

Bone found in debris at Blodgett house

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A piece of a bone found in the demolition of a missing Post woman's home has been sent to a Lubbock pathologist for evaluation.

The bone, found on property belonging to Edna Blodgett at East 12th and Avenue H, does not appear to be that of a human, "... but we're checking it out just to make sure," said Garza County Sheriff That could be another week or so, as the pathologist handling the Kenny Ratke.

The bone is approximately 12-13 inches in length and appears to have been cut at one end.

"It may possibly be a femur bone, but that would be speculation," Ratke said.

The bone was discovered in loose dirt May 17 when H&M Construction Co. workers were using heavy equipment to demolish the were unable to locate the 76-year-old woman, who had been diag-

Blodgett house. The structure, which had been condemned, had been destroyed by fire several months ago.

Sheriff's department officials immediately halted the city's demolition project until results of the pathology report are received. bone is out of town, the sheriff said.

Other bones have been found in the area, but not on the Blodgett property. Those bones, found on adjoining properties, have been determined to be of animal origin, Ratke said.

Blodgett was last seen on or about June 3, 1993. She was declared missing in mid-June of that year after MHMR employees nosed as being in the early stages of Alzheimer's disease.

Following Blodgett's disappearance, Jerry T. Smith attempted to cash a \$100 check on the missing woman's bank account. In April 1995, he was convicted of forgery in the check cashing incident and was sentenced to 10 years in prison.

In September of that year, a grand jury indicted Smith for Blodgett's murder based on an investigation by the local sheriff's department and state lawmen. In December 1996, Smith was found guilty of murder and received a life sentence.

During the murder trial, Smith was described as Blodgett's live-in boyfriend and was accused of having admitted to Blodgett's murder. A fellow inmate who served time with Smith after his forgery conviction testified that Smith told him of killing Blodgett, placing her body in a 55-gallon drum and burning it.

The 49-year-old Smith was found guilty of Blodgett's murder and was sentenced to life in prison. His conviction is currently being appealed.



by Wes Burnett

near Justiceburg on property owned by the university was rejected Monday morning.

Post fire chief Ivan Line, who had recommended the ban on outtold the court, "there is no such thing as a controlled burn, once you strike that match, no matter how careful and experienced you are, any fire can take off on its own."

A request by Texas Tech University to conduct a "controlled burn" for 60 small animal stalls and more space for larger animals. "We're one of the few organizations in this area without tax funds," he by the Garza County Commissioners' Court at the regular meeting said. He asked the court to consider sharing the cost with the Post ISD and GCJLA.

Mary Crites with Parkhill, Smith and Cooper, reported to the court door burning several months ago, reminded the court that the big on the recent application for renovation of the courthouse. Crites fire near Los Alamos, N.M. started out as a "controlled burn." Line said that Garza County got 140 points in the first round of grant applications, with 161 set as the cut-off. Points are awarded by the Texas Historical Commission on a wide range of scoring criteria. She said that in the second round Garza County would have a The request for the burning came from the Texas Tech Fire Ecol- better chance. Crites also said that the commission is requesting an additional \$50 million for courthouse preservation projects.

Post Notes

8th grade graduation Thursday

The Post Middle School eighth grade graduation ceremony will be held Thursday, May 25 at 1:30 p.m. in the Post Elementary Auditorium. Parents, friends and family of students are invited.

ogy Center.

"If you allow an exception to Texas Tech," Line told the court, "you might as well get ready for a bunch of others wanting to do the same thing." He emphasized the dry conditions have not changed since the order took effect.

The court formally appointed Sara Wagner to serve as county extension agent-family and consumer services. Wagner was introduced by Colleen Chadwick, making the recommendation on behalf of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Wagner begins her duties June

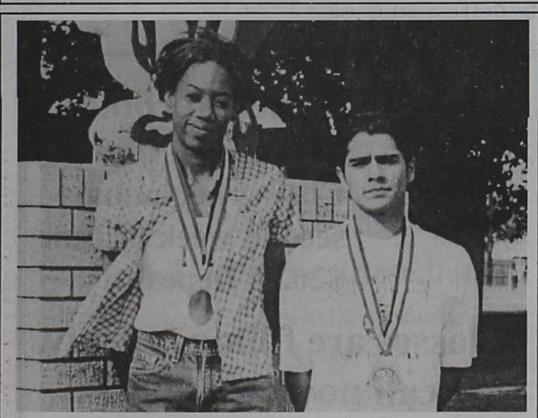
Giles Dalby Jr made a presentation to the court regarding plans by the Garza County Junior Livestock Association (GCJLA) for constructing a new show barn facility. Dalby said that the old building is too small for housing youth animal projects, and is "falling apart." The new building, expected to cost \$45,000 to \$50,000, will allow

Gossett death stuns county

by Wes Burnett

Garza County was stunned with the news that long-time County Clerk Sonny Gossett died in Lubbock's Covenant Hospital. He had been found unconscious by his wife Barbara at home Monday afternoon. Post EMTs rushed him by helicopter to Covenant. Gossett had suffered from emphysema for several years. Gossett was first elected county clerk in 1986.

Services are tentatively set for Friday at 10:30 a.m. at First United Methodist Church in Post, according to Justice-Mason Funeral Home.



Bringing home state medals for Post High School are Dianna Williams (left) and Marcus Lopez. Williams placed third in the 100 meter hurdles and Lopez took second in the golf tournament.



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Brownlow picked to replace Jackson at **Post Middle School**

The middle school principal from the Schleicher County Independent School District will fill the principal's role at Post Middle School in the 2000-2001 school year.

Post ISD trustees, during a special May 6 meeting, voted to hire Brian Brownlow to fill the position being vacated by Marita Jackson.

Jackson plans to retire in November.

Brownlow will begin work in Post July 1 and will work closely with Jackson until her retirement later this year, Superintendent Dr. Bobby Bain said.

The 33-year-old Brownlow has been principal at the Schleicher County middle school for several years, having previously taught earth science at the school from 1995-1997. Since assuming the role of principal in Eldorado in July 1997, the middle school has advanced from the Texas Education Agency's "acceptable" rating in 1996-97, to "recognized" in 1997-98 and to "exemplary" in 1998-99. Brownlow's previous teaching experiences included teaching high school biology in the Houston area; teaching middle school earth science in the Brownwood Independent School District; and serving as a head track coach, assistant football coach and seventh and eighth grade football, basketball and track coach.

He was one of six applicants interviewed for the Post job. About 40 individuals applied for the position.

"He comes with outstanding recommendations," Bain said. "We're elated that we're able to employ him."

The new principal earned his bachelor's degree from the University of Texas and his master's from Angelo State University.

Brownlow and his wife, Debbie, have three children, ages four, two and one month. Debbie Brownlow is an elementary school teacher but currently chooses to stay at home with the couple's children.

Area schools plan graduation events

Students of the Class of 2000 from Post High School, Southland High School and Borden County High School will celebrate their graduations this weekend.

The first ceremony will be that of Southland High, which is set for

Memorial Day Breakfast at VFW

The Post VFW will host a Memorial Day breakfast at 7 a.m. Monday, May 29 at the VFW Hall, located ont he Clairmont Hwy. At 9 a.m. the VFW will conduct its flag raising ceremony at the VFW Hall. The traditional Memorial Day ceremony at Terrace Cemetery will begin at 10 a.m.. Following the ceremony, the Ladies'Auxiliary will place American flags on the graves of all known veterans.

Buddy Poppy Day Friday, Saturday

Members of the Ladies' Auxiliary VFW will offer Buddy Poppies for donations on Friday, May 26. Buddy Poppies will be available at Citizens Bank and Wells Fargo. Members of the auxiliary will also visit local merchants for donations. On Saturday the ladies will be at United Supermarket with Buddy Poppies. Funds from the sale go to help disabled veterans for medical and rehabilitation services.

Methodist women meet May 30

The United Methodist Women will meet Tuesday, May 30 at 10 a.m. in the church fellowship hall to continue studying the Gospel of Matthew. Participants are requested to bring "finger food" to share.

Elementary school out early May 25

Post Elementary school will be releasing students at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, May 25 with busses running at that time.

Summer rec registration June 5

Registration for the summer recreation program will be held June 5 at 8:30 a.m. at the Middle School.

Post swimming pool opens Sunday

The Post swimming pool opens its summer schedule Sunday, May 28 at 1 p.m. The pool will be open 1-5. For more information call 495-4947.

Video for plugging abandoned wells

The Garza County Underground and Fresh Water Conservation District has received a video on plugging abandoned wells. The video was developed by the Texas Groundwater Protection Committee through the Texas Agricultural Communications Department of Ithe Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Those interested in the video may check it out from the district office at the courthouse.

Summer food service program

The Post ISD announces the sponsorship of the Summer Food Service Program, to be held Monday through Thursday beginning June 5, 2000 and continuing through July 13, 2000. Breakfast and lunch will be provided at the school cafeteria, 309 'W. 8th Street (behind the elementary school). Breakfast will be served from 9 to 10 a.m. and lunch from noon until 1 p.m. Children 18 years of age and younger are eligible to participate.

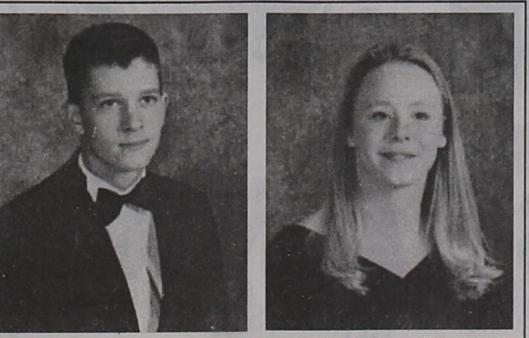
Housing Authority public meeting

A public meeting will be held June 8 at the Post Community Center beginning at 7 p.m. to review policies of the Post Housing Authority. The purpose will be to review all policies under the new five year and annual plans and admissions and occupancy policies. Documents are on display at the PHA office. Questions and comments will be considered at a meeting set at a later date.

Post Jr & Sr Baseball Raffle

Scotty Gaydos (left) earned Valedictorian title at Post High School for the class of 2000, with Kelci Hart earning Salutatorian honor.

Thursday at 7 p.m. in the school gymnasium. Eight graduates will walk the stage, including the valedictorian, Stephen Sadler, and Amy Little, salutatorian. (Continued on Page 16)



Stephen Sadler (left) was named Valedictorian for Southland High School's graduating class of 2000. Amy Little earned Salutatorian recognition.

Post Junior and Senior League baseball players are sponsoring a raffle for tickets to a Texas Ranger baseball game. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5 and may be purchased from any Junior or Senior League team member. The drawing will be held during closing ceremonies in June. The winner will be able to choose from any Texas Ranger home game in June, July, August or September that they prefer.

Post athletics room at museum

A special room at the Garza County Historical Musuem is under construction which will recognize Garza County athletic history. Funding for the project is needed, and those who wish to contribute should designate the donation to the Garza County Museum Athletic Room. For more information or to assist with the project, call Jimmy Redman at 495-2141.

Spanish Region women's ministry

The Women's Ministry of the Church of God of Prophecy Spanish Region is inviting all Spanish speaking ladies to attend a Ladies' Day on May 27 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Gethsemane Baptist Church located at 1421 S. 5th St., Tahoka. The cost is \$5 early registration and \$10 for walk-ins. For more information call Felicia Payano at 495-2006.

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Feagan, Bird exchange vows in Lubbock May 20

Lindsay Denise Feagan and Jay Cliff "Brandon" Bird II were married May 20, 2000, in the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Lubbock in a 7 p.m. ceremony officiated by Paul Cunningham.

The bride is the daughter of Randy and Ricki Feagan of Lubbock.

The bridegroom is the son of Cindy Bird and Jay Bird, both of Post. LeAnne Cooke of Irving served as maid of honor. Russ Bird of Friona, the groom's brother, was best man.

The bride, a graduate of Lubbock High School and Texas Tech University, is employed with Pollard Friendly Ford. Her husband, a Post High School and Texas Tech University graduate, is self-employed in the ranching industry.

Following a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple plans to reside in Lubbock.

Basquez, West plan June 10 wedding

Heath and Hunter Fellhauer would like to cordially invite the family and friends of Jesse Basquez and Misty West as they join together to become on in the eyes of God.

Their hearts have been bonded together for more than 16 years as they struggled on different paths and went their separate ways. The love they shared never strayed. Please join us in this long-in-coming joining of two hearts — two hearts that prove true love never dies.

The ceremony will take place Saturday, June 10, 2000, at 7 p.m. in the little white church behind United Supermarket, 10th Street and Avenue K. A reception will follow.

We are all in the gutter, but some of us are looking at the stars. —Oscar Wilde





Shower honors Jason, Geri Fri

A wedding shower for Jayson and Geri Fry was held Thursday, May 11, from 7-8 p.m. in the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall.

The room was decorated in navy, burgundy and hunter green. Diana Josey registered guests, who were served cookies, nuts, mints and slush punch. Special guests included Irene Fry, the groom's mother, and Lois Walls and Flora Fry, his grandmothers.

Hostesses were Judy Bush, Peggy Dennis, Jacque Whalen, Mary Gist, Diane Josey, Mary Windham, Sherry Jones, Bessie Strawn, LaGayluah McReynolds, Donna Aten, Dorothy McCook, Karla Schooler, Jewel White, Marianna Hart, Fern Jones, Joyce Tatum, Jeanette Hodges and Nancy Wallace.

The hostess gift to the couple was a set of stainless steel cookware.

Lee Barron's Ag Report Weekdays at 7:30 a.m. Post City Radio

Post students



I hate to start this week off on a sad note, but I want to mention two different groups of folks who this community should always be proud of.

First of all, to the ladies of the Bell Choir of The First United Methodist Church. If any of you out there have never heard these ladies, you are missing the most moving and heart touching



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experience. To these ladies I want you to know your music is appreciated. To our Volunteer Fire Department, what you did for Lester Josey

was one of the most moving things I have ever seen. My hat off to each of you for showing your respect and love for this man that had served 50 years on your department.

Big Thanks!!!

I just wanted to put a special "thank you" to the staff at our clinic for being so special to my grandson James Monday. James broke his legwhile playing baseball and Coach Radel and the clinic folks were so nice to James. All will be well, just a hot cast for about 8 weeks, but thanks to everyone.

Get Wells

I wanted to send out some "get well messages" this week. Mildred Stewart, I believe is at home now after being in rehab at Methodist. Now Mildred, I know you are one fighter, so I know I'm going to see you out soon. You take care.

Barney Jones has also had a hard last few months. I won't go into detail but I know Barney is ready to be well and out and about. I hope that is real soon Barney!

I know all of you remember Sybil Workman. Sybil is with her daughter, Ila Workman, in Lubbock and has recently undergone triple bypass. Sybil, hope your recovery is speedy, from all of your friends in Post.

Too Cute!

Little Bobby was spending the weekend with his grandmother after a particularly trying week in kindergarten. His grandmother decided to take him to the park on Saturday morning. It had been snowing all night and everything was beautiful.

His grandmother remarked...."doesn't it look like an artist painted this scenery? Did you know God painted this just for you?"

Bobby said, "Yes, God did it and he did it left handed". This confused his grandmother a bit, and she asked his "What makes you say God did this with his left hand?"

Jesse Basquez and Misty West

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In deference to the courageous servicemen and women who gave their lives to defend our freedom, we will be closed on Memorial Day, Monday 29, 2000 and will re-open to serve you on Tuesday, May 30th.

Please join us in saluting these great American heroes on this important day.

Remember the special Memorial

earn degrees at SP College

Four students from Post were among the 643 students who received degrees or certificates during the South Plains College's 42nd annual commencement exercises Friday, May 12, in the Texan Dome.

Post graduates included Melanie Carol Heatherington, recipient of the Associate in Arts Degree; Jose Pasqual Ortiz, recipient of the Associate in Applied Science Degree (drafting technology); Melisa Gutierrez, recipient of the Associate in Science Degree; and Kaylee Self, recipient of the certificate of Proficiency, nursing.

"We extend our sincerest congratulations to these graduates, for they have achieved a significant milestone in their lives," said Dr. Gary McDaniel, president. "They have been an important part of , and we hope that the college will continue to have a positive impact on their lives."

He who hesitates is sometimes saved. —James Thurber "Well," said Bobby, "we learned at Sunday School last week that Jesus sits on God's right hand."

Birthdays this Week

Friday, May 26; Patricia Hester; Anniversary, Mike and Angie Babb (I notice a little note here that Josh graduates! Could that be Mr. Fumagalli?): Saturday, May 27; Jerrad Grisham and Ruth Walls: Sunday, May 28, Troy BAker and Amy Flores: Monday, May 29: Woodrow Bishop, Julie Wilson, Steven Vernon, Stacy Bell, JoAnn Stelzer, John Redman, Sr., Ashleigh Harris, Marty Walter, Tori Gonzalez and Tandi Humble: Tuesday, May 30; Fernando Rivera and Jeff; Anniversary, Fernando and Wendy Rivera: Wednesday, May 31; Christi Capps, Tanner Hadderton and Katie Colvin; Anniversary, Billy and Wilma Williams: Thursday, June 1; Hildegard Marlin (happy birthday good friend!), Debbie Bowles, Maria Lopez, Aubree Lester, Jennifer Hubble, Corey Cruse, Sr. and Angela Tobias; Anniversary, Darrell and Raeline Reese.

From an anonymous mother in Austin: Things I've learned from my children:

• If you spray hair spray on dust bunnies and run over them with roller skates, they can ignite.

•Garbage bags do not make good parachutes.

•The fire department in Austin has a d minute response time.

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Nice Surprise

Joy and Rusty Browning had a wonderful visit from Joy's son, Reverend Russell (Rusty) Orr of Atlanta, Georgia.

He attended the Baptist convention in Fort Worth, extended his trip by a few days, and drove to Post to spend some time with his mom. I know Joy was in hog heaven!!

See Ya Next Week

Well, guess I will call it a week. Hope you have a wonderful weekend. May God bless each of you.

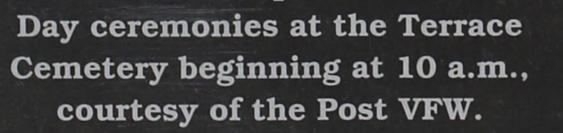


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Living on the Edge of the Caprock by Greg Jones, CEA-AG

Scale Insects Attacking Oak Trees

A small insect, Lecanium scale, can pose a big threat to live oaks and now is the time to apply a pesticide to infested trees.

Lecanium scales are most prominent on twigs and small branches during the spring and early summer. A single infested twig may have more than 100 scales on it, although fewer scales are more commonly present. These scales are hemispherical in shape and dark brown in color. They are about one-eighth to one-fourth inch in diameter.

Lecanium scales damage trees by reducing vitality and causing dieback of infested branches. Heavily infested trees produce a sticky honeydew in late April which falls to the ground. While they are most damaging to live oaks, they also occur on red oaks, the county agent said.

Eggs are produced underneath the hard-shelled female during the late spring and hatch in May. The immature insects then feed on the underside of leaves during the summer. They migrate to twigs in the fall and overwinter there. There is only one generation a year.

Eggs are hatching now on the South Plains. Scale insects are most susceptible to control at this time, and insecticide treatments will be most effective if applied now. Heavily infested trees may require two applications two weeks apart.

Insecticides recommended for control include cyfluthrin, orthene, dursban, sevin, malathion, and diazinon. Thorough coverage will improve effectiveness of sprays. Always read and follow insecticide label instructions carefully, the county agent cautioned.

For more information contact Greg Jones at 495-4400 or Pat Porter, Extension Entomologist in Lubbock at 746-6101.

Programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.



Lecanium scales attacking an oak tree.



Mr PHS Luke Williams with Ms PHS Erin Gregory.

South Plains Electric Coop hosts area safety for students

attended an electrical safety demonstration, sponsored by South Plains Electric Cooperative (SPEC), on May 5 at its division office in Spur to promote May as electrical safety

Sixth graders from Spur, Patton Springs, Crosbyton, Motley County, Guthrie, Aspermont and Post schools traveled to the Dickens Division office for a three-part program and lunch. As a Touchstone Energy® Cooperative, SPEC believes in commitment to community and the safety of local residents.

Robert Bryce, representing Texas Engineering Extension Service/Texas A&M University System and SPEC employee Bucky Phelps used a skit to show the danger of overhead power lines when fishing, hunting or flying kites. Bryce used a mini-transformer/ power line set up to demonstrate different dangers of contacting

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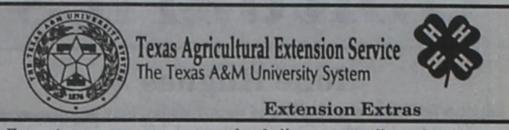
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More than 220 area students overhead power lines. His demonstration unit produced 5,000 volts, which is less voltage than an actual power line, but produced sparks and fire impressing the real danger on the students.

> SPEC employees Ronald Todd, Freddy Gonzalez and Kevin Swaringen demonstrated a pole top rescue. Todd expressed the importance of a quick response time when rescuing an injured crew member. Swaringen shimmied up the pole to rescue ?Sam the Dummy? as Gonzalez assisted from the ground. Todd explained the procedure in detail, but also made it clear that this is one procedure they hope they never have to practice in real life.

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4-H Brisket Cook

Volunteers are needed to help cook and/or deliver briskets for 4-H fundraiser. Cooks are needed for this evening beginning at 5:00 p.m., and delivery people are needed for Friday morning, beginning at 8:00 a.m. Please come to the City Park if you can help. Thanks!

4-H Steer/Swine Projects

If you need assistance in finding or selecting 4-H animal projects, please call Greg Jones at 495-4400.

Public Notice

Effective June 5, 2000, City of **Post Ordinances and State Law** regarding dilapidated housing, junk vehicles, stray dogs, tall weeds, junk, brush and illegally vehicles parked will be enforced.....

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| RG2 - 5 miles NE, 1 West, 11/2 North | 20 |
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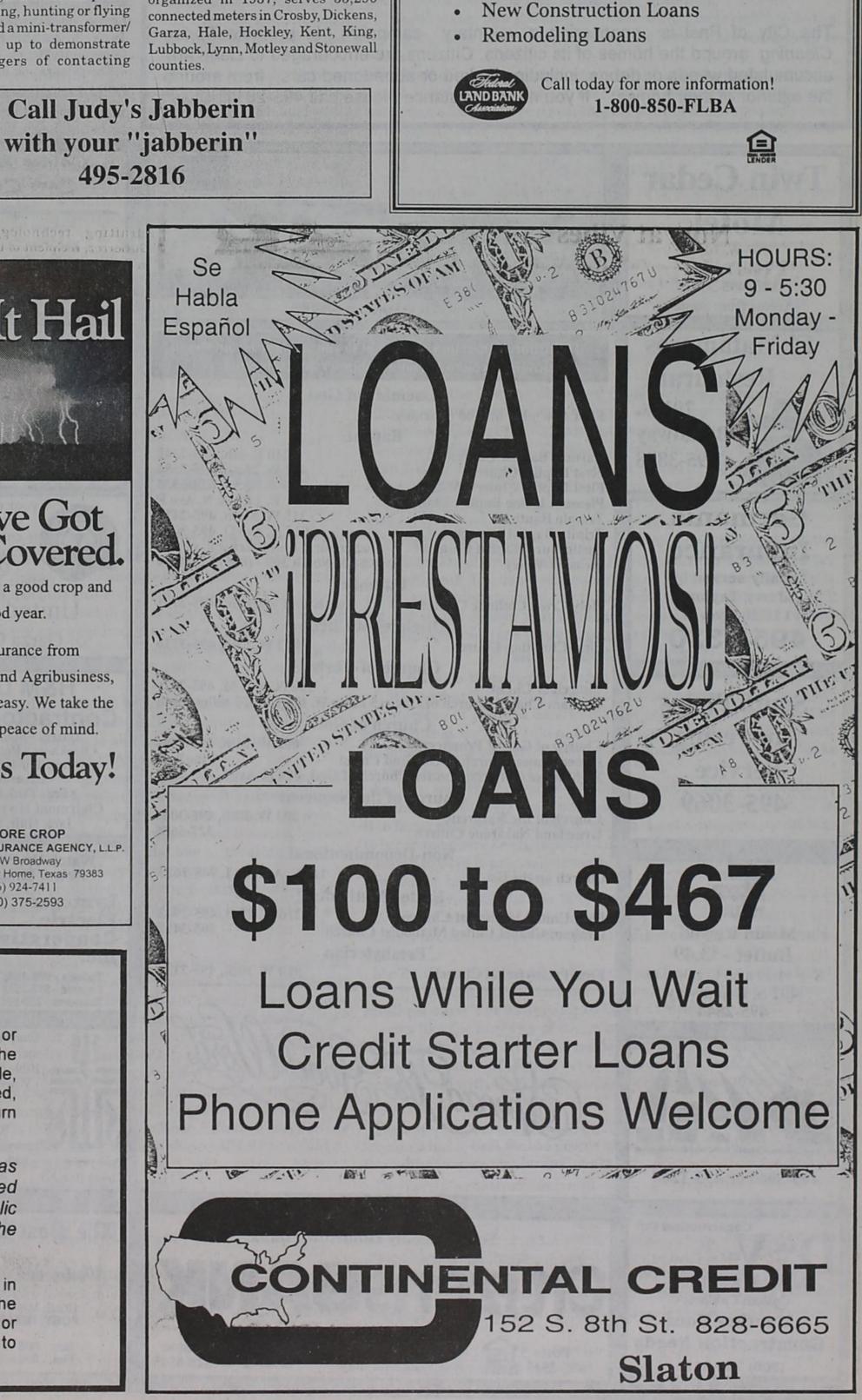
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It is contrary to Ordinances of the City of Post and to Texas Sate Law to allow junk or abandoned vehicles to be placed on city streets or state highways. It is classified as a public nuisance to place a junk car on private property within the City of Post, subject to a \$200.00 fine per vehicle + costs

Junk or abandoned vehicles parked on the streets or highways in Post, or junk vehicles parked in front yards are in violation of the law......If you need assistance disposing of your junk or abandoned vehicle please contact Cynthia at City Hall 8:00 to 12:00 495-2811

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Ione Hughes

Services for Vesta Ione Hughes, 84 were Tuesday, May 23, 2000 at the Church of God of Prophecy at 1:00 pm. Billy Jones, layman, will officiate. The Rev. Jose Payano, pastor of the Church of God of Prophecy will assist. Burial followed in the Terrace Cemetery, under the personal care of Justice-Mason Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hughes died Saturday, May 20, 2000 at the Golden Plains Care Center in Post.

Born to John Harvey and Maudie Belle (Galloway)

Mathis, October 6, 1915, at Cook County, Texas. She came with her family to Post in 1927 from Claude and attended Post schools and married William Joseph (Bill) Hughes July 29, 1933, here in Post. In 1951 they moved to Woodrow and in 1964 returned to Post. She was a Pink Lady for the Garza Memorial Hospital for many years. She loved sewing, handwork, cross word puzzles, her church and most of all, her family.

She was longtime member of the Church of God of Prophecy. She was preceded in death by her husband, Bill, December 8, 1984. Also, by her parents John Harvey Mathis and Maudie Belle Mathis and two brothers: Joseph Mathis and Roy Mathis.

Survivors included two sons: William Harvey Hughes and his wife: Ann, of Bangs and Charles Luther Hughes and wife: Helen, of Burleson. One daughter: Maudie Sue Jones and husband: Weldon, of Portales, New Mexico and two brothers: Stanley Mathis and wife: Pauline, of Post and Johnnie Mathis and wife: Estelle, of Lubbock. Seven grandsons, Three granddaughters, 13 great grandchildren and six great great grandchildren. Two sister in laws: Juanelle Mathis of Las Vegas Nevada and Marvene Mathis of Hereford.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

You never know what is enough unless you know what is more than enough. -William Blake





Garza County Juvenile Detention Center recognized several people last week in a ceremony. Meg Nelson (left to right) was honored as Community Supporter of the Year, Rhonda Hosey was selected as Administrative/Support Services Staff Member of the Year, Sharon Kelly was named Corrections Officer of the Year, Gloria Greathouse was awarded Employee of the Month and Eduardo Estrada was named Program Services Staff Member of the Year.

Buddy Poppies sale Friday and Saturday helps disabled veterans

will be selling Buddy Poppies for disabled veterans Friday.

Everyone is encouraged to show their support by donating any amount. Tables will be set up inside Citizens Bank or at the exterior of the Wells Fargo Bank. Some auxiliary members also will be going around to the merchants for donations. On Saturday, a table will be set up at the United States was the first United.

will be a 7 a.m. breakfast at the VFW by disabled and needy veterans. In Hall on Clairmont Highway. There 1921, the Franco-American will be a flag raising ceremony at 9 Children's League conducted a a.m. in front of the VFW Hall, followed nationwide sale of poppies made in

The Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW by a ceremony in the Terrace Cemetery at 10 a.m. Following the ceremony, the VFW men and ladies auxiliary will be placing flags on veterans' graves.

> Some have forgotten what Memorial Day stands for. It is set aside to honor all fallen veterans of all U.S. wards.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars of organization to promote a On Memorial Day, May 29, there nationwide sale of poppies assembled

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France for the benefit of children in the war-torn areas of France and Belgium. The inspiration came from Col. John McCrae's poem, "In evolved the idea which resulted in the VFW Buddy Poppy, fashioned by are paid for their work in assembling Orabeth White and the Paynes. the poppies. Since May 1924, the VFW has annually conducted a "Buddy" Poppy sale.

Money collected from donations for the poppies goes to the veterans who served and became disabled. The money is used for medical care or rehabilitation.

Payne hosts graduation party

The home of Don and Carol Payne was the scene of a graduation party Friday evening.

The group enjoyed a "Mexican Pileon" buffet from a large table covered with a black cloth and featuring sports memorabilia from the Class of 2000.

A video of pictures of the guests from babyhood through the present, created by Mrs. Payne, was shown throughout the evening.

Guests were divided into four groups and sent on a video scavenger hunt. Winners were Randy Moore, Matt McCallister, Kelci Hart, Davida Gregory, Kelly Collier and Adrian Gonzales.

Memory scrapbooks of their senior year and keepsake boxes were presented to the guests.

Those honored were Kelci Hart, Kelly Collier, Erin Gregory, Stephanie Looney, Camie Payne, Luke Williams, Randy Moore, John Radle, Justin Gorman, Billy Crawford, Matt McCallister, Adrian Gonzales and Rocky Gomez.

Others in attendance were Jessica Flanders Fields." In 1923, the VFW Mason, Davida Gregory, Carol Williams, Joe and Sheila Gregory, Randy and Jana McCallister, Royce disabled and needy veterans who and Marianne Hart, Alexa Collier,

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Running for president must be like having babies. You have to forgetwhat it was like the first time before you want to do it again.

-Sen. Phil Gramm, (R-Texas)

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A reception celebrating the 50th wedding anniversary of Vernon and Louise Nesmith will be held Saturday, June 3, at the Norwest Bank Community Room. The celebration will run from 2-5

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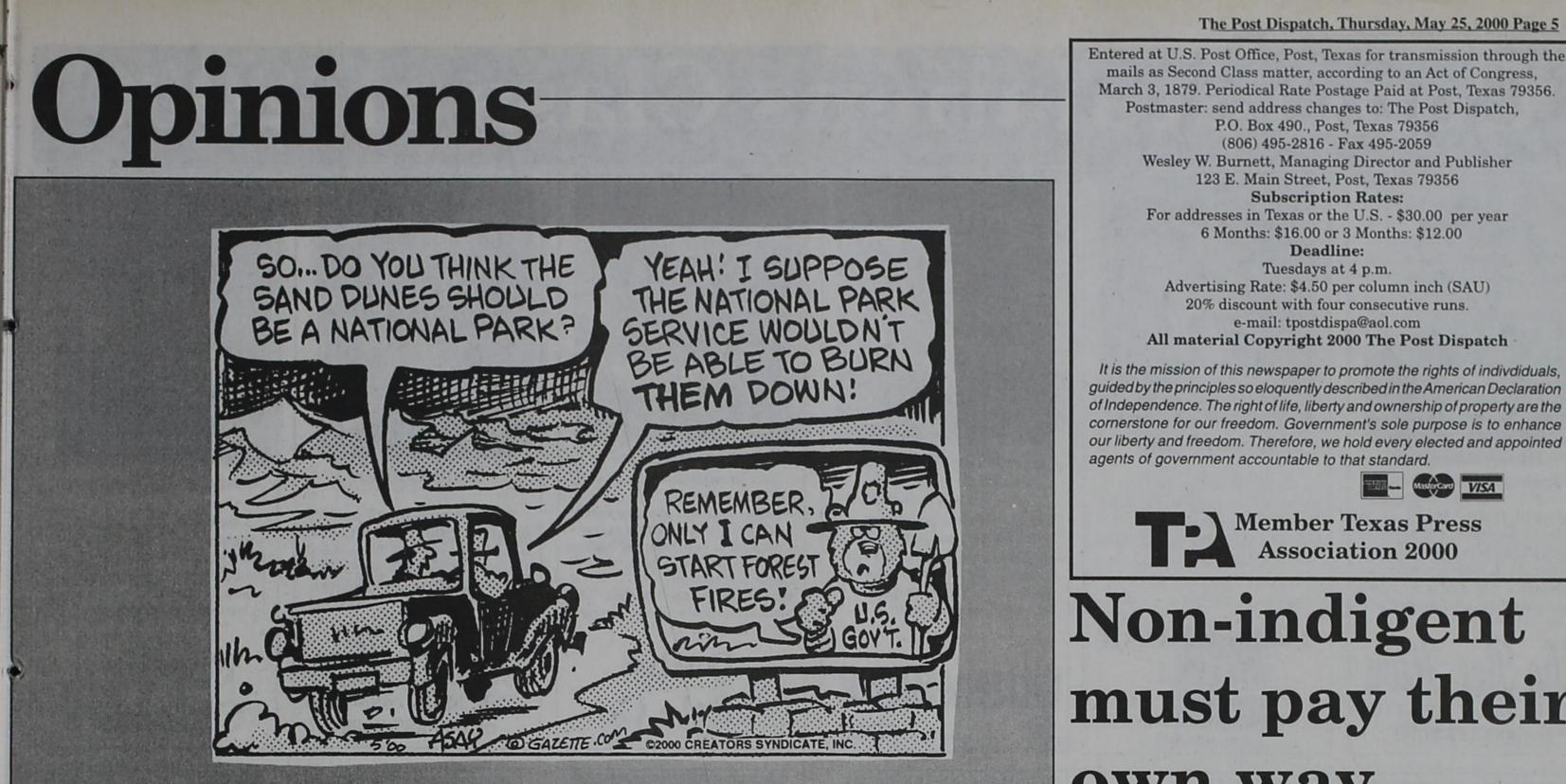
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by Walter E. Williams

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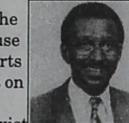
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Capitalism always loses when compared to the promises of communism and socialism. Why? Because you're comparing a system that exists on earth, warts and all, with a utopia, something that doesn't exist on earth.



But compared to economic systems that actually exist on earth, capitalism wins hands down. Let's ignore the fact that we who live in countries on the capitalist end of the economic spectrum are far richer than our fellow man living in countries toward the socialist/communist end. Instead, let's look at life and death. It's safe to say that countries toward the socialist/communist end of the economic spectrum are the world's most brutal. What's worse is that liberals in America and elsewhere give these barbarians a free ride. You say, "Explain yourself, Williams." Let's look at it. Adolph Hitler and Nazism is, as it should be, a target for moral condemnation. Not only was Nazism responsible for the murder of 6 million Jews, but also the genocidal murder of millions more in nations they occupied. Annual ceremonies are held, and museums have been erected to commemorate Hitler's victims. Covering these events, media people chime in with their condemnation. Here's my question: When have you heard; what annual ceremonies are held; and what museums have been erected to commemorate the victims of communism and socialism? Liberals around the world give communists and socialists a free ride, but let's see whether it's justified. The former Union of Soviet Socialist Republics is the world's premier murderer. Between 1917 and 1987, the USSR murdered 65 million people. Red China comes in second place with a murder count of 35 million. That number is being revised upward with more information coming out of China. If we include Cambodia, North Korea, Vietnam, Bulgaria, Romania, Yugoslavia and other socialist/communist countries, the murder toll exceeds 97 million people.

These are not victims of war but murder, or what some researchers call democide and genocide. "But Williams," you say, "you said liberals give these people a free ride. What do you mean?" Back during the '60s and '70s, campus radicals and flower children marched around waving Chairman Mao Zedong's "Red Book" and chanting praises to him.

What happened when President Ronald Reagan declared, and accurately so, that the Soviet Union was an evil empire? Liberals in rights to close the hospital, were authorized to lease the facility, they America and Europe, including those in the media, went ballistic in can continue to assess a tax for revenue, and can not dissolve the their condemnation of him. I doubt whether liberals support the district because of the lack of statutory authority. murderous actions of these regimes, but they do support their philosophy of human control and obedience. Implementation of that things that you claim were 'breaking the law.' Maybe an apology is philosophy, however, requires massive brutality. Liberals also give murdering regimes in Africa a free ride. Between 1934 and 1987, an estimated 12,000 South African blacks lost their board members of breaking the law by leasing the facility and lives at the hands of the South African government. Black and white liberals have roundly condemned South Africa. But there's silence and even praise for murdering governments to the north. Between 1966 and 1979, Nigeria murdered over 400,000 of its own citizens; between 1975 and 1987, Mozambique murdered 200,000; between 1960 and 1987, Uganda murdered 579,000; between 1956 and 1987, the Sudan murdered over a million. Since 1960, over 2.2 million black Africans have been murdered by their own governments. But for America's black and white liberals, it's only the 12,000 blacks murdered by South African whites that count. Communism and socialism is seductive. It promises us that people will contribute according to ability and receive according to needs.

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guided by the principles so eloquently described in the American Declaration of Independence. The right of life, liberty and ownership of property are the cornerstone for our freedom. Government's sole purpose is to enhance our liberty and freedom. Therefore, we hold every elected and appointed

Non-indigent must pay their own way...

by Wes Burnett

A letter writer, who requested the name to be withheld, has attacked me personally, and this newspaper, claiming that we have misled our readers on the impact of the recent Attorney General opinion about the hospital district.

"After having read the entire Attorney General's opinion," the writer opines, "and reading your article (5/18/00, AG: Taxes for needy and indigent), I am wondering if we read the same opinion.

"The summary states that the board of directors were within their

Everybody is equal. Everybody has a right to decent housing, decent food and affordable medical care. History should have taught us that when we hear people talk this stuff — watch out!

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Moms distract attention from de facto gun ban

by Vin Suprynowicz

March has drawn its 80,000 puzzled women - many admitting they serious injury than a woman who uses a handgun. had no idea who their congressman is, and had equally little inkling that Dr. John Lott demonstrated years ago how jurisdictions allowing weekend's most important gun-rights-related event. private concealed weapons have far lower crime rates than murder capitals like Washington, where a total ban on civilian firearms did which gun dealers are now required to pay for a "background check"

organizers asked Montgomery County (Md.) schools to credit the explanation. time of students attending the march toward their "student service subway system told Neal Knox of the NRA that ridership was up by 80,000 over a normal May weekend.

Of course, if 80,000 neo-Nazis descended on Washington, holding controlling interest in banks, one might expect the nation's background check system was operating" at the time of the sale. commentators to spend some time lamenting the fact that 80,000 demand a suspension of the First Amendment freedom of religion.

But in this parallel case, the TV networks last weekend instead played an advocacy role for the partisan "Million Mom March" magazine as a mere "housewife and mother of two young children compensation offered any dealer. from New Jersey." In fact (as Lisa Schiffren finally revealed in the Wall Street Journal) it "also happens she is the sister-in-law of Susan damage to its business?" Korwin asks. "The most amazing aspect is Thomases, Hillary Clinton's closest friend and, frequently, attorney the deafening silence from the mainstream media, where a mere of record."

And so the Democratic media event known as the Million Myrmidon does nothing to resist a rapist is 2.5 times more likely to suffer

But at least the "Moms" did manage to distract attention from last

The National Instant Check System — the FBI data base into nothing to stop local children from shooting up the zoo this spring. on each customer - was down from Thursday through Sunday, the The statists used their usual gimmicks to beef up the turnout - weekend of the Million Mom March, without any apology or

"Recognizing that the national background check (NICS) could learning" requirement. A million moms? Spokesmen for the Metro stop gun sales altogether, Congress explicitly required its use only if it is running and information is available" reports Alan Korwin of Phoenix, author of "Gun Laws of America."

Licensed dealers are to be punished for transferring firearms demanding new laws to prevent Jews from owning businesses or without a background check only if "the national instant criminal

"But gun dealers, afraid for their livelihood and licenses, have so Americans are so churlish and deluded as to imagine they could thus far been reluctant to risk relying on the law ... creating a sort of rights-denial-by-default," Mr. Korwin continues.

Korwin reports FBI statistics show the firearms industry was shut down for more than eight full days between Dec. 10, 1998 and organized by Susan Dees-Thomases, gullibly identified by Time June 15, 1999 due to unexplained FBI computer crashes - with no

> "What other industry would tolerate such dramatic and constant five-hour outage at amazon.com makes national headlines for days."

"The AG states that the directors were within their rights to do the needed.

"Instead of admitting that you made a mistake in accusing the assessing a tax, you are again singing your broken repeated record of 'indigent and needy are the two same words.' The AG has approved of the action of the board."

We respond

Apparently, the letter writer refuses to accept the clearly worded definition of indigent and needy:

"The most significant lawful hospital district expense is that for indigent medical care. (In this regard we note that 'needy inhabitants' is equivalent to 'indigent residents,' and we use those terms interchangeably for the purposes of this opinion." (Page 6, fifth paragraph of the opinion)

Since only about 10 percent of the total Garza County Hospital District expenses are for the direct care of the indigent of Garza County (see the audit for Fiscal Year 1999), the district is in gross violation of the law and disregard for fiduciary responsibility.

The law under which this hospital district operates, as the AG pointed out in the opinion, only authorizes tax funds to be used for the care of the indigent. On average over the years, there are less than 20 individuals in Garza County declared as indigents. With an annual expense of \$565,000, that means taxpayers are dishing out, at least \$28,000 per indigent per year. It'd be cheaper to just buy no deductible health insurance for these folks.

The letter writer overlooks the AG's repeated reference to the purpose of the district: to provide medical and hospital care for the indigent. The non-indigent among us are not authorized to use property tax funds to subsidize their medical or hospital care. In fact, the AG stated clearly that non-indigents must pay the actual cost of services (see page 2, paragraph 1).

What is 'actual cost?'

The question then becomes: what is actual cost?

It is true that the district has the authority to lease its facilities for the purpose of medical care to the indigent. That is precisely the position that we have taken, emphasizing consistently that board members voting to spend tax money to subsidize the non-indigent is in violation of the law. The AG agrees.

So, the question remains: is the \$300,000 annual subsidy to Covenant Health System a necessity to care for the indigent, or is it in fact a method of subsidizing care to the non-indigent. According to board members Zoe Kirkpatrick, Mike Travis and David Tyler, the subsidy to CHS is precisely to maintain a clinic for all Garza County residents... indigent or not.

That is a violation of the law, because the non-indigent are not paying the actual cost for the care they receive as a result of the subsidy to CHS. Taxes are for the care of the indigent, not for the nonindigent.

Mr Travis said it best when he declared at a meeting last summer that he would break the law to make sure there is "good medical care" for everyone in Garza County.

Faced with such a partisan put-up job, intended to manufacture a November election issue out of thin air, did our TV networks point check don't get an "instant" response, at all. But, "That hardly out the Second Amendment guarantees the right of each individual American to own a machine gun without being charged a fee or made retail gun sales day after day, and no one stands up to them." to apply for any "permit," no matter how many "moms" don't like it? (In both Murdock vs. Pennsylvania, [1943] and Follett vs. Town of Review-Journal. His book, "Send in the Waco Killers: Essays on the McCormick, S.C., [1944], the U.S. Supreme Court broadly and Freedom Movement, 1993-1998," is available at \$24.95 postpaid by unequivocally held that requiring licensing or registration of any dialing 1-800-244-2224; or via web site http:// constitutional right is itself unconstitutional.)

Instead, our TV hosts breathlessly parroted such purposely deceptive and long-debunked statistics as "12 American children are killed by guns each day."

In fact, 70 percent of those reported "child" deaths involve 17- to John Hay, 1872 19-year-old drug gangsters killing each other in turf disputes or shot by police as they commit felonies. The real statistic for children — and thus clamorous to be led to safety — by menacing it with an under 14 killed by gun accidents is 1.7 per day, according to the endless series of hobgoblins, all of them imaginary."-H.L. Mencken Centers for Disease Control.

The more relevant statistic for most "moms" is that a woman who

CNN reports 28 percent of Americans going through the "instant" matters," Korwin concludes, "if the government can simply turn off

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"The evils of tyranny are rarely seen but by him who resists it." -

"The whole aim of practical politics is to keep the populace alarmed

Looks like the majority of voters in this last election agree, which is a stark reminder of the inherent dangers of living where democracy is uncontrolled. Majority rule, without constraints, is totally unconcerned with lawful behavior and never bothers to consider the

The letter writer concluded with, "I am happy that we have officials who do what is best for the people of Garza County, instead of what the 'editor' wants for Garza County."

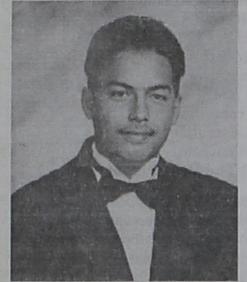
Obviously constitutional and statutory restraints are of no importance when it comes to doing "what is best for the people." Reminds me of the standard dogma spewing from the mouths of such noted socialists as Fidel Castro, Joseph Stalin, Mao Tse Tung, Franklin Delano Roosevelt and their hero, Karl Marx.

I challenge the letter writer, and anyone else who believes it is okay to spend hospital district taxes on the non-indigent, to provide evidence of the constitutional and statutory authority for such expenditures.

Until then, I think I'll stick with the AG's opinion, which declares that non-indigent must pay their own way.

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Congratulations Class of '2000



Ricky Alvarez Ricky Abraham Alvarez is the 18year-old son of Betty and Raymond Garza. He plans to major in secondary education at South Plains before finishing his degree at Lubbock Christian University. He plans to teach history and coach basketball and track. The Bee Hive

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Courtney Bratcher

Courtney Shea Bratcher is the 18-year-old daughter of Joe and Kyran Moore and Jerry Bratcher. She plans to attend the University of North Texas where she will major in biology. Her goal is to become an orthodontist.

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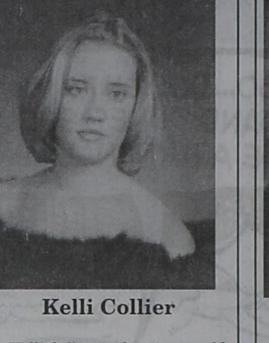
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Erica Castro Erica Castro is the 16-yearold daughter of Danny and Sevastiana Castro. Her plans are to work as assistant manager at Dairy Queen for a year before attending South Plains College where she will major in computer tech. After receiving her associate's degree, she plans to relocate to Atlanta, Georgia, to find employment.

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Kelli Collier is the 18-year-old daughter of Bill and Alexa Collier. She plans to attend Texas A&M University in College Station where she will major in English.



Cruzbeth Contreras

Cruzbeth Contreras, 17, is the

daughter of Maria and Robert

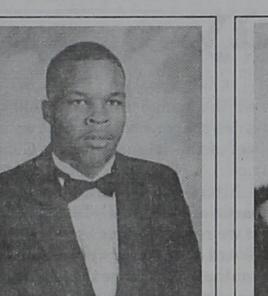
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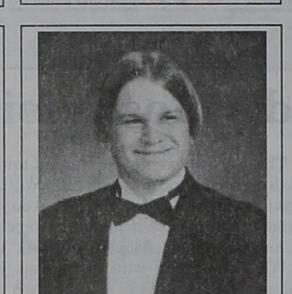
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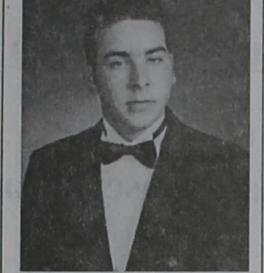
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Callie Diann Johnston is the daughter of Paulett Laverne and Robert Johnston. She plans to attend South Plains College to get her license as a phlebotomist.

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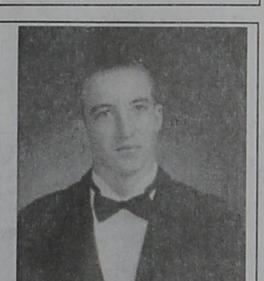


Matthew Ledbetter

Matthew Ledbetter, 19, is the son of Bruce and Debbra Ledbetter. He plans to attend South Plains College to become an EMT-P.

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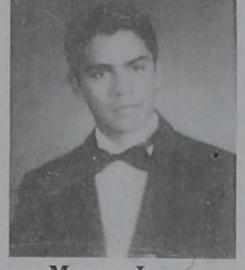


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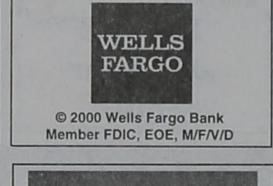
Stephanie Renae Looney is the 18-year-old daughter of Leslie and Diana Looney. She plans to attend college and major in business management.

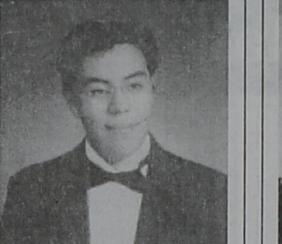
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Marcus Lopez Marcus Lopez is the son of Robert and Janie Lopez. He is the brother to Yvonne and Zachary. He plans to attend New Mexico State University tomajor in Professional Golf Managment. Marcus also plans to compete in the PGA tour.







Maria Macias

Maria Macias is the 18-yearold daughter of Luis and Consuelo Macias. She plans to work for a while before attending college.

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Luz Mantonya

Luz Angelica Basquez Mantonya, 18, is the daughter of Paulta Flores, Leon Mantonya and Felipe Flores. She plans to eventually go to college to major in zoology "but right now I'm undecided, she said.

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Matthew McCallister is the son of Randy and Jana McCallister. He plans to attend South Plains College for two years prior to transferring to Texas Tech University in Lubbock. He will run track at South Plains and major in exercise and sports science in hopes of becoming a strength and conditioning coach.



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Marc McClain

of Pam and Charles McClain. He

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Mark McClain is the son

Christopher Metsgar Christopher Metsgar, 18, is the son of Ronnie and Tricia Metsgar. He plans to attend Western Texas College in Snyder to receive an associate's degree in science. Afterwards, he plans to attend **Texas Tech University's School** of Nursing in Lubbock to receive a bachelor of science in nursing. "After I have worked a few years, I plan to attend Texas Tech Physician Assistants School in Midland," he said.

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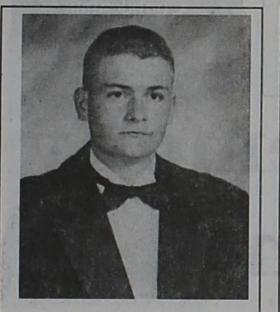
Eric Montañez is the 18-year-old son of Juan and Estelha Montañez. His plans are to attend South Plains College in Levelland where he hopes to get his basics for physical therapy before transferring to Texas Tech University. At Tech, he will complete his degree in physical therapy.

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Donna Montoya

Donna Montoya, 18, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Montoya. She plans to work for a year or two before attending college to study business.

Frank and Carol Tobias



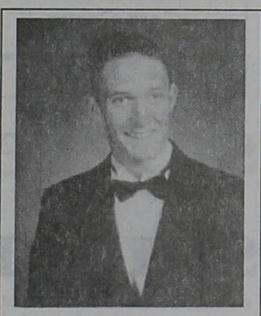
Randy Moore

Randy Moore is the 17-yearold son of Brad and Jodi Moore. He plans to attend Wyoming Tech where he will major in mechanics.

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Matt Rynn Norman

Matt Rynn Norman is the 17year-old son of Rynn Norman. He plans to attend South Plains College and become an automotive tech

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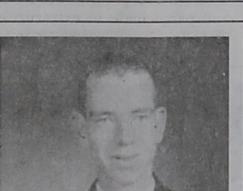
Payne. She plans to begin college at Texas Tech University in Lubbock in the fall where she will attend nursing school. WELLS FARGO

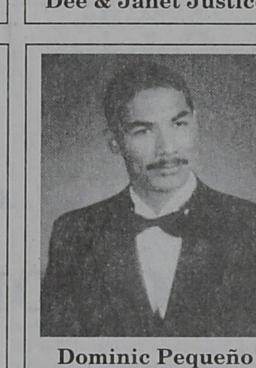
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Camie Payne

old daughter of Don and Carol

Camie Payne is the 18-year-





Dominic Pequeño's parents are Ricky and Reyes Pequeño. This 18-year-old plans to go to college and major in radiology. He plans to work his way through college.

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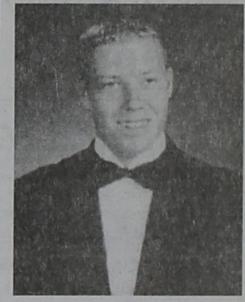


Consuelo Perez

Consuelo Alejandra Perez is the daughter of Beatrice Perez. She plans to work at Sonic until January when she will attend Odessa College.







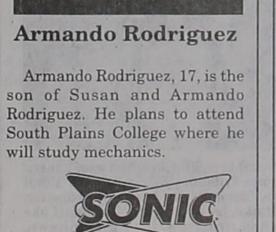
John Franklin Radle John Franklin Radle, 19year-old son of Darrell and Susan Radle, plans to attend South Plains College in Levelland before transferring to Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Although still undecided on his major, he is leaning toward studying exercise and sports science.

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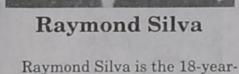
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Frank Ted Shults

Frank Ted Shults, 19, is the son of John and Drotha Shults. He has no firm plans.

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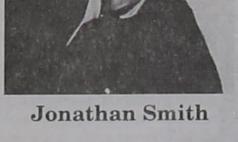
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old son of Yolanda and Royce Agnew. He plans to attend the University of Texas at Arlington and hopes to obtain a Ph.D. in performing arts and anthropology.

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Jonathan Smith, 18, is the son of Jon and Sandy Smith. He plans to work at the prison. "I can tie my college with the prison because I'm going to preach," he said. "I could go to college for prison ministries."

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Michael Stelzer

Michael Stelzer, 17, is the son of David Stelzer and Ann Stelzer. He plans to attend South Plains College prior to enrolling in Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Ann Stelzer & Kimbry Eddie Aten, Bill, **Donna & Ross**

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Congratulations Class of '2000



Lauren Webb is the 17 year old daughter of Steve and Debbie Webb. Lauren plans to attend Hardin Simmons University in Abilene where she will pursue a degree in social work.





Luke Williams Luke Williams is the 18-year-old son of Andy and Carol Williams. He plans to earn a degree in psychology at Texas Tech University in Lubbock before working on a master's or doctorate. While at Tech, he plans to play rugby.

> **Brent &** Jennifer Smith

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Leslie Ann Benton

Leslie Ann Benton is the 17-yearold daughter of Scott and Teddie Phillips. She plans to attend Lubbock Christian University.

Amy Denise Little Amy Denise Little, 18year-old daughter of Sandra Little, is Southland High School Salutatorian. She was a member of the National Honor Society, serving as its vice-president. She plans to attend Lubbock Christian University.

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Letters to the Editor

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Are veterans forgotten men?

Is the sick and disabled veteran the forgotten man? The war that he fought in has been dubbed "America's most unpopular war," but he fought and today he is still fighting. Fighting to regain his health, his strength and some of his earning power. And, he seems to have lost some of his confidence in his fellow citizens. Have Americans grown so callous that they can turn their backs on these men who have given so much? The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States doesn't think so. The VFW is pledged to serve the disabled and needy veteran and to aid and comfort his family.

Combat veterans themselves, the members of the VFW and their wives, mothers, sisters and daughters who make up its Ladies Auxiliary have met the challenge by lending a helping hand in the battle against doubt, boredom, bitterness and despair. In veterans hospitals, at the seats of government and in the community, you will find VFW volunteers and trained staff members at work in behalf of all veterans.

Thousands of men are bedridden for life and others are destined to spend the rest of their days in wheelchairs or on crutches, as the result of a war they haven't fully understood. Many more have found themselves handicapped in adjusting to the challenges of a civilian life which they felt has passed them by.

A grateful government has provided hospitalization where needed and disability compensation to those with impaired earning power, but no governmental action, regardless of how well meaning, can provide the personal touch and the individual understanding that alleviates fears and despair.

The VFW and its Ladies Auxiliary have such a program, but funds are needed to carry on their work, While the VFW raises most of its money from its own members, the public is afforded the opportunity to help through the purchase of a "Buddy" Poppy during the annual VFW Buddy Poppy Sale.

This year, the Buddy Poppy Sale will be held in Post on Friday and Saturday. When a VFW volunteer offers you a poppy, please contribute generously and wear your poppy proudly. Your help will go a long way toward soothing the pain of a deserving veteran.

Ladies' Auxiliary, Post VFW

Stephen Sadler Stephen Nelson Sadler, 17, is the son of Teresa Spencer. He is Valedictorian. During his years at Southland High School, he served as a member of the FFA and received several livestock judging awards, including grand champion and reserve grand champion steer. He plans to attend West Texas A&M.

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Sherry Wadsworth

Sherry M. Wadsworth, 16, is the daughter of Gussie M. Wadsworth. During her high school years, she had nine poems published and was active in the American Legion Auxiliary as a junior member. After attending college, she plans to teach



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PHS Awards Ceremony

The awards assembly for Post High School was conducted May 15. Students recognized for having perfect attendance during the school year included Ross Babb, Courtney Bratcher, Jay Cole, Tracey Cole, Kelli attendance awards were Emith Collier, Tisha Cowley, Billy Crawford, Channa Cruse, Brian Ellison, Josh Fumagalli, Scotty Gaydos, Rocky Gomez, Nicole Gray, Erin Gregory, Brandi Gunn, Manuela Hernandez, Keri Holly, Tandi Humble, Jenny Jones, Matthew Ledbetter, Amy Line and Kenda Looney.

Also, Marcus Lopez, Yvonne Lopez, Niebes Marin, Matt McCallister, Brandi Melton, Chris Metsgar, Meagan Mills, Danielle Mitton, Eric Montanez, Jordan Nelson, Jessica Ordonez, Raul Ortiz, Camie Payne,

John Radle, Kenny Ratke, Candi Reed, Keila Rodriguez, Lindsey Rudd and C.J. Sims.

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Others receiving perfect Smith, Waylon Strawn, Lauren Webb, Dianna Williams, Luke Williams and Amanda Workman.

Scotty Gaydos, Kelci Hart, Erin Webb. The awards are presented to Gregory, Kelli Collier and Camie students who carry a grade point Payne. These awards are given to average of at least 90 on a 100 point recognize and honor students who scale and a score in the 85 percentile have shown the ability and or higher in math or reading on the demonstrated the discipline SAT. The award certificates are necessary to perform academically signed by the Secretary of Education and partiicipate in extracurricular and the President of the United activities. The awards are given to States.

graduating seniors who are in the top ten percent of their class and who

UIL activity during their high school year.

Recipients of the Presidential Education Awards were Kelli Collier, Channa Cruse, Jason Fields, Josh Fumagalli, Scotty Gaydos, Justin Gorman, Erin Gregory, Kelci Hart, UIL Scholar Award recipients were Amy Line, Marcus Lopez and Lauren

Citizenship/Spirit Award also have participated in at least one recipients were Chanda Clay, Shalana Reed and Mariana Torres. This award is given to those who are

willing to give to the school without being asked, while showing a postiive attitude toward classmates, school and community.

Recognized as Mr. and Miss PHS were Luke Williams and Erin Gregory

Recipients of the Scholastic Jacket Award were Tandi Humble, Meagan Mills, Davida Gregory and April Line. A one-time scholastic award is presented to students who maintain a 90 or above average for a scholastic year in all courses of work.

Student Council President Courtney Bratcher was presented with a gavel and certificate.

The top honor graduates, Scotty Gaydos and Kelci Hart, were recognized with plaques. Other honor graduates receiving plaques were Kelli Collier, Erin Gregory, Camie Payne, Amy Line, Courtney Bratcher, Jason Fields, Channa Cruse, Lauren Webb, Justin Gorman, Marcus Lopez, Luke Williams, Princess Garcia, Candi Reed, Erica Castro and Josh Fumagalli.

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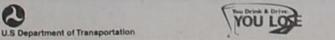
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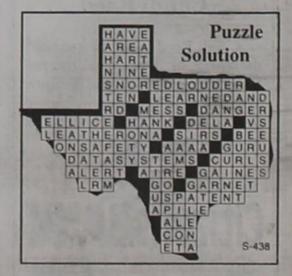
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PHS students recognized for perfect attendance this school year are (back row, left to right) Chris Metsgar, Lauren Webb, Channa Cruse, Eric Nonanez, Lindsey Rudd, Josh Fumagalli, Dianna Williams, Meagan Mills, Tandi Humble, Emily Smith, (second row from back) Marcus Lopez, Erin Gregory, Camie Payne, Matthew Ledbetter, Kelli Collier, Jessica Ordanez, Kelia Rodrigeuz, (third row from back) Kenny Ratke, Jay Cole, Justin Gorman, Luke Williams, Candi Reed, Courtney Bratcher, Amy Line, Nicole Gray, Brandi Melton, (front row) Jay Waylon Strawn, Tracy Cole, Tisha Cowley, Yvonne Lopez, Billy Crawford, Niebes Marin, Manuela Hernandez, Scotty Gaydos and Matt McCallister.



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Borden County High School



Hailey Adcock Hailey Adcock is the daughter of Randy and Verna Adcock. She played basketball (Class A state semi-finalists 1998-99) and was a cross country team state qualifier. She was a member of the one-act play team that qualified for the area competition and was voted Best Personality.

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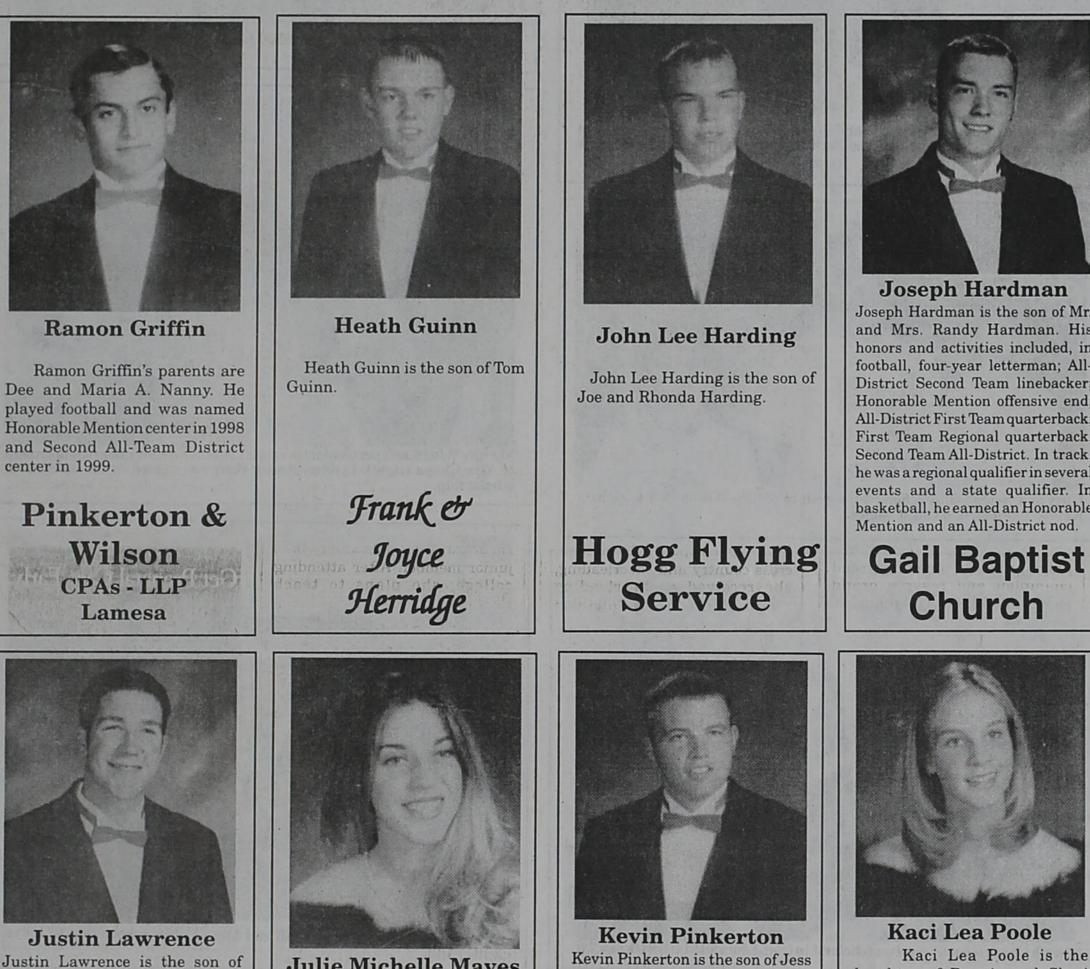
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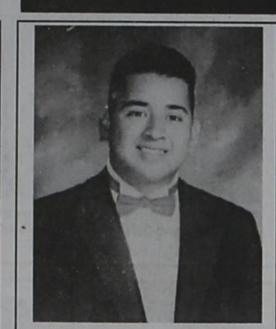
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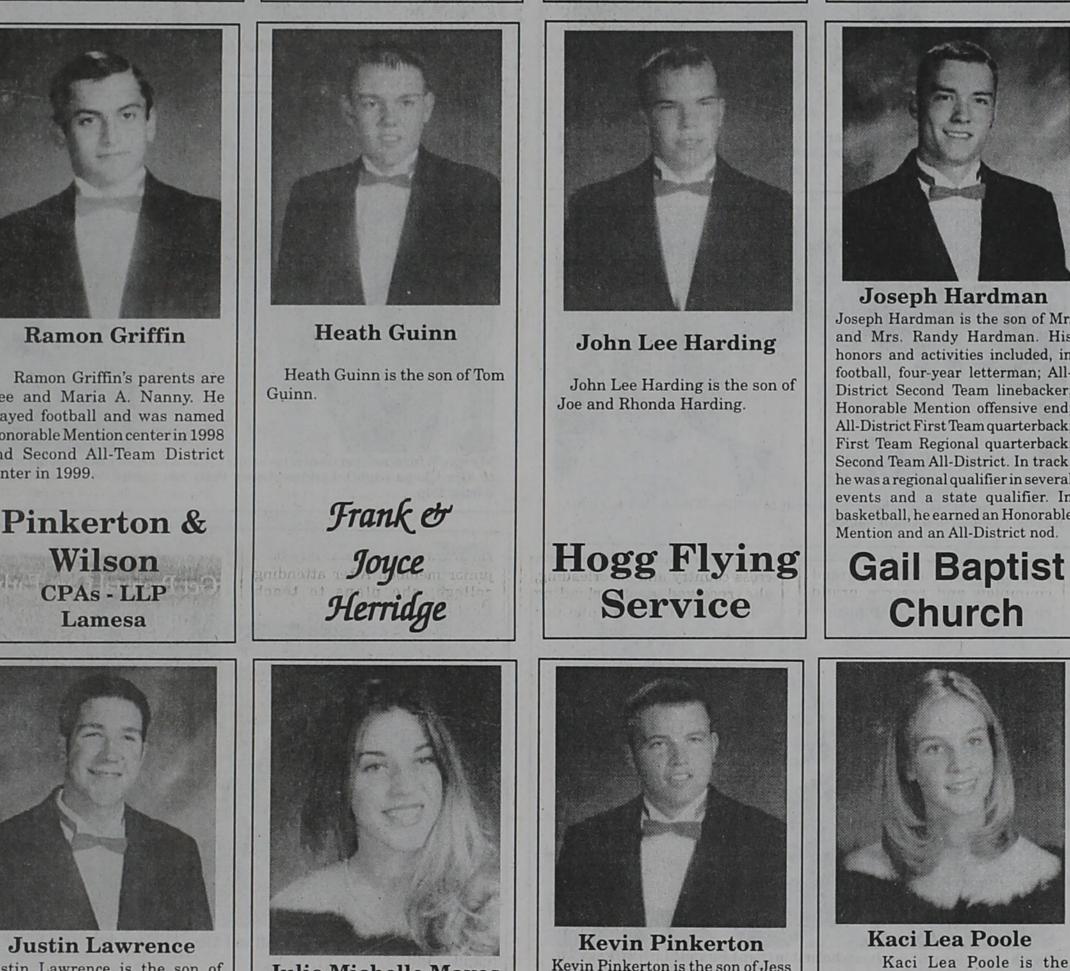




Anthony Aguinaga Jr

Anthony Aguinaga Jr is the son of Aniceto Aguinaga Sr. He was a member of the Beta Club.

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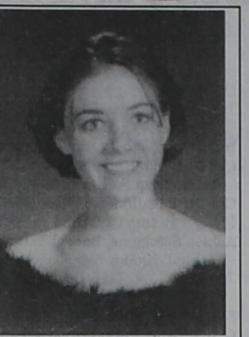




Adrianna Baeza Adrianna Baeza is the daughter of Oscar and Lydia Baeza. During her high school career, she played basketball and was named to the All-District team, honorable mention. In her sophomore year she held a class office. She also participated in cross country, track, UIL editorials, ag and band. Bill & Nancy Gordon

Doug, Maggie, Nick & Abby "Let no one dispise yhour youth but be an example ... in word, in conduct, in love, in spirit, in faith, in

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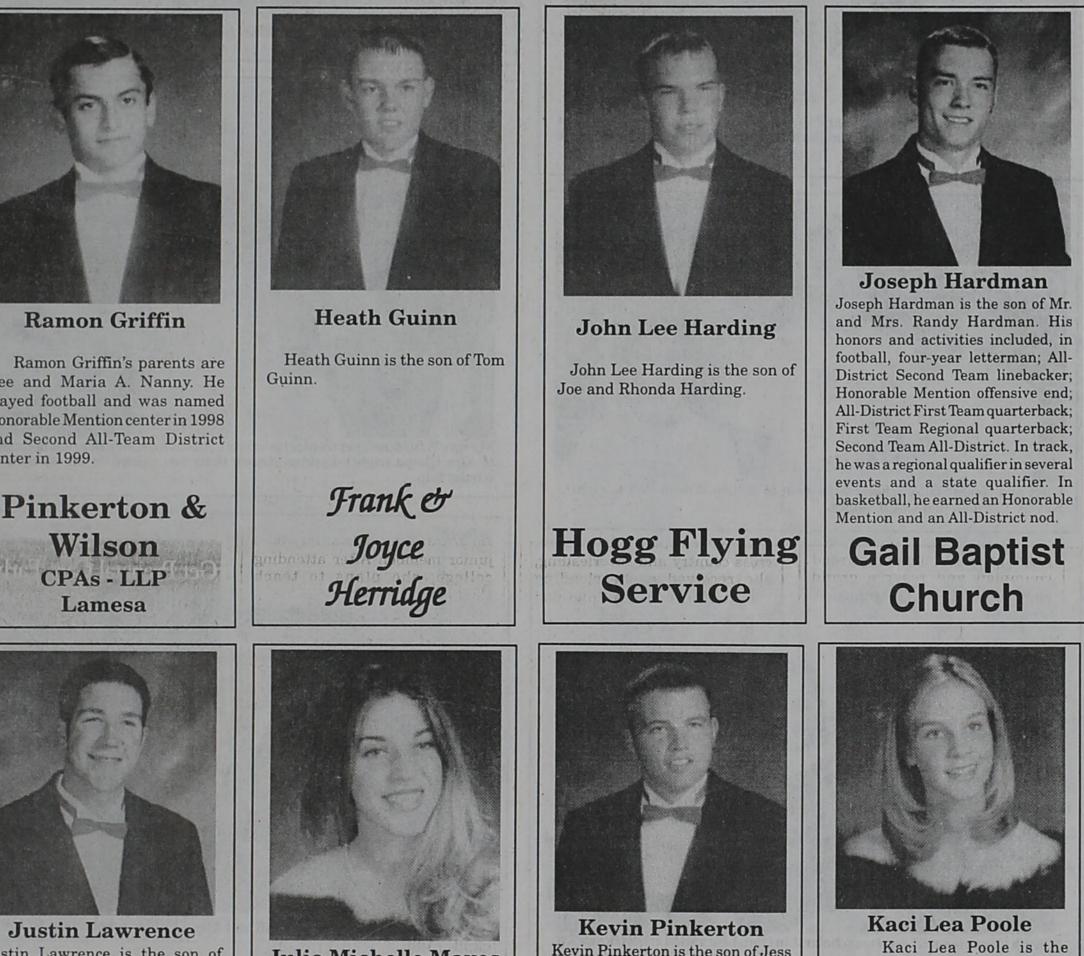


Crystal Allyson Dye

Crystal Allyson Dye is the daughter of Chet and Shirley Dye. While in high school, she participated in cheerleading, cross country, basketball and golf.

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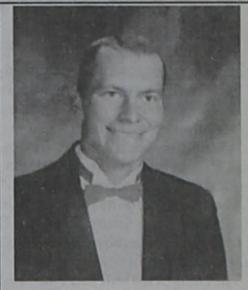




Shawna Gail Ellison Shawna Gail Ellison's parents are Brian and Patty Ellison. During high school she was active in oneact play and was named to All-Region Band. She was a regional qualifier in newswriting and was listed in the Top Six her first three years.

Brazos Agricultural Supply **Liquid Feed Supplements Doug Flanigan**





Nick Flanigan Nick Flanigan is the son of Nancy Gordon and the late Mike Flanigan. During his high school career, he was named to Second Team All-District Football; Honorable Mention All-District Basketball; class reporter; FFA treasurer; and Beta Club member.

Dr and Mrs Charles McCook



Shaina Isaacs

Shaina Isaacs is the daughter of

Doug and Debby Isaacs. During

her high school years, she

participated in varsity basketball,

varsity track, varsity golf, varsity

cross country, 4-H, Who's Who in

Sports and was named Who's Who

in Academics. She was voted as

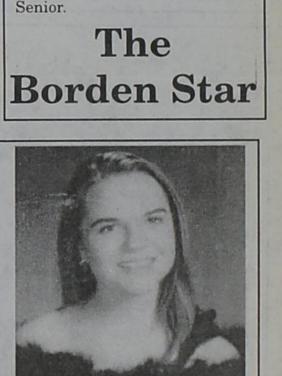
Class Favorite in her senior year,

as well as being voted Typical

Jana Lea Himes

Jana Lea Himes is the daughter of Jack and Terry Himes. She received numerous honors and participated in several activities during her high school career, including cross country, basketball, track, UIL feature writing (district champion and regional qualifier), UIL editorial writing, UIL headline writing, UIL literary criticism, UIL computer applications, Most Likely to Succeed and Valedictorian.

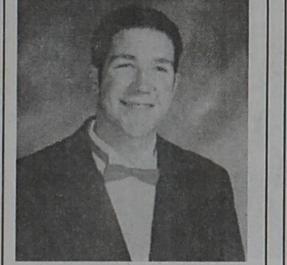
Best Bets Jane Terry Cindy Herridge



Erica Jenae Schoder Erica Jenae Schoder is the daughter of Jim and Karla Schoder. During her years in high school, she was regional qualifier in Literary Criticism two years; a regional qualifier in golf; a state qualifier in dairy cattle judging; an area qualifier in OAP two years, earning honorable mention and All-Star recognitions; a Beta Club member; and head cheerleader for two years.

The Lester Josey Family



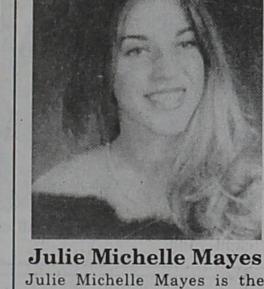


Shawnna and Paige Ward. He was a 4-year letterman in basketball and received numerous honors, including All-District Honorable Mention and three All-District nods, First Team All-Region, Second Team All-South Plains and was selected to participate in the six-man All-Star game.

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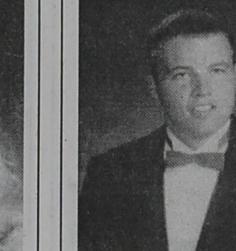
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Julie Michelle Mayes is the daughter of David and Sue Jane Mayes. During high school, she received numerous honors, including All-District, All-South Plains, All-Region and All-State. A member of the Beta Club, she was Football Sweetheart and class president.

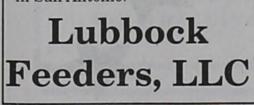
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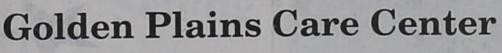


Kevin Pinkerton is the son of Jess and Sharlot Stone and Russ and Beverly Pinkerton. Kevin earned numerous awards during his high school career. His honors include four year football letterman, All-District 1998-99 and several track honors. He plans to attend Texas Tech University.

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daughter of Dennis and Sheri Poole. During her high school career, she was active in cheerleading, track, cross country, basketball, FFA and 4-H. She served as FFA president and 4-H president. She was also named Most School Spirited in 1999 and won the Reserve Grand Champion Simmental in the 2000 stock show in San Antonio.





by Sandy Smith

Hello is it summertime or what? I would like to remind everyone this is the week we are celebrating National Nursing Home Week. Wed. we will be at the park all day weather premitting and it's not 110 degrees! We had great Chili Cook Off and Mrs. Dorthy Kropp, it is a pleasure to have both of these fine Friday, and were we blessed with ladies in our home. a great big chili weather or what? We ate chili welcome to each of you! till we couldn't hold any more. I must say we all enjoyed the desert ... TUMS! This past week we lost one of I do hope everyone will come out our dear friends at Golden Plains, and join our carnival. We have alot of Mrs. Ione Hughes. Mrs. Hughes, was excitement in store for all ages. I always a delight to every one that would like to extend a big thank you knew her, and she will be missed to Cynthia and Mike Colvin for the very much. Our thoughts and use of her fantastic costumes, and prayers are with the Hughes family. for the helium they donated for the Sometimes in spite of the pain, ballons. we must continue to Keep smiling!

I can not wait untill next week to tell all of you about how the pie throw will turn out. I wonder if Cindy will throw a pie at Danny too? Stay tuned

Ryan Sanders

Kim Sanders. He was a member

of the State Champion Skills

Team in FFA and was a regional

qualifier in the UIL Current

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Ryan Sanders is the son of

We have some new faces at Golden Plains, they are Mrs. Willie Mae Dye

Lindsey Shon Smith Lindsey Shon Smith is the daughter of Monte and Deidre Smith. During her years in high school, she participated in UIL readywriting, band, FFA, FHA, golf, tennis and served as freshman class treasurer. She was a regional qualifier in track for three years and a state qualifier in cross country two years. She played four years of varsity basketball and was named to several All-Tournament, All-District, All-Region and All-State teams.

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Robert Stamper

Robert Stamper, son of Gregg and Beth Stamper, played football, basketball and track during his high school career.

Bill & Nancy Gordon Doug, Maggie, Nick & Abby "I can do all tings through Christ, who gives me strength." Philippians, 4:13



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Foston Wilson is the son of Dorthy and Willard Wilson.

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PHS Student Council president **Courtney Bratcher**

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Post Middle School S.T.A.R.S express appreciation for support

Post Middle School STARS members will once again attend summer leadership camp thanks to local support.

Scholarships from organizations and individuals in and around Post will make it possible for 52 students and six adults to attend the 2000 Youth Leadership Power Training Camp.

"Without our local support, we would not be able to attend this conference," said STARS sponsor Dedra Adams. "I thank all of you that answered our requests. We appreciate all of you."

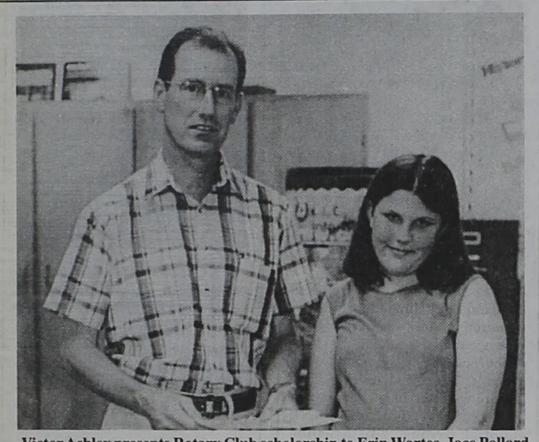
The camp will be at St. Mary's University in San Antonio. Sponsored by MADD and the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, the camp will enable STARS members to make plans for positive changes in their school and community.

The conference will run June 16-19. STARS members will travel to San Antonio June 14 and will be staying on the St. Mary's campus. The group will tour various sites in San Antonio, including the Alamo and the Riverwalk. June 15 will be spent at Fiesta Texas.

"While on campus, we will be with hundres of other student leaders sharing ideas, building friendships and absorbing valuable information," Adams said. "We will attend Power Panels, interactive skills clinics, family groups, action pact groups and, of course, fun activities."

STARS is an acronym for Students, Teachers and Adults Reaching Solutions. Its sponsors for the camp include Adams; Bobby Dean, resource officer; Carol Hester, a teacher at the middle school; Mario Luna and Rodney Tidwell, representatives of MAD DADS; and Michelle Wischkaemper, Garza County probation officer.

STARS Leadership Camp participants and their individual sponsors include Kayla Morris, Amity Study Club; Lyndee Strawn, anonymous; Jodye Rutherford, C Bar Ranch; Alex Chapa, Citizens Advisory Board; Zach Lopez and Kristy Shifflett, E.A. Franklin Charitable Trust; Colton Valdez, Kaycee Gorman and Ashley Wilson, Giles and Nelda Dalby; Eric Reyna, Jessie Soto, Patricia Hester and Jerin Tyler, Garza County Probation Office; and Jacob Egbert, Grubs.

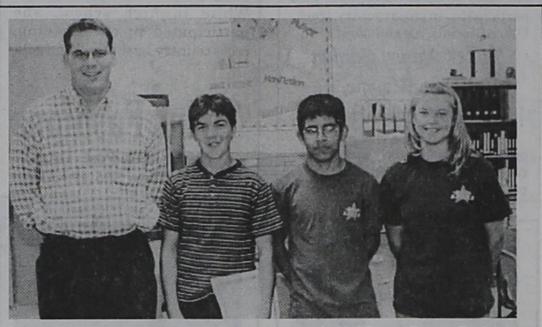


Also, Jordan Tatum, Middle School faculty (Dedra Adams, Tammy Ayala, Sue Cash, Willa Didway, Nita Jo Heckaman, Pam Humble, Marita Jackson, Debbie Palmer, Darrell Radle, Madawn Sherrin, Vicki Shifflett and Marge Tannehill); Dianna Ratke, Friends of STARS (Frances Camp, Ruby Jones, Evelyn Jones and Minnie Williams); James Soto, Hochheim Prairie Farms Insurance; and Jerrad Grisham, Cody Marts, Lesley Rutherford and Courtney Short, Patty and K.W. Kirkpatrick.

Also, Justin Williams, Lions Club; Colt Mason, Mason Brothers; Mariah Couch, Pathfinders Class (Methodist Church); Erin Wartes and Jace Pollard, Rotary Club; and Veronica Hernandez, Jenee Lott, Amanda Luna, Ashley Scroggins, Laurel Tatum, Keisha Perez, Kadie Vernon, Courtney Copeland, Kam Baker, Cole Easterling, Brant Guthrie, Kyle Kirkpatrick, Jake Lott, Jett Lott and Trent McDoanld, STAND Grant.

Rounding out the list are Miles Gray, SPS; Quinton Odom and Josh Hair, STARS; Amanda Morris, United; Andre Boyd, Wells Fargo in Post; Christin Collier, Women's Culture Club in honor of Ruby Kirkpatrick; Callie Smith, Women's Division of the Post Chamber of Commerce; and Ryan Babb, Xi Delta Rho Sorority.

"These scholarships... show that we are all working together to make a difference in Post," Adams said.



Wayne McKim (left) presents scholarship on behalf of Garza County Probation Office to Eric Reyna, Jessie Soto and Patricia Hester. Jerin Tyler not available for photo.





Kenny Ratke (center) presents Garza County Sheriff's Office scholarship to Travis Hopper (left) and Lacee White.



STARS SCHOLARSHIPS - Josh Hair, Jerica Tyler and Quinton Odom.



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Victor Ashley presents Rotary Club scholarship to Erin Wartes. Jace Pollard not available for photo.

Giles and Nelda Dalby scholarships went to Ashley Wilson (left to right), Kaycee Gorman and CoCo Valdez.

Michele Wischkaemper (center) presents Citizens Advisory Board scholarship to Alex Chapa (right). Lyndee Strawn (left) was named by an anonymous scholarship.



JoAnn Stelzer (right) presents Women's Division Post Tourism and Commerce Bureau scholarship to Callie Smith.



Mariah Couch (center) receives scholarship from Lisa and Mark Kirkpatrick.



Alexa Collier (right) presents Bill and Alexa Collier scholarship to Jodye Rutherford.



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Lisa Kirkpatrick (left) and Mark Kirkpatrick (right) present Patty and K.W. Kirkpatrick scholarships to Jerrad Grisham, Cody Marts Lesley Rutherford and Courtney Short.

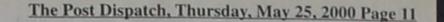






S.T.A.N.D. GRANT - (back row, left to right) Trent McDonald, Cole Easterling, Jake Lott, Jett Lott, Brant Guthrie, Kam Baker, presented by James Easterling, (front row) Amanda Luna, Veronica Hernandez, Kesiha Perez, Ashley Scroggins, Laurel Tatum, Kadie Vernon and Courtney Copeland.

FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP- (back row, left to right) Dedra Adams, Vicki Shifflett, Marge Tannehill, Wanda Osborn, (front row), Sue Cash, Pam Humble, Jordan Tatum, Willa Didway and Nita Jo Heckaman.



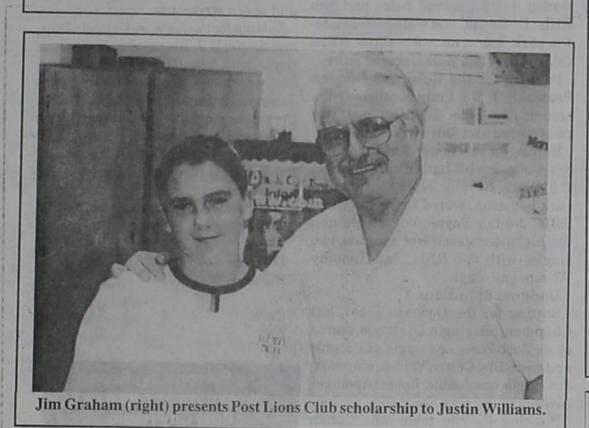


Xi Delta Rho Sorority's scholarship is presented by Jan Acker (left) to Ryan Babb.

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to James Soto.







Gary Shifflett (right) presents United Supermarket scholarship to Amanda Morris.

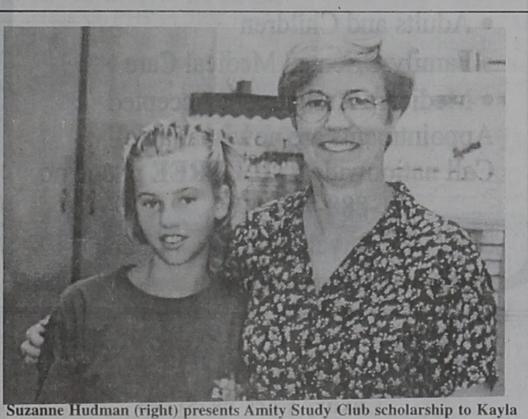




Giles C. McCrary (center) presents E.A. Franklin Charitable Trust scholarship to Kristy Shifflett (left) and Zach Lopez.



Bobby Heckaman (left) presents Southwestern Public Service scholarship to Miles Grav



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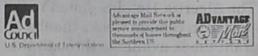


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Texas Community Development Program

The city of Post will hold a public hearing at 6:30 pm on June 6, 2000 at Post City Hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing & Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. The participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs, the amount of TCDP funding available, all eligible activities, and the use of past TCDP funds. The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of this TCDP application and to make their views known at this public hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views and proposals to Fred Stephens at City Hall. Persons with disabilities that wish to attend this meeting should contact City Hall at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

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Junior League Angels undefeated in four games

The Post Junior League Angels are undefeated after their first four games.

The Angels started off the year by winning 28-9 over the Roosevelt Yankees May 2. The game was a 10run rule game after five innings. Joseph Espinoza was the pitcher and had five strikeouts.

On May 5, the Angels had another 10-run rule game after five innings over the Roosevelt Gators. Score in the game was 12-0. Brody Conner pitched the first four innings, striking out five batters. Mitchell Mills came in and pitched the fifth and final inning, strikeout out two of the three hitters.

On May 8, the Angels played at Tahoka and won in five innings, 30-1. Mills pitched all five innings, striking out 14 and giving up a single hit.

On May 12, the Angels went to Crosbyton and played five innings in a 15-3 contest. Bryan Looney went the five innings, striking out 11 batters and giving up two hits. Kris Hernandez started the scoring in the first, hitting a home run to right field with two runners on base. The Angels will play May 22 at Roosevelt Yankees at 7:30 p.m. On May 25 the team will host the Gators at 8 p.m. and on May 27, they will play the Post Diamondbacks at 7 p.m.

Team members include Kyle Gunn, Carlos Hernandez, Kris Hernandez, Coby Jones, Jett Lott, Mitchell Mills, Bryan Looney, Joseph Espinoza, Brody Conner, David Rivera, Mark Norman, Jay Cooper, Mitch Holly and Patrick Gonzales.

Les Looney is manager and coaches are Larry Mills and Jeff Lott.



SOUTHLAND FFA Appreciation Dinner "AGceptional" - The Southland FFA Chapter recently sponsored an Appreciation Dinner for its supports and members. More than 150 people were served at the dinner, with Southland FFA members and parents raising an estimated \$10,000 for their local show this year. "Each student showing got an equal share of the money raised," Southland Ag teacher David Farquhar said: "This helps pay the majority of the cost to feed an animal,"he added.

Post Pride Fastpitch

The Post Pride Fastpitch Softball teams of the South Plains Girls Fastpitch Softball League have been representing the community well in recent weeks.

On Saturday, the high school Post Pride team won their 2:30 p.m. game Cowley and Heather Hall. on Field 5 at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock. The team's other two games of the day, both against the Raiders, Burk Royalties Inc., Pizza Hut were losses.

May 11, 12, 19, 20 and 22. All were Caprock Lounge, Stanley Transport, losses.

members include April Line, LaRinda Wells Pharmacy, Kids-n-Art (Linda

Coach is Jaquita Blevins.

Palmer, Samantha Lawrence, Belia Hernandez, Tiffany Hair, Eboni Gonzalez, Tori Gonzalez and Alana Zubia.

Coaches are Tabatha Cowley, Joey

The following sponsors have helped out with this year's teams: Brady's, (Espinoza's Pizza Co. LTD), KCBD-The 14-under club played games TV, Caprock Veterinary Hospital, Jay Fluitt, Dean Daniell Farm, The Post Pride High School team Fashion Cleaners, Jackson Bros.,

Ledbetter, Martha Ward, Keri Holly, Puckett), Hudman Inc., LTC James Ashley Mason, Amy Pederson, C. Conner, Archie and Maxine Gill, Camille Blevins, Brandi Gunn, Cain and Anita Abraham, Chris and Dianna Williams, and Jamie Dawson. Michelle Wischkaemper, George's, Palmer's, Rodney Tidwell (MAD

Little League Game Results

Cubs 6, Astros 3

Batting for the Cubs were Aaron Fox, one triple, scored once; Sadler Hair, one single, one double and scored once; Braden Bratcher, one walk, one single, scored twice; Miles Gray, two singles, two RBIs and scored once; Adrian Zubia, one walk, one double with one RBI: Allen Heckaman, one bases-loaded walk; and Zach Witcher, one basesloaded single.

Pitching for the Cubs was Aaron Fox, five innings with three runs scored and 10 strikeouts.

Batting for the Astros were Pat Reiter, three singles, scored twice; Andre Boyd, one walk; Colt Mason, one triple with two RBIs; Ridge Greathouse, one walk and one single; and Asa Rutherford, one walk.

Pitching for the Astros was Colt Mason, three innings with five strikeouts, and Pat Reiter, one inning, three strikeouts.

Trailblazers look at new building project

Local Trailblazers officials were scheduled to meet with contractor Wednesday to discuss the possibility of erecting a permanent meeting place for the senior citizens organization.

Caprock Cultural Association (CCA) board member Jack Alexander said no decisions have been made. but Trailblazers officials are looking into the possibility of contracting to have a metal building built on cityowned property behind Wallace Lumber. Wednesday's meeting was to give officials an idea as to how much such a project would cost. The city has made the property available, he said, the Trailblazers

probably have enough money to get such a project started. "We might need a little help to Sheriff's Department warrant. 'he said. "We just want to

The game was called due to the lateness of the hour. Cubs 24, A's 5

Hitting for the Cubs were Aaron Fox, one double, one triple, one inside-thepark homerun; Sadler Hair, one single and an RBI; Jerrett Blevins, one walk, one single, scored twice; Braden Bratcher, two walks, two singles, one double, scored four times; Miles Gray, two singles, one triple, three RBIs and scored three times; Eric Soto, one walk, one single, one double and scored three times with two RBIs; and A. Zubia, two walks, one single and one grand slam homerun, scored three times and had six RBIs.

Also, Allen Heckaman, two doubles; Zack Witcher, one walk and one basesloaded double, scored twice and two RBIs; C. Tatum, one walk, one insidethe-park homerun with three RBIs; Giles Dalby, two walks, scored twice. Pitching for the Cubs was BRaden Bratcher, 1 2/3 innings, three runs scored; Eric Soto, 2 1/3 innings, two runs scored and four strikeouts.

Batting for the A's were Orlando Diaz, one walk, one hit batter, scored twice; D.J. Biaza, two singles, one inside-thepark homerun, scored twice and three RBIs; Jordan Payne, one single and one hit batter; Jason Worthington, two singles with two RBIs; and Timothy Wilson, one single.

Dodgers 6, Indians 1

Batting for the Dodgers were Clint Chapman, one single, one triple, scored twice; Zach Perez, one single, one double and two RBIs; Colton Valdez, one walk, one single, one double; Robert Apolinar, two walks; Jeremy Short, two walks. Pitching for the team was Colton Valdez, six innings with one run scored, nine strikeouts.

Batting for the Indians were Timothy Garza, one single; Eric Reyna, two triples; and Michael Morris, one triple.

Pitching for the Indians were Andrew Espinoza, 52/3 innings, six runs scored with 10 strikeouts; Eric Reyna, 1 1/3 innings, no runs scored, four strikeouts. Indians 13, A's 7

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Batting for the Indians were Timothy Garza, two singles, scored three times; Wilson Cash, two singles, one double, one triple, five RBIs, scored twice; Eric Reyna, one walk and one triple, two RBIs; Andrew Espinoza, two walks; T.J. Copeland, two singles; Damian Shelton, two singles with two RBIs; Steven Hair, one walk, one single and one double; C.J. Hosey, one walk; Chad Miller, three walks.

Pitching for the Indians were T.J. Copeland, two innings pitched, four runs scored and four strikeouts; Eric Reyna, four innings, three runs scored and seven strikeouts.

Batting for the A's were Orlando Diaz, one single; D.J. Biaza, two singles, one triple with two RBIs; Jordan Payne, one walk, one double, scored twice; Jason Worthington, two singles; Daven Perez, one single; and Felix Torres, two walks and scored twice.

Pitching for the A's was D.J. Baiza, five innings, three runs scored, eight strikeouts.

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Sheriff reports 10 arrests

Ten arrests were logged in the Garza County Jail records during the past week.

According to written reports, a 35-year-old male was booked on traffic tickets May 18. On May 19, a 25-year-old male was booked on a Weatherford

Three arrests were made May 20, including that of a 25-year-old female

Lee Barron's Ag Report

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railblazers have been in the community center y 16 after officials decided rita Hotel structure, which sed the organization for) years, was no longer safe. ecision came after a ary engineering report there were problems with ar-old building.

ll report provided to City Fred Stephens, the Lubbock Parkhill, Smith & Cooper that the masonry walls of building are unreinforced, substantial." However, a tical crack which extends eight of the wall on the east r the southeast corner hrough the plaster and into the masonry.

parapet, the wall is leaning e roof side.... We do not ability to make a definite ation if the wall is in langer of falling; however, ense tells us the wall should zed to prevent damage or injury," reads the report. "Further, we recommend the area be barricaded to protect vehicle and pedestrian traffic until the wall is stabilized or repaired."

City officials have taken measures to discourage pedestrian traffic on the sidewalk below the masonry crack.

Additionally, the report cites a "distinct bulge" in the west wall which is likely due to the infiltration of water.

The report states that the exterior walls of the structure are subject to ongoing deterioration if the open holes at the top of the parapets are not closed.

"The pending roofing project provides for closure of these holes," the report states.

The Algerita Hotel is slated to be re-roofed in coming weeks thanks to a grant made available through the Texas Department of Transportation. It's a project that CCA executive director JoAnn Mock has been working on for several years.

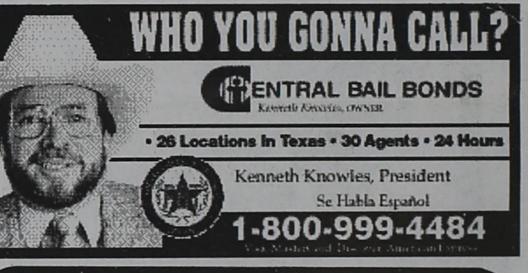
Alexander said Tuesday evening that he is unsure as to whether the roofing project will be continued. Bids on the project were to have been opened sometime last this month. In early work on the roofing project, TxDOT engineers conducted an external survey of the building and approved the structure for re-roofing, according to local sources. The building belongs to the Heritage Society, an organization which is no longer active, Alexander said. In recent years, the Algerita's care has been overseen by Mock, who has been instrumental in obtaining grants for the historic building's repairs. The Algerita is one of the oldest buildings in Post, having been built as a hotel in 1907. The downtown structure, which was purchased by the Heritage Society in 1968, is listed with the National Register of Historic Places.

on a warrant, a 20-year-old male on warrants and a 50-year-old male on a warrant.

On May 21, two arrests were made, including that of a 17-year-old male for public intoxication and a 39-year-old male for public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Two arrests were made on May 22, including that of a 45-year-old man for driving while license suspended and a 22-year-old man for possession of marijuana/under two ounces.

Arrested May 23 was an 18-year-old man for kidnapping.



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Tax 'n Facts by Terri Cash

Luxury Cars Vs. SUVS

Nobody loved the luxury-car tax, added onto cars costing more that \$30,000, back in 1991. At that point, the bite was 10 percent of the over-\$30,000 cost, and even the wealthiest buyers resented it. Since then, the threshold has risen to \$36,000 and , since August 1996, the tax rate has fallen. It dropped to 5 percent in January, on costs over \$38,000, and is due to expire at the end of 2002.

In Post, See Steve Mason at J&Y Cellular 495-4110

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At the same time, the luxury-car rules limit the amount that can be written off on a car used for business that costs more than about \$16,000. But there's a loophole big enough to drive a sport utility through. Neither the tax nor the limit on write-offs applies to vehicles with loaded weights of more than 6,000 pounds - like large SUVs. Not only does the buyer avoid the luxury-car tax, a new SUV used for business can be expensed (\$20,000) for cars put into service this year), and a first-year depreciation deduction taken.

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Mt Blanco Museum offers fossil show

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Mastodon, similar to a Mammoth. these remarkable animals. This Mastodon from Ohio was Evidences such as these are

Sometime ago the nation's of these amazing creatures. Towering get sample of authentic Mammoth above the second exhibit hall in the hair. The hair is well preserved and museum is a 12-foot tall skeleton of a depicts another important aspect of

restored and reassembled by causing some to think that these The unforgettable sight of the huge museum director and curator Joe huge creatures have not been dead

classes.

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Yesteryears by Pat Burnett

May 28, 1970 **30 Years Ago**

Rev George L. Miller, First Presbyterian Church minister, was presented the Post Jaycee's distinguished service award" last Saturday night.

Seventy-one graduate in PHS Class of 1970.

Jackie Curb's blue Falcon was Conner from Slaton and Sue Bevers smashed by a falling flag pole at the from Post were also visiting for City Park. No one was injured. It Mother's Day. This was the first time was a very unusual accident as the all six Bevers children had been to- pole fell without warning.

Jim Pollard is named high school principal.

Outstanding bandsmen awards went to Tiana Shiver, fifth grade band; Ken Herron, PHS band; Sherrel Guichard, Jr High band; and Patricia Bilberry, sixth grade band.

Mrs Janis Choate to become Garza Counties new home demonstration agent. She is to succeed Mrs Karen Parnell. D'Lane Runkles of Midland

May 26, 1960 40 Years Ago

1960 Post seniors are the last graduates from old high school building.

George Ellis, 1956 graduate of Southland High School graduated Summa Cum Laude from McMurry College in Abilene.

Cecil Acker of Lubbock visited last Thursday with Mr and Mrs Charles Didway and attended the open house at Postex Mills.

Willie Bruce Mitchell, daughter of Mr and Mrs Malachi Mitchell, Sr., was this year's only eighth grade graduate at Lincoln Elementary School here.

New arrivals this week are Joel Dan Huddleston, weighing six pounds three and one-half ounces born May 23. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Garland Huddleston. Gregorg Tim Miller born May 24, weighing eight pounds five and of Osceola

one-hall ounces. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Lcon Miller. Jimmy Craig Wiley, weighing eight pounds three and three-fourth ounces. Parents are Mr and Mrs Jimmy Wiley. Mrs Wiley is the former Frances Craig of Post.

May 25, 1950 50 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Adrian and son, Buck, jr., returned to their home in Mesquite Saturday night. Mrs. Adrian and the baby had visited her father, Dean Robinson, for a week. Her husband joined her here Friday.

Mr and Mrs. W. T. Shepherd, who recently returned from Los Angeles, Calif., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Morris of Route 2. Mrs. Shepherd and Mrs. Morris are sisters.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Veach were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walls of Post and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hooper and son of New Deal; also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Veach of O'Donnell.

Darrell Owens, who has been ill, is improving.

Margaret Smith of Lubbock spent Saturday night with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Daniels.

Mrs. Alice Parsons, Jewell Parsons, Connie Marie King and Mrs. Ray Henderson will leave tomorrow for Dallas and Fort Worth where Mrs. Parsons will go to market.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Bingham visited in Lubbock Sunday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Essary.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kirkpatrick spent the weekend in Roswell, N. M., with their son, Kay.

A weekend guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oman Ticer was her mother, Mrs. R. V. Landtroop,

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> In addition to this gigantic display miles east of Lubbock. Museum hours is an equally important tiny exhibit. are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays. The The museum has obtained a hard-to- museum offers special rates for school

Fire destroys Pennell gas station in Southland. community of Crosbyton about 32

Leanna Davis, valedictorian and Melissa Tatum, salutatorian for 1980 Post High School graduating class.

Miller Brothers show.

May 22, 1990

10 Years Ago

Mrs W.S. Bevers recently were Joe,

Kayleen, Witney and Jordan Bevers

of Hampshire, Tx.;-Mark Bevers of

Houston and Larry Bevers of Omaha,

Neb. Sunday Bill, Barbee, Shawn,

Shane and Slade Bevers from Post

and Laura, Billy Bob, Justin and Trey

A graduation party honoring

Guests for the event were Lori

Miss Kenda Dee Williams was

given on Tuesday, May 15 at the El

Taylor, Barbara Price, Reshea Hair,

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May 12. She received a bachelor of

arts in communications and theatre.

(JoAnn) Mack and a graduate of

Tahoka High School, has received his

M.Ed degree in counseling and hu-

Southland High School Class of

Five Post gymnasts to national

Nancy Pendley is nursing grad-

Touch of "old west" seen at

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May 29, 1980

20 Years Ago

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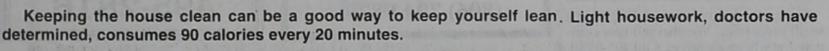
Sombrero Restaurant in Lubbock.

gether in many years.

Visiting in the home of Mr and

Jo Ella Sparlin and Ann Chaffin from the VFW Ladies Auxiliary pinned red poppies on each resident of the Twin Cedars Nursing Home for Memorial Day.

Dennis, Diane and Jennifer Conrad of Twin Falls, Idaho visits in Post with Dennis' mother and





ATTEND 50TH REUNION — These nine members of the graduating class of PHS in 1930 held their 50th class reunion Saturday, May 17 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCampbell. Shown I to r, J.D. McCampbell, Ruby Stanley, Ruth Knowles, Nina Bell Chapman, Ruby McKenzie, Lela Miller, Vera Tyler, Jim White and Enid Gossett. (Staff Photo)

From The Post Dispatch, May 23, 1980





High Rollers Advanced Tumbling/Trampoline team (Post/Spur) competed in Division II Southwest Tumbling and Trampoline Association qualifying meet held May 5, 1990 in Odessa, Texas.

Ronnic Jay Parrish - 1st place State Champion tumbling, 1st place State Champion trampoline; **From The Post**

Dispatch, May 23, 1990





Mrs Kyle Baker Nancy Wilson, Kyle Baker **Exchange Wedding Vows**

From The Post Dispatch, May 23, 1990



TOP WINNERS - Shown above are the top winners in Mrs. Marita Jackson's third grade music class instrument making contest. The instruments wee made as the culmination of a study of orchestra instruments. Shown from I to r are Chad Davis, washtub bass; Tyge Payne, trombone; and grand prize winner, Brook Capps, chimes; and Ruth Gutierrez, shakers. (Staff Photo)

From The Post Dispatch, May 23, 1980

SLAY Pvt. Eddie Slay, Jr Pvt Eddie Slay, Jr **Completes Basic** Pvt Eddie R. Slay, Jr has com-

pleted basic training at ' Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. During the training; students re-

ceived instruction in drill and ceremonics, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Slay is the son of Barbara F. Smith of Post. He is a 1988 graduate of Post

High School.

From The Post Dispatch, May 16, 1990

NEWEST THING IN NECKWEAR

Sharon Meisch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meisch, doesn't appear to be enjoying this near as much as Game Warden Cecil Fox of Spur. Fox made Sharon a "collar" of the snake at a Post Lions Club meeting where he demonstrated the handling of the reptiles .--- (Cal Casteel Photo.)

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Those who came and sat with Mother and shared words of encouragement and a moment of laughter; those who called and expressed your concerns; those who sent cards; those who prepared food, those who sent flowers as an expression of your

love, and those who prayed mightily, please know that we received all that you did for us with humility. Buddy Payne, you were there at the least expected times, but at the very right moment. Your words remain in our hearts. Jack, thank you for the personal touch from family. Thank you, Dr. Rao and Trish for attending to Mother's medical needs but also for your concern of her family. Dee and Janet, thank you for making a difficult time easier. Mother loved life, her friends, her church family and, of course, her family. We thought it only fitting that her church family share in her service. We were honored that you ministered to us in this way. Mother would have been completely humbled by the beautiful music. Our hope is that everyone who attended her service was uplifted and felt His presence. To each of you may we say, "The Lord bless thee, and keep thee; The Lord make his face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee: The Lord lift up his countenance upon thee and give thee peace." Nu. 6:24-26

Max Gordon Jerry, Kay, Karron, Rodney, Alison and Kelsey Hays

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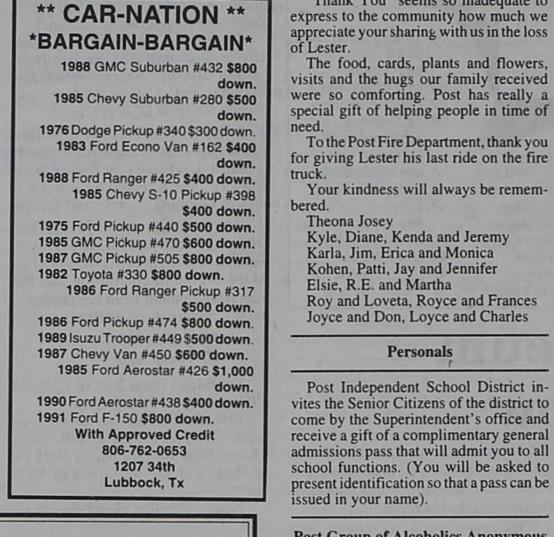
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and food since our mother, grandmother and friend Mildred Stewart, has been ill (stroke on March 24th). She is doing good now, Praise the Lord, and is at her home on Route 3. She and we would appreciate your continued prayers and support. Thanks again so much.

Mildred Stewart Marie Lemons and family Jerry Stewart and family **Timp Browning**

A Special Thank You! A special thank you for the ambulance crew who responded to our call for help on March 24th, and also to those who stopped by to give assistance. We couldn't do without you special people.



Mildred Stewart Marie Lemons and family Jerry Stewart and family **Timp Browning**

A Belated Thank You We would like to thank all of you wonderful people for your prayers, cards, calls, visits and food during my long battle with cancer

The doctors say I'm in rmission and that it could come back anytime, BUT, I am claiming a healing (Praise the Lord)! My family and I would appreciate your continued prayers and support. With our love,

Marie Lemons and family

"Thank You" seems so inadequate to express to the community how much we appreciate your sharing with us in the loss

The food, cards, plants and flowers, visits and the hugs our family received were so comforting. Post has really a special gift of helping people in time of

Your kindness will always be remem-

Kyle, Diane, Kenda and Jeremy Karla, Jim, Erica and Monica Kohen, Patti, Jay and Jennifer Elsie, R.E. and Martha Roy and Loveta, Royce and Frances Joyce and Don, Loyce and Charles

Personals

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Post Group of Alcoholics Anonymous Meets every Thursday night at the First Presbyterian Church, 901 West 10th at 8 p.m. Closed meetings are held except on the last Thursday of the month, which is an open meeting. Door opens at 7 p.m. and the meeting starts at 7:30 p.m, cake and coffee following the meeting. Anyone who wishes to talk or ask about an alcohol problem, call 495-4152, 495-4185 or 629-4393.

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Estate of Donabel B. McCormick, Deceased. In the County Court of Garza County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that orginal Let-ters Testamentary for the Estate of Donabel B. McCormick, Deceased, were issued on May 10, 2000, in Docket No. 1714, pending in the County Court of Garza County, Texas, to : Bailie Jack McCormick.

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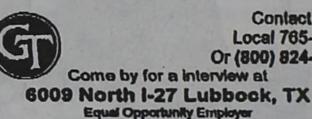
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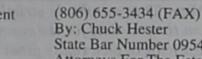
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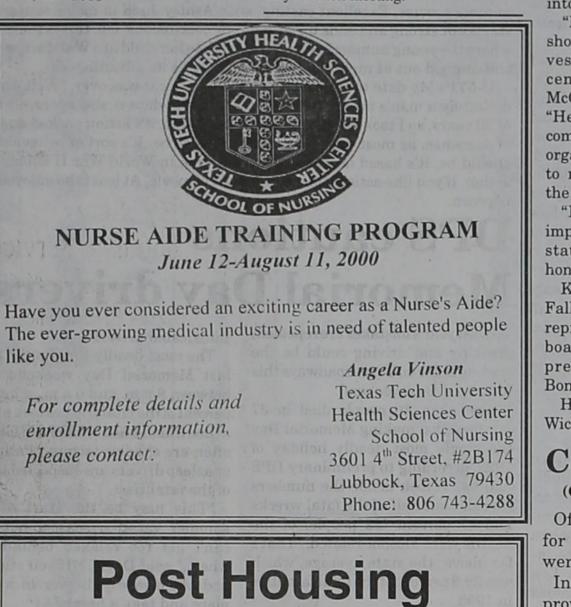
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Knowles gets honor from trade journal

Ken Knowles, owner of Central Bail Bonds of Post, was recently named one of the leading bail bondsmen of the 20th Century by Bail Bond Chronicles of Greenville, Pennsylvania, a national trade publication for the bail bond industry. Bail Bond Chronicles is a listing of the men and women who have devoted a great deal of their lives to the enhancement of the bail bond profession and who had a firm grip on the wheel in steering the profession into the 21st Century.

"Mr. Knowles changed the late show image of the store front and vest pocket bondsman in north central Texas," said Kelly McClelland, editor of the publication. "He is an active participant in community fund raisers and business organizations. He has spoken widely to many organizations throughout the area.

"How Texas goes is of much importance to our industry, and the state is in good hands with an honorable man like Ken Knowles." Knowles is president of the Wichita Falls Bondsmen Association and is representative of the county bail board. He was recently elected president of the Professional Bondsmen of Texas.

He and his wife, Helene, reside in Wichita Falls.

Commissioners

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Of the 19 courthouses approved for the first round, 16 of them were built prior to 1900.

In other matters, the court approved the appointment of Jana Bullard and Larry Waldrip to the Community Center board of directors and the installation of a temporary water tap on the main water transmission pipe from White River Lake to Post. The connection was made by White River to assist in grass fires. The tap is in Precinct 3 off Hwy 651.

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Lynn Baldwin's Studio of Music students in "An Evening to Remember" are (back row, left to right) Austin Calley, Austin Owens, Brett Bowlin, Jerin Tyler, Jerica Tyler, Post; Zach Greenlee, Rotan; Megan Muscatell, Jayton; (front row) Amanda Calley, Aryn Calley, Forest Clayton and Brooke Hall, Jayton. The presentation was followed by awards in Snyder recently.

Garza Theatre gets top billing

Soldier," has been tapped as one of 1896. the ten "hot cultural events" for the summer, according to a list recently on the Arts.

"Celebrate the magic of vaudeville with the 12th Annual Harley Sadler Tent Show at the Garza Theatre," reads the press release from the state commission. "Originally the Palace movie theater, the Garza Theatre reopened in 1986 to help cultivate West Texas talent and culture."

"The Other Soldier" is a lighthearted comedy written by Jeremy Danial and Lee Higginbotham that tells the story of a young soldier upon his return to the U.S. after serving in the armed forces during WW I.

A stop at the Garza Theatre is the commission's fourth suggested activity on its top 10 list. An overview of the list includes: · Boxcars, Bar-B-Q and the Bridge, June 2-30 (every Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.), Rusk. Ride the Texas State Railroad which

The University of Texas

Texas Folklife Festival

Institute of Texan Cultures at San Antonio

The summer tradition continues...

The Garza Theatre's upcoming has passed through the beautiful Paintings by Jacqui Dorsey, Mary Harley Sadler Show, "The Other Piney Woods of East Texas since

 Cine Sol Latino Film Festival, June 2 through July 2, South Padre published by the Texas Commission Island/Rio Grande Valley. Experience Latino culture through film and video.

> Plano. Enjoy the familiar with physical disabilities can masterpiece in a new light.

• The Harley Sadler Show, "The Other Soldier," June 16-18, 23-24, 30 and July 1, Post.

• Lure of the West: Treasures from the Smithsonian's American Art Museum, June 17 through Aug. 13, San Antonio. See early depictions of the west as created by artists who regionally and nationally acclaimed traveled west following its discovery Latino artists who live and work in in the 19th century.

• Cowboy Gathering 2000: The American Story and Song, June 24, through Aug. 5, Victoria. Celebrate

Frances Robinson and Alec Simpson, June 30 through Aug. 30, Dallas. Learn more about the featured artists and the works they used to express the African-American experiences of women and family.

 Actual Lives Project (Access Arts) • The Odyssey Project, June 8-11, Austin), Aug. 19-26, Austin. Adults participate in this week-long performance seminar, which will prepare them for a performance of original material at the end of the week.

> · Hecho en Tejas: Five Latino Painters, July 8 through Aug. 27, Amarillo. Enjoy the works of five Texas.

> Victoria Bach Festival, July 31 the life and works of J.S. Bach with a week-long festival of his orchestral, choral and chamber music.

Graham Church of Christ honors graduates

The Graham Chapel Church of Christ honors its three graduating seniors with a party Sunday evening following church services.

Honorees included Erin Gregory and Matthew Ledbetter from Post High School and Matt Joyner from Lubbock Christian High School.

For the meal, the honorees, their guests, parents and grandparents were seated at a table covered in gold cloths and centered with an arrangement of green plants accented with crystal votive cups featured black votives and entwined with fresh honeysuckle.

Brent Mason led the pre-meal invocation. Debbie McCarty read a poem entitled "God's Plan for You." Then the parents of each senior told something funny that they had done. Special prayer for each one followed, with JeffLott praying for Erin, Bobby Cowdrey praying for Matt Joyner and Noel White playing for Matthew Ledbetter. Joe Gregory led a prayer for a guest, Luke Williams, who is also a senior.

White led the group in two songs before the seniors moved to their gift table and opened gifts. The gift tables were decorated in school colors and featured fresh flower arrangements.

Graduation... (Continued from Page 1)

On Friday, the Borden County Independent School District auditorium will be the site of the 8 p.m. Borden County High School commencement exercises. Twenty-one graduates will receive diplomas, including valedictorian Jana Lee Himes and salutatorian Nicholas John Flanigan.

Post High School's commencement ceremonies are scheduled for

Movie Hints by Wes Burnett

Editor's Note: This column is strictly the opinion of the writer, and is provided from time-to-time for the enjoyment of our readers.

It's a bit difficult to pick really great movies these lazy late spring days, but here's three we can recommend.

Frequency - This one is a bit too much like "Back to the Future," but it does keep your attention. The story is about a modern day policeman who accidentally turns on an old ham radio and through the magic of mysterious solar flares, manages to carry on a radio exchange with his deceased father, talking on the same radio 30 years earlier. I guess you'll just have to see this one to figure it out. I was put off by some technical stuff, like talking into the microphone without pushing down the mike key, and ... oh, heck, nevermind.

Where the Heart Is - If you're a sucker for smoozy romantic movies (like me), you'll really like this one. The star is an unknown, but sure to be seen in more movies. Excellent casting, with Ashley Judd in major support. It starts out strong and ends up with happy conclusions. Oh, this is the movie where the young unmarried girl gives birth to her child in a WalMart, where she camped out at nights. Being homeless has its advantages?

U-571 - My date to this movie muttered after it was over, "Well, this is definitely a man's movie!" Of course, my movie-date is also my lovely wife of 39 years, so I took her comment in stride. Yes, it's action packed and full of suspense, as most war-time movies tend to be. It's sort of believable, it should be, it's based on pieces of real drama in World War II submarine action. If you like action, this is your kind of movie. At least she enjoyed the popcorn.

DPS cautions **Memorial Day drivers**

If last year's mistakes are repeated, drinking and driving could be the leading killer on Texas roadways this Memorial Day weekend.

Last year, 46 people died in 37 fatal wrecks, making Memorial Day the single most deadly holiday of 1999, according to preliminary DPS figures. A look inside the numbers reveals that half of the fatal wrecks and 47 percent (22 people) of the deaths were alcohol-related. That's far above the state average, which was 29.6 percent of the total fatalities in 1998.

"Overall, alcohol-related deaths have been declining in Texas the last several years, so the Memorial Day intoxicated drivers.

The most deadly time on the road last Memorial Day weekend was between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m., when 57 percent of the fatal crashes took placea time frame when alcohol and fatigue often are cited as factors. Fatigued or asleep drivers are suspected in six of the fatalities.

"This may be the start of the summer vacation season, but you can't get too relaxed behind the wheel," said Davis. "If you start to nod off, please pull over to a safe place and take a break."

Last Memorial Day holiday, 44 percent of those killed (18 people) were not wearing safety belts in wrecks where restraint use was applicable. Excessive or unsafe speed was listed as a contributing factor in 15 fatalities, seven people were killed in crashes where signal lights or stop signs were disregarded, four fatalities were blamed on faulty tires and two people died trying to outrace police officials. In addition, 54 percent of the wrecks were one-vehicle collisions.

Odessa. Participate in the gathering as American cowboys use poetry, music and stories from the past to

make the transition into the 21st century.

· Life's Patterns: Clay Works and

The agency rating these activities, the Texas Commission on the Arts (TCA), is responsible for promoting art and cultural tourism across the state. This list is developed quarterly to assist Texans in planning their summer vacations.

Quarterly lists are developed using TCA's web site, the www.artonart.com, the most comprehensive arts calendar web site in the state. Visitors to the site can search the database by city, region, date, topic or organization name.

For more information on the above activities, visit the TCA web site.

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8 p.m. Friday at Antelope Stadium. In case of inclement weather, the event will be conducted in the school auditorium, and seating will be limited.

Forty-nine graduates will take the stage during the ceremony, including the school's valedictorian and salutatorian, Scotty Gaydos and Kelci Hart, and honor graduates Kelli Collier, Erin Gregory, Camie Payne, Amy Line, Courtney Bratcher, Jason Fields, Channa Cruse, Lauren Webb, Justin Gorman, Marcus Lopez, Luke Williams, Princess Garcia, Candi Reed, Erica Castro and Josh Fumagalli.

numbers are troubling and unacceptable," said DPS Director Col. Thomas A. Davis Jr. "A threethousand pound vehicle is not the place to play chicken with your life and the lives of your fellow travelers. Driving drunk is out of style-and it's a crime."

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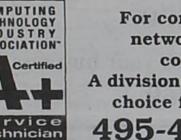
Regarding Parking of Trucks

Residential streets in the City of Post are not designed or constructed to handle heavy equipment or trucks. For that reason in 1986 the city adopted an ordinance prohibiting the parking of certain trucks and heavy equipment on city streets.

Most local trucking companies in Post have their own yards or locations on which their equipment is parked overnight or during the day when not in operation. Other parking lots are available for truckers who do not have a company yard located in Post. In part, the code states:

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together and help foster a positive parent/child relationship. "Playing games together teaches kids patience, concentration, cooperation, good sportsmanship, and most importantly, gives them a sense of connectedness within the family," said Petersen.

cherish for years to come.

Game Night.

As the author of Parent Talk, a national weekly syndicated column, Petersen says that playing games together can help build positive parent-child relationships and foster an appreciation of family. "The ability to talk, laugh and enjoy each other is very important in developing respect among relatives and friends." Family Game Night, created by Hasbro games, embraces the desire to make family time together more meaningful and fun. Here's how to get a Family Game Night going in your house: • Decide which night of the week works for your family as game night. The kids may be more interested if they can invite friends. You can invite the neighbors. · Get the family's favorite games together. Let the kids help pick the games and snacks. Be sure to get games that are appropriate to children's age levels. To help get the dice rolling on Family Game Night, Hasbro has brought together some of its bestknown classics under the Family Game Night theme. Included are able toys and games in the world.



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The ordinance provides for ticketing owners of trucks, as well as drivers. A Warning Sticker or Warning Letter will be issued to first offenders. Second Offenses will be ticketed and receive a summons to appear in the court.

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