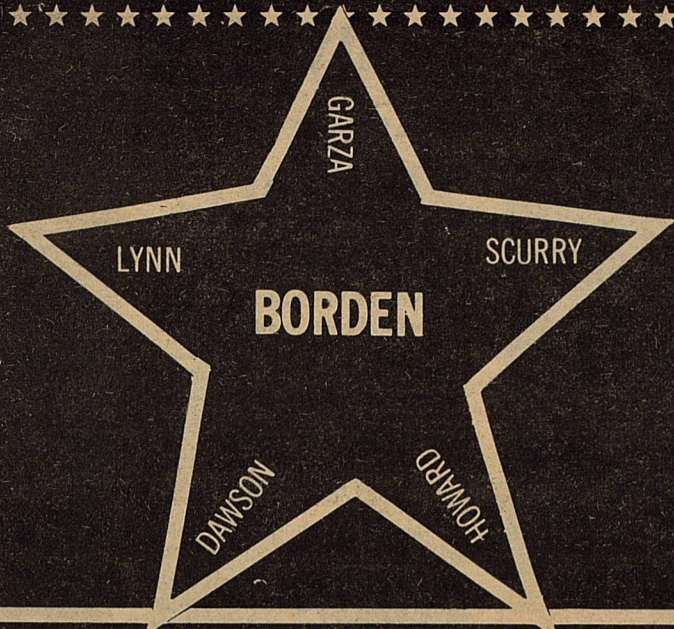


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JUDGES ATTEND STATE-WIDE SEMINAR

One hundred and fifty justices of the peace from across the state of Texas attended a 40-hour Texas justice of the Peace Training Seminar March 11-16 in San Antonio. The training center is based at Southwest Texas State University. Among the judges attending were (left to right) Judge Fred Vera, Dawson County, Prec. 1, Place 1; Judge Carolyn F. Stone, Borden County, Prec. 2; Judge Juanita Moore, Yoakum County, Prec. 2, Place 1; and Judge Lorine Basham, Gaines County, Prec. 1, Place 1.

W.T.C.

Rodeo Plans Underway

Western Texas College will host a National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association Rodeo for colleges in the NIRA's Southwest Region on April 26-28. The rodeo will be held at the rodeo arena on West 30th Street.

Terry Walls of Stephenville, one of the top amateur rodeo producers, will supply stock for the WTC rodeo. Van Rigby, rodeo advisor said that Jerry Baird from WTC will be announcer and Rick Chatman of Snyder will be rodeo clown.

Judges are to be Bob Doty and Bob Cathey, both from Big Spring. Cathey is the father of Mike and Wacey Cathey, both former students at WTC.

A dance in the pavillion on the rodeo grounds is planned on April 27-28.

Trophies will be awarded the winning men's team and women's team. Buckles will be awarded the event winners and the All-Around cowboy and cowgirl.

"We expect 300 or more contestants for the rodeo," Rigby said. They will come from colleges in the large Southwest region, these being Weatherford Junior College, Tarleton State University, Ranger Junior College, Cisco Junior College, Abilene Christian University, Hardin-Simmons University, McMurry College, WTC, Angelo State University, Howard

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Standing from left, PHIL RAGLAND, DUBB TUBB, MORRIS SEWELL, ROBERT TAYLOR and RALPH MILLER, chairman; and seated, JOHN WARD and BRENT MURPHY.

Senior Honored



VICKIE JONES

Vickie Jones, a B.H.S. senior, is the recipient of a full scholarship to Howard College.

Vickie competed against 15 applicants for a place on the Jay Hawk Cheerleading squad. She was one of four freshmen to receive ascholarship. The other two were given to upper-classmen. Veteran Jay Hawks cheerleaders were among the fifteen competitors.

Vickie, the daughter of Mrs. Betty McMurrin, has been a cheerleader at B.H.S. for 3 years. She was sponsored by Jan Parker, Borden High School Cheerleader advisor.

Plans Begin For AJRA Finals

The AJRA committee met with Snyder Chamber of Commerce last week to plan the American Junior Rodeo Association national finals.

Scurry County Coliseum has been the site for the national finals rodeo for the past 4 years.

Serving on the committee from Borden County are Brent Murphy and Ralph Miller. Others include: Phil Ragland, Dubb Tubb, Morris Sewell, Robert Taylor and John Ward.

A different approach to ticket sales will be ineffect this time. Tickets will be priced at \$3 each for adults and \$2 each for children, an increase of 50 cents over last year's figures. Also there will be no difference between the price of tickets purchased in advance and those bought at the gate.

However, local groups, such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, etc, will be invited to participate in ticket sales, with their organization to receive 10 percent of the amount their members sell.

Work will begin soon on the program for the rodeo. The AJRA committee, meeting in the chamber of commerce conference room, also heard reports on negotiations for a stock producer for this year's show and plans for holding buffalo races in conjunction with the rodeo this year.

The committee agreed to invite Jim Miller of Rapid City, S.D., to return as rodeo announcer.

Ralph Miller, chairman of the chamber's AJRA committee, presided over the Monday night session.

Ya'll Come!

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Borden County School News

Compete In Literary Meet

Students of Borden High School have been competing in U.I.L. competition this week. At press time, Borden County was leading in the Meet by 7 points. The complete results will be in next week's paper.

ONE ACT PLAY

Beginning about 2:15 p.m. March 30, the beautiful new auditorium of Klondike schools slowly started to fill with people anxious to see the District 6-B One-Act Play Contest.

The first play of the contest was Rest In Peace presented by Borden County. A Company of Wayward Saints, Sands; The Nearsighted Knight and The Far-Sighted Dragon, Dawson; Impromptu, Wellman; Double Date, Klondike; and Love Errant, Loop completed the list of plays.

After the last play, the judge, Mr. Art Cole, of the Midland Community Theater, went to a private room to make his list of winning plays and actors.

Students, parents, grandparents, teachers, and friends, listened in nervous anticipation as Mr. Mickey McMeans, District One Act Play Director from District 6-B, read the judge's decisions. They are as follows:

HONORABLE MENTION: Sara Bingham, Loop; Elona Airhart, Klondike; Jill Floyd, Sands; Marty Davis, Dawson; Clay Holcomb, Klondike; and Lisa McLeroy, Mark Walker and Perry Smith, all of Borden County.

ALL STAR CAST: Troyce Wolf, Borden County; Tony Marshall, Sands; Tammy Nichols, Sands; Diane Roberts, Dawson; Sharla Howard, Dawson; Sharralyn Holcomb, Klondike; Bert Gibson, Loop; and Darran Ancinec, Loop.

BEST ACTRESS: Trina Foshee, Loop

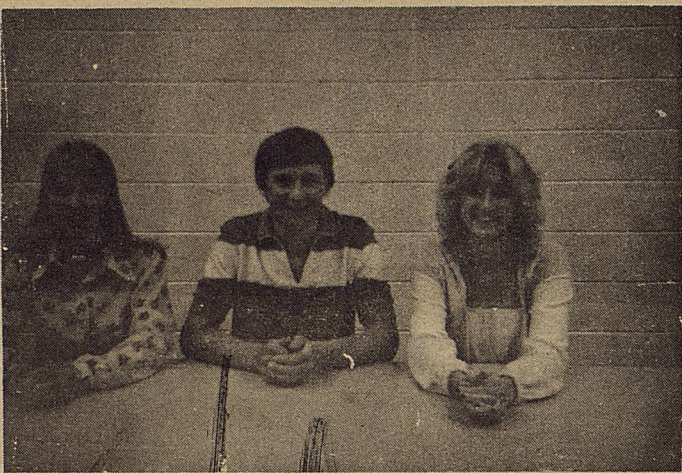
BEST ACTOR: Nathan Zant, Sands

BEST PLAYS: A Company of Wayward Saints, Sands; and Love Errant, Loop.

ALTERNATE PLAY: REST IN PEACE, Borden County. By winning 3rd place in the contest the cast and director made several points toward the District Literary Meet for their School.

After the tears of both the happiness of winning and the sadness of losing, Mr. Art Cole began to critique the plays.

He said the first thing he noticed in every play was regional speech. Mr. Cole said that when the students were being a doctor in New York, or a lawyer in Washington or an engineer in California or whatever, they should always be able to duplicate their West Texas accent but not be a prisoner of it. He gave them three samples of speech exercises to practice. They are: 1. The Light was bright and I was frightened by the light. 2. Ten men bend fenders. 3.



U.I.L. NEWSWRITING: Left to Right- Gena McLeroy, Ben Murphy, and Vickie Jones.



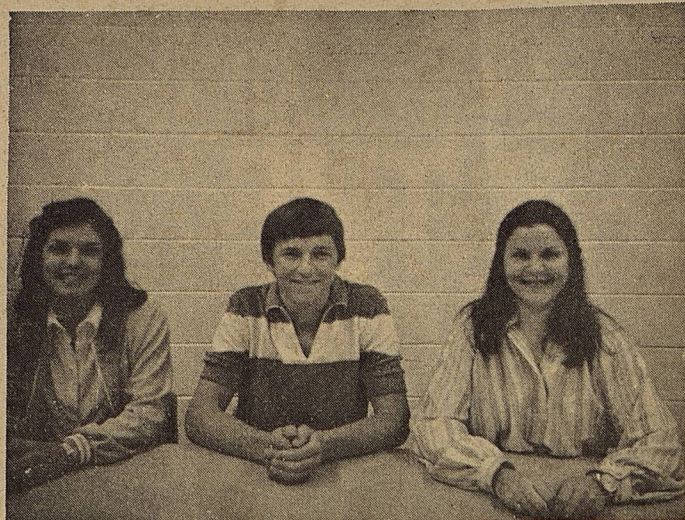
U.I.L. READY WRITING: Left to Right- Janna Love, Carla Jones, Glynda Burkett, and Gena McLeroy.



U.I.L. SCIENCE: Left to Right- Brent Rhoton, Janna Love, Glynda Burkett and Chip Smith.



U.I.L. HEADLINE WRITERS: Left to Right- Vickie Jones, Rhesa Wolf and Marquita Mennix.



U.I.L. FEATURE WRITERS: Left to Right- Talley Griffin, Ben Murphy, and Carla Jones.



U.I.L. EDITORIAL WRITERS: Left to Right- Janna Love, Vickie Jones and Carla Jones.



U.I.L. ONE ACT PLAY CAST OF "REST IN PEACE" Left to Right: Karen Williams, Tammy Telchik, Carla Jones, Lisa McLeroy, Troyce Wolf, Mark Walker and Perry Smith.



U.I.L. DEBATE: Back: Tammy Telchik and Joie Brummett, Front- Janna Love and Glynda Burkett. The team of Vickie Jones and Brent Rhoton were in Debate at the time of picture.

How now brown cow.

Next was a lack of motivation of movement. The students either moved when unneeded or did not move when needed. That would improve he said by doing the thing that was almost as important as learning lines and that was listening.

Listening to themselves and to their fellow actors. That really a play was 90% listening and 10% reaction to the listening.

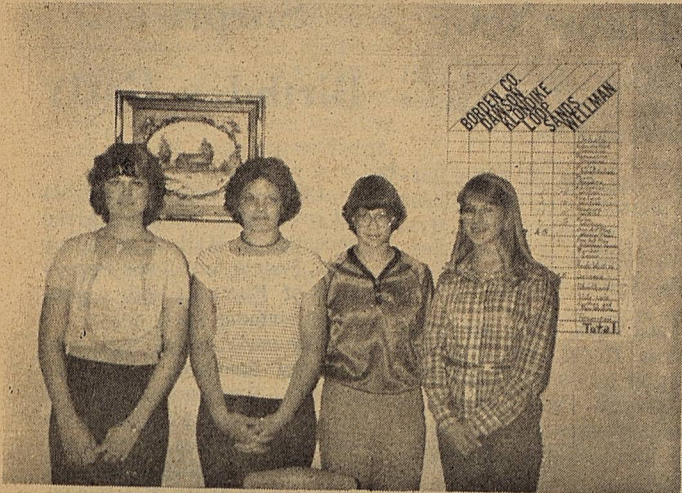
Even though all could not win, he wanted each one to consider their play a success. To continue to work hard and be back con't to page 3

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Borden County School News



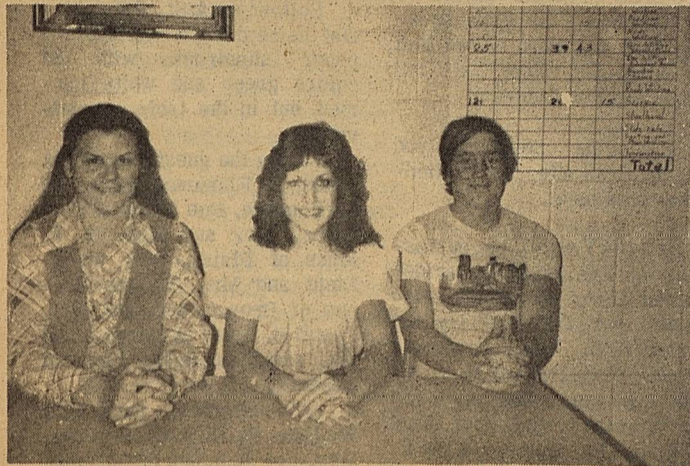
U.I.L. PROSE READING: Lisa McLeroy, Karen Williams, Heather McPhaul, and Gena McLeroy.



U.I.L. SHORTHAND: Vickie Jones.



INFORMATIVE SPEAKING: Keil Williams. Danny Holmes was time keeping for Debate Contest during picture taking.



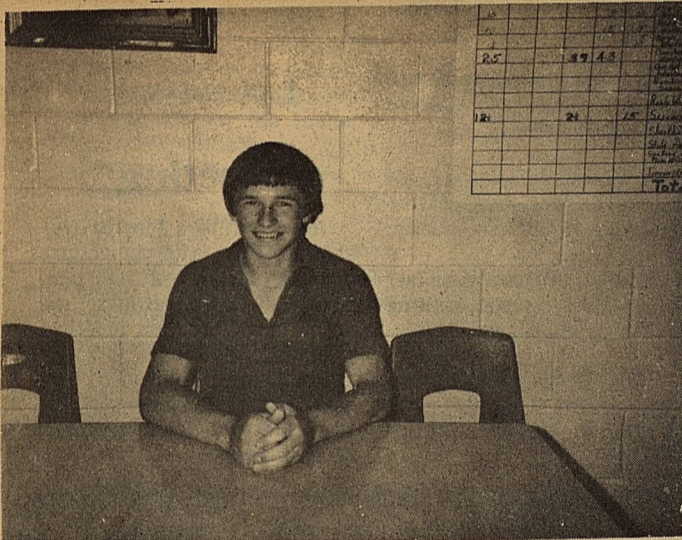
U.I.L. POETRY INTERPRETATION: Carla Jones, Rhesa Wolf, Chip Smith.

ONE ACT PLAY

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next year.
The parents, grandparents and friends enjoyed supporting the cast members and their director, Randy Roemisch, and appreciated their hard work and efforts to present their play, REST IN PEACE. The hopes of everyone are that this year's competition inspired the students to continue in their work and to be eager to participate in next year's One-Act Play Vontest.



U.I.L. PERSUASIVE SPEAKING: Mark Walker and Troyce Wolf.



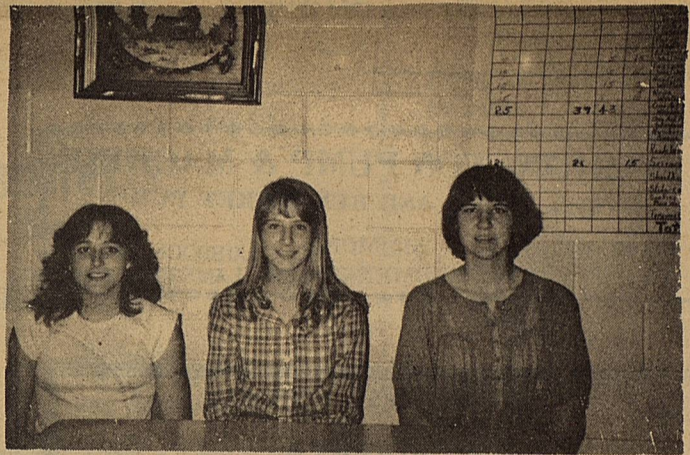
U.I.L. NUMBER SENSE: Ben Murphy, Janna Love, Glynda Burkett and Joie Brummett were in Debate at time of picture.

TENNIS MEET

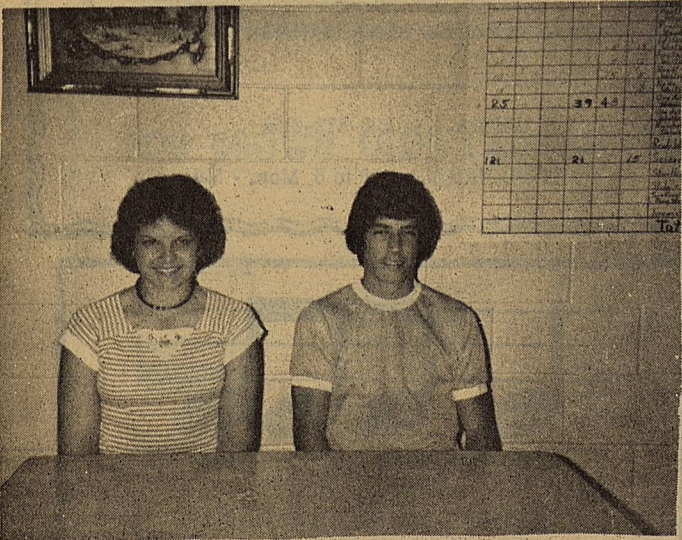
Vicki Jones placed 4th in the singles division of the girls district tennis tournament last Tuesday at Klondike. Vicki was given a first round bye and then was defeated by Sharla Howard of Dawson in the semi-finals in a match that lasted almost two hours. The final score was 7-6, 7-5.

In the doubles division, Tammy Telchik and Charla Vaughn placed 6th. They were defeated in the first round by Susan Holcomb and Sharla O'Brien of Klondike 6-1, 6-4.

In spite of the cold, windy weather, the girls played quite well and had a few breaks gone the other way, they would have placed higher.



U.I.L. SPELLING: Lisa Smith, Gena McLeroy, and Glynda Burkett. Tammy Telchik was in debate during picture taking.



U.I.L. TYPEWRITING: Karen Williams and Tim Taylor. Glynda Burkett was in Debate at time of picture taking.



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Corn Dogs with Cheese Wedge
Baked Beans
Fruit Cobbler
Milk
Salad Bar

TUESDAY
Fried Chicken
Mashed Potatoes
English Peas
Hot Rolls
Fruit
Milk

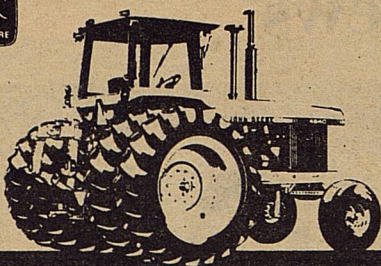
WEDNESDAY
Fizza
Vegetable Salad
Carrot Sticks
Applesauce Cake
Milk
Salad Bar

THURSDAY
Hamburgers
French Fries
Lettuce and Tomatoes
Jello
Milk

BREAKFAST
MONDAY
Cereal
Fruit Juice
Milk
TUESDAY
Muffins
Fruit Juice
Milk
WEDNESDAY
Cinnamon Rolls
Fruit Juice
Milk
THURSDAY
Toast
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Hart Shower

Connie and Carrie Hart were honored Sunday afternoon with a shower in the home of Mrs. Terry Voss. Approximately fourteen guests attended.

The centerpiece consisting of a baby potty, trimmed with ivy and miniature pink roses was the hostess gift.

Pineapple sherbet punch and cookies were served to the guest.

Kristi and Carolyn Stone and Connie Voss acted as hostess for the afternoon.

Smith Shower

Mrs. Monte Smith was honored with a baby shower Saturday in the home of Mrs. Rich Anderson.

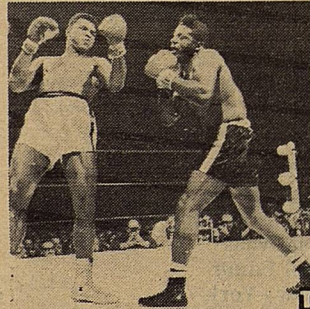
Guests were greeted by Diedre and her mother Mrs. Wilhella Tucker of Del Rio.

A family cradle which has been in Mrs. Anderson's family for four generations was set up in front of the fire place in the ranch home. It was used to hold the gifts brought to the honoree.

Carrying out the cradle theme, the serving table was centered with an arrangement of pinks and baby breath held in a white wicker doll cradle. Refreshments were served from silver and crystal appointments. Mrs. Maurine Hanks, Diedre's grandmother served.

Approximately forty guests enjoyed the afternoon tea. Assisting Mrs. Anderson as hostess were Lisa Ludecke and Eunice Yadon. Their gift to the mother and father to be was an apricot tree "as a constant reminder of the happy event."

The Greatest



Muhammad Ali, then known as Cassius Clay, is shown here scoring a smashing uppercut to the jaw of Floyd Patterson in Las Vegas on November 22, 1965.

People with films of other old fights, particularly the one between lightweight fighters Armstrong and Jenkins in 1939 or the heavy-weight fight between Louis and Burman in 1938, may be able to sell them for a good price to former handball champion Jim Jacobs, 9 East 40th St., New York, N.Y. 10016.

What's Hap-nin

Plains News

Weldon Cooley's uncle, Earl Cooley of New Home passed away March 28th.

Sunday, Dee and Willie Burrus attended a birthday dinner honoring Willie's mother, Mrs. L. D. Monroe of Sweetwater. Mrs. Monroe will be 83 April 5th.

Last week, Willie and Janice Burrus, Gera, Deen, and John Willy of Miles were in Dallas for several days. John Willy was there for his annual check-up. The doctors gave a good report.

Shorty and Bonnie Kingston are great-grandparents for the first time. The great-granddaughter was born March 29th. Grandparents are Nell and Butch Scott of Lamesa.

Katherine Stephens and Shayne Hess attended the Klondike track meet.

Shawna Vaughn, Becky Masingill, and Simona Benavidez helped Shana Bradshaw celebrate her 12th birthday on March 28th. The honoree and guests were treated to birthday cake and cokes upon arriving home from school. That evening they enjoyed a meal at the Pizza Hut in Lamesa and attended the showing of Heaven Can Wait. Shana's mother, Nita and Dot Smith accompanied the girls.

Dorothy Floyd of Welch was a guest of Ralph and Waldine Martin on Saturday.

We want to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Royce McLaury, Mayme and Tracy to our community.

Vernon Creighton spent last week at Paris, Texas visiting Bo, Whiz, Quint, and Cristy.

Randy Ogden tied for 3rd and 4th place in the 2nd go of Calf roping at the Lubbock ABC rodeo.

Surprise

Birthday Party

Relatives and friends from all over West Texas gathered recently at Midland to honor Mrs. Fannie Lee Jones Perryman of Fluvanna with a surprise birthday party.

The party, which began with a buffet luncheon, was given by Mrs. Perryman's children and their families. The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Perryman of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Mills of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cox of Round Rock.

Following a St. Patrick's Day theme, decorations included paper shamrocks with the colors green and white carried out in the table appointments.

Among the guests were Dick Jones of Fluvanna, father of the honoree, Don Jones of Fluvanna, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones of Plains, Mrs. R. K. Field and Mrs. Tommy Burrus of Bronco, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Jones of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones of Lubbock.

Also attending were Mrs. Wallace Phillips of Lubbock, Mrs. Joe Jennings of Lorenzo, James McAllister of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bedford of Midland.

Livestock

Meeting

There will be a general livestock meeting in the agriculture building April 10 at 7:30 p.m.

All interested persons are urged to attend this meeting. Business will consist of a discussion about the rodeo; the prize money will be set; and the Livestock Show will also be discussed.

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Gottings

Talk about PERCS -- have you heard of the latest attempt? Seems concurrent bills have been introduced into congress which will give congressmen a \$50 a day tax deduction. Yessir--\$50 a day for each day in session, including weekends, recesses of 4 days or less and days spent in committee hearings even tho the full congress is not in session. That's an average tax saving for representatives and senators of \$4,600. This saving to congressmen will cost US \$2.5 million a year in lost income tax revenues. Now y'all know those same congressmen aren't going to cut government spending by \$26,750 (535 X \$50) a day. And it isn't hard to figure out who will make up the difference -- either in direct taxation, hidden taxes or inflation.

The reason given for such a bill is that those same congressmen must of necessity live in Washington, D. C. Capitol City is expensive--so in order to offset the cost of living (it up) there, the politicians feel they are entitled to a break--an incentive to serve --a PERC. Nor is this the first tax break granted congressmen. Since 1952, they have been entitled to a \$3,000 deduction for the cost of maintaining a "second home" in Washington or environs.

It wasn't but 2 years ago that congress voted themselves a \$12,900 annual pay raise--bringing their salary now to \$57,500. They seem to be suffering from the effects of inflation same as US folks in the hinterlands--plus their own extravagance in the matter of spending public funds. The difference is that they will vote themselves tax deductions while we futilely try to stretch our inflated salaries to buy what lower salaries of two years ago bought. In effect they are doing what should be done for all--indexing. Let's say you were in the A income tax bracket, you receive a cost of living pay

raise which put you in the B tax bracket. Now you are paying more in taxes percentage wise than you received in pay increase, therefore, your spendable income is less. Indexing works this way. The A tax bracket receives a 10% pay increase. But at the same time the break between A and B brackets floats -- yes, you pay more taxes, but not by percent, and therefore, you have more spendable income and Uncle Sam has more tax revenue. Good deal -- but let's let everyone in on it.

Back to Washington and its high cost of living. No place is cheap anymore, but I will concede that D. C. is right steep. But there is a reason. It is a city of high density federal employees who are parasites. A parasite is one whose paycheck or benefit money comes out of the pockets of the tax-payer producers. Producers are those who work for a living in jobs which produce useful commodities or services which in turn provide growth to an economy. So you see those federal employees and congressmen are not providing any growth but are living off those who do. Furthermore, the wasteful shelling out of the tax-payer producers money contributes to the high cost of living in parasite city, most particularly, as well as any other town, city or burg.

Isn't it funny -- last fall every representative and those senators running were skampering all over their districts shouting "fiscal responsibility". They had heard loud and clear that all of US wanted tax relief, less spending (inflation). So what do they do--run back to their second home, get with their tax man just before April 15 and find out their taxes are too high. Simple -- grant more deductions -- without a roll call vote -- who is to know. After all, it is a sacrifice to have to live in parasite city and worry about how to spend the money sent in by all of US producers.



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Events will be bareback riding, saddle bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, team roping, barrel racing, goat typing and break-away roping. Both men and women may enter the team roping.

Area rodeo fans are invited to attend the rodeo performances and tickets will be available at the gate. A highlight of the final evening will be a drawing for half a beef, with donations of \$1 or more entitling the donor to a ticket for the drawing.

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Spring is with us. With so much grassland in this area, we need to be constantly on the look-out for rattlesnakes. It is a good idea to know what to do should someone around you be bitten.

CORRECT FIRST - AID FOR SNAKE BITE

Practice correct first-aid procedures for snake bite.

The old method of cutting on or near the bite and suctioning blood is often ineffective and sometimes dangerous.

Sometimes the snake bite isn't poisonous at all--either because it was a nonpoisonous snake or, if the snake was poisonous venom was not injected.

In these cases the cut-and-suction method is not needed and, when used, could cause other problems such as infection and cut tendons.

The correct first-aid procedure is:

1. Calm down the snake-bite victim. The more immobile the victim is kept, the less circulation is increased.
2. Apply wide constricting bands, both above and below the wound. These constricting bands are NOT tourniquets. Apply the bands loose enough to allow a finger to slide under easily.
3. Lower the bitten limb. This will also help slow circulation.
4. Clean the area thoroughly using soap and water, alcohol or an antiseptic solution. Some poison may remain on the skin, so clean the bitten area to prevent absorption.
5. Use cold compresses to cool the area of the bite to help decrease circulation rate.
6. Do not give the victim coffee, alcohol or other stimulants--this can increase circulation.
7. Take the victim to a medical facility for treatment. Snake-bite prevention is, of course, the most effective way to avoid any problem. Remember to wear protective clothing when out in "snake" areas. Also, walk carefully and look before reaching.

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Clothing Leaders Workshop

Volunteers interested in helping with the 4-H Clothing Project met in the Conference Room of Borden High School, Thursday and Friday for a workshop.

Through games, group discussions, visuals, and group projects the leaders learned about a child's self concept and the art of teaching a child. The leaders also enjoyed making sample items to be used in the Clothing group.

Leaders attending the meeting were Carol Bagley, Ollie Holmes, Terry Smith, and Connie Voss. The group elect-

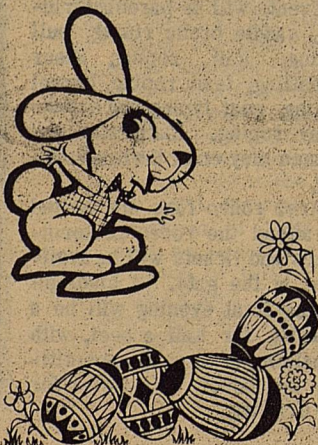
ed Terry Smith to be the project Chairman.

If anyone is interested in helping finance the project all contributions will be appreciated. Please contact one of these ladies or the County Extension Office.

WORKSHOP

Martha Couch will conduct a Record Book Workshop for all parents and 4-H'ers interested in learning about record books. This will be held in the cafeteria beginning at 10:00 April 7. Please bring a sack lunch and plan on staying until 2:00.

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News

By JERRY STONE

WHEAT HAYING AND GRAZING PROVISIONS APPROVED

The provisions to graze or hay wheat planted for harvest have been approved. Under this program, farmers may graze or cut hay on wheat acreage equal to a maximum of 40% of their total intended planting of wheat, feed grain, and upland cotton, or 50.0 acres, whichever is larger. There will be no advance payments or minimum payment guarantee as was the case in 1978. However, the acreage will be eligible for deficiency payment should there be one in 1979, and if there is a deficiency payment the acreage will earn an additional payment equal to the 1979 wheat deficiency payment. Wheat deficiency payments will be required if the average market price during the months of June thru October fall below the target price. Wheat haying and grazing acres will not require set-aside, but you will be required to comply with the NCA established for the farm.

livestock feed program

All applications under the Livestock Feed Program will expire March 31, 1979. Producers with applications are requested to submit receipts for feed purchases as soon as possible. The crop year for the Livestock Feed Program will end April 30, 1979. If you have suffered a substantial loss in the amount of feed normally produced, have insufficient feed on hand, and you are making purchases of feed in quantities larger than normal, you should file an application for assistance to cover the period from April 1, to April 30, 1979.

PROGRAM SIGN-UP

The sign-up period for the 1979 Wheat, Feed Grain, and Cotton Program is now in progress. April 30 is the final date to file your intention of participate.

FOREIGN INVESTORS MUST REPORT FARMLAND OWNERSHIP

Aliens who owned land February 1, 1979, must report ownership by August 1, 1979. Those acquiring land after February 1, must report the transfer within 90 days. Failure to report could result in a fine of up to 25% of the property's market value.

CERTIFICATION

May 1, 1979, is the final date to certify wheat and barley acreage.

LONG-TERM AGREEMENTS (LTA)

If you are interested in a long Term Agreement, please contact this office for further information by April 30.

NON-DISCRIMINATION

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



MRS. BILL ANDERSON

Disco Dancer Watch Out!

Pictured above is Mrs. Bill Anderson kicking up her heels at a Pirates Dance on board the "Noble Prince," a Caribbean cruise ship. This picture was taken two weeks ago.

Brookie, my fantastic mother-in-law, is living proof of where your research dollars go from the American Cancer Society. She has had and conquered five primary cancer lesions. She has been taking chemo-therapy treatments for the past two years to control the sixth lesion and there you see her doing the Disco! Brookie is 78 years old and can out walk, out dance, and out

sing Rich or me anytime!

She has always been one of my strongest competitors in the Waltz contest at our Annual Crusade Barn Dance. From the looks of this picture, her grandchildren and all other "young" folks better start practicing their "Modern" dance steps for this Friday night.

The dance contests will be held through out the night at the Cancer Crusade Barn Dance to the tune of Hoyle Nix.

So choose your partner and we'll see you at the barn in Gail at 9:00 p.m. B.C.A.

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SOUTH PLAINS FARM SHOW

Exhibits and special events for men and women, young and old, will be featured at the second annual South Plains Farm Show, Thursday-Saturday, April 5-7, in the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center and Coliseum.

The Farm Show brings to the South Plains the largest display of new farm implements and equipment ever assembled in the area. Millions of dollars worth of the latest farm machinery will be on view, free of charge, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Civic Center.

A special addition to this year's show will be Lubbock's first indoor invitational tractor pull. Top modified tractors and 4-by-4 trucks will roar down the track in the Coliseum at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday, April 6 and 7.

Tickets for the tractor pull are now on sale at Hemphill-Wells and at Furr's Family Center ticket offices in Lubbock or from Civic Lubbock, Inc., P.O. Box 5486, Lubbock.

Other features of the three-day exhibition include a public forum on farm financing, a fashion revue featuring apparel created locally from materials of natural fibers, a special day saluting the Future Farmers of America, a state championship micro-mini tractor pull, and a special computer program to help families discover possible problems in their budgeting. All of these events are free.

The Farm Forum, at 10:15 a.m. Thursday, April 5, in the Civic Center banquet hall, will have as its theme, "Money for the Farmer--Where It Will Come From and Where It Will Go." Speakers will be Tom Benson, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, and Dr. Ron Knutson, Extension specialist in economics and marketing policy at Texas A&M University, College Station.

At 2 p.m. Thursday, in the Civic Center theater, the Natural Fibers Fashion Revue will be staged. Seamstresses from throughout West Texas,

Oklahoma, and New Mexico will compete for hundreds of dollars in prizes. They will display garments they have made of fabrics which are at least 50 percent wool, cotton or mohair.

Friday, April 6, will be FFA Day. Chapters from high schools throughout the area will be special guests at the exhibition and will receive lunch.

The micro-mini tractors--scale models powered by model airplane engines--will match mechanical and driver skills at 1 p.m. Friday and Saturday in the Civic Center auditorium. At stake are trophies and point standings in sanctioned state competition.

"Dollar Watch," the computer analysis of family financial plans, will be conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. each day of the show.

The Farm Show and Tractor Pull are sponsored by the Southwest Hardware and Implement Association with the Extension Service, Lubbock Chamber of Commerce and Texas Tech University.

COUNTY AGENT SAYS

The 1979 State 4-H Roping School will be held June 17-21 in Stephenville, Texas. The school will be held at the Burrus Indoor Arena on the west side of town and is open to 4-H members 14 and older who desire to learn more about roping and will put this knowledge into practice to help others in the county.

The cost of the school will be \$75.00 for the week. This will include group insurance, meals, lodging, stall rent for the horses and will cover the cost of practice calves used in the teaching process itself. The meals will be taken in the Tarleton State University Dining Hall and students will be housed in the Tarleton State University Dormitories. For more information regarding the school please contact the County Extension Office. Applications are due Wednesday, April 25, 1979.

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Borden County Commissioners Court will offer for sale at public auction at 10:00 a.m. on April 23, 1979 at the Borden County Courthouse in Gail, Texas the following:

Tract #1 consisting of lots #2, 4, 8, 10, and 12 in

Block 36 of the original townsite of Gail

Tract #2 consisting of lot #9, Block #41 of the original townsite of Gail.

The Commissioners Court will not consider bids of less than \$100 per lot.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT

/s/ Jim M. Burkett

County Judge
Borden County

Notice

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 0.359 miles of Replace Bridge & Approaches at Colorado River, 5.5 miles north of FM 1785 on Highway No. FM 669, covered by CSBR 558-3-13, in Borden County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 a.m., April 17, 1979, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of Billy E. Vernon, Resident Engineer, Snyder Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin.

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Ambulance News

EMERGENCY AMBULANCE NEWS

Please don't forget that the E.M.S. is having another meeting to practice on the use of the new Thumper Machine which they have just acquired for the ambulance. 16 were present for the last meeting. Please try to double that number this time and try your best to attend. The meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 11th at the new cafeteria in the high school building at 7:00 p.m.

Memorials since last publication:

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green & sons in memory of Mrs. Lucy Ogden
Billy Wills in memory of Mr. W.F. Mathis of Fluvanna, Tex.
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See you April 11, 1979 at 7:00 P.M. for the Meeting.

/s/ Fran Bennett

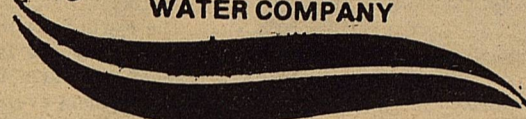
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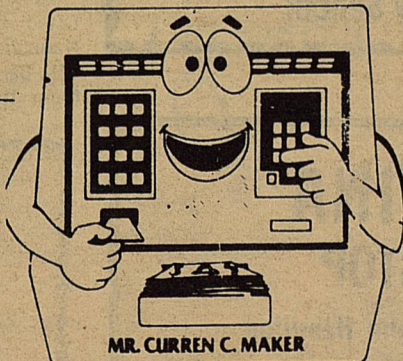
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Obituaries

GEORGE PARKS

George Parks, 74, died at Jayton where he had been residing in the home of a daughter.

Funeral service was held at 3 p.m. Sunday at the East Side Church of Christ where he was a member. Sam Kitching, minister, officiated, and burial was in the Snyder Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

A native of McCulloch County, he was married on April 11, 1925, in Snyder to Izora Hodges. She survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Bonnie Goswick of Jayton; two sons, Edwin Parks of Snyder and Martin Parks of Fluvanna; three sisters, Ella Taylor, Laura Rollins and Esther Dabbs, all of Snyder; four brothers, Steve Parks of Hico, Gray, Joe and G. W. Parks, all of Snyder; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

E.L. COOLEY

Services for E. L. Cooley 72, of New Home was 2 p.m. Friday in New Home Methodist Church with the Rev. Reta Richards, pastor, officiating, assisted by Glen Gray, minister of New Home Church of Christ.

Burial followed in Tahoka Cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

Cooley died at 3 p.m. Wednesday in his home. Justice of the Peace Ed Hamilton ruled the death a suicide.

A native of Sherman, he attended school in Hillsboro and moved to Lynn County from Anson in 1938. He was a retired farmer.

Cooley married Izora Mae (Ode) Moore July 17, 1933 in Ballard. He was a member of the New Home Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife;

three sons, Burl Leo of Maple, Joe Earl of Arlington, and Charles William Stanford of Milsap; a daughter Martha Pearl Miller of Big Spring; two sisters, Faye O'Neal of Glendale, Ariz., and Jewel Thomas or Oracle, Ariz.; three brothers, B.K. of O'Donnell, J. D. of Abilene and C. J. of Houston; and 11 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Wayne Poer, Donald Hancock, Gene Eades, Stewart Rice, Jimmy Kieth and Wendell Morrow.

FOWLER MATHIS

Fowler Mathis, 83, long-time resident of Fluvanna, died at 11:50 a.m. Tuesday at his home.

A native of Williamson County, Mr. Mathis had lived in Fluvanna since 1914. He was a stock farmer.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Fluvanna United Methodist Church. The Rev. Carl Nunn and the Rev. Wayland Dowden officiated. Burial was in the Fluvanna Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Mathis was married on Oct. 2, 1919, at Fluvanna, to Mildred Boren. She survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Faye Hurley of San Antonio; a son, Orval Mathis of Fluvanna; a sister, Mrs. Fern Garlington of Mission; two brothers, F. M. Mathis of El Campo and H.M. Mathis of Lake Charles, La.; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

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