

Post Notes

Lawrence speaks at Rotary Club Tues.

Jay Lawrence will make a presentation at the Post Rotary Club meeting Tuesday, October 10 on the issue of civil justice reform in Texas. The meeting is open to the public.

VFW ladies meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday

The VFW Ladies Auxiliary meets Tuesday, October 10 at 7 p.m. at the VFW. The meetings normally begin at 6 p.m., but this month's meeting is delayed one hour.

Church hosts Zona Hayes-Cornelison

Church on the Go is hosting a special service with Zona Hayes-Cornelison on Sunday, October 18 at 10 a.m. The church is located at 111 N. Avenue I. Zona is the Director of New Life Bible College and Chief of Staff for Norvel Hayes Ministries. Call the church at 495-1400 for more information.

SWCD election set for October 10

The Garza Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) will hold an election for Director of Zone 4 on Tuesday, October 10. Zone 4 encompasses the northeast part of Garza County. The election will be held at the meeting room of the Citizens Bank at 210 N. Broadway, beginning at 8 a.m. Richard Hart is currently serving as Zone 4 director and will be seeking reelection. State law sets eligibility for voting for those individuals who live in Garza County and own agricultural land in the county. The board of directors cordially extends an invitation to all interested persons to attend the election.

NHS sponsors blood drive Oct. 6

The Post High School National Honor Society is sponsoring a special blood drive on Friday, October 6 at the high school commons. PHS students, faculty and staff may contribute from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Others may contribute from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Donors must weigh at least 110 pounds and be 17 years of age or older. For appointments, call Amy Easterling at 495-2770. Free t-shirts will be awarded to donors. Students meeting age and weight requirements may receive one hour of community service for contributing.

Parent workshop set Oct. 9

A Parent Workshop will be held in the Parent Wrokroom at the Post Elementary School on October 9 from 1 to 3:10 p.m. Main discussion will be "temper tantrums" and "beginning discipline." Call Reyes Pequeño at 495-3414, ext 410.

Teachers honored at Oct. 8 reception

A reception honoring Rowena Pierce and Edna Owen will be held Sunday, October 8 at the Hotel Garza Bed & Breakfast from 2 to 4 p.m. The event is in recognition of the dedication they have given to Post ISD students. The public is cordially invited to the reception.

Band booster taco sale

Post Band Boosters are sponsoring a Taco Supper before the Homecoming football game on Oct. 13th from 5 to 7 pm in the school cafeteria. Plates include 3 tacos, beans, chips, dessert and tea for just \$5.00. Take-outs are available also. Buy your ticket from any Pride of Post Band member or Band Booster.

Pep rally planned Thursday Oct. 12

A community-wide pep rally will be held Thursday, October 12 at Antelope Stadium immediately following the Middle School games, approximately 9 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to attend and show support for the Post Antelopes as they prepare for their first district game Friday, October 13 here.

Home rehab program offered

South Plains Community Action Association Inc. (SPCAA) has announced the opening of the regional home owner-occupied reconstruction program in Bailey, Cochran, Garza, Hockley, Lamb, Lynn, Terry and Yoakum counties. Home staff will be available to distribute and accept applications at the SPCAA office in the county multi-service center on S. Hwy 84 on Mondays from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. through October. Call the office at (806) 894-4940 or (806) 894-4560 for more information.

PHS Yearbook on sale October 11

The 2001 PHS Yearbook will go on sale beginning October 11 at Post High School. The price is \$35 and may be paid in full that day or put on layaway with \$5 down and \$10 per month for November, December and January. The price of an annual at time of shipment is much higher because publishing costs must be included.

Family Fair of Health Resources 2000

All parents of Post ISD students are welcome to the October 20 at the Education Services Center - Region 17 in Lubbock from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. The center is located at 1111 West Loop 289 (take the 4th Street exit). The program is conducted with the Lubbock County Partners for Parenting Coalition. Approximately 100 health resource exhibitors will be stationed throughout the building for consultation.

Lynn County hospital health fair

The Lynn County Hospital District is offering free screenings during its Health Fair October 20 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the center, 1400 Avenue K in Tahoka.

Benefit set for Atkinson

A special benefit by the VFW and the Ladies' Auxiliary VFW to assist Don and Glenda Atkinson will be held October 21 at the VFW. Those interested in donating money or helping should contact JoAnn Stelzer or Ruth Walls.

Substitute teachers for Post ISD

There is a shortage of qualified substitute teachers for Post ISD. Applications are available at the school administrative offices. These are excellent part time positions.

Methodist Church helps ACS

The First United Methodist Church is working with the American Cancer Society through October by collecting caps or hats for children through adult ages who have lost their hair due to cancer treatments. Donations of caps may be dropped off at the church office Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon or at 123 N. Ave. K. October is also national breast cancer awareness month. For more information or to have your donation picked up, call the church at 495-2942 or Pixie Grisham at 495-4154.

Work First Seminar Tuesday

A "Work First Seminar" will be held Tuesday, October 10 at the Garza County Multi-Service Center, S. Hwy 84 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The seminar includes refreshments, mentor information, on the job training explanation, introduction to Job Readiness Sessions and benefits of becoming a member of the Work First Program. Call Billie Williams or Isabel Overton at 495-2329 for more information.

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City to install bar screens at prison, JDC

by Wes Burnett

The Post City Council took a preliminary step Tuesday night to correct the waster water treatment problems related to foreign objects clogging up the system. Without taking a vote, the council agreed to use city funds to install bar screens at the Dalby Correctional Facility and the Juvenile Detention Center.

The council authorized city manager Fred Stephens to arrange a joint meeting with the Garza County Commissioners Court to review the proposed plans. The city is proposing to pay for the purchase and installation of bar screens to be placed at the two county-owned facilities, and will request the county-owned facility management to

clean and maintain the bar screens.

Another bar screen is to be placed at the waste treatment plant.

Mayor Archie Gill reminded the council that this issue has been discussed since January, "and we've got to take some action, right now we're out of compliance." Gill also pointed out that IMHOFF treatment equipment is overloaded with foreign objects. "We have to spend up to four hours a day cleaning the old bar screen," Stephens added, "but worse, the sludge is accumulating at the bottom of the IMHOFF and it's not getting any better."

Prisoners at the two facilities have dumping shirts, towels, sheets, pillow cases, socks into the toilets and "just about everything you can imagine," Stephens added.

The council's decision came at the recommendation of Stephens, who said that a letter from County Judge Giles W. Dalby made it clear that the county would not pay for the bar screens.

In other action, the council heard a report from Texas Department of Transportation engineer Robert Comey of Lubbock about the planned reconstruction project for U.S. Hwy 84 in Post.

Comey said the project has now been set to start in May 2002, and will take 18 to 24 months to complete.

The roadway will be completely stripped and repaved with concrete from the railroad overpass north to the city limits. Comey said that the work will be in sections, allowing traffic to continue while the project is in progress.

"We'll do everything we can to allow businesses on the highway to continue operations," Comey said. "There'll be some inconvenience, but we always provide access to businesses.

Included in the project will be a storm drainage system, which will take storm water underground to the south lake. Mayor Gill pointed out that the city will have to spend upwards of \$300,000 to move sewer and water lines. He asked about different ways the project could avoid that expense, but Comey explained that the storm water drainage plans are set.

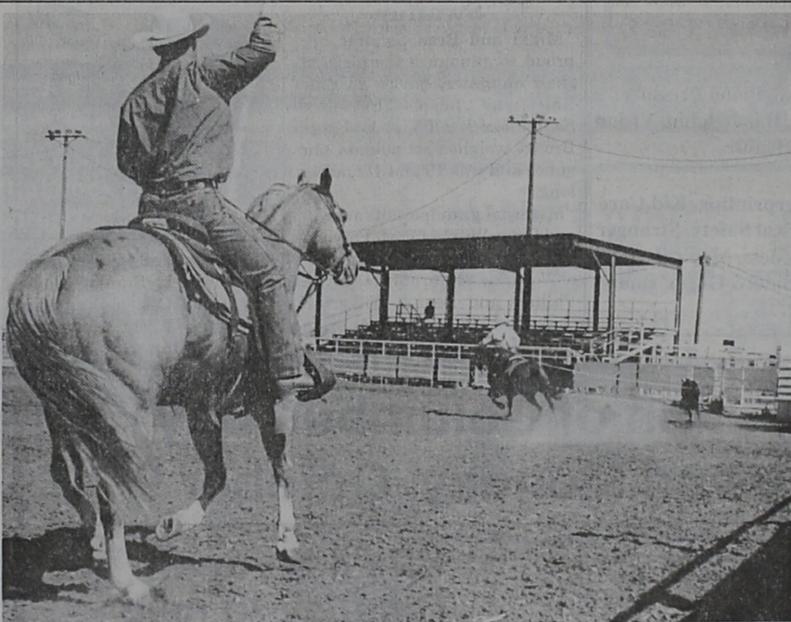
Gill also pointed out the need for left turn signals at the two lighted intersections. Comey said he would bring that to the attention of the traffic management people.

The council voted to approve the first reading of a zoning ordinance change affecting areas east of U.S. Hwy 84, north and south

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One of Culpepper & Meriweather circus clowns entertained and educated students at the First Baptist Church Christian School last week. The circus is in town Wednesday, Oct. 4 for two performances.



The flag man kept a steady eye on ropers during the Senior Roping held last Saturday at the Post Stampede Rodeo grounds. The roping featured senior ropers from around the U.S. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Work is progressing on the new Garza County Trail Blazers facility being constructed at the corner of 10th and Avenue I. Donations for completing work on the interior of the building are needed. Contact James Mitchell to help with this important project.

Voters look at November 4 election

Tuesday is the final day to register to vote in the upcoming general election.

According to officials with the Garza County clerk's office, Oct. 10 is the deadline for registration to vote in the Nov. 4 election. Registration may be completed in the clerk's office at the courthouse.

In addition to the high profile race in the presidential election, several state and local races are to be decided as well.

The following races will be decided locally, according to the clerk's office:

- District attorney, 106th Judicial District — Ricky Smith (incumbent)
- County attorney — Leslie C. Acker (incumbent)
- Sheriff — Kenny Ratke (incumbent); Jon Smith
- Tax assessor/collector — Jeanette Hodges (incumbent)
- County/district clerk (unexpired term) — Jerry Hays; Linda Duran (currently holds position through Commissioners Court appointment)
- County commissioner, Precinct 1 — Lee Norman (incumbent)
- County commissioner, Precinct 3 — John Valdez (incumbent)
- Constable, Precinct 1 — Daniel Yarbro (incumbent)
- Constable, Precinct 2 — write-in candidates Eric Cravy, Bryan Dee Justice, Michael Dean Harper.

All candidates, with the exception of Smith and Duran, are Democratic Party nominees. Smith is running as a Republican, while Duran's bid for election is as an Independent.

Early voting in the Nov. 4 election begins Oct. 23 and will run through Nov. 3 at the clerk's office. Individuals planning to vote early are encouraged to bring their voter registration card.

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Wiechmann, Payne exchange wedding vows

Heidi Wiechmann and Darren Tray Payne exchanged wedding vows Aug. 19, 2000, at 6:30 p.m. in the First Christian Church of Edmond, Okla., with John Regan officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Don and Jenny Wiechmann of Edmond. The groom is the son of Don and Carol Payne of Post.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerina-style gown with a tunic bodice and a full tulle skirt featuring a chapel-length train. The satin bodice was enhanced with opaque beads and sequins, further embroidered with butterflies facing onto the train. She wore a wreath of Austrian crystal with a shimmering tulle veil and carried a clutch bouquet of peach and white roses and blue iris surrounded by cabbage greenery and tied together with white French ribbon.

Following bridal traditions, the bride carried a handkerchief belonging to the groom's grandmother, Margie Wright, as something old. For something new, she wore earrings given to her by her mother. For something borrowed and blue, she wore her mother's garter.

Jenny Roberts served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Kim Skinner; the groom's sister, Camie Payne; and Kari Hayes. Bridal attendants wore formal gowns of celery satin with beaded embroidery accenting the bodice.

The groom wore a black tuxedo, black vest and black bow tie. Don Payne served as his son's best man. Groomsmen included Donny Payne and Tyge Payne, both brothers of the groom, and Gabe Wiechmann, brother of the bride.

Ushers included Curtis Fitzpatrick, Ray Maples, Justin Newman and Toby Stephens. The male attendants each wore a black tuxedo with a black vest and bow tie.

Flower girls were Reagan Payne, the groom's niece, and Catherine Phillips, cousin of the bride. Ringbearer was Tate Skinner and candlelighter was Ellen Powell.

House party attendants were Catherine Clay, Heidi Paulec and the groom's sisters-in-law, Marie Payne and Traci Payne.

The wedding music was performed by Angela Davis, who sang "How Beautiful," and Gabe Wiechmann, the bride's brother, who sang, "I Will Be Here."

The church was decorated with candelabras and fresh flower arrangements at the altar, as well as aisle candles and greenery.

The bridal table at the reception featured a three-layer cake with fondant icing, silver beading and fresh pink roses.

The groom's table featured a German chocolate cake topped with chocolate-covered strawberries.

The bride is a 1992 graduate of Jenks High School and a 1996 graduate of the University of Oklahoma. She is employed at the J.D. McCarter Center in Norman, Okla., as an occupational therapist.

The groom is a 1992 Post High School graduate and a 1996 graduate of Texas Tech University with a BBA in accounting. He graduated from law school at Oklahoma City University in May 2000.

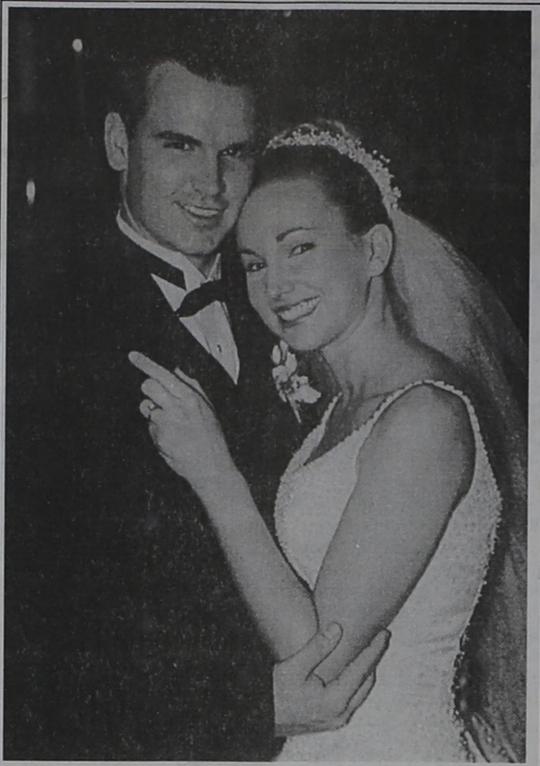
Following their wedding, the couple enjoyed a honeymoon in Cancun, Mexico.

They plan to reside in Lubbock where the groom is employed at Boatwright & Hamilton.

A couple's shower was held Aug. 5 in Slaton.

A bridal shower was held Aug. 6 in Post.

The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner.



Mr and Mrs Tray Payne

Births

Kenley Kay Dean

Kaylyn and Kylee Dean are most excited to let everyone know about their baby sister, Kenley Kay.

Kenley was born September 19, 2000 at Covenant Birthing Center in Lubbock at 12:30 p.m. She weighed eight pounds, three ounces and was 19 inches long.

Proud parents are Robby and Kerri Dean.

Maternal grandparents are Ricky and Judy Bush and Ray and Margaret Crispin of Wilson.

Paternal grandparents are Bobby and Janet Dean.

Maternal great-grandmothers are Fannie Ballentine, Lucille Bush and Edith Crispin.

Paternal great grandmother is Juanita Dean.

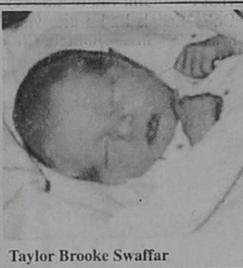
Taylor Brooke Swaffar

Mikki and Brad Swaffar are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Taylor Brooke. She was born Thursday, September 7, 2000, at 1:34 p.m. Brooke weighed six pounds, one ounce and was 19 and 1/2 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Kim and Patsy Wilks of Post. Paternal grandparents are Sue Barnes of Olton and Gene and Gayle Swaffar of Woodrow. Maternal great grandparents are Betty Stanley, Ginger Phillips and Bennie Wilks (all of Post) and Cotton Stanley of Crosbyton. Paternal great grandparents are W.L. and Clemintine Carthel of Lockney and Elmer Swaffar of Woodrow.



Kenley Kay Dean



Taylor Brooke Swaffar

Judy's Jabberin'

By Judy B. Bush

This has been a trying week for my family. Rick and I are very fortunate that we have a loving close family. That includes our son and daughter in laws. Robby has a special place in our hearts. He was our first "in-law" and we are proud of him for the kind of husband and father he is. He gave us all a big scare Monday when problems with his heart occurred. Thank God, his problem is treatable with medication and he is going to be fine. To all of you out there, I don't know how many of you found out, but for all of the calls of concern Monday night for Robby, Kerri and the girls, thank you so much. As I have said many, many times, this town cannot be beat!!



Speaking of.....

Several weeks ago I asked everyone to please give me a hand in remembering all of our ailing folks. Please let me remind you one more time. Give me a call if you know someone, I would appreciate it so much.

Passed on to me by a friend "Wealth makes people withhold judgement on what you have done"

Birthdays

Friday, October 6: Cy Cecil Wilson, Royce Agnew, Tyra Alexander Rasberry, Jacinda Payne, Myra Cooper, Alexander Moreno, Eric Pedersen, Jo Ann Bevers, Talon Cummings and Doug Townsend. Saturday, October 7: Edwina Pettyjohn, Penny Wilson, Dakota Greer, Carrie Meeks, Fred Postell, Jamie Dawson and Nita Jo Heckaman. Sunday, October 8: LaRinda Ledbetter, Chase Miller, Don Walls and Shelly Haney. Monday, October 9: Judy Bishop, Hilary Williams and Melissa Matthies; anniversaries, Tommy and Julie Gonzalez and Charles and Rita Mason. Tuesday, October 10: Ashley Crane Jaquess, Clay Williams and Jay Williams. Wednesday, October 11: Barbara Lindemann, David Quinatna, John Bland and Davina Soto; anniversary, Keith and Roxanne Osborn (happy anniversary guys). Thursday, October 12, Rubi Rodriguez and Gena Lott; anniversaries, Hope and Martin Nava and J.P. and Opal Ray.

Week before last, quite by accident, I left out a birthday. So this week I want to wish a happy tho belated birthday to Coby Jones. He celebrated his birthday on the 22nd of September and some how another I goofed. (Can you imagine?) Anyway Coby, I hope you had a great day and that you got exactly what you wanted for your birthday. If not call me and we'll give you mom and dad a hard time!

Visitors in the Burnett Home

Pat's brother and sister-in-law of Hobbs, NM, Rex and Johnnie Voyles visited in Pat and Wes' home over the weekend. They enjoyed Old Mill Trade Days Friday, then the Bluegrass Festival at the Wagon Wheel Ranch in Snyder on Saturday.

Pat's nephew, Don Voyles and his wife Veda joined the bunch Sunday for a good visit and everyone went back to Old Mill. They had a great weekend.

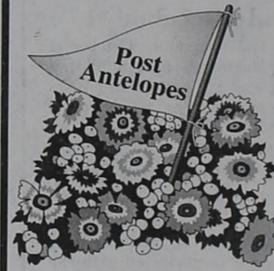
Till Next Week

Guess that will about do it for this week. Not much news folks, CALL ME!

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Zona Hayes-Cornelison



Zona is the Director of New Life Bible College and Chief of Staff for Norvel Hayes Ministries. She is also the author of three books and holds conventions throughout the country. The Holy Spirit uses Zona in a unique way to minister to God's people. The gifts that God has placed in Zona will challenge and inspire!

Sunday, October 8th at 10:00am

Church on the Go

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Lynn County Health Fair

Friday, October 20, 2000

9:00 am - 4:00 pm

The Center

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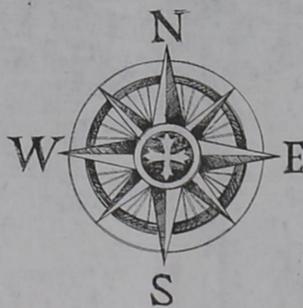
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Living on the Edge of the Caprock

by Greg Jones, CEA-AG

Technical Analysis Workshop

A Technical Analysis Workshop will be held at the District Extension Office October 16, 2000. This workshop is for those marketers that would like more of an in-depth look at trend lines, moving averages, support lines, resistance lines, gaps, corrections and other charting tools used by producers to help determine their pricing strategy. Along with supply and demand, technical analysis is a vital part of a good marketing plan. Due to there being so much trading done solely on reading charts, this can be of great benefit especially in the short run.

Alan Brugler, Senior Analyst in the DTN Ag Daily News Division, will present the training on price charts. Mr. Brugler will discuss terminology and concepts that will help producers to better be prepared to read reports written by market analysts.

The objective of this workshop is to demonstrate technical analysis tools that can be used in an effective price risk management program.

All producers are invited to the program to be held at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, north of Lubbock. (1/2 miles east of I-27 on FM 1294)

The workshop will be from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. and the cost is \$30 per person with lunch included. Registration fee after October 10 is \$35. For more information contact the Garza County Extension office at 495-4400 or the District Extension office at 746-6101.

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4-H Food & Nutrition Project...

...has begun with lots of fun things on schedule. Project meetings will be held every Monday in October from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. at the Post High School foods lab. Any youth interested in participating needs to plan to attend.

Quail Appreciation Day

A Quail Appreciation Day is scheduled for Wednesday, October 11 at the Borden County Show Barn in Gail. The training will be from 8:30 to 4:00 with a catered lunch, guest speakers and a ranch tour. To register, come by the Extension Office ASAP.

4-H Animal Project Selection

If you need assistance in purchasing a hog, sheep or goat, please call Greg Jones at 495-4400.

GCJLA Horse Show Oct. 8

The GCJLA Horse Show will be held Sunday, October 8 at 3 p.m. Entries for the halter classes and pee wee's are due in the extension office by noon, Thursday, October 5.

Letters to the Editor

Letters to the Editor Policy: We require all letters to be signed, however, names may be withheld from publication by request. Letters may be edited for brevity, grammar and punctuation.

Response team expresses thanks

The Garza County Response Team would like to thank everyone that participated in the bake sale Saturday. A special thanks to the Garza County Senior Citizens for the donation of Cakes and Pies to help make our cake sale a success.

The proceeds from the sale will be used to help with renovation of the old Santa Fe Depot. The Team would like to thank everyone involved in making the Depot available for the Team to use as an operating center.

The Depot building will serve dual purpose. It will be used as an office for the Post/Garza County Emergency Management Coordinator as well as operating center for the G. C. R. T.

Rodney Tidwell and the Mad Dads Volunteers has done a very good job of making the out side of the building look nice. Renovation of the inside of the building should be completed some time in November.

The Team really appreciates the residents of Post and Garza County for the support we have received in the past and The Team will strive to return the gratitude in the services we provide.

Golden Plains Care Center News

by Sandy Smith

Well, if you were at Founders Day then you KNOW we all had a good time! Those who attended were; Ella Mae Jones, Carl Jones, Rea Caffey, Faye Ogel, Mildred Tannehill, Wilma Johnston, Callie Strofer, Spike Strofer, Leroy McCrary, Dave Isles, Johnnie Melton, Charlene Bishop, Thelma Shell, Dempsey Zachary, Bennie Wilks and Lela Smith. I wish many more could have gone with us.

We had hamburgers and cokes from Holly's, and not one bite was left from any one. Bennie Wilks said this was the best buger he had in long time! They were indeed very good.

I have to share some of the conversations I overheard...Carl Jones commented to Ella Mae that he thought he was ready to go home, Ella Mae did not reply so Carl repeated his question. Ella Mae said WHATEVER! (She did not want to go) Carl got a good chuckle! They did stay for a little while longer.

Ella Mae also made the comment she did not want to go home, but she did want to take her shoes off. Lela Smith said she thought there was a good turn out in town and it was a lot of fun. Thelma Shell was really enjoying herself.

Dave Isles was the center of attention when a good looking lady came up and kissed him on the cheek. (It's OK Bertha it was one of our nurses, Joann Travis.)

Now I want you to know the main attraction was Mildred Tannehill when the band and whole town sang happy birthday to her. She was 92 years young and was having one more good time.

When we made a mandatory trip back to our home she said "we are going back aren't we"? Mildred wanted to thank each and everyone for a good time.

Wilma Johnston was behind all that occurred she wanted her dear friend Mildred to have a great birthday. And that she did Wilma, thank you too.

I have to tell you that Arnold Fry and the Response Team were great neighbors and came to our rescue when we needed them. We had no paper towels and then they donated 2 wonderful cakes to take home with us for supper. Thank you all.

The VFW women were also a great help with each resident and I am so grateful to each of you. It was a great day in the city of Post and I am so glad that each of you were there to share the fun.

Thank you to each and every one who bought some of our crafts. The folks were very proud that they made these candles and other things themselves. A great big thank you to Maleeey Johnston for helping us make them.

Dale Nichols had a nice visit Wednesday night, when her church the Lubbock Primitive Baptist Church came and brought the singing and message. Every one including the nurses told me how much they enjoyed the church and are hopes that they will soon return.

Graham Livestock Sale report

- Walker Bennet, S/town — 445# blk hfr, \$85; 410# blkwf hfr, \$100.
- Gary Peavy, Breckenridge — 505# blkwf hfr, \$85; 620# blk bull, \$79.
- Aud Kinser, Graham — four blk hfrs, \$85; 555# red hfr, \$78.
- Miles Maddox, J/boro — three blk str, 397#, \$116; four blk hfrs, 468#, \$87.
- Alton Turner, Throckmorton — 1180# bred red cow, \$600; 1240# bred redwf cow, \$540.
- Charles Bush, Jonesboro — 340# blk hfr, \$94; 380# blk str, \$95.
- Brad Petrie, Albany — 1205# blk pr, \$740; 1175# blk pr, \$640.
- John Glidewell, Mineral Wells — two blk str, 502#, \$93; 490# blk hfr, \$83.
- J.L. Raper Ranch, Poolville — 355# blk str, \$113; 645# blk str, \$84.
- Jim Bob Bennett, Graham — two center cows, 1070#, \$35; two cnr cows, 940#, \$32.
- Jim Murley, Plano — 710# blk bull, \$75; 535# blk bull, \$80.
- Doug Lindemann, Holliday — 390# red str, \$00; 1175# bred blk cow, \$680.
- Kathleen Tillman, Weatherford — two blk bulls, 442#, \$94; two brndl hfrs, 522#, \$82.
- Neil Phillips, Newcastle — five Char hfrs, 609#, \$83.50; four Char hfrs, 593#, \$82.50.
- Frank Henson, Olney — five black heifers, 436#, \$86.
- Wayne Barnett, Bryson — five black bulls, 409#, \$94.50.
- Chester Yates, Weatherford — three black steers, 623#, \$84.50.

lower with seven different packer buyers here. Bred cows were steady to \$10 lower, \$20 lower on light bred cows. Cows and calves were \$20 pair lower, mostly on the plainer kinds. 200 to 400# heifers were \$1 lower, \$2 lower on plainer kinds. 400 to 600# heifers were \$2 spots \$3 lower. 600 to 800# heifers \$2 lower. 200 to 400# steers were \$2 to \$3 lower. 400 to 600# steers were \$3 lower. Bulls \$3 to \$4 lower. 600 to 800# steers were \$2 to \$3 lower. Bulls steady to \$1 lower.

Buyer attendance was excellent with more volume buyers than normal. Bidding moderately active with most pressure on fleshy heifers and fleshy bull calves. Nine loads of cattle leaving direct for Kansas, Oklahoma and the Texas Panhandle, but all having to go to growing deals. High winds and hot, dry weather across Kansas and Oklahoma last week, but here an active market on a little lower level.

Representative sales:

- Blane Burger, Archer City — 1225# ctr cow, \$33; 415# blk str, \$102.
- Jack Atwood, Graham — three blk hfrs, 583#, \$81; two blk hfrs, 465#, \$85.
- O.H. Gilbert, Santo — 435# blk bull, \$85; 500# redwf hfr, \$77.50.
- Lowell Cooper, Bowie — eight blkwf hfrs, 583#, \$82.50; four blk str, 606#, \$84.
- Alan Dale Adelhardt, Rotan — 305# Char hfr, \$110; 410# blk str, \$84.
- Howard Hale, Seymour — 385# Char hfr, \$94; 345# Char bull, \$110.
- 3R Cattle Co., Albany — four blkwf str, 444#, \$98; two blk hfrs, 400#, \$96.

Receipts 2760 consisting of 803 packer cows, bulls, bred cows and pairs, 310 yearlings and 1647 calves. Packer cows and bulls were \$2 to \$3

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Obituaries

Geneva Voss Davis

Memorial services for Geneva Voss Davis, 91, of Weatherford were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 1, 2000, in the Poolville United Methodist Church with the Rev. Roger Barker officiating. Burial was at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 30, in the Post Cemetery under the direction of White's Funeral Homes.

She died Thursday morning, Sept. 28, in a Weatherford nursing facility. Born in Henrietta June 5, 1909, she moved to Post as a child and attended Post High School. She attended Hardin-Simmons in Abilene and graduated from Texas Tech in Lubbock.

She taught school for several years in the Lubbock prior to entering the American Red Cross in 1943. She served in several locations prior to her retirement in Albuquerque, N.M., in 1972.

She was a member of the Post United Methodist Church, the Altrusa Club, Business and Woman's Club and the American Red Cross Retired Association. She married Goldsmith Davis in 1978. He died in 1997.

She moved to Weatherford in 1998. Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law, D.J. and Joe Stubblefield of Poolville; her son, Don Davis of Poolville; two grandchildren, Donna Peveto of Weatherford and Curtis Stubblefield of Dallas; one niece, Voda Beth Gradine of Post; and two great-nieces, Arimy and Vondi Gradine, both of Post.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Castle Peck Hospice of Weatherford, the Poolville United Methodist Church Bell Choir Fund or the Post United Methodist Church.

Pauline Tongate

Services for Pauline Tongate, 83, of Brownwood were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 3, 2000, in the Davis-Morris Funeral Home. Burial followed in the Eastlawn Memorial Park.

She died at a Brownwood nursing home Sunday, Oct. 1, at 9:47 a.m. Born in Brown County June 11, 1917, she married Roy Tongate Jan. 14, 1935, in Santa Anna. She was a homemaker and a member of the Early First Baptist Church. She had been a resident of Brownwood since 1951.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters and sons-in-law, Sherrel and Emmett Mathews of Bangs and Karen and Joe Pennell of Post; five grandchildren, Terri Sturgeon of Tolar, Shawn Pennell of Post, Kris Mathews and Seth Pennell, both of Stephenville, and Shanna Pennell of Post; four great-grandchildren; one sister, Willie Mae McGary of Andrews; and one sister-in-law, Bettie Robinson of Brownwood.

J.W. Satterwhite

Services for J.W. "Salty" Satterwhite, 79, of Seminole were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 27, 2000, at the Doss Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Post under the direction of the Smith-Rogers Funeral Home.

He died Monday, Sept. 25, at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock. Born Feb. 20, 1921, in Post, he served in the U.S. Army during World War II in the Philippines and Japan. He was a rancher and worked for the Lazy S Ranch in Post and the MS Doss Ranch in Seminole. Following his retirement, he worked as a locksmith. He married Flo Lloyd in June 1943 in Clovis, N.M. He moved to Seminole in 1948. He was a member of the VFW and the Church of Christ in Seminole.

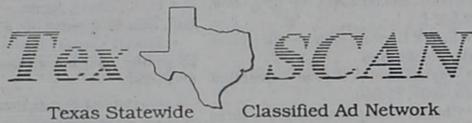
Survivors include his wife; two sons, Gary of Lubbock and James of Keller; two sisters, Vada McCampbell of Post and Jewel Cravy of Seminole; and two granddaughters, Mandy Satterwhite of Lubbock and Deidra Satterwhite of Keller.

Pallbearers included Ben Nelson, Joe McGill, Jerry D. McCampbell, Jerry Bush, Bob Cosby and David Cowan. Honorary pallbearers were Jim Mason, John Lott, Kenneth Brawn, George Brawn and Bill Corby.

The family has suggested memorials be made to the Christ Haven for Children, Box 467, Keller, TX 76244.



PHS artist of the week is Matt Lopez. He brings a strong work ethic to art class and this is reflected in his products. Matt is working on a piece entitled, "Skull." A very skilled draftsman, Matt feels his talent has been developed on his own, for no one else in his family is inclined toward art. Matt is considering pursuing higher education at the Art Institute of Dallas.



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...SHE INSTALLED, IN THE PALACE, AND SUPPORTED, NINE HUNDRED PRIESTS OF THIS HEATHEN RELIGION AND, IN TURN, HUNTED DOWN THE PRIESTS OF ISRAEL AND SLAUGHTERED THEM WHERE EVER SHE COULD! LOUNGING IN ORIENTAL LUXURY IN THE PALACE, SHE DIRECTED THE POLICIES OF THE KINGDOM, WHILE AHAB SAT MEEKLY BY HER SIDE, NEVER DARING TO DISPUTE HER. HER SCHEMINGS, HER CRUELITIES, AND HER PASSION FOR BLOOD-SPILLING ARE RECORDED IN THE BOOK OF I KINGS. ONLY ELIJAH, THE GREAT PROPHET, STOOD UP AGAINST THIS WICKED QUEEN AND FOUGHT HER EVIL INFLUENCE AT EVERY TURN. HER OWN DEATH AND DESTRUCTION WAS PREDICTED BY THE PROPHET AND TOOK PLACE EXACTLY AS HE PROPHESED IT WOULD! (I KINGS 9:30-37)

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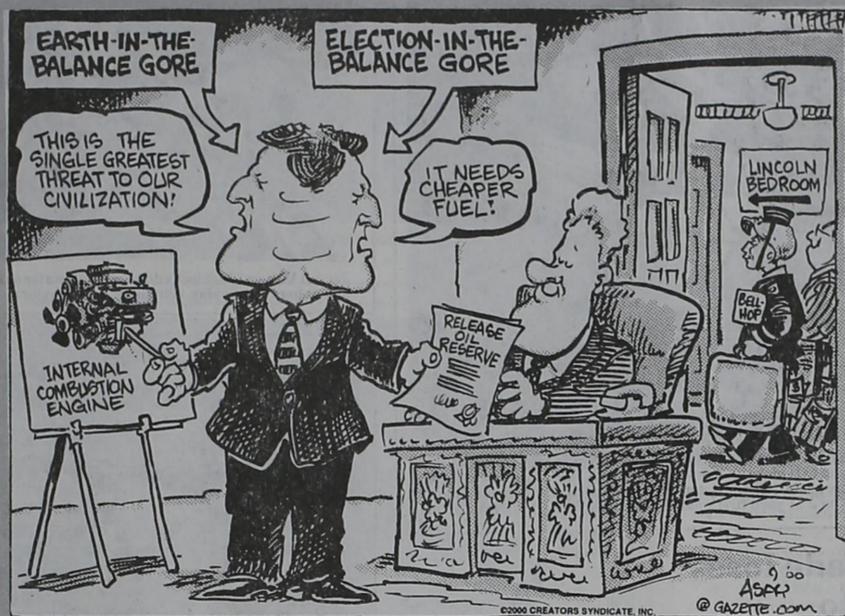
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Opinions



And thereafter, helping OPEC

by Walter E. Williams

We Americans are going to pay through our noses to stay warm this winter, and we can thank our elected and unelected officials in Washington. Let's analyze the economics of it by starting with an example.

Pretend you own a supermarket. What would you want the government to do that would enable you to price-gouge your customers? The answer's easy: government should do anything that would restrict the market supply of grocery products. Government might shut down your competitors or enact regulations that make it more costly for them to operate. But, if your prices got too high, your customers might choose substitutes: such as eating at restaurants.

You would also want government to do something that would make restaurants more costly. The supermarket example explains the nuts and bolts of the high oil and gasoline prices that we're paying. Let's look at it.

OPEC is a monopoly cartel. The best way to secure and maintain a monopoly power is to have governments write laws and regulations that reduce competition with competitor products.

The Clinton/Gore administration has aided OPEC by restricting drilling and exploration in Alaska's Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR), where the Department of Energy conservatively estimates that there are more than 16 billion barrels.

At fairly modest drilling rates, that translates into about 800 million barrels of oil per year. There are also Clinton-Gore administration restrictions on untold billions of barrels of oil under the ocean floor oil waiting to be drilled.

By putting all this oil off-limits to drilling, the Clinton/Gore administration has empowered the OPEC monopoly and has made us vulnerable to its price-gouging. But Washington has done even more to strengthen OPEC's hand.

In our supermarket example, your ability to jack up prices was not only enhanced by the government doing things to restrict your direct competitors but also by placing restrictions on your indirect competitors — restaurants. Just as restaurants are partial substitutes for



supermarkets, coal is a partial substitute for oil, particularly for heating and electricity generation.

The Clinton/Gore administration has restricted our supplies of clean, low-sulfur coal by using its executive order authority to declare millions of acres in the Western U.S. to be national monuments. In the wake of rising oil prices, what do our politicians try to sell us?

Sen. Dick Durbin, D-Ill., accuses the oil companies of "gouging" the public, stating, "It's an increase directly attributable to profit-taking by the oil companies." EPA Secretary Carol Browner declared, "The oil companies ... owe us an answer."

Al Gore chimes that the Republican presidential ticket of Bush and Cheney is "in the pocket of big oil." That's typical Washington. Counting on an uninformed public, politicians blame everybody except themselves. Stifling oil production is a major part of high gasoline prices, but not the only one.

According to a Congressional Research Service report "Midwest Gasoline Prices," the new EPA requirements for reformulated gasoline (RFG), requiring the use of ethanol, add 25 to 34 cents per gallon. That's not the only cost.

MTBE, which is used in reformulated gasoline in other parts of the country, has become a major source of ground water pollution, not to mention making people who smell the fumes sick. The bottom line is that America's environmentalists have massive clout with the Clinton/Gore administration.

They've used that clout to impose monumental costs on the American people. We, like suckers, listen to Washington's hacks blaming U.S. oil companies.

As to high energy prices, we haven't seen anything yet, particularly if Gore becomes our next president and puts his extremist environmental ideas, outlined in his book "Earth in the Balance," into practice.

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What Al Gore really said

by Sheldon Richman

My fellow Americans — well not all of you. Especially not the powerful interests out there. You know who you are. I'm talking just to working families. My party used to call you folks "workingmen." But then feminism came along, so we don't do that anymore.

Then we said "workingmen and working women." But the polls told us that we were losing elections because we seemed to be anti-family. So we New Democrats decided to change that perception. Hey, we want to win elections. So I'll talk about working families tonight.

I'm not talking to you rich folks either — you who have all you need — all you people in the top 20 percent, like you couples with kids, making \$80,000 a year. Don't expect any consideration from me. You're the enemy, hear? At any rate, I accept your nomination for president of the United States.

This election is about competing visions of the future. Let me tell you mine.

My vision is based on my deep understanding of America's working families. I've traveled this land from coast to coast and border to border, and I know the kind of people you are. You're helpless schlemiels (thanks, Joe) who won't get anywhere unless I become president.

This is a time of great prosperity, thanks to my eight years as your vice president. But despite these unprecedented times, you pathetic people can't even make ends meet. You can't manage your children's education or afford to send them to college or get health insurance or save enough to supplement the meager retirement benefits you might get from Social Security.

I realize that your pitiful position is not totally the result of your own incompetence. Arrayed against you is a legion of dark, powerful forces, including Big Oil (Occidental Petroleum excepted), Big Tobacco, Big Pharmaceuticals, Big Gun Makers, and Big HMOs. (I'll think of a few more before this campaign is over.)

Consider how these profiteers and price-gougers make your lives miserable. I know I wrote in *Earth in the Balance* that government should raise taxes on gasoline so you will use less, but I didn't mean for the money to go to the oil companies! Besides, the companies will use it to expand supply, which will lower prices.

I promise you that if I am entrusted with the presidency, I will never do that! (I wouldn't even know how to do it.)

And those big drug companies — how dare they victimize our senior citizens with high prices and unconscionable profits! Only selfish,

greedy businessmen (but not businesswomen) would risk millions of dollars to develop lifesaving drugs and to comply with tons of unnecessary red tape and then attempt to recoup that money from sick people so that they may develop more drugs in the future.

Have they no shame? Make no mistake about it, a Gore administration will end that corruption forthwith.

And did I mention that if elected president, I will find a cure for every disease from diabetes to cancer to AIDS? And speaking of health, let me assure you that in a Gore administration, you will not have to humble yourself before HMO bureaucrats to get the medical care you need.

No, in a Gore administration you'll have to humble yourself before government bureaucrats to get the medical care you need. And don't let my opponents tell you otherwise.

I know there are those (my Republican opponent isn't one of them) who say that if the government would just "get off your backs," repeal taxes, and let free markets work, you'd be able to realize your dreams. This is so wrong, my fellow Americans.

As our current president (whose name escapes me) says, we can't trust you to spend your own money right. So I will accept no reduction in taxes that is not conditioned on your doing exactly what I believe is best for you. I alone have the courage to reject the counsel of those who would say that you, my fellow Americans, have it within yourselves to realize your aspirations without my help.

That's why I am running for president. I ask for your support. Gore bless you, and Gore bless America!

Sheldon Richman is senior fellow at The Future of Freedom Foundation in Fairfax, Va. (www.fff.org), and editor of *Ideas on Liberty* magazine.

Perhaps the sentiments contained in the following pages, are not yet sufficiently fashionable to procure them general favor; a long habit of not thinking a thing wrong, gives it a superficial appearance of being right, and raises at first a formidable outcry in defence of custom.

But the tumult soon subsides.

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Why we should oppose mandatory high school 'drug' tests for cigarettes

A decision by an Alabama high school to start doing "drug" tests on student athletes to detect cigarette smoking — a policy other schools around the USA are expected to emulate soon — shows that mandatory drug testing has gotten out of hand, the Libertarian Party says.

"Even if you think teenagers and cigarettes don't mix, subjecting students to mandatory blood tests to discourage smoking is a drastic overreaction to the problem," said the party's national director, Steve Dasbach.

"And given the poor performance of so many students, you can make the case that public schools should be scheduling more tests in math, English, and history — and fewer tests for cigarette smoking."

This semester, Hoover High School in Hoover, Alabama announced it would begin a program of mandatory, random blood tests of the 1,500 students in grades 7 to 12 who participate in school athletic programs. Students can be tested for 11 illegal drugs and alcohol — and also for nicotine from cigarettes and chewing tobacco.

Arguing that nicotine is a "mind-altering" substance, school officials said athletes who test positive will be subject to parental notification, mandatory tobacco education classes, and then suspension from athletic events.

Anti-tobacco advocates predicted the program would quickly spread to other government schools around the country.

Before it does, Americans should consider whether they really want to escalate the federal government's unsuccessful "War on Teenage Smoking" in this fashion, said Dasbach.

"So far, the only result of Washington, DC's decade-long crusade against teenage smoking has been more teenage smoking," he noted. "Between 1991 and 1997, smoking rates among high school students increased by almost one-third, from 27.5% to 36.4%."

"Teenage smoking rates have dipped slightly in the last year, but you can make the case that the more politicians huff and puff about the evils of smoking, the more they tempt rebellious teenagers to take up the habit. Why should this program be different?"

Mandatory nicotine testing also blurs the distinction between the dangers posed to teenagers by cigarettes versus the dangers from drugs and alcohol, said Dasbach.

"While no one argues that in a perfect world, teenagers wouldn't smoke, the idea that students should be drug-tested for a bad habit that might cause illness or premature death in 50 years is absurd," he said.

"More importantly, nicotine testing also deflects parents' attention away from the more immediate dangers posed to teenagers by alcohol and many illegal drugs. Surely, no sensible person thinks that teenagers who smoke and drive are as much at risk as teenagers who drink and drive."

Finally, mandatory blood tests for teenagers send a chilling message to young people that they can be tested "like laboratory animals" any time the government wants, said Dasbach.

"It would be nice if government schools taught students about the Fourth Amendment — which guarantees the right to be free from unreasonable, warrantless searches — instead of subjecting students to unreasonable, warrantless blood testing," he said. "After all, a government powerful enough to mandate blood tests for nicotine poses a greater danger to the long-term well-being of American teenagers than puffing on a cigarette ever will."

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Mustangs sink 'Lopes 38-6 with shotgun offense

by Wes Burnett

The Post Antelopes came out blazing in the first quarter against the visiting Shallowater Mustangs last Friday night, but the visitors' shotgun offense and miscues by the Antelopes shut down the feisty home team 38-6.

The 'Lopes took a quick 6-0 lead on their second possession, with Tyrone Jefferson ripping off a 51 yard touchdown scamper. The touchdown run came behind the outstanding blocking of Noah Gutierrez and Seth Redman.

But the lead melted away in the second quarter, as the Mustangs picked up a field goal and three touchdowns, taking a 24-6 lead at halftime. The final touchdown before the half came at the worst possible time, with no time left on the clock.

Trailing 17-6, the 'Lopes mounted a sustained drive to the Mustang 24 yard line before running out of steam. The clock ran down to one second before quarterback Michael Huff called for a time out. The kicking

team came to the field and Clinton Curtis set up for a field goal attempt.

The ball sailed straight enough, but fell short at the two yard line, where a Mustang defender hauled it in and raced down the right sideline for a 98 yard return, with no time left in the half.

That play seemed to affect second half action, as the Antelopes were unable to sustain offensive drives, and fell further behind in the third and fourth quarters.

The Post offense had the ball 13 times during the game.

The team takes a week off, then opens district play October 13, hosting the Ralls Jackrabbits for Homecoming. Kickoff will be at 7:30 p.m. at Antelope Stadium. Those who are unable to attend the game may follow all the action live on Post City Radio at www.postcityradio.com or on Classic Cable Channel 12 in Post. Thomas Zachary will produce the show from the studio, with Steve Mason calling the live action at the stadium.



Tyrone Jefferson (32) picks up a first down for the Post Antelopes in action here last Friday against Shallowater. Jefferson scored the lone touchdown for the 'Lopes on a 51 yard first quarter scamper. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Jarrett Vickers (35) blocks down a Shallowater defender during second half action here last Friday. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Roland Castaneda (33) gets a block for teammate Luis Zubia during a kickoff return early in the Shallowater game here last Friday. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



PHS offensive line coach Billy Kelso (left) discusses strategy with Post Antelope linemen Noah Gutierrez (64) and Jonathan Eilenberger during action here last Friday. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)

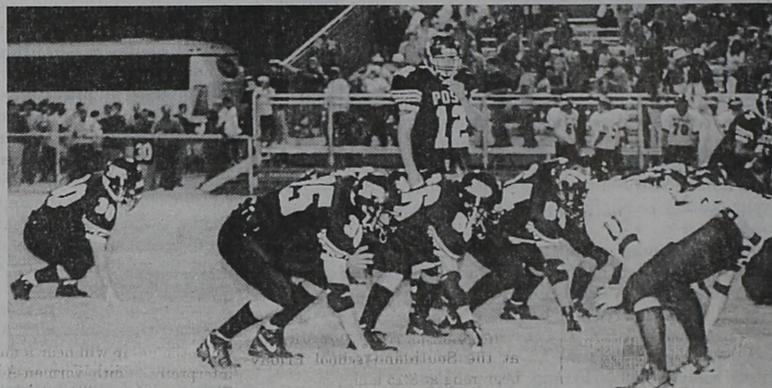
8th grade loses 30-22 to Shallowater

The Post 8th grade football team dropped a 30-22 loss to Shallowater last Thursday. "We were in the game all the way," coach Mike Martin reports, "and we almost pulled out a victory."

Leading the offense were Jett Lott with one touchdown run and one touchdown reception. Israel Landa was credited with a touchdown run, with Jarred Grisham getting a touchdown from a pass reception.

The Antelope defense was led by Ryan Babb with a host of others. The 8th graders have a 2-1 season record.

The 8th grade team next hosts the Ralls Jackrabbits Thursday, October 12.



Post Antelope quarterback Michael Huff (12) gets the line set during first half action against Shallowater last Friday. On the right line are Jarrett Vickers (35), Ross Babb (66) and Noah Gutierrez (64). (Photo by Jerry Taylor)

7th grade football wins 36-0

The Post 7th grade football team shut out Shallowater 36-0 in the game played here last Thursday. Leading the offensive for the young 'Lopes was fullback Israel Barbosa with three touchdown runs and two touchdown pass receptions.

"The Antelope offensive line did an excellent job," coach Mike Martin said. "They made the scoring drives possible."

The team defense was led by Jace Pollard. The team has posted a 3-0 season record.

The team hosts Ralls on October 12 with a 5 p.m. kickoff here.

Obedience training offered

The South Plains Obedience Training Club of Lubbock will host the three-day American Kennel Club All-Breed Dog Agility Trials Oct. 20-22.

The event will be conducted at the Caprock Equestrian Center. Trial hours will begin at 9 a.m. and will run until 3 p.m. daily. Approximately 100 pure bred dogs from surrounding states will be judged at the event.

Agility is one of the newest AKC events and is open to every breed. Dogs must be at least one year old to compete. In an agility trial, a dog demonstrates its ability to negotiate complex courses which include a walk over a bridge, jumping through objects, going through tunnels, weaving through a line of poles and pausing on command. There are different height categories so each dog is tested fairly on the course.

Each exhibitor and dog is judged at one of three levels of competition — novice, open or excellent. Dogs competing in these classes are working toward AKC agility titles.

Free canine educational materials will be available at the trials. No admission fee will be charged.

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Smoking is bad for your health

I told you once before that I do not really get on to my patients about smoking. I know that they know smoking is bad for them. They don't need to go to their Doctor to realize that.

Everywhere one goes there are reminders that smoking is unhealthy. Remarks like "thank you for not smoking," or, "this is smoke free building," and "get your butts out of here," constantly remind smokers that not only are they killing themselves, they are being rude and socially unacceptable in the process.

One of the more clever smoking related signs was seen in the latrine of a US Army post in Europe. Written in blocked stenciled letters was the warning, "Do not place cigarette butts in the urinal." Below was added by hand, "It makes them soggy and hard to light!"

What is the point of this rambling prologue? I am trying to establish for certain that it is clear that smoking cigarettes is harmful to your health. Never mind that the surgeon General has said so for thirty-five years and that it is drilled into the brains of our school kids. Even society at large is putting the heat on smokers.

Then, I entreat you, answer me one question: why won't your health insurance/managed care company pay for the medications used to quit smoking? Yes, that is correct. If a patient comes to me for advice on medical help to quit, there are a variety of ways that I can try to help with medications. None of them are covered under any health care plan or formulary that I am aware of. (UMC hospital will pay for medications for its employees should they choose to try.)

So how can it be that prescription medications that treat the single most important public health issue in our land is not covered by the insurance plans? The reason I have been given is that too many people actually quit smoking to justify the costs. OK, I guess that means that perhaps there will be no more coverage for people taking blood pressure medications. After all, about one-third of the time several medicines must be used to finally get it right. Probably not very cost effective either.

How about those angiograms that people get all the time. Those folks often go on to have heart surgery at a great expense. And never mind those poor folks who choose chemotherapy to treat cancer when the outcome is usually not changed to a great degree. Probably not to good on the old bottom line.

Don't be alarmed. None of those things will be withheld. There would be such an outcry that Geraldo Rivera would hear it from Los Angeles and be on the next plane out to launch an Investigative Report. My theory, and this is mine alone, is that the insurance companies don't want to pay for these medications because it is not in their financial interest to do so. However, it is not due to treatment failures as they maintain, but for another reason entirely.

It doesn't cost the current insurance company anything to take care of a patient who is currently smoking. Typically these folks feel pretty good when not subjected to guilt-trips by their families and doctors. The bill for the cost of the health care this individual will require will most probably be borne by a subsequent insurer or most times Medicare. That is when the ills from smoking set in.

The company paying for your medicines now will be long out of the picture. Why should they spend money now when some other company will benefit financially later? It just doesn't make good business sense. Heaven forbid that they pay for the medicine because it is the morally right thing to do.

Remember, this is my opinion and not that of my insurance company or this paper or UMC. But, if I should suddenly be found missing or implicated in a scandal that ruins my career, will somebody please call Hugh Downs or Mike Wallace and get them out here?

Thank you for spending this time with me.
Winston Whitt M.D.

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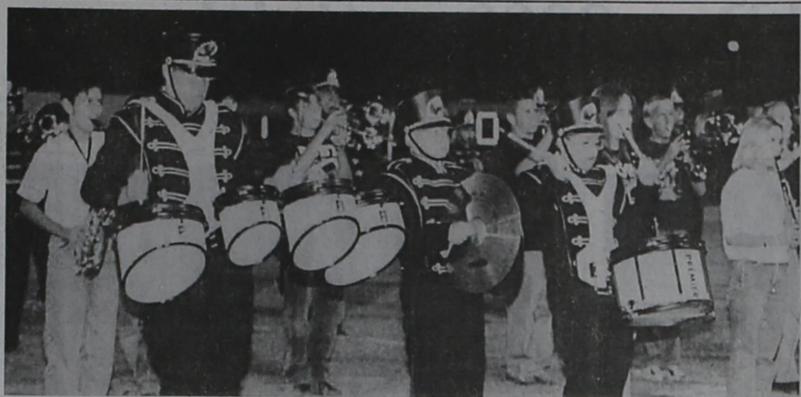
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PHS Pride of Post band members blasted the autumn air last Friday evening during halftime here. The band competed at the Texas Tech Festival October 10. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Post Eighth Grade band students joined the PHS Pride of Post Band on the field last Friday night for a rousing performance. The PHS band will compete at the Texas Tech Festival on October 10. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Helping youth help themselves
by Rodney Tidwell
495-1244

Several dances for both junior high and high school aged youths are planned in upcoming weeks by officials with "Da' House," Post's teen center.

On Oct. 13, a homecoming dance will be held for students of both the junior high and high school. The dance will run from 10 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.

On Oct. 27, a junior high dance is scheduled for 10 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. A high school dance is set for Nov. 10, with hours set for 10 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.

Admission to all dances, which are conducted at the teen room of the community center, is \$3.

City council

(Continued from Page 1)

of Main Street. The current residential zoning (R1) will be changed to R2 to accommodate mobile homes and other residential buildings. A second reading will take place in November before the ordinance change takes place.

A request for variance by David Woods was rejected by the council. Woods is building a carport, replacing an older carport at his residence. The structure is 19 feet from the curb, and the ordinance calls for a 25 feet set back.

A proposal for the city to purchase the Caprock Golf Course was also rejected. Several council members pointed out that it would be better for the facility to be privately owned, and that the financial burden was too much to bear.

The council nullified its agreement with McCreary, Veselka, Bragg & Allen for collection of delinquent taxes, then approved entering into an agreement with Perdue, Brandon, Fielder, Collins & Mott to provide the service. The city joins Post ISD and Garza County in the change. Southland ISD has been represented by the firm for several years.

An agreement was also approved for recovering overpaid taxes by the city. Municipal Tax Consulting and Management, which specializes in recovery of eight different taxes paid by cities, will provide the service. The fee is 30 percent of recovered taxes.

No action was taken on a proposal to pay a bounty for stray or loose dogs. The item was tabled, along with a recommendation to adopt the Standard Plumbing Code.

center are planned, with the Youth Board of Directors planning a fund raising car wash to enable the purchase of carpet for the front room of the facility.

Also, the center has two computers with online capabilities which will soon be placed on phone lines so teens can use them for research and exploring the Web.

"We will have filtered Internet to keep out the trash," Tidwell said.

MAD DADS works in conjunction with several other organizations and entities within the community to "make our town a better place to live," Tidwell said. Those entities include the Garza County Probation Department, the Post Independent School District, the Garza County Sheriff's Department, Dedra Adams and the STARS organization, the Garza County CRCG, the Community Recovery Center and the City of Post.

"We seek out, encourage, motivate and guide committed men in the struggle to save our children in our community," Tidwell said. "I would like to welcome all parents, grandparents or guardians of teens in our community to come by with your teens and see us. See the positive things that are happening in Da' House Teen Center."

Anyone interested in more information about MAD DADS and "Da' House" should contact Tidwell or any one of the following MAD DADS board members: Mark Kirkpatrick, Kelly Baker, Mark Short, Melvin Lee, Cain Abraham and Deana Gunn.

MAD DADS Inc. is a non-profit organization. Donations help keep the teen center open. To make a donation or volunteer for any of the center's activities, call 495-1244.

Methodist Women study Matthew

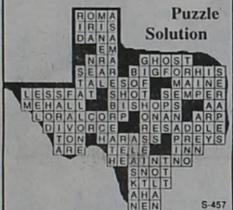
The United Methodist Women gathered at the home of Ada Lou Bird Tuesday morning, Sept. 26, to consider Matthew 9, 11 and 12 and the meaning of baptism and the Eucharist (a Greek word used in the New Testament) or the Lord's Supper.

The study was facilitated by MaryLynn Bell and Linda Couch and elicited animated discussion over our experiences and the biblical teachings of the Gospel of Matthew regarding the central sacraments of the Body of Christ.

Others present were Beth Walker, Mary Welborn, Martha McLendon, Carolyn Black, Katherine Johnson, Delores Redman, Diann Windham, Sue Shytles, Pat Bilbo, Margaret Bull, Jeanette Edwards, Janey Middleton, Annie Laura Francis and Joy Dickson.

Love gifts were given to help Kelsey Wimmer attend a national gathering in December of the United Methodist Young Women. Other opportunities to share in her expenses will be given at the next few meetings.

The next meeting will be Oct. 17 when the group will hear a mission interpreter, Judith Warman-Adams. The presentation will be at the church at 10 a.m., followed by a salad luncheon. All women of the church are encouraged to attend and bring a salad.



Marlow visits Southland school Friday

Texas author Herb Marlow will be at the Southland school Friday beginning at 8:15 a.m.

Marlow is a well-known children's author and publisher, as well as a great storyteller when it comes to adventure stories. His listeners hang on every word and gesture as he feigns roping a calf or being bucked off a bronc. He is funny, yet his stories encourage reading and writing.

Marlow has always been an adventurer. He has owned a cattle ranch and broken horses. He has driven race cars and parachuted from a jet. As a child he took piano lessons with a cat and went camping with a bear. He has blended all of his adventures with imagination, creating great stories in his books and school programs.

Some of his titles include "Ghost Horse," "Cougar," "Max the Schoolhouse Mouse," "Max the Rodeo Mouse," "Bruno to the Rescue" and "Twisters, Bronc-Riding and Cherry Pie."

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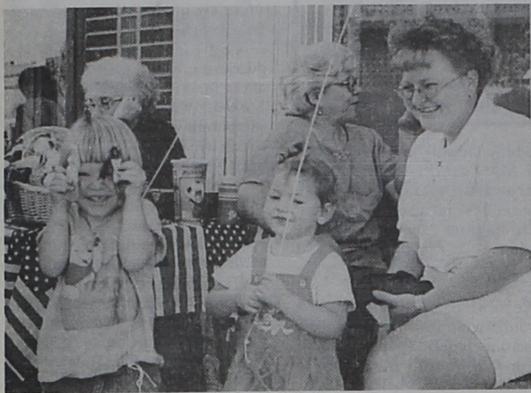
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Founders' Day 2000 activities...



Visiting in Post last week were (front, left to right) Jordan, Bailey and Carrie Morgan of Temple. They were caught by the photographer at the VFW Ladies' Auxiliary booth downtown at Founders' Day. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)

Winners in various Founders' Day competition last Saturday included:
BBQ Cook-Off
 Chicken - 1st place, Kari York of Lubbock; 2nd Micky Prado, Lubbock; 3rd Greg York, Lubbock.
 Ribs - 1st, Jeremy King, Post; 2nd, Darrell Edwards, Lockney; 3rd Kari York, Lubbock.
 Brisket - 1st, Lannie Ragland, Lubbock; Darrell Edwards, Lockney; 3rd Micky Prado, Lubbock.
 Fajitas - 1st, Kim Archer, Lubbock.
 Beans - 1st, Darrell Edwards, Lockney.
 Master Cook - 1st, Darrell Edwards, 2nd Rodney Edwards.

Longneck Toss - 1st, Scott Metsgar; Bloody Marys - 1st, Darrell Edwards.

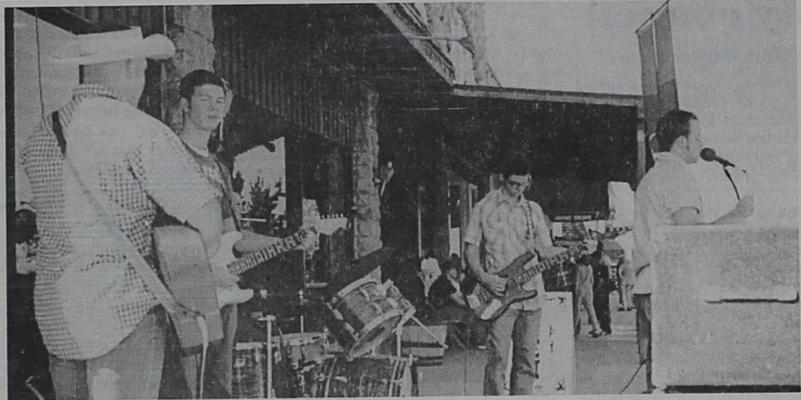
Washer Pitch - 1st, M.P. Gomez; 2nd Michael Gomez.
 Horsehoe Pitch - 1st, Bernard Bartels and Raymond Holdridge, Snyder; 2nd, Art Hawes and Don Duncan, Snyder.



Danny Cooper kept the fires going during Founders' Day Chili Cook-Off. Cooper, a member of the Founders' Day committee, organized the chili cook-off competition. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



East Main Street in front of Ira Pump was a "foot stompin" place for music lovers last Friday evening during Founders' Day events.



Daniel Fluit (right) belted out popular tunes last Saturday during Trade Days. The band's appearance was sponsored by Main Street Mercantile. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Greg York at B.Y.O.B. (Bring Your Own BBQ) during Founders' Day BBQ Cook-Off. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Joe and Laurie Haseloff, Derrick and Tia Haselhoff and Gary and Lori Haselhoff of Farwell cooked up a batch of BBQ for the cook-off on Founders' Day. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Stopping at the VFW Ladies Auxiliary booth downtown Saturday were (left to right) Founders' Day committee member JoAnn Stelzer, Roberta Miller and Carol Jean Light, visiting with Janet Ratliff and Lana Comer (right). (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



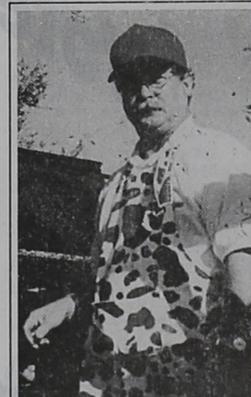
R.T. Trammel takes care of business for Lubbock's Cuervo Cookin' during Founders' Day BBQ Cook-Off. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Terry Lommis, Rona Teal, Ron Dickman, Jeremy King and Ronnie Dickman stirred up a pot of BBQ for the cook-off during Founders' Day. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Sheri Reidel is surrounded by unique quilts and art at the Algeria Arts Center. The quilt show, sponsored by the Post Art Guild, was part of this year's Founders' Day celebration.



Ray Bonner with Lubbock's The Outdoor Chef stirs up his special mix during Founders' Day BBQ Cook-Off. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Women's Division Post Tourism & Commerce Bureau president Carolyn Halford (left) helps a visitor during Founders' Day activities downtown Saturday. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Enjoying downtown activities in Post last Saturday were residents of Golden Plains Care Center. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)



Senior Ropers competing in last Saturday's Senior Roping get ready for the big event. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)

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Yesteryears

by Pat Burnett

October 3, 1990 10 Years Ago

Friends of Dub and Lola Ryan are extended an invitation to all to attend the celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Ryan and the former Lola McKinney were married October 4, 1940.

Air Force Airman Willard B. Yarbro, an apprentice vehicle body mechanic, has arrived for duty at Barksdale Air Force Base, La.

Mr and Mrs Anthony Shankles announce the birth of a son, Anthony Wade II, born September 12, 1990 at University Medical Center, Lubbock.

Anthony weighed nine pounds two ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long at birth.

October 2, 1980 20 Years Ago

Aunt Minnie Graeber celebrates 95th birthday.

Machele Mason will sing at the Globe Theater in Odessa Saturday. She is the granddaughter of Willie Mason and Fannie Richards, both of Post.

Happy birthday today goes to Joyce Vardeman, Linda Hoover, Ricky Hair, Doyle Davis, Mrs. Lorene Dawson, Donald Ammons, Marvin Hogue and Ricky Tanner.

Bolt of lightning causes temporary layoff at the Postex Plant.

Lily Cendalski is the student editor of the Post High School school paper, the Antelope Antler.

There are 2,676 eligible voters registered to vote in Garza County in the November general election.

October 1, 1970 30 Years Ago

Luther Bilberry was elected A.S.C.A. chairman.

Dee Parrish and family, of Big Spring, spend Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Ambers Parrish and Ronnie.

M.R. Jones and son Randy of Slaton visited his mother, Mrs. C.C. Jones last Monday.

Little Mark Shane Manor spends the weekend with his grandparents Mr and Mrs P.W. Crawford. His parents were at Lake Stamford. Larry Scrivner was elected

president of the National Honor Society. Other officers were Judy Norman, Ryan Thomas, Cynthia White, Ritalynn Butler and Ronald Tyler.

PHS drum majors are Wilma Bullard and Steve Hays.

Mr and Mrs Don Tatum and daughters are moving this weekend to Fort Stockton.

September 29, 1960 40 Years Ago

Alvin Gordon, a former resident of the Gordon Community, has invented a machine that can manufacture and lay concrete pipe as it moves through the field.

Mrs Ray N. Smith and Mrs Glen Norman were honored with a surprise social at the home of Mr and Mrs Georgie M. Willson.

Mr and Mrs Riley Miller, Ben and Jennifer and Mr and Mrs Arthur Reeves of Faith, S.D. attended the Tri-State fair in Amarillo Friday night.

At the Tower Theater you can see the original Three Stooges in "Step, Look and Laugh". The stars are Mo, Larry and Curly.

Mr and Mrs Bud Mason were hosts for a birthday supper honor-

ing their sons J.W. and Gene last Sunday.

October 5, 1950 50 Years Ago

Mrs Vernon Ray is named the Post School nurse.

The Dunlap Department Store buys out Haws Department Store here.

Mr and Mrs Feda Dodson and children attend homecoming at Eskota near Sweetwater Sunday.

George Duckworth, who was injured in an auto accident a few weeks ago, is now able to get around on crutches.

Bryan Williams, a gamolia teacher, entertained his students with a hay ride and weiner roast last Tuesday evening.

Mr and Mrs Ed Martin have moved to Smyer.

Lewis Price was elected commander of the local American Legion Post. Ralph Cockrell was named vice commander.

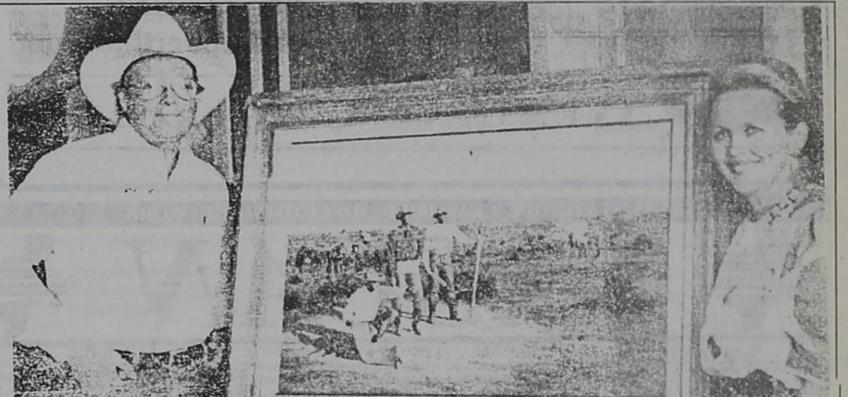
Success is doing a thousand little things the right way...over and over again.

—Charles R. Walgreen



DANNY GONZALES (left) is presented an original Robert Chennault painting on behalf of the recent MDA telethon volunteers in recognition of his efforts during the drive. Presenting the painting is MDA volunteer Becky Warren. (Photo by Barbe Bevers)

From The Post Dispatch, Sept. 19, 1990



C.W. LAYS OUT THE TOWN - Western artist Durwood Campbell (left) and Patty Kirkpatrick display the special painting depicting C.W. Post looking over what would become the city of Post. Campbell's painting will be auctioned at the Founders' Day "Black Tie and Boots" celebration dinner and dance, Friday, October 12.

From The Post Dispatch, Oct. 3, 1990

The Post Dispatch 495-2816

ACROSS

1 In Starr Co. on 83
5 perennial TX flower
6 legendary A&M coach Bible
7 TXism: "so many you couldn't stir with a stick"
8 gun group (abbr.)
9 TX Swayze film
14 brandin' irons the hide of cows
15 TXism: "he's too britches"
19 old TV western: the Texas Rangers
21 state of TX Bush summer home in Kennebunkport
22 lite entree (2 wds.)
27 TXism: "within ear (near)"
28 Leatherneck motto "Fidelis"
29 founder of UNT jazz program
30 Galveston landmark: Palace
32 Centerville high school class
33 the defense co. that bought LTV in '92
36 TXism: "plain as the top line eye chart"
37 In Smith Co. on 135
38 TXism: "split the blanket"
39 throw some leather on a horse again
41 2,000 lbs.
42 Irritate persistently
45 hunts

DOWN

1 TXism: "get of it"
2 TXism: "don't give a hoot holler"
3 Wells, TX
4 TXism: "strong a mouth"
8 undiluted
9 TXism: "never look a ___"
10 "Friday Night Lights" author "Buzz" Bissinger
11 atop the Capital: "Goddess ___ Liberty"
12 TXism: "he's still got his garters" (able)
13 Johnson Space Center transport

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46 TXism: "so dry the Baptists ___ sprinkling"
47 precedes vision or scope
48 TX-based Pizza ___
49 book by TX O.A. Phillips: "Bum"
52 TXism: "___-slinging drunk"
53 Wichita Falls FM
54 expression of triumph
55 Rangers traded this Robb to the Marlins in '93

14 this Sylvester starred with TX Turner in "Cliffhanger"
15 ghost sounds
16 TXism: "shoots from the ___"
17 parental warning: "get ___"
18 blanketlike coats south of the border
20 U.S.S. Texas
22 TX rodeo star Mahan (init.)
23 TXism: "slipperly as an ___"
24 TXism: "he rides rough ___ over everybody"

35 this TX Oveta won the Distinguished Service Medal (init.)
37 Yemen's chief port
40 Sean Connery was Bond in this '62 film
43 Aransas Pass October festival: "Shrimpo ___"
44 oil mover: Pipeline
45 legendary TX pitcher Ryan
51 this "Texas" singer recorded "Deck of Cards" in '48 (init.)



FOUNDERS' DAY publicity chairman Ruby Williams (right) chats with Alvin Davis (left) and Eddie Warren (center) during the Media Party held last week on the grounds of the Garza County Museum. Davis will be featured at the Tex West and Friends event at the Garza Theatre on Saturday, October 13 at 10 and 11 a.m. Davis will emcee the free event, which will include cowboy poetry, song, music and storytelling.

From The Post Dispatch, Oct. 3, 1990

spotlight on health Heartening News

(NAPS)—Many people who had heart troubles after taking a medication called Propulsid may care to learn a few facts by heart.



Many people who took a drug for heartburn now have problems with their hearts.

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This Week In History

On October 7, 1765, nine colonies, led by New York and Massachusetts, convened at the Stamp Act Congress in New York, and adopted a Declaration of Rights opposing taxation without representation in Parliament and trial without jury by admiralty courts ... **October 7, 1777**, the Americans beat back Maj. Gen. John Burgoyne at Bemis Heights, and cut off the British escape route ... **October 7, 1780**, a British force was defeated near Kings Mountain, N.C. by militiamen ... **October 6, 1781**, the siege of General Cornwallis by the Americans began ... **October 5, 1813**, the U.S. victory at the Battle of the Thames, Ont., broke the Indian allies of Britain, and made Detroit frontier safe for the U.S. ... **October 5, 1915**, Germany issued an apology for the sinking of the Lusitania and promised payments ... **October 6, 1927**, "The Jazz Singer," with Al Jolson, demonstrated part-talking pictures in New York City ... **October 7, 1949**, Mrs. I. Toguri D'Aquino (Tokyo Rose) was sentenced to 10 years in prison for treason ... **October 1, 1962**, James Meredith became the first black student at the University of Mississippi after 3,000 troops put down riots ... **October 2, 1967**, Thurgood Marshall was sworn in as the first black U.S. Supreme Court Justice ...

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Janet Hall

We would like to give thanks to every one who supported us with the benefit. It was very successful. A special thanks to Noah Gutierrez and his co-workers for their comments. God bless you!

The Martinez, Duren, Garza and Rodriguez Families

caring and thoughtful friends. May God continue to bless each one of you.

Patsy and Arnold Sanderson

We would like to thank our friends in Post for the many phone calls, letters and cards.

Each of you were special to Jr., (Papy) and we appreciate your thoughtfulness now and mainly for your prayers during these past years.

Wenona Isaacs
Sharon and Ron Wicker and family
Shirley and Ronald Storie
Rhonda, Kim, Stace and Steffi Norman
Gread, Sherry and Jordan Storie

To all our friends:
Words cannot express how much each act of kindness has meant to our family. For each card, call, flowers and especially the food the women of the church pre-

pared. Last but not least a generous thank you to the ones that sang during Mother's service. The songs meant so much because they were the ones she would always sing around the kitchen years ago.

Thanks again,
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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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Notice of Referendum

In accordance with the provisions of the Texas Agriculture Code, Chapter 74, Subchapter D, and 4 Tex. Admin. Code, Chapter 3, Subchapter A, the Texas Department of Agriculture (the Department) will conduct a referendum on the proposition of whether or not cotton growers shall establish a boll weevil eradication program in the Southern High Plains/Caprock Boll Weevil Eradication Zone and pay a maximum annual assessment in the amount of \$12 per land acre of irrigated cotton and \$6 per land acre of dryland cotton, including skip-rows, for up to thirteen years, plus a maintenance fee thereafter. The initiation of a program at this assessment level is contingent upon obtaining, financing and State and/or Federal cost-share funding to allow an eradication program to operate within a maximum budget level of \$92.42/acre, the projected cost for a four-year eradication program. If approved, the program and assessment are expected to begin on a date determined by the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Program Board of Directors. If the necessary financing and funding are not arranged prior to program commencement, the program will not be initiated and no assessment will be collected.

The Southern High Plains/Caprock Eradication Zone consists of all of Cochran, Hockley, and Lubbock counties; that part of Terry County that is north of a line 1.25 miles south of the Hockley County line from FM 303 east to Highway 385 and all land north an east of a line with boundaries of County Road 230, County Road 525 also known as Cemetery Road, and County Road 280 to the Lynn County line; that part of Lynn County north and east of a line 5 miles north of Hwy 380 following County Road 18 that extends from the Terry County line east for 10 miles, then turns south to Hwy 380, and runs east to the intersection of FM 212 before turning south to the Borden County line; that part of Crosby County that is above the Caprock Escarpment, that part of Garza County that is above the Caprock Escarpment, and that part of Dickens County that is above the Caprock Escarpment. If a program and assessment are approved by this referendum, growers in the zone shall vote again on whether or not to continue eradication efforts after four years of active program activities.

Also, as part of the referendum, a representative of the above-referenced zone will be elected to serve on the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation Board of Directors. The board is charged with administering the boll weevil eradication program in Texas.

The referendum and board election will be held by mail balloting. Ballots will be mailed by October 25, 2000. All ballots cast by mail must be postmarked no later than November 15, 2000 in order to be valid. My cotton grower having cotton production in 2000 within the zone defined above is eligible to vote, and if he or she resides in the Southern High Plains/Caprock zone and has at least seven years' experience as a cotton grower, can have his or her name placed on the ballot as a candidate in the board member election. A cotton grower is defined as a person who grows cotton and receives income from the sale of cotton. The term includes an individual who, as owner, landlord, tenant or sharecropper, is entitled to share in the cotton grown and available for marketing from the farm, or share in the proceeds from the sale of the cotton from the farm.

Any person eligible to vote in the referendum or board member election that resides in the Southern High Plains/Caprock Zone and meets the seven year experience requirement may place their name in nomination for election to the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation Board by written application to the Department at the address provided below. The application shall be on a nomination form provided by the Department and must be signed by the applicant and at least ten other eligible voters. The nomination form must be received in Austin by October 15, 2000 and must provide the legal residence of the applicant. A nomination form may be obtained by contacting the Department office or any county agent located in the voting area.

For more information regarding the referendum and election, or if you are a cotton grower in the above-referenced area and do not receive a ballot, please contact the Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas, 78711, telephone 512-463-7593.

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Sheriff reports 8 arrests

Eight individuals were booked into the Garza County Jail during the past week, according to records from the sheriff's department.

On Sept. 26, a 31-year-old man was picked up for no Texas driver's license/hold for Border Patrol.

On Sept. 27, a 27-year-old man was returned to the jail from Denton County while he awaits transfer to a Texas Department of Criminal Justice facility.

On Sept. 28, a male, age unrecorded, was jailed for public intoxication.

Two arrests were made Sept. 29, including that of a 29-year-old male for DWI/commitment and a 32-year-old male for DWI/second.

On Sept. 30, a 31-year-old male was jailed on Department of Public Safety warrants.

A pair of arrests were recorded Oct. 1, including that of a 31-year-old female for assault/family violence and a 29-year-old male, public intoxication.

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Tax 'n Facts
by Terri Cash

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Keep that deadline in mind to undo a Roth conversion-or move a Roth contribution into an IRA if your AGI was too high last year.

On the other hand, a lowered valuation may present an opportunity to convert an ordinary IRA to a Roth. Granted, there's a big tax bite up front, but forever after the compounded growth is totally tax-free. Rather than pay taxes on your withdrawals as straight income at your highest tax rate, you pay no taxes at all. And when you turn 70 1/2, you aren't obligated to start spending down the account; you can leave it tax-free to your heirs.

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Tuesday, October 10
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Wednesday, October 11
Turkey and dressing, green beans, tossed salad, wheat roll, orange sections and pumpkin dessert.

Thursday, October 12
Parmesan chicken pinto beans, brussel sprouts, cornbread and raisin bread pudding.

Friday, October 13
Salmon patties, macaroni and cheese, mixed vegetables, hot roll and pineapple cream pie.

Post ISD
Monday, October 9
Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, sausage link, fruit and choice of milk.
Lunch: Frito pie, Ranch Style Beans, broccoli, corn bread, apple crisp and choice of milk.

Tuesday, October 10
Breakfast: Biscuit and gravy, ham, fruit and choice of milk.
Lunch: Chili dog, French fries, greens, frozen yogurt and choice of milk.

Wednesday, October 11
Breakfast: Malt-o-meal, sausage, toast, fruit and choice of milk.
Lunch: Manwich, salad, peaches, cookie and choice of milk.

Thursday, October 12
Breakfast: Muffin, sausage link, fruit and choice of milk.
Lunch: Fried chicken, gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, jello and choice of milk.

Friday, October 13
Breakfast: Cereal, fruit, toast, apple juice and white milk.
Lunch: Fish, macaroni and cheese, carrot sticks, peas, hushpuppies, apple slices and choice of milk.

Southland ISD
Monday, October 9
Breakfast: Cereal, toast, juice and milk.
Lunch: Chicken spaghetti, salad, green beans, garlic toast, cookie and milk.

Tuesday, October 10
Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, bacon, applesauce and milk.
Lunch: Pizza, corn, salad, cake and milk.

Wednesday, October 11
Breakfast: Biscuits w/gravy, sausage, juice and milk.
Lunch: Chicken fried steak, cream potatoes, pinto beans, jello and milk.

Thursday, October 12
Breakfast: Cereal, Graham crackers, fruit and milk.
Lunch: Chalupas, salad, rice, pineapple tidbits and milk.

Friday, October 13
Breakfast: Eggs, toast, bacon, juice and milk.
Lunch: Corn dogs, pork-n-beans, fries, ice cream and milk.

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Movie Review

by Schahara Hudelson

ALMOST FAMOUS (8 1/2) I have no idea why I was so reluctant to go see this movie. The cinematography just looked bad to me in the trailers, the actors looked gross (as in 70's dirty), and no one who is anyone was starring. What a great surprise to enjoy this movie! Kate Hudson looks like her mom, and while VERY cute (who briefly exposes her upper torso—what little there was of it) is still not as cute as her mother.

There is only one Goldie. And Billie Craddup (SP) was amazing as the shy journalist on the road with 70's band Stillwater: not a bad band either. AND Frances McDormand just cannot make a bad movie. Remember Fargo? She is so believable in everything! Opening scenes are SO funny.

Some good music from the 70's—however, I would have picked even better, GREAT music for this film. I'm not much of an Elton John fan. Entertaining film.

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FARMEQUIPMENT 4-John Deere 71 Flex Planter Units 1-John Deere 16X10 Grain Drill, 3 pt 1-John Deere 4 Section, 3 pt Gang Rotary Hoe 1-RAC 21 ft DSB Tool Carrier 1-S&S 21 ft SSB Tool Carrier 1-John Deere 3 pt, 10 ft Blade 1-Simmons 3 pt Lift Arm Crane 1-Simmons 3 pt Hay Bale Lift 1-Simmons Hyd Drive Wire Roller 1-SM 10 ft DT Mower, Hyd 1-SM 4 row DT Belt Drive Shredder 1-PW 12 row DT Sandfighter 1-SM 12'X40' DT Land Plane 1-16'X20' Bed Roller 3-10" DT Water Furrow Bullets 1-Lot Shanks, Clamps, Spacers, Gauge Wheels	HOUSEHOLD 1-Panasonic 25" Color TV Set 1-Magnavox 25" Color TV Set 1-Sears Kenmore Sewing Machine 1-Sears Combination Refrigerator-Freezer 1-Microwave Oven 1-White Westinghouse Clothes Washer 1-General Electric Clothes Dryer 1-Imperial 4 Burner Cook Stove 1-Pecan Dining Table with 6 Chairs 1-Maple Drop Leaf Dining Table 1-Maple Cloth Love Seat 1-Regular Size Bookcase Bed N/N Mattress & Box Spring 1-Waterfall Dresser & Mirror 1-5 Drawer Chest of Drawers 1-1/2 Bed with Wood Box Steads 1-Couch 1-Small Wooden Desk 1-Swivel Rocker 1-Lot of Chairs 1-Lot Dishes, Pots, Pans, Cooking Utensils 1-Lot Pictures, Plaques, Mirrors 1-Lot Items Too Numerous To List	Terms: 10% In Escrow, Day of Auction. Remainder Upon Closing. Conditional Terms Available to Qualified Buyer. Prior Approval Before Auction Day Must Be Obtained. Taxes: Seller Will Pay 2000 Year & Prior Taxes. Buyer assumes Taxes Jan 1, 2001. Possession: Upon Closing-Closing Within 30 Days or Negotiable Either Side of December 31, 2000. Owner Will Have 10 Minutes To Accept Or Reject Bids Upon Completion Of Real Estate Auction.
TANKS - TRAILERS 1-Hale 16 ft Stock Trailer, TA, OT 1-18 ft Travel Trailer 1-LMC 4 wheel, 24 ft Flatbed Trailer 1-SM 4 wheel Pipe Trailer 1-500 Gallon O/H Fuel Tank 1-48 Gallon Pickup Propane Tank	NON - CLASSIFIED 2-Round Hay Bale Feeder Rings 1-Saddle Rack 1-Lot Horse Collars, Hames 1-Lot Forks, Hoos, Spades, Axes 1-Cast Iron Dutch Oven 1-Cast Iron Wash Pot 1-10 Gallon Cream Can 1-Lot Garden & Yard Tools 1-Red Wagon 1-Riding Lawn Mower 1-Window Ref A/C 2-Pieces 6'X6'X12' Angle Iron 1-Duff House Jack 1-5 Gallon Propane Bottle 1-Lot Tires, Wheels 1-Branding Iron Heater 1-Lot Shop & Scrap Iron 1-Lot Item Too Numerous To List	Real Estate Will Sell At 1:00 PM. Owner Would Entertain Selling House And Small Acreage. Separate From Farm. If Interested, Talk To Cruce & Fletcher Auctioneers Or Owner Prior To Auction Day. Announcements Sale Day Take Precedence.

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
(AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the registered voters of the County of GARZA, Texas:
(a los votantes registrados del Condado de GARZA, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., November 7, 2000, for voting in a general election to elect PRESIDENTIAL*, Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers - ELECTORS

(Notifique, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7 de noviembre de 2000 para votar en la Elección General para elegir ELECTORES *Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado PRESIDENCIALES

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

PCT. 1 - PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	PCT. 6 - GRAHAM COMMUNITY CENTER
PCT. 2 - SOUTHLAND SCHOOLHOUSE	PCT. 7 - POST HIGH SCHOOL
PCT. 3 - WELLS FARGO BANK	PCT. 8 - POST JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
PCT. 4 - JUSTICEBURG SCHOOLHOUSE	PCT. 9 - LORENZO ALEXANDER COMMUNITY CENTER
PCT. 5 - CLOSE CITY COMMUNITY CENTER	

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(entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 12:00 de la tarde empezando el 23 OCTUBRE DE 2000)
y 1:00 a.m. y 5:00 p.m. (fecha)

and ending on NOVEMBER 3, 2000 (y terminando el 3 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 2000) (date) (fecha)

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OCTOBER 31, 2000 (date) (fecha)
31 DE OCTUBRE 2000

Issued this the 28 day of SEPTEMBER, 2000.
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