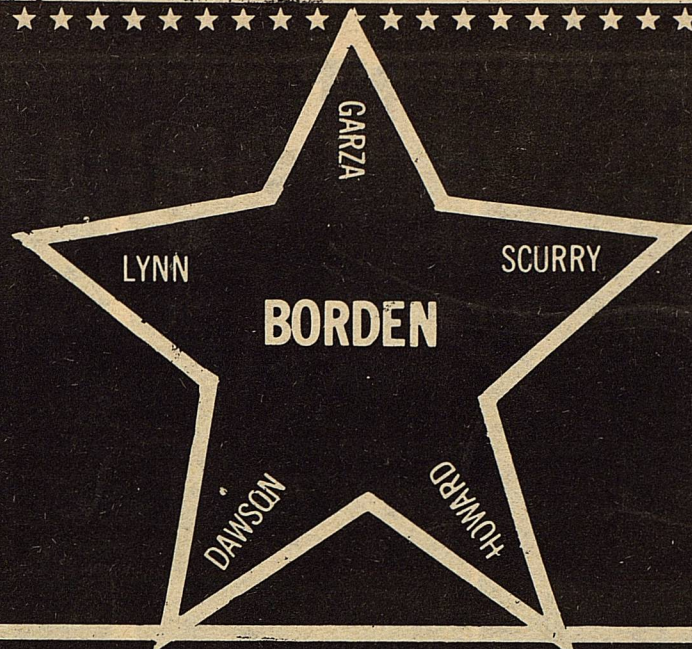


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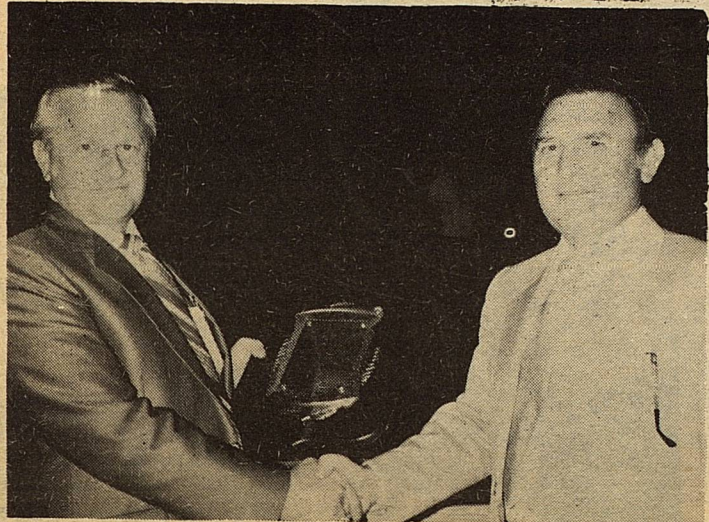
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James McLeroy, Superintendent of Borden County Schools, presented the U.I.L. District Trophy to Mr. Mickey McMeans, High School Principal. Mr. McMeans received the plaque in behalf of the students who participated in the University Interscholastic League District Contest last week. This win made the eleventh consecutive win for Borden County.

Borden wins eleventh

consecutive literary meet

The District VA U.I.L. Literary competition was held in Loop, Texas on March 30, 1982. Borden County placed first for the eleventh consecutive year with a score of 212 points. Loop was second with a score of 92 points.

Points in each U.I. L. event are as follows:

Debate: 1st place-Marquita Menix and Chip Smith; 2nd Place--Jeanette Massingill and Nancy Martinez; 3rd place-Samantha Porter and Becky Massingill.

Editorial Writing: 1st Place-Doug Love and 4th Jennifer Wilson

Feature Writing: 1st Place-Jennifer Wilson, 4th place Jeanette Massingill and 5th place, Kelli McPhaul

Headline Writing: 1st Place-Becky Massingill; 2nd place-Marquita Menix and 5th place Samantha Porter

Typewriting: Third Place-Jennifer Wilson and

6th place Roscoe Massingill Shorthand: 1st place-Gena McLeroy and 3rd Place-Terrie Moreno

One Act Play: Honorable Mention--Jennifer Wilson and Tammy Miller

Readywriting: 5th Place-Gena McLeroy

Prose Interpretation: 1st Place-Gena McLeroy, 3rd Place-Shana Bradshaw and 5th Place-Kim Wills

Persuasive Speaking: 2nd Place-Glen Gray

Poetry Interpretation: 1st place-Jennifer Wilson and 6th Place-Tanya Hollis

Informative Speaking: 1st Kay Copeland and 2nd Lisa Smith

Calculator: Doug Love 6th.

Spelling: 2nd Place, Roxie Wolf and 3rd Place, Samantha Porter

Science: 5th Place, Keith Williams.

Students who placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd qualified to participate in regional competition. These students are Doug Love,

Con't

History of egg decorating

Eggs have played a significant role in the course of history. The ancient Egyptians, in one of their creation myths, believed the universe was created from an enormous egg. They even hung eggs in their Temples! Throughout the world, the egg became a symbol of fertility. In Rome, pregnant women were eggs around their necks to ward off evil. Eggs were planted along with seeds to insure a healthy and plentiful harvest.

Spring, a time of rebirth, is a time of many festivals. The egg had its own position in many of them. As far back as 722 B.C., the Chinese were decorating eggs for their spring festival. It is known that a Chinese lord gave painted eggs to his people as gifts. The Persians gave gifts of dyed and gilded eggs at their feast for the beginning of the religious year.

Since their exodus from Egypt, the Jews have had an egg on their Seder plate during the Passover

holiday symbolizing rebirth. The egg may have been introduced into Christianity at the Last Supper.

Different areas of the world offer various traditions concerning eggs. The Eastern Orthodox dye eggs red for birth, blood and rebirth. In Poland eggs are dyed several colors to commemorate legend that Mary boiled eggs in different colors to amuse Jesus as an infant.

In Bohemia, they
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Barn dedicated at Texas Tech center

A way of life that helped "shape the distinctive civilization of the United States" was celebrated Saturday at the Ranching Heritage Center here with the dedications of the 6666 Barn, a flagpole monument and a harp.

Also accepted on behalf of the center at the Museum of Texas Tech University were a salt trough once used on the Hank Smith Ranch near Crosbyton and a snubbing post from the Nance Ranch near Justiceburg.

In dedicating the flagpoles to the memory of Claude S. Denham, historian Ernest Wallace recalled the cattleman's "unique and romantic" ways of life.

"Its major characteristics," he said, "included the handling of large numbers of cattle on horseback; long and dangerous cattle drives to the northern and western markets and new ranges; hard and dangerous work for the menfolk, and dredgery, hardship and lonely isolation for the womenfolk."

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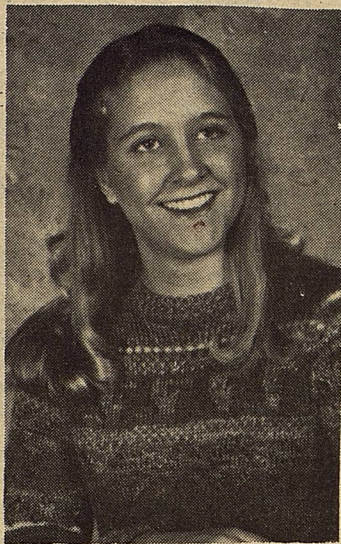


RANCH HISTORY-Four persons closely involved in Texas Tech University's Ranching Heritage Center and who attended dedication ceremonies Saturday for the 6666 Barn and other items are, standing left to right, John R. Rich, Anderson, chairman of the RHV; J. Gibson, manager of the 6666 Ranch; Harold P. Bo' Brown, president of the RHC; and seated, Mrs. Pauline Denham, widow of cattleman Claude S. Denham.

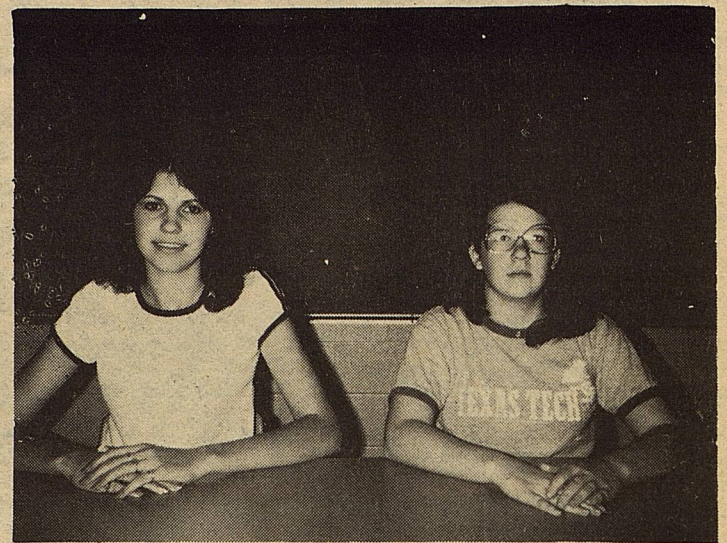
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Gena McLeroy-1st and Terrie Moreno-3rd place



Jennifer Wilson
1st in Poetry Interpretation
and 3rd in Typewriting.



Spelling
Roxie Wolf-2nd place and Samantha Porter, 3rd place.

BORDEN HAS SIXTEEN REGIONAL QUALIFIERS IN U I L



Debate
Left to right in teams-Chip Smith and Marquita Menix-1st place; Jeanette Massingill and Nancy Martinez; 2nd place and Samantha Porter and Becky Massingill-3rd place

LITERARY

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Jennifer Wilson, Becky Massingill, Marquita Menix, Chip Smith, Jeanette Massingill, Nancy Martinez, Samantha Porter, Roxie Wolf, Kay Copeland, Lisa Smith, Glen Gray, Gena McLeroy, Terri Moreno, Tammy Miller and Shana Bradshaw

"Friends have all things in common."
Plato

"Talk sense to a fool, and he calls you foolish."
Euripides



One Act Play
Jennifer Wilson-3rd from left and Tammy Miller-4th from left received Honorable Mention recognition in the District One Act Play contest. Also pictured are Coach Roemisch, Gena McLeroy and Kim Wills.



The real title of Whistler's portrait of his mother is "Arrangement in Gray and Black."

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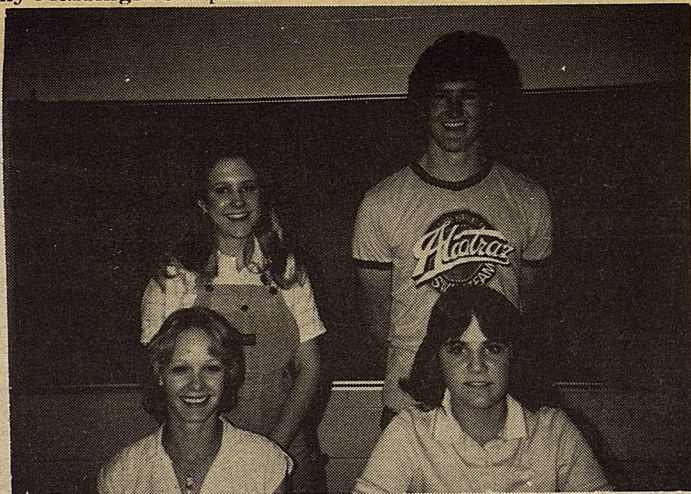
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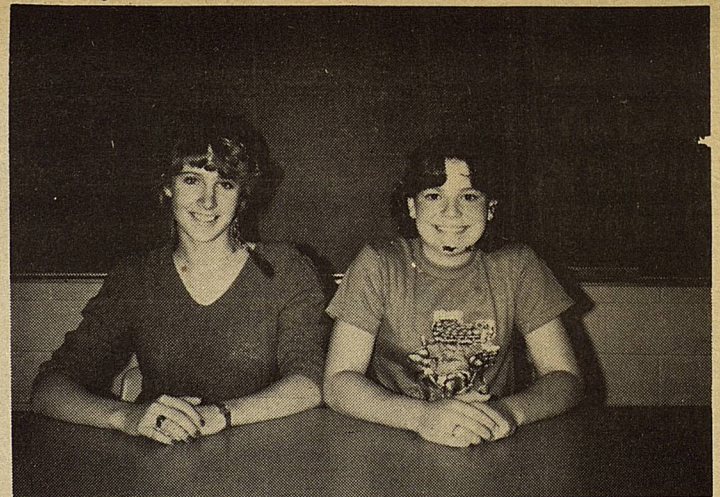
Writing Events

Back-Jennifer Wilson-1st in Feature; Doug Love- 1st in Editorial Writing. Front-Marquita Menix 2nd in Headline Writing and Becky Massingill 1st in Headline Writing

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Gena McLeroy 1st place and Shana Bradshaw 3rd place.



Speaking Contest
Informative Speaking-Kay Copeland-1st; Persuasive Speaking-Glen Gray-2nd and Lesa Smith 2nd in Informative

BORDEN COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

JUNIOR HIGH DISTRICT TRACK MEET

The Borden Junior High girls scored 54 points Monday at Wellman in the district track meet. Mary Washington placed 2nd in three individual events and anchored the 2nd place 400 meter relay team. Mary was second in the long jump (14'8"), 100 (14.04), 200 (28.73) and the 400 meter relay (57.76). Mary had the fastest qualifying time in both the 100 (13.64) and 200 (29.1). Teri Billington finished 4th in the high jump, 5th in the 100 meter hurdles (20.36), 2nd in the 400 meter relay and 4th in the 1600 meter relay. Cathy York was on the 2nd place 400 meter relay and the 4th place 1600 meter relay. She also placed 4th in the 100 Meter hurdles (20.15). Shelly Lewis failed to place in the 800 meter, even though she ran a career best time of 3:22.96. Ralynkey

ran on the 2nd place 400 meter relay team and on the 4th place 1600 meter relay team. She also ran the 100 meters (14.5) triple jumped (27'11"), and high jumped (4'2"). Kim L Turner ran the 100 meters (14.86), 200 meters (31.92) and on the 4th place 1600 meter relay. Delane Eppers ran in the 200 meters (33.42).

Sands won the district title with 107 points and Loop was second with 99.



Jeanette Massingill
Regional Track Qualifier

MASSINGILL WINS 800 METERS

Jeanette Massingill scored 16 of Borden County's 20 points at the Girls District Track Meet Monday at Wellman. Jeanette placed first in the 800 meters with a time of 2:41.94. She also placed third in the 1600 meters with a time of 6:37.77. Her win in the 800 qualifies her to run at the Regional Track

Meet in Levelland on April 23-24.

The 800 meter relay team accounted for Borden's other points as they finished fifth with a time of 2:16.18. Running for Borden was Nancy Martinez, Simona Benavidez, Jeanette Massingill, and K'anya Hollis.

CHARLES STENHOLM TO SPEAK ON 15th

Charles Stenholm will speaking during an assembly at the school auditorium at 10:00 on April 15. Everyone is invited to attend this assembly.



Leo Tolstoy's wife copied the manuscript of his epic novel *War and Peace* by hand seven times.

BAND TRIP

Members of the band will travel to Amarillo on April 29-30, May 1 for competition in the Greater Southwest Music Festival. The band will be competing in Concert and Sightreading competition.



High School Tennis Team-Back-kelli McPhaul, Keith Martin, Jym Rinehart, Shawna Kvaughn, Becky Massingill, Front-Shana Bradshaw, Tammy Miller, Stephanie Stephens, Kim Wills and Samantha Porter.

CONTEST

The Borden Coyote Band will be participating in U.I.L. Concert-Sightreading April 27, 1982 at Sundown High School. The competition will begin around mid-day with Gail being the first Class A Band. Other Class A bands will be Loop, Wilson, Whitelace and Sundown.



Assisting Mr. Novak during assembly this week were Jim Evans, Mindy Hensley, Pam Gruis and Tommy Lee.

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| | Salad Bar | |
| Wednesday | Homemade Burritos Vegetable Salad Pinto Beans Cobbler Milk | Cowboy Bread Fruit Milk |
| | Salad Bar | |
| Thursday | Pizza with Cheese Tossed Salad Green Beans Pudding Milk | Hot Biscuits Peanut Butter Fruit Juice Milk |
| | Salad Bar | |
| Friday | Hamburgers Lettuce-Tomatoes-Pickles French Fries Cookies Milk | Cereal Fruit Juice Milk |
| | Salad Bar | |

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Well my faith in the Academy Awards board has been restored. Of all those nominated for best picture, Chariots of Fire was rated to be the least likely to win. In fact, many pundits wondered how it ever acquired a nomination. Why?—because it was a "good" motion picture. I mean morally good. Chariots of Fire portrayed two men who excelled in their talent for different reason. The Jew ran the very best in order to prove that his race could excel in something other than academics—even tho he was a superior student. The Christian missionary ran his very best in order to use what he considered to be a God given talent. Both men refused to compromise. The Jew continued receiving professional coaching against the advice of his academic deans. The Christian refused to run on Sunday even tho he knew his country depended upon him. Both men won—their races as well as their principals. There was not one bad word in the entire script—there was a relationship of love but it was decent. There was

happiness and joy—there was hard work and devotion to goals. Well, it was just wonderful to see such an uplifting movie—and then to have it win an Academy Award was amazing.

And then, there were the two best actor awardees—Henry Fonda and Kathryn Hepburn for their performances in On Golden Pond. Admittedly, I paid my money to see a Jane Fonda production but I must say, those two veteran performers outdid themselves. Their portrayal of two elderly people still in love with each and other and with life was just excellent. There were bad words which could have been left out, I guess. But they were emitted from the mouth of a 13 year old brat which should reveal something about the generation gap.

Henry Fonda handled the lack of adequate vocabulary on the part of those younger than he masterfully.

Another shocker was the homily the young man gave as he presented the best screen writer award. He said, "in the beginning was the Word"—and then he went on to say that the 1st scrip, he supposed, was that handed down by the Lord to Moses the rules for life written on a stone tablet. And then he said, "somewhere along the way we seem to have forgotten the script". Can you imagine that? I haven't heard such a good little sermonette in or out of church in a long time. And I certainly never dreamed I would hear such from the stage of the Academy Awards presentation.

I can overlook the 3 awards won by Reds because I am overwhelmed that Chariots of Fire won the biggy—that Fonda and Hepburn were recognized for their venerable talents—and that a screen writer dared quote the greatest script writer of all time. Hooray and Hallelua.



Election Results

Incumbents Bill Phinzy and Bob Dyess retained their seats on the Borden County School Board of Trustees.

Voting results are as follows: Bill Phinzy 67 total votes; Bob Dyess 76 total votes; Guy Zant 5 votes; Jon Monger 4 votes and T. L. Griffin 1 vote.

Clerk Attends Meeting

Dorothy Brown attended the Area III County and District Clerks Meeting in Big Spring last Friday. Clerks attending included ones from Lamesa, Andrews, Van Horn, Ozona, Sweetwater, Ballinger, Robert Lee, San Angelo and Sterling City.

Margaret Ray, County Clerk and Peggy Crittenden, District Clerk of Howard County, and Mary Lou Overton, County and District Clerk of Glasscock County hosted the meeting.

After coffee and doughnuts, the meeting was called to order by District Attorney, Rick Hamby. The invocation was given by Dr. Kenneth Patrick, Pastor of the First Baptist Church.

After a welcome from County Judge Bill Tune and a response by David H. Weant, County and District Clerk of Crockett County, the Honorably Larry Murdough, Dallas County Clerk, President of the Texas County and District Clerks Association talked about plans for future meetings of the association and the annual Clerks Conference in Dallas in June.

Other speakers were Hon. Larry Shaw, State Representative, 63rd District; Guilford L. Jones III, Attorney at Law; James W. Gregg, District Judge; Jim Baum, KVMV, Colorado City; and an Area III business session conducted by Margaret Ray.

After lunch work sessions were held with the County Clerks and Districts Clerks meeting in separate sessions.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED - Mr. Frank Menix and Mrs. Mary Wills both of Gail, wish to announce the engagement and coming marriage of their daughter, Mary Marquita to Edward Michael Hobbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hobbs of Abilene.

The bride-elect will graduate from Borden County High School in May. The groom is a 1979 graduate of Wylie High School. He is currently employed by the Taylor County Sheriff's Department.

The wedding date is set for June 5 at the Calvary Baptist Church of Abilene.

Stenholm Scheduled in Snyder

Congressman Charles Stenholm will be in Snyder on Thursday, April 15, 1982 at 7:30 a.m. to meet with area farmers. The meeting scheduled at the Spanish Inn on North College Avenue will give local farmers an opportunity to visit with their congressman.

Recently, Congressman

Stenholm has urged farmers to keep at least 20 percent of their products off the market to increase the price. In view of the inadequate farm bill and depressed prices, this seems the only course left for producers to improve their own position in the market place, Congressman Stenholm said.

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Barn

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Tech President Lauro F. Cavazos was the dedication speaker at the 6666 Barn, a landmark for travelers and work place for the ranch near Guthrie.

The barn commemorates the legendary Burk Burnett, his son, Thomas Loyd Burnett, and his grand aughter, Ann Burnett Tandy. It was given in their honor by Mrs. Tandy's daughter, Mrs. B.F. (Anne) Phillips, a Tech regent.

We want future generations to know Burk Burnett and his family, Cavazos said. We want them to understand the character of the family that built and is building the Four Sixes. The lumber in the barn and the 6666 on the side mean nothing without the force behind the building.

That force is a lesson in character, in courage, in integrity, in the decency that respects the rights of others, in appreciation of hard work applied to a worthy goal, in the value of a disciplined mind.

Cavazos said the barn, like all other buildings at the Ranching Heritage Center, symbolizes the pioneer spirit.

Burk Burnett and pioneers like him, Cavazos said, made the decisions that shaped our western heritage and made that heritage a part of the dreams that now transcend national boundaries and circle the world.

The barn was built about 1908 and was moved to the Ranching Heritage Center last year. The 3,500 square foot building now includes an assembly room with stage, tack room, carriage room, kitchen and restrooms. It was used Saturday for the first time for a luncheon served to the board of overseers of the Ranching Heritage Association. R.J. Gibson, manager of the 6666 Ranch, responded to the dedication address.

In dedicating the flagpoles, Wallace who is Horn professor of history emeritus at Tech called attention to Denham's service as president of the RHA executive committee, chairman of the National Golden Spur Award and treasurer of the Endowment for the Preservation of Ranching Heritage of America. Denham also located and helped restore the Picket and Sotol House at the center.

Responding for the Denham family was a nephew, Glendall Paulk of Steamboat Springs, Colo.

Dr. Harold T. Luce, chairman of the Tech department of music, dedicated the hand carved Venus harp which will be used in the Edit Whatley McKanna Parlor in the center's David M. E. Witt and Mallet Ranch Building. Mrs. McKanna of Fluvanna, who has provided the parlor, gave the instrument.

The difference between early day harps, explained Luce, and the modern, seven pedal harp being dedicated are about as extensive as are the differences in ranching techniques then and now.

It is our hope and expectation, he said that performances on this instrument will bring pleasure to the thousands of guests who will visit the McKanna Parlor in years to come.

Playing the harp during the dedication program was Amy L. Finnell, a student of Gail Barber, a harp instructor and music professor at Tech. Mrs. Barber was a consultant for the purchase of the new harp, and she composed the music, Windmills, played by her student Saturday.

Mrs. Georgia Mae Ericson of Crosbyton, who gave her grandfather's salt trough, reminded the audience that Hank Smith, who came to this country from Germany in 1848, was the pioneer settler in Blanco Canyon on the Mackenzie

Trail. The trough will be used at the Reynolds Gentry Barn at the center.

Lewis "Sonny" Nance of Azle donated the snubbing post in memory of his father, Elton Nance, who, at 10, settled with his widowed mother on the Nance Ranch at Justiceburg about 1905.

The post will become a part of the horse breaking corral at the center.

Masters of ceremonies for the events were John R. Rich, Anderson, chairman of the RHA board of overseers, and Harold P. "Bo" Brown Jr., RHA president.

Dr. Charles A. Taylor, associate pastor of Lubbock's First Presbyterian Church, gave the invocation, and Alvin G. Davis, executive vice president and general manager of the RHA, offered the benediction.

Boy Scout Troop 404 led the flag raising ceremony.

Dr. James A. Goss, director of the museum, accepted the barn, the flagpole monument, the harp, salt trough and snubbing post on behalf of the institution.

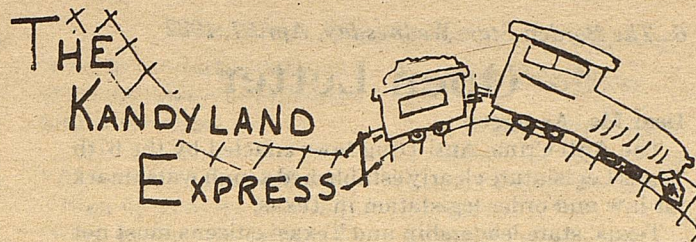
The Thorntons of Plainview provided musical entertainment for the 6666 Barn luncheon.

The Ranching Heritage center is a 14 acre outdoor site with more than a score of authentically restored ranch structures which depict the history of ranching in America.

Hospital Notes

Mary Anderson is recovering in Medical Cities Hospital in Dallas from knee surgery. She expects to be released later this week.

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Do you ever have to tace food to a family get together, a church social, or some other gathering? Do you get tired of taking the same old things? If you answered yes to these questions, try one of the following recipes the next time you need to take food somewhere.

CHERRY FRUIT SALAD

2 medium golden delicious apples, chopped
3 bananas, sliced
2 No 303 cans cherry pie filling
1 No 303 can pineapple chunks, drained
1 cup pecan halves
ascorbic acid powder

Wash, core, and chop the apples. Peel and slice the bananas. Mix together in a serving bowl with the ascorbic acid powder to prevent oxidation (turning brown). Add the cherry pie filling and the pineapple chunks. Mix well. Stir in the pecans. Cover and refrigerate until serving time.

If you have some of this salad left over, take it home, mix in a carton of frozen non-dairy whipped topping and freeze the salad in a mold or individual serving dishes. This makes a

beautiful frozen fruit salad.

CALIFLOWER SALAD

1 head cauliflower, chopped
1 1/2 cups cheddar cheese, cubed
1 cup stuffed Spanish olives
1/2 cup green onion, chopped
1 cup celery, chopped
3 tablespoons lemon juice
1 cup mayonnaise
salt and pepper to taste

Wash and drain the cauliflower. Chop it into small pieces. Place in a serving bowl. Stir in the remaining ingredients. Cover and refrigerate until serving time.

Hope you enjoy trying these recipes out on your families and friends

Remember Unity

During a family crisis, remember family unity, says Diane Welch, a family life education specialist.

It's normal for families to feel closer and desire a higher level of togetherness with other family members during a crisis, the specialist explains.

At such times, people work harder at getting along and value the support and sympathy that is shared, she adds.

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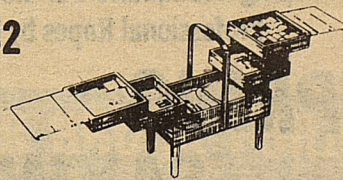
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Texas' state leadership and Texas' citizens must not be complacent with this victory under their belts, and the war on crime must continue to be waged. Therefore, in September of last year, I sent a letter to Texas' criminal justice community urging them to identify areas of the criminal justice system which could be effectively corrected and addressed through legislation as part of my 1983 Anti-Crime Program. Their strong response was to toughen our laws on driving while intoxicated.

At the very forefront of my 1983 Anti Crime Program will be legislation imposing tougher penalties for those convicted of the DWI offense. Nationwide, drunk drivers each year take thousands of lives and, in 1980, it was estimated that nearly one half of Texas' traffic fatalities were alcohol related. These statistics, coupled with the staggering property losses each year from DWI, clearly indicate that tougher laws are needed to make our streets and highways safer.

In December, 1981, I created a Task Force on Traffic Safety to study Texas' DWI related traffic fatality problem and make recommendations on legislative actions to be taken to address this issue. In addition, I am pleased to announce that I endorse the goals of MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Drivers), and my office is working with the Texas MADD Chapters to develop and fine tune necessary legislative solutions to Texas' DWI problem. When specific legislative proposals have been developed, they will be sent to you.

I am firmly committed to ensuring that tougher DWI laws are enacted in Texas in 1983, but a successful attack on the drunk driving problem demands action by all Texans. I ask that you join with me in making the citizens of Texas aware of the magnitude of this problem and the need for strong DWI legislation and strict enforcement of DWI laws. Texas' highways are no place for drunk drivers, and we must do all we can to get them off the roads.

Sincerely,
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Governor



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Fewer Planted Acres

Texas farmers intend to plant at least half a million fewer acres to crops this year.

"Farmers are cutting back because of current financial troubles and to be eligible for farm program benefits," points out Dr. Carl Anderson.

"They face poor income prospects due to low farm prices and continued high interest rates," notes Anderson, an economist in cotton marketing with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"Final plantings may be even lower as farmers make last minute decisions regarding participation in the '82 acreage reduction program."

Cotton plantings will likely be down more than a million acres to about 6.3 million this year. High costs of growing cotton and depressed market prices have been combined to discourage planting cotton, says Anderson.

Plantings of barley, oats and rice are expected to be down only slightly.

On the other hand, farmers will likely increase grain sorghum plantings to 5 million acres, up from 4.8 million last year. Final plantings, however, may be less if a significant number of producers decide to comply with the 10 percent reduced acreage program for feed grains, says the economist.

Texas farmers also plan to plant slightly more corn, soybeans, hay, peanuts, sugar beets and sunflowers.

Texas winter wheat crop seeded last fall totals 8.2 million acres, up from 7.8 million a year ago. This is

the largest wheat acreage ever seeded in Texas, says Anderson. "The increase stems from fairly strong market expectations at planting time plus lower production costs when compared to cotton. Many farmers have shifted acreage from cotton to wheat.

"This year's decrease in planting intentions for total crop production clearly reflects the distressed financial condition that agricultural producers are facing," says Anderson. "Because many commodity prices are below the cost of production, farmers are cutting back.

"Along with reducing total plantings, many farmers are cutting back on such production inputs as fertilizer and irrigation water because of the high cost of credit and difficulty in projecting sufficient cash flow to cover borrowed capital. This should lead to somewhat reduced food and fiber production in 1982 and eventually higher farm prices," says the economist.

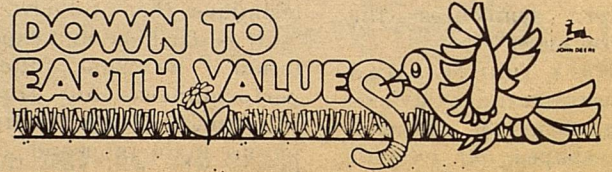
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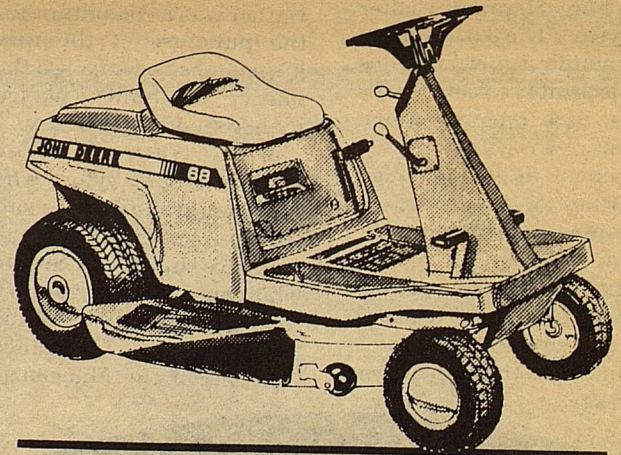
decorate eggs with lace-like scratch designs, while the Dutch use onion skin to dye their eggs. Ukrainians use a unique batik-like style to create beautiful 'pysanka' eggs. The Portuguese use sea shells to trim their eggs.

While Tsar Alexander II was governing in Russia, a master-jeweler and craftsman, Carl Faberge was busy designing jeweled and golden eggs. These eggs were made for the Tsar to give to his wife, the Tsarina, as birthday and anniversary gifts.

A lovely tradition has also grown in the U.S., which takes place in the spring-Easter Eggs. These eggs are made in a variety of ways, applique, decoupage, etching, painting and many more. The decorated eggs are placed in baskets, or hidden for hunts, or put on trees and then eaten. In Washington, D. C. on the White House lawn, as well as in Central Park in New York City, egg rolling contests are held annually at Easter time.



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LEGAL NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Borden County will consider sealed bids on construction of water system improvements on April 19, 1982 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners Courtroom of the Courthouse in Gail, Texas.

Specifications may be obtained from Lybrand Engineering Co., P.O. Box 706, Lamesa, Texas 79331, 806-872-3020, or the County Judge, Borden County, Box 156, Gail, Texas 79738, 915-856-4255.

Borden County Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of Commissioners Court
Jim M Burkett

Political Calendar

The Borden Star is authorized to announce the following candidates for political office weekly, subject to action of the Party Primaries on May 1, 1982. (Paid political advertising by candidates listed below.)

FOR

COUNTY JUDGE

Van L. York (D)
Mrs. Pat Porter (D)
Jessie Johnson (D)

FOR

CO. & DIST. CLERK

Dorothy Browne (D)

FOR

COUNTY TREASURER

Don Cox (D)
Melissa Lisa Ludecke (D)

FOR

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Carolyn Stone (D)

FOR

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT TWO

Larry Smith (D)

FOR

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT FOUR

Edward Rinehart (D)
Ricky Evans (D)
Vernon Miller (D)

FOR

STATE SENATOR 28th DISTRICT

E. L. Short (D)

John J.C. O'Shea (R)

U.S. CONGRESSMAN 17th DISTRICT
Charles Stenholm (D)

FOR

STATE REPRESENTATIVE 69th DISTRICT

Larry Don Shaw (D)

FOR

STATE COMPTROLLER
Raymond Frank (R)

ASCS News

by Jerry Stone

NOTICE OF BASES

Operators should be receiving notice of crop bases for each farm. It is very important for you to review these figures. Any appeals for reconsideration of bases listed in column 4 must be made by April 16, 1982. Your appeal must be in writing and show why the acreage base is not representative of your normal operations of the farm or crop. Review will be made of planted and considered planted for 1978, 1979, 1980 and 1981. If the appeal is approved, the base will be the average of 1978, 1979, and 1980 for the crop appealed. If there are other reasons why this base isn't normal, you might also wish to appeal by April 16.

CONSERVATION USE ACRES

To control erosion, insects, weeds and rodents on cropland taken out of production as a result of 1982 farm program provisions, the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service requires program participants to devote this land to certain conservation uses.

The conservation use acreage must be eligible land which meets certain size and width measurements. The land designated as conservation use acreage must be devoted to an approved conservation practice that will protect the land from wind and water erosion. This land has to have

protection established on it as soon as possible after the beginning of the normal period for planting spring crops.

Conservation use acreage must be cropland that was planted to small grain or row crops within one of the last two years.

Approved conservation uses include annual, biennial, or perennial grasses and legumes, volunteer stands other than weeds, small grains and crop residue from use of no till or minimum till practices. Other practices may also be approved.

Conservation use acres may not be harvested. Grazing, however, will be permitted between October 1 and March 31. Farmers who comply with the acreage reduction programs will be eligible for price support loans, target prices and the reserve program.

Applications for the 1982 programs may be filed until April 16. For more information on conservation use acres or other program details, contact the local ASCS Office.

F.C.I.C.- ALL RISK CROP INSURANCE

Farmers who have not made application for their All-Risk Crop Insurance policy are reminded April 15 is the last day cotton or grain sorghum applications can be accepted for the 1982 crop year. See your local All-Risk Crop Insurance agent before that final date. You will be doing yourself a

favor by taking the risks out of taking risks while raising profitable crops.

FALL-SEEDED CROPS

Sign-up activity is in full swing at the local office of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Farmers are filing applications for the 1982 feed grain, wheat and upland cotton programs.

Farmers may report their wheat, oats and barley acres at the same time that they sign up and avoid having to make a separate trip to the county office.

The 1982 acreage reduction programs offer farmers target price protection, commodity loans and use of the grain reserve for their 1982 crops.

Program participation so far has been moderate but greater activity is expected during the next two weeks.

While the programs are voluntary, only those who sign up by April 16 will be eligible for program benefits.



Legal Notice

In behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District, the Superintendent's Office will receive bids to upholster seats in auditorium. Bids will be received until 5:00 p.m. April 19, 1982.

Anyone interested in the job may contact James McLeroy at the Borden County Schools (915-856-4262) for specifications.

James McLeroy
Superintendent
Borden County
Independent School
District

Getting Tackle Ready For The Season

To avoid casting any gloom on your next fishing season, it's best to check your reel now. Does it squeak? Does it turn as quickly as it should? Does the bail flip over smoothly? All these are ways to tell whether your reel should be oiled.

The fishing experts at Du Pont, maker of "Stren" fishing line, America's top selling brand, suggest you check your rod's line guides for rough spots that can abrade your line. A simple test is to rub a cotton swab round the inside edges of the guide. If it frays or snags, you should replace the guide.



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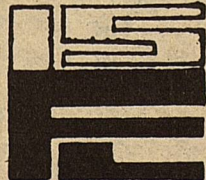
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