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### Rain brings smiles Garza County

Post has received more than 7 1/2 inches of rain during the month of August, thanks to the last week's downpours triggered by Hurricane Dolly. Rains over the past few days, including Tuesday night's 1/10 of an inch, have boosted the year-to-date total to more than 14 1/2 inches for the year, according to sheriff's department reports. Overall Garza County moisture has given grasses a much needed soaking and many tanks are filled.

# GMH to close Sept. 30

by Sheri Lewis

Garza Memorial Hospital will officially close its doors at the end of this month but hospital officials are working fervently to ensure the continued use of the facility as a 24-hour ambulatory clinic.

Board members, in a special called meeting held Thursday, voted to close the financially struggling hospital effective Sept. 30, according to Maritta Reed, administrator of the facility. They hope to see the clinic open Oct. 1.

A declining in-patient rate which has dropped to less than one patient per day, an area-wide increase in the use of managed health care, and increased costs in maintaining an in-patient facility subject to state and federal regulations have had a significant impact on the hospital's finances. Last month, for example, the hospital was forced to pay almost \$15,000 to provide the emergency room coverage required by the state, Reed said. That amount is projected to climb to just over \$18,000 in September.

"It's a tight time frame for everybody, trying to get the plans for the ambulatory clinic worked out by Oct. 1, but when we considered the financial condition of the hospital for the past year and having lost Mike Cahill and Dr. Shen Chen it seemed like the best thing to do for everyone concerned," said Reed.

Cahill, a physician's assistant, resigned from the 26-bed facility several weeks ago. Dr. Chen turned in his resignation Aug. 26. His resignation will be effective Sept. 30.

Although many of the details have yet to be ironed out, Garza Memorial Hospital officials have been working with representatives

of Methodist Hospital in Lubbock for several months, negotiating the possibility of creating a 24-hour clinic, Reed said. The board's goal was to explore options which would allow continued use of the Garza Memorial Hospital facility while continuing the provision of 24-hour emergency health care services to Post-area residents. One of the options eyed was the operation of a detox center at the local hospital. That option, however, would require the hospital to recruit new physicians, a task that can be costly time-wise and money-wise, Reed said.

Local hospital officials met with Methodist representatives Tuesday evening to continue working toward an agreement on the opening of a 24-hour clinic in the Post hospital.

A formal agreement has not been approved by the Methodist System board but all indications are that the two entities will enter into a lease agreement, probably for a period longer than a year, Reed said. The emergency room services will remain basically the same, with the provision of lab and X-ray services.

Plans call for the local hospital district to remain intact, with Methodist providing assistance in the provision of indigent health care at a capped amount per year, said Reed. Hospital district taxpayers will continue to be represented by an elected board. Members of the board will serve as part of an advisory board which will meet with Methodist officials on a regular basis to review the new facility's operations.

The Garza Memorial Hospital District will be responsible for funding the renovations necessary to convert the hospital into an

ambulatory clinic, according to Reed. These monies will ultimately be paid back to the district through its lease agreement with Methodist.

While there are no firm numbers to work with currently, Methodist officials have agreed to work to retain as many of the hospital's employees as possible, the administrator said. They will also assist

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## Post Notes

### Booster Club to meet Monday night

The Antelope Booster Club will begin weekly meetings starting Monday night, September 9th, from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m., in the high school library. Weekly meetings will continue on Monday nights throughout football season, and meet once a month during basketball season.

### Girl Scout Olympics September 10th

The Girl Scout Olympics, postponed from August 27th due to rain, will be held on Tuesday, September 10th, at the City Park. Any girl in kindergarten through high school interested in being a Girl Scout should bring a parent and come to the park at 6 p.m. Adults willing to help with a troop should come, too. There will be fun, food, and information on upcoming activities in Girl Scouting for all age levels. And just in case it should decide to rain again, we will move inside to the Girl Scout House at 506 W. 7th.

### Lions Club seeking queen

The Post Lions Club is seeking a Lions Queen for the 1996-97 year. Candidates should submit a one page essay on the subject: 'Why I want to be a Lions Queen'. Deadline for entries is Thursday, September 5, 1996. All high school junior and seniors are eligible.

### Post PIP

PIP registration forms can be picked up at the Elementary gym. Registration forms and money are due by September 16. Registration is \$40 which includes the camp, T-shirt and basketball. Camp will be held September 21st from 8 a.m. til 1 p.m. in the high school gym. For more information contact Gena Lott at 629-4265. There will be NO late registration.

### Trail Blazers to serve refreshments

The Garza County Trail Blazers will have refreshments for Founder's Day. Coffee and donuts will be served in the a.m. on September 14th. In the afternoon they will serve homemade ice cream, pie, coffee, ice tea and cokes. Come by to visit with us. Have some refreshments and cool off.

### Founders' Day reserved tickets on sale now

Reserved tickets for the OS Art Show Preview Party on Friday, September 13th, are on sale for \$15 each with include entry into the art show and a buffet dinner. Reserved tickets for the Black Tie & Boots to be held this year on Saturday night, September 14th, are on sale for the same price as they've been for the past few years at only \$25 each including dinner and dance featuring recording artist, Johnny Bush. Tickets can be purchased at the Main Street Office at 105 East Main. Visa and Mastercard accepted.

### Flanagans in concert Sept. 13

Johnny and Nelda Flanagan will be in concert on Friday, September 13, 1996 at 7 p.m. in the Trinity Baptist Church.

### Class of 1946 planning a reunion

The Class of '46 is planning their 50th year reunion to be held Saturday, September 14, 1996. Visiting and refreshments from 3-5 p.m. in the Garden Room at the Chaparral Restaurant in Post. The banquet will be at 6:30 p.m. in the Chaparral Garden Room. If you have not sent in your money please remit to Billie Windham, Box 728, Post, Texas 79356.

### Jamaica

Post Holy Cross Catholic will have its annual Jamaica on September 14, from noon to 4:30 p.m., to coincide with Founder's Day. Join the fun with live music provided by Juan y Los Favoritos and Ollie Abraham Bands. Food and game booths and also a talent show. Call Julie Gonzales at 495-2142 by September 7 to enter the talent show.

### Linda Gordon scholarship established

The Linda Gordon Memorial Scholarship has been established at Norwest Bank. The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior to help pursue their education.

### Last date to register for election

Garza County Tax Collector/Assessor Chita Hataway has said that October 6, 1996 is the last day to register to vote in the November 5th general election. Those registrations that are mailed will be accepted on Monday, October 7th.

### Santa's Parade

It's time to get your entry ready for the Annual Post Lighted Christmas Parade. The parade will be held Saturday, November 30, 1996 in downtown Post. The parade will start at 6 p.m. and prize money will be awarded. All entries must be lighted. Call soon to reserve your space. Call 495-3872, 495-3962 or 495-2268 to enter.

### Season football tickets

Post High School has announced that the season football tickets are now on sale at the school. The tickets are \$15 per seat for the regular season.

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## Founder's Day 1996 - Sept. 14

# Dance, art, food, music, history fill agenda for '96 Founder's Day

A flurry of activities has been planned as part of the 10th annual Founder's Day Celebration in Post Sept. 13-15.

Activities will get under way on Friday, Sept. 13, with the OS Reunion Art Show & OS Museum Retrospective Show preview party at the Algerita Art Center, 131 E. Main, and at the OS Museum, 201 E. Main (upstairs) at 7 p.m. Artwork representing artists from throughout the United States will be on display and in observance of the 25th anniversary of the OS Art Show, many of the artists are scheduled to be on hand for the weekend celebration. Admission will be \$15 per person.

Saturday's activities will include an antique tractor parade and show set to begin at 10 a.m. on Main Street. Awards will be given for Best Restoration, Longest Distance Traveled, Oldest Tractor and Best of Show. Following the parade, entries will be displayed all day in the downtown area.

A live comedy show featuring "clean comic" Jeff Schilling will begin at 11 a.m. at the Garza Theatre. Admission to the show will be free. Sponsors for the show are CitizensBank and Sonic and the Froggy Bottoms Live Comedy Club, Lubbock. Numerous food booths will be set up in the downtown area as part of the celebration. Food

## 4-H youth recognized at achievement banquet

Jennifer Josey was presented the Gold Star award, the highest 4-H honor, during Saturday's annual achievement banquet held at the Post Community Center. Chad McDougal was the recipient of the 1996 I Dare You award.

Kelci Hart was selected as this year's sweetheart. Other sweetheart nominees were Jennifer Josey and Christy Reiter.

The 4-H Council and Parents Association named Dickens Electric Cooperative Inc. as winner of the Friend of 4-H award. The co-op has made contributions in excess of several hundred dollars to the Garza County Junior Livestock Show, in addition to furnishing showmanship buckles. They also sponsor the district Electric Camp and Gold Star Awards. Receiving the award for Dickens Electric Co-op was John Bliker.

4-Hers who represented Garza County in district and state events during the past year were also recognized. They included, in the District 2 Food Show, Kayla Dunn, Nicole Gray, LaRinda Ledbetter, Jessica Mason, Xane Mason, Keatha Palmer, Barrett Scrivner and Jerrica Tyler. District horse show participants included Laci Williams and Kelsey Wimmer, who qualified to advance to the state horse show at Abilene in July.

Members of several teams who participated in the District Roundup contest were also recognized. District Rifle Team members included, Junior 1 Team, Garrett Chapman, Christopher Curb, Gregory Scrivner, Colt Vernon, Casey Williams and Michael Williams; Junior 2 Team, Josh Fumagalli, Tandi Humble, Clint Johnson, LaRinda Ledbetter, Randy Moore, Matthew Norman and Barrett Scrivner. The Junior 2 Team won second place overall team. LaRinda Ledbetter

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booths scheduled to date will be sponsored by the Trail Blazers (donuts and coffee in the morning and homemade pie and cake in the afternoon), Bo Jackson (sausage on a stick), Sonic (cold drink wagon), Andy Cates of Lubbock (ribs and spiral potatoes), Main Street Cafe (stew and cornbread in addition to regular menu items), Jane George (corn on the cob), Brady's (corn chip pie and root beer) and the chamber of commerce (soft drinks).

The OS Reunion Art Show & OS Museum Retrospective Show at the Algerita Art Center, 131 E. Main, and at the OS Museum, 201 E. Main (upstairs) will continue Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

"Jamaica" on West Main Street, sponsored by the Holy Cross Catholic Church, will run from noon to 4:30 p.m. Live music will be provided by Juan y Los Favoritos and the Ollie Abraham Band. Mexican food and game booths will be offered and a talent show will be conducted.

A Senior Steer Roping has been set for 1 p.m. at the rodeo grounds. Admission will be \$5 for adults and \$2 for children. Local 4-Hers will be at the rodeo arena selling drinks and Joe Gregory will be offering hot dogs and hamburgers.

The traditional Black Tie & Boots Dinner and Dance will be conducted at the Old Mill Trade Days site, Avenue F and 5th Street, from 7 p.m. to midnight. Admission will be \$25 per person.

The evening of entertainment will include an auction, dinner catered by Jo Allen's of Abilene and music by country and western star Johnny Bush. Bush, who played for the first OS Dance, has been writing and performing country music for more than 40 years. With almost 20 albums and dozens of singles under his belt, the Houston native is probably best known as the composer of Willie Nelson's "Whiskey River (Take My Mind)." His gold records include "Undo the Right," "You Oughta Hear Me Cry," "You Gave Me a Mountain" and "You'll Never Leave Me Completely."

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Recognized at last Saturday's 4-H achievement banquet were (left to right) Casey Williams, Jennifer Josey and Chad McDougal. (Photo by Sheri Lewis)



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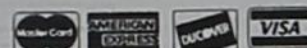
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**Herridge announces write-in position for Garza County sheriff**

Hi! My name is Maurice "Mo" Herridge. I would like to announce that I am a write-in candidate for the office of sheriff of Garza County.

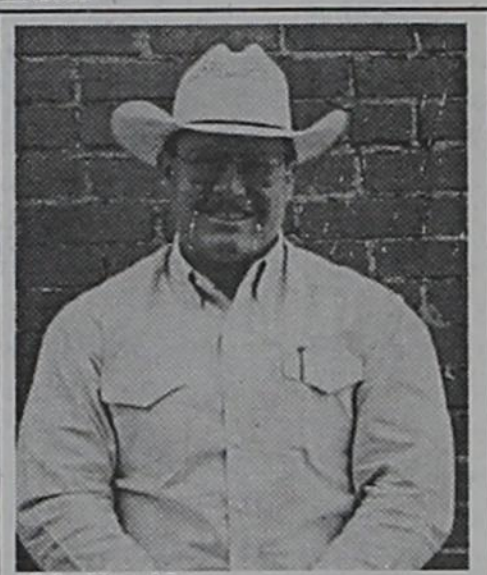
I am a 33 year old democrat. I have been married for 10 years. I was born in San Angelo and graduated from high school in Gail, Borden County. I have attended some college at Western Texas College in Snyder. I have also attended South Plains Association of Governments Law Enforcement Academy. I graduated from the academy in 1987. I currently hold a peace officer's license, jailer's license,

and a peace officer instructor's license

Being from this part of Texas, I understand the needs of the people I would serve. I also know the tremendous value the people of Garza County place on a honest, straight-talking sheriff. If elected I would strive to be that type of sheriff.

My views regarding narcotics and other dangerous drugs are simple. I have no tolerance for them. I would place high emphasis on ridding our youth and community of the parasites making them available. Through my years of law enforcement, I have found that almost all violent crimes and burglaries stem from the use or desire to obtain drugs. Therefore, it will be my goal to make illegal drugs much harder to obtain in Garza County.

I would not be the type of sheriff who would take this office lightly. I intend to devote myself to the needs of the citizens of the county whether it be law enforcement or civic oriented. Thank you very much.



Mo Herridge



Garza County 4-H Sweethearts and their escorts honored at last Saturday's 4-H banquet are (left to right) Christy Reiter, Seth Pennell, sweetheart Kelci Hart, Monty Humble, Jennifer Josey and Chad McDougal. (Photo by Sheri Lewis)



Garza County 4-H Council officers for 1996-97 are (left to right) president and district delegate Seth Pennell, vice president Chad McDougal, secretary Kelli Collier, representative Shanna Pennell, district delegate Monty Humble, junior delegates Laci Williams and Aaron Cooper. (Photo by Sheri Lewis)



Garza County 4-H Judging Team members recognized at the 4-H banquet last Saturday evening are Chad McDougal, Jennifer Josey, Monty Humble, Chase Miller, Ryan Wulfjen, Kevin Hart, Aaron Cooper, Barrett Scrivner and agent John Senter. (Photo by Sheri Lewis)

**Chancellor graduates from basic training**

Air Force Airman Andria M. Chancellor has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Chancellor is the daughter of Patrick M. and Marcene S. Chancellor of Post.



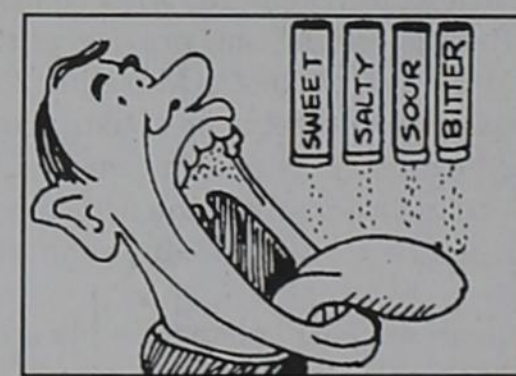
Andria Chancellor

**Births**

**Alexander Hawkeye Martinez**

Adam and Emily Martinez of Loveland Colorado are proud to announce the birth of their son, Alexander Hawkeye Martinez. He was born August 20th and weighed 8 pounds 5 ounces.

Grandparents are the Reverend Carlos and Rose Martinez of Post.



Your taste buds can distinguish four main types of flavor: sweet, salty, sour and bitter.

**Food Briefs**

**'Going for the gold' includes good nutrition**

The games may have ended, but future Olympic athletes should make sure that good nutrition is part of their routine.

"If young athletes neglect their diets, their performance and, ultimately, their health may be affected," said Dr. Marta Fiorotto, a researcher at the USDA's Children's Nutrition Research Center and an assistant professor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Fiorotto said swimmers, cyclists and runners need additional carbohydrates and all young athletes, especially females, need to get enough iron and calcium. She recommends:

Energy-boosting snacks like low-fat granola, peanut butter and jelly sandwiches or dried fruits.

Carbohydrate-rich foods include breads, potatoes, pastas and rice.

Iron-rich foods such as lean red meat, legumes and whole grain and fortified cereals.

**Pacify pint-size passengers with healthy snacks**

Taking the family on a road trip? Don't forget nutritious snacks for your pint-sized passengers.

Nutritionists at the USDA's Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine recommend bite-sized snacks like fresh fruit, dry cereal and carrot sticks. String cheese, crackers, graham crackers, oatmeal cookies and low-salt pretzels are also healthy choices.

Parents also should ice down plenty of single-serving cartons of fruit juice, a quart of milk and a bottle of water.

**Generation of eating habits could be 'relatively' unhealthy**

Aunt Emma may have eaten bacon and eggs and lived to be 100. But, don't think that gives you license to eat high-fat foods.

Cholesterol "act" differently in different people, according to Dr. Antonio M. Gotto Jr., chairman of medicine and scientific director of The DeBakey Heart Center at Baylor and The Methodist Hospital. The key is keeping your cholesterol levels in check from the beginning by adapting good health habits. He offers these tips:

If you are overweight, lose weight by following a low-fat, low-cholesterol diet and exercise program.

Look at food labels and check the amount of saturated fat, total fat, cholesterol and total calories per serving.

Get your cholesterol checked every five years. If you have a family history of high cholesterol, diabetes or high blood pressure, get it checked more often.

**Middle school Council organizes**

The Post Middle School Student Council has recently been elected by the student body.

The 8th grade representatives are: Joey Cimental, Clinton Curtis, Davida Gregory, Kenda Looney, Yvonne Lopez and Ryan Wulfjen.

The 7th grade representatives are: Michael Huff, Matthew Leininger, Meagan Mills, Alex Rodriguez, Barrett Scrivner and Emily Smith.

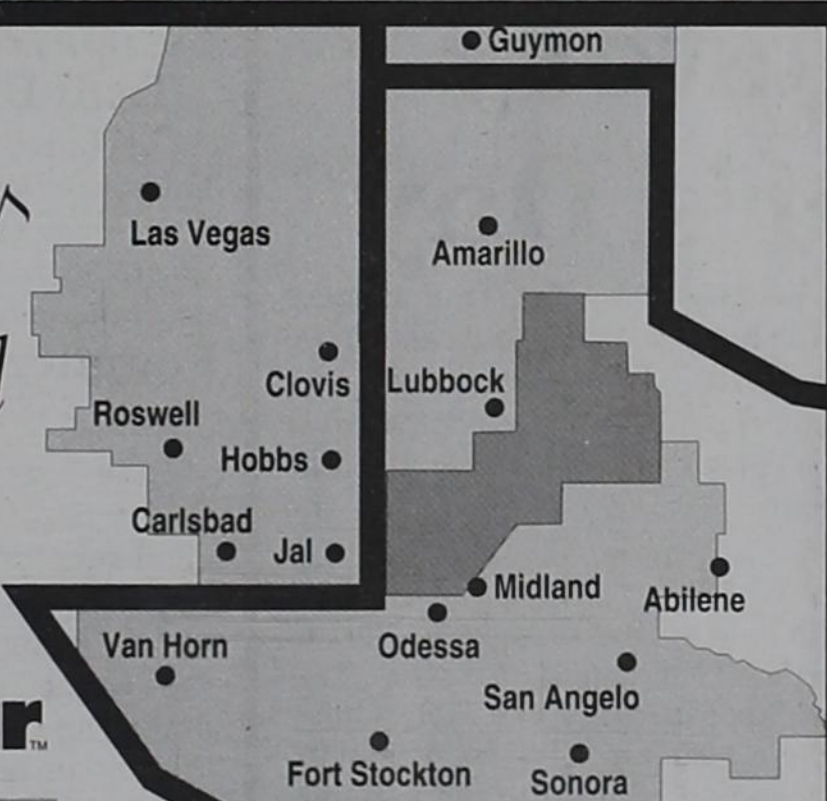
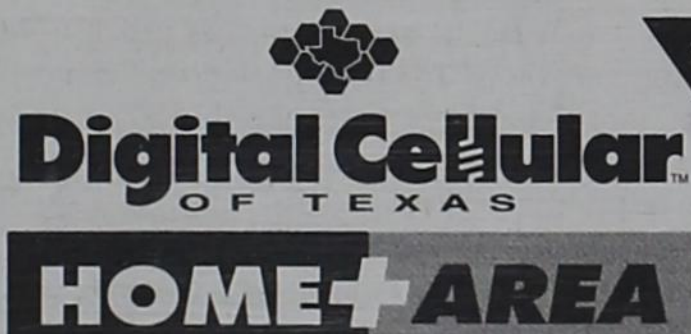
The 6th grade representatives are: Eric Alaniz, Regina Collazo, Kenda Josey, Paige Lott and Tye Mason.

Sponsors are Dedra Adams and Kristi Burch.

The Student Council members are selling Spirit Shirts. They are ash gray and spell out POST in large black letters. See a student council member or contact Mrs. Adams or Mrs. Burch at the Middle School. Show your spirit for our sports teams, band, U.I.L. and our school by purchasing a shirt.

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W.O. Fluitt (right) shares the cake-cutting honors with his wife, Bert, at last Thursday's retirement ceremony for W.O. at the Texas Dept. of Transportation office here.

## 'Class of 56' hold 40th reunion

The 1956 Class of Post High School held its 40th reunion on Saturday, August 31st, 1996. The day began with an 8:30 a.m. breakfast in the Garden Room of the Chaparral Steak House. Then the group toured "Old Mill Trade Days" until midafternoon, when they then distributed to the homes of Joyce Tatum, Walter Didway and Jimmy Redman for refreshments and visiting. Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m., the group enjoyed a buffet dinner and photograph session at the Hotel Garza Bed and Breakfast.

Those in attendance enjoying this glorious reunion day were: Mr and Mrs Keith Bird and their daughter, Karen from Willard, Mo; Mr and Mrs. Irvin Lee Johnson from Beaumont; Mr and Mrs. Homer Cato from Amarillo; Mr and Mrs V.A. Dodson from Muleshoe; Mr and Mrs Novis Pennell from Mineola; Mr and Mrs David Chatham from Santa Rosa, Ca; Mr and Mrs Jim Peede from Burleson; Mr and Mrs Gene Young from Edgewood, NM; Mr and Mrs. Jimmy Bowen from Ft. Worth.

Travis and Carolyn (Hudman) Polk from Garden City, Ks; Mr and Mrs Leon (Jo Ann Moreman) Miller from Arlington; Mr Kenneth Gerner from Houston; Mr Tommy Mayfield from Lubbock; Mr Dee Hodges from Anson; Mrs Jan (Barrow) Grape from Austin; Mrs Loyce (Josey) Phillips from Big Spring; Bettye Sue (Hunt) Parker from Phoenix, Az; Juanelle (Nichols) Ethredge from Austin; Mr and Mrs Stanley

(Sue Norman) Wheeler from Southland.

Walter and Willa Faye (Graves) Didway; Mr and Mrs Don (Joyce Josey) Tatum; Mr and Mrs Jimmy Redman; Mr and Mrs Ted Tatum; Mr and Mrs Bobby (Jennie Redman) Cowdrey; Mr and Mrs Charles (Ruby Montgomery) Williams; Mr and Mrs Billy

(Sherry Taylor) Dornier; Mozelle (Edwards) Rogers; Patti (Lott) Kirkpatrick; Twana (Teague) McCrary; and Eva Lou (Key) Page, all of Post.

The 1956 Class plans to have its 45th reunion in the year 2001.



Hibernia is the old name for Ireland.

## Tax 'n Facts

by Terri Cash, CPA

### Who Will Inherit Your IRA?

One way to keep IRA money out of Uncle Sam's hands as long as possible is to name a child or grandchild beneficiary. When, at 70 1/2, you must start withdrawing assets according to an actuarial formula based on your joint life expectancy, you get a longer payout (not that long, though; a nonspousal beneficiary adds only 10 years). If you die before 70 1/2, that heir can take out everything within five years -- and pay taxes on it -- or withdraw according to his or her own life expectancy, a better tax deal.

A spouse can roll over the proceeds to his or her own IRA, perhaps naming other, younger beneficiaries. If the money is left in your IRA, there's no penalty for a spouse tapping it before 59 1/2.

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By Ace Reid



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## GMH closing...

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with outplacement for those hospital employees the clinic cannot retain.

"This is a new concept in this area, a pilot project," Reed said. "It's a model we hope can be replicated with other small rural hospitals facing the same type problems we are experiencing. The only reason those hospitals are able to hang on and stay open at this time is because of their higher tax rates."

"Our main concern is that the citizens of Garza County have 24-hour access for life-threatening emergencies. Methodist has been very open to that concern and has agreed that that will be a part of this partnership agreement."

Garza Memorial Hospital has been in operation since it was constructed in 1953. The hospital turned to funding through a taxing district in 1969.

"It's sad because we feel like the majority of our business the last three years has been from the older population of the county and we were committed to keeping that available as long as we could," Reed said, "but this will be a good situation for everybody when we get it all worked out. This has the potential to be really good for this community if we can get it structured and working the way we envision."

In other business Thursday, hospital board members approved the facility's 1996-97 budget and tax rate. The spending schedule, however, will undoubtedly go through some revisions after negotiations with Methodist are complete, Reed said. The tax rate for the new fiscal year will remain at 18.5 cents per \$100 valuation, the same rate observed in the current fiscal year.

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—John T. Montford

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## Post FFA well represented at Dawson

Post FFA was represented well at the Dawson County Fair held at Lamesa on September 21, 1996.

The following members participated in the show: Wayne Line, Tye Haney, Seth Pennell, Clay Ashley, T.J. Gaydos, Scotty Gaydos, Emily Smith and Sterling Smith.

Wayne had a 2nd place heavy weight Finewool lamb and a 3rd place Crossbred lamb.

Tye had a 3rd place heavy weight Medium wool lamb.

Seth placed 9th with a light weight medium wool.

Clay placed 4th with a light

weight Finewool and 4th place with a heavy weight cross.

T.J. placed 5th with his Hampshire pig.

Scotty placed 3rd with his Yorkshire pig.

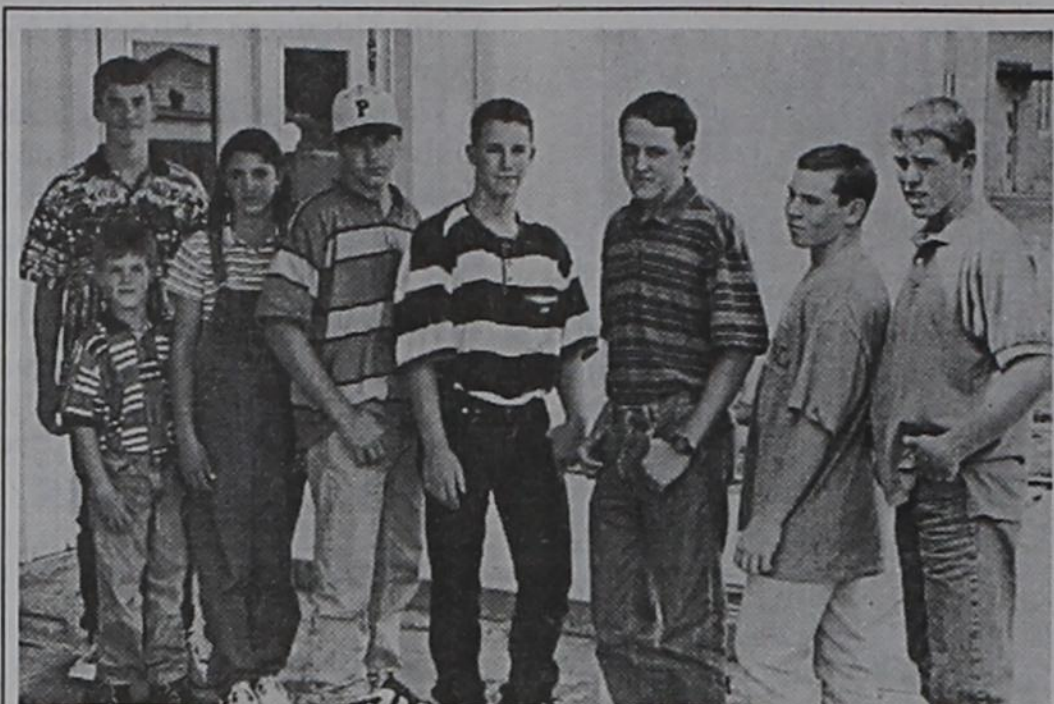
Emily placed 1st with her light weight medium wool lamb and was also named reserve breed champion.

Sterling placed 5th with a Finewool Lamb.

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The pleasure of an afternoon nap is double that of sleep at night.

—Liweng



Post FFA judging team members competing at Dawson County recently are (left to right) Clay Ashley, Sterling Smith, Emily Smith, T.J. Gaydos, Scotty Gaydos, Tye Haney, Wayne Line and Seth Pennell.

## 4-H awards banquet

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won first place in the kneeling position. Senior Team members included Matthew Ledbetter, Seth Pennell, J.C. Stelzer and Kipp Wilks, who won second overall team at the district level to advance to the state competition. Jarrett Bland and John Radle, two seniors unable to attend the district competition, were also recognized.

Recognized as members of the Livestock Judging Team were, Junior II Team, Aaron Cooper, Brooks Conner, Kevin Hart, Chase Miller, Barrett Scrivner and Ryan Wulfjen. Senior team members included Braden

Conner, Monty Humble, Jennifer Josey and Chad McDougal.

Although the 1996 Clothing Project is still ongoing, local 4-Hers who will be participating in the district-level event were recognized. They included Christin Collier, Kayle Dunn, Bethany Haynes, Brittany Haynes, Breann Heckamon, Diann Heckamon, LaRinda Ledbetter, Jessica Mason, Xane Mason, Tracy Nelson, Heather Palmer, Keatha Palmer, Miranda Palmer, Amy Pederson, Ashley Smith and Kelsey Wimmer.

Pee-Wee honorees receiving 4-H year pins included Josie Butler, rabbit show; Clint Chapman, shooting sports; Kaylee Farquhar, rabbit show; Shelby Farquhar, rabbit show; Jay Josey, rabbit show; Chloe Mason, food show; Kenzie Mason, rabbit show; Madison Mason, food show; Jessica Putman, horse show; Patrick Reiter, horse show; Kadie Vernon, shooting sports; and Levi Williams, shooting sports.

4-Hers recognized for the completion and submission of Project Record Forms or Record Books were also awarded year pins. Year pins are awarded for the number of years forms and/or books are submitted. Bronze pins (first year) went to Christin Collier, Christopher Curb, Nicole Gray, Donae Dalby, Bethany Haynes, Brittany Haynes, Breann Heckamon, Paige Lott, Xane Mason, Chad McDougal, Keatha Palmer, Brody Robertson,

## Grandparents' Corner



Jean Davenport (right) is joined by her grandchildren (left to right) Cody, Sky, her daughter-in-law Jocque, Regina and Destiny Davenport of Animas and Silver City, N.M. Cody, Sky and Destiny are the children of Billy and Jacque Davenport, Regina is the daughter of Wes Davenport of Florence, Ky.

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# Opinions

## What is this common law stuff really all about?

by Charles Stewart

There is much confusion regarding what the Common Law really is all about. The term "Common Law" is universally recognized by reputable scholars as being the equivalent of the Latin "Lex Non Scripta" or "The Un-Written Law." This unwritten law was alive and breathing among the entirely self sufficient society of the Anglo-Saxons, prior to the invasion and occupation of their lands by the Norman conquest of 1066 a.d. Relevant citations read as follows:

"Before the Norman conquest of England in 1066, the people were the fountainhead of justice. The Anglo-Saxon courts of those days were composed of large numbers of freemen, and the law which they administered, was that which had been handed down by oral tradition from generation to generation. In competition with these popular, non-professional courts, the Norman King, who insisted that he was the fountainhead of justice, set up his own tribunals. The judges presided over these royal courts were the agents or representatives of the king, not of the people; but they were professional lawyers and the courts over which they presided gradually all but displaced the popular, non-professional courts" (*Common Law Pleading* by George L. Clark, Lawyers Co-Op., 1947).

"The Anglo-Saxon tribunals had been open to all; every freeman could appeal to them for justice. But there was no corresponding right to sue in the king's courts. That was a privilege which had to be purchased by any suitor who wished to avail himself of royal justice. These privileges were issued to suitors by the king's secretary or chancellor, and the document which evidenced the privilege was called an original writ" (Clark, 1947).

So we see, that the Common Law does have a beautifully clear, crisp history. And this is without even opening up the very controversial discussion regarding what appear to be very solid linkages to the activities of both Christ and Moses of the Biblical accounts. We can keep that one on the back burner for our public discussions, because the average modern-day scholar just goes crazy when the biblical linkages are mentioned.

But "Magna Carta" of 1215 a.d. was an attempt by the Anglo-Saxon barons to get the Norman King John to commit to following the Anglo-Saxon "Common Law" as was at that time already established among that conquered people. John and those kings following him, routinely disregarded this monumental historical agreement, but it stands still today as the single most significant historical bulwark against the minions of tyranny. One such being is that intellectual derelict Garrett Epps, commentator on the "Freeman Standoff" for the Oregonian, and legal professor at the University of Oregon, who amazingly stated "Magna Carta" has no relationship with modern American Jurisprudence."

One scholarly libertarian named Lysander Spooner in his 1852 classical "Essay on the Trial by Jury," has devastatingly tied our American 7th Amendment's protection of the "Common Law" directly to Magna Cart's legendary phrase of "the Law of the Land." Also, modern scholars universally recognize that the "law of the land" is the equivalent of "due process of law" as set forth in the 5th Amendment. These classical phrases are passionately and powerfully explained as locking in the rights of all juries everywhere at all times to use their "consciences" and only their consciences in deciding whether to unanimously declare that you or I are guilty of any alleged crime and thus should go to jail or have our property stolen from us by government thieves.

The bottom line for the Common Law is clearly explained in Spooner's "Essay," that during the trial process, the jury comes together, and in that particular instant, they then define law, and only then, as it applies to the case before them. The beauty of this process becomes more clear when it is fully comprehended that the jury must be unanimous in its decision, before you or I or any defendant is to have his property or liberty infringed upon by the government.

Clearly then, all legislative enactments, judge-made judicial precedents, executive orders, or other modern-day military police state gobbledy-gook, falls by the wayside, as the jury sits down to adjudicate the guilt of you or me or any other defendant with their consciences. The implications for this unfolding Common Law dynamic for modern Americans is mind-boggling. The Common Law clearly is a "Silver Bullet," in chopping the "war powers" judicial enforcement mechanism right down to its knees. The 7th Amendment clearly gives us this horsepower.

If taken to its logical conclusion, we may actually establish court process without any judge ruling on admissibility of evidence, rules of procedure, or holding anyone in contempt of court. The jury could responsibly administer these decisions, under the guidance of a competently elected foreman, if they choose to do so, under the guidance of their consciences. We could create Common Law Jural Societies which have no need what-so-ever for sitting legislatures, or for governmental employed judges.

I would encourage all readers to obtain copies of Spooner's "Essay" in order to understand comprehensively what the "Common Law" is really all about. If America is to permanently break the chains of tyranny, then this 1852 publication needs to be in the hands of everyone.

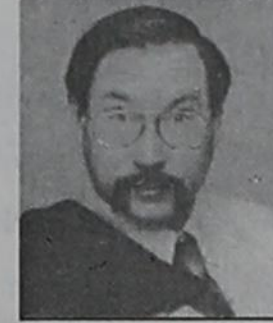
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## Juror on trial

Vin Suprynowicz

Laura Kriho, of Gilpin County, Colo., was summoned for jury duty May 13. She was the twelfth juror seated in the case of a 19-year-old female charged with felony possession of the diet pill methamphetamine.



According to Ms. Kriho's attorney, Paul Grant, the jurors seated earlier has been subjected to extensive "voir dire" questioning, the process by which the defense and especially the prosecution attempt to exclude jurors they believe might be prejudiced against their case.

(A few decades ago, such questioning was limited to asking if one was a blood relative of a principal. These days, jurors can be asked to fill out questionnaires containing hundreds of questions, from what church they belong to, to what model car they drive.)

But it was late in the day, and everyone was tired. They simply asked Ms. Kriho whether she could think of any reason she should not be seated.

Laura Kriho has been active in the past in political campaigns to legalize hemp - the marijuana plant - in Colorado. Twelve years ago, she had once received a deferred sentence on a minor drug charge, herself, but had been assured it would be expunged from her record if she remained on her good behavior for two years, which she did.

Laura Kriho said she could not think of any reason why she could not do justice by the 19-year-old defendant. She believes, to this day, that she was a fair and impartial juror, that she took seriously her duty to weigh the facts of the case, as assessed through the honest filter of her conscience. She was seated.

In the jury room, 11 jurors - carefully pre-screened to guarantee they were in favor of the War on Drugs - wanted to convict. Laura Kriho disagreed. In the course of their discussions, she allegedly mentioned the likely sentence.

The judge had specifically instructed the jury not to consider the possible sentence while deliberating. Outraged at not being allowed to end this and go home, a fellow juror "snitched" on Laura Kriho by passing a note to the judge. Outraged himself, District Court Judge Kenneth Barnhill called the jury in, declared a mistrial, and charged juror Kriho with contempt of court, obstructing justice, and perjury, the last for failing to volunteer facts about her political opposition to the drug war, and her own youthful drug offense ... even though she was never specifically asked about them.

The trial of juror Laura Kriho has been set for Sept. 30, somewhere near Denver. She could face a jail term exceeding six months, and an unlimited fine. It has been estimated that even a modest defense will cost \$10,000.

Colorado attorney Paul Grant: "I think what happened in this case is, the prosecutor thought he had a slam dunk, and they just got outraged. ... This judge is very enthusiastic about getting convictions in drugs cases. He sees himself and the prosecution on the same side; they're both enforcing the law.

"No one's ever seen this done before in Colorado. The glare of publicity ought to be shined on this case and send them scurrying away in the darkness.

"Voir dire was supposed to guarantee the defendant a fair and neutral jury, but instead they're using it to 'clean up' the juries (and get rid of) those opposed to the court's policies. They don't want an independent jury. They believe it's their jury.

"The standard is supposed to be 'a reasonable doubt.' But the way they're using voir dire now, starts jurors thinking: 'Is there anything that would make me hesitate to convict?' That instruction violates the presumption of innocence. I think it's a very dangerous instruction.

"Juror misconduct, which is what they're charging, generally involves bringing in outside influences. On appeal, they generally won't accept an affidavit from a juror who says he misunderstood the instructions and regrets voting guilty. So you can't bring in questions about how the jury deliberated when it weighs on the other side, when it might help the defendant.

"The judge was miffed that Laura didn't follow his instructions. Well, how can he instruct the jury how to deliberate? He told them not to think about the sentence, he told them not to question the wisdom of the law. Why have a jury, if they can't think? If this is successful, we're going to need a law in Colorado that a judge has to warn jurors of their rights, that they can be imprisoned if they deliberate the wrong way.

"If this goes to trial the other jurors will be called as witnesses against a fellow juror. How can Laura get a fair trial when the jurors are being instructed that jurors can be thrown in jail for not deliberating according to the judges' instructions? They're going to want to read the judge's mind and give him what he wants and not cross him.

"And that's what he wants, to do away with the independence of the jurors. So why have a jury at all? I don't see how this case can go forward at all; it essentially destroys the jury system."

Attorney Grant is correct. The purpose of the guarantee of a trial by jury before the government can kill us, imprison us, or take our property - a guarantee repeated in no less than three of the first 10 amendments to the Constitution - is that the citizenry should have a direct, personal veto power over the enactments of the Legislature, as well as the executive power to arrest and punish.

A thousand years of common law dictate that a unanimous decision of 12 jurors - meeting in private, with no state officer to listen or interfere - is required; never a simple majority. Nor does the state have any recourse if they acquit.

Should we thus be concerned that juries will decline to convict and punish murderers, robbers, rapists? Of course not. Well over 98 percent of the populace agree such violent felons need punishment - probably rougher handling than they're getting now.

But one juror in 12 will tend to represent 8.3 percent of the people. Thus, enactments which are not supported by at least 92 percent of the populace cannot withstand the test of the unanimous, randomly-selected jury.

Do 92 percent of the populace agree that we should jail or otherwise punish drug users, purveyors of pornographic videotapes, people who chop down trees or build sheds on their own land, or otherwise-law-abiding citizens who want to own an M-16 rifle, with or without the stock cut off?

They do not. Thus, if we had the randomly-selected juries we were guaranteed - rather than juries purposely stacked by the state - most prosecutions in such cases would fail. Prosecutors would stop bringing such cases, just as they gave up prosecuting those who harbored fugitive slaves in the 1850s.

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## The GOP's bogus drug attack

by Stephen Chapman

Republicans like to talk about the limits of what the federal government can do. But when Bob Dole hears of a teen-ager in Phoenix or Atlanta lighting up a joint, he immediately concludes that it's Bill Clinton's fault for letting it happen.

Drug use is rising among adolescents, and, as with everything else that has gone wrong lately, the GOP is sure it knows the source of the malice. When the latest statistics were released last week, Sen. Orrin Hatch (R-Utah) spiral of drug abuse since President Clinton took office. "An aide to Dole told Newsweek the issue makes a perfect weapon against Clinton: 'He slashed the drug czar's budget. Drug use is up. That's all that people need to know.'"

What Hatch and Dole overlook is that the big jump came in 1995, which just happened to be the same year that Republicans gained control of Congress. Does that mean the GOP caused it? Maybe so. Seeing Newt Gingrich become speaker of the House could have driven a lot of people to seek a chemically induced escape from reality.

But the whole exercise in tracing blame is the moral equivalent of astrology. Fashions in youthful rebellion don't take their cues from the rhetoric, or even the policies, emanating out of Washington. Teenage drug use rose back in the Nixon-Ford years - presumably not because the two presidents were such mellow guys. This latest increase began not under Clinton but under George Bush. Drug use waxes and wanes for reasons that no one really understands.

The Republican charge that Clinton gave up the fight against drug abuse fails on two counts. First, he didn't. Under his last budget proposal, federal spending on all drug-control efforts would be one-fifth higher than it was in Bush's final budget. Second, the GOP Congress made its own cuts in prevention programs authorized by the 1994 crime bill, giving the president far less money than he asked for.

Nor can the trend be ascribed to lax law enforcement or a failure of national will. Since 1992, the number of people in federal prison for drug crimes has increased by 20 percent, while state prisons have seen a 17 percent increase. We are still locking up drug offenders as fast as we can turn the key, but a lot of kids pay no mind.



Neither the Democrats nor the Republicans would admit it, but the truth is that even with the recent rise, juvenile drug abuse is hardly an epidemic. In 1979, 14.2 percent of kids aged 12 to 17 used marijuana at least once a month. Today, the figure is just 8.2 percent. Cocaine use remains exceedingly rare, with only one teenager in 125 using it monthly - compared with one in 52 in 1982. The percentage of kids who have ever tried illicit drugs has also plummeted over the last two decades.

Another fact that neither Clinton nor Dole chooses to publicize is that the destructive drug most popular among American teen-agers is alcohol. More than one out of five 12- to 17-year-olds drinks at least monthly - and 7.9 percent of kids get drunk that often.

People tend to minimize the occasional teen-age beer blast as kids being kids. But, as drug policy scholar Mark Kleiman of the University of California at Los Angeles notes, alcohol is the drug on which kids "are most likely to get pregnant, commit crimes, get in fights or drive recklessly." No one wants to acknowledge that it's more dangerous for teen-agers to get drunk than to smoke marijuana. But it is.

Nor does anyone want to say something else that is obviously true: The vast majority of kids who experiment with dope will not become drug addicts. Republicans think kids are encouraged to use marijuana when they hear that the president's press secretary - not to mention the president - tried it when he was young. But Republicans from Gingrich to New York Rep. Susan Molinari have made similar disclosures.

The real lesson of these confessions is not that drug use is morally acceptable. It's that, contrary anti-drug propaganda, you can experiment with illicit drugs and still go on to live a successful and productive life. Contemplating this latest report, we ought to keep in mind the reassuring certainty that most of the teen-age users won't still be using drugs a decade from now.

Certainly, kids ought to be discouraged from using illicit drugs, just as they should be discouraged from having sex, guzzling beer, driving fast, and doing other things that can have terrible consequences. But that doesn't mean the kids will be listening.

No one truly knows the secret for keeping teen-agers on the straight and narrow. But here's some advice that Republicans like to give and that, in this case, they need to take: Grow up and stop expecting Washington to solve the problem.

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## The broken-window fallacy...

by Walter E. Williams

With each reading of the late Henry Hazlitt's "Economics in One Lesson," I'm impressed by how clearly this economist/columnist understood basic economics and how much better off we'd be with one iota of his insight.

In Hazlitt's broken-window story, a hoodlum tosses a brick through a baker's window and flees. The baker is furious, but a person in the crowd that gathers reminds the baker that his misfortune has a bright side. The \$250 it takes to replace his plate-glass window will create work for the glazier. And, after all, if windows were never broken, what would happen to the glass business? The baker was also reminded of the multiplier effects. The glazier will have \$250 to spend with other merchants, who in turn will have \$250 to spend with still other merchants and so on. One just might conclude that the brick-throwing hoodlum, far from being a public menace, was a public benefactor.

Hazlitt says that the first conclusion is correct: more business for the glazier. The glazier will be no more unhappy to learn about the vandalism than an undertaker is to learn of a death. The baker, however, will be out \$250 that he planned to pay the tailor to make him a new suit. Because he has to replace the window, he has to do without the suit. So, instead of having a window and a suit, he has to make do with just a window. The glazier's gain in business is the tailor's loss of business. From the community's point of view, it's poorer by one suit that would have come into being. It's easy to see the hoodlum's act as stimulating employment because the new window will be visible. Since the baker can't buy a new suit, the unemployment for the tailor is invisible.



"Williams," you say, "what's the big deal about that story?" There are many examples of how we buy into various versions of the "broken window" fallacy. Some history professors teach that while World War 11 was a terrible thing, it brought us out of the Great Depression. No such thing. Yes, there was an increased demand for guns, tanks and bombs. Neither Santa Claus nor future generations gave us resources to fight World War 11. America had the resources at the time of World War 11 to make war equipment. Those same resources could have gone into houses, cars and refrigerators.

A variant of the broken-window fallacy is when mayors, labor bosses and the chambers of commerce tell us we need to use tax money or float a bond to construct a convention center, new sports arena or bridge because of all the jobs that will be created. Taxpayer money comes from taxpayers. If taxpayers kept their money, they would spend it on cars, home remodeling and other things that would also create jobs. So, like Hazlitt's broken-window story, certain jobs are created while others are reduced or don't come into being. The advantage for politicians pushing government spending is that the created jobs are visible, but the jobs that are eliminated or don't come into being are invisible.

Social Security is another variant of the broken-window fallacy. People who support the program marvel at its benefits. They have no idea of what there'd be if the same money were put in private retirement plans. Among those benefits would be a higher national savings rate, a greater investment rate and a higher gross national product, which, according to some estimates, would be 18 percent higher. All that is invisible while Social Security checks are visible.

Reading Hazlitt will make you more informed than most economists.

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# Sports

## Antelopes look good in scrimmage, prepare of opener

The Post Antelopes turned in a surprising performance, both offensively and defensively, last Friday night, according to Head Coach Richard Gorman. The scrimmage against Shallowater was expected to be just a tune-up for the season opener tomorrow night against Floydada but the 'Lopes turned in strong performances on both sides of the ball. Gorman said the offense moved the ball very well.

"They're still making mistakes - we didn't get much practice time in last week because of all the rain - but the effort was there and they moved the ball against a real good defense," Gorman said.

Defensively the Antelopes did a good job against the run. Gorman said he wasn't as worried about defending the run as he was about the passing game of Shallowater as the 'Lopes hadn't really seen much passing to date.

"They found out some things they need to work on," he said. "Shallowater threw the ball real well but they didn't get very much rushing the ball. Overall, the defense held Shallowater throughout the scrimmage except for two long pass plays."

Gorman cited the defensive play of defensive lineman Wayne Line who got his first start in the scrimmage. "He did a real good job," the coach said.

The Antelopes open the season Friday night with an 8 p.m. date with Floydada at home.

Gorman said Floydada is a "big, tough, physical" 3-A team. Last year Floydada beat Post but it was close at halftime and slipped away from the

'Lopes in the second half. Floydada runs a wishbone offense and it looks like their key players are two quarterbacks that run the option "very, very well."

"They also throw the ball well for a wishbone team," Gorman said. "Their offense is very aggressive and big, more so than their defense." Floydada runs a 29 defense, which is four linemen and three linebackers. "It's hard to tell from scrimmages exactly what Floydada will throw at us, but expect a tough ballgame," the coach said, adding that his biggest concern is the kicking game which hasn't seen any practice time during scrimmages.

The freshman and junior varsity Antelopes travel to Floydada today for a 5 p.m. freshman kickoff and a 7 p.m. kickoff for the junior varsity.

## West Texas citizens establish common law court in Lubbock

History was recorded in Lubbock Saturday afternoon when West Texas citizens formed the first ever common law court in this area,

following a special training session here. Citizens participating in the workshop elected DeAnn Stocker of Lubbock as district judge and Thelma Luttrell of Lubbock as district clerk. The court will meet the first Saturday of every month to hear cases filed with the clerk. Citizens voted to set the first Saturday of every month as the regular court date, and delegated the responsibility for locating an appropriate courtroom to the judge and clerk. The court will hold an administrative and procedural session Saturday at 4401 79th Street in Lubbock, beginning at 1 p.m.

Chief District Judge Timothy Perkins of the Milam District Court in Dallas, administered the oaths of office to the new court officials. An official recognition for the court by the Republic of Texas Provisional Government was also accepted by citizens, who affixed their signatures to the historic document.

"West Texas has never had a common law court," Republic of Texas Magazine publisher Wesley Burnett told the assembled citizens, "and not since 1865 have any Texans been offered redress of grievances through common law, although this right is guaranteed by both the Texas and U.S. constitutions."

Based on the foundations of common law as practiced in Republic of Texas courts prior to the "war for southern independence," the court will accept cases which involve the violation of rights to any person, individually or to the person's property.

"Our courts accept cases from any Texas citizen or inhabitant of Texas," former Milam District Court clerk Jay Enloe explained during the training session. "There must be an injured party, a real person," he added, "a situation where a real person has suffered from a violation of constitutional rights."

Enloe gave the example of obvious crime, such as burglary, theft, assault and unconstitutional acts by elected officials. "No one is above the law," Enloe added, "there are no titles here, no protection from accountability."

For more information citizens may call district clerk Thelma Luttrell at (806) 745-1690.

## Legends of the Fall

This Friday night when you attend the game It just won't quite be the same. There will be a man alot of us won't see

The one waving his arms for 40 cover 3.

Pulling them ear phones down on His neck

Taking off his glasses to clean off a speck.

Decades have went by. A lot of dedication and hard work at Post High.

Saying every year would be his last

Boy time goes by so fast.

The years of his life. He put into the school and game.

He could walk in any Hall of Fame

He can kick back and relax now that he is retired

We can all look back on the kids he inspired.

If you think you don't know this man

You have missed a great deal. We will always remember Coach Tannehill.

Class of '83"

## Outstanding PHS grad awarded top scholarship

Vernon Soto of Post has been selected to receive a Partners Presidential Plus Scholarship at The University of Texas of the Permian Basin. The \$6,000 four-year scholarship for outstanding high school graduates is the largest single award given at UTPB. An additional stipend was added to the awards this year to create the Presidential Plus scholarship, which covers the cost of student housing at UTPB.

UTPB President Charles Sorber said, "We are pleased to welcome outstanding students such as Mr. Soto to our campus. Our supporters are making it possible for recent high school

graduates to continue their education here."

To be considered for a Presidential Scholarship the student must rank in the top ten percent of their graduating class and receive a recommendation from their school counselor.

Many of the scholarships are funded through permanent endowments established by the various sponsors. A total of 12 Presidential Scholarships were awarded this year.

Late registration at UTPB continues through Sept. 6. For more information call 915-552-2605.



Post High School graduate Vernon Soto (left) accepts a certificate for his selection as a presidential plus scholar from UTPB president Charles Sorber.

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### Post Antelope Varsity 1996 Football Schedule

Date	Opponent
September 6	Floydada
September 13	at Slaton
September 20	at Lockney
September 27	at Seagraves
October 4	*Morton
October 11	*Crosbyton
October 18	at *Ralls
October 25	*Abernathy
November 1	at *Idalou
November 8	*New Deal

Non-District - 8:00 P.M.  
District - 7:30 P.M.  
\*Denotes District



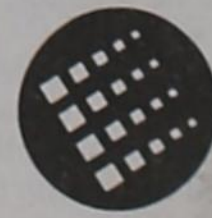
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### Post Antelope Junior Varsity 1996 Football Schedule

Date	Opponent
September 5 (6:30)	at Floydada
September 12 (5:00)	Slaton
September 19 (7:00)	Lockney
September 26 (6:00)	Seagraves
October 3 (6:30)	at Morton
October 10 (6:30)	at Crosbyton
October 17 (6:30)	Ralls
October 24 (6:30)	at Abernathy
November 7 (6:30)	at New Deal



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 Baylor at Louisiana Tech \_\_\_\_\_  
 TCU at Oklahoma \_\_\_\_\_  
 New Mexico State at Texas \_\_\_\_\_  
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## LVNAT meeting

Licensed Vocational Nurses Association of Lubbock, Texas, Division 18 will meet September 9, 1996 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. The meeting will be held at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital, Arnett Room on the 6th floor.

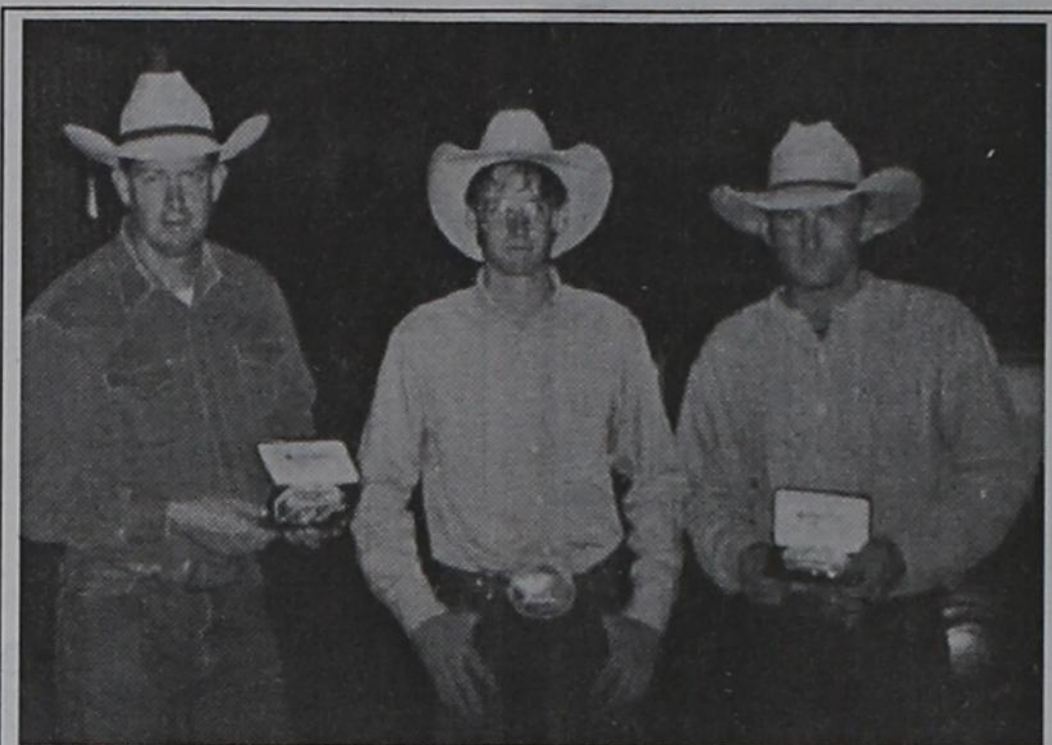
Featured speaker for September will be Nibia

Rodriguez, M.D., Specialist in Endocrinology and Diabetes Treatment and Education, at Highland Hospital in Lubbock. She will speak on "Diabetes in the 90's, Recent Research."

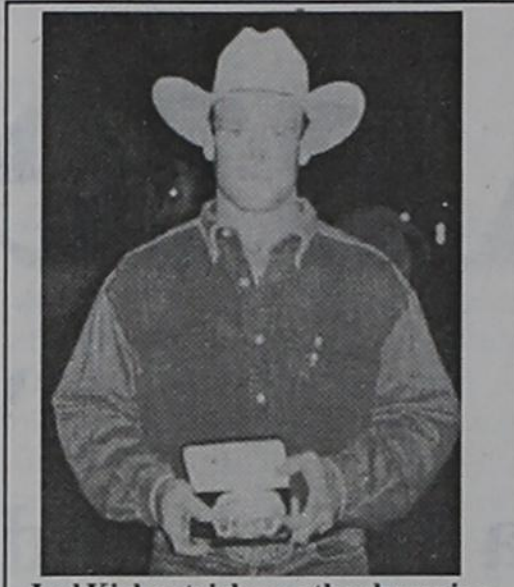
For further information please contact Melvena Coverdell, President at 1-806-828-4565.



Steve Miller (left) was named Champion Header at this year's Garza County Roping, with Clay Johnson presenting the buckle.



Garza County Roping winners this year included novice header Mark Williams (left) and novice heeler Shawn Bevers (right). Clay Johnson (center) presented awards.



Joel Kirkpatrick won the champion heeler buckle.



Mike Macy (right) won the champion steer stopper buckle with Clay Johnson presenting the award.



Texas DPS trooper Kyle Edwards (left) welcomes new trooper Bryan Little to Garza County. Little comes here from Graham with his family. He is a recent DPS academy graduate. (Photo by Becky Warren)

## Garza County Roping results

The annual Garza County roping was held August 3, 1996 at the Post Stampede Rodeo grounds. Winners were:

**Steer Stopping**  
 1st Go - Mike Macy  
 1st Average - Mike Macy  
 2nd Average - Chuck Prather  
**Team Roping - 323 teams**  
 1st go - Mike Macy - Eddie Clark  
 2nd go - Weldon Smith - Joel Kirkpatrick  
 3rd go - Bobby Blair - Rex Prather

1st Average - Steve Miller - Joel Kirkpatrick  
 2nd Average - Justin Johnson - Joel Kirkpatrick  
 3rd Average - Chuck Prather - Joel Kirkpatrick  
 4th Average - Tommy Miller - Casey Daniels  
 5th Average - Bobby Blair - Shawn Bevers  
 6th Average - Bobby Blair - Rex Prather

**Novice Header**  
 Mark Williams  
**Novice Heeler**  
 Shawn Bevers  
**Buckle Donors**  
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## Campbell to host workshop

Hugh Campbell, resident of San Angelo and graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, will host a work shop at the Algerita Art Center in Post on September 20 and 21.

Awards received for his works include second place in the 1995 Pastels West Coast International competition of Sacramento, Ca.; third place in the Juan de Fuca Competition of Washington State; and second place in the Florida Pastel Show in 1995.

Campbell regularly exhibits in shows closer to his home in San Angelo, including recent prize winners in Abilene, Breckenridge, Post and Midland. He was featured in a three-man show at the Abilene Fine Arts Museum in the early 1980s and was featured at HSU in 1989 with a grouping of his Holy Land scenes.

Registration deadline is September 17 with limited space available. The workshop dates are September 20 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. September 21 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

The workshop fee is \$70 with a \$25 deposit. For further information and a complete list of supplies needed call 806-495-4000 Tuesday thru Friday from 1 to 5 p.m.

## Quiet holiday for Garza County

By Becky Warren  
 "It was really quiet in Garza County over the Labor Day weekend," said DPS Trooper Kyle Edwards. "There were no accidents reported, but some tickets were issued in the attempt to slow the motorists down."

On August 30, a 37 year old female was arrested for assault (family violence). She was released on a \$2,500 PR bond. A 43 year old male was arrested for assault (family violence). He was released on a \$2,500 PR bond. Also a 17 year old male was arrested on an assault "A". He was released on a \$5,000 bond.

On August 31, a 36 year old male was arrested for public intoxication. He was released after laying out his fine. Also a 37 year old male was arrested for assault with injury (family code). He was released on a \$2,500 Surety bond.

On September 1, an 18 year old male was arrested for no insurance and driving with an expired driver's license. He was released on two bonds - \$600 for no insurance and \$200 for expired DL.

On September 2, a 33 year old male was arrested for public intoxication. He is still being held.

Harmattan is a cool, extremely dry wind that forms over the Sahara and blows westward or southwestward to the African coast. Many carry quantities of fine dust and can be dangerous to airplanes.

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 Never give a party if you will be the most interesting person there.  
 —Mickey Friedman

The City of Post  
 conducted a public hearing  
 on a proposal  
 to increase your property taxes  
 by 7.3756 percent  
 on Tuesday, September 3, 1996, at 7:00 p.m.

The City of Post - City Council  
 is scheduled to vote  
 on the tax rate at a  
 public meeting to be held  
 on Tuesday, September 10, 1996, at 7:00 p.m.  
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The following are some of the reasons why we feel the current program should be recalled:

1. The possibility of a large debt for this zone similar to the debts in other zones.
2. The possibility of damage to the beneficial insect populations.
3. The possibility of having the program rules changed at any time, as has already been done in some cases.
4. The current program has been ruled unconstitutional by a district court judge and several other law suits have been filed in other zones.
5. The current program has been recalled in the Rio Grande Valley and recall efforts are underway in other zones.
6. Thousands have already signed a petition but we would welcome your help and support.

If you would like more information please call or write us.

Sincerely,  
 Tommy Applewhite  
 Tommy Applewhite, President

High Plains Weevil Recall Org.  
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Petition under  
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## Classified Advertising

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Thank You to all who have called, sent cards and brought food since Galen's surgery.

A special thanks to the First Baptist Church for all the prayers and to Arnold and Irene Fry for the cake and the help with the goat.

Thanks to Freddy, Ricky and Eric for taking care of the yard. God bless you, Sandy and Galen Powell

### Personals

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p.m. Closed meetings are held except on the last Thursday of the month, which is an open meeting. We have supper at 7 p.m. and the speaking starts at 8 p.m. Anyone who wishes to talk or ask about an alcohol problem, call 495-4152, 495-4185 or 629-4393.

Post Independent School District invites the Senior Citizens of the district to come by the Superintendent's office and receive a gift of a complimentary general admissions pass that will admit you to all school functions. (You will be asked to present identification so that a pass can be issued in your name).

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## Community Calendar

**Monday, September 9, 1996**  
9 a.m. - Commissioners Court, Courthouse, 3rd floor.

**Tuesday, September 10, 1996**  
12 noon - Rotary, Rotary Room, Community Center.

7:30 p.m. PISD school board meeting, Administration building.

**Wednesday, September 11, 1996**  
12 noon - Women's Division Chamber of Commerce.

**Thursday, September 12, 1996**  
7 a.m. - Lions Club, Chaparral Steak House.

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Conscience is a mother-in-law whose visit never ends.

—H.L. Mencken

## Founder's Day...

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Sunday's activities will kick off with an Interdenominational Church Service led by cowboy evangelist Glen Smith beginning at 10 a.m. at the rodeo arena. Guest vocalists will be on hand to provide music for the informal service. Handicapped seating will be available to everyone.

Following the church service, the introduction of ropers will get underway at 12:30 p.m. under the covered slab at the rodeo grounds. The steer roping will begin at 1 p.m. at the rodeo grounds. Admission will be \$5 for adults and \$2 for children under 12. Concessions will be available.

The annual Founder's Day event is organized by the Founder's Day Committee, an outgrowth of the C.W. Post Cultural and Historical Foundation. The foundation is a non-profit division of the local Main Street Program designed to help support the program's focus.

## Menus

### Post I.S.D.

**Friday, September 6, 1996**  
Breakfast: Cereal, homemade bread toast, jelly, fruit, milk.

Lunch: Bologna sandwich, sandwich salad, french fries, orange, milk.

**Monday, September 9, 1996**  
Breakfast: Malt-O-Meal, sausage, homemade bread toast, fruit, milk.

Lunch: B-B-Q on bun, pinto beans, peaches, cake, milk.

**Tuesday, September 10, 1996**  
Breakfast: Toast sticks, syrup, fruit, milk.

Lunch: Pizza, tossed salad, corn, fruit cocktail, milk.

**Wednesday, September 11, 1996**  
Breakfast: Waffle sticks, butter and syrup, fruit, milk.

Lunch: Pork patty on bun, sandwich salad, vegetarian beans, applesauce, milk.

**Thursday, September 12, 1996**  
Breakfast: Ham, biscuits and gravy, fruit, milk.

Lunch: Nachos supreme, refried beans, tossed salad, corn bread, milk.

### Trail Blazers

**Friday, September 6 1996**  
Salisbury steak w/brown gravy, green peas, cauliflower, cheese sauce, wheat roll, pears/gingerbread, choice of beverage.

**Monday, September 9, 1996**  
Baked chicken w/mushroom sauce, blackeye peas, asparagus or zucchini, fruit sections, wheat roll, cake, choice of beverage.

**Tuesday, September 10, 1996**  
Chicken fried steak, white gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, wheat roll, gelatin, choice of beverage.

**Wednesday, September 11, 1996**  
Chicken strips, new potatoes in white sauce, broccoli, tossed salad w/Ranch dressing, hot roll, brownie, choice of beverage.

**Thursday, September 12, 1996**  
Pepper steak, rice, squash, tossed salad w/Thousand island dressing, wheat roll, pineapple cake, choice of beverage.

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## Obituaries

### James Lee Wise

Funeral services for James Lee Wise, 41, were held Wednesday, September 4, 1996 at 2 p.m. in the Hudman Chapel with Rev. Christy Rutherford, pastor of the Lighthouse Christian Center Church of God, officiating.

Burial was in the Terrace Cemetery under the direction of Hudman Funeral Home.

Wise died Monday, September 2, 1996 in Brownwood Regional Hospital. He was born August 6, 1955 in Yuma, Arizona and was the son of James Virdell Wise and Shirley Chance. He was a 1974 graduate of Post High School and was employed by the State Highway Department.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Shirley Wise on December 5, 1995. Survivors include his father, James V. Wise of Post and two sisters, Katherine Ann Wise of Post and Joyce Marie Edwards of Lubbock.

Pallbearers were Jerry Moore, Marion Cruse, W.O. Fluitt, Ray Bagby, Larry Valdez, Herman Guthrie, G.B. Wilke and Wesley Bullard.

## Letters to the Editor

### Curfew laws invades the rights of everyone...

I enjoyed reading your editorial opposing curfew laws in the August 15, 1996 issue of The Post Dispatch. As a Democrat and an American, I believe such laws as fascistic in nature and invade the rights of everyone.

Sincerely,  
Spencer Crump

## Post Channel 31

**Thursday, September 5, 1996**  
 8 a.m. Gospel Music  
 10 a.m. School Board  
 12 noon Sky warn weather.  
 2 p.m. Commissioner's Court.  
 4 p.m. Kid's special.  
 6 p.m. Gospel music.  
 8 p.m. Bold Gold Football scrimmage.  
 10 p.m. 1st Baptist Church.  
 12 a.m. Post on screen.  
**Friday, September 6, 1996**  
 8 a.m. Gospel music.  
 10 a.m. Amity Study Club.  
 12 noon Christian special.  
 2 p.m. J.V. Football scrimmage.  
 4 p.m. Kid's special.  
 6 p.m. Gospel music.  
 8 p.m. Tower theatre.  
 10 p.m. Gospel music.  
 12 a.m. Post on screen.  
**Saturday, September 7, 1996**  
 8 a.m. Gospel music.  
 10 a.m. J.V. Football scrimmage.  
 12 noon Train rides.  
 2 p.m. Bold Gold Football scrimmage.  
 4 p.m. Bike safety rodeo.  
 6 p.m. Gospel music.  
 8 p.m. America The Beautiful.  
 10 p.m. Health Matters.  
 12 a.m. Post on screen.  
**Sunday, September 8, 1996**  
 8 a.m. Gospel music.  
 1 p.m. Church of Christ.  
 2 p.m. Church of the Nazarene.  
 4 p.m. 1st Baptist Church.  
 6 p.m. Gospel music.  
 8 p.m. Bold Gold Football scrimmage.

10 p.m. Sky warn weather.  
 12 a.m. Post on screen.  
**Monday, September 9, 1996**  
 8 a.m. Gospel music.  
 10 a.m. Tower theatre.  
 12 noon Church of the Nazarene.  
 2 p.m. Health Matters.  
 4 p.m. Kid's special.  
 6 p.m. Gospel music.  
 8 p.m. J.V. Football scrimmage.  
 10 p.m. Church of Christ.  
 12 a.m. Post on screen.  
**Tuesday, September 10, 1996**  
 8 a.m. Gospel music.  
 10 a.m. Bold Gold Football Scrimmage.  
 12 noon Church of Christ.  
 2 p.m. Women's Culture Club.  
 4 p.m. U-Can-Share Food Drive.  
 6 p.m. Gospel music.  
 8 p.m. Post on Patrol.  
 10 p.m. Christian special.  
 12 a.m. Post on screen.  
**Wednesday, September 11, 1996**  
 8 a.m. Gospel music.  
 10 a.m. City council.  
 12 noon 1st Baptist Church.  
 2 p.m. J.V. Football scrimmage.  
 4 p.m. Kid's special.  
 6 p.m. Gospel music.  
 8 p.m. Amity Study Club.  
 10 p.m. Church of the Nazarene.  
 12 a.m. Post on screen.

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 Sleep is the umbilical cord that ties the individual to the universe.  
 —Friedrich Hebbel

## S.T.A.R.S. begin new year

The S.T.A.R.S. (Students, Teachers, Adults reaching solutions) at Post Middle School have been busy. The Executive Committee attended T.C.U. this summer and have been conducting a membership drive this week.

Students are in the process of signing drug free pledges and becoming members of S.T.A.R.S. Each school year, members must sign a new pledge. With one day remaining to sign up there are 148 students that have signed drug free pledges.

S.T.A.R.S. have a "Bright Lights" wall at school. Teachers recognize students and add their "light" to the wall. This is to recognize students for doing good deeds, making good grades and being a special part of school.

The halls are decorated with drug free posters and banners. Drug free announcements are made each week.

S.T.A.R.S. will sponsor a very special assembly program on September 10th. Jeorrick High, a former gang member, will speak to the students. Jeorrick will share his story with the students and explain how the wrong choices he made are the ones that he has to live with. Jeorrick is in a wheelchair due to a drive-by shooting.

The S.T.A.R.S. officers for the 1996-97 year are: Co-President: Yvonne Lopez and Armando Rodriguez; 1st Vice President, Kenda Looney; 2nd Vice President, Ross Babb; 3rd Vice President, Tandi Humble; Secretary, Lindsey Rudd; Treasurer, Brandi Gunn; Parliamentarian, Tyrone Jefferson; Reporter, Naomi Gonzales; Special Chairpersons, Dianna Williams, Barrett Scrivner; Starry Players Chairpersons: Alex Rodriguez, Michael Huff and Shalana Reed.

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**Catholic**  
 Holy Cross Catholic Church Ave. K and Main St., 495-2791  
**Disciples of Christ**  
 First Christian Church 812 W. 13th, 495-3716  
**Church of Christ**  
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 Graham Chapel Church of Christ 5 miles W. Hwy 380, 2 miles south  
**Church of God**  
 Church of God of Prophecy 602 W. 14th, 495-3644  
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## God is pleased when his people come together

by Darryl Smith, First Baptist Church  
 The Psalmist wrote, "Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!" (Psalm 133:1) God is surely pleased when His people come together in unity. We as the Christians and churches of Post have two opportunities this month to do just that.

On Founder's Day weekend a community-wide worship service has been planned for Sunday morning, September 15, at 10:45 a.m. at the rodeo grounds.

What a wonderful opportunity it is for those of us who week by week worship separately to demonstrate to those around us our commitment to serve the same Lord. I hope you and your church plan on being present for this important time.

Another opportunity to come together is September 18. That day our Christian students will be involved in "See You at the Pole" at 7 a.m. at the flag pole at their schools.

I challenge the adults of our town to gather in the same spirit around the flag pole at the courthouse to pray at the same time (7 a.m.) with our students for revival in our land. If we ask our kids to do it, shouldn't we be willing to do the same?

Jesus prayed, "I do not pray for these alone, but also for those who will believe in Me through their word; that they all may be one, as You, Father, are in Me, and I am in You; that they may also be one in Us, that the world may believe that You sent Me", (John 17:20-21).

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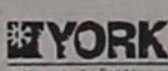
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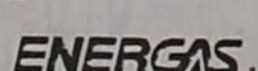
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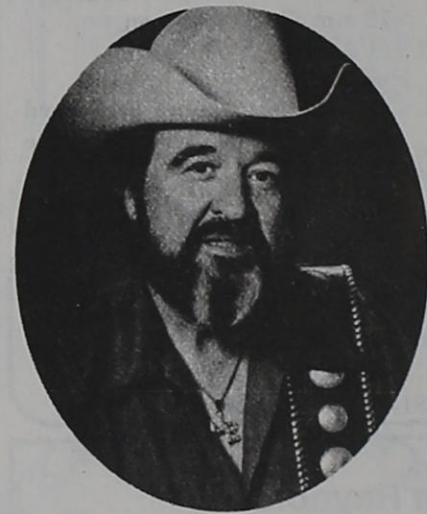
## September 13-15, 1996

### Friday, September 13th:

- \* OS Reunion Art Show & OS Museum Retrospective Show  
Algerita Art Center - 131 East Main & OS Museum - 201 East Main (upstairs)  
7:00 p.m. - \$15.00 per person - Buffet

### Saturday, September 14th:

- \* **Downtown Activities**  
"Jamaica" - Holy Cross Catholic Church - West Main Street  
Antique Tractor Parade & Show - 10:00 a.m.  
"A Live Comedy Show" - Garza Theatre - 11:00 a.m. -  
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### Sunday, September 15th:

- \* Interdenominational Church Service  
10:00 a.m. - Rodeo Arena
- \* Introduction of Ropers  
12:30 p.m. - Post Rodeo Grounds, under covered slab
- \* Steer Roping  
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