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Serving the Counties of Borden, Dawson, Garza, Howard, Lynn & Scurry

### BENNETT ANNOUNCES

Kenneth Bennett has announced that he will be a candidate for election to the office of Borden County Treasurer, subject to the Democratic Primary in March, 1990.

Kenneth said that he has the educational background, business experience and the qualifications necessary for the position of Borden County Treasurer.

"I would welcome the opportunity to serve the people of Borden County in this position. Your vote and



KENNETH BENNETT

influence will be greatly appreciated," stated Kenneth.

### ICA SEEKS INVESTIGATION

The Independent Cattlemen's Association (ICA) today called for federal investigations into rapid and unexplainable price increases of two fuels vital to agriculture. ICA said prices over the last 30 days have risen 100% for propane and 50% for diesel.

ICA President Bob Nunley of Sabinal asked U.S. Senators Lloyd Bentsen (D-TX) and Phil Gramm (R-TX) to seek congressional investigations into the price increases. He said the investigations may show that price increases were nothing more than price gouging by oil and gas producers in response to high demands for fuel during the frigid weather that enveloped most of the United States last December.

Nunley also asked

gouging their customers in times of emergency. It is also possible that oil and gas producers are acting in collusion to take advantage of their consumers during time of need."

ICA member David Gisler of Victoria, who also owns Independent Propane, Inc., a distributing company for liquefied petroleum, said he has been told by his suppliers that Texans would have to pay inflated prices for propane because their customers up north were suffering shortages and were buying supplies at vastly increased prices. Gisler said he expected a 10 to 15 cent per gallon increase but instead was hit with a 50 cent increase in a span of 30 days.

"Most of my customers are rural residents who use propane for heating fuel," Gisler said. "The price increase frustrated them."

Gisler said he wrote off 10 cents to 15 cents of the increase to spare his customers from the excessive

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Borden County EMS recently gained seven new EMT's in their organization.

L-R: Cameron Thompson, Lance Telchik, Richard Laverty, David Mayes, Debi Parks, Royce Nance and John Wilson have just completed their Basic EMT Course, consisting of 100 hours of classroom study, 20 hours of hospital time and three ambulance runs. Their certification is for a period of 4 years.

Lance will be working every Saturday for the Rural Metro Ambulance Service in Big Spring.

A schedule of names and phone numbers to call in case of an emergency is located on page 5. Cut it out and place it next to the phone.

### Graduates From Seminary

Ken McMeans was among the 162 graduates of Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas, December 15, 1989. Ken received a master of divinity degree. He and his family will be moving to Big Spring January 25th where he will be pastor of College Baptist Church.

Ken is married to the former Elesha Brandon and they have 3 children; Sharissa 5, RoChelle 2, and Jonathan 1.

Ken is a 1975 graduate of Borden County High



School and a 1979 graduate of Texas Tech University.

#### NEW POST OFFICE HOURS EFFECTIVE JANUARY 15, 1990

OPEN	8:00 AM
MAIL ARRIVAL	11:25 AM
MAIL DEPARTURE	12:25 PM
LUNCH BREAK	1:30 PM-2:00 PM
CLOSED	4:30 PM
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SAT. HOURS	11:00 AM-1:00 PM



## Lady Coyotes Open District With Win At Sands

Basketball season actually began again at Sands Tuesday night as District 16 A play got underway. Borden traveled to Ackerly for their first district encounter and came away with a 46-32 win. The game seemed closer than the score indicated as Borden found itself behing at the end of the first stanza 9-10. Then in the second quarter, Borden's defense completely shut down the Lady Mustang attack as the Gail girls held Sands scoreless in the period while scoring 10 of their own for a 19-10 halftime lead. The teams traded even in the third quarter 12-12 before Borden edged Sands 15-10 in the final period for the 14 point win.

Lisha Sternadel led the Lady Coyotes in scoring with 25 points followed by Amy Lewis and Amanda Anderson with 6 each. Kristi Adcock had 4 points, Rachel Romero had 3, and Leslie Fryar had 2. Lisha led in field goal percentage with 63% followed by Amanda with 60% and Leslie with 50%. Borden only attempted two free

throws for the game but didn't connect on either. Lisha led in steals with 6 followed by Kristi with 5 and Shara Dee Woodward with 4. Lisha also led in rebounds with 7 followed by Amy with 5. Shara Dee led in assists with 4 followed by Amy with 3.

The J.V. girls won rather convincingly as they took a 41-15 win over the host Mustangs. Borden jumped out to a 12-4 first quarter lead and extended it to 20-10 at halftime. A big second half closed the door on Sands as Borden outscored their opponents 21-5 for the big win.

Shayne Hess led in scoring with 16 points followed by Kristin Monger with 9. Kristin Kilmer had 8 points, Kelly Jo Ogden hit 6, and Jacquelyn McPhaul hit 2 to round out the scoring. Kristin Monger led in free throw percentage hitting 5 of 8 followed by Shayne and Kristin Kilmer with 50%.

The Lady Coyotes season record now stands at 15-2 for the year, but more important, 1-0 in district play. In other games involving District 16A, Grady defeated Klondike 54-53 in overtime and O'Donnell defeated Dawson 64-40. Borden

## Lady Coyotes Defeat O'Donnell

The Lady Coyotes kept their district record unblemished Friday night as they turned a tight first half ball game with O'Donnell into a 12 point win, 49-37. Turnovers nearly spelled doom for Borden as they suffered a season high 27, but overcame it with a season high shooting percentage hitting 56% from the floor as a team. The two teams battled even the first two quarters with the score tied at 9-9 in the first, and scoring

## Coyotes Open District At Sands

The Borden County Coyotes traveled to Sands to open the 1990 16A District play and lost 73 to 40. The Coyotes led during the first few minutes of the opening quarter, but they fell behind 14-11 by the end of the quarter. The second quarter was another close scoring action packed 8 minutes, but the Coyotes fell behind a little more 30-22. The third quarter saw the Mustangs build on their lead by another 8 points, 49 to 33. By the fourth quarter the Mustang press had taken its toll on the Coyotes and they only scored 7 points to their 24 points.

Cole Vestal led the Coyotes scorers with 19 points. He connected on 3 three point baskets 6 two point baskets and a

## J.V. Falls To Mustangs 51-15

The Borden County Coyote's J.V. team, only 5 players, fought hard but couldn't withstand the onslaught of the Sands Mustangs. They had trouble handling the aggressive zone press put on by the Mustangs, and as a result it was very hard to score. The Coyotes had their best scoring output in the first quarter and only trailed 18 to 7. In both the second and third quarters, the

free throw. Cole also had 3 steals, 1 offensive, and 4 defensive rebounds. Shane Kemper scored 7 points on 1 two and 1 three point basket and two free throws. He also had 4 steals, 1 offensive and 7 defensive rebounds, and an assist. Cody Stone scored 5 points on a 3 point basket and 2 free throws. He had 1 steal, 1 defensive rebound, and 2 assists. Jimmy Rios scored 3 points on a field goal and a free throw. he had 3 steals. Klint Kemper scored 4 points on 2 two point goals. he also had 2 steals, 2 offensive and 3 defensive rebounds, and 6 assists. Clint Wills scored 2 points and had 4 steals and a defensive rebound. David Buchanan didn't score, but he did have 2 defensive rebounds.

Coyotes only scored 2 points per quarter, while the Mustangs combined for 21 points in the fourth quarter. The Coyotes scored 4 points to the Mustangs 12 points.

J.J. Kincheloe led the Coyotes scoring with 6 points on one 3 point goal, a 2 point goal, and a free throw. Shawn Lewis connected on one 3 point basket. Kirk Jones, Clint Anderson and Guy Zant scored 2 points apiece on a field goal.

eight minutes.

Lisha Sternadel led in scoring with 12 points, before fouling out midway through the last quarter. She was followed in scoring by Amy Lewis and Kristi Adcock with 10 points each. Shara Dee Woodward hit eight points followed by Rachel Romero with 7 and Randi Woodward with 2. There was excellent field goal shooting, led by Rachel with 75% Kristi with 67%, Amy with 63%, and Lisha with 55%. Kristi led in free throw

## STUDENT LUNCHES

January 22 - 25,

MONDAY

No School  
TEACHER WORKDAY

TUESDAY

Corn Dogs  
Pork & Beans  
Vegetable Salad  
Fruit  
Milk  
Salad Bar

WEDNESDAY

Green Enchilada  
Casserole  
Tossed Salad  
Buttered Corn  
Fruit  
Hot Bread  
Milk  
Salad Bar

THURSDAY

Hamburgers  
French Fries  
Lettuce - Tomatoes  
Desert  
Milk  
Salad Bar

FRIDAY

No School  
SKI DAY

percentage with 100%, hitting 2 of 2. Borden hit 3 of 6 compared to O'Donnell's 7 of 17. Amy led in rebounds with 11 followed by Kristi with 6. Amanda led in assists with 6 followed by Shara with 3.

The J.V. also remained undefeated in district play with a 40-29 win over the Eagles. Holding an 11-7 first quarter lead, Borden extended it to 27-9 by half-time with a 16-2 edge in the second quarter. O'Donnell made a slight comeback in the third quarter, cutting the Gail lead to 33-22

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## Eagles Soar Past Coyotes

The O'Donnell Eagles swept a pair of wins from the Borden County Coyotes. In the J.V. game the Coyotes lost 59-23. The early stages of the game was very close with the Eagles leading 12 to 9 at the end of the first quarter. After that quarter the Coyotes fell upon some cold shooting and only scored 14 points for the last 3 quarters.

J.J. Kincheloe led the Coyotes scoring with 11 points on 5 field goals and a free throw. Guy Zant scored 7 points on one 3 point basket and two point baskets. Shawn Lewis and Clint Anderson scored 2 points each. Shawn's 2 points came on a field goal and Clint's came on 2 free throws. Kirk Jones scored on a free throw.

In the Varsity game the Coyotes lost a hard fought game 59-48. The Coyotes had trouble getting their shots to fall and quickly fell behind 12 to 7 at the end of the first quarter. In the second quarter the Coyotes outscored the Eagles 14-12 to bring the halftime score to 24-21 in favor of the Eagles. In the third quarter the Eagles came out hot and outscored the Coyotes 20 to 12 to gain an 11 point lead. In the fourth quarter the Coyotes matched the Eagle's scoring with 15 points.

Cole Vestal led the Coyote scoring with 19 points. He also had a steal, 6 offensive rebounds, and 5 defensive rebounds. Shane Kemper scored 13 points on 3 three points baskets and 2 two points on 2 field goals and 2 of 2 free throws. He also had 5 steals, 6 offensive and 5 defensive rebounds, and had an assist. Klint Kemper scored 5 points and had 3 steals, 2 offensive and 4 defensive rebounds and 3 assists. Cody Stone scored 3 points and had 3 offensive rebounds, 2 defensive rebounds, and 2 assists. Clint Wills scored 2 points and had 3 steals and 2 defensive rebounds.

## Lady Coyotes

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entering the last quarter, where the two teams traded even 7-7. Kristin Kilmer led in scoring with 13 points followed by Kristin Monger with 12. Shayne Hess hit 8 points and Kelly Jo Ogden added 7. Borden shot well from the free throw line in the game with Kristin Monger hitting 80% and Shayne, Kristin Kilmer, and Kelly Jo hitting 67%. The team hit 14 of 21 for 67%.

The Lady Coyote win raises their record to 16-2 on the season and 2-0 in district play. The win also extended a district winning streak to 22 games, dating back to the 1986-87

Borden's Jr. High girls traveled to O'Donnell Monday night and after an extremely slow start, came on strong in the second half for a 32-14 win. Borden started out the first quarter leading 14-6, gaining the advantage at the free throw line where Melody Harrison hit 5 of 6 and Laura Hensley hit 3 of 4. In the second quarter Borden went ice cold in shooting and was outscored by the Eagles 4-0. Ahead 14-10 at half-time, the Gail girls came out in the second half and asserted themselves quickly. Holding O'Donnell to 1 point in the third

season. The Lubbock Avalanche Journal currently has the Lady Coyotes rated 5th in the South Plains behind Nazareth, Happy, Meadow, and Sudan. the TABC has the Gail girls ranked 13th in the state led by Nazareth, as usual. Borden will travel to Dawson Friday, January 19 for their next district game before returning home January 23, for the final game of the first half of district play, with Klondike. In the other Friday night District 16A games, Grady defeated Dawson 62-46, and Sands beat Klondike 56-39.

## Jr High Girls Top O'Donnell

quarter, Borden extended the lead to 20-11 entering the last stanza, where the Gail defense again gave O'Donnell trouble, and outscored the Eagles 12-3. The four points O'Donnell scored in the second half included only one field goal.

Twelve players got in action but the bulk of the scoring came from Melody Harrison who ripped the O'Donnell defense for 23 points. Bobbie Armstrong hit 4 points and sixth grader

Laura Hensley and Brandi Smithie had 3 and 2 points respectively. Other players for Borden were Mendy Hensley, Gloria Portales Mandi Herring, Erica Nance, Trisha Gaskins, Jana Kincheloe, Leticia Rios, and Deann Parks.

Borden season record now stands at 5-4 and district record at 4-3. Gail next travels to Lenorah with a rematch with the Grady Wildcats. The girls game will begin at 6:00, Monday, January 22.

## Eagles Down Jr Coyotes

The Borden County Jr. High Coyotes traveled to O'Donnell and were defeated by the Eagles who used their quickness and speed to race past the Coyotes for an easy win of 59-32. The Eagles quickly jumped to a first quarter lead of 13 to 8. In the second quarter the Coyotes were able to score a little more, but so did the Eagles as they claimed a 28-18 lead. The Eagles offense sprang into action as the second half began. They scored 19 points to the Coyotes 10 points. In the fourth quarter the Eagles bench outscored the Coyotes by the

score of 13 to 4.

Brandon Adcock was the Coyote's leading scorer with 17 points on 7 field goals and 3 free throws. Richard Buchanan scored 8 points on 4 field goals. Keith Monger scored 4 points on 2 field goals. A.J. Romero scored 2 points on a field goal. Brandon Trussell scored 1 point on a free throw. Kurt Hess, Bucky Williams, Seth Vestal, Cody Cox, and Chris Myrick played but they did not score. There was a lot of action packed moments for the Coyotes, but the Eagles just out hustled the Coyotes.

### BORDEN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL 1989-1990 Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	GIRLS	BOYS	TIME
Jan. 9**	Sands	Sands	A&B	A&B	4:00
Jan. 12**	O'Donnell	Gail	A&B	A&B	4:00
Jan. 16**	Grady	Gail	A	A&B	5:00
Jan. 19**	Dawson	Dawson	A	A&B	5:00
Jan. 23**	Klondike	Gail	A&B	A&B	4:00
Jan. 26**	Sands	Gail	A&B	A&B	4:00
Jan. 30**	O'Donnell	O'Donnell	A&B	A&B	4:00
Feb. 2**	Grady	Grady	A	A&B	5:00
Feb. 6**	Dawson	Gail	A	A&B	5:00
Feb. 9**	Klondike	Klondike	A&B	A&B	4:00

### BORDEN COUNTY JUNIOR HIGH 1989-1990 Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	GIRLS	BOYS	TIME
Jan. 8	Sands	Gail	A	A	6:00
Jan. 15	O'Donnell	O'Donnell	A	A	6:00
Jan. 22	Grady	Grady	A	A	6:00
Jan. 29	Dawson	Gail	A	A	6:00
Feb. 5	Klondike	Klondike	A	A	6:00

### January 1990

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Holiday	2 H.S. Basketball Jayton-T-5:00	3	4	5 H.S. Basketball Roby-H-4:00	6
7	8 J.H. Basketball Sands-H-6:00	9 H.S. Basketball Sands-T-4:00	10	11	12 H.S. Basketball O'Donnell-H-4:00	13
14	15 J.H. Basketball O'Donnell-T-6:00	16 H.S. Basketball Grady-H-5:00	17	18	19 H.S. Basketball Dawson-T-5:30	20
21	22 J.H. Basketball Grady-T-6:00	23 H.S. Basketball Klondike-H-4:00	24	25	26 Ski Day H.S. Basketball Sands-H-4:00	27
28	29 J.H. Basketball Dawson-H-6:00	30 H.S. Basketball O'Donnell-T-4:00	31	DECEMBER 1989 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 FEBRUARY 1990 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 No. 50 Series Copyright 1988 Southworth Company West Springfield, MA 01103		



# TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

There will be a 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration for Ralph and Waldine Martin at the Plains Community Center on January 21, 1990, from 2 until 5 P.M. Hosting the occasion will be the honored couple's children and grandchildren.



RALPH AND WALDINE

Ralph was born in Norton, Texas and Waldine Coward was born at Gatesville. They were married at the First Baptist Church in Winters by Rev. W.T. Hammer on January 20, 1940.

They lived in Winters for 2 years before moving to Houston in 1942. Ralph worked as a welder in the Houston Ship Yard for 3 years before entering the army for a short time.

In 1951 they moved to the Plains Community in Borden County where they farmed for 39 years. Ralph also did welding and shop work. Besides working with her husband, Waldine enjoys working with her ceramics.

They attend the First

## MARTIN

Baptist Church in Gail where Ralph serves as a deacon.

Their children are: Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Brenda) Owen of Lubbock Mr. and Mrs. Wedlon (Gloria) Fannon of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Dough (Jo Ann) Jones of Sudan. They also had a son, Ronald, who died in 1974. There are 9 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

Friends and relatives invited. No gifts please.

## EMS NEWS

### IN MEMORY OF:

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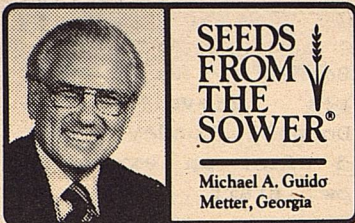
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## Consumer Complaints Of '89

During fiscal year 1989, my Consumer Protection Division received 30,863 complaints from Texas consumers concerning deceptive trade practices, health fraud, noncompliance with labor and housing regulations and securities fraud. We successfully mediated 17,596 of these complaints and took court action to halt illegal activities in numerous other cases.

The division obtained court orders or settlement agreements totalling more than \$21 million and filed 137 lawsuits. Direct mail advertisements produced the largest number of complaints, followed by automobile sales and repair. Debt collection agencies, telemarketing and mail order sales firms received the next largest share of complaints.

In 1989, the division acted to protect the health and safety of Texans by halting sales of bogus "miracle" cures, other supposed health products that were falsely advertised and "medigap" insurance policies that provided little coverage to the elderly in exchange for their savings. Nursing homes were also closed or put under court-appointed trustees when conditions warranted.

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## INCOME TAX PREPARATION

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\$15.00 per Additional Schedules

Terri Wilson

856-4384

Teacherage #2

Call or come by.

## Thank You

I want to Thank all the nice people who assisted in getting me to Lubbock. For the visits, calls, cards and flowers. I wouldn't have made it without you.

Thanks again  
Irene Creighton

\* \* \* NOTICE \* \* \*

If you are missing dishes from meals served to the families of Opal Smith or O.D. Jackson they can be picked up at the Courthouse.

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BIBLE STUDY

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9:15

Tuesday Morning's

Vincent Baptist Church

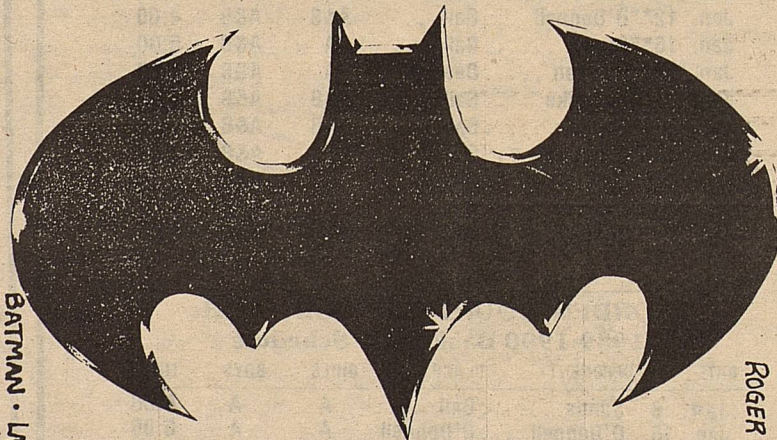
This will be a 14 week study on Hurts - pain - and Healing. Whether we believe it or not, we are beloved of God. He desires our wholeness, our healing. This Study will help us discover the truths of God which can change our lives and the lives of others.

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# INFLUENZA WARNINGS

The full brunt of the flu season is just weeks away, and it could be hard on the elderly.

Dr. W. Paul Glezen, an epidemiologist at the nation's Influenza Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, warns that influenza A, particularly the A-Shanghai strain, will be raging across the country by mid-February.

That could be difficult for unvaccinated elderly people, Glezen said, because they tend to have more underlying health problems and thus are more susceptible to life-threatening complications, such as pneumonia.

"The best time to have gotten a flu shot was before Thanksgiving," Glezen said, "but people in the high-risk groups may still want to consider inoculation.

They should consult their physicians."

Because the flu vaccine does not provide protection for about two weeks, it is possible to contract the flu even after getting a shot, Glezen said, but that can be minimized by also taking the drug amantadine.

Available only by prescription from a physician, amantadine usually lessens the severity and length of the attack, but only if taken within 48 hours of the onset of flu symptoms, Glezen said.

The elderly are not the only ones who should guard against the flu, Glezen said. Other high-risk groups are:

--People with heart and lung disease, including asthma and chronic bronchitis.

--People with diabetes

chronic kidney disease and chronic anemia, including sickle cell anemia.

--People, such as health-care workers, likely to come into contact with those in any of the other high-risk groups.

Influenza usually strikes suddenly and produces symptoms such as fever, generalized muscle pain, weakness and a dry, hacking cough.

Victims of the flu

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should get plenty of rest and drink lots of liquids.

Adults may take aspirin or an aspirin substitute to reduce fever and pain, but people younger than 21 should use only aspirin-free pain relievers. Aspirin has been associated with Rey's syndrome, a complication of flu and chicken pox that can cause vomiting, convulsions, brain damage and death in children.



Pan, a Greek god, was believed to delight in frightening travelers. The word "panic" derives from his name.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Texas Utilities Electric Company (TU Electric), in accordance with the Public Utility Regulatory Act, publishes this statement of intent to change rates applicable throughout the territory in which it provides electric service. All of its customers and classes of customers will be affected. The proposed rate changes are expected to result in a \$442,353,715, or 10.2 percent, increase in TU Electric's fully adjusted test-year revenues. The increase requested over test-year revenues, adjusted only for those matters specified in Public Utility Commission of Texas Rule of Practice and Procedure 21.22(b), is \$421,536,048, or 9.7 percent. The effective date of the proposed rate changes is February 20, 1990, or as soon thereafter as permitted by law.

A complete copy of the proposed rate changes is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas and at each of TU Electric's business offices.

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.

**TUELECTRIC**

## Thank You

We want to thank Barbara Vestal for the hand towels that she made for the team. They are blue and white striped with a basketball, basket, and players numbers.

The High School Boys Basketball Team

## BORDEN COUNTY EMERGENCY NUMBERS

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Borden School 915-856-4313  
Highway Department 915-856-4491

### EMTS

### GAIL

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915-856-4455

Richard Laverty-EMT  
915-856-4363

Carol Lewis-EMT  
915-856-4377

Lisa Ludecke-EMT  
915-856-4463

David Mayes-EMT  
915-856-4446

Royce Nance-EMT  
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Tom Rowe-EMT-I  
915-856-4416

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915-856-4434

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915-573-4164

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915-573-7720

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915-573-8615

Judy Pylant-EMT-I  
915-573-3486

## POLITICAL CALENDAR

### REPRESENTATIVE 17TH DISTRICT

Charles Stenholm(D)

### COUNTY JUDGE

Van L. York (D)

### COUNTY CLERK

Dorothy Browne (D)

### COUNTY TREASURER

Melissa Ludecke(D)  
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Carolyn Stone (D)

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## ASCS NEWS BY Jerry Stone

### 1989 DISASTER PROGRAM

Signup for the 1989 Disaster Assistance Program is underway and will continue through April 2, 1990. Producers who harvest crops must provide production evidence for all farms they have an interest in before disaster payments will be issued. This means all farms in all counties.

### FARM CHANGES

If land has been brought, sold or leased we need to know as soon as possible to update our files. Also, if any one has moved, please let us know the change of address.

### 1990 COTTON PROGRAM

Farms participating in the 1990 cotton program will be allowed to plant a maximum of 87.5% of the cotton base, and 12.5% must be devoted to ACR.

The 1990 target price for cotton will be 72.9 cents per pound. The national loan rate is set at 50.27 cents per pound for base quality upland cotton.

Signup for the 1990 farm program will begin January 16th and continue through April 13, 1990.

### 1989 COTTON LOANS

Several changes have been made in the 1989 cotton loan program. If a price support loan is extended for 8 months, the producer will be required to pay warehouse storage charges and interest on cash loan repayments during the loan extension period regardless of the level of the adjusted world price (AWP). Also, if the extended loan is forfeited to Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC), the producer will be required to pay CCC all storage costs, beginning with the first month of the loan extension and a \$1.00 handling fee for each bale of forfeited cotton.

After presenting warehouse receipts to this office, lien searches will be conducted as required by regulations. Also, if you plan to participate in the loan program and your cotton is or will be contracted, you must provide this office with a copy of the contract.

### CERTIFY SMALL GRAINS

Producers are reminded to certify any acreage of wheat, rye, barley, oats or other small grain crops, regardless of intended use by May 1, 1990. This includes small grain cover crops for ACR and CU. If crops are planted with intentions of making grain, March 15, 1990, is the final date to stop grazing. This acreage must be certified, and an ASCS-574 must be filed for disaster credit before making other use of the crop.

### ACP SIGNUP

A signup for the Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP) is underway and will continue through February 2, 1990. Applications for all practices will be accepted.



The average potato yield is 10,000 pounds to the acre. The same acre will yield only 1,000 pounds of wheat.

# Complaints Of 1989

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The office protects legitimate businesses by halting illegal practices that give competitors an unfair market advantage. During the past year, these dishonest activities included rolling back copier counters on used copiers and selling them as new; misrepresenting the octane rating of gasoline; deceptive "going out of business" sales; overcharging for returned checks; and telemarketing techniques that grossly misrepresented the value of products sold.

The top thirty complaints of fiscal year 1989 (September 1, 1988, through August 31, 1989) are as follows:

1. Direct Mail Advertising	2,889
2. Used Motor Vehicle Dealers	1,743
3. General Automotive Repair Shops	1,289
4. Debt Collection Agencies	1,114
5. Non-Classifiable Establishments	1,049
6. Telemarketing Companies	962
7. New Motor Vehicle Dealers	909
8. Mail Order and Catalog Sales	766
9. Landlord/Tenant	656
10. Specialized Automotive Repair Shops	601
11. Physical Fitness Facilities	576
12. Credit Reporting Agencies	572
13. Personal Services - Misc.	561
14. Mortgage Companies	508
15. Finance/Personal Credit Companies	461
16. Credit Card Companies	439
17. General Contractors/ Home Improvement	437
18. Real Estate Transactions - Misc.	379
19. Motor Vehicles - Misc.	373
20. Time Share Operators and Sales	341
21. Credit Cure Companies	337
22. Subscriptions - Magazines/Newspapers	333
23. Advertising - Misc.	301
24. Extended Warranty Companies - Vehicles	300
25. Companies Collecting Own Debt	295
26. Business/Telephone Directories	245
27. Furniture Retailers	231
28. Investment Services - Misc.	229
29. Accident and Health Insurance	222
30. Vocational Schools	220

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orney General's Office has a number of brochures to assist. Ask for "Get Satisfaction - The Texas Attorney General's guide to making a consumer complaint," or you may want to request a complete listing of our publications.

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# Courthouse News

WHEREAS, On the 21st day of December, A.D. 1989, the Commissioners' Court of Borden County, Texas, convened in Special Session at the Regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Gail, Texas, the following members of the Court being present and participating, to-wit:

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|---------------------|--|
| VAN. L. YORK        | COUNTY JUDGE, Presiding  |
| FRANK CURREY        | COMMISSIONER, Prec. No. 1  |
| LARRY D. SMITH      | COMMISSIONER, Prec. No. 2  |
| VERNON WOLF         | COMMISSIONER, Prec. No. 3  |
| HURSTON LEMONS, JR. | COMMISSIONER, Prec. No. 4  |
| DOROTHY BROWNE      | COUNTY CLERK & EX-OFFICIO<br>CLERK OF THE COMMISSIONERS<br>COURT |

constituting a quorum, when the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

### MINUTES APPROVED

Minutes of the meeting of December 11th, A.D. 1989 were read. Commissioner Smith made a motion to approve said minutes ad read. Commissioner Currey seconded the motion.

Voting For: Commissioners Currey, Smith, Wolf and Lemons

Voting Against: None

### ELECTION CANVASSED

The returns of the Local Option Election on the proposition "The legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off premise consumption only" were canvassed. The result of the election was 99 in favor and 280 against. A motion was made by Commissioner Currey that the results are official as recorded in Volume 1, Page 147, Elections Returns Record, County Clerk's Office, Borden County, Texas. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wolf.

Voting For: Commissioners Currey, Smith, Wolf, and Lemons.

Voting Against: None

### ACCOUNTS ALLOWED

Current accounts were examined. Commissioner Wolf made a motion to pay said accounts. Commissioner Lemons seconded the motion.

Voting For: Commissioners Currey, Smith, Wolf, and Lemons

Voting Against: None

### DUMP GROUND

A motion was made by Commissioner Lemons to join The Coalition of West Texas Counties and Cities asking EPA Solid Waster Regulations Variances. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Currey.

Voting For: Commissioners Currey, Smith, Wolf, and Lemons

Voting Against: None

### RESOLUTION

Commissioner Currey made a motion to pass the following Resolution. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith.

Voting For: Commissioners Currey, Smith, Wolf and Lemons

Voting Against: None

STATE OF TEXAS I  
COUNTY OF BORDEN I

### RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the United States Environmental Protection Agency has proposed new regulations pursuant to Subtitle D of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (53 Fed. Reg. 33314, 8/30/88) which would establish nationwide minimum standards for municipal solid waste landfills; and

WHEREAS, those regulations are designed to eliminate small existing municipal landfills and encourage large regional state-of-the-art landfills;

and,  
WHEREAS, extremely low population densities in West Texas and many of the other areas of the western United States make compliance with the proposed Subtitle D regulations a financial impossibility; and,

WHEREAS, in the arid portions of West Texas the extremely small amount of normal precipitation combined with existing soil conditions make the possibility of ground water contaminated from a landfill remote;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners' Court of Borden County that:

- (1) Borden County is committed to environmentally safe and prudent disposal of municipal wastes, but believes that waste disposal requirements must be within the realm of economic possibility.
- (2) Borden County requests the Environmental Protection Agency to consider revisions to proposed Subtitle D regulations which would authorize State regulatory agencies sufficient flexibility to grant variances in national standards in areas of extremely low population density, upon a showing that the municipal landfill facility does not pose a significant threat to the environment or groundwater quality.
- (3) the Texas Department of Health, United States Senators Bentsen and Gramm, and United States Congressman Stenholm are hereby requested to assist the County in obtaining modifications of the proposed EPA Subtitle D regulations which would allow for an economical and environmentally prudent waste disposal alternative in low population density areas.
- (4) The Clerk is directed to transmit copies of this Resolution to the Texas Department of Health, Senator Lloyd Bentsen, Senator Phil Gramm and Congressman Charles Stenholm.

ADOPTED this 21st day of December, 1989.

### ADJOURN

A motion was made by Commissioner Smith to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wolf and approved unanimously.

THE FOREGOING MINUTES READ AND APPROVED THIS THE 8TH DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 1990.



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## SOME COTTON FACTS

During the past 14 years, cotton's market share of fiber use has increased from 33 percent to 49 percent.

A survey by Cotton Incorporated indicates that the cotton seal, featured on a wide variety of products made of at least 60% of U.S. upland cotton, is recognized by 73 % of adult Americans. This makes it one of the most recognizable trademark symbols in the nation.

According to a recent U.S. Department of Agriculture report, the use of cotton modules as a temporary field

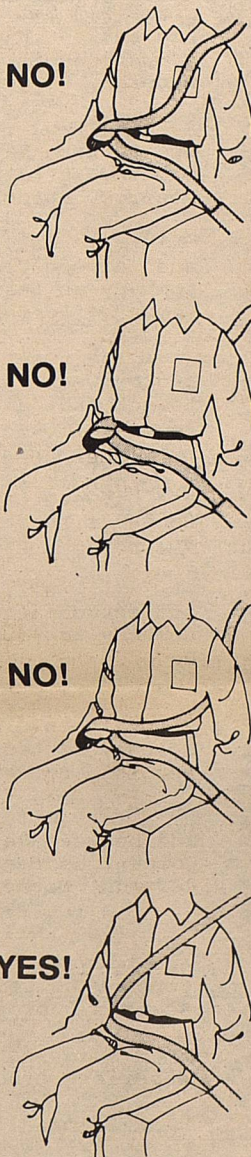
storage of seed cotton continued to increase in most states in 1988-89. About 53% of the 1988 cotton crop was ginned from modules, while 51% of the 1987-88 crop and 45% of the 1986-87 crop was ginned from modules.

Designer of the module system was Lambert Wilkes, a Texas Agricultural Experiment Station agricultural engineer in power and machinery based at Texas A&M University. The system was developed jointly by the Experiment Station and Cotton Incorporated.

These modules are the primary method of seed


## TEXAS TIDBITS


Texas' own "Big Foot" was last sighted back in 1902 by a group of frightened young people who were fishing and hunting several miles above the old McDonald Dam off Bee Cave Road in Austin. Measurements of Big Foot's tracks showed his feet to be 22 inches long and 7 inches wide, with four toes on each foot. Unsuccessful hunting expeditions never located the eight-foot-tall hairy monster and perhaps Big Foot still lurks in the Bee Creek and Barton Creek valley.



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cotton storage in Texas, Arizona and California, and are rapidly expanding in the mid-South and other areas.



By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 132nd Judicial District Court of Borden County, Texas, on a Judgment rendered in that Court on December 1, 1989 in favor of Source Services, Inc., in Cause No. 932, styled Source Services, Inc. v. CMJ Oil Company, Inc., I seized the following-described property situated in Borden County, Texas, as the property of CMJ Oil Company, Inc.

All of the right, title and interest of CMJ Oil Company, Inc., as that interest appeared on August 15, 1988 or as increased thereafter, in the following described property:

**GOOD LEASE:**

The following described Oil, Gas and Mineral Leases, to-wit:

- (1) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Thomas Jefferson Good, Jr. as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 437, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (2) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Wade B. Simpson as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 443, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (3) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Sarah Modesta Simpson Williams as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 449, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (4) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Clara Modesta Good Stokes as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 440, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (5) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 30, 1979 by and between The Midland National Bank, Midland, Texas, Trustee as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 461, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (6) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Larry Ramey, Executor and Trustee U/W Sandra Good Ramey as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 168, Page 1009, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (7) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Thomas Jefferson Good, III as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 458, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (8) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Clara Jane Porter Dyess as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 455, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (9) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Jefferson Patton Porter as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 446, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.
- (10) Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease dated November 26, 1979 by and between Candace Lou Good Jacobson as Lessor and Camp Oil Company as Lessee, recorded in Volume 162, Page 452, Deed Records, Borden County, Texas.

Said leases covering among other lands, the following described tract of land situated in Borden County, Texas, to-wit:

Being all of the East One-half of the Southwest Quarter (E/2 SW/4) of Section No. 23 in Block No. 32, T-3-N, T&P Ry. Co. Survey, Borden County, Texas.

On February 6, 1990, which is the first Tuesday of the month, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., or within 3 hours thereafter, inside the District Courtroom of the Borden County Courthouse in Gail, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of CMJ Oil Company, Inc., in and to the above-described property.

Dated January 5, 1990.

*Royale Lewis*  
ROYALE LEWIS, Sheriff of  
Borden County, Texas

## SEEKS INVESTIGATION

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financial burden. He also had to allow several customers to pay their bills out over a couple of months.

Nunley said ranchers in South Texas, an area hard hit by drought for several years, also witnessed increased costs in feeding their cattle during summer months. Ranchers normally; use propane pear burners to scorch the thorns off prickly pear cactus during dry and winter months so cattle can eat them. In late November, the costs of burning pear averaged \$19 per head per month. After the propane price increases, this figure doubled to \$38 per head per month.

Nunley said producers were also being hit with higher freight

costs to ship their products to market. Diesel has increased by 50%, increasing the cost of shipping cattle to feedlots by 15 cents a mile.

"Agriculture in Texas is still suffering from hard times," Nunley said. "Higher fuel prices place an additional burden on agriculture. Such price increases are damaging an industry vital to both the national and state economy at the worst possible time."

Nunley said ICA was seeking an immediate investigation into the situation by federal authorities. He said swift action was needed to prevent the short-term price increases from having long lasting effects on producers.

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