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Weekend rainfall boosts lake levels, slows cotton

Generous rains over the past week have helped boost lake levels and green up lawns. Cotton farmers are shaking their heads, with the rain setting back plans for harvesting.

In Post, National Weather

Service reports from the Lubbock office's Web site indicate city residents received more than two inches of rainfall over the weekend. Total precipitation for the month stands at 3.68 inches.

Rainfall was even more plentiful at White River Lake, where NWS figures put weekend rains at about 2.25 inches, boosting the month-to-date total to 5.38 inches.

Officials with the White River

Municipal Water District, however, reported even heavier rains over the weekend. On Tuesday, district officials reported 5.93 inches of rainfall from between Friday morning and Monday morning. The precipitation bumped the lake level up by 2.1 feet, the "biggest increase in quite a while," according to a district employee.

NWS records put Lake Alan Henry's weekend rains at close to three inches and the October to-date total at 4.83 inches.

Post Notes

Pancake supper before Friday's game

The Post High School UIL Academic Booster Club will host a Pancake Supper on Friday, October 20, at the cafeteria prior to the Post-Slaton football game from 5-7 p.m. Tickets are \$5 and may be purchased from any PHS Academic team, or call the High School office at 495-2770. Proceeds will benefit the UIL academic teams. All UIL parents please contact Salli Bush for a time to work.

Pep rally for the band

PHS will be having a pep rally for the Pride of Post Band on Saturday, October 21 at 10 a.m. at the football field. The band will be leaving shortly after to compete in their UIL Marching contest at Lowery Field in Lubbock. Come show your support for these kids. For those wishing to go to the contest, Post is scheduled to perform at 2:45 p.m.

Post Lodge will meet Saturday morning

Post Lodge 1058 will meet on Saturday, October 21 from 8-9 a.m. All members are urged to attend the E.A. Degree Ceremony. For more information call Archie Gill at 495-3419.

Victory line for the Lopes

The Post Athletic Booster Club is urging all Antelopes fans to bring noise makers, signs and a lot of spirit to the Gail Highway, east of the football stadium at 6 p.m. this Friday night to cheer the Antelopes to the field. Pom-poms will be given out to help boost spirit. The street victory line will also be formed for the last home game against Idalou. Come out and support your team!

PISD to host blood drive

United Blood Services will be at Post Schools on Friday, October 20 from 1-6 p.m. You can donate blood at either location: Post Elementary, in the donor bus or Post High School, in the bus by the old gym. For an appointment contact Marianne at 495-3414 ext. 403 or go to www.bloodhero.com sponsor code: phs or posths.

Southland Homecoming

Southland ISD is celebrating its 95th Anniversary. The Southland administration, faculty along with present and past students will hold a pre-game hamburger cookout. The event will be held on homecoming night, October 20 at 6 p.m. at the Southland School. Entertainment will be provided by one of our former students, Ray Perryman. Admission will be \$5 and includes the meal and admittance to the football game.

Meet the Lady Lopes Night

The annual "Meet the Lady Lopes Night" will be held Monday, October 23 at 7 p.m. in the Antelope Arena. Lady Lopes from Middle School to varsity will be introduced at the event.

Athletic Booster Club will meet Tuesday

The Athletic Booster Club's next meeting will be on Tuesday, October 24 at 6:30 p.m. in the Post High School Library. The drawing for two free tickets to Texas Tech vs. Texas football game on October 28 at AT&T Jones Stadium will be held during the club's meeting.

Foster/Adopt Information meeting set

Texas Department of Family and Protective Services invites all persons interested in fostering or adopting to attend an information meeting being held on Thursday, October 19 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held at First Christian Church Fellowship Hall, 806 W. 13th Street in Post. Participants will learn the process of fostering and adopting children that are removed from their homes due to abuse or neglect.

PHS Class of '46 reunion planned

The Post High School Class of 1946 will conduct its 60th class reunion on October 21 at Chapa's Restaurant. Activities will begin at 11 a.m.; lunch will be served at about noon. Meals will be free, but organizers need to know in advance who and how many are planning to attend. Contact Billie Windham at 495-3113 with that information.

"Oliver" at Garza Theatre is a must see

"Oliver" by Lionel Barts and directed by Jay Young will run one more weekend at the Garza Theatre, October 20-21. Curtain times are Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday matinee at 2:30 p.m. Tickets prices for this production only are adults - \$13 and children - ages 6 to 12 - \$10. You may make your reservations by calling Garza Theatre at 495-4005. The office hours are Monday-Friday, 12:30-5:00 p.m.

Fall Festival set at VFW

The Ladies Auxiliary VFW of Post 6797 will be holding a Fall Festival-Garage Sale on October 21 at the post on the Clairmont Highway. They will be selling spaces for \$10 and \$25 depending on the size, tables will be furnished. If anyone is interested in having a garage sale or arts and crafts at this time call Ruth Walls at 495-4185 or Janet Ratliff at 495-2026.

Free GED classes

GED classes are offered at Post High School on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5-8 p.m. in room 18 (enter building thru southwest entrance). These classes are free to the public. For further information, please call (806) 495-2770, leave a name and phone number and you will be contacted by the a GED instructor.

8th Annual Lord's Acre set October 21

Mark your calendar's now for the 8th Annual Lord's Acre: Saturday, October 21, at the Community Center, 6:30 p.m. The event provides financial assistance to local organizations. To make your reservation to attend call: Jane Odom, 495-3056; Carol Williams, 495-2156; Kelli Egan, 495-0255 or Jackie Minor, 495-2816.

Golden Plains welcomes trick or treaters

Golden Plains CAre Center would like to invite all children to come by on Tuesday, October 31 from 7-9 p.m. to trick or treat.

\$500 cash giveaway in PCM bucks

Beginning November 1 all of your purchases and receipts will be put into a hopper to win \$500 in "Post City Merchant Bucks" Drawing will be held December 16 at Garza Theatre. The "Bucks" (same as cash) can be redeemed through December 31 at any participating member of the Post City Merchants Businesses. For more information and to join our group, contact Donna Degan at Plum Crazy, 495-0888.

Early voting begins October 23

Early voting in the election will begin October 23 and run through November 3.

Election information

You can find complete information about the November 7, 2006 General Election at www.garzacounty.net then click on "Election".

Spice up your life

Trailblazers need all kinds of spices, especially those blends that are salt-free. So ladies! search your cupboards for un-opened extras. Bring them with a friend and stay for lunch.

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 events. Sales will continue through November

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Antelopes up-end Denver City

Post Antelope running back Steven Hair (22 left) throws a block sending a Denver City defender in the air clearing the way for Lope running back Wilson Cash (4) to move the ball down field during last Friday's game at Denver City. The 'Lopes face the undefeated Slaton Tigers Friday here (see details on Pages 10 and 11). (Staff photo by Tim Burnett)



Post High School sophomore Jessica Quisenberry placed 12th chair, soprano in the September 30 All-Region Choir competition at Snyder. The competition included hundreds of students from Class 1-A through 5-A schools, with 80 vying for a soprano chair. The All-Region Concert will be held November 11 at Monterey High School in Lubbock. Jessica also qualified for the pre-area auditions, which are scheduled for November 10 at Lubbock High School to determine those who will compete at Area. Those advancing from Area competition will participate in the TMEA All-State Choir in San Antonio at the TMEA Convention in February. Jessica is the daughter of David and Tammy Quisenberry. Both parents are PHS teachers.

School graffiti incident traced to night student

A young man enrolled in the Post Independent School District's evening GED program is believed to have been responsible for graffiti discovered at the high school early Friday.

Superintendent Marlin Marcum said a water-soluble marker was used to write on the windows of the Post High School library and at least one locker, but the graffiti left no physical damage. The graffiti was cleaned up before students arrived for classes Friday morning.

Marcum said he was unaware of what was specifically written

on the windows and the locker. The incident was reported to the Garza County Sheriff's Department, but as of Tuesday morning Post ISD officials had received no response from sheriff's department personnel.

Marcum said it is unlikely the juvenile suspect will be prosecuted.

Garza Theatre's 'Oliver!' finishes run Saturday

Final performances of "Oliver! The Musical," a show based on Charles Dickens' "Oliver Twist," will be Friday and Saturday at the Garza Theatre.

Performances begin at 8 p.m.

Directed by Jay Young, "Oliver!" follows the adventures of an orphan boy as he attempts

to escape a life of poverty by running away to mid-19th Century London. Once there, he encounters a savvy band of young pickpockets led by the unscrupulous Fagin.

Featured in the production are Taylor Blevins, Trevor Greene, Rob Holton, Rebecca Smithee, Karen Dolter, David Johnson,

Laura Bryan, James Graham, Jessica Quisenberry, Clarissa Baker, Zachery Kocurek, James Bell and Shirley Cahn.

Tickets (for this production only) cost \$13 for adults and \$10 for children ages six to 12.

For more information, contact the Garza Theatre box office at 495-4005.



The musical "Oliver" continues this weekend at Garza Theatre

Cast members performing "Oliver" last Saturday in Garza Theatre are (left to right) Mari Robles, Clarissa Baker, Eileen Aiken, Ashley Stephens (front), Rob Holton, Mitzi Ravenscraft, James Graham, Rebecca Smithee and Tressa Blackburn. Under the direction of Jay Young, the musical is slated to run this weekend on Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. with a matinee performance scheduled on Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

(Staff photo by Tim Burnett)

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This Week In Post City

by Rosa Latimer-Bell
LET'S SUPPORT ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Have you noticed that often when you ask high schoolers to tell you a little bit about themselves, if sports is a big part of their lives, the words virtually tumble out. "I'm in track, power lifting, etc." However, a student who is involved in non-sporting activities, too often begins by saying, "Well, I don't play football" or "I don't run track or anything like that." Then they proceed to list their activities - one-act play, National Honor Society, Band, Debate, etc. It is almost as if these kids are in the habit of apologizing because they aren't involved in sports.

Now, please don't misunderstand - I enjoy a good football game as much as anyone and I believe playing sports teaches great life lessons. It just saddens me that somehow we've impressed on our

kids that anything but sports is somehow a second-rate activity.

I believe I'm not alone in this concern as I've noticed the organization recently of an Academic Booster Club in Post. Let's encourage this group any way we can! Enjoy their pancake supper Friday night before the football game!

Through the public support of "educational excellence" we send a strong message to children that participating in a diversity of activities is something to be rewarded.

PROMOTING FUN IN POST

Bill Harp of Post and his brother-in-law Jack Hataway of Early are pictured in this month's Texas Yes! newsletter from the Texas Department of Agriculture. These guys are shown providing music on Main Street in Post during the Celebration Day festivities.

PRESERVING FAMILY MEMORIES

This tip came to me via an email that had been forwarded many, many times so I can't give credit to the person who discovered this, but you might find this helpful as you begin to put your family history together for the Centennial Celebration. Here's a way to make newspaper clippings last for years: Dissolve a Milk of Magnesia tablet in a quart of club soda overnight. Pour the mixture into a pan large enough for the flattened news item. Next, soak the clipping for one hour, remove and pat dry. Allow it to dry completely before moving again.

PARITY FOR COTTON FARMERS

A group of West Texans (led by Jerry Kitten of Slaton) have created an innovative approach to make sure that a cotton farmer will receive parity price for at least a portion of his product. (Parity is the price farmers would receive for their product if farm prices had increased at the same rate as expenses.) Today's cotton price to the farmer is about sixty cents per pound and parity price is \$2.30/lb.

Briefly, here's how the project works:

A cotton farmer earmarks one bale of cotton to be used to produce cotton jeans under the company name West Texas Blue Jeans L.P. The price paid to the farmer for this bale of cotton will be at the parity price at the time. Approximately 330 pairs of jeans will be manufactured (in Texas) from each bale of cotton and these "All Texas" jeans will be sold at a competitive price to the consumer.

The label on the jeans will show the actual portion of the selling price that is the farmer's share. It is estimated that this share will be approximately \$3.46 for each pair of jeans.

Plans are in place to sell these jeans on the internet and in retail outlets throughout the region.

This is a brief overview, but each step of this project has been carefully planned and implemented and the jeans will be available soon.

This is an excellent, realistic way to show how it is possible to pay parity price to farmers and still produce a quality, affordable product. Once the "Tractor Jeans" project is under way, this principle could be applied to other farm products. If

you'd like to know more, give Mr. Kitten a call at 806-828-6244.

QUOTE(S) OF THE WEEK

Here are two quotes I chose from an interview with Dolly Parton that I read recently: - "Storms make trees take deeper roots."

- "I'm not offended by all the dumb blonde jokes because I know I'm not dumb... and I also know that I'm not blonde."

That's it for this week in Post City!

Early voting begins Monday

Early voting for the Nov. 7 general election, which will decide several local races along with the Texas gubernatorial race, will begin Monday.

In Garza County, early voting will take place from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays through Nov. 3 on the first floor of the courthouse.

Voting on election day will run from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at polling places located throughout the county (watch The Post Dispatch for a full report of polling places).

Of the six ballots designed to serve Garza County voters (the ballot each voter receives is dictated by the voting precinct in which he or she resides), 30 political races will be determined, including one federal position, 21 state offices, one district office, three county-wide seats and four county precinct posts, according to a report by the county clerk's office. Seven of those races are uncontested.

Local races to be settled by voters on Nov. 7 include (names listed as presented on ballots):

- District judge, 106th Judicial District - Carter T. Schildknecht, Rep.; James J. Napper, Dem.
- County judge - Lee Norman, Rep.
- District and county clerk - Jim Plummer, Rep.
- County treasurer - Fred Howell, Rep.; Ruth Ann Young, Dem.
- County commissioner, Precinct 2 - Charles Morris, Rep.
- County commissioner, Precinct 4 - Cliff Kirkpatrick, Rep.; Mike Sanchez, Dem.
- Justice of the peace, Precinct 1 - Gordon Terry, Rep.
- Justice of the peace, Precinct 2 - Dee C. Justice, Dem.

The sole write-in candidate running for local office is Les Rutherford, a candidate for the Precinct 2 justice of the peace position, according to information from the county clerk's office.

Post Notes

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6. If you wish to support the scouts, but have not been approached by a scout, please call Scoutmaster Trevor Thuet at 495-3476 to place an order or come by our scout meetings at the Train Depot on Tuesday evenings from 7:30-8:30 p.m. prior to November 6.

Lighted Christmas Parade December 2

Post Commerce and Tourism Bureau is sponsoring the Lighted Christmas Parade downtown on Saturday, December 2. There will be no entry fee, but each entry must be "lighted." There will be a "Best of Show" and "Most Original" in each division. Deadline is November 25. To place your business, organization or novelty/individual entry for the parade, please call Donna Degan at 495-0888 or pick up your entry form at 220 E. Main at Plum Crazy.



Receiving 60 Year Awards on October 12 during a meeting of Post Lodge 1058 are (front row left to right) J.W. Richardson and Walton McQueen, with (back row) Paul Beebe, D.D. Brad Whitten and Archie Gill participating in the ceremony.

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Last weekend's water line of nearly on Monday morning (Staff photo by ...)

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Last weekend's rain falls caused the North Fork Brazos River near Justiceburg to rise to a high water line of nearly 10 feet according to a Geological Survey team who took discharge measurements on Monday morning. (Staff photo by Tim Burnett)

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Post ISD approves upgrades at school auditorium, track

During their Oct. 10 meeting, trustees for the Post Independent School District authorized the letting of bids on a pair of projects – the resurfacing of the school track and the recarpeting of the auditorium.

Following the review of the three bids received on the track project, the board agreed with the recommendation to go with the low bid offered by Pro Tech Track Co. of Tyler. Superintendent Marlin Marcum said the company would be doing a routine resurfacing of the track facility beginning in about six weeks.

Two bids were received on the replacement of the carpet in the school auditorium. The board agreed to go with the bid offered by Duncan Carpets of Littlefield. This task, too, is representative of routine maintenance and repair, Marcum said.

In other business, board members:

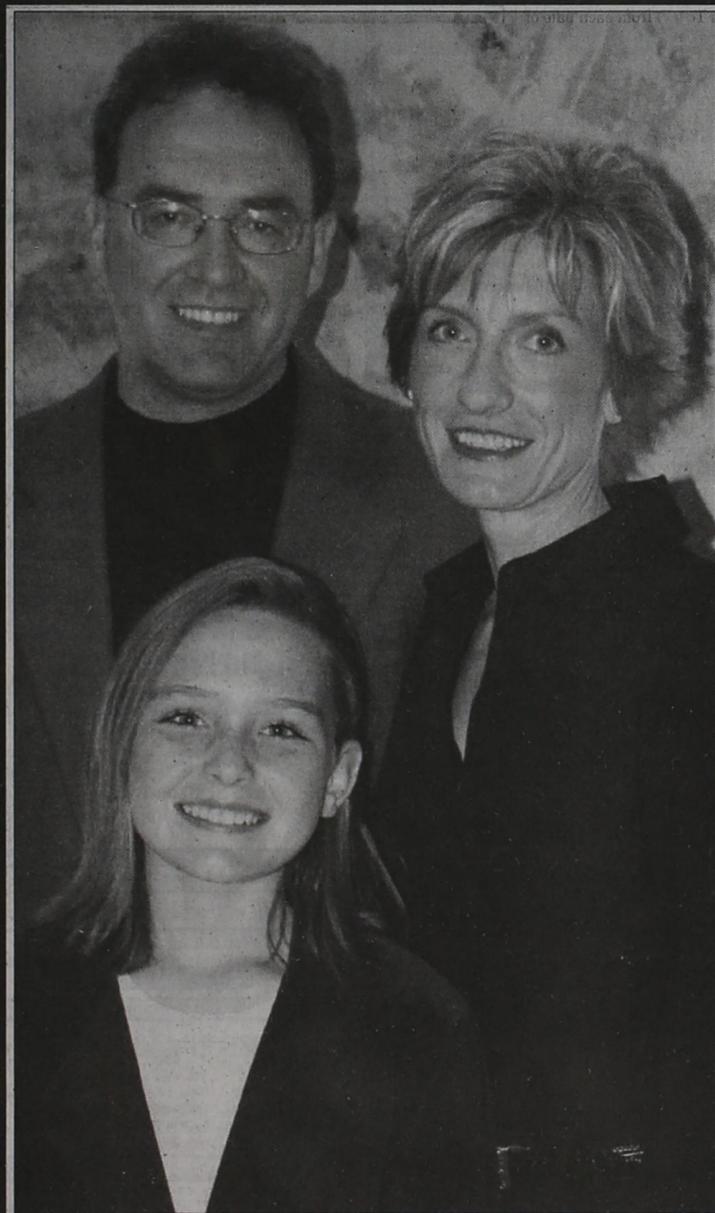
- Approved the Purchasing Co-ops Agreement that allows teachers to purchase supplies and materials through co-ops.
- Were advised that the district has been named the recipient of a \$40,000 Texas Education Excellence Grant. The merit pay grant was awarded by the state to be divided by teaching staff at the juvenile detention center. The awarding of the grant is based on the center's test scores from last year and "excellence in performance among disadvantaged kids," Marcum said.
- Received several campus and program reports.
- Handled the district's monthly bills and financial obligations.



Ruth Ann YOUNG

Garza County Treasurer

Pol Adv Paid for by Ruth Ann Young, Rt. 2, Post, TX 79356 Jerry Tyler, Campaign Treasurer



My name is James J. Napper and I am running for the office of District Judge. I am the son and grandson of Dawson County farmers and a proud sixth-generation Texan. I graduated from Lamesa High School, the University of Texas, and received a Doctor of Jurisprudence degree from U.T. School of Law. I have been practicing law for over 14 years with 12 years in this district, primarily in the area of criminal, family, estate and business law. I have also served as County Attorney for Lynn County for seven years, which gave me experience both in county government, and as a criminal prosecutor.

I am married to Gina Slover Napper, a graduate of Lamesa High School and Texas Tech University. She is a teacher in the O'Donnell Independent School District and a Girl Scout leader. We are the proud parents of a ten-year old daughter, Chesney, who is a fifth grade student at O'Donnell Elementary.

Thankfully, I have a successful law practice, and I enjoy my professional and civic commitments. Above all, I believe in our judicial system. It is the finest accomplishment that man has devised for handling problems and conflicts in a civilized society. However, for our judicial system to work, it must be fair, reasonable, and impartial. Furthermore the judges occupying the benches in our courts must not only be fair, reasonable and impartial, but they should **not** use their judgeship as a political tool or as a means to secure business for their own or other's private enterprises. Most importantly, the judge should **not** be above the law; and should obey the laws, including all traffic laws and regulations of the State of Texas.

I am a candidate for your District Judge because I believe in the impartiality of our judicial system, and I believe that **all** of us have the right to expect a fair, reasonable and impartial judge. If elected, my promise to you, the voters, is this: I will **not** use the office of District Judge as a political tool. I will **not** place myself, my family, or my friends above the law. Not only will I uphold the laws, I will **obey** the laws, including traffic laws and regulations. I believe a judge, in particular, must be very careful in his or her judgments.

The Bible speaks on this issue:

"Do not pervert justice; do not show partiality to the poor or favoritism to the great, but judge your neighbor fairly." Lev. 19:15, NIV

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Obituaries

Oleain Seals Morris

Services for Oleain Seals Morris were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, 2006, in the Hudman Funeral Home with the Rev. John Murdock of the Christian Life Assembly of God in Lubbock officiating, assisted by the Rev. Michael Chase of College Park Assembly of God in Big Spring. Burial followed in the Terrace Cemetery under the direction of the Hudman Funeral Home.



She died Oct. 12 at Covenant Medical Center.

Born Oct. 14, 1918, in Kaufman to W.H. and Lillie Shaw, she worked at Postex for many years. She married Charlie Seals on Oct. 12, 1935. He preceded her in death on Jan. 21, 1984. She married W.A. Morris on Jan. 1, 1993. He preceded her in death on June 13, 1999. She was a member of the Christian Life Assembly of God.

Survivors include one daughter, Dorothy Williams of Lubbock; two sons, James Seals of Post and Charles Ray Seals of Coahoma; nine grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; one step-granddaughter; eight step-great-grandchildren; and six step-great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Doris Marie Seals, and two granddaughters, Teresa Williams and Lynn Williams.

Pallbearers were Dewayne Seals, James Seals, Richard Seals, Jay Williams, Kevin Williams and Christopher Beck.

Pauline Clinesmith

Services for Pauline Clinesmith, 70, of Denton, formerly of Post, were held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, 2006, in the Calvary Baptist Church in Post with the Rev. Kevin Blackburn, pastor, and the Rev. Morgan Ashworth of the First Baptist Church of Lone Grove, Okla., officiating. Burial followed in the Terrace Cemetery under the personal care of the Justice-Mason Funeral Home.

She died Oct. 10 in the Denton Regional Medical Center in Denton.

Born June 24, 1936, in Mineral Wells to Paul and Edith (Finger) McLean, she and her family moved to Levelland where she graduated from Levelland High School in 1955. She married Jack Clinesmith

on Sept. 12, 1964, in Levelland. The family moved to Post in 1969. She moved to Denton in August 2005. She was a longtime member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Post.

Survivors include two sons, Curtis of Denton and Scott of Dallas; one brother, Don McLean of Lubbock; and five grandchildren, Cameron Clinesmith, Blake Stone, Jackson Clinesmith, Lauren Clinesmith and Morgan Clinesmith.

She was preceded in death by her husband on Nov. 11, 1993; her parents; and one brother, Travis McLean.

Pallbearers were Whitey Barnett, Donald Caddell, Brad Pettit, Dick Clardy, Grover Parsons, Jack Parsons and Kip Gandy. Honorary pallbearers were grandsons Cameron Clinesmith, Blake Stone and Jackson Clinesmith.

Leola "Maggie" Jacobs

Services for Leola "Maggie" Jacobs were held Sept. 26, 2006, in the Golden Acres Baptist Church. Burial followed in the Grand View Memorial Park in Pasadena.

She died Sept. 23 following a brief illness.

Born Oct. 9, 1929, in New Deal to Bonnie Boyd and Telms Hodges, she grew up near Post and attended Post schools, graduating from Post High School. She worked as an operator for Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. She married William (Bill) Jacobs in Abilene 50 years ago in the Hanna Baptist Church in Anson. She was a member of the Golden Acres Baptist Church for many years where she taught and directed the children's department.

Survivors include her husband, Bill; two daughters, Cindy O'Quinn and husband Jimmy and Christi Blackburn and husband Kenny; four grandchildren, Tori and Andy O'Quinn and Rachel and Reid Blackburn; and one sister-in-law, Alawane (Bland) Hodges of Abilene.

She was preceded in death by one son, Mark Jacobs; two sisters, Oreta Bevers and Gearlean Hodges; two brother, J.W. (Dub) Hodges and David Hodges; and her parents.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested memorials be made to the Maggie's Kids Memorial Fund at the Golden Acres Baptist Church.

Martin G. Zamora

Services for Martin G. Zamora, 91, of Floydada were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2006, in the St. Mary Magdalen Church in Floydada. Burial followed in the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of the Cornerstone Funeral Directors of Plainview.

He died at 7:45 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15, in Plainview.

Born Sept. 27, 1915, in Atascosa County, Texas, he married Barnallina Hernandez Oct. 29, 1934.

Survivors include his wife, Barnallina Zamora of Floydada; seven daughters, Cecilia Villa and Julia Vieyra, both of San Marcos, Christina Aleman of Brownfield, Ruth Aleman and Mary Aleman, both of Floydada, Santos Tijerina of Lubbock and Josie Zamora of Round Rock; one son, Martin Zamora Jr. of Lubbock; one brother, Anselmo Casarez of Andrews; one sister, Lola Lopez of Lockhart; 30 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by three sons, one brother and one sister.

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On God's Word

By Timothy W. Burnett

The church dynamics...1Corinthians 12:4-6

After 1Corinthians 12:4-6 the subject changes to the manifestation of the spirit from God. Verses 7-10 list all the ways that people can profit from the manifestation of the spirit. It is impossible to perceive the existence of the spirit with our senses. We can't see, smell, taste nor touch it. God is the one who gave His spirit, and only by His word can we learn how to manifest the same spirit. He did not leave His people ignorant concerning these things.

"But the manifestation of the spirit is given to every man for profit. For to one is given by the spirit the word of wisdom. To another the word of knowledge by the same spirit. To another faith by the same spirit. To another the gifts of healing by the same spirit. To another the working of miracles. To another prophecy. To another discerning of spirits. To another different kinds of tongues. To another the interpretation of tongues." (1Corinthians 12:7-10).

The ability to manifest the spirit from God is given to every man for profit. The word "man" refers to all people in the category of mankind and includes women. It is given to everybody who is filled with holy spirit. One of the popular beliefs in many churches is that different people are gifted with certain abilities.

It is said that one person has the gift of speaking in tongues, while another person has the gift of discerning spirits. The general belief is that other people will not be able to do what they are not gifted with. If the word says that the manifestation of the spirit is given to every man, then that means that everybody who is filled with holy spirit will be able to profit from the manifestation

of the spirit in all nine ways.

There are nine ways that Christians can profit from the manifestation of the spirit from God. The verses uses the word "another." There is a minute detail that must be addressed in this study. The word "another" was translated from two different Greek words. They are allos and heteros. Seven of the nine are joined with allos and refer to another of the same kind, where as two of the nine are joined with heteros and refer to another of a different kind. (The Companion Bible, Appendix 124 1&2).

The two that are joined with heteros (another of a different kind) are faith and different tongues. These two are a different kind because they are unique to the administration of the grace of God that we currently live in. Speaking in tongues was not available prior to the events of Acts 2:4 when the spirit of God was poured out in the temple launching the beginning of the new spiritual administration. Also, it was not possible to have the faith of our Lord Jesus Christ. This is the meaning of the word faith here.

Romans 3:21-22, "But now the righteousness of God without the law is manifested, being witnessed by the law and the prophets. Even the righteousness of God which is by faith of Jesus Christ unto all and upon all them that believe. For there is no difference." This fits perfectly with the above reference to the manifestation of the spirit being given to all.

1Corinthians 12:7-10 destroys all confusion concerning what God's people are spiritually capable of during this fantastic administration of the grace of God.

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Cocktail party cred

by Bill O'Reilly

If you can handle yourself on the avenues of urban America, the wise guys will say you have "street cred." That means you are savvy in the ways of the hood and have credibility among the denizens thereof. "Street cred" allows you acceptance in some tough neighborhoods.

In the media salons of Manhattan and Los Angeles there is also a hunger for social credibility. Let's call it "cocktail party cred." That is an acceptance among your peers at swell gatherings where expensive wine and canapes are served.

"Cocktail party cred" has a bit in common with "street cred," in that you must have the right attitude. On the pavement, you have to be physically tough and creatively profane. In the media soirees, of course, that is not necessary — but you must think a certain way.

Let me give you an example. The "CBS Evening News with Katie Couric" recently began a commentary segment featuring a variety of Americans spouting off for about 90 seconds. One of the first guys invited to speak was Brian Rohrbach, whose 15-year-old son Daniel was murdered in the Columbine High School massacre. Ever since that terrible tragedy, Mr. Rohrbach has been thinking about why it happened, what drove two teenagers to murder 12 of their peers for absolutely no reason.

Rohrbach came to the conclusion that the secularization of public schools and a permissive society led to his son's death. So on the Katie Couric newscast, he said this: "For over two generations, the public school system has taught in a moral vacuum, expelling God from the school and from the government, replacing him with evolution, where the strong kill the weak without consequences."

"And life has no inherent value. We teach there are no absolutes, no right or wrong. And I assure you, the murder of innocent children is always wrong, including by abortion."

Uh-oh. The "CBS News" website was deluged with viewers indignant that Rohrbach was allowed to utter such heresy. Many people vowed never to watch "CBS News" again. How could this happen, they asked. How could that kind of opinion be allowed on CBS?

So Couric replied on her blog: "We knew when we decided to put on this segment that a lot of people would disagree with it. We also knew some might even find it repugnant."

Repugnant? Why would Couric use such a loaded word? If a pro-choice person delivered a commentary on "CBS News," would Katie have used the "R" word? I don't think so, because there would have been no controversy. The pro-choice position is standard issue at almost every media operation in America.

But it's not among the folks. A recent CNN poll says that 45 percent of Americans believe abortion should be outlawed unless the mother's life is threatened. That's almost half the country. But, trust me, those people are not sipping cocktails with the media elite.

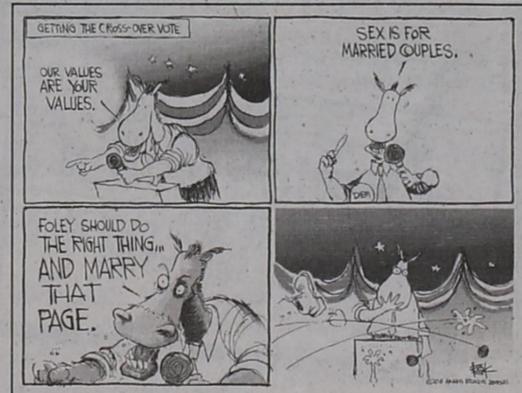
In the tony world of the national media, a pro-life American who believes that God deserves some academic exposure is a commoner, a groundling, a prole. If you question a woman's "reproductive rights," there will be few party invitations for you. Believing that secularism has, indeed, led to social problems would melt your "cocktail party cred" quicker than a snowman in Aruba.

The truth is that the national media is dominated by a "group think" that does, indeed, find Rohrbach's analysis repugnant. I do not believe Couric meant to offend Rohrbach. I think she just couldn't believe what he said. I may be wrong, but in her social circles that kind of worldview is rarely, if ever, heard.

So listen closely. The American media is now addicted to politically correct discourse garnished with Brie and whatever tartare. Brian Rohrbach may speak for millions of everyday Americans, but to the press poobahs he is from another planet. At one time in this country the media was supposed to respect and look out for the folks. But that was then and this is now.

Another cocktail, anyone? Veteran TV news anchor Bill O'Reilly is host of the Fox News show "The O'Reilly Factor" and author of the book "Who's Looking Out For You?" To find out more about Bill O'Reilly, and read features by other Creators Syndicate writers and cartoonists, visit the Creators Syndicate web page at www.creators.com. This column originates on the Web site www.billoreilly.com. COPYRIGHT 2006 Bill O'Reilly.

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Foreign trade angst

by Walter E. Williams

Patrick Buchanan's recent syndicated column titled "New Deal for U.S. Manufacturers" stokes the fires of misunderstanding and panic. Mr. Buchanan, my longtime friend, is right about a lot of things, but he's wrong about trade.

First, he laments, "Europeans, Japanese, Canadians and Chinese sell us so much more than they buy from us, because they have rigged the rules of world trade." But so what? I buy more from my grocer than he buys from me. It wouldn't make a difference if I lived 2 feet south of the U.S.-Canadian border and my grocer lived 2 feet north of it.

Like many, Buchanan worries about our foreign trade deficit, pointing out that it's reaching an annual rate of \$816 billion, and that means "dependency on foreigners." Actually, the foreign dependency is a two-way street. I'll explain it, starting with the alleged trade deficit I run with my grocer.

When I purchase \$100 worth of groceries, my goods account (groceries) rises by \$100, but my capital account (money) falls by \$100. That means there's really a balance in my trade account. By the same token, my grocer's goods account (groceries) falls by \$100 but his capital account (money) rises by \$100, also a balance in his trade account.

Mr. Buchanan writes, "Imports surged to \$188 billion for the month [of July], as our dependency on foreigners for the vital necessities of our national life ever deepens." That means we imported \$188 billion worth of goods. Do foreigners keep all those dollars they earned under a mattress? They are not that stupid. They use those dollars to import capital goods such as U.S. stocks, bonds and U.S. Treasury notes.

They might use some of it to build factories in the U.S. such as Honda, Novartis and Samsung. The dollar amount of those purchases is going to equalize the value of what we import. We sport a huge surplus in our capital account with foreigners. As such, they are dependent on us for a safe and profitable place to invest their earnings. That dependency contributes to our economic growth.

Then there's Buchanan's worry about U.S. manufacturing job loss. U.S.

farmer has a similar history. Farm employment peaked between 1840 and 1870. In 1900, 40 percent of American workers were employed in farming; today, it's less than two percent. Technological advances made that possible. U.S. manufacturing employment reached its peak in 1950 and has been in decline ever since.

This has more to do with technological innovation than outsourcing. It's a worldwide phenomenon. Since 2000, China has lost 4.5 million manufacturing jobs compared to the loss of 3.1 million in the U.S. Nine of the top 10 manufacturing countries, who produce 75 percent of the world's manufacturing output (the U.S., Japan, Germany, China, Britain, France, Italy, Korea, Canada, and Mexico), have lost manufacturing jobs, Italy being the exception. Because of technological progress, manufacturing output has risen while manufacturing employment has fallen.

I'm one of those whom Pat calls "robotic free-traders." That might be another label for those of us who support peaceable, voluntary exchange, and I plead guilty. Buchanan, like so many others, points to the government subsidies and tariff protections given to businesses in other countries, a practice from which we can't plead complete innocence. Protectionists call for "free trade but fair trade." They call for a "level playing field."

In effect, they're saying that if other governments rip off their citizens with business subsidies and import duties, forcing them to pay higher prices, our government should retaliate by using the same tools to rip off its citizens.

The next time I see Pat, I might ask him what he would do if we both were at sea in a rowboat and I shot a hole in my end of the boat. Would he retaliate by shooting a hole in his end?

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Al-Queda in Federal Court

by Jacob G. Hornberger

Ever since 9/11, U.S. officials have been telling us that the "war on terrorism" has made it necessary for the U.S. military to hijack America's criminal justice system by taking suspected terrorists into military custody and punishing them, denying them the rights normally guaranteed to criminal defendants in the Bill of Rights.

The feds have argued that the war against terrorists requires a different set of rules. They told us that the 9/11 attacks were an act of war, not a criminal act of terrorism. They said that al-Qaeda was a different kind of enemy and that the war on terrorism was a different kind of war — different from, say, the war on the Mafia or the war on drugs. This new type of war, they said, required military invasions of sovereign and independent countries, military tribunals, torture, and the cancellation of federal court involvement in matters of terrorism.

Well, if all that's true, then why have U.S. officials secured a grand jury indictment for treason in federal district court against Adam Yahiye Gadahn, an American who is said to have joined al-Qaeda and even made propaganda videotapes in its behalf? As an important member of al-Qaeda, wouldn't he ordinarily be a poster child for the new rules of engagement in the war on terrorism?

Long-time supporters of The Future of Freedom Foundation will recall that immediately after 9/11 we wrote that a military attack on Afghanistan in an attempt to capture Osama bin Laden and bring him to justice would just end up killing thousands of innocent Afghan people, which would then generate more anger and more hatred, which in turn would produce more threats of terrorism. We wrote the same thing in the months leading up to the invasion of Iraq.

In retrospect, no one can deny that the wars on Afghanistan and Iraq have turned both countries into violence-ridden, terrorist-producing wastelands. In fact, the invasion of Afghanistan, along with the war on Iraq, has been a dream-come-true for bin Laden and al-Qaeda recruiters, given the enormous anger and hatred that have arisen in response to massive military strikes both in Afghanistan and Iraq that have killed and maimed hundreds of thousands of innocent people.

As one senior Western military official in Afghanistan recently put it, "We have killed a lot of Taliban, but they are not running out of foot soldiers, and for every one we kill, we create new families that hate us." As the recently issued National Intelligence Estimate stated, "A stark assessment of terrorism trends by American intelligence agencies has found that the American invasion and occupation of Iraq has helped spawn a new generation of Islamic radicalism and that the overall terrorist threat has grown since the Sept. 11 attacks."

"So you would have just let the 9/11 terrorists go?" critics said to us. Absolutely not, we responded. Instead, we recommended doing what is always done when a criminal offense is committed. Start looking for leads, both domestic and foreign, cooperate with foreign law-enforcement agencies, and put out a large reward for the capture of the terrorist suspects. If nothing else, isolate them so that they couldn't do any more harm before they were

captured and brought to justice. Most important, we argued that it was necessary to reevaluate and change U.S. foreign policy, which had generated the anger and hatred that led to the 9/11 attacks.

Well, guess what the feds have done in the case of Adam Yahiye Gadahn, who is believed to be in Pakistan. No, they're not threatening to invade Pakistan to secure his capture. Hopefully, they have figured out that that would only incite more anger and hatred as a result of the U.S. military's killing thousands of innocent people in the process and, as we learned with bin Laden, it wouldn't even guarantee Gadahn's capture.

Instead, U.S. officials are doing exactly what we said should have been done with bin Laden and his cohorts. They're offering a reward of \$1 million for information leading to his capture, at which point they intend to bring him back to the United States to stand trial in a federal district court, rather than send him to Guantanamo Bay for torture and a kangaroo trial.

Will Gadahn be arrested soon? We don't know. Sometimes bringing people to justice can be done relatively quickly, as when U.S. officials indicted and convicted foreigner Zacarias Moussaoui, a member of al-Qaeda who was involved in the 9/11 attacks. Sometimes it takes longer, as with Ramzi Yousef, the foreign terrorist who attacked the World Trade Center in 1993 and who wasn't captured until two years later — in response to a big reward for his capture. Yousef too was indicted, tried, and convicted in federal district court rather than turned over to the U.S. military for confinement, torture, and punishment.

Question: If the federal court system and the Bill of Rights are good enough for two foreigners who committed terrorist acts against the World Trade Center — Ramzi Yousef and Zacarias Moussaoui — and an American accused of being an active member of al-Qaeda, then why isn't it good enough for all persons accused of terrorism? Equally important, where are the rule of law and equal treatment under law when some terrorist suspects can be treated one way (i.e., military custody and kangaroo courts) and others treated another way (i.e., federal court jurisdiction and the Bill of Rights)?

If the U.S. government had followed the same procedure with bin Laden, who, as everyone knows is still at large, that it followed with Ramzi Yousef, Zacarias Moussaoui, and now Adam Yahiye Gadahn, instead of having followed the military route, countless innocent people would still be alive today; untold numbers of people would not have been detained, tortured, and sexually abused by the CIA and the military; and the world's post-9/11 sympathy would not have turned to anger, hatred, and disrespect for this country. In fact, if the world had stayed with us rather than turning against us in response to Afghanistan, Iraq, and Guantanamo, bin Laden might well be in captivity today or, at the very least, would be isolated and would not be having such an easy time recruiting people to his cause.

Mr. Hornberger is founder and president of The Future of Freedom Foundation. He will be among the 22 speakers at FFF's upcoming conference on June 1-4 in Reston, Virginia: "Restoring the Constitution: Foreign Policy and Civil Liberties" (www.fff.org/whatsNew/conference.htm). Send him email.

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Tips for Facing the Cold and Flu Season

by Nancy McDonald
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Texans are always grateful for the cooler weather that comes during the winter months. However, with this welcome weather comes the dreaded cold and flu season. Each year, 10-20 percent of Americans will contract the influenza virus, better known as "the flu." The common cold takes an even greater toll on people affecting around 25 percent of the population annually. While there are no proven methods to prevent these maladies, there are some simple precautions that may help reduce your risk of feeling under the weather.

Wash Your Hands: Most cold and flu germs are spread by direct contact. If you were to sneeze into your hand and then touch a doorknob, the germs may stay on that doorknob for hours even days. So wash your hands often you will be taking a big step toward preventing illness.

Sneezes and Coughs: Many people have the initial reaction to cover their nose or mouth with their hands when they sneeze or cough. A better practice would be to cover the nose and mouth with a tissue or handkerchief. Germs cling to your bare hands muffling coughs and sneezes with your hands results in passing along your germs to others. If you don't have a tissue, turn your head away from people near you and cough into the air. If you do cover a sneeze or cough with your hands, remember to wash your hands immediately.

Drink Plenty of Fluids: Your body cannot function properly without fluids especially water. Water flushes your system, washing out the poisons as it rehydrates you. In addition to water, natural fruit juices give you the hydration that your body needs in addition to vitamins and minerals that may be lacking. Dehydration is a common occurrence with any illness so remember to keep your fluid intake up.

Relax and Be Happy: Stress may have a very negative effect on your health. Recent studies have shown that people with a positive attitude energetic, happy and relaxed are less likely to catch colds than people who are depressed, nervous or angry. People with a positive attitude may show fewer signs and symptoms of illness because healthy attitudes tend to promote healthy lifestyle habits.

Sleep: Remember that sleep plays a very important role in your body's ability to heal itself. Sleep is very important for so many of the functions of the body but especially in the role of illness prevention.

Vaccinate: Though there is really nothing to be done about the common cold, a vaccine for the flu is available each year. Studies have shown that the flu shot reduces the number of people who contract pneumonia as a result of the flu, upper respiratory infections, missed days at work and visits to a doctor for respiratory infections. Even if a flu shot does not prevent the flu, the vaccine can reduce the severity of flu symptoms and decrease the risk of complications. Ask your healthcare provider about whether or not you should have the flu shot this year.

Since there are no known cures for colds and flu, prevention must be your goal. The winter months that bring the Lone Star State its cooler weather do not necessarily have to bring colds and flu to you and your family. For more information about this topic, please contact your healthcare provider or your County Extension Agent.

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GCJLA Horse Show Set

Garza County Jr. Livestock Association Horse Superintendent, Glenna Reiter, has set the 2006 Halter Show for Sunday, October 29, at 3:00 p.m. at the Post Stampede Rodeo grounds. There will be 4 classes, Aged and Young Mares, Aged and Young Geldings, and a Pee-Wee Class. Entry fees will be \$10 per head. Come by the Extension office at 215 West Main before October 25 to enter.

Youth Exhibit at South Plains Fair

Several Garza County 4-H members did an excellent job exhibiting their animals at the South Plains Fair recently. Those who participated and their placings were: Pat Reiter - 5th Lt. Wt. Market Goat. In the Steer Division where there was a total of 281 steer entries, were Skylar Jones - 1st Lt. Wt. ABC, 1st Mdl. Wt. ABC; Pake Jones - 2nd Lt. Wt. ABC, 5th Mdl. Wt. Hereford; Jarrett Blevins - 7th Lt. Hereford; 7th. Hvy British; Chelci Hair - 8th Lt. Wt. Non-Black; Steven Hair - 11th Lt. Wt. Non-Black; 12th. Mdl. Wt. Hereford. Congratulations to these and all exhibitors at the South Plains Fair. Consumer Decision Making Project A new 4-H activity is coming soon. Consumer Decision Making is a contest similar to Livestock Judging, but you select the "best" products given a scenario. Anyone wanting to participate in this project needs to call the Extension office at 495-4400. Practice will start in November with district competition held in Tahoka December 4.

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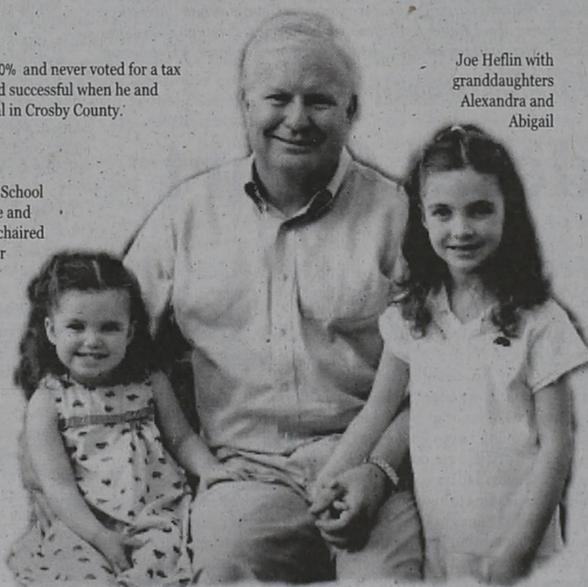
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EMT's transfer an injured man to the Slaton EMT's last Thursday in the parking lot of McDonald's restaurant in Post. Handling the call is EMT Rashea Tidwell (standing in the ambulance). (Staff photo by Tim Burnett)



Elementary, high school compete for blood donors

Post Elementary and Post High School classes will compete against each other Friday in a contest designed to boost the United Blood Services blood supply. Connie Hollinshead, donor recruitment representative for UBS, recently met with students to inform them about the contest and of the blood shortage currently impacting the South Plains.

According to Hollinshead, UBS is barely able to fill hospital orders for blood at this time. The agency is particularly in need of O negative blood, but all negative types are needed. One of the more urgent needs involve that of a patient at University Medical Center in Lubbock who, because of a rare blood disease, is in need of B negative blood.

Friday's competition between the elementary school and high school will allow local residents to sign up as a donor in support of a specific classroom. The classroom that recruits the highest number of donors during Friday's blood drive, which will run from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m., will receive prizes and a plaque.

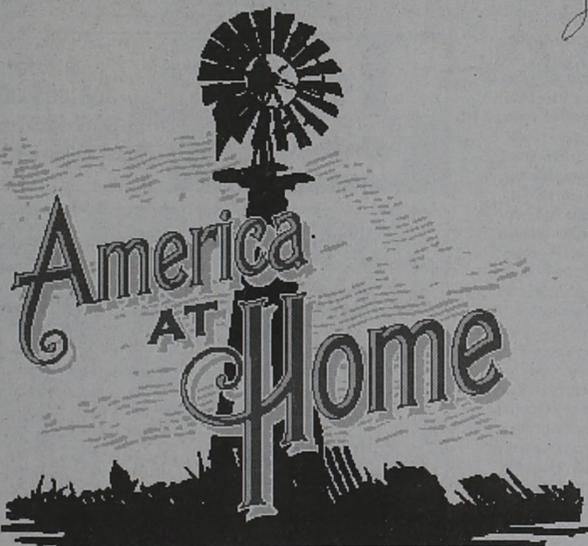
The blood drive will be conducted in a pair of mobile units - one located at the elementary school and the other, designated for PHS, will be parked at the old gym. Donations can be made at either location.

To be a donor, an individual must be at least 17 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good health. Each donor must have a photo ID and a list of any medications currently taken.

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• Lunch • Tacos/gravy, spanish rice, pinto beans, fresh fruit, milk.
October 25
• Breakfast • Malt-o-tost, fruit, milk.
• Lunch • Chicken fried, gratin potatoes, mixed hot rolls, fancy gelatin.
October 26
• Breakfast • Popovers, links, fruit, milk.
• Lunch • Spaghetti, corn, tossed salad, garbanzo beans, milk.
October 27
• Breakfast • Cereal, juice, milk.
• Lunch • Chicken pot pie, southwest beans, taco, milk.
Southland
October 23
• Breakfast • Oatmeal, links, toast, juice, milk.
• Lunch • Chicken noodle, bake potato, mixed apple cake.
October 24
• Breakfast • Cereal, graham cracker, juice.
• Lunch • Soft tacos, refried beans, or cake, milk.

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Tylo Kirkpatrick (20) with the Post Pee Wee football team runs with the ball for more yards with the blocking support of J.J. Brown (22), Caden Dean (35), Dalton Holly (40) and Blace Stevens (77). The Post team defeated the Snyder Longhorns by a score of 19-0. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



4-H Food and Nutrition Participants touring the Slaton Bakery on Tuesday, October 3 are (back row left to right) Christian Bergin, Audree Williams, Taylor Osborn, raegan Belongia, Susan Littrell, Jackie Milton, Janice Curtis, Rubi Rodriguez, (front row) Sherrell Wilson (Owner of Slaton Bakery), Kadie Dunn, Matti Smith, Sara Greer, Fernanda Contreras, Kelsey Griffin, Jayci Stone, Kelbie Oden and J'Lnn Stone. The students learned about running a family business, production, transportation of goods and the history of the bakery, as well as enjoyed purchasing fresh goodies from the bakery. (Photo by Jaquita Blevins)

Menus

Post ISD

- October 23
 - Breakfast • Biscuits, sausage, gravy, fruit, milk.
 - Lunch • Grilled cheese, vegetable beef soup, fresh broccoli, fruit cup, crackers, milk.
- October 24
 - Breakfast • Muffins, sausage links, fruit, milk
 - Lunch • Tacos/grated cheese, spanish rice, pinto beans, assorted fresh fruit milk.
- October 25
 - Breakfast • Malt-o-meal, sausage toast, fruit, milk.
 - Lunch • Chicken fried steak, au gratin potatoes, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, fancy gelatin, milk
- October 26
 - Breakfast • Pop tarts, sausage links, fruit, milk.
 - Lunch • Spaghetti w/ meatsauce, corn, tossed salad, garlic bread, fruit cobbler, milk.
- October 27
 - Breakfast • Cereal, toast, fruit, juice, milk.
 - Lunch • Chicken patty sandwich, southwest beans, tator tots, apple, milk.

Southland ISD

- October 23
 - Breakfast • Oatmeal, sausage links, toast, juice, milk.
 - Lunch • Chicken nuggets, quick bake potatoe, mixed veggies, roll, apple cake.
- October 24
 - Breakfast • Cereal, fresh fruit, graham cracker, juice, milk
 - Lunch • Soft tacos, lettuce, tomatoe, refried beans, orange quarter, cake, milk

- October 25
 - Breakfast • Muffins, yogurt, juice, milk.
 - Lunch • Fish, tartar sauce, mac & cheese, pinto, beans, fruit cup, brownie.
- October 26
 - Breakfast • Biscuits, gravy, sausage patty, juice, milk
 - Lunch • Pizza, salad, peas, cookie, fruit, milk.
- October 27
 - Breakfast • Breakfast pizza, fruit, juice, milk
 - Lunch • Cheeseburger, hb, fixing fries, ice cream, fruit, milk.

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- October 23 • Chicken spaghetti, zucchini, tossed salad, garlic bread, banana pudding.
- October 24 • Brisket, au gratin potatoes, fried squash, pickles, wheat rolls, apricot cobbler.
- October 25 • Salmon patty, macaroni/cheese, mixed veggies, tossed salad, biscuit, chocolate pudding
- October 26 • Chicken fried steak, white gravy, corn, mashed potatoes, apple crisp.
- October 27 • Roast beef sandwich on wheat, tater tots, or baked peas & carrots, sliced tomatoes, fruit salad

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RULES & OTHER IMPORTANT STUFF:

- Art can be of any medium such as watercolors, crayons, colored pencils, markers, etc.
- Artwork must be original work and must be no larger than 9" x 12".
- Limit one entry per child.
- Only artwork submitted with application will be accepted.
- Entries must be brought to the Trade Days office, 318 S. Avenue F or mailed to OMTD, P.O. Box 898, Post, Texas 79356, no later than November 4, 2006.
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I grew up in Seminole, finished high school here and went to college and became a school teacher. I taught in Seminole for awhile and eventually moved to a larger town about 300 miles away.

My name is anonymous. I can't use my real name in the paper because my child and I could be subjected to more abuse and lawsuits. The complete file, No. 04-04-14764 is on record with the Gaines County District Clerk.

I was married and had one daughter, now 7 years old. My daughter was 4 when I was divorced in 2003.

I survived a very abusive marriage.

The abuse continued after the divorce and my father moved me back to Seminole with my daughter in 2004, where I could get police protection.

I had my divorce file transferred to Gaines County in 2004.

Then I filed a petition to change times of visitation from alternate weekends to once monthly, with additional visitation time in the summer. My daughter suffers from a colon disorder that causes severe constipation, and most Mondays after visitation she missed school or had to be taken to Doctor Watson for treatment. The trips were hard on her, 300 miles going on Fridays and 300 miles on Sunday coming home.

Then he filed a petition to reduce child support. Later, we filed motions for contempt of court, and the Judge heard it all at once.

I was stunned when Judge Schildknecht ruled that my child support be reduced by \$90.00 per month, and she refused to hold my ex-husband in contempt for his admitted failure to obey a court order.

She cut off testimony and I didn't get a chance to testify.

My husband testified at the original divorce hearing that he made \$57,000.00 a year and that was what my child support was based on. His father was the owner of a successful business and my husband and his three brothers managed the business.

After the divorce, my ex-husband continued to abuse me and once came to my house and hit me repeatedly in my yard in front of witnesses. The local police refused to file charges and the District Attorney refused to file for a protective order. I liked the city and I wanted to live there, but I had to ask my Dad to move me to Seminole to get police protection.

My ex-husband called and made serious threats on the telephone. I taped them and Sammy McCreary, asst D.A., filed for and got, before Judge Schildknecht, a protective order. My ex-husband testified at a subsequent hearing that his income was over \$65,000.00.

I never asked for an increase in child support.

At our last hearing, he testified that the company had its best year in history, but he "voluntarily" reduced his salary to hire more workers, and he was now making only \$30,000.00 a year. He also admitted that his father was giving him cash to make car and house payments as "loans", and the other brothers did not take a pay cut.

The Judge had heard the prior testimony and refused to find that his earning capacity had been diminished. The child support was reduced, she said, because I had "voluntarily" moved away, increasing his travel expenses to visit.

She had heard a lot of this evidence the year before, that I was forced to move to get police protection. She saw pictures of my injuries before I had to move, and heard tapes of his serious telephone threats after I moved. The Family Code guidelines for visitation are that both parents share the cost of transporting the child to and from visitation, or meet halfway to exchange the child, and it doesn't matter how far apart you live.

I accepted a teaching position in a small town in 2005 only 40 miles from his home to make visitation easier, but I went to visit the school and learned there was no police in the city and the nearest police protection was the sheriff 40 miles away. I had to turn down the job.

We had agreed at the hearing to change visitation to once a month, and extended summer vacations, so actually his travel expenses were cut in half with that agreement.

In the contempt matter I was even more flabbergasted. My little girl must take her medicine daily or she gets very ill. He admitted that he refused to let her take the prescription drugs she brought with her, so she was sick every time I brought her home.

Every parent of a young child must be provided a telephone number for the child to be reached, and the child must be allowed to talk to the other parent who calls. My child was 5 years old and had never been away from me more than a few days, and I tried for 23 days to talk to my child. I could hear her crying in the background to talk to her Mommy, and he refused to let her. He admitted that at the hearing.

Every divorce decree emphasizes the requirement that every custodial parent must have the child ready, and be turned over to the other parent for visitation, at the designated time and place in the decree. It also requires the visiting parent to return the child promptly at the designated time and place.

In the summer of 2005 my ex-husband's summer visitation ended on a Wednesday, and he was to deliver the child at the police station where he lived. He did not appear. All night telephone calls to his home were unanswered and friends patrolling his street reported that he had not returned to his home all night.

The next day I filed a contempt motion in Seminole and my Dad delivered it to the County Sheriff there for service. He could not be found at home or work Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and he was finally found and served late Monday. He finally delivered the child Monday night.

Imagine yourself with a 5-year-old child, and a person you believe to be unstable unlawfully disappearing for five days with your child. Can you imagine the terrible thoughts going through my mind? Was she alive? Was she taken out of the state? My lawyer argued that if this wasn't a case for contempt, how could anyone make a case. The Judge said she wouldn't hold him in contempt because "it was only five days." It was like an eternity to me.

If I am ever to feel secure about the safety of myself and my daughter, I have two choices: I can move to another county or I can help elect someone who will make me feel safer.

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Lopes wide receiver D.J. Baiza (2 left) and running backs D.J. Rivera (25) and Steven Hair (22) pave the way for running back Wilson Cash (4) during last Friday's game at Denver City.

'Lopes win 47-21 at Denver City

by Wes Burnett

The Post Antelopes pulled out an impressive come-from-behind win last Friday at Denver City, setting the stage as a contender for the District 4AA championship. "This was a very big win for us," head coach Tim James commented, "we're really proud of our players who didn't let the first quarter adversity keep them from winning." The Antelopes trailed 14-0 going into the second quarter, then turned on the offensive and defensive power, dominating the rest of the game. At halftime the Lopes led 22-14. A surge by the Mustangs in the third quarter put the score at 22-20, but a great defensive play near the Denver City goal line put the Lopes out front 29-20. The Mustang defense had intercepted a pass, and a defensive holding call set the ball at the four yard line. The

Denver City quarterback threw a lateral pass to a receiver near the end zone. The ball fell to the ground as Wilson Cash pounced on top of the receiver, and Steven Hair took advantage of the opportunity, scooping up the ball and racing into the end zone.

The game started out rough for the Lopes, as Denver City recovered a fumble for a touchdown, then intercepted a pass for another touchdown. But the defense took charge, led by Blake Nichols who picked off a pass and returned with a run inside the 10 yard line.

Scoring for the Lopes came from Steven Hair with touchdowns of one, five and the fumble recovery. Zack Sanchez was credited with one touchdown, along with Cash and Clint Windham.

The Lopes collected 352 yards offense, 347 on the ground, along with 18 first downs. The defense limited Denver City to 10 first downs and a total of 176 yards offense. The Lope defense picked off three interceptions and two fumble recoveries.

Individual offensive leaders were Cash with 190 yards on 28 carries, Clint Windham with 54 yards on 11 carries, Sanchez with 52 yards on 11 tries and Hair with 51 yards on 10 carries.

Colter Creech caught the lone Antelope pass, and it was a big play as he flipped the ball back to Cash who was trailing the play. Creech threw a block clearing Cash for a big gainer inside the Mustang 15, setting up another Lope touchdown.

Kris Crenshaw, D.J. Rivera, Hair, Zach Witcher, D.J. Baiza, Heath Fellhauer, Nichols, Jeremy Short, Call Windham, John Vasquez, James Griffin, Blaise Lester and Cash were credited with defensive solo and assist tackles.

Post Antelope Football Schedule

Date	Team	Time
Aug 31	JV @ Seminole	6:30 p.m.
Sept 1	Varsity vs Seminole	7:30 p.m.
Sept 7	Middle School vs Merkel	5 p.m.
	JV @ Merkel	6:30 p.m.
Sept. 8	Varsity vs Merkel	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 14	Middle School @ Abernathy	5 p.m.
	JV vs. Abemathy	6 p.m.
Sept. 15	Varsity @ Abernathy	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 21	Middle School vs Floydada	5 p.m.
	JV @ Floydada	6 p.m.
Sept. 22*	Varsity vs Floydada	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 28	Middle School @ Littlefield	5 p.m.
	JV vs Littlefield	6 p.m.
Sept. 29	Varsity @ Littlefield	7:30 p.m.
October 6	OPEN	
Oct. 12	Middle School @ Denver City	5 p.m.
	JV vs Denver City	6 p.m.
Oct. 13	Varsity @ Denver City	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 19	Middle School vs Slaton	5 p.m.
	JV @ Slaton	6 p.m.
Oct. 20	Varsity vs. Slaton	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 26	Middle School @ Tahoka	5 p.m.
	JV vs Tahoka	6 p.m.
Oct. 27	Varsity @ Tahoka	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 2	Middle School @ Roosevelt	5 p.m.
	JV vs Roosevelt	6 p.m.
Nov. 3	Varsity @ Roosevelt	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 9	Middle School vs Idalou	5 p.m.
	JV @ Idalou	6 p.m.
Nov. 10	Varsity vs Idalou	7:30 p.m.

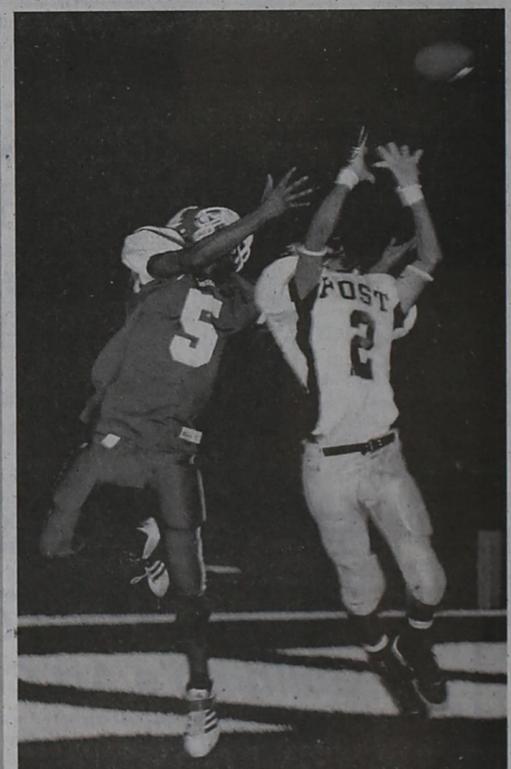
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Antelope D.J. Baiza (2) leaps in the air for an interception, foiling a possible Mustang touchdown last Friday in Denver City.

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Congratulations Post Bold Antelopes

'Lopes, Tigers square off Friday

by Wes Burnett

"Everybody knows this is a big game," Post Antelope head coach Tim James comments about Friday night's district matchup here with the Slaton Tigers.

"They're undefeated, and this is our biggest rivalry," coach James continues. "They've got a really good football team, and we know that we've got to execute well on both sides of the ball to win this one ... but I promise you, our players are going to be ready."

Slaton has racked up wins this year against Floydada, Brownfield, Hale Center, Portales, N.M., Lockney and last week upended Tahoka 35-21.

The Tigers sport a similar system as Post, using their size and speed in their win over opponents.

"We expect the stadium to be filled on both sides," coach James adds, "this is going to a battle and everyone knows it."

Antelope fans are encouraged to meet on the east side of the stadium at 6 p.m. to form a "victory" line as the Post Antelopes enter the stadium from the field house. There are only two more home games this year ... Friday night and the final game with Idalou on November 10.

Those unable to attend the games are invited to join all the action of Post City Radio (www.postcityradio.com and Suddenlink Channel 12) with veteran announcer Steve Mason calling the play-by-play action. The DVD recordings are aired on Post City Television (Suddenlink Channel 12) at Noon and 9 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.



Lopes running back Steven Hair (22) pushes forward for a touchdown against the Mustangs last Friday in Denver City. Shown blocking in the play are runningback Zack Sanchez (20) and runningback Wilson Cash (4).

Post JV slips past Denver City, 14-8

The Post junior varsity squad defeated Denver City last week by a score of 14-8. Denver City's JV came into the game with a 4-1 record, boasting a four-game winning streak.

"Our boys did a great job of staying focused the entire game on defense until our offense got on track," said coach Kevin James. Trent Babb led the team on offense with 84 yards on 22 carries. Chad Miller had 38 yards on seven carries, including a touchdown. Jarrett Blevins was 1-3 for 25 yards and a touchdown.

The defense was led by Mitch James, who had eight tackles. The game was sealed with a Kevin Strube interception of a Chad Miller tipped pass. "We had great effort from all the guys," the coach said.

Denver City blanks 8th grade Antelopes

The eighth grade Post Antelopes had a rough outing against Denver City last week, losing 20-0.

All of Denver City's scoring came in the first quarter, with the Antelope defense proving tough in the final three quarters of the game. Ernest Saldivar and Blake Davis played particularly well on defense, according to the coaches.

Offensively, Ben Mason and Chase Greathouse recorded some good runs. The offense was able to move the ball, the coaches reported, but turnovers plagued the team. The next game for the 'Lopes will be at 6:30 p.m. today (Oct. 19) at home.

'Lopes 7th grade team defeats Denver City

The seventh grade Antelope football team outscored the Denver City Mustangs last week, 16-6.

Top offensive player of the game, according to the coaches, was Jacob Perez, quarterback, who had a touchdown.

"We also had success on the ground, with Dale Diaz and Corbin McDonald. Dale Diaz also scored a TD and a two-point conversion," the coaches said. The defense was led by linebacker Jacob Perez and nose guard Grant James. A.J. Lando and Matthew Soto also were defensive standouts, according to coaches' reports.

"Overall our team played well," they said. "We had success on both sides of the ball." The team started district with a 1-0 record.

"We plan on continuing to get better," the coaches said. "We are proud of our players. They played hard and we were able to come away with a win." The team's next game will be at 5 p.m. today (Oct. 19) against Slaton.



The Pride of Post drum line driving the marching band forward during their halftime show last Friday in Denver City. Shown blocking in the play are runningback Zack Sanchez (20) and runningback Wilson Cash (4).



Post Antelope J.V. Jarrett Blevins (5) takes off with the ball with the blocking support of Trent Babb (25) during last Thursday game against Denver City at Antelope Stadium. (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



Post Antelope cheerleaders Steffi Norman (left) and Amanda Berry (right) follow a special tradition of locking hands in the air as the Lopes receive a kick-off from the Denver City Mustangs. Also cheering on their team cheerleaders Lori Jones, Claire Kirkpatrick, K'Nell Dalby, Lauren Gonzalez, Branda Stevens and Bethany Berry.



Antelope quarterback Clint Windham (12) keeps the ball and shoots through a hole made by tackle Jeremy Short and guard Preston Ortiz (75) during last Friday's defeat of the Mustangs in Denver City.

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5 Black Angus/Brangus Heifers missing. Branded with O on lower left leg (TF). If found call 781-1549 or 561-4549.

Legal Notices
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
The City Of Post is requesting proposals for professional legal services. Proponents must be licensed to practice in the State of Texas. As legal counsel he/she would represent the city in all legal actions; prosecution and litigation; legal research; drafting and reviewing ordinances and other legal documents as well as being in attendance at the city council meetings. Proposals should be sent to the attention of City Manager, City Of Post, 105 E. Main Street, Post, Texas 79356. Proposals will be accepted until 5:00 PM, Wednesday, November 1, 2006. The City Of Post reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
The City Of Post is accepting bids/proposals for janitorial services at the Post City Hall and Library. Currently the city provides all supplies and equipment. For more information please contact City Secretary Deana Watson at City Hall, located at 105 E. Main Street, Post, Texas, 79356. Proposals will be accepted until 5:00 PM, Wednesday, November 1, 2006. The City Of Post reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.

Notice of Application For Fluid Injection Well Permit
Kerry Petroleum Company, Inc., 500 West Texas, Suite 1450 Midland, TX 79701 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is not productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the San Andres formation, Connell -B- lease, Well Number 30. The proposed injection well is located SEC 12, Block 5, GH&H RRC & W A CORBETT SURVEY in the Rocker -A-, NW (San Andres) Field, in Garza County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2488 to 2900 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

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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, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).

South Plains Community Action

Early Head Start Teacher - Post
Prepare/deliver lesson plans, developmental activities, and care for infants to age 3. Bachelor degree in Early Childhood Education/Development or related field with 6 college courses of ECE/D, TX EC-4, or Child Development Associate. Must pass criminal background check.

Early Head Start Substitute Teachers - All Areas
SPCAA is currently accepting applications for the 2006-2007 school year. Utilized on "as needed" basis to work with preschool children. Must be at least 18 years old. HS/GED required. Must have clean criminal history. Childcare experience preferred.

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Caring persons needed to provide housekeeping care services in the homes of elderly and adults/children with disabilities in Lubbock, Lorenzo and Idalou. For an application call Community Home Health Provider Services 763-4994 or 1-800-657-8944.

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Rose and Erin Pedersen.
20 Years Ago
October 15, 19
The 1986 Gold Star ro
Garza County were Ang
Graves, children of Mr. an
Graves. Also during the
Banquet, Melanie Reece
4-H Sweetheart.
Post local hero No
passed away October 12,
drowning in northern La
He was survived by his
son, Jay, of Austin and
Julie Day, of San Angelo.
Richard Dudley of Post, w
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was recognized for thirt
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and Keith Osborn on Oct
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