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**OLD MILL
TRADE DAYS**

Blue Grass Music Saturday!

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Winning the Match Calf Roping last Saturday during the OS Ranch Reunion at the OS Ranch is Cliff Kirkpatrick of Post. Kirkpatrick was matched against Rusty Sewalt of Comstock, Texas, who is a five-time National Finals Rodeo qualifier. The OS Roping tradition began in 1971 and continued through 1982. The reunion was held at the Post Stampede grounds in 2004, and this year returned to the ranch, which has special significance to area history. Garza county was reportedly founded during a meeting held in the chinaberry grove near the original ranch house, where an official state historical marker currently sits. This year the Texas Boys Ranch in Lubbock hosted a barbecue lunch in the chinaberry grove on October 1-2, and a special church service and memorial to past participants took place there on Sunday, October 2. Volunteers from the Boys Ranch donated considerably to the weekend, also helping in advance to prepare the facilities for this year's guests.

(Photo by Lesli Groves, Weatherford, Texas)

Old Mill Trade Days features Bluegrass music and new vendors

With over 25 new vendors for the upcoming event at Old Mill Trade Days, October 7-9, there will be many new shopping opportunities. "Of course, we have well over 100 vendors who have been part of our event for some time," explained Rosa Latimer, General Manager of Old Mill Trade Days. "These long-time vendors are the backbone of Old Mill Trade Days; however, new vendors bring different merchandise and provide more variety for our shoppers."

Gourmet Pantry from Lubbock will have a double booth in the Weaving Room offering kitchen items including cookware, pottery, and containers along with home decorating pieces. "Benny Jackson, designer for Gourmet Pantry, along with owners Ed and Jane Fowler, have put together a beautiful display. We're very happy to have this addition to our event," Latimer said. "Among

other new vendors we will have pots, rugs and other items from Peru; western clothes, gifts and decorating items; architectural salvage; primitive antiques; Discovery toys; painted children's furniture and coins and old paper money."

This OMTD event will showcase Bluegrass music on Saturday and gospel music Sunday afternoon. Beginning at 11:00 am, the Buddy & Tina Wright Band will perform on the Rainmaker Stage followed by Pickin' on the Plains at 1:30 pm. A Post favorite, Joann Foreman, will perform gospel music Sunday afternoon.

"Buddy & Tina Wright were a very popular group at the Community Center Music Parties earlier this year," Latimer said. "They have toured the southwestern part of the United States and in Europe and have opened shows for Randy Travis, Keb' Mo, and Waylon Jennings.

Because of their age, Buddy is 18 and Tina is 16, many are surprised when they explode with very traditional, technically precise bluegrass music."

Pickin' on the Plains is the premier bluegrass ensemble from South Plains College. The five students who will perform at OMTD are from Texas, Arkansas and Massachusetts and will provide a lively 2 hour concert on fiddle, bass, mandolin, 5-string banjo and guitar.

To show appreciation to OMTD shoppers, there will be "happy hours" Friday morning between 9 and 11 am. During this time, all shoppers will be admitted free of charge. "Just for fun, we'll also have a couple of surprise happy hours on Saturday and Sunday," Latimer explained. "During these times, known only to the ticket booth attendants, when shoppers enter through any of our

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Donor Technicians with United Blood Services out of Lubbock, monitoring PHS students Ashley Powell (left) and Ashley Wilson (right) in the mobile unit at the PHS campus are Tammy Frye (front), Priscilla Adame (kneeling), Patricia Perez (left in white coat), and Greg Rodriguez (Team Leader in the background). Not in photo is Suzann Andrews Donor Technician.

(Staff photo by Tim Burnett)

County operates with lower tax rate, higher revenues

by Sheri Lewis

County officials project they will spend in excess of \$4.5 million, or more than \$500,000 above last year's planned expenditures, in handling Garza County business in the 2005-2006 fiscal year.

Although planned spending is up, the tax rate set for the new fiscal year is down. The tax rate is .445, a decrease of almost 5 cents per \$100 valuation from last year's rate of .490. The tax rate drop was made possible by an increase in property valuations, according to county officials.

The estimated total collectible tax valuation linked to this year's budget is \$480,851,632, an increase of \$74,454,992 from the preceding year, according to county documents.

The total county levy for fiscal year 2005-2006 will be \$2,125,691. Reports estimate that 98 percent of that amount is collectible, resulting in \$2,083,178. Of the total county collectible levy, 85 percent is allocated to the county's general fund, while 15 percent is earmarked for the special road and bridge funds.

So what are the differences between this year's budget and last year's?

In a review of the general fund figures, perhaps the most notable differences are those reflecting changes in longstanding partnerships between Garza County and the City of Post. For example, county officials voted this year to eliminate support they have long provided for maintaining the city park and operating the library and community center. The cut is expected to save the county about \$72,000.

Another change came in funding for the sheriff's department. Last year the county received \$302,285 from the city to help cover law enforcement expenses. Despite requests from county officials for additional law enforcement funding, the city opted to trim its share of that budget, dropping its input to \$278,687.

The total amount county officials budget for the sheriff's department for the new fiscal year is almost \$995,000. The amount budgeted for the previous year was \$807,833, according to county documents. The increase is due, in part, to rising fuel costs (an added \$6,500), outlay required to purchase another law enforcement vehicle (more than \$20,000) and the addition of \$87,500 to the budget to cover contract inmate housing.

County Judge Giles Dalby said Sheriff Cliff Laws, who took office Jan. 1 of this year, requested additional funding in several areas.

"He does things differently," the judge said.

County officials agreed the department needed additional funding, Dalby said, but the idea did not receive the same level of support from members of the City Council.

After county officials decided to cut their expenditures relating to the community center, park and library, the City Council responded by trimming its planned law enforcement spending, Dalby said.

"We felt like we needed more money from them than they gave us," the judge said.

The county will likely be forced to do some belt tightening in the coming fiscal year, he said, particularly in the fourth quarter.

"We may have to scale back on some things in some areas," Dalby said.

In other areas of the budget, the county beefed up its projections for worker's compensation insurance coverage, from \$20,000 last year to more than \$35,600 this year. Another area of significant increase was in group health insurance. Last year the county planned to spend \$112,000 for coverage; this year's budget bumps that number up to more than \$120,000.

Other notable changes included:

- An allotment of \$5,000, up from slightly more than \$2,000, for Homeland Security expenses noted in the general administration portion of the general fund.
- More than \$26,000 of general administration funding earmarked for the Lake Alan Henry ambulance and fire building. That figure stood at \$30,000 in last year's budget.
- More than \$41,300 of district

court funding set aside for the district attorney's office. Last year's expenditure was budgeted at \$31,143.

• A total of \$10,000 allotted for auto and boat fuel for the Precinct 1

constable's office. That amount is down \$5,000 from the previous year's budget.

• More than \$33,000 in funding set aside for the Post Volunteer Fire

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Post Notes

GCJLA Horse Show

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Local church celebrates 80 years

Post Church of the Nazarene will be celebrating its 80th Anniversary this Sunday, October 9 with guest speaker Dr. Charles Jones. The Sunday morning service will also present special music by Robert and Ramona Williams from Andrews, Texas, plus various local members. For more information call 495-3044.

Ladies Auxiliary to meet Oct. 10

Miller/Luman Post 6797 Ladies Auxiliary will meet Monday night, October 10 at 6 p.m. at the post home on the Clairemont highway. All members are urged to attend as plans for the district meeting that will be held in Post in November will be made at this meeting. The District President Georgia Miller will make her official visit at the meeting on Monday.

Post 6797 men are urged to attend meeting

Miller/Luman Post 6797 men will meet Monday, October 10 at the post on the Clairemont highway at 7 p.m. All members are urged to attend. Final plans for the upcoming district meeting that will be held in Post in Nov. will be done at this important meeting.

FUMC Journey of Faith

The First United Methodist Church will begin its Rotation Sunday School program this Sunday, October 9th. All preK-6th graders are invited to attend beginning at 9:45 a.m. downstairs in the Methodist Church building. Call Tonya Kirkpatrick at 629-4054 or Shanda Kelso at 495-3256 for more information.

Huge garage sale this Saturday

Holy Cross Catholic Church will have a gigantic garage sale in their church hall on Saturday, October 8 from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Boy Scout rally

Boys between the age of 11-16, or 6th-11th grades and their parents interested in becoming a part of the Boy Scouts of America are invited to attend a kick-off rally to be held at Camp Post on Sunday, October 9 beginning at 1 p.m. Come meet the new Scoutmaster, have a hamburger for lunch and learn about the Boy Scout Program. All current members and parents are expected to attend. Any questions, please contact Trevor Thuet at 495-3476 or Richard Hudman at 495-2615.

Free GED classes

There is open enrollment for GED classes which are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the high school. These classes are free to the public. For more information call 495-2770.

Goat & Lamb Validation

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Garza County Health Fair & Flu Shots

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Flap-Jack fundraiser set Oct. 14

The First Baptist Church will host a flap-jack fundraiser on Friday, October 14 from 5-7 p.m. at the school cafeteria. The cost will be \$4 per person.

Scholarship fund for Mills

The Post Antelope Booster Club has created a scholarship fund for Mitchell Mills to help offset the costs of his college education. Donations for the Mitchell Mills Scholarship Fund should be made to Post ISD, noting the purpose for the check in the memo field. Donations should be mailed or delivered to Post ISD; 501 S. Avenue K; Post, Texas 79356.

MAD DADS open for students

MAD DADS is open every weekday from 3:30-5:30 for all students 7 years old and up. This is an after school program where students can come in and do homework, watch TV or just play games. The snack bar will be open. The student will need to fill out and parents sign a membership. The membership is free. Addresses and phone numbers where parents can be reached if needed is a must! Call Rodney at 495-1244 or 620-0960.

Community victory line planned

Everyone is urged to be a part of the Bold Gold spirit this week at the "Boost the Boys Victory Line". Bring your signs, flags, horns, etc. Meet east of Antelope Stadium on Friday at 6:15 p.m.

Girl Scouts selling nuts

The Girl Scouts of the Caprock Council have begun their area-wide fall nut sale. Products from the sale will be delivered by Nov. 11. Items include mixed nuts, fruit mix, butter toffee peanuts, peanut brittle and chocolate candies. Funds will be used to help with troop activities in the coming year. Anyone interested in purchasing should call the council office at 806-745-2855.

Oct. is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Free Screenings! Breast exam and mammograms for the uninsured only will be held on October 10, 4-6 p.m. and October 24, 4-6 p.m. at Dimensions, located at University Medical Center, 602 Indiana Ave., Lubbock.

This service is in collaboration with Southwest Cancer Treatment & Research Center and Texas Tech Health Sciences Center. Call 806-775-8600 for an appointment.

Popcorn for sale!

The Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts of Post will be selling popcorn for our annual fundraiser. The money earned goes to help the boys pay for summer camp and other event participation. Please support these boys in their desire to earn their way to camp. Sales will continue through November 5.

2005 Lord's Acre dinner set Oct. 29

The community is invited to enjoy fellowship, dining and music at the annual Lord's Acre celebration on Saturday, October 29, 6:30 p.m. at the Post Community Center. The mission of the event, sponsored by community churches, is to provide funds for local organizations and projects. A silent auction of donated items will precede the dinner. If you would like to contribute you may call the following numbers: Silent Auction, Lana Conner, 495-3925; Tables, Alex Collier, 495-3739; Reservations (by October 24), 495-3554 or 495-2942; Information, Tonya Kirkpatrick, 629-4054. RSVP plans to attend by October 24.



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Clint Chapman
Lynn Chapman
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**Leaders for this year's
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County budget...

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 Department, up from the \$19,889 projected in 2004-2005.

- A total of \$3,500 earmarked for the Trailblazers program, which was not included in the previous fiscal year budget.
- An almost \$2,000 increase in funding for the Garza County Museum.
- A drop of almost \$9,000 in funding set aside for landfill maintenance.
- A \$10,000 decrease in funds earmarked for contingency expenses in the Social & Shared Services portion of the general fund.
- An allotment of \$5,000, up by \$2,500, for the Post Centennial Celebration.

The budget, approved by commissioners Sept. 22, covers the fiscal year that began Saturday and will run through Sept. 30.

Letters to the Editor

Letters must be signed by the writer. Editor reserves right to edit for brevity, grammar, libel and accuracy. Letters are published at the sole discretion of the editor.

The high cost of law enforcement

I have been intrigued and somewhat entertained by the City and County budget controversy. I would think that the police spend more of their time in the city than in the rural areas; however, the city residents are taxed twice. The people in Post certainly should have input into the cost of law enforcement.

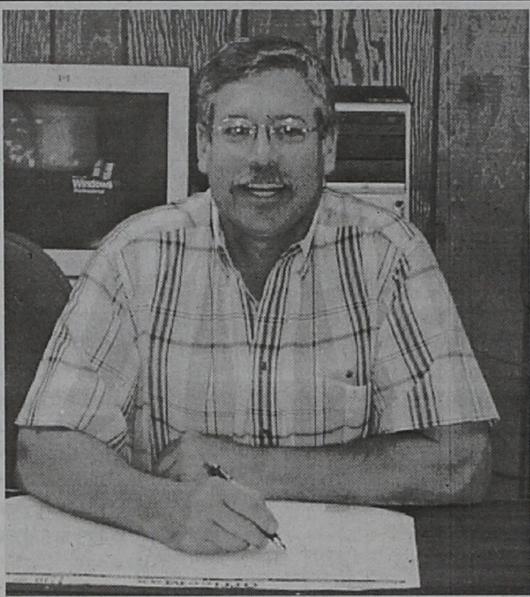
I find it amusing that the threat is to cut funding to the park, library, swimming pool and community center. I am surprised that the Garza County Trailblazers was not included. Scare the old folks. The park is one of the first impressions visitors have of Post. The park looks better than I ever remember. We need to be sure and change that. We do not want travelers to think this is a nice, clean little town.

Everyone agrees we need good law enforcement. There seems to be a difference of opinion on what it should cost. If Mr. (Fred) Howell's figures are correct, maybe someone from the city and county should visit these counties. We deserve an explanation why out law enforcement is so much more expensive than these other counties. It appears our officials have consulted Hazzard County.

I would suggest that both the City and County officials put their egos behind them, get together and look at the past and projected budgets. You would think that mature people could reach an agreement on how much "we" can afford to spend. Isn't that why "we" elected them in the first place?

Jerry Windham

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4-H Club Meeting.....

.....will be Tuesday, October 11, at 6:30 p.m. at the Extension Office. GCJLA Horse Show Garza County Jr. Livestock Association will sponsor their annual Horse Show Sunday, October 16, at 3:00 p.m. at the rodeo arena. There will be four Halter Classes for Young and Aged Mares and Geldings for youth in the third grade and up. These classes will follow with a Pee-Wee Horse Show for youth eight and under. Entries are due in the Extension office Wednesday, October 12.

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4-H Food & Nutrition Project

4-H'ers are meeting on Mondays at 4:00 p.m. at the Extension office for Food and Nutrition project meetings. The county food show is scheduled for Monday, October 25. If interested call 495-4400 for more details.

4-H Maze Trip

Garza County 4-H is planning a trip to the Maze at Shallowwater on Tuesday, October 25, at 5:00 p.m. If you want to attend the field trip, call the Extension office at 495-4400 to sign up. A parent must sign a release form before the trip.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

Cotton futures hit new high

Cotton futures on the New York Board of Trade settled at a two-month high Thursday as the market appeared to be bucking bearish fundamentals while waiting on news of hurricane damage in the U.S. Delta.

As damage to the Delta crops from Hurricane Katrina still was being assessed, Hurricane Rita came ashore just east of the Texas-Louisiana border in the early morning hours of Saturday, Sept. 24. Upon impact, Rita was pegged as a category 3 hurricane on the five-step Saffir-Simpson scale but was downgraded to a tropical storm by the end of the day.

Although it still is too early to assess the extent of damage to cotton in the affected areas, early reports suggested that strong winds forced cotton off the stalk in isolated fields. Although heavy rains saturated the soil over the weekend, mostly clear skies and seasonal temperatures this week allowed soil to dry and fieldwork to resume. Therefore, damage reports should be trickling in slowly from the affected farmers.

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NRCS welcomes new soil conservationist

Local District Conservationist, Mario Avila, with the USDA-NRCS announced that Cary Baker has joined the staff of the Tahoka Field Office (FO). Cary joined the NRCS staff under the Intern Program as a Soil Conservationist.

Cary is a 1986 graduate of Angelo State University in San Angelo, Texas. Cary has spent the last 26 years ranching in the San Angelo-Eldorado area.

Avila stated that while Cary is assigned to the local FO, he will receive training in all aspects of operations, various government cost-share programs, the design and installation of the different conservation practices used in Lynn and Garza counties, as well as providing technical assistance to the area farmers and ranchers.

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On God's Word

by Timothy W. Burnett

Were the bodies of the saints truly resurrected in Matthew 27:53?

After Jesus died on the stake a number of phenomenal events occurred that siezed the attention of everybody present. We will closely study the record of dead bodies rising from graves and appearing to many people in Jerusalem.

Matthew 27:50-53, "Jesus, when he had cried again with a loud voice, yielded up the ghost... And the graves were opened, and many bodies of the saints which slept arose, and came out of the graves after his resurrection, and went into the holy city, and appeared unto many."

This scripture is popularly interpreted to mean that Old Testament saints were actually resurrected from the dead and visited many people.

The above verse includes the word "appeared." It was a translation of the earlier known Greek word *emphanizo*, which meant to exhibit, reveal, make known. In the passive tense it meant to appear.

In the King James Companion Bible, E.W. Bullinger provided more information for *emphanizo* as follows, "to cause to be manifested or shown plainly and clearly. Used of causing that to be seen (or known) which would not otherwise have been cognizable by the unaided eye (or mind)."

It is appropriate to not rule out the possibility that the people could have seen a clear vision of a future event that likely did not literally happen at that time. A brief study of God's word concerning the resurrection and the holy city should help in our study.

The same Greek word is used in Hebrews 11:14 "For they that say such things declare plainly that they seek a country." To declare plainly is *emphanizo*, make known or reveal. What kind of country?

Verse 16, "desire a better country, that is heavenly...for He has prepared for them a city." This verse is not talking about a earthly city, but a heavenly one. It says

they seek a heavenly city. According to Matthew 27:53, The bodies went into the physical city of Jerusalem and were seen by many people. Even though it was built by men's hands, it was still counted by God as a holy city

Go back to Hebrews 11:13, "...these all died not having received the promise." Hebrews was written after the event of Matthew 27:53. The saints of the Old Testament died and are still dead today.

Let's check out Revelations 21:1-4 where it says, "And I saw a new heaven and a new earth. For the first heaven and the first earth were passed away, and there was no more sea. And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband..."

John was given a vision of a future event. The present earth that we live on will pass away, and God will establish a new earth also known as paradise. This should not be confused with the new heaven that will also be established.

Daniel was another man who who received a great deal of visions by revelation from God. Here's some information given to Daniel for us to consider, "And many of them that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt" (Daniel 12:2).

When God gives a vision, it is with a purpose. It says that the bodies arose after Jesus' resurrection. Considering that the period of time recorded in Revelations has not yet begun, the best possible conclusion is that the vision of the bodies rising from the graves was meant to emphasize what would ultimately result from God's loving resurrection of His beloved son Jesus Christ.

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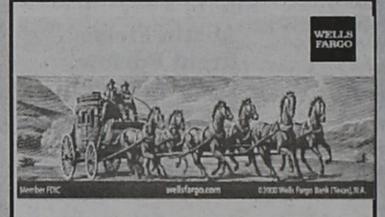
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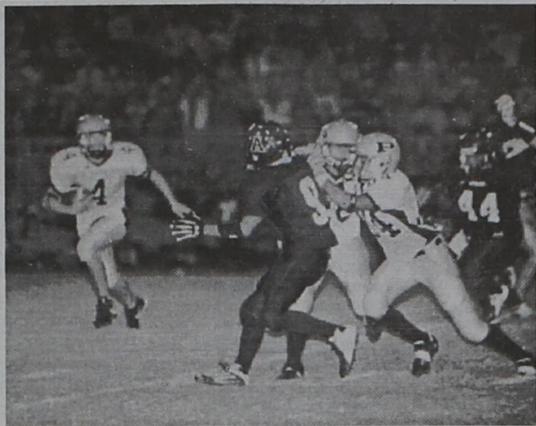
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Post Antelope running back Wilson Cash (4) focuses on his destination while Zack Sanchez (20) and Josh Lee (64) ward off a possible tackle as the Lopes took on Abernathy last Friday at Abernathy.

Congratulations Post

'Lopes hold onto 22-21 win over Abernathy

by Wes Burnett

The Post Antelopes pulled out a "come-from-behind" win last Friday at Abernathy, capturing a slim 22-21 district win. The 'Lopes scored first and last in the hotly contested game, with the defense standing firm when it counted in the final minutes.

After scoring in their first possession, the Post Antelopes held onto a 7-0 lead through the first quarter, closing out the half with a 14-7 lead. Abernathy took charge in the third quarter, tying the game, then opened the fourth quarter with its final touchdown drive, taking control of the line of scrimmage and pumped up with a 21-14 lead.

Momentum definitely had shifted, and the 'Lopes look like they were on the ropes as they took the ball at their own 30 yard line following a kick return by Zach Sanchez. With 4:09 left in the game, quarterback Sterling Smith took the snap, handed the ball to Wilson Cash, who ripped behind crisp blocking, got by a linebacker and raced untouched to the end zone. The scoreboard lit up with Abernathy 21, Post 20.

The 70 yard scamper quieted a noisy Abernathy crowd, as "big Mo" apparently had shifted once again. The 'Lopes called time out and conferred on the sidelines with Coach Tim James. They trotted back to the huddle, ready for a two point conversion.

Smith barked the signal, took the snap, turned to his left and pitched the ball to Cash, who ran toward the left end zone corner behind blocking by Roosevelt Brown and Sanchez, finally pushing his way past a defender into the end zone. Post fans, players and coaches cheered as the scoreboard put Post in front 22-21.

Abernathy took the kickoff and drove in seven plays to their own 41 yard line. On fourth down with 2:02 remaining in the game, a pass deep in Post territory fell incomplete. The 'Lopes took over on downs in an attempt to run out the clock.

Four plays later the ball changed hands as the 'Lopes were unable to convert a fourth down. With 1:07 left in the game, Abernathy got one more chance. On first down a pass attempt fell incomplete. On second down the pass was tipped by Eric Reyna and an alert Colter Creech caught the ball, then took a knee for the 'Lopes at the Post 49 yard line with 55 seconds on the game clock.

Then it was just a matter of Smith taking two snaps to run out the clock. First Touchdown Drive

The 'Lopes opened the game with a seven play drive, highlighted by a fourth down conversion in a punting situation. Cash got the snap, bobbled the ball, then took off running around his left end to the Post 42 yard line.

Smith broke through tacklers to the Abernathy 46 for another first down. Then Cash was trapped behind the line at the 47. On second down Smith rolled to his right, faked a pitchout, then tucked the ball in for a race to the end zone down the right sideline. With 9:05 on the first quarter clock, the 'Lopes led 7-0 following the extra point kick by Sanchez.

The 'Lope defense, led by Edgar Garay, Blake Nichols and Preston Ortiz, forced a fourth down punt. The 'Lope offense mounted a nine play drive that ended on fourth down punting situation at the Post 48 yard line. Cash's punt was returned to the Abernathy 20.

Another strong defensive effort bottled up Abernathy with a key pass batted down by Kenneth Garay. Post got the ball at their own 36 yard line with 11:50 left in the second quarter. On first down Smith went around his left end and the ball popped loose the ground, recovered by Abernathy at the Post 45.

It took Abernathy eight plays to score, aided by a fourth down pass interference call in the end zone. With 8:07 left in the first half, the game was tied at 7-7.

Following the kick off, the 'Lopes ran three plays and Cash punted the ball... Reyna hammered Abernathy's receiver, and then recovered the football for the 'Lopes at the Abernathy 22 yard line.

Brown was caught at the 25, then Cash took Smith's pitchout around left end to the 23. On third down Smith dropped back and found Kenneth Garay for a pass completion at the Abernathy 10 yard line. Smith then rolled to his left, pitched the ball to Cash, who raced around his left end to the end zone. Sanchez' extra point kick put the 'Lopes out front 14-7.

The defense stopped an Abernathy nine play drive, keyed by Nichols, Jonathan McGregor, Cash, Ortiz, Smith, Reyna and B.J. Rivera. With 34 seconds left in the first half, the 'Lopes put together a five play drive that ran out of time.

Second Half Action

Abernathy got the second half kickoff, but were no match for the 'Lope defense. Edgar Garay, Smith and Nichols contributed to the defensive stand, forcing a fourth down punt.

Post took the ball at their own 42 yard line, driving in six plays to the Abernathy 42 before losing the ball on a pass interception at the Abernathy 21 yard line.

Abernathy drove the distance to the goal in 12 plays, aided by a pass interference call on Post. On the first play of the fourth quarter, Abernathy's quarterback took the ball into the end zone from the two yard line to tie the game again, this time at 14-14 with 11:53 left on the game clock.

The Post offense was unable to counter following the kickoff. Cash's punt rolled dead at the Abernathy 28 yard line.

The defense came to life, forcing a punt on fourth down at the Post 43 yard line. Big plays came from Reyna, Heath Fellhauer, Zach Witcher and Fernando Soto. Abernathy's punt sailed to D.J. Baiza, who caught the ball and on the tackle, lost the football and Abernathy took possession at the 14 yard line.

Three plays later Abernathy led 20-14.

That's when the 'Lopes decided to take charge.

"We have great confidence in these young men," coach James emphasized. "That's why we went for the two point conversion. They never gave up, even though things looked pretty bleak late in the game when Abernathy went ahead 21-14."

The 'Lopes host Shallowater Friday night. Fans are meeting at 6:15 p.m. at the east gate to form a "victory line" as the 'Lopes enter the field. "This is going to be another big battle," coach James added. "Shallowater has a good football team."

7th grade drops one to Abernathy 14-0

The Post seventh grade 'Lopes fell 14-0 last week in a defensive struggle against Abernathy.

The Abernathy Antelopes scored the only offensive touchdown of the night and scored their other TD on a punt return.

The Post Antelope defense held Abernathy on two goal-line stands late in each half. The offense struggled, but Coach Mark Johnson said it looks to improve this week when the team hosts Shallowater.

8th grade smashes Abernathy 48-12

Last week's 8th grade football game between Post and Abernathy proved to be a display of special teams for both teams, but the local 'Lopes pulled off the 46-12 win.

Travis Bergia started the game off with a bang, returning the opening kickoff 75 yards for a touchdown.

Abernathy was forced to punt on their first drive, and Trent Babb returned the punt 65 yards for another touchdown. The score was 12-0 before Post ran a single offensive play.

In the third quarter, Giles Dalby returned a kickoff 70 yards for Post's third special teams touchdown of the game.

Dalby scored three more touchdowns in the game, bringing his season total to 14 touchdowns in four games.

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| Oct. 7 | Varsity | Shallowater | Post | 7:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 13 | 7th/8th | Idalou | Post | 5/6:30 p.m. |
| | JV | Idalou | Idalou | 6:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 14 | Varsity | Idalou* | Post | 7:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 20 | 7th/8th | Tahoka | Tahoka | 5/6:30 p.m. |
| | JV | Tahoka | Post | 6:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 21 | Varsity | Tahoka* | Tahoka | 7:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 27 | 7th/8th | Slaton | Post | 5/6:30 p.m. |
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| Oct. 28 | Varsity | Slaton | Post | 7:30 p.m. |
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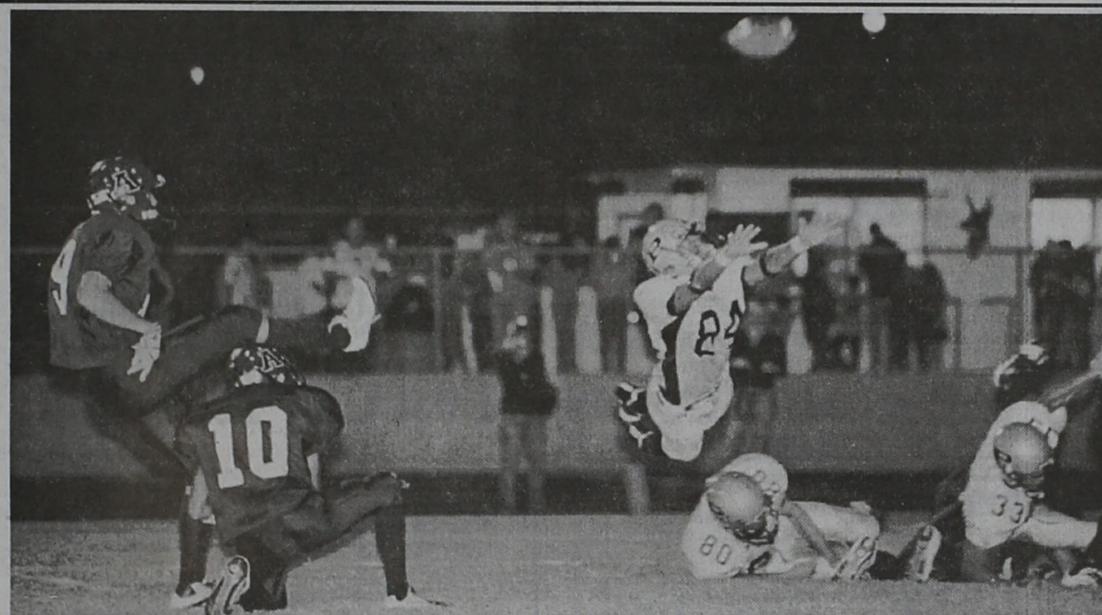
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Post Antelope running back D.J. Rivera (25) shoots through the gap with blocking from Eric Reyna (50), Israel Beggs (71), DJ Baiza (2) and Jace Pollard (52).



Post Antelope defensive end Kenneth Garay (84) lunges in an attempt to block an Abernathy extra point during the football action at Abernathy. Also in the play are Jonathan McGregor (80) and Colter Creech (33).



Antelope line backer Zack Sanchez (20) brings down an Abernathy ball carrier with the backing of Blake Nichols (55), Edgar Garay (5), Eric Reyna (50) and Jonathan McGregor (80) during last Friday's game at Abernathy.



Post Antelope defensive end Eric Reyna (50) takes on a ball carrier with the help of a teammate as the Lopes wrestled out of town with Abernathy last Friday.

J.V. squeaks by Abernathy 18-13

The junior varsity Antelopes sneaked past Abernathy last week in an 18-13 home game.

The opposing Antelopes were locked in a scoreless battle until late in the second quarter when Andre Boyd returned an Abernathy punt for 45 yards, giving Post a first down on the 40-yard line. Post then rolled out an 8-play drive that ended with Luis Ceja scoring on a 7-yard run to make it a 6-0 game at the half.

To begin the third quarter, James Griffin had a 15-yard kickoff return to set up Post on their own 35-yard line. The hometown 'Lopes then went on a 5-play drive that ended with a 44-yard Pat Reiter touchdown pass to Boyd. The score stood at 12-0.

Later in the third quarter, Abernathy took advantage of a Post fumble to toss a 14-yard touchdown pass. With 2:51 left in the quarter, Post led 12-6.

In the final quarter of play, another Post fumble enabled Abernathy to drive the ball 64 yards on eight plays, capped off by a 13-yard touchdown run. A good extra point gave Abernathy a 13-12 lead.

With less than two minutes left in the game, Post took the ball on their own 30-yard line and proceeded to put together a 70-yard game-winning drive. Reiter went 3-for-4 passing for 48 yards, connecting with James Griffin twice and Boyd once. With 45 seconds left and the ball on the 13-yard line following a penalty, John Vasquez carried the ball twice, then scored on a 5-yard touchdown run.

Leading rushers for Post included Vasquez, 14 carries for 80 yards, one touchdown; Bryce Webster, 13 carries for 37 yards; Reiter, 5 carries for 14 yards; Ceja, 2 carries for 9 yards and a touchdown; and Jarrett Blevins, 1 carry for 5 yards. Total carries for the local 'Lopes was 35 for 145 yards.

Reiter was 5 for 8 in passing for 95 yards and a touchdown. Top receivers included Griffin, 2-for-18; Boyd, 2-for-25 and a touchdown; and Odom, 1-for-7.

The Post defense allowed Abernathy 41 plays for 143 yards, 10 first downs and two touchdowns. Leading tacklers were Ceja, two solos, six assists and two quarterback hurries; Jeremy Short, two solos, five assists, 1/2 sack, a hurry and a tackle for a loss; Griffin, three solos, a tackle for a loss and an interception; and Call Windham, one solo, four assists, two pass break-ups and an interception.

The team is 5-0 on the season and 2-0 in district. Their next game is set for 6:30 p.m. today at Shallowater.

*Staff photos by
Tim Burnett*



Antelope safety Jonathan McGregor (84) lunges in an attempt to intercept an overthrown ball as Post battled it out at Abernathy last Friday.



Sterling Smith (14) gains more yards with the quarter back keeper as Antelope teammate Jonathan McGregor (80) slows down a defender during last Friday's action at Abernathy.

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Arrests include that of a 40-year-old male for driving while license invalid; a 42-year-old female, driving while intoxicated, second offense, open container; a 29-year-old female picked up on four Bell County warrants; a 19-year-old male, Garza County commitment; and a 43-year-old male, driving while intoxicated, three or more.

Also, a 35-year-old male arrested on a Dallas County warrant; a 23-year-old female, possession of a controlled substance; a 45-year-old male, possession of a controlled substance and parole violation; a 25-year-old male, criminal trespass; a 50-year-old male, fraud; and a 28-year-old male, public intoxication, resisting arrest, obstruction and retaliation.

Rounding out the list of arrests were a 21-year-old male, driving while intoxicated, second offense; a 46-year-old female picked up on a Garza County warrant; a 34-year-old female arrested on a Garza County warrant; and a 37-year-old male arrested on a warrant out of California.

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Yesteryears

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10 Years Ago October 5, 1995

The children of Martin and Dale Nichols wish to extend an invitation to you to attend the celebration of their parents 60th wedding anniversary on October 14 at the Lubbock Primitive Baptist Church.

Jimmy Holleman, senior Agricultural Services and Development major from Tarleton State University, has begun his student internship with E-Z Feed. Upon completion of this training period, he will receive the Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Services.

Michael Voss, a junior at Abilene Christian University, is among the first 36 students nationwide chosen to study at the New Institute for Family Studies founded by the Focus on the Family Ministry in Colorado Springs, Colo. Voss is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Voss of Post.

Jennifer Josey has been awarded the national "I Dare You Leadership Award" in recognition of personal integrity, balanced living and potential for leadership.

20 Years Ago October 9, 1985

Harlan Morris ginned the first bale of cotton in Garza County this year, bringing in the white stuff October 1 to the Graham Coop Gin.

A reception will be held in the sanctuary of the Church of the Nazarene for Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rogers. They will be honored for over 50 years service as Sunday school teachers and business people.

David and Rita Rivera are proud to announce the birth of a son, David Lee, born September 28 at Lynn County Hospital.

Linda Malouf was hostess to the Woman's Culture Club in her home in Plainview. Lillian Potts and Danielle Chapman was co-hostesses.

The Garza County Fair, set for October 18-19 will feature a full afternoon and evening of "Blue Grass" old time fiddling and music at the FNB parking lot along with a lively "street" dance that evening.

30 Years Ago October 9, 1975

Everything seems to be set for homecoming this Friday night. Football queen candidates are Jennifer Miller, Patricia Bilberry and Kim Mitchell. Band sweet-heart candidates are Pam Carpenter, Christy Davis, Cathy Howell and Patricia Bilberry.

The junior high band was proud to receive the first place trophy, along with a check for \$100 in prize money, the band won in the Brownfield Harvest Parade. The band is under the guidance of Scott Houston with Susan Jackson as drum major.

Records were popping all over the ranch during the "OS Weekend" but the biggest one was the size of the contribution the benefit roping and art exhibit raised for the support of the West Texas Boys Ranch. A "conservative estimate" of at least \$39,250 cleared above expenses was made by Dr. William Wilson, treasurer of the event.

Post climbed into the "top ten" in the statewide Harris high school football poll last week, ranking sixth in Class AA with Olton the only West Texas AA club up ahead of them.

40 Years Ago October 7, 1965

Winnie Tuffing was honored at a City of Post sponsored farewell dinner upon her retirement as water department cashier after 31 years of service. Mrs. Kay Hays will succeed Mrs. Tuffing as cashier.

Arlon Ford, who received his discharge from the Army in Oakland, Calif., Sept. 26th and arrived home on the 28th,

was honored with a dinner party in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Ford.

The big difference when the fire siren sounds are our 26 top notch firemen. They are: Fire Marshal Dad Greenfield, Fire Chief Loyd Mock, Joe Williams, Bill Stone, Neal Clary, Jimmy Holleman, Dee Hodges, Don Tatum, Larry Waldrip, Charlie Lee, Bobby Terry, Bill Hays, Richard Dudley, Bill Dixon, Elton Lee, Lester Josey, Dan Cockrum, Bill Hall, Homer McCrary, Darrell Eckols, Marvin Williams, Punk Peel, Charlie Cooper, Raymond Purdue, Travis Thomas and Rufus Gerner.

The Faith Lutheran Church located at West 10th Street and North Avenue K will be dedicated Sunday and will receive a Texas State Historical Society madallion as a historical landmark. Formerly the First Presbyterian Church, the structure is the oldest church building still in use here.

50 Years Ago October 6, 1955

Adding verve and dash to performances of the 1955-56 Post Antelope band are majorettes Sherry Odom, Freda Kennedy, Carolyn Hudman and Kay Martin. The band's drum major is Tommy Mayfield, Mozelle Edwards and Bettye Sue Hunt are flagbearers.

Kenneth and Patsy Thompson were honored on their 15th and 13th birthdays with a party in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Thompson of the Graham community.

The Garza County Fair will open its gates Friday with a two-day run. Tents for commercial exhibits and pens for livestock are going up. The Dudley Shows, which features kiddie rides, began operation the first of the week and is to continue throughout the fair.

Main Street: Mercer and "Bebe" Armstrong can give your old hat a new lease on life. This duo, who own and operate Armstrong Cleaners (formerly Hundley's), have the "know-how" of cleaning and blocking. Your old hat will look like new.

Judy Gossett has been elected president of the Post Junior High School chorus for the new school year. Other officers elected were Sharon Jobe, v-president and Minnie Lee Mathis, secretary.

David King and Mozelle Edwards are editors of the 1955-56 "The Antelope Echo," Post High School newspaper.

60 Years Ago October 4, 1945

J. D. McCampbell, who was recently discharged from the Army has returned to Post and is now associated with the local post office as postal clerk. McCampbell replaced Harold Davies who moved to Cisco.

International Harvester presents a big new radio show - "Harvest of Stars" with Raymond Massey, master of ceremonies. Also, Howard Barlow and 70-piece orchestra and guest star Jan Peerce. Listen every Sunday!

On a wet and puddled field, and in a cold-misty drizzle the Antelopes Friday night lost a 5-A conference game when they bowed to Seagraves 6-0 on the home field. Friday afternoon the locals will play a non-conference game with the Cowhands at Lubbock.

Rev. Joe Norton, new pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, arrived in Post today. The new pastor comes to Post from Brownfield.

Cecil Osborne, who for the past three years has owned and operated the Star Service Station, sold the place of business to Chester Hunt.

Menus

Post ISD

October 10 - Breakfast - Waffles, sausage, butter & syrup, fruit, milk.
Lunch - Pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, corn, fresh fruit cup, milk.

October 11 - Breakfast - Bagle, sausage, fruit, milk.
Lunch - Nacho grande, lettuce & tomatoes, corn bread, picante sauce, apple, milk.

October 12 - Breakfast - Oatmeal, toast, bacon, fruit, milk.
Lunch - Chicken strips, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans hot roll, fancy gelatin, milk.

October 13 - Breakfast - Cowboy bread, sausage link, fruit, milk.
Lunch - Stuffed baked potato, broccoli w/ranch, texas toast, fruit cobbler, milk.

October 14 - Breakfast - Cereal, toast, fruit, juice, milk.

Lunch - Corn dog, waffle fries, baked beans, orange quarters, chocolate chip cookie, milk.

Southland ISD

October 10 - Breakfast - Cinnamon roll, 1/2 apple, milk.

Lunch - Chicken taco casserole, corn, tossed salad, cinnamon crispies, milk.

October 11 - Breakfast - Cereal, muffin, juice, milk.

Lunch - Lasagna, garlic bread, tossed salad, green beans, fruit cocktail, milk.

October 12 - Breakfast - Sausage, biscuit, gravy, juice milk.

Lunch - Corn dogs, potato rounds, vegetarian beans, orange, cookie, milk.

October 13 - Breakfast - PBJ sandwich, applesauce cup, juice, milk.

Lunch - Nacho grande, lettuce, tomatoes, picante sauce, apple, pudding, milk.

October 14 - Breakfast - Breakfast pizza, juice, milk.

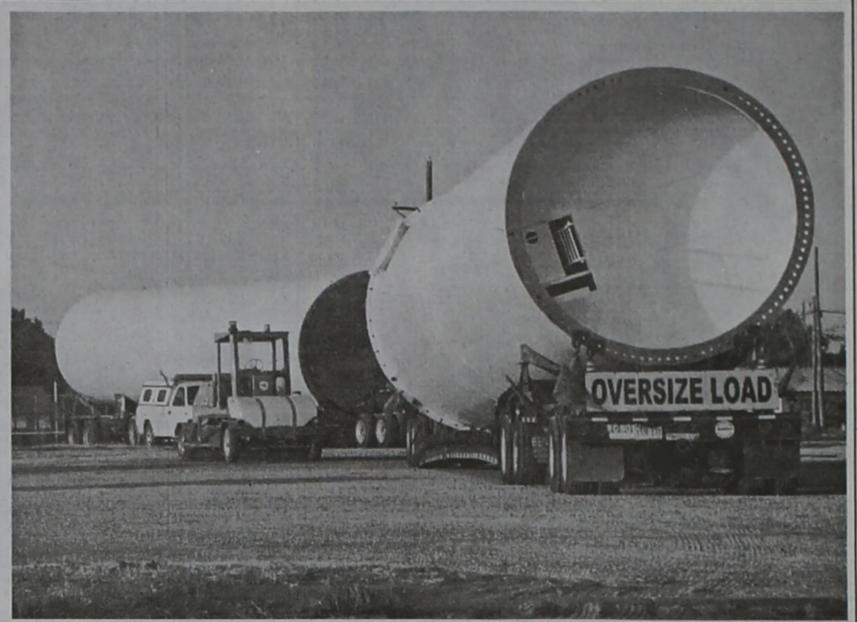
Lunch - Fish strips/tartar sauce, green salad, macaroni & cheese, pinto beans, banana, milk.

Republicans elect Irene Howell as chairman

Irene Howell has been elected Chairman of the Garza County Republican Party, replacing Ross Aten, who is pursuing educational and career objectives. Howell is a resident of Post and a lifelong member and supporter of the Republican Party.

"Under Aten's leadership the Garza County Republican Party has experienced growth and major inroads in the promotion of conservative leadership in county and local government. The Republican Party of Garza County has become a viable political voice for conservatism," Mrs Howell commented.

Howell also announced plans to further expand the impact of Republican values through the election of conservative candidates to local and county offices. Interested parties may contact Irene Howell at (806) 495-1203.



Wind Turbines were found parked in the lot just east of the railroad tracks on Highway 380 during the strong wind storm that announced the coming of the first cold front of the year last Wednesday evening. (Staff photo by Tim Burnett)

Garza County Youth Celebrate National 4-H Week October 2-8

October 2-8 is National 4-H Week, and Garza County 4-H'ers are celebrating. Local 4-H members prepared posters to be hung this week in addition to school locker tags for each member.

In Garza County, about 100 4-H members and 45 volunteers are involved in 4-H activities. Activities include an array of projects. Some of the projects local 4-H members are involved in include: Shooting Sports (trap and skeet, 22 smallbore rifle, and archery), Foods and Nutrition, Clothing, Steers, Lambs, Hogs, Goats, Heifers, Photography, Horse, Community Service, Leadership, Gardening and others.

You can join the 4-H community today. To learn how to become a 4-H member or volunteer leader in Garza County, contact Greg Jones, County Extension Agent-Ag, at the Texas Cooperative Extension office at 215 West Main Street in Post, or call

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4-H is a community of more than seven million young people across America who are learning leadership, citizenship and life skills. Learn more about the 4-H adventure at www.4husa.org.

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• October 7 thru October 13

Friday, October 7

7 a.m. Reception Honoring State Sen. E.L. Short
10 a.m. This Week In Post City
2 p.m. Reception Honoring State Sen. E.L. Short
5 p.m. This Week In Post City
7:15 p.m. Post City Radio's LIVE Antelope Football
11 p.m. This Week In Post City

Saturday, October 8

7 a.m. Reception Honoring State Sen. E.L. Short
10 a.m. This Week In Post City
2 p.m. Post Antelope Football vs Shallowater
5 p.m. This Week In Post City
8 p.m. Reception Honoring State Sen. E.L. Short
10 p.m. Post Antelope Football vs Shallowater

Sunday, October 9

2 p.m. Post Antelope Football vs Shallowater
5 p.m. This Week In Post City
8 p.m. Post Antelope Football vs Shallowater
10 p.m. Reception Honoring State Sen. E.L. Short

Monday, October 10

7 a.m. Reception Honoring State Sen. E.L. Short
10 a.m. This Week In Post City
1, 5 & 10 p.m. Post Church of Christ Sunday Services

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, October 11, 12 & 13

7 a.m. Reception Honoring State Sen. E.L. Short
9 a.m. Garza County Commissioners' Court
11 a.m. Post ISD Board of Trustees
2 p.m. Garza County Hospital District
5 p.m. Post City Council
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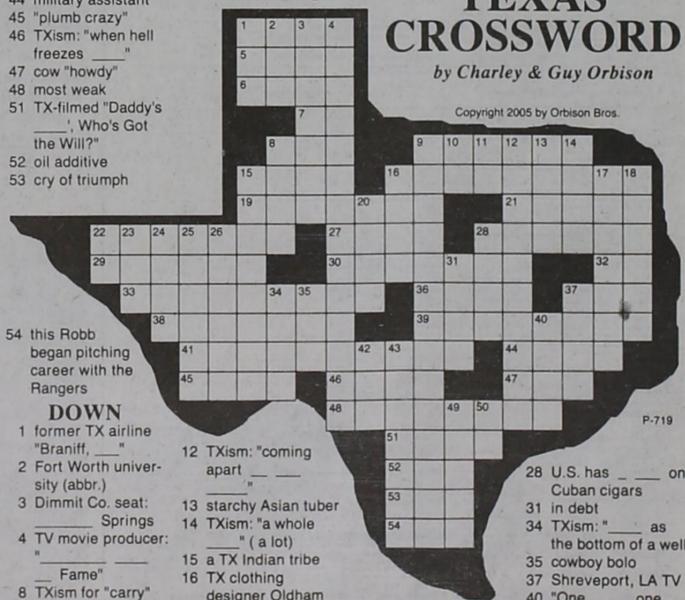
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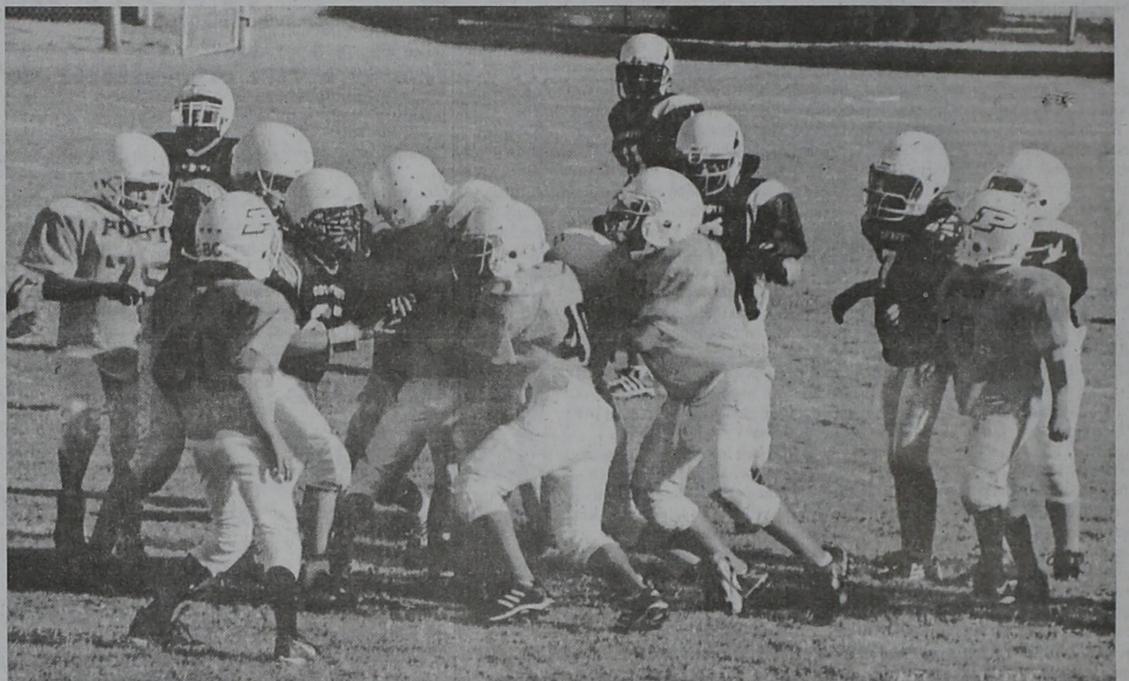
Southland Eagle ball carrier Stace Norman (10) shoots down field for more yards as Southland took on Meadow last Friday night. Norman made the Lubbock Avalanche Journal area High School football honor roll for his performance with his team against Ropes last week. A 145 lb. senior from Southland, Norman carried the ball 9 times for a total of 163 yards and 4 touchdowns in a 50 - 32 win over Ropes last week. (Photo by Rhonda Norman)



Southland Eagles defenders Jessie Ortiz (11) and Cory Powell (25) stops a Meadow ball carrier during last Friday's game at Meadow. (Photo by Rhonda Norman)



Adding a new spice to the pre-game entrance with the Post Antelope football players and cheerleaders, are the recently organized Antelope flag bearers. The players, cheerleaders and flag bearers are seen dashing on to the field during last week's game at Abernathy. (Staff photo by Tim Burnett)



Post Pee Wee Gold team players stopping a Cowboy ball carrier during last Saturday's game are (left to right), Johnny Torres (75), Talar Soto (80), Steven Howard (82), Dale Diaz (40), Jordan Aguilar (72) and Vance Blair (8). (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Post Pee Wee Gold Team ball carrier Dale Diaz (40) is dropped after gained yards during last Saturday's action against the Cowboys. In on the play are Gold team players (left to right), Matt Nava (18), Jordan Aguilar (72), Caden Dean (33) and Paul Martinez (85). (Photo by Jerry Taylor)

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