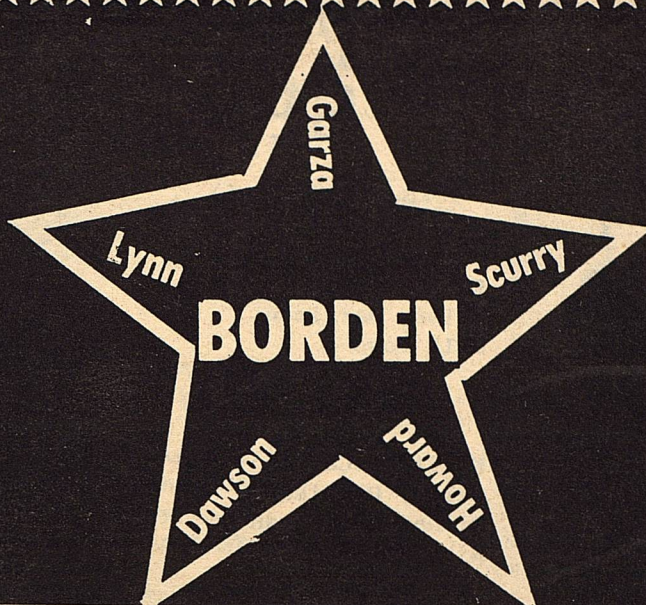


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COYOTE BAND WINS SUPERIOR RATING

The Borden County Coyote Band has returned from Dallas where they received a Superior (I) Rating at the Sandy Lake Music Festival.

There were 840 bands in attendance over a six week period with a total of 50,000 students participating.

There were three judges for the contest. Each judge gave the Borden band a division I rating. This entitles the band to be in line for the outstanding Class A Band award at

the close of the contest which is May 7th.

Following is a list of the judges and their comments:

Mr. Jim Jones, Director of Bands, Phillips University, Enid, OK. He wrote:

Good band sound
Be sure you all detach in the same style
Good balance and blend generally
Good tempo and spirit to the music
There is alot of good teaching being done here.

Keep up the good work

I'm glad you came today

I enjoyed it

The second judge was Dr. Francis McBeth, Professor of Music, Quachita University, Arkadelphia, AR. His comments were:

Good start and good ensemble sound

I appreciate the change of dynamics

Thanks for doing something with the march instead of just playing notes on a page

Thanks for coming

and for doing good teaching

The third judge was Dr. Tom Rhodes, Education Director, Band Orchestra Div., Southern Music Co., San Antonio, TX. His comments were:

Excellent stage discipline - Posture

Excellent use of dynamic contrast

Good tempo

Very good rhythmic precision and accuracy on tempo changes

Over-all balance and blend very good

Good articulation,

phasing and style

This group displays excellent teaching and fine work by conductor and students

The highlight of the performance was the presence of Chad Williams, who with Felicia Romero accepted the Division I trophy.

The trip concluded with Chad and 79 others with the band attending the Six-Flags amusement park.

AREA RESIDENT DIES

Graveside services for Dorothy Canon, 63, were held 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, May 4, at the Canon Ranch Cemetery. Rich Anderson gave a homely memorial reading at the site.

Burial was under the direction of Branon Funeral Home of Lamesa.

She died Monday morning in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

Dorothy was born in Rankin, Texas, October 23, 1924. She married Joe Canon, October 7, 1950 in Carlsbad, N.M. and was a resident of Dawson County since 1952, where she and her husband ranched. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Dorothy was an avid



DOROTHY CANON

and enthusiastic participant in the Borden County Junior Livestock Association. She was always interested in helping the young people with their animals and in watching their love for ranching and agriculture mature. She was a willing worker for the interests of Borden

County and will be missed by all who knew her.

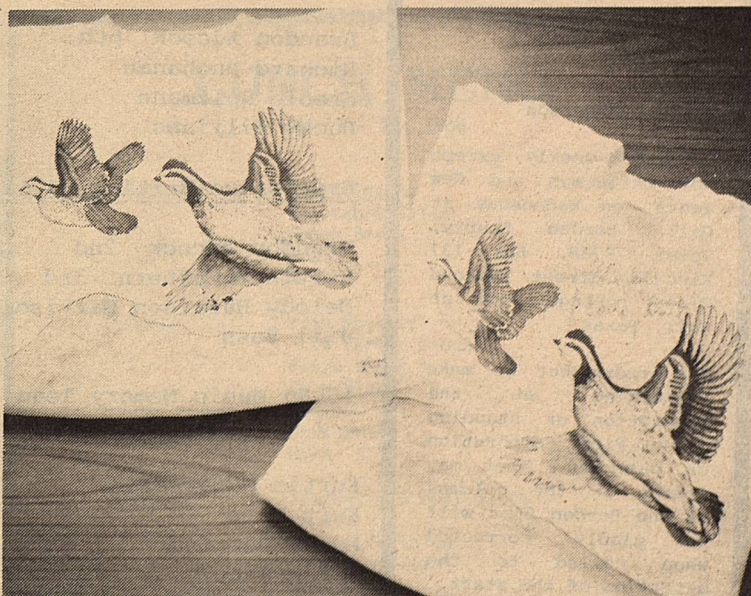
Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Terri Cheatham of Snyder; Gigi Jones of Cleburn; one son, Chuck of Borden County; one sister, Eloise Howell of Odessa; one brother, J.D. Barfield of Pecos; and four grandchildren.

SPECIAL FUND

A special Love Offering Fund has ben established at the Dempsey Gin, Route 1, O'Donnell, and Borden County School, c/o Frances Burkett, Gail, for the family of Santiago "Jimmy" Rios, Jr.

Jimmy passed away April 25th after a sudden illness.

Checks may be made payable to Sylvia Rios and Family Love Offering Fund.



GEORGE STRAIT AUTOGRAPHED SWEATSHIRTS

The Borden County Cancer Society has received two sweatshirts that have been autographed by George Strait. The sweatshirts were hand painted by Dick Powell of Post, Tx.

These shirts were donated by Cosden and were

sent to George Strait for his autograph by Kevva Anderson.

If you are interested in trying to purchase these shirts, please send a sealed bid to:

Lisa Ludecke
Box 153

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DISTRICT 6-A UIL LITERARY SPRING MEET



2nd, 3rd, and 4th. grade UIL students.

The following Elementary and Jr. High students traveled to Dawson to represent Borden County in this years UIL Literary Spring Meet.

Borden county placed 2nd. in the meet in both areas, with Klondike placing 1st.

There were 6 schools entered in the U.I.L. meet. Borden County, Klondike, Sands, Grady, Dawson and O'Donnell.

The following is a list of the students and placing in each event.

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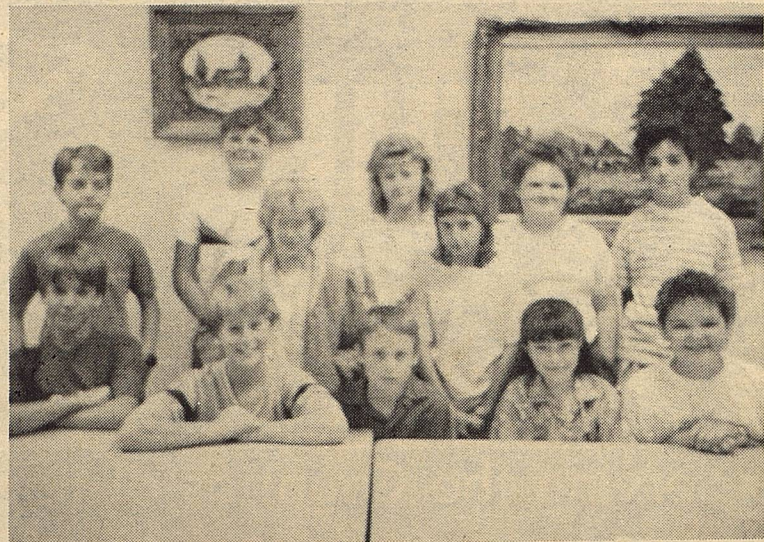
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Spelling (5-6)
Brandon Adcock 4th
Kurt Hess
Melody Harrison
Jill Voss

Number Sense (5-6)
Kurtis McCathern 3rd
Melody Harrison
Richard Buchanan
Niki Holzmann

Calculator Application (6-8)
Rich Holzmann 1st
David Buchanan 4th
Angela Evans
Jacquelyn McPhaul



5th. and 6th. grade UIL students.

Storytelling (2-3)
Shelby Isaacs 2nd
Peter Benevidez 4th
Ashli Farmer 6th
Rendee Herring

Oral Reading (K-3)
Sara Lusk 3rd
Johnnie Granados
James Nance
Reagan Smith

Spelling (3-4)
Reagan Smith 1st
Sara Lusk 3rd
Leticia Rios 6th
Peter Benevidez

Oral Reading (4-6)
Brandon Adcock 6th
Richard Buchanan
Nicole Holzmann
Bucky Williams

Expressive Writing (5-6)
Brandon Adcock 2nd
Kurtis McCathern 3rd
Melody Harrison
Jill Voss

(5-6) Music Memory Team 3rd. Place
Kurtis McCathern
Kurt Hess
Mandy Herring
Erica Nance
Mendy Hensley

(4-5) Picture Mem. Team 2nd Place
Kurt Hess
Melissa Mize
Leticia Rios
Laura Hensley

Pilot Listening (5-6)
Brandon Adcock

Science (7)
Clay Miller
Ross Hataway

Science (8)
Shara Dee Woodward 6th
Rich Holzmann
Patsy Underwood

Oral Reading (7-8)
Jacquelyn McPhaul
Shawn Lewis
Tina Blacklock
A'Lise Lloyd

Modern Oratoary (7-8)
David Buchanan
Shawn Lewis

Impromptu Speaking (7-8)
A'Lise Lloyd
Guy Zant
Kristin Monger

Number Sense (7-8)
Shara Dee Woodward 3rd
Rich Holzmann
David Buchanan
Jacquelyn McPhaul

Spelling (7-8)
Leslie Fryar 6th
Patsy Underwood 2nd
A'Lise Lloyd 3rd
Leslie Fryar 6th
Shawn Lewis

Expository Writing (7-8)
Patsy Underwood 1st
Shawn Lewis 3rd
Ross Hataway
Angela Evans



7th. and 8th. UIL students.

LUSK PLACED 3rd IN REGIONAL GOLF MEET



ERIC LUSK

Freshman Eric Lusk had a two day, thirty-six hole, total of 166 to place third at the regional golf tournament held at Levelland.

Eric was defeated by a senior from Fort Davis who had a 160 and a senior from Lorenzo who had a 163.

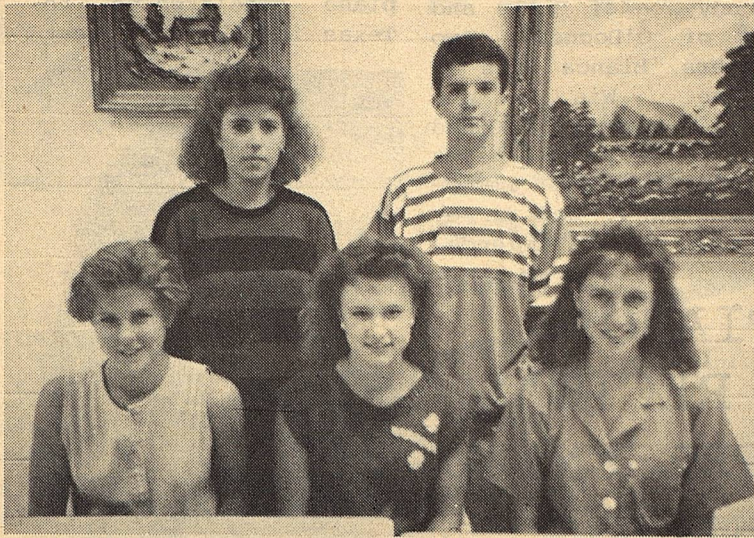
Fort Davis won the team title with Bovina edging out Vega by one stroke for the second place finish and the trip to Austin. A golfer from Vega signed the wrong score or a card which cost him two strokes, thus placing them one stroke behind Bovina.

Matt Fox, from Bovian, shot a hole-in-one the first ever recorded at Levelland in the U.I.L.

Eric had sixteen pars, one birdie, fifteen bogies, and four double bogies.

Congratulations to a fine young man.

FIFTH-SIX WEEKS



FIFTH SIX-WEEKS BETA: (Top) Julie Harris, Eric Lusk. (Bottom) Kate Phinizy, Ralynn Key, and Shelly Lewis. (Not available for picture, Cody Stone, and Rachel Romero.)

The following named high school students, grades 9-12, have achieved academic honors for the fifth six-weeks.

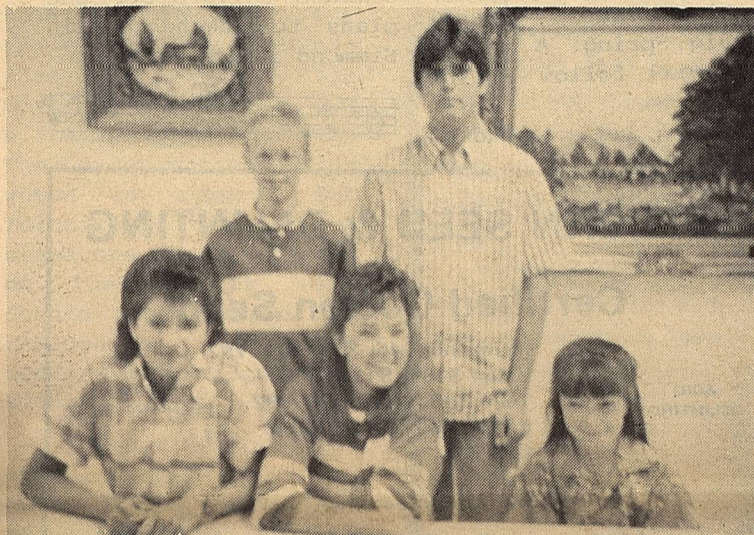
BETA

| | |
|---------------|--------|
| Ralynn Key | Gr. 12 |
| Shelly Lewis | Gr. 12 |
| Kate Phinizy | Gr. 11 |
| Julie Harris | Gr. 10 |
| Rachel Romero | Gr. 10 |
| Cody Sonte | Gr. 10 |
| Eric Lusk | Gr. 9 |

The above students achieved an academic evaluation of 90 or above in each subject.



FIFTH SIX-WEEKS HONOR ROLL: (Top) Will Phinizy, Shannon Bond. (Bottom) Amy Lewis, Kristi Adcock, and Lisa Powell. (Shane Kemper not available for picture.)



JR. HIGH HONOR ROLL: (top) Rich Holzmann and David Buchanan. (bottom) Amanda Anderson, Shara Dee Woodward, and Mandy Herring.

HONOR ROLL

| | |
|---------------|--------|
| Shannon Bond | Gr. 12 |
| Will Phinizy | Gr. 12 |
| Lisa Powell | Gr. 12 |
| Kristi Adcock | Gr. 10 |
| Amy Lewis | Gr. 10 |
| Shane Kemper | Gr. 9 |

The above students achieved an academic average of 90, with no evaluation less than 85 in a subject.

The following named elementary and junior high students, grades 5-8, have achieved academic honors for the fifth six-weeks.



JR. HIGH HONOR ROLL: (top) Patsy Underwood, Kristin Monger, Brandon Adcock, A'Lise Lloyd and Kristin Kilmer. (bottom) Jill Voss, Melody Harrison and Kurt Hess.

TABC RECOGNIZES AREA CAGERS

The Texas Association of Basketball announced their academic all-state teams last week. Ten players from across the state were chosen for this honor. Borden County's, Shannon Bond, and Loop's David Davis

was the only two Class A squad members from our area.

Congratulations go out to these young men for their excellence in the classroom and the basketball court.

HIGH HONORS

| | |
|-----------------|-------|
| Amanda Anderson | Gr. 8 |
| David Buchanan | Gr. 8 |
| Rich Holzmann | Gr. 8 |
| Shara Woodward | Gr. 8 |
| Amanda Herring | Gr. 5 |

The above students achieved an academic evaluation of 90 or above in each subject.

TRACK SEASON ENDS

Borden County's track season ended last Friday at the regional meet at Levelland. The Coyotes only representative, Shannon Bond, did not qualify for the finals on Saturday. In the preliminaries, Shannon ran an 11.5 seconds for the 100 meter dash, but it was only good enough for 4th place in his heat. Our district winner from O'Donnell, Jesse Perez, went on to win both the 100 and 200 meter dashes.



The first zipper, or slide fastener, was patented by Whitcomb L. Judson in 1893.

HONOR ROLL

| | |
|-----------------|-------|
| Kristin Kilmer | Gr. 8 |
| A'Lise Lloyd | Gr. 8 |
| Kristin Monger | Gr. 8 |
| Patsy Underwood | Gr. 8 |
| Brandon Adcock | Gr. 6 |
| Melody Harrison | Gr. 6 |
| Kurt Hess | Gr. 5 |
| Jill Voss | Gr. 5 |

The above students achieved an academic average of 90, with no evaluation less than 85 in a subject.

LUNCH MENU

May 9 - 13, 1988

| | | |
|-----------|---|-----------|
| Monday | Pizza Snacks Vegetable Salad Green Beans Fruit Milk | Salad Bar |
| Tuesday | Fish Nuggets & Tarter Sauce Pinto Beans Cole Slaw Jello Corn Bread Milk | Salad Bar |
| Wednesday | Spaghetti & Meat Sauce Cheese Vegetable Salad Fruit Cobbler Hot Rolls Milk | Salad Bar |
| Thursday | Hobo Stew Vegetable Salad Fruit Hot Rolls Milk | Salad Bar |
| Friday | Hamburgers Lettuce & Tomatoes French Fries Brownies Milk | Salad Bar |



LISA STEPHENS AND KEVIN TELCHIK

Lisa Stephens, Telchik plan August wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley E. Stephens announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lisa Gayle, to James Kevin Telchik, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Telchik of O'Donnell.

Miss Stephens is a graduate of Lamesa High School and presently attends Texas Tech University, where she is a sophomore accounting major.

Telchik is a graduate of Borden County High School and Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in accounting. While at the university, he was active in the Delta Sigma Phi fraternity. He is currently employed by Sandefer and Swinole, CPA's of Lubbock.

A wedding ceremony is set for August 13th at the Second Baptist Church in Lamesa.

ADULT LEADERS MEETING

The next Adult Leaders Association meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. on May 11, 1988 at the Courthouse, Gail, Texas.

This meeting will take place one hour before the Borden County Jr. Livestock Association meeting which will be held on this same date.

All parents, leaders and friends are encouraged to attend this meeting. Officers will need to be elected along with decisions made on fund raisers for the summer, the summer horse project and plans for the Invitational Horse

Show.

Your participation is needed and would be appreciated.

RABIES CLINIC

The Borden County Extension Program Council and Borden County 4-H'ers sponsored a Rabies Clinic on April 26 from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. at the County Livestock Barn. Dr. Charles Church was present to inoculate pets for Borden County residents. Dr. Church inoculated 22 dogs as a result of the clinic. Charge for each inoculation was \$6.00. The Rabies Clinic serves a vital purpose in the community in preventing rabies, a disease car-

ried by rodents and small animals such as skunks, dogs and cats. Residents that normally would have had to travel to Lamesa, Snyder, Post or Big Spring were able to save gas money and time by attending the clinic held in Gail.

OBITUARY

SANTIAGO

"JIMMY" RIOS, JR.

Services for Santiago "Jimmy" Rios, Jr., age 38, of Route 1, O'Donnell, were held at 4 p.m., April 27th in the O'Donnell Primera Mission Bautista with the Rev. Eloy Felan, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in O'Donnell Cemetery under direction of Branon Funeral Home.

Jimmy passed away at 10:00 a.m., April 25, in Medical Arts Hospital. The autopsy report indicated a massive heart attack was the cause of death.

Jimmy was born in Dilly, Texas. He married Sylvia Lopez on April 10, 1971, in O'Donnell. Jimmy was a ginner at the Dempsey Gin, having been employed there for 17 years. He first started as a yard boy doing odd jobs around the gin until he worked up to a ginner, 10 years ago. There wasn't a job too large for Jimmy to "tackle". If he didn't know how or what to do, he would figure out how it was supposed to be done--never giving up until he had accomplished what he had set out to do--never a quitter.

Jimmy had a great regard for his children, Jimmy Dean, Leticia, Michaelle and Lucinda and his wife, Sylvia.

Other survivors include his father, San-

tiago Rios, Sr., of Dilly; two brothers, Johnny Joe of Dilly and Sam of O'Donnell; two sisters, Blanca Ruiz of Racine, Wis., and Arcilia Moreno of Grand Prairie, other relatives outside of his immediate family, and an enormous host of friends.

piano since she was 5. She has been offered piano scholarships to Texas Tech, Southwest



JOAN WILSON

Texas State, and Hardin Simmons University. She plans to attend Hardin Simmons in the fall.



PIANO RECITAL PRESENTED

Joan Wilson will present a Senior Recital in memory of Ann Gibson Houser. The recital will be Sunday May 8, at 2:30 in the First Baptist Church Chapel in Big Spring. A reception will follow in the parlor.

Joan has studied

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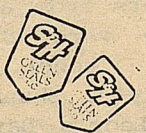
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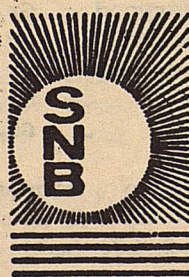
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4-H ADULT LEADERS

ASSOCIATION MEETING

MINUTES

The Borden County Adult Leaders Association met April 26, 1988 in the Borden County Courthouse District Courtroom at 7:30 p.m. with 12 members present at the meeting.

Treasurer Connie Voss reported the Association has a balance of \$1,741.00 in their account with approximately \$100 outstanding. The Horse Project Fund has a balance of \$229.42. The Leader's Association voted to appoint Pat Telchik as the second signature to be placed on the account with Connie Voss due to the resignation of the Leaders Association President.

Election of Officers was postponed until the next meeting of the Association in hopes of a larger turnout.

The possibility of the Association contributing to the turf fund was tabled. Those present wanted to try some fund raisers to support the turf fund first and then contribute if necessary to meet the turf expense. Several members were appointed to research fund raising activities. Those appointed were:

Doug Isaacs-Volleyball or sports-type tournament.

Saundra Evans-Recreation

Connie Voss-Horse Show or Play Day

Jerry Stone-team or calf roping

The next order of business was the Invitational 4-H Horse Show. It was decided to have a meeting to further discuss the organization of the 4-H Horse Show.

The South Plains Leaders Association Meeting and Luncheon will be held at Texas Tech

on May 7. The meal is Dutch treat at a cost of \$6.00. Anyone wishing to attend needs to let the County Extension Agents know before May 1.

Meeting was adjourned.

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OIL AND GAS DOCKET NO. 8A-91,903

IN RE: CONSERVATION AND PREVENTION OF WASTE OF CRUDE PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

Austin, Texas
April 11, 1988

NOTICE OF HEARING
ON THE APPLICATION OF EXON CORPORATION TO CONSIDER TEMPORARY FIELD RULES IN THE BLACKARD (SPRABERRY) FIELD BORDEN COUNTY, TEXAS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN To the public and all interested persons that under the authority of Title 3, Oil and Gas, Subtitles A, B, and C, Texas Natural Resources Code, and Chapters 26, 27 and 29 of the Texas Water Code, the Railroad Commission of Texas will hold a hearing on May 20, 1988, at 9:00 a.m. at the William B. Travis State Office Building, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas. For room assignment, on the date of the hearing please check the bulletin board located in the 1st Floor lobby. Persons planning to attend this hearing are urged to contact the applicant (see service list) immediately prior to the hearing date to be sure that the hearing will proceed on the scheduled date.

This hearing will be held to consider the application of Exon Corporation for Temporary Field Rules in the Blackard (Spraberry) Field, Borden County, Texas. Applicant plans to request the following:

- Rule 1 (Lineal Spacing): Wells should be a minimum of 1320 feet apart.
No well should be located closer than 660 feet from lease lines.
- Rule 2 (Proration Units): Proration units should be 160 acres with optional 80 acres proration units with a tolerance of 40 acres for the last well on a lease.
The maximum diagonal should be 3250 feet.
- Rule 3 (Allowable Formula) 100 percent acreage allocation.

If a continuation is necessary, this hearing will proceed at the William B. Travis State Office Building, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, and, to the extent possible, on subsequent working days. The room number and exact time of the continuation will be announced on the record in this proceeding and recorded with Docket Services, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas.

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PURSUANT TO SAID HEARING, the Commission will enter such rules, regulations, and orders as in its judgment the evidence presented may justify.

Any request for postponement of this hearing must be received no later than four (4) working days prior to the scheduled date shown above. Copies of such request must be forwarded to all parties shown on the service list.

TO APPEAR in support of or in opposition to this proceeding, a party other than the applicant must file with Docket Services, Office of the General Counsel, at least five (5) days in advance of the hearing date, a notice of intent to appear.

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Kim Williamson
Secretary

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Austin, Texas
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No well should be located closer than 660 feet from lease lines.
- Rule 2 (Proration Units): Proration units should be 80 acres with a tolerance of 40 acres for the last well on a lease.
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ASCS NEWS

By Jerry Stone

GENERIC COMMODITY CERTIFICATES

The Food Security Act of 1985 authorized certain program payments to be made on a noncash basis. Accordingly, in lieu of all or a portion of a cash payment. Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) issues commodity certificates to producers participation in government sponsored agricultural programs.

An original holder of a generic commodity certificate must choose one of the following options:

Sell or transfer the certificate to another person.

Use the certificate to redeem grain pledged as collateral for a price support loan.

Return the generic commodity certificate to the issuing county ASCS office before the expiration date stated on the certificate to receive a cash payment equal to the face value of the certificate.

Co-op members may designate an approved co-op to market commodity certificates on their behalf.

Exporters earning commodity certificates under the Export Enhancement Program or Targeted Export Assistance Program may sell or transfer the certificates to another party or exchange option available to exporters earning generic commodity certificates.

Selling or Transferring of certificates - All certificate holders have until the expiration date stated on the certificate to transfer their certificates to another party.

Because commodity certificates may become less marketable during

the final days before the expiration date, it is recommended that the seller ensure that the buyer is willing to accept the commodity certificate before the certificate is endorsed.

Exchanging Certificates for Cash - Original holders of generic commodity certificates may exchange them for a cash payment equal to the face value of the commodity certificate at the issuing county ASCS office any time between the dates shown in Block D and Block F on the face of the commodity certificate. If Block D contains "S/H" or "N/A" there is no cash exchange option available to the holder of the certificate.

Original holders of generic commodity certificates who have not endorsed the certificate prior to the expiration date may request a cash exchange for a reduced percentage of the face value of the expired generic certificate. An original holder may receive 85% of the expired generic certificate's face value during the first six months following the expiration date. An original holder may receive 50% of the expired certificate's face value during the seventh through eighteenth months following the expiration date stated on the face of the certificate. Certificates held after the eighteenth month following the expiration date become null and void.

CRP SIGN-UP

The seventh CRP sign-up has been announced for dates of July 18, 1988 through August 5, 1988. Nationally, there are about 27 million acres submitted of a desired 40-45 million acres. Any changes in CRP details will be announced when known.

FAILED ACRES

Please remember to cer-

tify and file a disaster claim (ASCS-574) prior to making disposition of any program crop. This of course would include filing before grazing out or plowing up, etc.

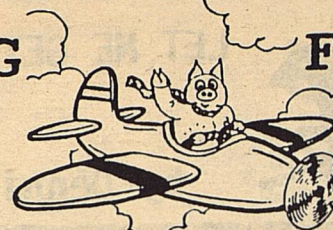
ADVANCE PAYMENTS

Advance payments were initially made in cash under the recently completed sign-up. Producers can expect to start receiving the other one half of the advance payments which will be in the form of generic certificates the latter part of May. The advance payments are 40% of the estimated total deficiency payment with 20% being cash up front and 20% in generic certificate in the latter part of May.

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AUSTIN, TEXAS 78711

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

TEXACO INC. BOX 1270 MIDLAND, TX 79702
(Company Name And Address)

has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the LOWER SPRABERRY
(Formation)

JO MILL UNIT Well Number(s) 3623 The proposed injection
(Lease)

well is located 15 MILES SW of GAIL in the JO MILL (SPRABERRY)
(Direction / Miles To Nearest Town)

Field, in BORDEN County. Fluid will be injected into strata

in the subsurface depth interval from 7090 to 7150 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/445-1373).

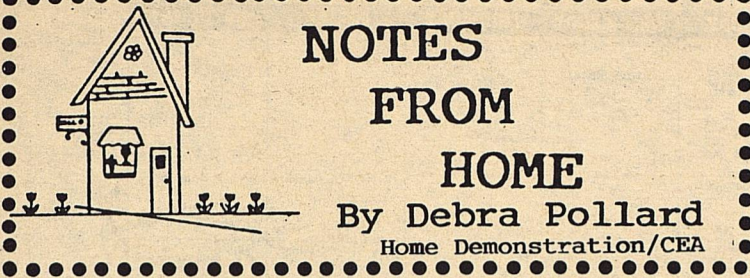


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Big Spring, Texas

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NOTES FROM HOME

By Debra Pollard
Home Demonstration/CEA

Hearing Is Important

Do you or a loved one not hear like you used to? It is possible you will answer this question 'yes.' In Texas, one person out of every twelve has a hearing problem. In our country, about 20 million people are affected.

Hearing is more important than we realize. Since we hear in stereo, our ears allow us to judge the direction of sound. It keeps us safe from danger, allows us to enjoy friends and family, and stay in touch with our world.

Help for Hearing Problems

Loneliness, isolation, bitterness and confusion are symptoms of hearing loss. A person suffering with this problem may begin to avoid social events, complain of others mumbling and keep the volume higher than normal on the television.

Modern technology makes hearing again possible. Just as a person with vision impairment understands that glasses or surgery will correct his problem, help for hearing impairment begins when a person is willing to invest the time and effort to have his problem tested, diagnosed and treated.

Most hearing problems can be helped; either medically or with a hearing aid.

How Many Types of Hearing Loss Are There?

Some people are born with a hearing defect, but more often hearing loss is caused by prolonged exposure to loud noise, a head injury or ear infection. It is a very normal part of becoming a senior citizen.

There are only two types of hearing loss; conductive and neurosensory (nerve loss). Conductive loss occurs when the eardrum or middle ear does not work properly. A build-up of wax in the ear canal, an ear infection or a punctured or scarred eardrum can cause this type of loss. Sometimes conductive hearing loss can be surgically corrected.

Nerve or neurosensory loss, the type most often associated with aging, occurs when sound vibrations are not processed correctly by the inner ear. When this happens, messages cannot be passed on to the brain and often words sound mumbled.

Usually, a hearing aid will correct this type of loss by amplifying sounds that otherwise would not be heard. Hearing aids are tailored to each person's loss. The greater the loss the more power needed in amplification.

The Hearing Evaluation

The first step in help for hearing loss is the willingness to have your hearing checked. The hearing check, called an evaluation or test, takes about 30 minutes of your time.

During the test, which is given with special equipment in a soundproofed room, you will listen with one ear at a time to a series of tones. As you respond the tones you hear will be recorded on a chart.

The second part of the test will determine the volume point at which you begin to have problems. To do this, you will be read a series of words and asked to repeat them. Following both tests your results will be evaluated. The evaluation will show the level of loudness where hearing and

understanding are comfortable.

Treatment

If the type of loss you have is determined to be conductive, surgery or other medical treatment may be needed. Some types of conductive loss and most nerve loss cannot be helped medically. Hearing aids are the most common answer for these problems.

If your hearing loss can be helped with a hearing aid, you will be shown several styles for consideration. Some types are: the behind-the-ear aid, the all-in-the-ear aid, the eye-glasses aid, and the body aid.

The specialist will show you several aids which contain custom amplification levels to compensate for those sounds you can't hear.

You will have a chance to talk and listen while wearing each aid. The professional will then counsel you about learning to hear again, and what the adjustment period will be

like.
If you would like more information on hearing loss write for the free booklet "Hard of Hearing Facts"; the Texas Hearing Aid Association, 222 North Riverside Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76111. (The Texas Hearing Aid Association is a non-profit organization dedicated to better hearing.)



Hearing loss can be due to certain drugs.

SWEAT SHIRTS

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Gail, Texas 79738
The last day to submit bids is May 13, 1988. All proceeds will go to the Borden County Cancer Society.

These shirts will be on display at the courthouse. For more information, contact Lisa Ludecke, 915/856-4386 or

915/856-4463.

Thanks again to Dick Powell, Cosden, George Strait and a special THANKS to Kevva Anderson for coordinating this

effort.

CONGRATULATIONS! Rich Anderson for submitting the highest bid on the autographed baseball.

The First National Bank - of O'Donnell

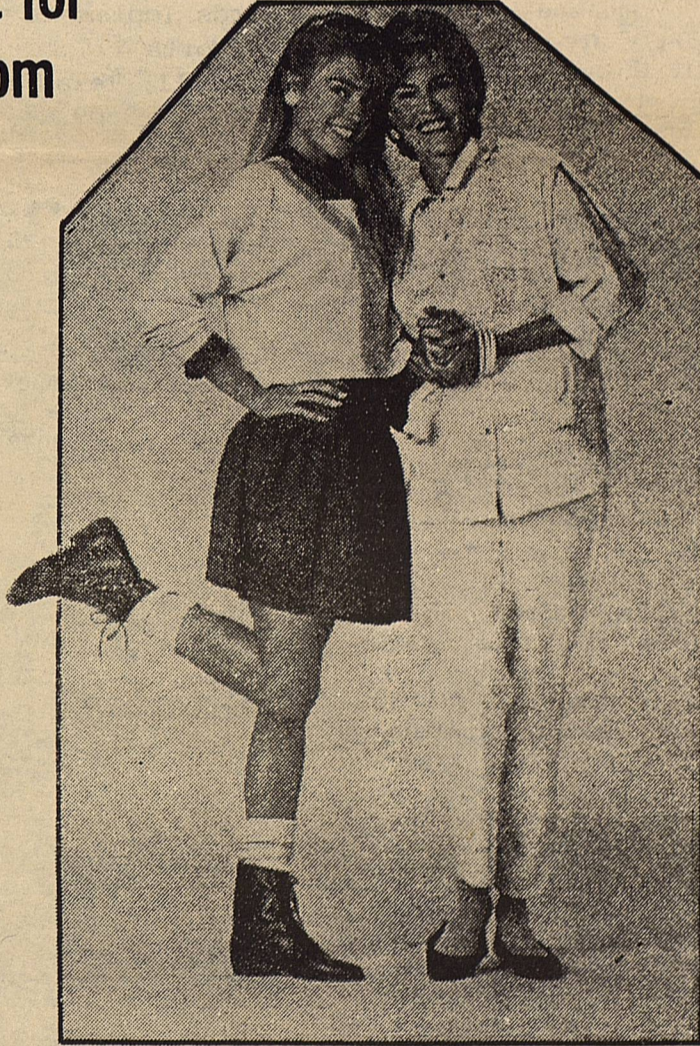
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ASCS NEWS

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1988 BEEF REFERENDUM

A beef referendum will be held on May 10, 1988. The registration and voting will take place on the same day. Voting for Borden County producers will take place at:

Borden County Extension
Agents Office
Wilbourn Ave.
Gail, Texas 79738
Voting Hours: 8 to 5

Eligible voters are:

A. Producers who owned or acquired ownership of dairy or beef cattle during the period of October 1, 1986, through March 31, 1988.

B. Importers who imported cattle, beef, or beef products during the period of October 1, 1987, through March 31, 1988.

C. Husband and wife jointly are entitled to only 1 vote which may be cast by either person, unless each person can prove to be separate producers or importers during the applicable period.

An ART SHOW
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The Foster Home Program is pleased to announce the first "Art Show by Children in Foster Homes!" The 30 piece exhibit includes art mediums from crayon to glitter and will be on display at the Permian Mall on Friday and Saturday, May 13, 14. It will also be displayed at the Highland Mall in Big Spring from Monday, May 16 through Saturday, May 21. The event is to commemorate Foster Care Month, which is the month of May.

Foster parents provide a substitute family for children whose parents need extra help with their situations and the children who would not be safe staying at home.

SCRIPTURE CORNER

"Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above not on earthly things."

Colossians 3:1-2

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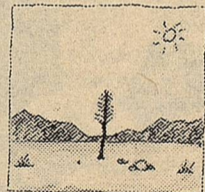
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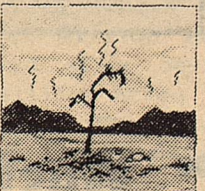
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1319 Jenkins Avenue
Suite C,
Norman, Oklahoma 73072



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Remember. Only you can prevent forest fires.

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| 1 122/244 | 2 123/243 | 3 124/242 Juniors Retake English Exit | 4 125/241 Juniors Retake Math Exit | 5 126/240 | 6 127/239 | 7 128/238 |
| 8 129/237 MOTHERS DAY | 9 130/236 | 10 131/235 Awards Banquet | 11 132/234 | 12 133/233 | 13 134/232 Area FFA Convention Pre-School Day 7-8 Grades Field Trip | 14 135/231 San Angelo Solo Ensemble Contest |
| 15 136/230 | 16 137/229 | 17 138/228 Spring Band Concert | 18 139/227 | 19 140/226 | 20 141/225 Jr.-Sr. Banquet | 21 142/224 ARMED FORCES DAY Solo Ensemble Contest-Floydada Jr. High |
| 22 143/223 Baccalaureate Service - 11:00 | 23 144/222 VICTORIA DAY (CANADA) | 24 145/221 | 25 146/220 | 26 147/219 High School Graduation - 8:00 End Semester | 27 148/218 Junior High Graduation-8:00 Teacher Workday | 28 149/217 Seniors leave on Sr. Trip (Return June 1) |
| 29 150/216 | 30 151/215 MEMORIAL DAY | 31 152/214 | | | April 1988 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 | June 1988 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 |

MAY 1988

WE WERE FIGHTING BACK

The anti-beef forces have done their best to convince Americans not to eat beef, and for a while they were successful.

But the Beef Checkoff Program has changed that. Many Americans are now eating beef more often - and enjoying it!

To keep the Beef Checkoff Program, beef producers must VOTE YES in the May 10th Beef Checkoff Referendum.

VOTE YES on May 10th
Beef Checkoff Referendum at your
Extension Office

Don't let someone else determine your future.