdcroft and Transportation Director is C.P. Hamer of Giddings. Those who need to make arrangements to have their calves transported to the sale should contact Hamer at 713-542-2929 or the Association office 512-836-1321.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION  
NOVEMBER 6, 1979

### PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

(H.J.R. 108)

House Joint Resolution 108 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution relating to the appointment and terms of notaries public. The proposed amendment would:

- Require the Secretary of State to appoint a convenient number of Notaries Public for the state; and
- Authorize terms of office of Notaries Public of not less than two years nor more than four years.

A temporary provision of the proposed constitutional amendment provides that the amendment would take effect January 1, 1980; that each person who was appointed a notary public before January 1, 1980, would continue to serve as a notary public for the term for which the person was appointed; and that this temporary provision would expire January 1, 1982.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for the appointment of notaries public for the state and for a term of not less than two years nor more than four years as provided by law."

### PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

(H.J.R. 133)

House Joint Resolution 133 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to provide for legislative review of the process of rulemaking by agencies in the executive department. The proposed amendment would allow the Legislature to enact laws:

- To provide for legislative review of the process of rulemaking by agencies in the executive department;
- To prescribe conditions for rules to take effect;
- To provide for suspension, repeal, or expiration of rules;
- To prescribe procedures; and
- To delegate powers to either or both houses or to committees of either or both houses.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for legislative review of

the process of rulemaking by agencies in the executive department."

### PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

(S.J.R. 13)

Senate Joint Resolution 13 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution authorizing the Legislature to provide for the guarantee of loans used to purchase farm and ranch real estate for qualified borrowers. The proposed amendment would allow the Legislature to provide for, issue, and sell general obligation bonds called "Farm and Ranch Loan Security Bonds" of the State of Texas not to exceed 10 million dollars. All money received from the sale of such bonds would be deposited in a separate fund with the State Treasurer and administered by the commissioner of agriculture without further appropriations. These funds would be used to guarantee loans for the purchase of farm and ranch real estate. The commissioner of agriculture would use these funds, under provisions to be prescribed by the Legislature for the purpose of guaranteeing loans used for the purchase of farm and ranch real estate, to acquire real estate mortgages or deeds of trust on lands purchased with guaranteed loans. These funds would also be used to advance to the borrower a percentage of the principal and interest due. The Legislature may also authorize the commissioner of agriculture to sell at foreclosure any land acquired in the manner authorized by this amendment. The commissioner of agriculture would be required to charge at least 6 percent interest on such loans. The proposed amendment appropriates an amount that is sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonds that mature or become due during the fiscal year less the amount in the interest and sinking fund at the close of the prior fiscal year.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the guarantee of loans for purchase of farm and ranch real estate for qualified borrowers by the sale of general obligation bonds of the State of Texas."

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**PROPOSICION NO. 1**  
**EN LA BOLETA**  
**(H.J.R. 108)**

La Resolución Conjunta #108 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda en la constitución de Tejas referente al nombramiento y a los plazos de los notarios públicos.

La enmienda propuesta: —Requerirá que el Secretario de Estado nombre a un número conveniente de notarios públicos para el estado; y —autorizará para que los plazos oficiales para notarios públicos sean por no menos de dos años y por no más de cuatro años.

La provisión temporal de la enmienda constitucional propuesta declara que la enmienda entrará en vigor el 1° de enero de 1980; que cada persona que haya sido nombrada como notario público antes del 1° de enero de 1980 continuará ejerciendo como notario público hasta vencerse el plazo por el que fue nombrado; y que esta provisión temporal se vencerá el 1° de enero de 1982.

La enmienda propuesta aparecerá en la boleta como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional para el nombramiento de notarios públicos para el estado para un plazo de no menos de dos años ni de más de cuatro años, según lo provisto por la ley."

**PROPOSICION NO. 2**  
**EN LA BOLETA**  
**(H.J.R. 133)**

La Resolución Conjunta #133 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda en la constitución de Tejas para proveer una revisión del proceso reglamentario en las agencias del departamento ejecutivo. Esta enmienda propuesta permitirá a la Legislatura el decretar leyes:

—Para proveer una revisión legislativa del proceso reglamentario en las agencias del departamento ejecutivo;

—Para prescribir condiciones para que las leyes sean puestas en vigor;

—Para suspender, revocar o expirar las reglas;

—Para prescribir procedimientos; y

—Para delegar autoridad a cualquiera o a ambas cámaras, o a los comités de cualquiera o de ambas cámaras.

La enmienda propuesta aparecerá en la boleta como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional para proveer una revisión legislativa del

proceso reglamentario en las agencias del departamento ejecutivo."

**PROPOSICION NO. 3**  
**EN LA BOLETA**  
**(S.J.R. 13)**

La Resolución Conjunta Senatorial #13 propone una enmienda en la constitución de Tejas para autorizar a la Legislatura para que provea una garantía de préstamos, a las personas calificadas, para la compra de bienes raíces agrícolas y ganaderas. De esta manera, la enmienda propuesta podría permitir a la Legislatura el proveer, emitir y vender bonos de obligación general llamados "Farm and Ranch Loan Security Bonds" (Bonos de Seguridad Para Préstamos Agrícolas y Ganaderos) del Estado de Tejas, sin exceder la cantidad de \$10 millones de dólares. Todo dinero recibido de la venta de estos bonos sería depositado en un fondo diferente en la Tesorería Estatal y sería administrado por el comisionado de agricultura, sin más apropiaciones. Estos fondos garantizarían préstamos para la compra de bienes raíces agrícolas y ganaderas. El comisionado de agricultura usaría estos fondos bajo las provisiones prescritas por la Legislatura, con el propósito de garantizar préstamos para la compra de bienes raíces agrícolas y ganaderas; para adquirir hipotecas de bienes raíces o escrituras de bienes raíces compradas con préstamos garantizados. Estos fondos serían usados también para adelantar un porcentaje del principal y del interés debido en esos préstamos, a la persona que califique para el préstamo. La Legislatura también podría autorizar al comisionado de agricultura para que venda cualquier terreno adquirido mediante esta enmienda. El comisionado de agricultura requeriría al menos un 6 por ciento de interés en dichos préstamos. La enmienda propuesta apropiaría la cantidad suficiente para pagar el principal y el interés de los bonos que vayan adquiriendo más valor, o que se vayan durante el año fiscal, menos la cantidad del fondo de interés y amortización al final del año anterior.

La enmienda propuesta aparecerá en la boleta como sigue:

"La enmienda constitucional para autorizar a la Legislatura para que por medio de la venta de bonos de obligación general del Estado de Tejas, provea una garantía para que las personas calificadas puedan obtener préstamos para la compra de bienes raíces agrícolas y ganaderas."

**OBITUARY**

**Ruth Allison**

Ruth Bennett Allison, 402 North Ninth, Loving, died Thursday in Carlsbad. She was 69.

She was born in Waxahachie, Texas, and attended West Texas University and Texas Tech University. She moved to Carlsbad in 1947 and worked for the Civil Service at Carlsbad Caverns.

She was a member of the Loving United Methodist Church, Carlsbad Art Association, Woman's Club and WSCS.

She is survived by her husband, Vic; three sons Eldon of Brownfield, Texas, Dalton of Carlsbad and Rusty Wolfarth of Carlsbad; two brothers, Milton Bennett of Fort Worth and Willis Bennett of Snyder, Texas; three sisters, Edith Clark of Big Spring, Texas, Blanche Hamilton of Lamesa, Texas, and Marie Elliot of Hobbs; 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 pm Saturday at the chapel of West Funeral Home with Rev. George Riter and Rev. James Drake of Hillcrest United Methodist Church officiating.

Burial followed in Sunset Gardens with Joe Carlton, Ed Scott, H. H. Hinton, Clyde Donaldson, Luke Fletcher and R. C. Johnston serving as pallbearers. Lawrence Nymyer and Troy Caviness were named as honorary pallbearers.

**Dance Benefit Scheduled**

Square dancers will fill the Scurry County coliseum on Sept. 29 when the Scurry County Senior Citizens Center sponsors a benefit square and round dance.

Callers for the squares will be Gary Shoemaker of Carrolton and Sleepy Browning of Jayton, with Don and Shirely Stephenson of Abilene calling the rounds.

Tickets will be \$3 per person and all proceeds will go to the Scurry County Senior Citizens Center.

Dancing will begin at 8 pm.

Persons wishing information about the dance may call Gloria Shaw, Senior Center director, at AC 915-573-0104.

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