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It may not have been "the drought-breaker," but last week's downpour sure made up for several months of dry weather. Streets in Post and area highways were flooded for several hours, and water was running briskly under the Brazos River bridge at Justiceburg. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)

Hospital board balks at election law suit demands

by Wes Burnett

The Garza County Hospital Board of Directors, following an executive session last Thursday evening, took action to delay a settlement in a recent federal law suit challenging the district's at-large election system. During the public discussion, board president Mike Travis accused the plaintiff's lawyer Tom Stults of "blackmail," claiming that the

lawyer's fees were excessive.

Majority board members Zoe Kirkpatrick, David Tyler and Leon Miller, voting in open session, cited opposition to the law suit's demand for five single member districts, opting for four single member districts and one at-large position. Board member Carol Tobias cast the lone vote against the measure.

The board's lawyer, Calloway Huffaker, informed the board that he had been in contact with the League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) representatives, who favor the 4-1 plan. Huffaker did not specify the names of LULAC representatives. Garza County has no

LULAC chapter.

The law suit, which was filed in Lubbock's U.S. District Court, challenges the 1997 agreement between the hospital board and LULAC, seeking an injunction barring the former agreement from being implemented. The law suit was filed by Stults on behalf of his Garza County clients, Bertha Fuentes and Frank Tobias.

The board voted to table for further study the issue of residency requirement for candidates under the single-member district plan. Tobias abstained from voting on the motion. The majority board apparently objected to the

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Flag Football Superbowl V 2000 on tap Saturday

Youth gear up for Superbowl V 2000

The Post Flag Football Association is finishing up the season Saturday with Superbowl V 2000, which begins with first and second grade teams competing at 3 p.m.

The Red Raiders and Blast will compete for the youngest age championship. The Red Raiders are sponsored by Advocare and Moore Crop Insurance and the Blast is sponsored by Sonic Drive In. Other teams are the Buzzards and Antelopes.

Closing ceremonies for each of the three age divisions will be held following each game.

The Rams and Colts are competing for the third and fourth grade championship, beginning at 5 p.m. Higginbotham-Bartlett sponsors the Rams and Miller Construction Co. sponsors the Colts. The Mad Dogs and Texas Titans will also be recognized.

Fifth and sixth grade Fighting Irish and Cowboys complete the Superbowl with a 7 p.m. championship contest. Handy's is sponsor for the Fighting Irish and Post Automotive sponsors the Cowboys. Other teams are the Rams and Redskins.

All players will be recognized and presented trophies.

"We want to thank all of our sponsors especially," Rodney Tidwell emphasizes, "and to the parents and others who have worked so hard to make this year such a success."

Post Notes

Flu Shots Available for Seniors

Flu and pneumonia shots will be available at the Garza County Extension Office on Monday, November 6, 2000 from 9:00am to 3:00 pm. The vaccines will only be given to those over the age of 65 due to a delay in the production of the flu vaccine. The flu shot costs \$5.00 and the pneumonia shot costs \$7.00. If you receive either of these two shots, a tetanus shot will be given free of charge. With the nasty flu season fast approaching, it would be very beneficial to come by and receive your flu shot on November 6. (The Extension Office is in the process of setting a date for flu shots for the general public in early December.)

Clinesmith hosts BBQ Saturday

U.S. Congressional candidate Curtis Clinesmith will host a BBQ sandwich and trimmings event Saturday at the Post Community Center from 6 to 8 p.m. There is no charge for the event, in which the 13th Congressional District candidate and Post native will be available for visiting with supporters.

Middle School football dinner Tuesday

The Post Middle School football dinner, recognizing 7th and 8th grade teams, has been rescheduled for Tuesday, November 7 at 6:30 p.m. in the community center. Football players and managers will need to pay \$5 to Mrs Cash at the Middle School office to cover the cost of the event. Parents need to bring a meat dish, vegetable dish and dessert for the meal.

Meet Lady Lopes November 6

The Post Antelope Booster club is sponsoring the annual "Meet the Lady Lopes" on Monday, November 6 at 7 p.m. in the high school gym. All middle school and high school Lady Lope basketball players will be recognized.

Election results on Post City Radio

Post City Radio will broadcast live from the Garza County courthouse Tuesday, November 7, beginning at 9 p.m. with election results as they become available. Post City Radio manager Thomas Zachary will provide the remote, live reports. Post City Radio is available on the Internet at www.postcityradio.com and on Classic Cable Channel 12 in Post.

PHS Veterans' Day Assembly

Post High School will host an assembly in the Elementary School Auditorium at 10 a.m., Monday, November 13 in honor of local veterans in observance of Veterans' Day. All veterans and families are encouraged to attend.

Booster club offers bumper stickers

The Post Antelope Booster Club has new bumper stickers for sale at \$2 each. The bumper stickers will be available before home games or may be purchased from Larry Mills at 495-3719 or Kim Mills at the high school.

Live Post Antelope coverage

Those who are unable to attend Post Antelope football games this season have the opportunity to keep up with all the live action on Post City Radio, found on the Internet at www.postcityradio.com and in Post on Classic Cable Channel 12. "This is especially valuable for all our former PHS students living around the world," Post City Radio manager Thomas Zachary emphasizes.

Coats needed for victims' children

The Victims Assistance program is conducting a children's coat drive. Anyone able to provide children's coats should contact the Victims Assistance Program at 225 W. Main. Coats must be clean and in good condition. The deadline for donations is November 17.

Blood drive November 2

The Post Lions Club is sponsoring a blood drive Thursday, November 2 from 4 to 9 p.m. at the Post Church of Christ, 108 N. Avenue M. The blood drive is conducted by United Blood Services. All blood types are needed.

United Supermarkets donates to Garza County United Way

Rodney Tidwell, member of the Garza County United Way board of directors, recently accepted a check for \$1,074.65 from United Supermarkets Assistant Store Director Robert Zapata.

The check represented the local share of the proceeds from the 9th Annual United Supermarkets Founders' Day Charity Classic held Sept. 18 at the Lubbock Country Club. More than 370 golfers participated in the event, which raised \$118,501.19 for United Way organizations in 17 Texas markets served by United Supermarkets.

The gift is the largest in the history of the annual event and outpaced the 1999 proceeds by more than \$16,000. The gift, made possible in large part by the vendors and suppliers who participated in the tournament, is over and above United's corporate gift and employee payroll deductions that benefit United Way locally.

More than 260 individual agencies are served through the various United Way organizations, including 14 in Post. United Supermarkets operates 42 stores in 23 Texas markets.



United Supermarket's Robert Zapata (right) presents a check from United Supermarkets to Garza County United Way director Rodney Tidwell.

Local races get attention in general election

One of the races drawing the most interest during the general election will undoubtedly be that of county sheriff. Incumbent and Democratic Party candidate Kenny Ratke is facing a challenge from a Republican hopeful, Jon Smith.

Other contested local races include one to fill the unexpired term of county/district clerk and another to select a constable for Precinct 2.

Early voting in the Nov. 7 general election continues through Friday.

Polling places will open at 7 a.m. on election day and will close at 7 p.m. on November 7.

Local races to be decided by voters are as follows:

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

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

State and federal races to be decided will include:

- Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District, Place 2 — Republican candidate Don H. Reavis.
- Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District, Place 1 — Republican candidate Brian Quinn.
- State representative, District 70 — Democratic Party candidate David Counts.
- Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2 — Republican Party candidate Barbara Parker Harvey and Democratic candidate William R. Barr.
- Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1 — Republican Party candidate Charles Holcomb and Libertarian Party candidate Rife Scott Kimler.
- Presiding judge, Court of Criminal Appeals — Republican candidate Sharon Keller and Democratic candidate Bill Vance.
- Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3 — Republican candidate Al Gonzales and Libertarian candidate Lance Smith.
- Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2 — Republican Priscilla Owen and Libertarian Joe Allred Izen Jr.
- Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1 — Republican Nathan Hecht, Libertarian Mike Jacobellis and Green Party candidate Bert G. Levy.
- Railroad commissioner, unexpired term — Republican candidate Michael L. Williams, Libertarian Party candidate Anthony Garcia and Green Party candidate Gary Dugger.
- U.S. representative, District 13 — Republican Mac Thornberry, Democrat Curtis Clinesmith, Libertarian Brad Clardy.
- U.S. senator — Republican Kay Bailey Hutchison, Democrat Gene Kelly, Libertarian Mary J. Ruward and Green Party candidate Douglas S. Sandage.
- President/vice-president — Republican Party candidates George W. Bush/Dick Cheney, Democratic candidates Al Gore/Joe Lieberman, Libertarian Party candidates Harry Browne/Art Oliver, Green Party candidates Ralph Nader/Winona LaDuke and Independent candidates Pat Buchanan/Ezola Foster.

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Birth

Benton Mason

Bryan and Becky Justice are proud to announce the birth of their son, Benton Mason. He was born October 24, 2000 at 5:00 a.m. in University Medical Center. He weighed 7 pounds and 6 ounces and was 22 inches long.

Ben is welcomed home by his grandparents: Dan and Brenda Copeland of Gail and Dee and Janet Justice of Post. His great-grandparents: Bertie Copeland of Gail, Lois Childs of Post, Etta Dickerson of Greenville and Scoot Gilchrist of Ben Wheeler. His aunts: Rika and Dannelle, Uncle Brent, and his dog Rocky.

Ben is named for his great-grandparents: the late Mason and Skeeter (Margaret Benton) Justice.



Amity Study Club hears program on hymns

by Louella Bilberry

Amity Study Club met Oct. 24 in the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church. This was very appropriate as our program was on "Hymns of Faith and Inspiration" by Pamela J. Kennedy. This book tells of the stories behind some of our most familiar hymns.

In keeping with the theme of the night, we answered the roll call with the name(s) of our favorite hymn(s). Most of us couldn't stop with just one.

I will give a condensed review of two old favorites, "A son's challenge — a mother's faith." Civilla and Stillman Martin were a team that worked together to spread the Gospel. He was an ordained Baptist minister when they married. She was a teacher and a musician. She would write hymn texts to match some of his sermons. They traveled, holding Bible schools, conferences and evangelistic meetings throughout the states.

In 1904, they were at a training school when Civilla became ill. Stillman was so concerned for her that he was considering canceling the service for the night, but he was to preach that night. Their son had been listening. He spoke up and said, "Father, don't you think that if God wants you to preach He will take care of Mother?"

Stillman was faithful and after his sermon many came forward and made professions of faith. He hurried home to tell Civilla what God had done. He was greeted by his wife who was much better. In his absence, she had composed a hymn text based on the words of their son. They had a small portable organ they used in their work. Stillman began composing a melody to go with the words. They completed the hymn that night and it was published in 1905 under the title "God Will Take Care of You."

In England in 1840, William Walford, a near blind woodcarver, asked his preacher friend to write down a poem he had been composing in his head. Rev. Salmon made a copy for himself and tucked it away. Three years later in New York he gave the poem to the editor of the New York Observer who was so moved by the prayer/poem he published it and the story of the carver. It wasn't until 1861 that the poem was put to music and published with a collection of other hymns and "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was introduced 21 years after it was written.

A poem written by a poor man in Canada to his ill mother in England was titled "Pray Without Ceasing" and became "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" after it had been put to music.

A young Baptist minister in northern England felt he had to find a more prosperous church for the sake of his growing family. He was very happy to be called to a large church in London. Daily members of the congregation came to tell him of their sorrow and to offer their thanks to him. On the day they were to leave, all their belongings loaded in the wagon, the congregation surrounded the wagon and prayed with their beloved young pastor. As he looked on the tear-stained faces, his wife clasped his hand and he saw her tears. He looked into the faces and said, "Let's unload the wagon." The next Sunday, he preached on Luke 12:15 and then read a poem, "Brotherly Love," he had written. Though he was never paid over \$200 a year he never left the little church. He turned down the presidency of a large Baptist academy and other offers. He is best remembered for his poem that was put to music and retitled, "Blest Be the Tie that Binds."

Our hostesses were Barbara Reece and Jo Ann Miller. Patsy Bilbo was our song leader. Our pianist was Barbara Babb. Thank you all!

Judy's Jabberin'

By Judy B. Bush

I cannot begin to tell all of you what a good time the class of 65 had this past week end. We had a great turnout, at last count 45 of us. I got to see so many I had not seen since we graduated. There will be more to follow, I am supposed to get pictures to share with everyone.

I did receive e-mails from several commenting on how nice everyone in Post was to them. Well of course! Not only will this always be their home, this is Post.



Email- "IF I Had My Life To Live Over Again" by Erma Bombeck

- I would have talked less and listened more.
- I would have invited friends over even if the carpet was stained and the sofa faded.
- I would have taken time to listen to my grandfather ramble about his youth.
- I would have cried and laughed less while watching television and more while watching life.
- I would have gone to bed when I was sick instead of pretending the earth would go into a holding pattern if I weren't there for the day.
- When my husband kissed me impetuously, I would never have said, "Later. Now get washed up for dinner."
- There would have been more "I love you's, more "I'm sorry's, but mostly, given another shot at life, I would seize every minute, look at it and really see it, live it and never give it back".

Progress Report

Modena Farmer is steadily improving. She is in therapy at Lakeside following a hip replacement. I know her family and friends are anxious for her to be home. You get well soon Modena and I love ya.

Birthdays

Friday, November 3: Bo Kimmons, Ronnie Pruitt, Danny Nelson and Diann Heckaman. Saturday, November 4: Tracey Morris, Stacey Morris, Rachel Storo, W.R. Tucker, Luis Ordonez, Shelly Shifflett and Daniel Gonzales. Sunday, November 5: Amy Easterling and Cailee Dolberry. Monday, November 6: Melinda Mason, Ruth Gonzales, Ruth Ann Castaneda and Brody Conner. Tuesday, November 7: Kelli Melton and Celia Mason. Wednesday, November 8, Lupita Ordonez and Cheri McBride; Anniversaries, Fermin and Lorie Rivera and Rene and Shelly Gutierrez. Thursday, November 9: Quannah Maxey, Taylor Squaglia and Jay Gorman

Someone called in to wish Beatriz Mesa happy birthday. She celebrated on November 1.

E-mail: Things It Took Me 50 Years To Learn by Dave Barry

- Never under any circumstances take a sleeping pill and a laxative on the same night.
- People who share their religious views with you almost never want you to share yours with them.
- You should not confuse your career with your life.
- Nobody cares if you can't dance well. Just get up and dance.
- The most powerful force in the universe is gossip.
- You will never find anybody who can give you a clear and compelling reason why we observe daylight savings time.
- You should never say anything to a woman that even remotely suggests that you think she's pregnant unless you can see an actual baby emerging from her at that moment.
- There comes a time when you should stop expecting other people to make a big deal about your birthday. That time is age 11.
- A person who is nice to you but rude to the waiter, is not a nice person.
- Your friends love you anyway.

Till Next Week

Guess this is all for this week. Please call in your news, lots of folks look forward to hearing from you! May God bless each of you!

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Women's Division meeting

by Pauline Clinesmith
The Women's Division of the Post Commerce and Tourism Bureau met recently for their regular meeting.

Several items of business were discussed.

Rodney Tidwell of MAD DADS gave a very interesting program on what they are doing and what they expect to do.

There were 15 members present and two new members, Jana Bullard and Suzy Clary.

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Neighbor to Neighbor

by Sara Wagner, CEA-FCS

4-H'ers Enjoy an Evening on the Town

Last Tuesday, October 24, eleven Garza County 4-H'ers traveled to Lubbock and enjoyed dinner at Skyviews Restaurant. Skyviews is a lab for Tech students majoring in Restaurant, Hotel and Institutional Management which teaches them serving, preparing and management skills. These Tech Students don't hold back, the food is very gourmet and the service is impeccable. It was the perfect place to take 4-H'ers to practice their etiquette and get a taste of some different yet tasty foods.



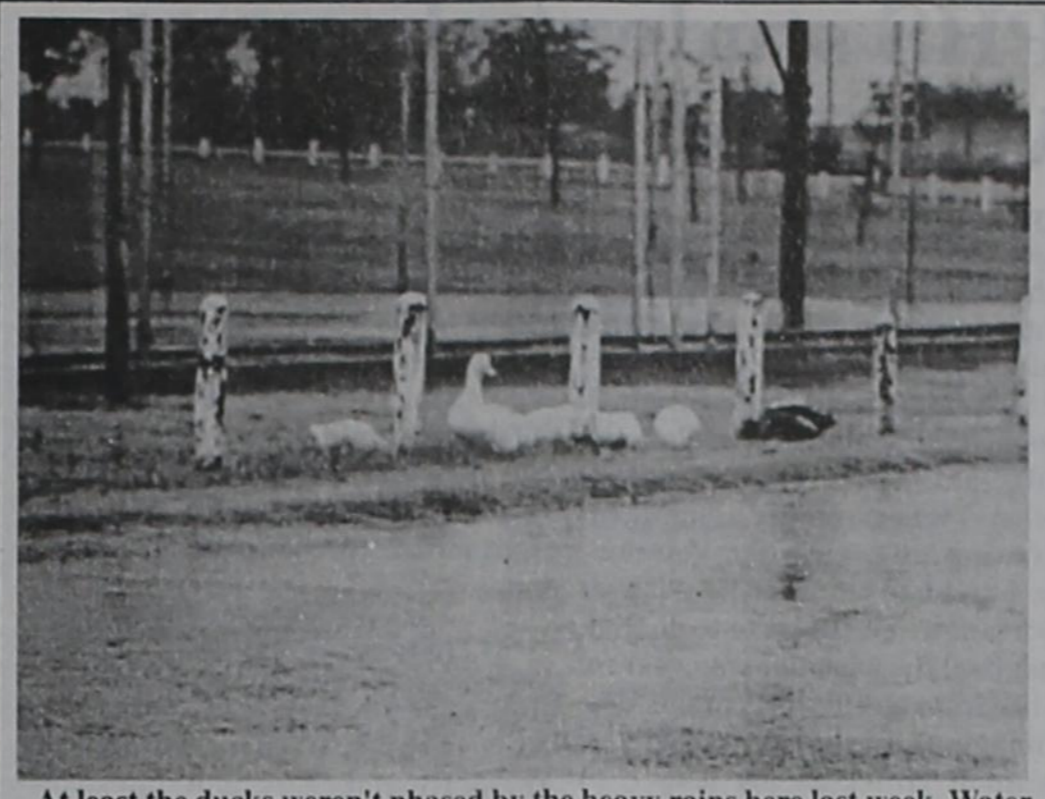
The evening started off with groans when the 4-H'ers looked at menus of French cuisine. As Ashley Henry put it, "none of this sounds good to me." However, the evening quickly picked up as we were served our appetizer, ham and cheese quiche. Everyone loved it! Jarrett Blevins told the waiter, "this is my new favorite food!"

Our second course was a choice of potato leek soup or a salad. Bowls and plates were all empty so it seems they enjoyed that as well. Next came the main course, chicken with white wine sauce or beef tenderloin with red wine sauce. Each person also had a choice of vegetables, asparagus or carrots and squash.

The table suddenly got quite as the 4-H'ers were served. The conversations didn't pick up again until the plates were clean. Finally we were served dessert, crepes suzette or chocolate mousse which caused some confusion with the younger members of our group, "was it really made with a mouse?" I was asked.

Although several of the 4-H'ers thought the chocolate mousse tasted like coffee, they all seemed to thoroughly enjoy the meal. But their favorite part?...guessing how much the bill would be!

It took us over two hours to eat the meal and we left the restaurant stuffed. I encourage all parents to take your children, when they are old enough of course, to a fancy restaurant and let them enjoy a meal. Although it is expensive, it is something they'll remember for a very long time. Bon Appetite!



At least the ducks weren't phased by the heavy rains here last week. Water levels in area ponds and lakes were replenished by the tropical-like storm that left up to six inches of rainfall in the area. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)

Perfect Attendance program at PHS

Post High School is recognizing students through a new "Perfect Attendance Program" presented by the 2000-2001 Leadership Classes led by Coach Dane Vickers.

To be eligible for recognition, students must have no absences for a six-week grading period. At the end of each six-week grading period, a drawing is held. Prizes for the drawing include donations of cash and prizes contributed by local businesses and individuals.

Last six-weeks' winners were Jessica Mason, a \$10 gift certificate to Ammons Printing, and Luis Zubia, a \$75 cash prize. A total of 154 eligible students were present for the drawing.

Program coordinators would like to thank the following businesses and individuals for their participation in lauding Post High School students with perfect attendance: Ammons Printing, Rocker A Well Service, Hudman Furniture, Hotel Garza, Ira Pump & Supply, Palmers, Wells Pharmacy, Radio Shack, The Norman Agency, Kids 'n' Art, Melba Cimental, Roy Willis, Wayne and Alisha McKim, Jay and Sherry Pollard, Diana Graves, James and Sheila Melton, Cain and Anita Abraham, Kenneth Ratke, Wendy and Phil Matthews, Meg Nelson and Judge Giles Dalby.

Hospital board sets stage for potential federal court action

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law suit's demand that candidates must live in the districts in which they are to represent.

Majority board members also opposed the law suit's demand that all five board members be subject for election when the new system begins. They expressed concern that "no one would know how to run the district," and "that no citizens would choose to run for office in some of the precincts if they are required to live in those precincts. Tobias voted against the motion. "They apparently want to keep the status quo," she said.

The board accepted Huffaker's recommendation that the early voting box be moved to the county clerk's office, and told the board that voting places in each precinct should not be a problem.

Majority board members voted to seek more information about the demand for court appointed polling judges. No decision was made on voting locations, with the board requesting negotiation on the matter.

Following the votes, the tone of the meeting turned a bit ugly as Travis began with his accusation that Stults' fees were "black-mail." The board authorized Huffaker to seek a statement from Stults on his fees, and insisted that those fees are negotiable.

Miler questioned if Stults even existed. Huffaker responded that he had checked Stults' credentials and found that the Houston lawyer is listed in the "blue book," but said he couldn't find Stults' phone number, although the two lawyers reportedly have communicated on numerous occasions since the filing of the law suit.

Kirkpatrick quizzed Carol Tobias by asking if Tobias had spoken with Stults. Tobias replied that she had in fact spoken with him.

In the public comment portion of the meeting, Joann Travis expressed objection to the cost of the litigation. Tobias pointed out that there would be no litigation had the board performed its duties by implementing the 1997 agreement. She reminded board members that the agreement and court order required the board to implement the plan, in response to board member complaints that the failure was due to the plaintiffs.

Travis asked Carol Tobias if she and the plaintiffs were "trying to punish" the district with this lawsuit. Tobias answered that "we are seeking legal justice, rather than punishment."

Travis proposed that Stults' Lubbock associate in the case, David Moody, be contacted and pay him \$15,000 to settle the suit instead of Stults.

Editor's Note: See related story on Page 9 for response from the plaintiff's attorney.

FALL 2000 GARZA COUNTY BOLL WEEVIL TRAPPING

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RJ2 - 1 mile North of Mason's Farm Store	409	463	57	57	57
RJ3 - 1 mile North Hwy. 380 on C. R. 212	55	130	11	4	11
RJ4 - 1 mile North 380 on C.R. 212, 1/2 West	28	73	58	99	58
RG1 - 5 miles NE on Hwy 651, 1 mile West	2	5	8	13	0
RG2 - 5 miles NE, 1 mile West, 1 1/2 North	64	376	25	27	5
RG3 - 5 miles NE, 1 mile West, 1 1/2 North, 1/2 East	19	412	24	23	1
RG4 - 5 miles NE, 1 mile West, 1 1/2 North, 1 East	4	427	65	35	5
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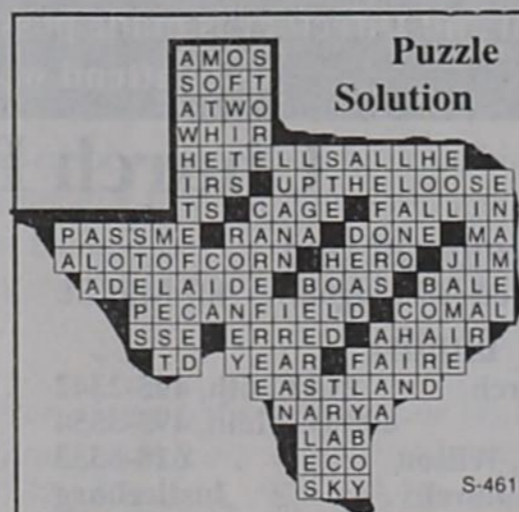
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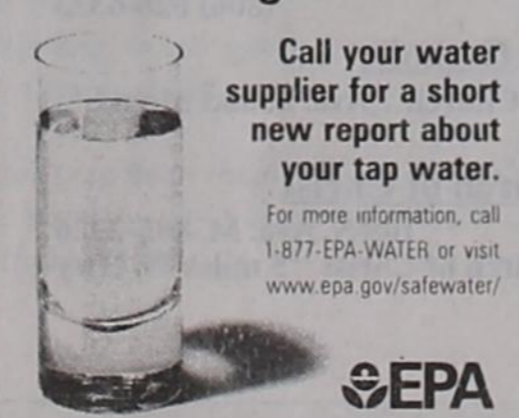
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4-H Food Show.....

..... will be Saturday, November 4, at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. The public is invited to attend the awards ceremony and Tasting Bee at 10:30 a.m.

Flu Shot Clinic

There will be a Flu Shot Clinic for those 65 and older, Monday, November 6, 9:00 a.m. - 3 p.m., at the Extension Office. The cost of the flu shot will be \$5.00. The pneumonia shot will be \$7.00. A Tetanus shot will be free with either the flu or pneumonia shot.

4-H Animal Project Selection

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

4-H Club Meeting....

.....will be held at 7:00 p.m., November 7, at the showbarn.

Home for Holidays

Mark your calendars now for the Home for the Holidays program Tuesday, November 28 at 7:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Registration fee will be \$5 at the door but you need to call 495-4400 to preregister for a cookbook.

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A daughter calls her mother to tell her that a friend at the grocery store heard from the sacker that the bank president's wife told him that there was not enough money in the bank to pay everyone if they wanted to withdraw their cash. Each individual in that chain, except the wife of the bank president, who after all knows how to keep a secret, has called or spoken to at least five people who in turn have spoken to five and so on... They didn't need no stinkin' Internet!

Before you know it, people have lined up outside the bank. It has not opened yet but the employees are inside working and occasionally cast a furtive glance towards the windows at the restless looking crowd gathering outside. The atmosphere around the bank is charged and it would take the least little provocative comment to set it ablaze with panic.

In cities further east there have already been "runs" on the banks. Depositors demanding their money were being turned away. Fortunes that had existed for generations, at least on paper, were disappearing like armadillos at a racetrack.

It was just before opening time that the Chairman of the Board of Directors of the bank, a well known rancher in the area, drove up in a large sedan followed by an even larger armored car. Out of the back of the truck four burly security guards stepped out, armed and ready for whatever might arise. More importantly, they each carried two large sacks of the type that bank robbers put the loot in when robbing such places. The bags were obviously full and heavy as the big men strained to haul them into the bank.

The Chairman stood with his arms folded in front of him watching the proceedings and gauging the mood of the crowd much like he would size up a herd of cattle at auction. He could tell if cattle were going to bolt, or whether they would calmly file into the chutes to be trucked away. He could sense the same type of feeling from the crowd, still a little uneasy. He decided to speak.

"There is plenty of money in the bank as all of you can plainly see. Now go on home and back to work and let the folks inside get ready to open up," he said.

At first there was no movement but then a couple of the original doomsayers tuned and began to walk away. The Chairman breathed a sigh of relief as the rest of the crowd followed, much like a herd following the lead cow.

My dad tells me that to this day he is not sure whether those bags contained money or perhaps just a lot of old copies of the San Angelo Standard Times. Nonetheless, it was a bold move that paid off. There was no run on that bank and scores of people managed to get through the Depression a little better off than they would have had the bank been plundered.

The same type of panic has hit us here in Lubbock and on the South Plains. There is a shortage of Flu vaccine. Never have I seen such an interest in getting flu shots. There is nothing quite like a shortage of something to ensure that everybody wants it.

People that I normally have to beg are trying to bribe me for an injection. So for I have stood fast, which is easy because we don't have any either.

The health tip? Stay calm. If you don't get a flu shot, just take more precautions with hand washing and hygiene and be mindful when you are in crowded places or avoid them when possible. If you are not in a high risk group, that is if you are basically in pretty good health, be mindful that your Doctor will try to treat those at risk for serious illness first. Be calm. Don't buck in the chutes. Easy now.

If I thought I could get away with it I'd have a FedEx truck with the words flu vaccine pull up and unload a few large boxes. If only I thought I could....

Thank you for spending this time with me.
Winston Whitt, MD

Obituaries

Juanita Laverne Middleton

Services for Juanita Laverne Middleton, 60, of Slaughterville, Okla., were held Monday, Oct. 30, 2000, at 2 p.m. in the McMahan's Funeral Home in Noble, Okla., with the Rev. Vernon Daniels officiating.

Burial followed in the Fairview Maguire Cemetery under the direction of the McMahan's Funeral Home. She died Oct. 26 at her home. Born in Lamesa April 13, 1940, she married James Middleton Oct. 5, 1962, in Lubbock. The couple moved from Oklahoma City to Slaughterville in 1981.

She enjoyed gospel music, cactus gardening, collecting dolls and angels and spending time with her children and grandchildren.

Survivors include her husband; three children, Robbi Davis and her husband, Mark, and Julie Boyce and her husband, Michael, all of Little Axe, and Michael Middleton and Corinne England of Slaughterville;

Five grandchildren, Matthew Miller, Christopher Miller, Eric Davis, Ryan Boyce and Melanie Davis; her parents, Truman and Dorothy Goss of Seminole;

Two brothers, Doyle Goss and Ida Faye of Seminole and Charles Goss and Carolyn of Lexington; and three sisters, Geneva Belongia of Post, Joyce McNew and her husband, Denton, of Seminole and Linda Goss of Seminole.

She was preceded in death by her son-in-law, Don Boyce. Pallbearers were Matthew Miller, Christopher Miller, Eric Davis, Mark Davis, Michael Burns and Stan Davis.

PHS student observes Veterans' Day meaning

by Laci Williams

As a teen citizen, I can say that my life has been great. I've spent the last eighteen years in good health, with a good family, good friends, a good town, and a good school: a life in which blessings were handed to me left and right.

When I was given the assignment of writing an article for Veterans' Day, I tried to think of how it was important to me. In order to do that, I imagined the past eighteen years of my life from a different perspective.

I imagined maybe having someone like Adolf Hitler as my leader, or living in a place where I could be persecuted for my religion, color, or background. I pictured having to pledge allegiance to a foreign flag, or singing a national anthem of a different country.

I imagined having to kiss my dad goodbye as he left for war across the world, not knowing for sure if he'd

ever come back. After picturing my life like this, I then realized that this scenario was real for so many people.

The little kids who had to say goodbye to their daddies, the wives who spent their days praying their husband would return safely, and the men who left those homes, those children, and those wives to go and fight for the freedom and life I have today.

So now, in my prayers, I thank God for the free country that I live in, I ask Him to protect those who don't have the freedom I do, and I thank Him for every man that gave the courage, the time, the blood, or the life that paid for the freedom I have now.

So this Veterans' Day, every citizen of this great country should realize how truly blessed they are, and give thanks to those men and women that gave us the freedom we have today.

Golden Plains Care Center News

by Sandy Smith

Happy Halloween! Where did October go?

I am not sure but look out, here comes November. We are all ready for the holidays and very excited. It is a very busy time of year for all of us as we slide right into Christmas.

All the little goblins from My Special Place were here Tuesday morning. We loved seeing them all dressed up! We also had our Halloween party at 2 p.m. In case you have not heard, we dressed up as the Wizard of Oz characters.

We would like to thank the Garza Theatre for loaning us the costumes for this fun event, including the "ruby slippers." Next year we may do Cinderella. We had our Bible study as usual at 3 p.m. following the party with Pastor Jerry Graham from Calvary Baptist Church.

Everyone has been very busy preparing for the fun-filled holiday. Most of our art classes have been dedicated to the hat making and the masks. Mable Robinson celebrated her birthday this past week. When asked her age, she laughed and replied, "I can't remember!" When asked what year she was born in, she replied, "Ugh... that was too long ago!"

Happy birthday! Mable is 94! I would like to take this opportunity to welcome a new resident, Sam Tugel. Sam, it is a pleasure to have you as part of our home. I will be out the week of Nov. 6-10, so I will not have the Golden Plains News column that week.

We will double the column when I get back (just kidding, editor). I hope everyone had a safe Halloween.

Here is one last Halloween joke: Where do zombies go for vacation? The Dead Sea! Keep smiling!

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THE VINEGAR BIBLE: IN 1717, AN EDITION HAD THE 20TH CHAPTER OF LUKE HEADED AS "THE PARABLE OF THE VINEGAR" INSTEAD OF "VINEYARD."

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THE TREACLE BIBLE: AN EDITION IN 1568 HAD JEREMIAH 8:22 READING "IS THERE NO TREACLE IN GILEAD" INSTEAD OF "BALM."

THE PRINTERS BIBLE: IN 1702 THE 119TH PSALM, VERSE 161, READ: "PRINTERS HAVE PERSECUTED ME WITHOUT CAUSE" INSTEAD OF "PRINCES."

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NEXT WEEK: WOMEN'S LIB IN THE BIBLE?!!

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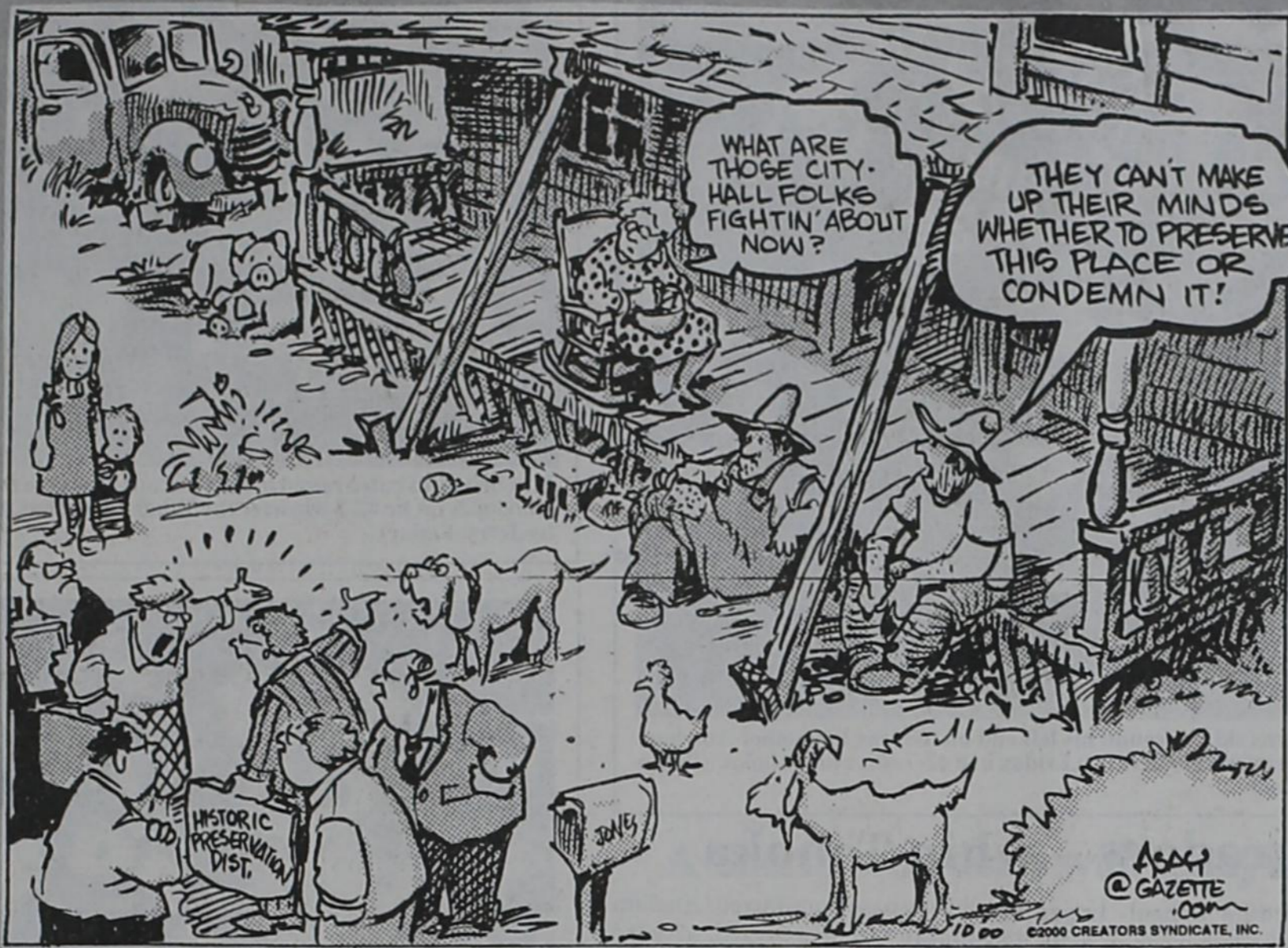
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Opinions



And thereafter, political greed and exploitation

by Walter E. Williams

Suppose you and I go to a fancy restaurant. Under which scheme would it would be more likely for me to order a \$150 bottle of Chateau LaFite Rothschild Bordeaux wine, chateaubriand and a \$200 bottle of Chateau d'Yquem to go with our dessert — if you're paying the bill, or if we each pay for what we order?



The answer's a no-brainer. If you're paying the bill, why not sock it to you? That scenario explains why Republican who calls for tax cuts don't enjoy more popularity. It also explains successes Democrats have in exploiting the issue.

According to the most recent U.S. Treasury Department figures, in 1997 the top 1 percent of income-earners (those with income of \$250,000 and higher) paid 33 percent of all federal income taxes. The top 5 percent of income-earners (\$108,000 and over) paid 52 percent, and the top 50 percent (\$36,000 and over) paid 96 percent of income taxes.

Guess what the bottom 50 percent of income earners paid? If you're among those who pay little or no federal income taxes, what do you care about tax cuts? Moreover, if you think tax cuts pose a threat to government handout programs, you might be openly hostile and support Al Gore's silly "risky scheme" talk.

So many Americans paying little or no federal taxes makes for a natural spending constituency. It's like me in the restaurant: What do I care about extravagance if you're footing the bill? We hear political demagogues like Vice President Gore and Rep. Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., in their efforts to create class warfare and envy, whine about "winners in life's lottery" and "tax cuts for the rich."

It would seem that by now at least one of our know-it-all media elite might have asked: At what income level does being a "winner in life's lottery" begin? How much income qualifies one as being rich?

Does being rich start with that 5 percent of Americans who earn

\$108,000? Or, does it start at \$250,000? Why not some media interviews with men earning \$108,000 or \$250,000 a year with a wife, two youngsters in college, a home mortgage and car payments and ask, "Do you feel rich?"

A \$100,000 or \$200,000 yearly salary is nice, but it hardly qualifies as rich. It's not even yacht, Learjet and country club money. Another question not asked of "risky scheme" politicians is how can a person be given an income tax cut if he doesn't pay any income taxes?

Gore's idea of targeting tax cuts to the lowest 50 percent of taxpayers is a devious scheme to avoid tax cuts — and keep more money in Washington. This year's political demagogues whine that treatment decisions should be left with patients and their doctors, not some HMO "bean counter."

But early in the Clinton-Gore administration, there was that failed attempt to socialize our entire health-care system. Had Clinton and Gore been successful, there would have been government "bean counters" who would have been dictating to doctors.

Right now if you are dissatisfied with your HMO, you can purchase other forms of medical insurance or even pay out of your pocket. Under the Clinton-Gore socialized medicine scheme, those options would not have existed.

You would have no recourse to federal government medical edicts. In countries with socialized medicine, the government decides who does and who does not get medical treatment.

For example, 20 percent of kidney dialysis centers in Europe, and 50 percent in England, refuse to treat patients over 65. Ignorance creates a fertile climate for demagogues; maybe that's why politicians give so much support to the public education establishment.

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It took just one Marine, one ship

by Vin Suprynowicz

(Continued from last week)

Lee was a nut for gunnery drills. "He tested every gunnery-book rule with exercises," Lippman writes, "and ordered gunnery drills under odd conditions — turret firing with relief crews, anything that might simulate the freakishness of battle."

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As it turned out, the American destroyers need not have worried about carrying enough fuel to get home. By 11 p.m. on Nov. 13, outnumbered better than three-to-one by a massive Japanese task force driving down from the northwest, every one of the four American destroyers had been shot up, sunk, or set aflame, while the South Dakota — known throughout the fleet as a jinx ship — managed to damage some lesser Japanese vessels but continued to be plagued with electrical and fire control problems.

"Washington was now the only intact ship left in the force," Lippman writes. "In fact, at that moment Washington was the entire U.S. Pacific Fleet. She was the only barrier between (Admiral) Kondo's ships and Guadalcanal. If this one ship did not stop 14 Japanese ships right then and there, America might lose the war. ..."

"On Washington's bridge, Lieutenant Ray Hunter still had the conn. He had just heard that South Dakota had gone off the air and had seen (destroyers) Walke and Preston "blow sky high." Dead ahead lay their burning wreckage, while hundreds of men were swimming in the water and Japanese ships were racing in.

"Hunter had to do something. The course he took now could decide the war. 'Come left,' he said, and Washington straightened out on a course parallel to the one on which she (had been) steaming. Washington's rudder change put the burning destroyers between her and the enemy, preventing her from being silhouetted by their fires.

"The move made the Japanese momentarily cease fire. Lacking radar, they could not spot Washington behind the fires. ..."

"Meanwhile, Washington raced through burning seas. Everyone could see dozens of men in the water clinging to floating wreckage. Flag Lieutenant Raymond Thompson said, "Seeing that burning, sinking ship as it passed so close aboard, and realizing that there was nothing I, or anyone, could do about it, was a devastating experience."

"Commander Ayrault, Washington's executive officer, clambered down ladders, ran to Bart Stoodley's damage-control post, and ordered Stoodley to cut loose life rafts. That saved a lot of lives. But the men in the water had some fight left in them. One was heard to scream, 'Get after them, Washington!'"

Sacrificing their ships by maneuvering into the path of torpedoes intended for the Washington, the captains of the American destroyers

had given China Lee one final chance. The Washington was fast, undamaged, and bristling with 16-inch guns. And, thanks to Lt. Hunter's course change, she was also now invisible to the enemy.

Blinded by the smoke and flames, the Japanese battleship Kirishima turned on her searchlights, illuminating the helpless South Dakota, and opened fire. Finally, standing out in the darkness, Lee and Davis could positively identify an enemy target.

The Washington's main batteries opened fire at 12 midnight precisely. Her new SG radar fire control system worked perfectly. Between midnight and 12:07 a.m., Nov. 14, the "last ship in the U.S. Pacific Fleet" stunned the battleship Kirishima with 75, 16-inch shells. For those aboard the Kirishima, it rained steel.

In seven minutes, the Japanese battleship was reduced to a funeral pyre. She went down at 3:25 a.m., the first enemy sunk by an American battleship since the Spanish-American War. Stunned, the remaining Japanese ships withdrew. Within days, Yamamoto and his staff reviewed their mounting losses and recommended the unthinkable to the emperor — withdrawal from Guadalcanal.

But who remembers, today, how close-run a thing it was — the ridge held by a single Marine, the battle won by the last American ship?

In the autumn of 1942.

When the Hasbro Toy Co. called up some years back, asking permission to put the retired colonel's face on some kid's doll, Mitchell Paige thought they must be joking.

But they weren't. That's his mug, on the little Marine they call "GI Joe."

And now you know.

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"When great changes occur in history, when great principles are involved, as a rule the majority are wrong. The minority are right."
— Eugene V. Debs (1855-1926)

"The whole aim of practical politics is to keep the populace alarmed — and thus clamorous to be led to safety — by menacing it with an endless series of hobgoblins, all of them imaginary." — H.L. Mencken

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Genesis of the U.S. "civil war"

by Llewellyn H. Rockwell Jr.

If we were to recommend one work [on the Civil War] — based on originality, brevity, depth, and sheer rhetorical power — it would be Charles Adams's time bomb of a book, "When in the Course of Human Events: Arguing the Case for Southern Secession" (Rowman & Littlefield, 2000). In a mere 242 pages, he shows that almost everything we thought we knew about the war between the states is wrong.

Adams believes that both Northern and Southern leaders were lying when they invoked slavery as a reason for secession and for the war. Northerners were seeking a moral pretext for an aggressive war, while Southern leaders were seeking a threat more concrete than the Northern tariff to justify a drive to political independence. This was rhetoric designed for mass consumption. Adams amasses an amazing amount of evidence — including remarkable editorial cartoons and political speeches — to support his thesis that the war was really about government revenue.

Consider this little tidbit from the pro-Lincoln New York Evening Post, March 2, 1861 edition:

"That either the revenue from duties must be collected in the ports of the rebel states, or the port must be closed to importations from abroad, is generally admitted. If neither of these things be done, our revenue laws are substantially repealed; the sources which supply our treasury will be dried up; we shall have no money to carry on the government; the nation will become bankrupt before the next crop of corn is ripe. There will be nothing to furnish means of subsistence to the army; nothing to keep our navy afloat; nothing to pay the salaries of public officers; the present order of things must come to a dead stop."

"What, then, is left for our government? Shall we let the seceding states repeal the revenue laws for the whole Union in this manner? Or will the government choose to consider all foreign commerce destined for those ports where we have no custom-houses and no collectors as contraband, and stop it, when offering to enter the collection districts from which our authorities have been expelled?"

This is not an isolated case. British newspapers, whether favoring the North or South, said the same thing: the feds invaded the South to collect revenue. Indeed, when Karl Marx said the following, he was merely stating what everyone who followed events closely knew: "The war between the North and the South is a tariff war. The war is further, not for any principle, does not touch the question of slavery, and in fact turns on the Northern lust for sovereignty."

Marx was only wrong on one point: the war was about principle at one level. It was about the principle of self-determination and the right not to be taxed to support an alien regime. Another way of putting this is that the war was about freedom, and the South was on the same side as the original American revolutionaries.

Interesting, isn't it, that today, those who favor banning Confederate symbols and continue to demonize an entire people's history also tend to be partisans of the federal government in all its present political struggles? Not much has changed in 139 years. Adams's book goes a long way toward telling the truth about this event, for anyone who cares to look at the facts.

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'Lopes run over Bulldogs 42-7

by Wes Burnett

It took a few minutes last Friday for the Post Antelopes to get started, but when they did they poured it on in a 42-7 district win here against Tahoka.

The scoring opened up early in the second quarter the 'Lope offense found the key with a sustained drive to the two yard line, when Jeremy Baker rammed through defenders to the end zone. The point after attempt failed and with 10:47 left in the half the 'Lopes led 6-0.

The Bulldogs made into Post territory, and on third Tyrone Jefferson made a big defensive play, setting up a fourth down and goal at the eight yard line. The Bulldog field goal attempt failed.

The 'Lopes got the ball back and on the first play Mitchell Mills ripped off a 20 yard run, getting the 'Lopes out of the box. The 82 yard scoring drive was capped by Mills going the final three yards into the end zone, the 'Lopes led 12-0 with 3:15 left in the half. Mills also got the ball for the two point conversion, putting the team out front 14-0.

With 1:28 left in the first half, the offense roared down the field, with quarterback Michael Huff getting the final yard on a keeper. The point after failed and the 'Lopes led 20-0.

Second Half Blast

In the third quarter Huff threw a 35 yard pass to Hector Reyna for the next touchdown. Huff took the ball in for the two point conversion and with 8:01 left in the quarter the 'Lopes 28-0.

The Post defense shined throughout the night, including a pass interception by Huff late in the third quarter. That defensive play set up another 'Lope touchdown drive. Jefferson took the ball into the end zone from 16 yards out. Roland Castaneda kicked the extra point, and the 'Lopes took a commanding 35-0 lead.

The Bulldogs couldn't penetrate the Post defense, punting the ball. Two plays later C.J. Sims fumbled and the Bulldogs got another chance at the Post 45 yard line. Mills sacked the quarterback on third down, forcing a punt.

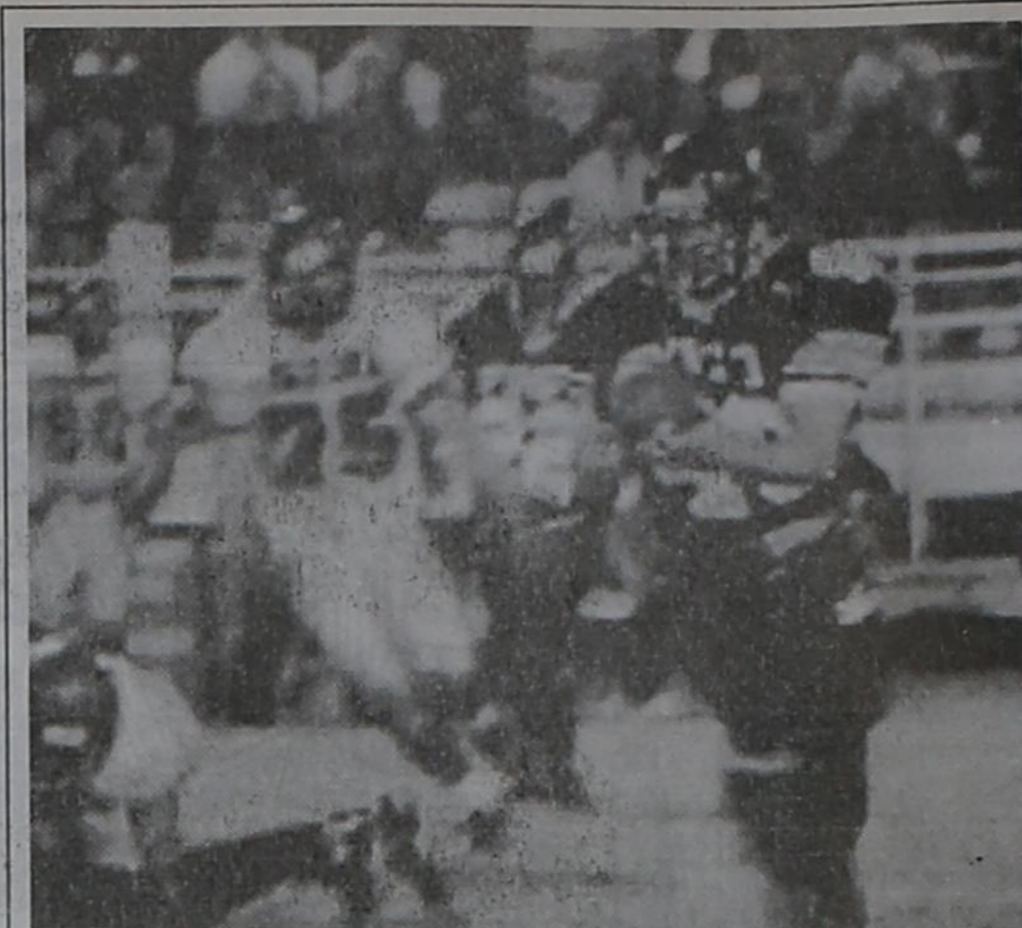
The Bulldogs finally got a score with 9:51 in the game on a long pass play. Their extra point sealed the Tahoka scoring at 7.

With 5:37 left in the game quarterback Brody Robertson took over and moved the ball down the field, with 3:56 left in the game Jonathan Curtis ripped off a 26 yard scamper to the end zone. Castaneda added the final point to the 42-7.

The 'Lopes travel to New Deal Friday for a 7:30 p.m. kickoff. Post and New Deal are tied for second place in district competition, both having one loss and two wins. Idalou leads the district with no losses and will face Post on November 10.



Jonathan Curtis skirts around his left end on the way to another Antelope first down during action here last Friday in a 42-7 win over Tahoka. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Mitchell Mills cuts around his left end on the way to the end zone for the Post Antelopes in the 42-7 win over the Tahoka Bulldogs here last Friday. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)

8th graders whip Tahoka

The Post Middle School 'Lopes grounded Tahoka last week in a 40-16 home game.

Scoring drives included a four-play, 60-yard drive capped off by a 55-yard

touchdown pass from Jarred Grisham to Quintan Odom; a 9-yard, 67-yard drive finished off by a one-yard run by Jett Lott; a six-play, 32-yard drive with a four-yard touchdown run by Lott; a 1-play, 30-yard drive with a 30-yard touchdown run by Lott; an 84-yard kick return for a touchdown; and a three-play, 70-yard scoring drive finished off by a 62-yard run by Lott.

"After a sluggish first half, the eighth grade 'Lopes came out and took control of the game," said Coach Mike Martin. "The 'Lope defense held the Bulldogs to one touchdown the second half. It was a total team effort for the 'Lopes in all phases of the game."

Cited by the coach as having an outstanding offensive game were Grisham, Lott and Odom; outstanding defensive game, Steve Rivera, Ryan Babb and Tony Garay; and outstanding special teams play, Israel Landa, Randon Blacklock and Lott.

The team earned a total of 308 offensive yards.



Post Antelope defenders kept the Tahoka Bulldogs bottled up all night last Friday. Jonathan Curtis (22) is on the bottom of this pile with help from Clinton Curtis (84) and Mitchell Mills (40). Patrick Gonzales (75) and C.J. Sims (45) join in the action. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Tyrone Jefferson (32) keeps his balance on a run for the Post Antelopes during the 42-7 win over Tahoka last Friday. Clinton Curtis (84) gets a block on the play. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



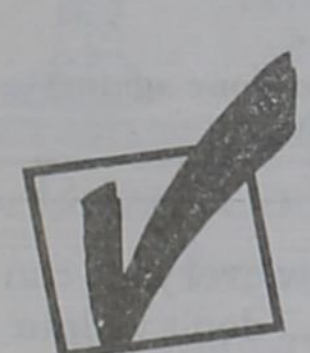
Antelope head coach Richard Gorman gives Post players special instructions during the district win here last Friday over Tahoka. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Post Middle School Cross Country runners competing at the District Meet last week (October 28) are (back row, left to right) Meagan Hoover, Lyndee Strawn, Courtney Copeland, Courtney Short, Kayla Morris, Mendy Morgan, Christin Collier, Kaycee Gorman, (front row) Christina Zellmar, Jeneé Lott, Donae Dalby, Kayla Dunn and Sunnie Barbosa. (Photo by Susan Strawn)



And they're off... Post Middle School cross country team members get ready at the starting line during the District Meet in Sundown October 28. (Photo by Susan Strawn)

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Kenny Ratke

November 7th

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(Condado de) GARZA COUNTY, TEXAS

NOVEMBER 7, 2000 (7 de noviembre de 2000)

Sample

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INSTRUCTION NOTE: Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. You may cast a straight-party vote (that is, cast a vote for all the nominees of one party) by placing an "X" in the square beside the name of the party of your choice. If you cast a straight-party vote for all the nominees of one party and also cast a vote for an opponent of one of that party's nominees, your vote for the opponent will be counted as well as your vote for all the other nominees of the party for which the straight-party vote was cast. (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION: Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando una "X" en el espacio cuadrado a la izquierda del nombre del candidato. Usted podra votar por todos los candidatos de un solo partido politico ("straight ticket") marcando una "X" en el espacio cuadrado a la izquierda del nombre de ese partido politico. Si usted vota por uno de los partidos politicos y tambien vota por el contrincante de uno de los candidatos de dicho partido politico se contara su voto por el contrincante tanto como su voto por todos los demas candidatos del partido politico de su preferencia.)

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County Attorney (Procurador del Condado)		<input type="checkbox"/> Leslie C. Acker				
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Sheriff (Sherife)	<input type="checkbox"/> Jon Smith	<input type="checkbox"/> Kenny Ratke				
County Tax Assessor/Collector (Asesor/Colector de Impuestos del Condado)		<input type="checkbox"/> Jeanette Hodges				
County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1 (Comisionado del Condado, Precinto Num. 1)		<input type="checkbox"/> Lee Norman				
Constable, Precinct No. 1 (Condestable, Precinto Num. 1)		<input type="checkbox"/> Daniel Yarbrow				
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County Clerk

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Tax Assessor

Lee Norman,
Commissioner, Precinct 1

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Constable Precinct 1


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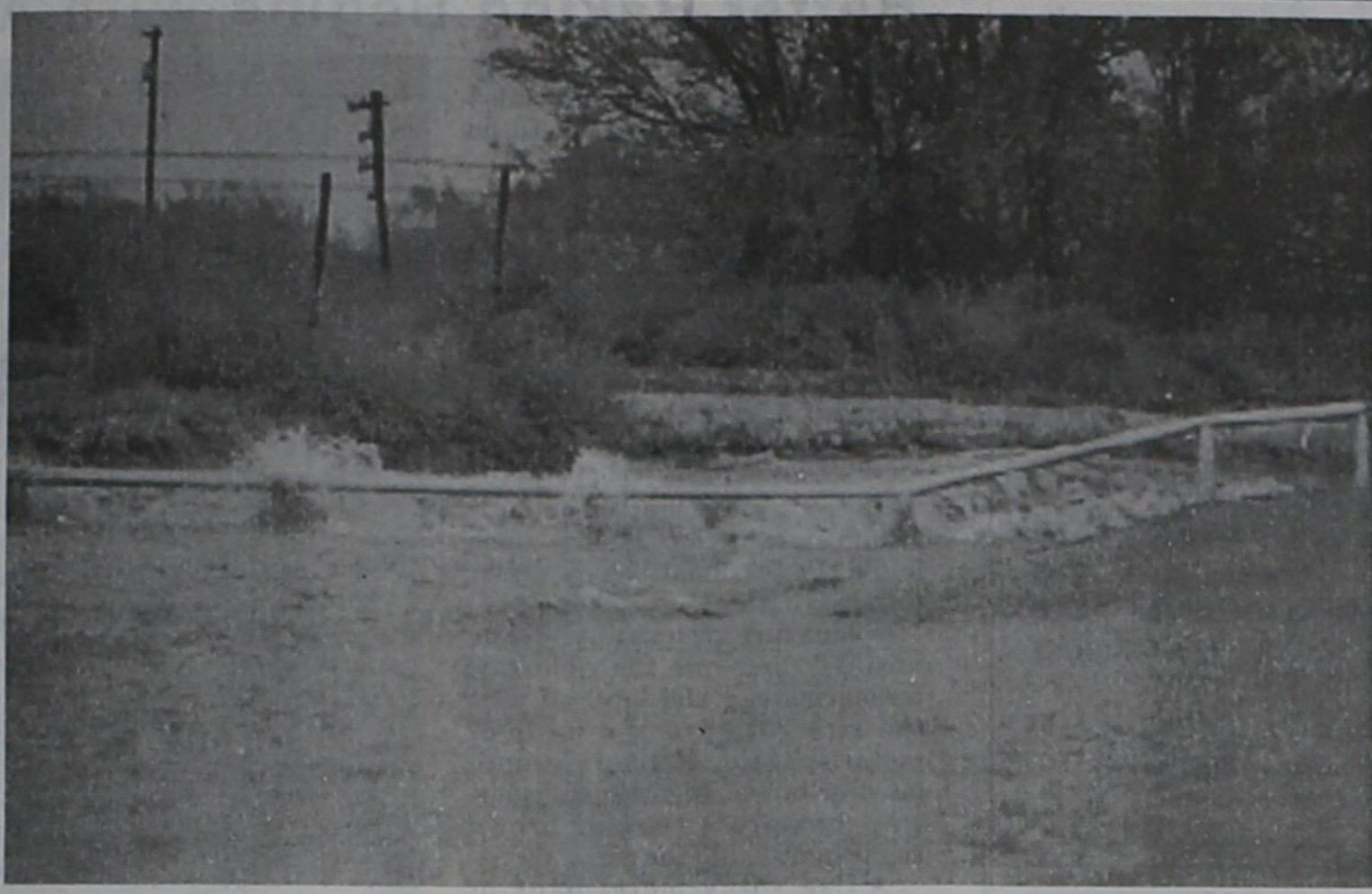
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Gates Foundation helps Library with computers

The Post Public Library is celebrating the arrival of public access computing. With a grant from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, the library has purchased computers for a new computer lab equipped with two new Gateway computers with Internet connections.

Laser printers also have been purchased. An open house celebrating the new library additions will be conducted Tuesday from 4:30-5:30 p.m. Trainers from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation will demonstrate the use of the computer equipment.

The new computer hardware adds to the library's growing infrastructure, providing a full-time connection to the state's public information service. Future plans include the installation of an automated library system.



Storm water rushed through the streets of Post last Wednesday (October 29), creating waterfalls near the South Lake. The rainstorm created problems for area cotton farmers, at least those who still have cotton in the fields, but brought desperately needed moisture to the area. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)

Stults responds to hospital district board's complaints

by Wes Burnett

In response to last week's public comments by Garza County Hospital District board members regarding the legal challenge to the current at-large election system, The Post Dispatch asked a series of questions to Houston lawyer Tom Stults, who is representing plaintiffs Bertha Fuentes and Frank Tobias.

Regarding the board's apparent refusal to accept the 5-0 district plan, Mr Stults said, "The 4/1 plan (which is preferred by majority board members) might be workable, and certainly more convenient. But their demonstrated fear is that any change might upset the status quo." Stults also pointed out that the City of Post has successfully administered a five district council election system for years, and the proposed hospital district boundaries are very similar to those established by the city.

Concerning the board's rejection of the requirement for candidates to live in the district in which they intend to represent, Stults replied, "God forbid that a minority might get elected to the Board - which they know will happen under an equitable plan."

On the issue of the board's rejection that all five board positions be placed on the ballot in the first election held under the new district alignment, Stults emphasized, "The stated reasoning is that no one will have enough experience to run the District. The implication, however, is that 'the good old boys' will be gone."

"You see, they pay out an annual \$300,000 to subsidize healthcare here, and they pay an administrative staff to run the District. Board members set policy, administrators are paid to keep things running in good order."

"The issue here that all of the current members of the board were elected through a system that has been declared unconstitutional and in direct violation of a court order. When the new system is implemented, all board members should be elected under that system, then staggered elections can be scheduled in the future," Stults added.

About the board's decision to request the county clerk conduct the early voting, Stults said, "Ostensibly, the Board has conceded the need for a different location for early voting, but they also know the County Clerk will refuse. I, for one, am underwhelmed at their concession."

On the board's request to negotiate the location of voting places, apparently preferring centralized locations instead of voting places within each district, Stults comments, "I fail to see what there is to negotiate here. It seems as if they want voters in any given sub-district to travel to some other location to vote for a candidate who resides in that particular district."

Regarding individual board member personal attacks on Stults, he replied, "I'm saddened, because I believe it is beneath their dignity to attack me personally. I must be doing something right, however."

"I'm perfectly willing to let Judge Cummings decide what my fees should be," Stults said in response to board president Mike Travis' complaints about legal fees. He added, "It must be a phantom lawyer who is signing my name to pleadings and using my bar member number. It would be much better if all concerned would concentrate on the merits of the case, the four corners of the pleadings, the facts, and the law."

"Carrying on 'business as usual' after Judge Cummings' Order was signed is what caused all this. The Plaintiffs didn't cause it, I didn't cause it, and the people of Garza County didn't cause it. It was a rank disregard for the Law and for the best interests of the people of Garza County which has created this situation. Personal attacks on my clients and me, and ongoing efforts to cast blame elsewhere, will not change that."

SPCAA offers special help

The South Plains Community Action Association (SPCAA) has announced its policy for free and reduced-priced meals served under the Child and Adult Care Food Program.

Each facility and the SPCAA have a copy of the policy, which is open for public inspection. Day care facilities include the Shaping Success Head Start, 212 S. Avenue E in Post.

The information each household provides is confidential and is used only in determining eligibility and data verification. In the child nutrition programs administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, no child is discriminated against because of race, color, sex, national origin, age, religion, political belief or disability.

Anyone who believes they have been discriminated against should write to: Director, Civil Rights Division, MC E-609, Texas Department of Human Services, P.O. Box 149030, Austin, TX 78714-9030 or the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C., 20250.

The Day it Rained



South Lake picked up a ton of water during last Wednesday's (October 29) rainstorm. Most of the Avenues and Hwy 84 were running swiftly with storm water toward the lake. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)

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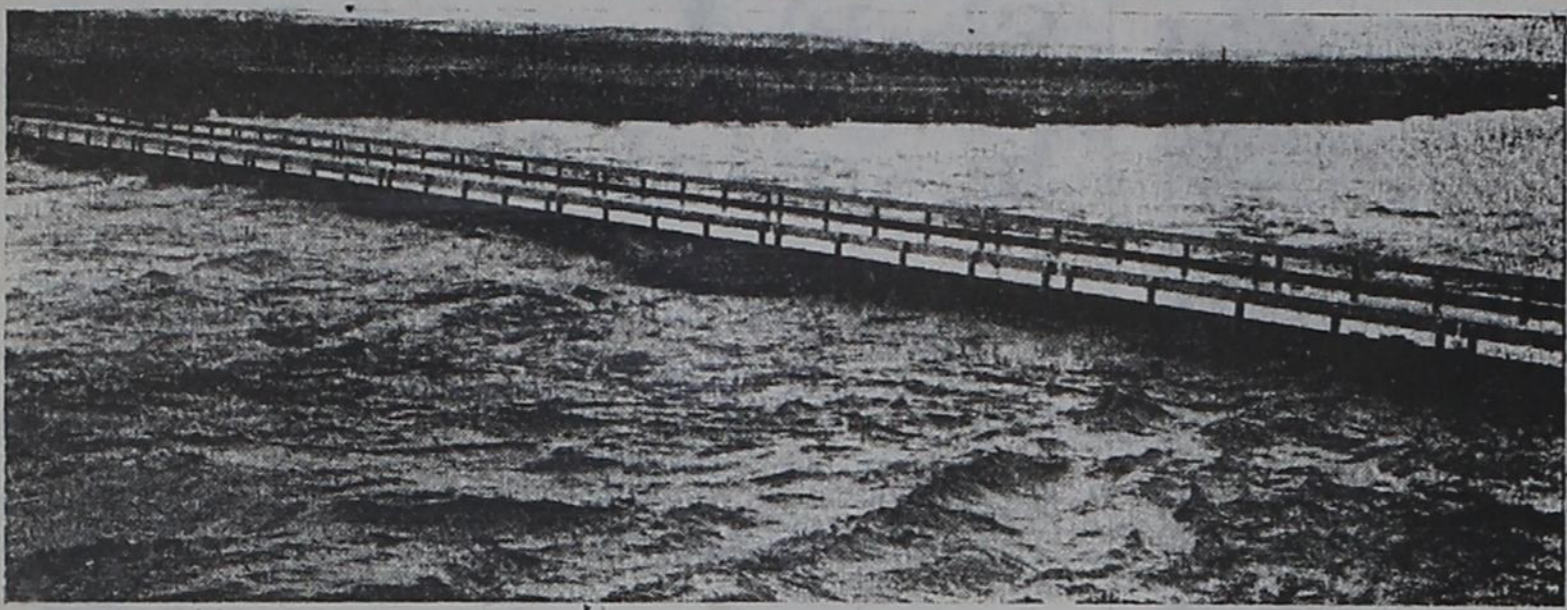
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Editor's Note: Mary Miller called to remind us that the last time water flowed near the top of the Brazos River bridge at Justiceburg was in 1955, and that The Post Dispatch had photos in its September 29, 1955 issue.



The water filled the streets last Wednesday (October 29) with flooding reported on area roadways. The tropical-like storm unloaded up to six inches of rain in the area. The rain gauge at The Post Dispatch measured more than 3.5 inches between 6 a.m. and noon. (Photo by Thomas Zachary)

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE FOR THE COUNTY OF GARZA PROPOSED ON-SITE SEWAGE FACILITY ORDER

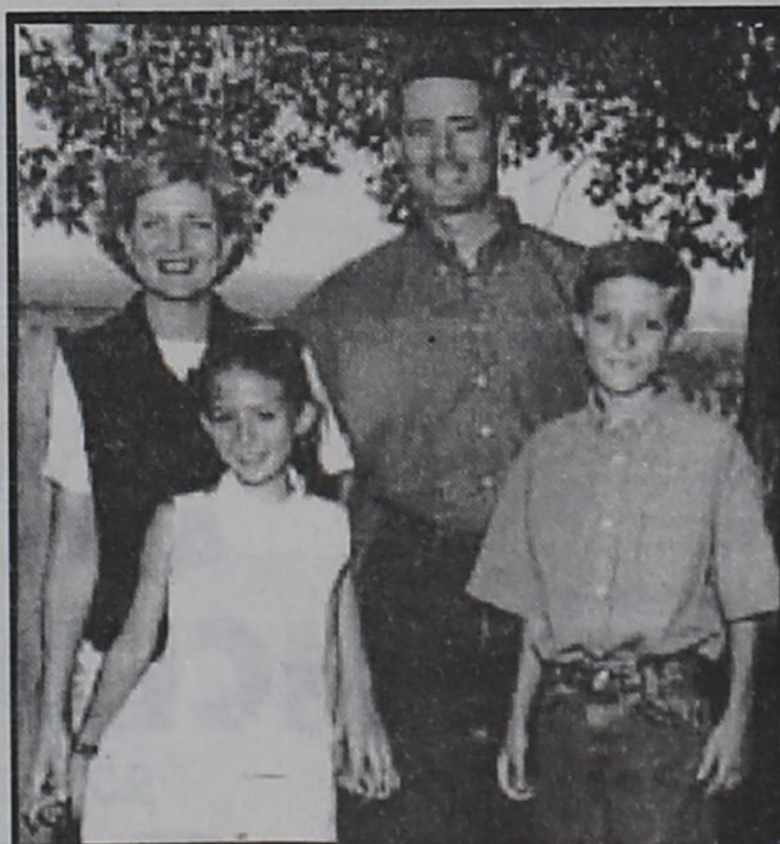
The County Commissioners of Garza County, will conduct a public meeting under the authority of Chapter 366, Texas Health & Safety Code to consider the regulation of on-site sewage facilities (including septic tanks) in Post Texas, to prevent possible pollution of injury to public health. A copy of the proposed order is available for review at Judge Dalby's Office, 2nd Floor Courthouse 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. The public meeting will be held at:

Location: Garza County Courthouse, 3rd Floor, Post, Texas
Date: November 13, 2000
Time: 9:00 a.m.

All interested persons are encouraged to participate in the public meeting.

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Better Baking Begins With A Few Basic Tips

(NAPS)—A few basic tips can help you bake the kind of holiday cookies people are likely to go bananas over.

That's twice as true with a recipe for Basic Banana Holiday Cookies. The first tip: always read through the recipe so there are no surprises. Assemble all ingredients and equipment, prepare the pans, set oven racks in the right position and preheat the oven before you begin mixing. Also:

- Stick to sticks. Never use the whipped style of butter or margarine since it contains too much liquid. Professional bakers prefer unsalted butter.
- Measure accurately. Spoon unsifted flour into the right size measuring cup and level off with the straight edge of a knife or metal spatula. Measure granulated or brown sugar in the same way, but press regular brown sugar lightly into the cup.
- Use shiny metal pans or pans with a non-stick finish. Dull, dark or enamel pans may cause uneven and excessive browning. Reduce oven temperature by 25 degrees F. if you are using glass or porcelain-coated aluminum pans with nonstick finish.

If baking several batches of cookies, let baking sheets cool between batches. Wait until the minimum baking time has passed before opening the oven to test. Wait until cookies are completely cool before storing in an airtight container, or they will soften.

For the following Basic Banana Holiday Cookies recipe, you need an extra-ripe banana to get the right level of sweetness and soft texture. The banana should have a speckled or even a very dark peel. If bananas reach that point before you are ready to bake, puree or mash them and store in an airtight container in the freezer until you're ready to bake.



Baking cookies can be a delightful way to get the whole family in a holiday mood.

Basic Banana Holiday Cookies
Prep: 15 min. Bake: 12 min.
Makes: 4-1/2 dozen

- 2 1/2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup margarine, softened
- 1 1/4 cups granulated sugar, divided
- 1/2 cup packed brown sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 large, ripe Dole® Banana, mashed (about 1/2 cup)
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon

• Combine flour, baking soda and salt in medium bowl; set aside.

• Beat together margarine, 1 cup granulated sugar and brown sugar in large bowl until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and banana until blended. Stir in

flour mixture until combined. Cover and refrigerate 2 hours or overnight until dough is firm enough to handle.

• Combine remaining 1/4 cup granulated sugar and cinnamon in small bowl.

• Shape dough into 1-inch balls. Roll in cinnamon mixture; place two inches apart on ungreased baked sheets.

• Bake at 350°F. 10 to 12 minutes or until lightly browned. Carefully remove cookies to wire rack to cool completely.

Variation—Chocolate Banana Stars: Prepare, shape and bake dough as directed above except roll dough in 1 cup finely chopped almonds instead of cinnamon mixture. Immediately after baking, press unwrapped individual milk chocolate pieces into center of each cookie. Cool as directed.

I would appreciate your vote

Jeanette Hodges

Garza County Tax Assessor

November 7, 2000

General Election

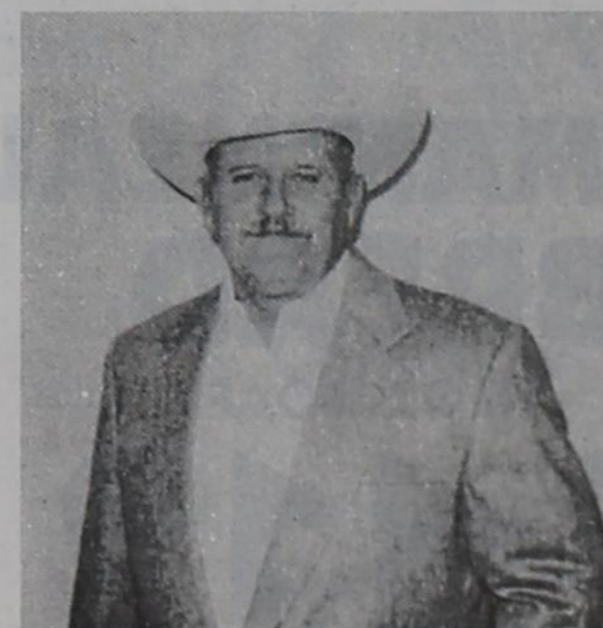
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Citizens of Garza County, the race for sheriff is nearly over, and I hope I have earned your confidence and respect inspite of all the rhetoric and rumors you may have heard.

And I truly hope that I have earned your trust, as to being able to be the man to make the changes that are needed in Garza County. I want you to know that I will continue to try and earn your respect and confidence in me.

As for the ones who supported me, I just want you to know that regardless of the election outcome, that I have truly been blessed with your friendship. May god bless each and every one of you.

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To the town of Post, Our class would like to thank Post for allowing us to have such a good time this past weekend. There are a few of us that still live in Post, but most traveled to come to the reunion. To Mr. Giddens for letting us tour the school, to the museum for being open for us to all of the parents that took time to come down and visit, you all made the reunion a great memory. You hear people say you can't go home again, but we did and had a wonderful time.

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Dear Friends, I would like to thank all my friends, family, neighbors and most of all The Post Volunteer Fire Department. My barn burned to the ground Friday, September 22. I was at the football game in Coahoma when my parents called to tell me the barn burned and 2 of my show calves and 3 goats died in the fire. The Post Volunteer Firemen would not leave until my animals were buried. I appreciate these men so much. They helped my Dad accomplish a difficult task. Most of all I appreciate not having to see my animals. I spent many hours with them and it would have been so hard to see them. The men did everything possible to save our barn and animals. I will be forever grateful to these men. Our neighbors and friends have been so wonderful to me and my family. We are so fortunate to live in Post, Texas. I appreciate everything everyone has done for me and I thank you for caring about me. Aaron Cooper

Personals

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

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

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Notice of Application For Fluid Injection Well Permit

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The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Glorieta formation, Connell lease, Well Number 9. The proposed injection well is located 8.5 miles east of Post in the Arlene Field, in Garza County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3002 to 3048 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Request for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas

Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).

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Letters to the Editor

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A big thanks to people

Don and I have never felt so much love and concern for us both. There are no words I can use to express our gratitude to the V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary and the men of the V.F.W. for the fine job that they did with the benefit for us in our time of need.

Post should be so proud of these organizations. We cannot say enough about them, there are no words that we can find to properly say thank you to them for their help and support that they gave us.

We would also like to express our thanks to our Church family at Trinity Baptist Church for their support and continued prayers on our behalf. They have been so good to us.

We wish that we could list each person here who played a part on our behalf, but are afraid that we may miss one person and that is the last thing we want to do. We want to thank all of the people in the community and the local merchants for their support, be it with donations, participating in the auction, helping serve others and your prayers. Your actions show what good can come out of such a loving, caring community.

We are so proud to live in Post, we could not have found another town that cares so much for the people of the town.

We are trying to say thank you, but that is such a small word for all that you have done, but it comes from the bottom of our hearts.

Don & Glenda Atkinson"

What happened to the stray cow?

In regard to Tommy Binford's letter to the editor in the October 26 edition of The Post Dispatch, the question has not been answered as to what happened to the stray cow.

Everyone knows who got the \$50 check for storage, but they still have not had the question answered as to what happened to the stray.

Was the owner ever found? Was the stray sold? If so, what happened to the money which was paid for it? Was the brand inspector notified?

Tina Sims

Needs help finding Mrs Wharton

Please help me to locate Mrs. Wharton, widow of Winston Wharton of Tahoka, daughter of Doug Morrell of post, and mother of Ann Wharton.

Gerald Bradley, 208 Garvin Dr., Ceterville, GA 31028

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Sheriff didn't follow the law

In my first letter, I stated that the deputy questioned me about the reason I told the campaign lady I was not voting for Kenny. There was no misunderstanding on this issue, as that is what he questioned me about.

At one point the deputy asked me if I wanted to go to Kenny's office and let Kenny explain this to me. I took this to mean that Kenny was in his office at that time. I told the deputy that would not make me change my mind on how I would vote.

Deputy Binford stated my reason for not voting for Kenny stemmed from a cattle estray case which I did. I never made a complaint, only didn't feel this was handled properly. I obtained a copy of the estray laws.

The law reads that several procedures shall be followed and recorded in the county clerk's office. Thursday, Oct. 26, 2000, I went to the county clerk's office and the only record showed the Notice of Estray.

The disposition of the estray animal was not accounted for. As the law reads, this indicates this case was not handled according to law. I will say Deputy Binford was courteous when he questioned me.

I have always respected the law and the people who enforce it. We sure need them, but not the enforcers who abuse it. I still can't understand why a deputy was sent to question me on my reason for not voting for Kenny.

Dee Stamps

Questions about weevil vote

Here are a few things cotton producers and landowners might need to consider before voting:

* We will be in arrears (debt) for 13 years! The vote is based on a 13-year payout, but the fine print says we pay the full amount until the debt is satisfied. Maintenance fees follow forever.

* You can lose your land! If you can't pay, a state lien will be placed on your crop. All gins, cotton buyers, your neighbors and friends will know you didn't pay. Later, you will be sued in an Austin court and a judgment will be placed on your property. Your county sheriff can be forced to auction your property to satisfy the judgment.

* The state and federal governments are running this program! The zone representative and local grower committee are simply buffers between the cotton growers and the bureaucrats making the critical program decisions.

* The boll weevil will never be "eradicated" from Texas! The boll weevil has a native host plant along the Texas Coast in environmentally sensitive areas.

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'Dracula' was superb!

The Garza Theatre production of "Dracula" was superb! Mitchell Britton as Dracula was creepy with a capital K! Made your heart pound just to look at him, and when he talked, oh gosh! Jeremy Danial, what a writer.

Explanations of the plot, inserted along with action, moved the play along beautifully. So proud of Christy as director. You could just see her hand in the entire play. Jeff Conner, a straight man with lots to say, created just the right mood.

Richard Whiting as crazy Renfield had a most moving scene as he tried to regain his soul from the evil Dracula. Congratulations to all the actors whose cues were right on the mark. Rob Holton as Arthur, Jessica Culwell as poor sick Mina, Laura Bryan as the disturbed Catherine, C.J. Long as Mina's boyfriend and Bobby Knode as Hennesey.

All were just great. The set design by Michael Vorauer was just beautiful and the lights and sound (Valerie Burelsmith) was unusually dramatic. Applause to Anna Wilson, Russell Eaton, Chase Miller and Cordell Green for the great background stuff that added so much.

Thank you from my family for a great Halloween experience at the Garza Theatre! Looking forward to the Christmas play.

JoAnn Mock

STARS express thanks

The Post Middle School STARS would like to thank everyone involved in Red Ribbon Week. It was very successful, thanks in part to the merchants that wore our ribbons and let us tie them on their businesses and the city manager, who allowed us tie the red ribbons over town - together we are making a difference.

We would like to thank all that made our week special at school - to Mr. Brownlow for letting us have a fun week, to the entire faculty - thank you for taking part in our dress-up days—you were awesome, to all of our students—you respected the decorations, wore your red bracelets and ribbons and also took part in the dress-up days and contests - thank you!! The dance was a great success and we owe a big THANK YOU to all the mothers that decorated, served and brought refreshments - we could not do it without you - Gena, Susan, Carol, Nita Jo, Pixie and Shellee - a special thank you for all you did.

A thank you also goes to Kenny Ratke and his group of D.J.'s - thanks for your time and help. Cheerleaders, thank you for an awesome Black out DRUGS pep rally - we appreciate all of you. Sheriff Ratke, thank you for being at all of our dances and making sure that we are safe!! STARS is a success because of the students, teachers and all the town support we get - thank you to everyone that helps and supports us. You are appreciated!!! Post Middle School S.T.A.R.S.

November 7
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Menu

Trailblazers

Monday, November 6
Salsbury steak, green peas, cauliflower, biscuits and peach cobbler.

Tuesday, November 7
Chicken fry/cream gravy, green beans, salad, wheat roll and apricots.

Wednesday, November 8
Turkey/dressing, green beans, macaroni and cheese, wheat roll, fruit and pumpkin desert.

Thursday, November 9
Cube steak, red beans, zucchini, salad, hot roll and peaches.

Friday, November 10
Hamburger, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, tater tots, 3-bean salad and jello.

Post ISD

Monday, November 6
Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, sausage link, fruit and choice of milk.
Lunch: Frito pie, Ranch Style Beans, broccoli, cobbler, corn bread and choice of milk.

Tuesday, November 7
Breakfast: Biscuit and gravy, Canadian bacon, fruit and choice of milk.
Lunch: Chili dog, French fries, mixed greens, ice cream and choice of milk.

Wednesday, November 8
Breakfast: Malt-O-Meal, sausage, toast, fruit and choice of milk.
Lunch: Chicken spaghetti, salad, California mix, garlic toast, pineapple slices and choice of milk.

Thursday, November 9
Breakfast: Muffin, sausage link, fruit and choice of milk.
Lunch: Turkey and dressing, gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, pecan pie, cranberry sauce and choice of milk.

Friday, November 10
Breakfast: Cereal, fruit, toast, apple juice and white milk.
Lunch: Fish, macaroni and cheese, carrot sticks, peas, hushpuppies, fresh apple and choice of milk.

Southland ISD

Monday, November 6
Breakfast: Cereal, Graham crackers, juice and milk.
Lunch: Chicken strips, cream potatoes/gravy, green beans, roll, fruit and milk.

Tuesday, November 7
Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, bacon, fruit and milk.
Lunch: BBQ ribs, potato salad, bean, fruit and milk.

Wednesday, November 8
Breakfast: Biscuits/gravy, juice and milk.
Lunch: Corn dogs, pork-n-beans, fries, fruit and milk.

Thursday, November 9
Breakfast: Cereal, toast, fruit and milk.
Lunch: Tacos, beans, salad, fruit and milk.

Friday, November 10
Breakfast: Waffles, sausage, juice and milk.
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Conscience is the guardian of the individual of the rules which the community has evolved for its own preservation.
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Sheriff reports 4 arrests

Four individuals were booked into the Garza County Jail during the last week, according to sheriff's department records.

On Oct. 28, a 53-year-old male was picked up on a warrant. One individual, a 29-year-old male, was arrested for driving while intoxicated on Oct. 29, while a 22-year-old male was jailed for possession of marijuana.

A 22-year-old male was picked up Oct. 30 for driving while intoxicated.

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Tax 'n Facts

by Terri Cash

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