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## Airport facelift done; officials view work

by John Cordsen

The Post and Garza County airport was officially rededicated Thursday, July 8 during a short ceremony at the airport by city, county and state officials. Garza County Judge Giles Dalby, Post Mayor Jim Jackson and State Representative David Counts were among those on hand for the rededication.

The airport recently underwent an extensive facelift including paving, lengthening the runways and improving the taxiways. According to Stanley Butler, chairman of the local airport board, the \$500,000 plus project was paid for by money from the city, county, Texas Department of Transportation and the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA).

The FAA funds comprised the bulk of the money used. The federal agency provided 80 percent of the money from its reserves accumulated from fuel

taxes and boarding passes. This money has been designated for projects such as the Post airport. Butler said the fund currently has reserves approaching \$7 billion.

The Department of Transportation contributed 10 percent with the city and the county each putting up five percent.

Rep. Counts commended the local airport board for seeing the project through to completion.

"It takes a tremendous amount of effort locally to see something like this through," said Counts.

Those attending the rededication received a special treat as Post's Jeff Lott and Mark Pfeiffer from Lubbock used the occasion to get in a little practice from the refurbished airport.

The two pilots took turns putting their Christen Eagle II stunt planes through a series of twists, turns and loops high over the airfield much to the delight of those on the ground.



Dispatch Photo by John Cordsen

JEFF LOTT (standing) and Mark Pfeiffer conduct a pre-flight check of Pfeiffer's Christen Eagle II aircraft prior to a practice run during the rededication of the Post/Garza County airport.

## Commissioners look to regional jail to meet county's needs

by John Cordsen

Garza County's future jail cell needs became a little more settled following action by the commissioners court Monday, July 12. The court reached an agreement in principal for the county to participate in a Permian Basin Regional Jail during its regular meeting. Under the agreement approved by the commissioners, the county would contract for five beds (cells) in the regional jail.

The jail, which is yet to be constructed at an undetermined site in Ector County, will house prisoners from a number of counties in southwest Texas. Garza County is one of the northern most counties to consider participating in the regional jail. Preliminary plans call for the construction of a 500 bed facility to be completed sometime in the fall of 1994.

The commissioners court opted for the regional jail concept to meet projected county jail needs instead of expanding Garza County facilities. The major reason for this was cost. Corplan Inc., the developer of the regional jail, has set a \$28.30 per diem for each prisoner housed in the jail. Preliminary estimates on expanding the Garza County jail are in the \$450,000 range.

"We can't house and feed prisoners over here for \$28 a day," said Judge Giles Dalby referring to the Garza County Jail at the court's last meeting in June.

Currently, based on floor space requirements per prisoner, the Garza County Jail has a capacity of seven inmates, 10 for short periods of time.

The jail has three cells, two that can hold four prisoners and one that holds two. As of Monday, the jail was home to nine prisoners. One of those, though was a woman which further complicates the situation. Garza County Sheriff Kenny Ratke has to make special arrangements to accommodate women prisoners. The single two bed cell is used for women prisoners while the men are forced into the remaining cells.

"What we're doing now is okay as long as it's not for an extended period of time," said Ratke.

He said that he tries to move the prisoners through the system as fast as possible, even to the extent of taking them to other counties where the district court is meeting. This adds to the travel expense and takes a deputy off patrol, but Ratke says it does help speed up the process of getting prisoners in and out of the local jail.

He went on to say though, that a full jail is becoming the norm more than the exception. "Business in the jail is picking up tremendously," said the sheriff. "It's not something I'm proud of, but very seldom do I see our jail population fall below seven. Usually it's five or seven or more."

When the jail does become overcrowded, Ratke says he must "farm out" prisoners to other county jails that have room. In these instances, it is usually Lubbock County that ends up housing the prisoners for Ratke. This option isn't cheap though, Ratke says costs usually run in the \$35 a day range. Added to this charge are the

additional costs of transportation and manpower needed to take the prisoners to and from an out of county jail.

A benefit to the regional jail is that transportation costs are included in the per diem fee charged. The regional jail will be responsible for transporting prisoners to and from the facility.

Ratke said choosing the regional jail concept over an enlarged local facility is a "catch 22" situation. Both cost money he would just as soon see the county not have to spend. But he admitted that with the increasing number of crimes that require jail time, something must be done.

The sheriff said it was difficult to state exactly how much it cost his department to house a prisoner on a daily basis, but did have several of the costs associated with their care isolated. Currently, the sheriff's budget for feeding prisoners is \$15,000 a year. Ratke said that even with the increased occupancy, this budget is still in good shape. He also said a large part of his department's \$14,000 utility budget is used to run the jail. Other costs include transportation, medical and jail staff.

If the county would have opted to enlarge its current facility, Ratke said he would have had to double his jailers from the current five to 10. He also said that enlarging the jail would require him to hire a cook and build a hospital quality kitchen. The construction costs were included in the \$450,000 estimate mentioned earlier, the additional manpower needed was not.

According to information released by the commissioners, participating in the regional jail will cost the county \$51,647 for the first year, even if it does not use the five beds it will be contracting. The county may not have to pay this fee if other participating counties need additional space and use Garza County's allotment.

"If projections go like they say they will, they will have no problem keeping the thing full," said Judge Dalby.

After the first year for the facility, with 90 days written notice to the regional jail management, the county can reduce its obligation on unused beds to approximately \$5.55 per day, per bed. This figure represents the debt service portion of the original per diem amount. It is also the regional jail management's responsibility to rent the unused jail space, in which case the obligation for the \$5.55 would be satisfied.

The county would participate in the regional jail on a year-to-year basis and could opt out of the agreement at an anniversary date. The county is also not responsible for any payments to the facility until it is opened in a little over a year.

The commissioners court continued the long and arduous task of putting together the county's next budget. County Treasurer Ruth Ann Young has received budget requests from some departments but not all departments.

With the increased demands on the

## Second hearing set July 21 for courthouse annex

The second public hearing for the proposed courthouse annex has been scheduled for Wednesday, July 21 at 7 p.m. in the Post Community Center.

The Garza County Commissioners Court set this date during its Monday, July 12 meeting. The court had been delaying setting the date for the second and final public hearing on the proposed courthouse work hoping to hear something from the Texas Historical Commission. After numerous letters to the commission without a response, the court decided to go ahead with the hearing.

"We gave them ample opportunity," said Garza County Judge Giles Dalby. "I think we should move on with this."

The judge urged people of Garza County to attend this important meeting if they have any concerns or wish to voice their support for the project. He said the meeting is the best time for citizens to come and ask questions from the county's engineers and others working closely on the project.

The annex is being proposed by the county to bring the courthouse into compliance with the American Disabilities Act.

county, court members are not too optimistic on keeping the budget under last year's \$1,686,421 general fund and road and bridge fund budget.

"This budget is going to be the toughest one we've ever had since I've been in office since 1971," said Judge Dalby.

He listed meeting ADA requirements on the courthouse, jail expenses and the new city/county landfill as increased costs the commissioners must weigh when preparing the new budget.

"With all of this new stuff coming in (the courthouse, jail and landfill) I hope all of the department budgets are the same as last year," said Commissioner Herb Walls. "By the time everything is done, we're looking at a pretty good tax increase for Garza County citizens."

According to Judge Dalby, in 1993 Garza County ranked 13th from the bottom in its tax rate at .21 cents. The commissioners sounded pessimistic about retaining this distinction with the new budget.

## City council looks to hold spending line in new budget

by John Cordsen

Look for the current Post City Council to hold the spending line as it begins putting together the 1993-94 budget for the community. According to interim city manager Delbert Rudd during his presentation of the preliminary budget to the council at its July 6 meeting, income and expenses will remain close to their current levels.

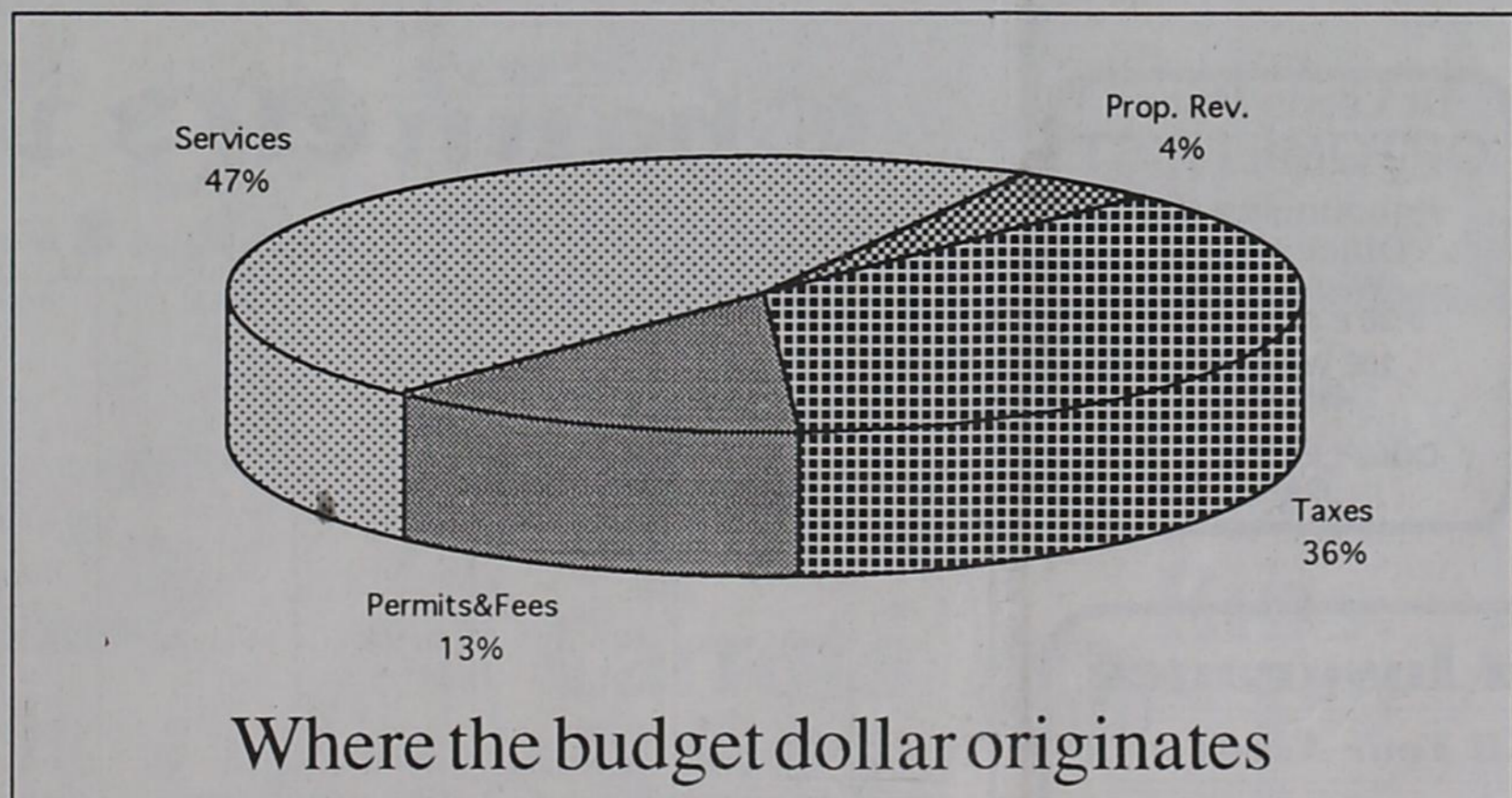
Rudd's presentation was admittedly a "rough" version of the final city budget for the next fiscal year which begins October 1, 1993.

"This is before we even start looking at individual items," said Rudd of the preliminary budget. "It includes everybody's requests."

Projected revenue for the coming fiscal year is at \$1,358,554. Requested expenditures tops out at \$1,582,661. The task before the council is to reconcile the expenses to the projected income. Rudd said it would be safe to assume that projected expenditures would be trimmed considerably before the final budget is accepted.

The preliminary budget Rudd presented the council last Tuesday night did not include any salary increases for the city's 18 employees. Post had an overall gross salary of \$249,782 for fiscal 1992-93.

Charges for services (sewer, water, sanitation and cemetery) will provide the largest single area of income for Post during the next fiscal year. Rudd projects these areas to generate approximately \$571,050 for the city coffers. Taxes provide the next level of funding with \$447,500 expected to



Where the budget dollar originates

come in. Permits and fees are expected to bring in \$156,950 while revenue from city owned property is expected to add an additional \$52,800 to the city. This final figure represent money from rent of city property and oil royalty revenues.

Sanitation, including the new landfill, administration, streets and water/sewer are where most of the money will go. Water and sewer will take the largest single portion of the budget, calling for approximately \$350,000 in outlays. This includes money paid for water purchases from White River, upkeep of the two systems and other associated expenses. Administration outlays call

for the city to spend \$332,000. This includes all operating expenses of city hall. Sanitation expenses under the proposed budget call for \$273,000 and streets an additional \$220,000.

Capital improvements at \$118,000 and other expenses at \$113,000 make up the remaining budget requests the council will have to pare down to meet expected city income.

Comparing this budget to the current fiscal year that ends October 1 shows little growth in income (\$1,358,554, up from \$1,329,918.) Rudd expects that when the final bills are settled for fiscal 1992-93, the city will be in the red, having spent \$1,352,451, or

\$22,533 over budget. Unexpected expenses associated with the new landfill were blamed for the budget overrun.

"It's sure not bad for all of the unexpected expenses on the landfill," said councilman Jim Schooler of the 1992-93 budget overrun.

Another factor weighing on the final budget is the upcoming city-wide election. The current council is in a unique position. With the special city election scheduled for August 14, it is a possibility that work will not be completed on the spending measure before a new council is sworn in August 20. Something Rudd says the council

is well aware of.

"We will begin doing some serious work on it (the budget) before the election," said Rudd. "Hopefully we will have it well on its way to being finalized by that time."

As work on the budget progresses, the city council will hold two public hearings to get input from Post citizens. The council will also hold several work sessions on the budget.

A citizens group representing an area on South Ave. N came before the council complaining they were not receiving city services the same way other tax payers in Post do.

Led by Lewis Holly, five others who live near 803 S. Ave N requested the council do something about road maintenance near their homes.

"I don't know what it will take," said Holly. "We've got a problem. I've been down there 21 years and I've had to go through this every time we've had to get something done!"

The group also questioned why, as tax paying citizens, they were not receiving the same services as other citizens.

"Why can't we get the same services when we pay the same taxes," asked Holly.

After the meeting, interim city manager Rudd said the group was receiving all of the services as the rest of the city, with the exception of sewer. He said elevation was the primary reason the sewer system has not been extended to the area.

"The sewer main Third Street (where

a line for the area would tie into the existing system) is not three foot deep," said Rudd. "In order to have them on the system would require a lift station of some type."

The lift station would pump the sewage uphill where it would enter the city's system. Rudd added that a lift station would include a hefty price tag.

Other services mentioned by the group included cable television and home delivery of mail. Rudd indicated that these were not technically city provided services. Cable access is covered by a franchise agreement between the city and the cable provider while mail delivery is strictly a federal matter between the homeowners and the United States Postal Service.

On the question of the roads though, Post Mayor Jim Jackson said the council would look into the matter and get back with the group.

Holly said the council could check into it, but that the group of citizens was not through.

"We're just laying the groundwork now - - - we'll be back," promised Holly.

JoAnn Mock, representing the Caprock Cultural Association, requested the Post City Council make the old Tower Theatre available to the group to use for its ongoing effort to enlarge the arts industry here in Post. "I think that it would be a great asset to the city," said Mock.

Mock said the CCA would oversee the operation of the theatre and

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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Spanish Church holding yard sale

The Spanish Church at 508 N. Ave G is having a yard sale July 16 and 17. The Friday sale runs from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. and the Saturday sale begins at the same time but ends at noon. There will also be breakfast burritos sold.

### Christian School Garage sale Saturday

The Christian School garage sale will be held this Saturday, July 17 beginning at 9 a.m. at 901 W. 15th.

Come by and load up with bargains.

Persons wishing to donate items in good condition may call 495-2603.

### Draw-Redwine reunion July 18

The annual Draw-Redwine annual reunion will be held Sunday, July 18 at the Post Community Center from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Everyone from the Draw-Redwine community is invited to attend and help make the reunion the best ever. The noon meal will be catered.

### Trail Blazers gospel singing July 17

Garza County Trail Blazers will meet July 17 for the groups regular monthly gospel singing. The festivities begin at 7:30 p.m. Special music will be presented by Lorita Baldrige and her band. This group is from the Spur and Jayton area.

Post residents are encouraged to bring their families and come down to the Trail Blazers and enjoy the music and refreshments.

### Lion's Club golf Aug. 7&8

The Post Lion's Club annual golf tournament is scheduled for August 7 and 8 at the Caprock Golf Course. The two day tournament will include a 2 man scramble on August 7 and low ball on August 8. For more information contact either Jim Graham at 495-3044 or Lanny Fluitt at 495-3469.

### Paper Casting workshop July 31

Artist Buster Jones will be giving a one day paper casting workshop Saturday, July 31 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Sand Creek Fine Arts Gallery at 503 South Broadway here in Post. The workshop will give the student sufficient knowledge to completely understand the process of paper casting, including mold making for casting their own arts and crafts.

All materials will be furnished along with a full set of notes. Interested persons can call 495-2762 in Post or 745-4063 in Lubbock for cost information.

### Christian School enrollment open

Registration is currently open at First Baptist Christian School at 402 W. Main. Pre-school classes are available to those children who will be ages 3 or 4 before September 1.

Elementary classes are available for grades k-8. Classes are filled on a first come, first serve basis. Persons wishing to enroll their children may call 495-3554 or 495-2603 for more information concerning enrollment procedures. They may also go by the school office at 402 W. Main.

Registration and book fees are required at the time of enrollment. Birth certificate, social security number and an up-to-date immunization record are also mandatory. School uniforms are required and should be ordered immediately to assure arrival before school starts.

First Baptist Christian School offers a quality, Christ-centered education with a low student-teacher ratio. It is staffed by qualified and committed Christian teachers. FBCCS is a member of the Association of Christian Schools International.

### Civil Air Patrol organizational meeting

Looking for adventure and excitement? Come to the Civil Air Patrol organizational meeting August 7, at 7 p.m. at the Church of God of Prophecy at 14th and Ave. O. The organization is divided into two sections. Cadets are between the ages of 13 and 18 and Adults is for those 18 and over. For more information call Jayson Fry at 495-3125 or Michael Tomlinson at 495-3474.

### Garza County Roping August 7

The Garza County Roping has been scheduled for Saturday, August 7 at 3 p.m. The roping will be held at the Post Stampede Rodeo Grounds.

This year, two new events have been added to this year's roping. They include 14 and under break-away and open tie-down calf roping.

Also included in the roping will be steer stopping and a round robin team roping. The top four in calf roping, team roping and break-away will advance to the Saturday night performance of the Post Stampede Rodeo on August 14. Steer stopping will conclude August 7.

To enter call Deb Kimball at 495-3321 or 495-4171 after five week days and weekends. Entries and money need to be turned in by August 1. Entry fees include: break-away, \$10; calf roping, \$25; Steer stopping, \$25 and team roping, \$100. Persons entering more than two events must designate which two events will count towards the all-around honors. Also, persons wanting rope as novices, they need to indicate this when entering. All events are three head progressive after one.

All money and buckles will be awarded at the Post Stampede Rodeo on Saturday night, August 14. There will be no exceptions.

### WPS offers support group

Women's Protective Services offers a support group every Thursday for adults who have been emotionally, physically or sexually abused by a spouse, relationship partner or family member. The group meets every Thursday, from 3-4 p.m. at the WPS' office located at the Postex, Mill. For more information call 495-2437.

### Commodities distribution

The commodities distribution are held on the third Monday every month at the Service Center on the Snyder Highway. The center will be open for the distribution from 9-12 and from 1-3 p.m. New applications will be accepted beginning March 5.

### Flea and Tick dip July 17

The Post Rotary Club is sponsoring a flea and tick dip along with a rabies clinic for pets Saturday, July 17 at the Post Volunteer Fire Station beginning at 1:30 p.m. and continuing until 3:30 p.m.



Mrs. Jeffrey Whisenhunt

## Mason, Whisenhunt exchange wedding vows June 19

Crystal Dawn Mason and Jeffrey Earl Whisenhunt were united in marriage on June 19, 1993 in the home of Jon and Chita Hataway, brother-in-law and sister of the bride of Post.

The 11 a.m. double-ring ceremony was performed by Garza County Judge, Giles W. Dalby before a decorated mantle and fireplace. Recorded musical selections played were "The Traditional Wedding March" and "Cross My Heart" by George Strait.

Immediately following the vows, the groom's children, Brina and Brant, came forward and presented their new step-mother with a 14K gold mother's ring depicting their birthstones.

Crystal is the daughter of D.L. (Sonny) and Rene Mason of Post. She is the granddaughter of Dorothy Mason of Andrews.

Jeff is the son of Walter and Barbara Whisenhunt and is the grandson of F.T. (Cracker) Bartlett all of Merkel.

Honor attendants were Chita Hataway, sister of the bride and Bart Whisenhunt, brother of the groom. Given in marriage by her dad, the bride wore a beautiful silk coral dress. She carried a cascading bouquet of white silk gardenias, gypsophila and stephanotis with white streamers.

Carrying out tradition, the bride carried a 1964 penny in her shoe and wore a blue satin garter. Her dress and shoes were new. Something borrowed was her bouquet, pearl necklace and earrings belonging to her sister.

As guests entered the home, they registered at a table covered with a white satin cloth accented with a "Precious Moments" bride and groom, brass candle sticks and a framed poem, "The Art of Marriage" by Wilferd A. Peterson.

A reception was held in the den immediately following the ceremony. The Bride's table was covered with a white satin floor

length cloth with a white lace runner.

The two tiered white wedding cake was trimmed with pastel flowers. Atop the cake were two sugar wedding bells. The centerpiece consisted of various silk spring flowers in a terra cotta clay pot.

Serving at the table using crystal appointments were Kathy and Jennifer Cleveger, aunt and cousin of the bride from Andrews, Texas.

Hamburgers with all the trimmings, chips, dips, homemade ice cream, wedding cake and tea were served to all guests on the patio. Tables were covered with pastel cloths and brass votive cups.

Out of town guests registered from Andrews, Merkel, Trent and Lubbock.

Crystal is a Post High School graduate and is employed by Connell Estate of Post. Jeff is a graduate of Merkel High School and is employed by Threeway Construction of Post.

## Menus

### Trail Blazers

#### Thursday, July 15

Ham salad, cream of tomato soup, chopped lettuce, cucumbers & onions, saltines, fruit crumble, choice of beverage.

#### Friday, July 16

Roast beef w/brown gravy, roasted potatoes, carrots, tossed salad, wheat rolls, frosted cake, choice of beverage.

#### Monday, July 19

Pork chops, baked beans, cooked

cabbage, hot rolls, apricots, choice of beverage.

#### Tuesday, July 20

Turkey & dressing, carrots, tossed salad, hot roll, apple crisp, choice of beverage.

#### Wednesday, July 21

Stuffed baked potato, chopped BBQ, broccoli & cheese, tossed salad, hot roll, poke cake, choice of beverage.

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## Births

### Alexis Danielle Dunn

Lex and Rachel Dunn of Lubbock are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Alexis Danielle, born at 8:34 a.m. June 30, 1993 at St. Mary's Hospital. She weighed seven pounds, seven ounces and was 20 1/2 ounces at birth.

Alexis's grandparents include Ruthell and Joe Stanley of Post; Darrell and Fran Dunn of Lubbock;

Butch and Freddi Wilson of Oklahoma City and Margie Casteel of San Antonio.

Great grandparents include Elsie Mae Jackson; Dorace Wilson both of Post; Rose and Calvin Casteel of Washington; Marilyn and Ted Williams of Post; and Genvee Mitchell of Colorado City.

### Stoker Griffin Burt

Kathy and Jon Burt of Kaufman, TX proudly announce the birth of their son, Stoker Griffin, born July 10, 1993 at 8:35 a.m. in Kaufman. He weighed seven pounds, 12 ounces and was 21 inches long at birth.

Stoker's grandparents include Patty

and K.W. Kirkpatrick of Post and Mary and Don Burt of Rosser.

Maternal great grandparents are Ryla and John Lott of Lubbock and Mrs. Ruby Stoker Kirkpatrick of Post.

Paternal great grandparents are Mrs. Jessie Burt of Crandall, TX and Mrs. Irene Griffin of Rosser.

## Obituaries

### Don Wright

Services for Don Wright, 55, of Slaton were held July 7, 1993 at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Robert Moore, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englund's Funeral Service.

Wright died Monday, July 5, 1993 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

He was born October 8, 1937 in Rule and moved to Slaton in 1943. He graduated from Slaton schools and attended Sul Ross University. He had worked for White Swan Foods since 1973. He was a

member of the First Baptist Church and married Barbara "Bobbie" Felty January 1, 1960.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Craig and Coby Don, both of Lubbock; brother, Wayne of Fort Worth; and three grandchildren.

Wright was the father-in-law of Keitha Wright, formerly of Post.

Pallbearers included Jack Haire, Donald Basinger, Curtis Aycock, Darrel Ray Norman, Jay H. Trimble Taylor.

The family suggests memorials to First Baptist Church.

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## Post Channel 31

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July 14-20, 1993

TIME	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
8 AM	STARS OF GOSPEL MUSIC	LL PLAYOFF GAME #1	STARS OF GOSPEL MUSIC	GAME #2	POST ON SCREEN	STARS OF GOSPEL MUSIC	MANAGERS VS SPONSORS BB
9 AM	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
10 AM	CITY COUNCIL	COMMISSIONER'S COURT	SR. LEAGUE GAME #1	SCHOOL BOARD	V	SR. PLAYOFF GAME #3	CCA PUBLIC MEETING
11 AM	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
12 PM	BAPTIST CHURCH	METHODIST CHURCH	COMMISSIONER'S COURT	AIRPORT DEDICATION	V	NAZARENE CHURCH	CHURCH OF CHRIST
1 PM	V	V	V	V	CHURCH OF CHRIST	CHURCH OF GOD	V
2 PM	AIRPORT	CITY/V	SR. LEAGUE	SR. LEAGUE	NAZARENE CHURCH	SCHOOL BOARD	PINE BOX BERRYV
3 PM	DEBILITATION	LUNEL/V	GAME #2	GAME #1	CHURCH METHODIST	V	V
4 PM	V	V	V	V	CHURCH	V	V
5 PM	MANAGERS VS SPONSORS BB	CHEERLEADER TRYOUTS	LANDFILL REPORT	CHEERLEADER TRYOUTS	BAPTIST CHURCH	CCA PUBLIC MEETING	CHEERLEADER TRYOUTS
6 PM	V	BIG TEX VIDEO SHOW	V	BIG TEX VIDEO SHOW	CHURCH OF GOD	V	BIG TEX VIDEO SHOW
7 PM	COMMISSIONER'S COURT	SR. LEAGUE GAME #2	CITY COUNCIL	SR. PLAYOFF GAME #2	STARS OF GOSPEL MUSIC	LANDFILL REPORT	AIRPORT DEDICATION
8 PM	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
9 PM	SR. LEAGUE GAME #1	LANDFILL REPORT	SR. LEAGUE GAME #2	CCA PUBLIC MEETING	PINE BOX DEARB	MANAGERS VS SPONSORS BB	LL PLAYOFF GAME #1
10 PM	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
11 PM	NAZARENE CHURCH	BAPTIST CHURCH	LL PLAYOFF GAME #1	STARS OF GOSPEL MUSIC	SR. PLAYOFF GAME #3	CHURCH OF CHRIST	METHODIST CHURCH
12 AM	CHURCH OF GOD	V	V	V	V	V	V
1 AM	POST	POST	POST	POST	POST	POST	POST
2 AM	ON-SCREEN	ON-SCREEN	ON-SCREEN	ON-SCREEN	ON-SCREEN	ON-SCREEN	ON-SCREEN
3 AM	V	V	V	V	V	V	V





# BACKYARD BBQ



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## Tomato Sauce

8 oz.

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## Peter Pan Peanut Butter

Creamy or Crunchy 28 oz.

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### Ocean Spray Red Juice Cocktails

Cranberry, Low Calorie Cranberry or Cranapple 32 oz.

## 2 for \$3

### Frito Lay Cannister Snacks

Cheetos Puffed Balls 5 oz. or Crunchy 6.38 oz., Fritos Dip Size 7.12 oz., Doritos Nacho Cheese 4.75 oz., Rold Gold Pretzels 7.25 oz. or Tostitos 5.75 oz.

## .88

### Fine Fare Spinach

15 oz.

## 2 for .88

## Welch's Grape Jelly or Jam

2 lb.

# \$1.08

Welch's Strawberry Spread 2 lb. \$1.68

### Tropicana Pure Premium Orange Juice

Regular or Homestyle 96 oz.

## \$3.28

### United Premium Quality Milk

Homogenized or Low Fat gallon jug

## \$1.98

### Pillsbury Refrigerated Cookies

Sugar, Peanut Butter or Chocolate Chip 20 oz.

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### Candi Reed finishes in top 20 of pre-teen pageant

**CANDI REED** recently returned from Dallas where she finished in the top 20 of a pre-teen pageant. Over 200 young ladies from across Texas competed in the pageant. Reed was the only competitor from West Texas finishing in the top 20.

She is the 10 year old daughter of Tommy and Jerry Reed of Post. Grandparents include Jackie and JoAnn Blacklock of Post and Weldon and Maritta Reed of Justiceburg.

### Civil Air Patrol holds mock crash

Three local members of the Lubbock Composite Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol participated in a mock search and rescue mission Saturday, July 10, at Lake Ransom Canyon. Local cadets are Vincent Fields, Bryan Justice, and Jayson Fry.

The mock mission began with the mid-air collision of a charter air-liner and a four passenger Cessna aircraft. A search plane from Lubbock Composite Squadron was called in to spot the downed crafts. Ground search crews were then dispatched to the scene for search and rescue. Lubbock EMS in coordination with University Medical Center and Aero-care were also dispatched to the scene. Everyone learned proper search, rescue and extrication techniques.

To learn more about the Civil Air Patrol and to help organize a local squadron, people can attend our planning meeting August 7 at 7 p.m. at the Church of God of Prophecy. For more information contact any of the persons listed above.

### Tonya Dunn honored at bridal shower

The Macy Ranch, home of Debbie Macy, was the scene Saturday morning of a wedding shower honoring Tonya Dunn, bride-elect of Drew Kirkpatrick.

Guests were greeted by Miss Dunn, Cindy K. Hughes of College Station and Orabeth White.

Patty Kirkpatrick, mother of the future bridegroom, was unable to attend because she was in Kaufman for the birth of a new grandson.

The serving table was draped with a white sheer lace edged runner and tied with white rope tassels. A large Waterford crystal vase held fresh white calla lilies.

Brass and crystal appointments were used to serve finger cookies, strawberries and grapes. The punch was served by Delores Redman.

The hostesses presented the couple with a large oval pewter horse serving tray.

Hosting the event were: Marienette Tyler, Jane Davis, Doris Giddens, Ada Lou Bird, Pam Humble, Linda Lewis, Jancy Middleton, Redman, White and Macy.

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The Barcelona Court in Lubbock was the meeting place for the 40th reunion of the '53 class of PHS. The reunion was held July 3 and 4. Decorations were in black and gold with various posters and pictures of happenings of the class.

"Tales from the Back Forty" written by members were distributed during the afternoon.

Dinner was served at the 50-Yard Line. Class president, Darrell Stone, presided, welcoming the guests. Jim Ferguson presented various awards won by Pearl Herman, Charles Bird, Jim Boren, H. Wayne Massey, Pete Hays, Dorothy Custer, Randell Laurence and Bobby Rogers.

Visiting went on well into the night only to be continued the following morning at breakfast.

Attending were Norman Johnson, Colleyville, TX; Virgie (Ammons) & Raymond Jenkins, Brownfield; Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Crockett, Wolfforth; Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Stone, San Jose, CA; Mr. & Mrs. Charles Bird, Springfield, MO; Lenona (Stone) Eblen, Slaton; Mr. & Mrs. Ross Morrow, Dallas; Maxine (Baylis) & "Hoot" Billy Joe Gibson, Hutto, TX; Mr. & Mrs. Vernon Reed, Midland; Mr. & Mrs. Jim Ferguson, Memphis, TN; Mr. & Mrs. Jack Ainsworth, Colorado City; Bobby & Linda (Mills) Rogers, Borger; Dorothy (Jones) & Cordell Custer, Cincinnati, OH; Danny Tillman, Parker, CO; Buena (Welch) & Carl Adcock, Keller; Mr. & Mrs. Charles Winkler, Austin; Pearl (Craig) & Dennis Herman, Mr. & Mrs. Jim Boren, Wilma (Welch) & Burl Carey, Mary Jo (Williams) Evans, Mr. & Mrs. H. Wayne Massey, Lubbock; Mr. & Mrs. John Boren, Justiceburg; Mr. & Mrs. Pete Hays, W.O. Fluit, Randell Laurence, Mr. & Mrs. Curtis Williams & Judy (King) & A.J. McAlister, all of Post. Others visiting Saturday were Joyce Stephens Richardson, Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Stephens, Plains.

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**Thursday July 15, 1993 Dickens Electric Cooperative Headquarters Spur, Texas MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND!**

**Dickens Electric Cooperative, Inc. 53rd Annual Meeting**

### Bring the family to your annual meeting

Dickens Electric Cooperative will hold its 53rd annual membership meeting at the Cooperative's headquarters building in Spur Thursday, July 15, 1993.

The annual meeting will feature a Health Fair for members and guests. Make plans to come early to the annual meeting and participate in the Health Fair from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. A barbecue meal for members and guests will be served from 6:30 to 7:30 during the entertainment. The business session will begin at 7:30, and entertainment for the children will be provided at an adjoining area.

Three directors are to be elected to three-year terms by the membership during the business session. Only active members as of June 30, 1993, will be eligible to vote. Reports on the operations of the Cooperative will also be given.

The directors and management encourage all Cooperative members to be a part of the annual meeting. An evening of fun, entertainment, and prize drawings is planned. This year's grand prize will be \$500 cash.

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## Post All-stars finish second in Slaton tournament

**THE POST LITTLE LEAGUE** All-stars finished second in the 11-12 year old All-star tournament recently completed in Slaton. In finishing second, the team compiled a 4-2 record. Along the way they split with Shallowater and eventual champion Tahoka and defeated Slaton and O'Donnell. Team members included: Front row; (l-r) Adam Guerrero, Rocky Gomez, Marcus Lopez, John Radle, Joshua Bustoz, Colt Miller and Matthew McCallister. back row; Ruben Gomez, Braden Conner, Jason Fields, Luis Leos, Roy Soto, T.J. Gaydos and Colt McCook. Coaches; (far back) were Gary Blevins and Rodger Jaquess

## Simpson returns to Post after trip to South Africa

Lynn A. Simpson returned to Post this week after a six week trip to South Africa. He went to South Africa in an exchange program with the Rotary Club in Big Spring, Texas.

In April six South Africans visited this area of Texas. Lynn was one of six Texans to visit their home towns in South Africa. Some of the towns he visited were Johannesburg, Cape Town, Kimberly, Potchefstroom and several others. He visited the schools, factories,

gold mines and many other places of interest. He also saw many of the African animals in the wild.

While there the group stayed in host homes and spoke to the Rotary Clubs in each town, promoting West Texas.

Lynn is a 1980 graduate of Post High School and lives in Big Spring. He teaches biology in Howard College in Big Spring.

Lyn is the son of R.L. and Jimella Simpson of Post

## God's County musical present beginning July 29

"God's Country", a musical prairie drama, will be produced by the Rio Blanco Heritage Foundation Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, July 29, 30, 31, and August 5, 6, and 7. The life and local history including both the joys and hardships faced by the early settlers is depicted by area talent. The setting for "God's

Country" is the realistic atmosphere of the Blanco Canyon, where much of the original story took place.

Showings and tickets are limited and virtually every show is a sellout. For ticket information contact "God's Country" at (806) 675-2906, P.O. Box 386, Crosbyton, Texas 79322.

## Children's immunization goal passes hurdle with legislation

The day when all Texas children are immunized is growing closer. A measure passed recently by the Texas Legislature and supported by Texas Medical Association provides that every child in the state be immunized against vaccine-preventable diseases, regardless of ability to pay. As plans to immunize Texas children are set in motion by the Texas Department of Health, the physicians of Texas Medical Association will play an active role. TMA is part of a coalition coordinating and implementing plans to increase immunizations in Texas.

Immunizations are an important part of preventive health because a number of infectious diseases are almost completely preventable through routine immunizations. The incidence of measles, one such preventable disease increased twelvefold in Texas from 1988 to 1991. In fact, as late as 1990, Texas was home to about 18 percent of the nation's measles cases.

To help prevent this and other dangerous and potentially life-threatening diseases, Texas Medical Association urges you to make sure you and your children have current immunizations.

## Beef Up Your Word Power

with Dr. Charles Somerville Ludicrous - adj., absurd; ridiculous. Incarceration - n., the act of imprisonment or confining. —Example of how ludicrous and incarceration are used when combined with the noun, "Equalization:"



Equalization - the ludicrous process of limiting each public school student to less than \$5000 per year, while guaranteeing \$30,000 per inmate in prison, thereby increasing the prospects of incarceration rather than graduation.

## Scouts Day Camp provided a learning experience

Any one chancing a trip by the Post City Park during the evening hours during the week of June 21-25 were sure to see a number of girls having fun. The girls (35 in all) were participating in the annual Post Girl Scouts Day Camp.

The Scouts, along with 10 adults enjoyed a number of activities centered around the theme of "Celebration". Songs and games, customs, foods and crafts were included in the celebration from various cultures.

Each day a different culture was explored. Monday the Scouts went to Mexico, Tuesday was American Indian, Wednesday activities focused on Africa and Thursday the Scouts learned about Japan.

The girls enjoyed a break from the routine on Friday as they were

treated to a swim party at the city park pool. Following their dip in the pool, the scouts were treated to a 12 foot long banana split. The week concluded with a number of skits and an awards ceremony including a patriotic observance where two worn American flags were retired.

After the Pledge of Allegiance, each flag was cut into its parts and burned as the qualities or states represented were recited. The girls sang "America the Beautiful" and ended the moving ceremony with "Taps".

After the week, the Scouts all agreed that the time they spent together was fun and that they learned a lot about other people and themselves.



The first lighthouse in America was Boston Lighthouse, on Little Brewster Island in Boston Harbor. First lit in 1716, it was destroyed during the Revolutionary War, but another lighthouse was built on the site in 1783 and still stands.

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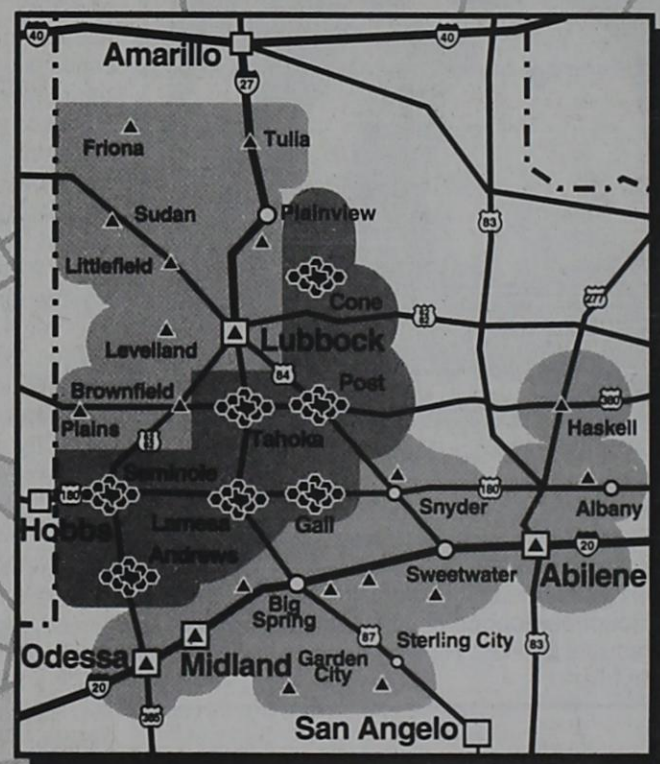
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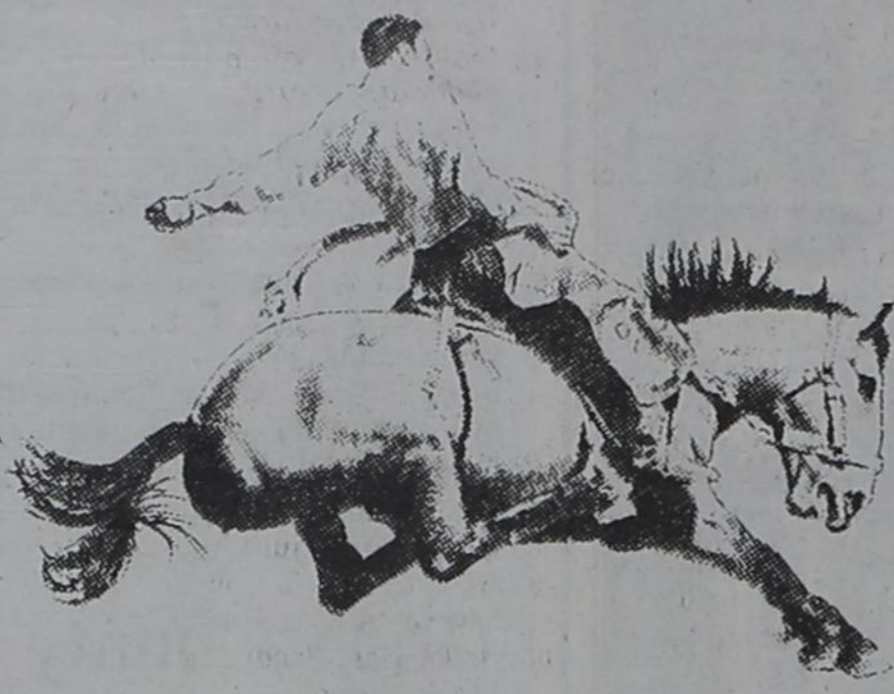
# Best rodeo in the west -- coming soon

by Laura Puma

Dates are set, and advertisements posted for the "Best Rodeo in the West". What makes one rodeo better than another? Fifty-two years of experience and dedication by the men who quietly make it happen year after year surely make a difference. Over the next several weeks, various components of this successful production will be explored in this column.

Who decides one rodeo is better than another? The cowboys who participate in these exhilarating events all over the state rate them in a variety of categories. A poll is conducted by their official organization, the Texas Cowboy Rodeo Association. It determines which rodeo will receive the prestigious designation of "the best amateur rodeo in Texas."

Activities to maintain the rating of Number One begin soon as the Annual Post Stampede Rodeo goes into action next month. The books will officially open on Monday morning at 8 a.m. on August 9. The telephone will begin to ring with entries coming in mostly from Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma. Local amateur cowboys will drift into the Post Stampede Rodeo office on the north edge of Post to register and pay the entry fee for their chosen event. When the entry process closes on Wednesday at noon, August 11, the puzzle will begin to fall into place for another successful 3 day extravaganza.



When the rodeo begins on Thursday night at 7:45 p.m. on August 12, the presentation of the flags on horseback and introductions of those responsible for this year's production, signals the grand entry is under way. The prancing horses, carrying local dignitaries and anyone else interested in participating in the opening ceremonies, will circle the arena proudly, exit and the show begins. The gates will swing open and the bareback riders will begin their automatically timed 8 second balancing act atop a buckin' horse, spurring the whole time, to the thrill of the clapping, cheering crowd. When the buzzer sounds, one of the pickup men, those angels on horseback, will be standing by to safely remove the rider; if he doesn't descend with an

abrupt crash to the dirt arena floor. Those skilled comical jesters, the rodeo clowns, will be ever present to assist and protect the cowboys throughout each performance. Additionally, the bull riders add great suspense and thrills to the rodeo, risking life and limb in the name of competition. Their short ride finished, the unpredictable animals may snort, paw and charge the downed rider or clowns; the funny, agile painted men in costume become the arena stunt stars protecting the rider and entertaining the audience until the bull is out of the arena. This year, a Specialty Clown act will also be featured with a new clown, Scott Messina, to amaze and amuse all ages. Timing is everything on the rodeo

circuit. Steer wrestling, roping events, barrel and junior flag racing require timing accuracy in determining the winners. Time keeping is a volunteer job with much responsibility and is read to the 100th of a second to aid in judging the four place winners in each event.

The board of directors, who are responsible for this highly acclaimed event, seed the rough stock events with an added \$500 of prize money in each of those categories to create additional interest. These are important ingredients in a top rated rodeo.

Amidst the professionalism of the rodeo, the younger folks will have a chance to also compete and win prizes. The Junior flag race will feature younger riders, age 12 and under, and their mounts as they in turn, race down the arena to retrieve the flag atop a barrel at the opposite end and return with it in hand, racing for the fastest time. A calf is let loose in the arena with a yellow ribbon tied around its tail, signals any child in the crowd, age 10 and under, to "come on down" to the starting line. The child that brings the ribbon back goes home with a cash prize each night.

Refreshments will be available to enhance the evening of entertainment. Non-profit organizations will handle the concession stands this year again with their volunteers out in force to round out this award winning annual event.

## CCA looking to present more amphitheater type shows

The Caprock Cultural Association has just completed the first of its amphitheater type shows at the Annual CCA membership meeting with the Texas Cowboy Review.

The show was held, thanks to the Rodeo Association, at the rodeo grounds. The show was staged under the stars with the help of some talented performers from the area.

A special guest, Gene Grassie, from Dexter, New Mexico, put the

finishing touches on the show. He is a national champion yodler.

The next CCA production will be in conjunction with the Rendezvous of the Arts in October.

The production will be given on Friday evening October 8, 1993 at the Civic Center. The show will be held shortly after the art preview showing, and will be a western saloon type setting with music from the early west, swinging doors, card playing cowpokes, and dance hall girls.



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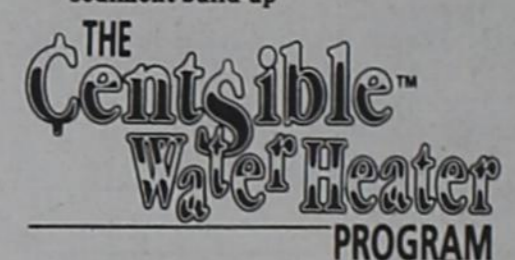
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## Letters to the Editor

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Dear Editor,  
We would like to express our need to re-elect our ex-mayor Giles McCrary. Let's identify why and what kind of man he is:

1. We could talk to him. He would at least listen with a cool head.
2. He would help out with monies to the minority churches and personal needs of the people if needed.
3. He would make efforts for the children to pursue their education. He was very inspiring to the future goals of our children, not just the majority race but to our nationalities.

I'm writing this letter to show the purpose of re-electing Mr. McCrary. We do not need a hot headed mayor, one that is not concerned. I repeat we do not need the mayor we have now. He can't be talked to, can't be reasoned with and thinks only of himself and his family members welfare.

The statements I am about to give, if I am wrong someone please step forward and correct my insinuations.

1. Why weren't there any bids made on the Main Street construction? The job was given to a family member.
2. Why weren't there any bids for improvements made at the baseball fields? The job was given to the same family member.
3. What happened to the \$400,000 grant that would have loaned money to the citizens to repair their homes?
4. If all the jobs that come up for the city are given to family members or the majority race the minorities do not stand a chance of

getting any employment as long as he is mayor.

We don't need people in office such as the mayor that can't be talked to, hot headed, inconsiderate. We need a mayor we can go to as citizens when problems concerning our city and employment will be divided equally instead of kept all in the family.

I'm sure the mayor would say if she would come to the city council meetings she would know where the \$400,000 grant money went. (I would know nothing!) When he got through twisting it all around, I would still not know where the money went and neither would you citizens of Post.

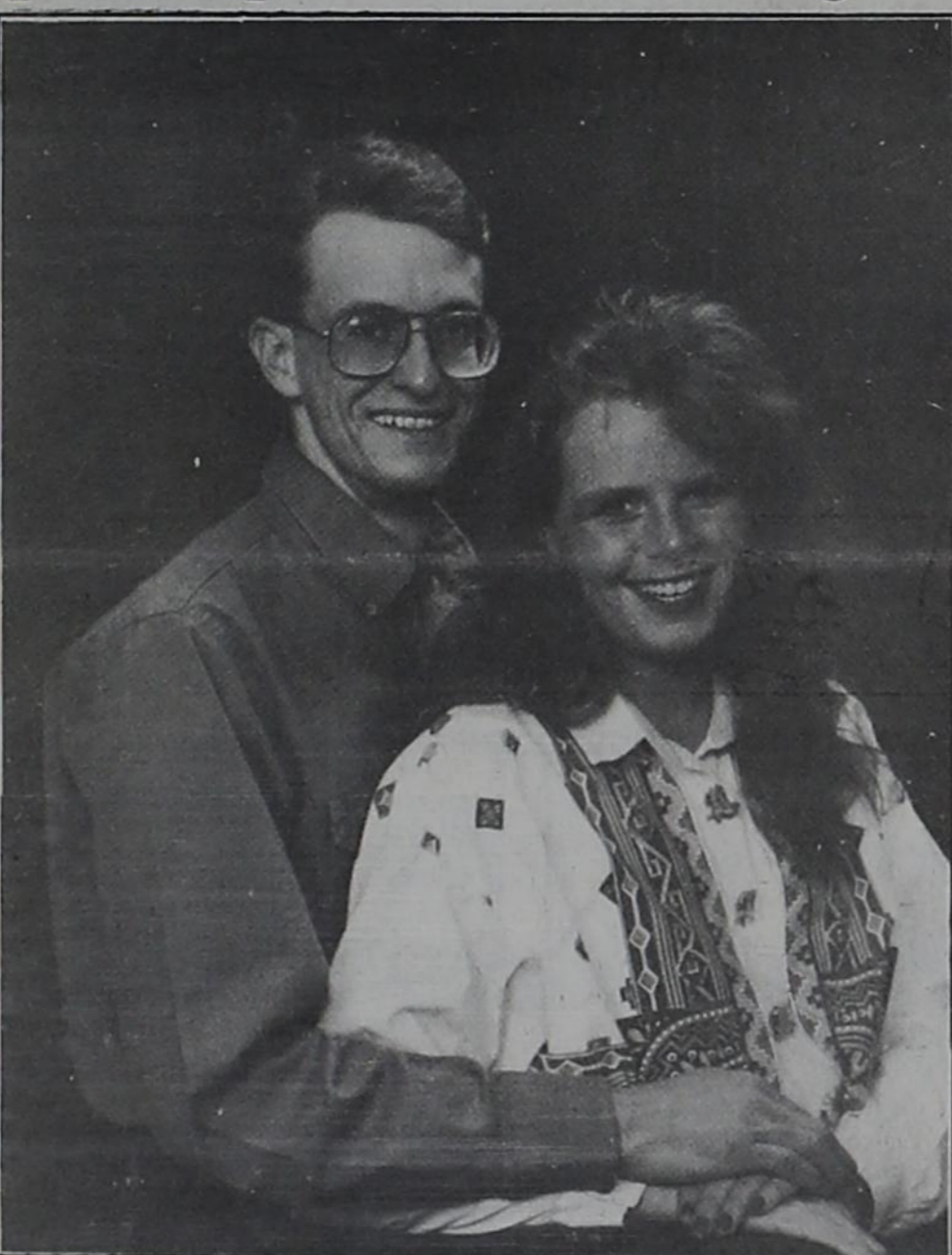
I repeat myself he's not a man that can be talked to, very impolite, and he has a very obnoxious attitude.

I would like to give thanks to Mr. Sonny Gossett our county clerk for his consideration in giving jobs to the minority race, Mr. Giles Dalby our County Judge for his consideration and thoughtfulness for the minority race, Mr. Kenny Ratke, Sheriff for his consideration, thoughtfulness for the minority race.

Citizens and editor please take into consideration the remarks I have stated to the editor and re-elect Mr. Giles McCrary for mayor. We all know our so called mayor. He is not new to any of us.

Thank you,  
Barbara Faye Steel Smith

## Angel Reese and Jay Green plan September 3 wedding



Jay Green and Angel Reese

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Reese of Lubbock are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Angel, to Jay Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Green of Post. The couple will marry September 3, 1993 at Cooper United Methodist Church in Woodrow.

The bride-elect is a 1991 graduate of Cooper High School. She attends the Methodist Hospital School of Nursing. The future bridegroom is a 1989 graduate of Post High School. He attends South Plains College in Levelland.

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**Post Group of Alcoholics Anonymous** meets every Thursday night at the First Presbyterian Church, 910 W. 10th at 8 p.m. Closed meetings are held except on the last Thursday night 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 495-4185 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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Garage sale - 8 a.m.-12 noon, Saturday, 1105 W. 10th.

The Spanish Church at 508 N. Ave. G is having a yard sale & breakfast burritos. Friday, 16, 8-2 and Saturday, 17, 8-12, 495-3735.

Back yard sale: Saturday, 316 W. 13th. Women's sizes, maternity, baby items, household & furniture.

3 family garage sale. Kids & adult clothes, twin bed, tool accessories, little of everything. 401 W. 6th, Friday & Saturday, 8-12.

Saturday, 9-1, 119 E. Main. Weight equipment, strollers, car seat, dresser, toys & clothes.

3 family, Friday, 8-3. Household items, toys, adult & children clothing. 802 W. 14th.

Carport sale, 8 til 7 Friday, July 16, 715 W. 13th.

Carport Sale - 415 N. Ave P. Saturday only, 9 a.m. - 7

## Pets and Supplies

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For sale - 1978 Buick Limited. runs great, good on gas. 495-3442.

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**Deadline for all news and advertising... Mondays, 5 p.m.**



## Sports event for senior citizens August 18

The University Medical Center West Texas Senior Sports Classes, a multisport event specifically devoted to adults aged 50 and older, is set to hit the City of Lubbock August 18-21, 1993. This four day event is designed to provide West Texas senior adults with an opportunity to display athletic talents in a professionally run and exciting competition and to promote the UMCWTSSC philosophy of "Fitness and Excellence through Competition."

The University Medical Center West Texas Senior Sports Classic is a member of both the Texas Senior Sports Organization and the United States National Senior Sports Organization. The Sports Classic is conducted by the City of Lubbock Parks and Recreation Department and is underwritten by the University Medical Center. The individual sports events will be conducted by local sporting clubs which encourage senior members to participate.

Separate tournament events will include: Archery, Basketball, Freethrow, Bowling, Bridge, Cycling (two time trials and the "Over-the-Hill Tour"), Disc Golf (9-hole), Golf (36-hole), Roadrace, Swimming, Tennis, Track, Discus, High Jump, Javelin, Long Jump, Standing Broad Jump, and Pole Vault. Venues will be located across the city and will include: The Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, MacKenzie State Park, Lubbock Tennis Center, Meadowbrook Golf Course, Lubbock Archery Range, and the Campus of Texas Tech University.

All individual sporting events have separate men's and women's competitions with 5-year age divisions, starting at age 50.

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# Yesteryears

Gleaned from the files of the Post Dispatch. Microfilm copies are available at the Post Public Library

## 10 Years ago July 14, 1983

Colleen England of Crosby County was approved as the new county extension agent for Garza County by the county commissioners in a regular meeting held Monday.

These girls represented Post in the District 4-H Fashion Show held in Lubbock: Diana Basquez, senior division, evening and specialty wear; Keitha White, juniors, daytime tailored; Cheryl Thompson, active sportswear; Angela Graves, daytime non-tailored and Sandy Allen, evening and specialty wear.

Post battled Lamesa in the Babe Ruth All-Stars Tournament in Post Monday evening. The 14 and 15 year-olds from Post fell to the Lamesa bunch 14-9 to fall to 0-1 in the double elimination tourney.

## 20 Years ago July 12, 1973

John Johnson, a 1973 Post High School graduate, is the Area II candidate for the state president of the Future Farmers of America in the annual state FFA convention which opened Wednesday in Fort Worth.

Post High School cheerleaders won the "Spirit Stick" and received two superior ratings and one excellent rating on their yells at the cheerleaders school at Lubbock Christian College. The cheerleaders were Becki Dalby head cheerleader, senior Jan Hall, junior Melanie King and Senior Cindy Bird.

One of the instruments used to set off the dynamite used in town founder C. W. Post's rain-making experiments some sixty years ago was presented to the Garza County Historical Survey Committee Tuesday morning by Monta Moore of Levelland, manager of the Post-Montgomery interests here and in Hockley County.

## 30 Years ago July 11, 1963

Members of the Post Art Guild and two guest artists displayed pictures during the months of July and August in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. Thirty-nine pictures were hung in the hospital cafeteria and office by Leah Mock, Marie Neff, Johnnie Rogers, Mildred Outlaw and Juaniece

Robinson. Two members of the Post Future Farmers of America Chapter, Charlie Brown and Danny O'Neal, were in Amarillo this week to attend the Southwestern Public Service Company's Electrical Conference.

Rogers Camp proved here for the home folks over the weekend he had learned his "golf lessons" well at the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell this last year. The honor student jumped out to a big lead Saturday in the first annual Caprock Golf Course Tournament and then coasted home to a four stroke triumph in the championship flight in Sunday's final round.

## 40 Years ago July 16, 1953

Three members of Boy Scout Troop 16 were in the South Plains group which left Lubbock last Thursday morning for the third National Boy Scout Jamboree in California. They were: Sidney Hart, Leonard Short, and V.A. Dodson.

Revision of the economic index recently by the State Board of Education will cost Garza County \$4,972 according to reports from Austin.

Jimmy Bird of Post, with a time of 29.7 seconds, won second in best average calf roping at the O'Donnell Rodeo, which closed Saturday night. Jack Teek of Seymour was first with a time of 28.7 seconds.

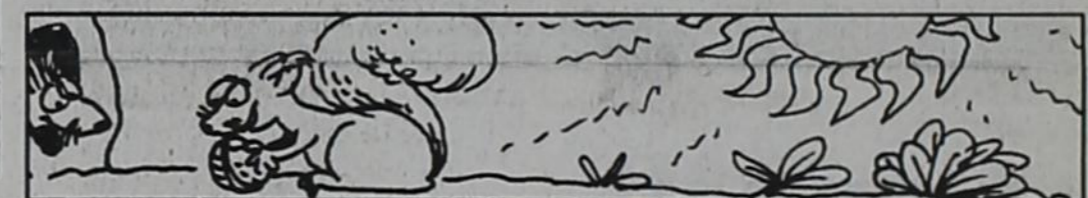
Garza girls attended an overnight camp near Justiceburg last week. The new officers elected while at camp were Wyanne Morris, chairman; Jennie Redman, vice-chairman and reporter and Sue Stephens, secretary and treasurer.

## 50 Years ago July 15, 1943

Many people who have Gas Rationing 'A' Books are learning that these books either have expired or will expire within a few days. A new application must be made for a new book.

Ed Robertson has been selected to play football in the Oil Bowl Football classic to be held in Wichita Falls on September 1.

A colorful, musical fun-film, Paramount's "Happy Go Lucky" arrived Saturday at the Garza.



The word *squirrel* comes from two Greek words meaning *shadow tail*. The large, bushy tails of tree squirrels curl over their backs and seem to keep them in the shade.

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## Elizabeth Clark, Larry Simms married June 26

Miss Elizabeth Ann Clark and Mr. Larry Simms Bilberry were united in marriage on Saturday, June 26, 1993 at 5 p.m. at Christ Episcopal Church in Clarksville. Rev. Mike House officiated the ceremony.

Miss Leslie Ann Beadle of Waco served as maid of honor, and Robert M. Ballou of Lockwood, California, served as best man. Lee Lindeman served as usher. Mrs. Clinton Everts performed various pre-nuptial selections at the piano.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark, V, of Clarksville. She is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. M.P. Terry, Jr., and the late Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Clark, IV. She is a 1987 graduate of Clarksville High School and received her BBA degree from Texas Tech University in 1991. She is a commodity broker with Schwierman and Company in Garden City, Kansas.

The groom, a native of Post, is the son of Mrs. Luther Bilberry of Post and the late Mr. Bilberry. He is the grandson of the late Tom and Beulah Gilmore and the late Henry and Delia Bilberry. He is a graduate of Post High School and attended Levelland Junior College. Mr. Bilberry serves as the manager of Gigot Feeders in Garden City, Kansas.

## Student orientation July 27 at South Plains

New student orientation sessions, which include pre-registration for the fall semester, begin July 27 at South Plains College.

Orientation sessions are scheduled by major from 8:15 a.m.-4 p.m. ending August 19 in the Student Assistance Center on the third floor of the Library Building. A total of 1,549 students have thus far been scheduled for the orientation process.

Prospective students who have not received a date for their orientation session should contact the SPC guidance and counseling office as soon as possible, said Claudine Oliver, director of guidance and counseling.

"Orientation is required of all entering full-time students, transfer students who have fewer than 30 semester hours or who have been admitted on a probationary basis," she explained.

The orientation sessions will include an introduction of SPC student support staff and a description of functions and services provided, an interest assessment which will help to determine career choices, a discussion of the general catalog, how to schedule classes, general information on how to be successful in college and specific

strategies for becoming a successful student.

Prospective students will also meet with individual advisors who will provide them with personal assistance in developing a schedule of classes for the fall. Students may then pre-register and pay their tuition and fees at that time. Pre-registration pay day, for those students who do not pay on the day they pre-register is set 8:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m. August 18 in the Student Center.

Students who have taken the TASP (Texas Academic Skills Program) exam should bring their test scores with them to orientation, said Oliver. If they have not yet taken TASP, they need to contact SPC guidance and counseling personnel about taking SPC's PTT (pre-TASP test), an in-house test with a format similar to TASP.

TASP is an assessment of college-level skills in reading, writing and math. Test results are used in advisement and placement of students in appropriate course work and are not used for admission purposes. Students entering college for the first time are required to take the TASP test before they can accumulate nine semester hours of college-level credit.

## Council

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different organizations and groups could schedule various events. She said she was not sure what she was asking other than wanting to talk with the council and see what, if anything could be done.

In a move aimed at consolidating rates charged to out of city water users supplied by Post, the city council adopted a new rate schedule for Caprock Water Association and Two Draw Water. The new rate structure will be the same the council adopted for Cedar Hills at a special city council meeting in mid-June. The new rate calls for a base \$8 fee per meter for the first 3,000 gallons of water and an additional \$1.40 for each 1,000 gallons over the minimum.

Mayor Jackson gave a brief report on the status of the recycling program for Post. He said the grant the city applied for has been approved and work is proceeding on the program. Jackson said he has ordered the trailer needed for the program and other work is proceeding including oil recycling.

The mayor reported that SPAG (South Plains Association of Government) recently opened bids for special oil containers that will be used in the program. Post and Garza County will receive a number of these

containers. One will be placed in Justiceburg, Graham, Close City, Post and Southland.

"Recycling is coming to Post," said Jackson.

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by Terri S. Cash, CPA

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## Beth Ault returns from New England

Beth Ault recently returned from a four and a half month stay in New England. While there she visited her daughter, Amy Britnell in Oxford, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Wes Marr in Dover Point, NH. and Beverly Young in York, ME.

While there she saw Long's Sand Beach and the light house which is one of few remaining in the United States. She also attended the wedding of Amy Britnell to David Marr.

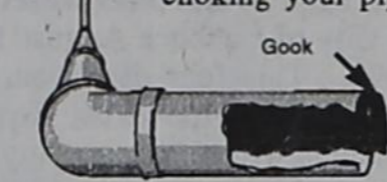
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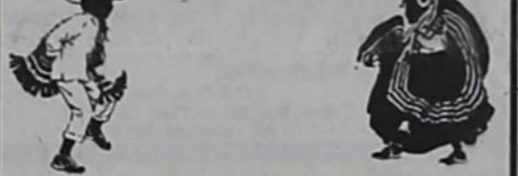


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Templo Bautista ..... 315 W. Main, Post 495-2416  
Trinity Baptist Church ..... 915 N ave O, Post 495-3038

### Catholic

Holy Cross Catholic Church ..... Ave K, Post 495-2791

### Christian

First Christian Church ..... 812 W 13th, Post 495-3716

### Church of Christ

Church of Christ ..... 108 N ave M, Post 495-2326

### Church of God

Church of God of Prophecy ..... 602 W 14th, Post 495-3644  
Power House Church of God and Christ ..... Pine Ave, Post

### Church of the Nazarene

Church of the Nazarene ..... 202 W 10th, Post 495-3044

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St. John Lutheran Church ..... 1305 Dickson, Wilson 628-6573  
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## From the Pulpit Making the home a place for refuge

God has demonstrated a desire to draw near to His beloved. This can be seen throughout Scripture. In the Old Testament, God dwelt in the Tabernacle and the Temple. In the New Testament, the believer's body becomes the temple of the Holy Spirit.

The believer as well should demonstrate a desire to be near God. This is especially true in our homes. We live in a world that is continually removing itself from godly concerns and actions. Where will our children be? Where will they experience the security which is only brought about by safe surroundings? There is no respite from the evil they (or we) are surrounded with. Our homes must become a place of refuge for all who dwell within them, or will come. The home is the first church and, as such, should be a place dedicated as His holy domain. "The Lord's curse is on the house of the wicked, but He blesses the home of the righteous" (Prov. 3:33). Positive steps can be taken towards this end: **Eliminate desecration.** The home must be clean. Not simply in a physical manner, but spiritually as well. By committing evil acts and transgressions in the home we open the door to evil forces to "dwell there" with the family. Previous tenants may have committed acts of wickedness that invited demons to dwell. Cleanse homes from any lingering effects of sin. Additionally, one must go through the rooms of the home to determine in the residue of sinful acts remain. Things like books which contain evil, clothing which remind of evil, music which is (or reminds of) evil, and so forth must be removed. **Dedicate the place to the Lord.** Visibly, verbally invite God's presence, offering the home to Him for His

redemptive purposes. Ask Him to show you ways to make your home a place of safety for those who enter. **Honor the Lord.** Our hearts and minds follow what our eyes see, so fill your home with objects and activities that give glory to God. The attitude of many in the home will be changed by a simple change of wall hangings and background music. Our senses are acute - do not overlook this venue. **Be vigilant.** The leader of the household has a holy obligation to maintain the spiritual protection of the home. An attitude of unceasing prayer and communication with the Holy Spirit and is vital. He must exercise spiritual authority over evil influences that may creep in by confronting the ungodly values promoted by the media and our culture. This can only be accomplished by developing an awareness of the world around you. Parents, you have every right and most certainly every obligation to determine what your children are being taught in school, church, civic activities, sporting associations, etc. It is your responsibility to insure they are not being taught the incorrect values, actions, and responses to the situations of life. Keep the atmosphere correct. Family tensions should be promptly dealt with in a godly fashion, as well as isolated attacks of depression or rebellion. Establishing a spiritual heritage - Dedicate children to the Lord, regularly praying for their choice of friends, their eventual mate, and other spiritual choices. Help them develop goals that may impact the child years down the road.

It is not easy to raise godly children in a perverse world, but God is ever ready to pour out His blessings on those who have the courage to stand in His world.



Joel Horne

"Give thanks to the Lord, because He is good; His love is eternal!"  
Psalm 107:1

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