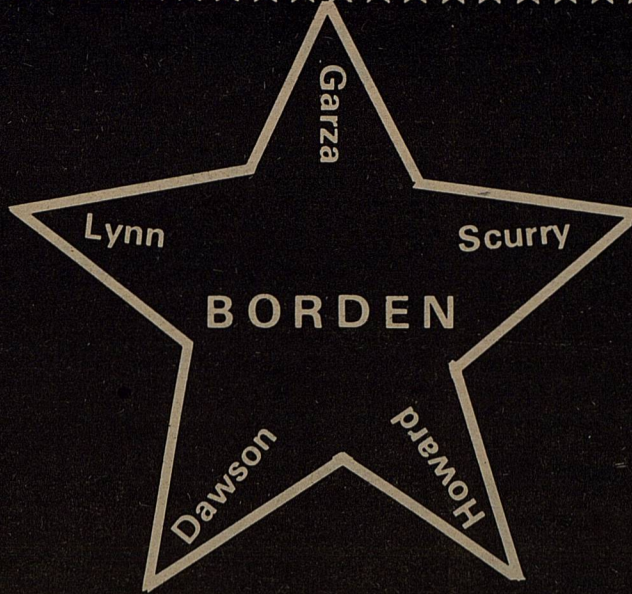


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PECAN SHOW ANNOUNCED

Dawson County's third annual pecan show, along with the annual Pecan Food Show, has been scheduled for December 2 in the Reddy Room of the Texas Electric Service Company building in Lamesa.

Pecan Growers from Dawson County and any adjacent county should begin saving the best nuts coming off their trees for the show. Any grower in the area may enter a sample of 42 nuts from each variety he grows. Growers may only enter one county contest.

Nuts should be selected that are free of insect and disease damage. They should be representative of the variety and be uniform in size and shell color. Nuts should be cleared but not altered in shape or color. Any alteration of pecan shells by marking, filing or excessive polishing will disqualify the entry.

Pecan entries must be from this year's crop and must have been raised in Dawson County or any of the adjacent counties. Competition will be divided into three divisions: in-shell variety, native, and shelling variety.

Entries in the pecan show should be delivered to the Texas Electric Reddy Room on December 1 between 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. The pecans should be in a paper sack with the name of

the grower, the address, telephone number, and the pecan variety if known. Anyone that does not know the variety of their pecans is still urged to enter, as variety can be determined by the judges.

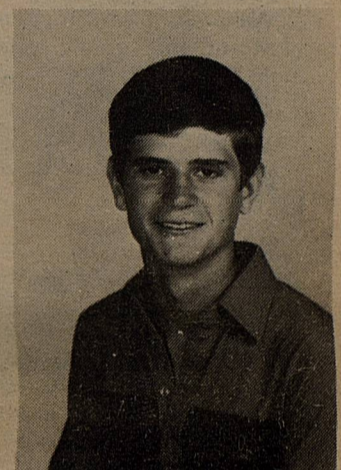
Plaques will be awarded to the champions of the pecan show and the food show. Ribbons will be awarded for first, second and third places. Judges for the show will be Delbert Halfmann and Daniel Hirt, both of Garden City. Their wives will serve as judges for the pecan food show.

The pecan food show is divided into six divisions: appetizers and snacks, breads, pies, cakes, cookies, and candies. Pecans used in the foods can be from a variety of sources as they are not required to be home grown. Entries in the food show will be taken, also at Texas Electric, from 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. on December 2. All food items must be placed on a paper plate and covered with plastic wrap.

Judging in both contests will take place from 10 a.m. to noon on December 2, with all entries on view for the general public from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. that day. All pecan entries will be the property of the show after judging, but food entries should be picked up by 5:30 p.m. after the show.



Kristi Stone
MOST BEAUTIFUL



Keith Martin
MOST HANDSOME

FRESHMAN NAMED BEAUTY

Freshman Kristi Stone was crowned Most Beautiful for 1983-1984 Thursday, November 17, in the Borden County High School Auditorium. Miss Stone was selected from a field of 15 contestants while Keith Martin was named Most Handsome among BHS students.

The top five, who were judged on poise, personality, beauty, and ability to answer a question posed to them in the final moments, were selected by the judges as follows:

- first runner-up: Kim Wills
- second runner-up: Shana Bradshaw
- third runner-up: Simona Benavidez
- fourth runner-up: Kelli Williams

Miss Stone, obviously very appreciative and happy with the announcement, stated "I was very surprised."

The annual event, sponsored by Mrs. Netta Jarrett--BHS business teacher, was emceed by last year's winner, Miss Roxie Wolf. The beauty contest started in 1968 by Mrs.

Jarrett. "In my opinion each girl is a winner. There can only be one most beautiful each year. The important thing is to always be found trying to improve one's self."

Past winners include the following names:
1968: Debra Williams
1969: Triva Boyd
1970: Debby Dennis
1971: Mary Anderson

- 1972: Donna Simer
- 1973: Janice Davis
- 1974: Diana McHenry
- 1975: Keva Tucker
- 1976: Dina Wallace
- 1977: Tricia Jackson
- 1978: Teresa Stansel
- 1979: Vickie Jones
- 1980: Tammy Merritt
- 1981: Gena McLeroy
- 1982: Jennifer Wilson
- 1983: Roxie Wolf

TECH'S CAROL OF LIGHTS TO BE LIT DEC. 2nd

Lubbock--The lights of the holiday celebration which has become known as the Carol of Lights will be lit for the 25th time Dec. 2 in the Texas Tech University Science Quadrangle.

The event heralding the holiday season will begin at 7 p.m. with a carillon concert, performed by Texas Tech music professor Judson D. Maynard.

At 7:30 p.m., the Texas Tech Trombone Ensemble, led by music student Randy Robinson, will play as a Saddle Tramp-led torchlight procession marches from

the University and Broadway campus entrance to the Science Quadrangle.

Following the invocation, Alan Bryant, president of Residence Halls Association, will welcome the hundreds of expected visitors from across the South Plains.

The musical portion of the program will include carols by six residence hall and organizational choirs. "Oh Holy Night" will be performed by William Hartwell, music professor.

The Texas Tech Choir, under con't on page 7



COURTHOUSE TO CLOSE FOR HOLIDAYS

Courthouse will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 24th and 25th in observance of Thanksgiving.



Borden County School News



HIGH SCHOOL BETA ACHIEVEMENT-Back-Dana Gray, Kelli Williams, John Stephens, Mickey Burkett, Kim Wills, Keith Martin and Tammy Miller.



HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL-Gerry Smith, Kristi Stone, Roxie Wolf and Kelly Williams.

HIGH SCHOOL HONORS			
BETA ACHIEVEMENT		HONOR ROLL	
Keith Martin	12	Kelly Williams	12
Tammy Miller	12	Roxie Wolf	12
Kim Wills	12	Gerry Smith	9
Dana Gray	10	Kristi Stone	9
Mickey Burkett	9		
John Stephens	9		
Kelli Williams	9		

DAWSON BEATS TRENT IN PLAYOFF

Things started off bad for the Trent Gorillas Friday night and got worse as the game progressed. Dawson scored on their first time with the ball as Hernandez went in from four yards out. Then on the kick-off, Trent fumbled and Dawson recovered and Hernandez scored from two yards--then the rain came.

Coach Deck, from Trent, believed his team could pass on Dawson because of Dawson's small defensive backs and the height of Trent's (6'-7") offensive end Vargenez, but the rain shut that off also.

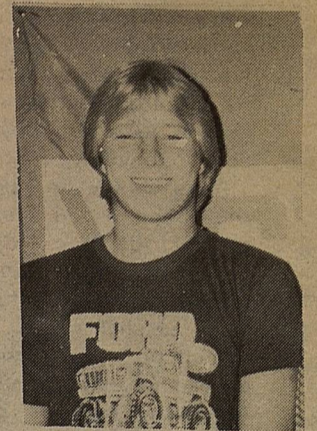
Arthur Hernandez scored six times and had more yard's rushing than all of Trent's offensive output.

Dawson plays Garden in Jayton Thursday night at 7:30 p.m.

Gordon defeated Vernon Northside 71-50 to advance in the playoffs.



THE FOUR RUNNERS-UP IN THE BEAUTY CONTEST-1st Runner-Up, Kim Wills; 2nd, Simona Benavidez; 3rd, Shana Bradshaw; 4th, Kelli Williams.



SAMMY WILLIAMS
Candidate for
Most Handsome

ALMA MATER

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Borden High School, Hail to thee,
Long wave red, white and blue.
We pledge to you our loyalty,
Our spirits brave and true
We gather wisdom from your halls,
And learn to honor truth
We find that friendship is for all,
Whatever creed of Then, we pledge our love to Borden;
We'll ever faithful be
While colors fly, shout to the sky,
Dear Borden Hail to thee!



NOVEMBER 1983						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 4-H Meeting 11:14	8	9	10 4:00 p.m. H.S. Basketball Girls Scrimmage Post - There	11 7:00 p.m. H.S. Football Paint Creek-There	12
13	14	15 4:00 p.m. H.S. Basketball Girls Scrimmage Snyder - There	16	17 7:30 p.m. Beauty Contest Auditorium	18	19
20	21	22 5:00 p.m. H.S. Basketball Girls & Boys Roby - There	23	24	25	26
27	28 6:00 p.m. J.H. Basketball Girls & Boys Grady - Here	29 6:30 p.m. H.S. Basketball Girls & Boys Loop - There	30	THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS		

School Board Meets

The Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District met in regular session on November 21, 1983 at 8:00 p.m.

Members present were Ralph Miller, Bill Phinizy, Doyle Newton, Jack McPhaul, Jon Monger, Kenny Hensley, and Bob Dyess.

Administrators present were James McLeroy, Superintendent, and Mickey McMeans, High School Principal.

The meeting was called to order by President Ralph Miller.

Minutes

The President called for a reading of the minutes. After the minutes were read, a motion was made by Kenny Hensley and seconded by Jack McPhaul to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

Bills

Bills were reviewed. A motion was made by Doyle Newton and seconded by Bob Dyess to pay the bills. Motion carried.

Annual Audit Report

Mr. Dale Newberry, CPA with Wilton, Newberry and Heidel Accounting in Lamesa, led the Board in a review of the Audit Report. Mr. Newberry reported that records were in order and no changes were recommended. A motion was made by Jack McPhaul and seconded by Bill Phinizy to accept the Audit Report. Motion carried.

Student Handbook

The Superintendent presented the Board with a copy of the Student Handbook for consideration. A motion was made by Bob Dyess and seconded by Bill Phinizy to accept the Student Handbook as amended. Motion carried.

Superintendent's Report

1. Financial Report

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

2. Attendance Report

It was reported that attendance was 58 in high school and 158 in elementary for a total of 216 enrolled.

3. Personnel Report

It was reported that there were no changes in personnel.

School Calendar

The Superintendent reviewed the school calendar. It was recommended that the teacher workday scheduled for January 13, 1984 be moved to Friday, January 27, 1984.

Land for Storage

A motion was made by Doyle Newton and seconded by Kenny Hensley to trade the Plains land for two lots. Motion carried.

Adjourn

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.



3rd JFFA Junior Chapter Conducting Team. Back-Gerry Smith, Mickey Burkett, Tommy Soto, Brice Key. Front-Michael Murphy, Julie Ridenous, Kristi Stone, John Stephens.



5th FFA Senior Chapter Conducting Team-Back-Chris Cooley, Cathy York, Jeff Covington. Front-Jerry Green, Eric Turner, Glen Bacon, and Doyce Taylor

BORDEN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL 1983-84 Basketball Schedule

DATE/DAY	OPPONENT	PLACE	GIRLS	BOYS	TIME
Nov. 22 (Tue)	Roby	T	A-B	A	5:00
Nov. 29 (Tue)	Loop	T	A	A	6:30
Dec. 6 (Tue)	Ropes	T	A	A-B	5:00
Dec. 13 (Tue)	Hermleigh	H	A	A-B	5:00
Jan. 3 (Tue)	Hermleigh	T	A	A-B	5:00
Jan. 6 (Fri)	Dawson	H	A	A-B	5:00
Jan. 10 (Tue)	Klondike	T	A-B	A	5:00
Jan. 13 (Fri)	Greenwood	H	A	A-B	5:00
Jan. 17 (Tue)	Sands	T	A-B	A	5:00
Jan. 19 (Thu)	Grady	H	A	A-B	5:00
Jan. 24 (Tue)	Loop	H	A	A	6:30
Jan. 27 (Fri)	Klondike	H	A	A-B	5:00
Jan. 31 (Tue)	Greenwood	T	A-B	A	5:00
Feb. 3 (Fri)	Sands	H	A	A-B	5:00
Feb. 7 (Tue)	Grady	T	A-B	A	5:00

Dec. 1, 2, 3 — New Home Tournament — A Girls, A Boys
Dec. 8, 9, 10 — Highland Tournament — A Girls, A Boys
Dec. 15, 16, 17 — Borden Co. Tourn. — A Girls, A Boys

District Games
Coaches: Bill May, Jr. (Girls) — Duke Frisbie (Boys)
Colors: Red, White and Columbia Blue Mascot: Coyote
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BORDEN COUNTY JUNIOR HIGH 1983-84 Basketball Schedule

DATE/DAY	OPPONENT	PLACE	GIRLS	BOYS	TIME
Nov. 28 (Mon)	GRADY	H	A	A	6:00
Dec. 5 (Mon)	GREENWOOD	T	A	A	6:00
Dec. 12 (Mon)	KLONDIKE	H	A	A	6:00
Dec. 19 (Mon)	—OPEN—				
Jan. 2 (Mon)	—OPEN—				
Jan. 9 (Mon)	SANDS	T	A	A	6:00
Jan. 16 (Mon)	GRADY	T	A	A	6:00
Jan. 23 (Mon)	GREENWOOD	H	A	A	6:00
Jan. 30 (Mon)	KLONDIKE	T	A	A	6:00
Feb. 6 (Mon)	—OPEN—				
Feb. 9 (Thu)	SANDS	H	A	A	6:00
Jan. 12, 13, 14	— Grady Tournament —				

District Games B Games May Be Added When Possible

Thanksgiving

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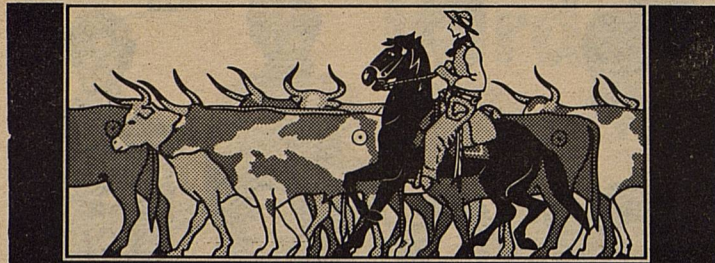
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School Lunch Menu

NOVEMBER 28-DECEMBER 3, 1983

	Lunch	Breakfast
Monday	Steak Fingers Mashed Potatoes English Peas Fruit Hot Rolls Milk Salad Bar	Biscuit & Sausage Fruit Milk
Tuesday	Lasagna Green Beans Cole Slaw Jello & Fruit Milk Salad Bar	Toast & Jelly Fruit Juice Milk
Wednesday	Chicken Bits Buttered Corn Vegetable Salad Pudding Hot Rolls Milk Salad Bar	Blueberry Muffins Fruit Milk
Thursday	Meat Loaf Fried Okra Blackeyed Peas Fruit Cornbread Milk Salad Bar	Biscuit & Gravy Fruit Milk
Friday	Hamburgers French Fries Lettuce & Tomatoes Brownies Milk Salad Bar	Cereal Fruit Juice Milk



THE AMERICAN COWBOY

The logo for "The American Cowboy," a major international exhibition depicting America's fascination with this most durable of folk heroes, is adapted from the cover art of the book, "The Log of a Cowboy," by Andy Adams. Published in 1903, the book is considered the best account of a trail drive ever written. Produced by the Library of Congress, "The American Cowboy" exhibition is on display at The University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures in San Antonio Dec. 1983 through Jan. 1984.

COWBOY EXHIBITION COMES TO TEXAS

"The American Cowboy" exhibition, which comes to the Institute of Texan Cultures in San Antonio from the Library of Congress, is one of the most comprehensive collections of its kind. Created by the Library's American Folklife Center, the exhibit surveys the cowboy from his humble beginnings as a migrant agricultural worker to his status as an international mythical hero.

Nearly 370 items are incorporated in the exhibit including paints, watercolors, prints, poster, books, manuscripts, music recordings, film clips and artifacts. Special three-dimensional attractions include an 1866 chuck box and a 1940s Seeburg Wall-O-matic jukebox, which plays a selection of cowboy songs from the 1920s through the 50s. These artifacts and memorabilia serve both to illustrate the many manifestations of the cowboy myth in American

society and to document the realities...sometimes harsh, sometimes humorous...of cowboy life.

In conjunction with the exhibit the Institute plans a variety of special programs and events. The following activities are scheduled throughout the month of January: a western film series featuring such classics as "The Texan" and "Red River"; public discussions with both scholars and "real live" working cowboys; and demonstrations of cowboy skills and pastimes including trick roping, horsehair hitching and western folk singing.

"The American Cowboy" was made possible by a gift to the library of Congress from United Technologies Corporation and its showing at the Institute of Texan Cultures is sponsored by donations from numerous individuals and organizations throughout Texas.

ANDY WILLIAMS NAMED CHAIRMAN

Singer Andy Williams vowing to lead "the most successful Christmas Seal Campaign in history" has embarked on his duties as the 1983 Christmas Seal Chairman for the American Lung Association.

Mr. Williams, who began singing with his brothers in Wall Lake, Iowa and made his debut with them in the forties on radio and in Las Vegas, got his solo career break in 1953 when he began appearing regularly on Steve Allen's "Tonight" show.

Since then, Williams has had his own long-running television variety series and has aired so many popular family Christmas Specials that he is sometimes known as "Mr. Christmas."

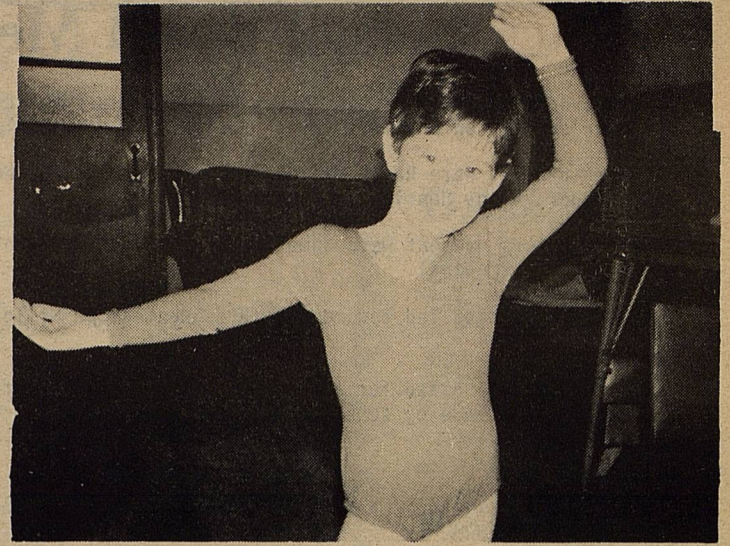
Also, Williams is famous for his recordings of songs which go on to become classics. Since he began working with Cadence Records in 1955 and during his on-going 21-year-old association with Columbia Records, Williams has recorded such hits as "Lips of Wine," "Hawaiian Wedding Song," "Moon River," "Can't Get Used to Losing You," "The Shadow of Your Smile" and the "Love Theme from 'The Godfather.'"

Long known for his charitable work and for his concern about lung disease, particularly children's asthma, Williams is excited to be able to share, nationwide, the American Lung Association's message of clean air and lung health. The Christmas Seal People seem very glad to have such a vehement spokesman.

"As a singer," Williams said recently, "I can tell you I am sensitive to what's in the air, and I have great concern for the condition of my lungs. As a dancer might say 'my feet are my fortune,' I might say 'my lungs are mine.'"

The American Lung Association's Christmas Seals, which were originally sold to combat tuberculosis, are now 76 years old. They arrive each year and are sent to 60 million American homes to help fight air pollution and a wide variety of lung diseases, including emphysema, asthma, chronic bronchitis and lung cancer.

Andy Williams says "Take care of your lungs. They're only human. Fight lung disease with Christmas Seals."



ASHLI FARMER

BLUE RIBBON WINNER

Competing with 27 three year olds, Miss Ashli Farmer was awarded a trophy and blue ribbon at the Maines Invitational Gymnastics Tournament last week in Lubbock.

Miss Ashli competed in the Bear Walk, Spider Crawl, Bunnie Hop, and Cart Wheel competitions. "I can do a cartwheel with just one arm. Wanna see me?"

Ashli asked when she showed her trophy to The Borden Star. Of course we wanted to see, and of course she could!

Ashli has been enrolled in Briar Croft Gymnastic Academy for nine months. They competed with other Lubbock area academies.

Ashli is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Farmer of Borden County.

Hospital notes

Sandy Buchanan had an accident on a motorcycle last week and broke her leg in 4 places.

Christene Cunningham is in the St Mary's Hospital in Lubbock, room 317. She has been moved from ICU.

O.D. Jackson is in the Malone-Hogan Hospital in Big Spring for tests. He was carried by ambulance Sunday morning.

Sam Stephens underwent gall bladder surgery at Methodist Memorial last week in Lubbock. Hope his recovery is speedy.

Tho' he was not hospitalized, Rube Smith was layed up for a few days following the amputation of the first joint of his middle toe! Hope he is up and out by now, Sue!



OBITUARY

Rotan-Roy Underwood, 67, a retired rancher from Rotan, died at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. Snyder after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday at Weatherbee Funeral Home in Rotan. Burial was in Cottonwood Cemetery northwest of Rotan.

He was born Feb. 3, 1917 in Kent County. His father and two brothers preceded him in death.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Underwood of Rotan; three brothers, Weldon and N. G., both of Rotan; and Raymond 'Babe' of Gail; two sisters, Mrs. Bennie (Catherine) Carriker of Jayton and Mrs. W. B. (Billie Ruth) Hardin of Rotan.

Histamine changes reaction to medicine for hypertension

COLLEGE STATION—Histamine, the natural compound most people associate with setting off allergy symptoms, can alter the reaction of drugs given to fight high blood pressure, says a Texas A&M University medical researcher.

Histamine is synthesized and released by nerves in the central nervous system, and can be found near cardiovascular "control centers." The substance causes large increases in blood pressure and interferes with medication for hypertension, explained pharmacologist Dr. Jerome Trzeciakowski.

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H. Ross Perot reports his "First Impressions"

The first tangible evidence of what the Select Committee on Public Education chaired by H. Ross Perot might include in its final report has surfaced and it's mostly good news for Texas educators.

Feeling that the media has been generally misrepresenting his views, Perot sent a document he calls "First Impressions" to superintendents, principals, TSTA, and the other organizations to clarify his own perceptions and conclusions about the state of public education in Texas.

While he prefaces the six-page position paper by saying that it does not represent either "findings or recommendations" of the Committee itself, it is reasonable to assume that the outspoken Perot will have a lot to say about what is in the Committee's final report to Governor Mark White and the Texas Legislature and that makes "First Impressions" significant.

Perot wrote, "We could not build a new system without skilled administrators and teachers. The existing team is capable of the task."

Even though Perot writes at some length in "First Impressions" about the alarmingly large percentage of "newly graduated" teachers who are "incompetent," practicing classroom teachers should not become defensive because he also concludes that today's teachers "are capable, warm, caring, giving people dedicated to our children."

He also points out a major reason that our profession is not attracting the most capable young people in writing that teachers "...are underpaid. They are not properly recognized by the parents and community."

Perot accurately places the blame for the current state of public education--whether perceived or real--by stating, "Public schools reflect society. At a time when pleasure seeking and instant gratification are in vogue with both adults and children, and strong parental involvement with children is missing with roughly half of the three million children in our public schools, are we going to ask our children to cut back on video games, television, video music and cease leaving school early to make money to pay for cars? Will we ask them to work, toil

and persevere--to take the difficult courses, not the soft electives--to learn?"

Having acknowledged that the question cannot be answered by professional educators alone, Perot offers his own personal views of what specifically should happen in schools;

"We must...concentrate attention on the average, above-average and gifted and talented students...They will bear the responsibility for caring for those in our society who cannot support themselves.

"Discipline must be restored to the classroom. Learning cannot occur without order.

"Educators across Texas are nearly unanimous in their view that a child either learns how to learn or fails in the early primary grades. Remedial work at the junior high and senior high level has a low probability of success. Interestingly enough, we spend more money per student in the senior high level. All of the evidence indicates that we should surround the small child with whatever resources are necessary so that he can 'learn to learn.'

"We should eliminate high school programs whose real purpose is to allow students to leave school part-time to earn money to pay for cars.

"Extra-curricular activities should be put into perspective. They can no longer be the forces that disrupt our classes and dominate our schools.

"We should consider eliminating organized sports at the junior high and elementary school levels and substitute physical fitness and intramurals in their place."

Also in "First Impressions" the Select Committee chairperson identifies the "one real issue" as being whether or not the public will support these changes and the "one real question" as being "...what are our priorities?"

But, in TSTA's view, "First Impressions" has another and more important message for educators and all school employees--a message that perhaps Perot did not even intend to send.

At one point, he writes, "In many cases, teachers are working in an authoritarian system of management that leaves little room for upward communication of ideas. This problem should be corrected. The children of

Texas will be the beneficiaries."

At another point, Perot describes a typical result of that system: "For example, one school district gave a winning coach a salary greater than the superintendent. The superintendent and principal then received salary increases to correct this problem. At this point, the district had exceeded its budget, and teachers' salaries were cut to resolve the problem."

And at yet another point in his paper, Perot writes, "This is a difficult time for teachers. A person with the sensitive traits of a successful teacher finds it particularly offensive to be forced to campaign publicly for proper compensation. Teachers should not have to make demands on their own behalf. Texas' new educational system should properly compensate teachers on a continuing basis. It should be supported by a tax structure that does not create periodic crises in Austin."

TSTA wholeheartedly agrees. But we also declare that, as "offensive" as it might be to some of us, we are being forced to campaign publicly for adequate living wage and for the kinds of changes in our public education system that are being recognized by virtually everyone but acted upon by no one.

This Association will continue to campaign even harder until we have a satisfactory answer to the "one real question"--what are our priorities?

Personally and professionally we cannot afford to do any less.

(The above article was printed from "The TSTA Advocate", the official publication of the Texas



Stately cypresses, graceful herons and the peaceful Pedernales River compose this idyllic scene painted by German-born Texas landscapist Hermann Lungkwitz in 1885. Entitled "Heron on the Pedernales River" (also titled "Pinta Crossing of the Guadalupe"), the work is one of 95 paintings and drawings by Lungkwitz featured in the exhibit, "Hermann Lungkwitz: German Romantic Landscapist on the Texas Frontier," at The University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures in San Antonio Nov. 25 through Jan. 8, 1984.

TEXTBOOK CRITICS TAKE FINAL SHOT

Textbook critics got in their last licks last week at books proposed for use in Texas schools.

Twenty-four witnesses testified before the state Board of Education Thursday afternoon about what should be included in books for use in schools beginning Sept. 1, 1985.

Mike Hudson, Texas coordinator for People for the American Way, told the board Thursday that changes in world history books had been negotiated by state Education Commissioner Raymon Bynum and publishers behind closed doors and that some of the changes were wrong.

Hudson said "the substance of many of the changes indicates history is being rewritten, science is being ignored, and that some changes were made to suit personal biases."

In a discussion of European major powers in Africa, Hudson said, the sentence was deleted from

an Allyn & Bacon book: "They also encouraged the growing evil of slavery and slave trading."

Hudson said comments by two textbook committee members "underscore the concern shared by many--that the political infiltration of the proclamation and the rules has caused publishers to walk in fear of any controversial issue and any controversial fact of history."

Neither Bynum nor any board member responded to Hudson's remarks.

Kathy Boyd of Houston said a Harcourt Brace Jovanovich language book promoted the "women's lib philosophy" and "sounded like the Guinness Book of World Records on women."

Mel Gabler of Longview, Texas, appearing for the 23rd consecutive year, said the history books "utterly fail" to meet board requirements. He said they offer "unfair coverage of free enterprise."



The first known public library was that of Aristotle in 334 B.C.



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WINDSTORM CAN DEVASTATE FARMLAND

From November through May each year, powerful windstorms are almost sure to sweep across Texas.

If the year has been dry like this year or, worse yet, one of a succession of dry years, the wind will pick up any loose soil and move it, sometimes for short distances, sometimes for hundreds of miles.

The agricultural hazards of this area, emphasized by the Dust Bowl days of the 1930's and the severe drought of the 1950's, led Congress to create the Great Plains Conservation Program (GPCP) in 1956. Since then, this voluntary program has been helping farmers and ranchers protect their light and fragile, but most precious soils from erosion, and to stabilize production in this drought prone area.

The GPCP offers long-term technical assistance and cost-sharing through the Soil Conservation Service. The SCS recommends, informs, educates and communicates with landusers in an effort to promote the wise use of your renewable and non-renewable natural resources. We, as SCS employees, provide on-the-ground technical assistance. We do not

regulate or have enforcement powers. Conservation practices are scheduled over a period of 3 to 5 years, and allows landowners to apply complete soil and water conservation systems suited to their own special needs. So far, each federal dollar invested in GPCP has returned nearly \$4 in increased agriculture income.

Through GPCP, SCS pays part of the cost of 33 different conservation practices. Practices most frequently used are grass seeding, terrace and waterway construction, erosion control structures, strip-cropping, livestock watering facilities, fencing, and irrigation system improvements.

For a complete list of approved practices, cost-share rates and eligibility information about GPCP, contact your local Soil Conservation Service in Snyder at 573-0171.

Sometimes patience is needed to reach SCS employees. We usually have small staffs, and most of our work is done in the field. It is sometimes difficult to reach us by phone. But please keep trying, we are anxious to talk with you. About 7:00 a.m. or 4:00 p.m. may be the best time to reach us.

ASCS News

by Jerry Stone

PIK COTTON

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I know what we have told you and it has changed periodically since the sign-up closed, but we now have the cotton, we have been expecting from CCC Inventory, in the County office. I know this has been costly and has caused a lot of hardship for some of, but now it's here so come and get it.

Producers participating in the 100 percent PIK program and those with zero planted acres will receive their entire entitlement at this time

For producers participating in the 10-30 percent PIK PLEASE REMEMBER the 40 percent harvest for PIK regulations are in effect. This requires each participating producer to obtain a commodity credit loan on 40 percent of his PIK entitlement. The other 60 percent will be satisfied with the CCC Inventory that has just arrived.

If you have any questions are needing help in determining the number of pounds you need to hold for your harvest for PIK Loan, please don't hesitate to call us.

1984 VOLUNTEER UPLAND COTTON PROGRAM

The National Loan Rate is 55 cents per pound based on SLM 1 and one sixteenth white cotton. The target price is 81 cents per pound. The Maximum permitted acres are 75 percent of your farm base. The acreage Conservation Reserve (ACR) for cotton is 25 percent of your base or 33.33 percent of your planted acres which ever is smaller.

1984 bases will be the average of the 1982 and 1983 planted and considered planted.

There will be:

- No advance payments
- No paid Diversion
- No PIK
- No cross or off setting compliance
- A \$50,000 payment limitation

COUNTY COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

Ballots will be mailed for the 1984 Committee Election on November 25th. The ballot must be returned or postmarked by December 5th, 1983 in order to be counted. The canvassing of the ballots will be December 9th. If you do not receive a ballot or know of anyone who does not get one, please contact this office. VOTE FOR THE NOMINEE OF YOUR CHOICE, BUT PLEASE VOTE!

NOTICE OF YIELDS

Farm commodity yields will be mailed shortly to producers who have bases established.

APPEAL OF YIELD AND BASE

If you believe an entry is incorrect or inequitable on your notice of yields and bases, you may request the County Committee to reconsider. You must request an appeal in writing and mail or bring it to the County ASCS Office.

You must make your appeal by December 31, 1983.

WHEAT AND BARLEY AND OATS PLANTED ACRES

November 30th is the ending planting date for Oats and Barley and Wheat. You may apply for Prevented Planting until December 15th and if approved, it will protect history only.

Deficiency payments can be earned only on planted acreage or Volunteer acreage only if harvested for grain.

HOLIDAY

This office will be closed Thursday, November 24 for Thanksgiving Day.



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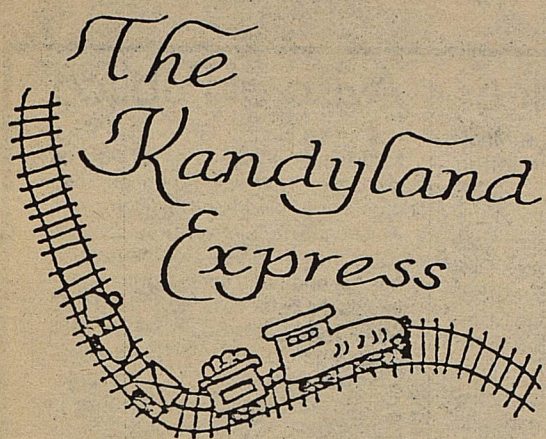
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BORDEN COUNTY REPRESENTED IN LUBBOCK

Shayne Hess, Cody Stone, d'Arceyanne Lemons, and Charla Lewis will represent Borden County at the District 4-H Food Show in Lubbock on December 10, 1983.

These four 4-H'ers won first place in their respective categories at the Borden County 4-H Food Show held Saturday, November 19, 1983.

Eleven 4-H'ers participated in the food show. The 4-H'ers, their award, and the category they participated in are as follows: Cody Stone, blue award, first, nutritious snacks and desserts; Lance Telchik, blue award, alternate, nutritious snacks and desserts; Tammy Voss, blue award, nutritious snacks and desserts; A'Lise Lloyd, blue award, nutritious snacks and desserts; M'Lys Lloyd, blue

award, alternate, breads and cereals; d'Arceyanne Lemons, blue award, first, breads and cereals; Charla Lewis, blue award, first, fruits and vegetables; Jo Barnes, blue award, alternate, fruits and vegetables; Angela Evans, blue award, alternate, main dish; D'Lyn Lloyd, blue award, main dish; and Shayne Hess, blue award, first, main dish.

The alternate in each category will represent Borden County in the event that the winner is not able to attend.

The county food show is the culmination of the 4-H food and nutrition projects that have been going on in the county since September.

Thank you to the leaders who made the foods projects and the food show a big success.

4-H CRAFT DAY

Approximately 20 4-H'ers participated in 4-H Craft Day held November 19, 1983.

Craft day is held each year in preparation for the 4-H Christmas Bazaar. The bazaar is one of the fund raising activities sponsored by the 4-H Club.

Those attending craft day made skilnet magnets for the refrigerator, thumb print

stationery, Santa Claus napkin holders, and Christmas gift bags.

A special thank you to the following 4-H Leaders and parents who assisted with craft day: Sandra Evans, Trina Lemons, Denise Parks, Sue Lloyd, Paula Miller, Pam Hess, and Carolyn Stone. Without you, there could not be such an activity.



FOOD SHOW WINNERS--d'Arceyanne Lemons, breads and cereals; Charla Lemons, fruits and vegetables; Shayne Hess, main dish; and Cody Stone, nutritious snacks and desserts.

CAROL OF LIGHTS

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the direction of music professor Donald Bailey, will perform "The Holly and the Ivy" and "The First Noel."

Celeste Anselmi, chairman for the Carol of Lights, will deliver the prelighting comments before a trombone fanfare announces the illumination of the 12,000 red, yellow and white lights.

The crowd will be invited to sing "O Come All Ye Faithful" and "Deck the Halls." The Texas Tech Choir will conclude the singing with "We Wish You A Merry Christmas," and the Saddle Tramps will ring the victory bells.

Maynard will play the carillon as visitors make their way home or tour the lit campus.

The lights, outlining the campus buildings surrounding Memorial Circle, will be lit from 6 p.m. until 11 p.m. daily Dec. 3-26.

The Residence Halls Association coordinates the Carol of Lights with the assistance of Alpha Phi Omega, service fraternity; Chi Rho, Catholic Service Fraternity; Women's Service Organization; Saddle Tramps, men's service and spirit organization; and the Texas Tech Music Department.



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HOUSE FOR SALE

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Your County Agent Says by Alan Day

SHOWMANSHIP CLINIC

The 1983 4-H Lamb and Swine Showmanship Clinic will be held Saturday, December 3rd at 9:30 a.m. The sessions will be held at the county show barns.

Lisa Ludecke, Borden County resident, will be in charge of the showmanship portion of the program. There will also be a local county agent from Tahoka here to talk about feeding and fitting of barrows for show.

The lamb showmanship

will be handled by local Borden County 4-H members. Alan Day will discuss feeding and fitting of show lambs.

Those planning on attending this clinic are urged to bring a lamb or barrow. There will be a large portion of the showmanship devoted to "hands on" work. This will be done to improve your showmanship technique.

For more information, call the County Extension Office (856-4336).

SPORTS SHORTS



The lowest recorded golf score on any 18-hole course with a par of 70 or more was achieved by Alfred Edward Smith. On January 1, 1936, in England, Smith shot a record-breaking 55.

For many, the high point of the 1984 golf season will be the Amaretto di Saronno Classic. This international competition for women golf amateurs from around the world will be held January 8-15, 1984 in Hawaii. It will be the only women's amateur tournament in the world played on a golf course situated on an extinct volcano. Amaretto di Saronno Classic, Dept. M, 4820 U.S. Highway 42, Louisville, KY 40222.



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on Highway SH 70, CR 181, FM 1054, covered by MC 264-1-21, BRO 8(8) X & BRS 3231 (6) in Nolan and Borden Counties, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9: A.M., December 14, 1983, and then publicly opened and read.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without

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Notice of Application for Fluid Injection Well Permit

Texaco Inc. 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, Jo-Mill Unit, Well Number 3421, 3423, 3443, 3444, 3524, 3542, 3544, 4323, 4421, 4423, 4421, 4423, 4521, 4523, 4343, 4441, 4443, 4541, 4551. The proposed injection well is located 5 Miles NW of Vealmoor, Texas in the Jo-Mill (Spraberry) Field, in Borden County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 7134 to 7874 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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Public Notice

In order to implement the Modified Final Judgement entered in United States v. American Telephone and Telegraph Co. and the Plan of Reorganization which was approved by the United States District Court on August 5, 1983, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc., have jointly filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas an Application for and Notification of the Transfer of Facilities and Voting Stock.

This application affects the provision of interLATA service throughout the State of Texas. Effective with the implementation of this transfer of facilities, which is expected to be on January 1, 1984, Southwestern Bell will offer telephone service only within certain geographical areas defined as LATAs (intraLATA) in Texas. Concurrently, interLATA communication service presently provided by Southwestern Bell will be provided by AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc.

For purposes of this application, AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc., has filed a Tariff with the PUC containing rates applicable to all of its services in Texas at the same level as Southwestern Bell's current Tariffs. Certain adjustments necessary to implement divestiture have been made to the structure of the Tariffs.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

Aviso al Publico

A fin de cumplir la Decisión Final Modificada registrada en el caso de los United States v. American Telephone and Telegraph Co. (Compañía Americana de Teléfonos y Telégrafos) así como el Plan de Reorganización que fue aprobado por la Corte de Distrito de los Estados Unidos el día 5 de Agosto de 1983, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. y AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc., han presentado en forma conjunta ante la Public Utility Commission of Texas (Comisión de Servicios Públicos: PUC) una Solicitud y Notificación de la Transferencia de Instalaciones y Acciones Votantes.

Esta solicitud afecta la suministación de los servicios interLATA en todo el estado de Texas. Con vigencia desde el cumplimiento de esta transferencia de instalaciones, presuntamente el 1° de Enero de 1984, Southwestern Bell solamente proveerá servicios telefónicos dentro de ciertas áreas geográficas, denominadas LATAs (es decir, servicio intraLATA) en Texas. Concurrentemente, los servicios de comunicación interLATA que actualmente provee Southwestern Bell serán provistos por AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc.

Para el propósito de esta solicitud, AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc., ha registrado un Arancel ante la PUC (Comisión de Servicios Públicos) que incluye las tarifas aplicables a todos sus servicios en Texas, al mismo nivel que el Arancel actual de Southwestern Bell. Se han realizado algunos ajustes en la estructura arancelaria, por ser necesarios para llevar a cabo el desposeimiento.

Toda persona que desee intervenir en el proceso o comentar la demanda debe dirigirse a Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, o llamar a Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division, (512) 458-0223 o (512) 458-0227, o al (512) 458-0221 si requiere teletipo para sordos.



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