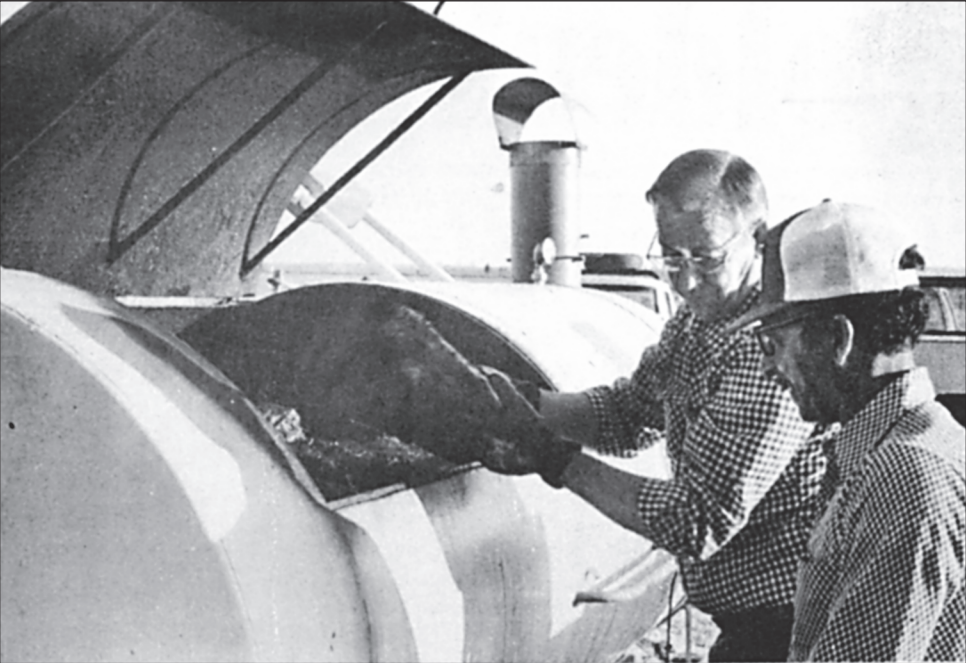


HISTORY & FOLKLORE

From Liberty Gazette, Thursday, February 17, 1977 – Raywood Barbecue



Clarence Johnson and Mason Arceneaux



Davis Patterson and Jimmie Davis



Ronnie Davis, Clarence Johnson, Mrs. Raymond Davis,
Boe Johnson and Joe Jannise



Appo LaFour, Raymond Davis and Sidney Hill Jr.

From Liberty Gazette,
Thursday, March 3, 1977 –

Teddy Bear Puts Texas' Goat Industry on Its Feet

The Teddy Bear's popularity gave the Texas goat industry its first major boost, according to a book published this week. Growth resulting from the Teddy Bear fad enabled the industry to supply the volume of mohair, which automobile seats would require a few years later.

The Teddy Bear was suggested by a Mississippi trip made by Theodore Roosevelt. After the president helped settle a boundary dispute he was taken on a bear hunt. When no game was found, the sponsors hauled in a bear cub, which Roosevelt then refused to shoot. Washington Post cartoonist Clifford Berryman's drawing of the incident gained wide popularity and inspired a Brooklyn candy store owner to make and sell a cloth toy, which he called "Teddy's Bear." The millions of Teddy Bears sold in the next few months required great quantities of mohair for their plush coverings were made of mohair. Texas had – and has – most of the nation's mohair-yielding Angora goats.





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From Illustrated Press
of Liberty County,
Thursday, December 5, 1963 –
Poignant picture was pre-
pared by the Illustrated Press
three days before the death of
the President. It shows a 1960
campaign tent at the TVE in Lib-
erty with Liberty County Demo-
cratic Chairman Harlan Friend
out front.