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First Baptist Church School PK4 students with their personal pilgrim hats made last Wednesday are (left to right) Madison Villanueva, Meagen Bland, Truett Egan, Cierra Castillo, Ryan Rathbun and Dylan Greer.
(Photos courtesy of Donna Porter)

City to invest \$529,000 in new electronic water meter system

by Sheri Lewis

City officials plan to spend \$529,000 for the purchase and installation of a fixed-base water meter system, but it's an investment they hope will pay for itself.

During the Nov. 7 council meeting, City Council members voted to enter into a 12-year lease-purchase agreement to fund the purchase of the \$472,000 Sensus electronic metering system from Western Industrial Supply. The lease-purchase agreement also will cover the \$56,000 cost of installation of the meters, transmitters and auxiliary equipment.

The decision to purchase the new system was made following a presentation by Kenny Wetzel of Western Industrial Supply.

According to Wetzel, the replacement of the city's "very, very

old" water meters with the Sensus system, which carries a 15-year accuracy warranty, not only will mean a more accurate accounting of water usage, but also save a significant number of manpower hours.

Instead of requiring meter readings done monthly by city personnel, the new system is designed to electronically transmit updated water readings to the base station, which will be located at City Hall, four times daily.

The accounting of water usage with the new meters should be about 99 percent accurate, compared to the estimated 90 percent accuracy the current meters provide.

With meters that are as much as 10 percent inaccurate, the city has no firm reading on how much water is being delivered to its customers, which translates into lost water revenues, said Ric Walton, city manager.

"We don't know what the heck we're selling," he said.

The municipality's average annual water bill is about \$354, according to current meter readings. With more accurate water meters, that figure could climb to \$389 per year, resulting in an across-the-board revenue increase estimated at more than \$50,000 per year for the city, Wetzel said.

City water subscribers will not be asked to cover costs relating to the new equipment, according to Walton. Although an increase in water rates is anticipated in coming months, no portion of that increase will be used to offset costs for this project. A customer who sees a hike in his water usage following the installation of the new system is likely to see an increase in his water bill; however, the customer only will be billed for water used.

The city will pay an interest rate of 4.89 percent on the funding utilized through the lease-purchase agreement. Annual payments will be \$60,000, and the first payment is due Dec. 1, 2007.

At the end of the lease-purchase agreement, the city will own the meter system.

Wetzel said the changeover to the new meter system should take about four months to complete.

Post ISD receives funding for welding program

Trustees for the Post Independent School District received some good news from a representative of the South Plains College Tech Prep program.

During their Nov. 14 meeting, school board members learned the SPC Tech Prep program has awarded a \$3,000 grant to the Post ISD to assist with the purchase of supplies for the school district's new welding program.

The news was delivered as part of a report delivered by a SPC Tech Prep representative, who discussed the non-profit organization's ongoing work to create and support "2+2 programs," or programs that allow high school students to receive credit for training received during high school before moving on to a junior college to complete their education in their field of choice. The Post ISD welding program fits those criteria. In other business, trustees elected to write off some delinquent taxes tied to bankruptcy and made adjustments to a tax bill that had been double assessed.

Hospital district purchases land for new clinic facility

Garza County Hospital District board members, during their Nov. 16 meeting, set in motion a plan that could result in the opening of a new district-funded clinic at the corner of Avenue S and Hwy. 84.

After considering several options, board members voted unanimously in favor of a proposal to spend \$7,500 to purchase three acres of land at the site. The proposed clinic site could be served by city water, but would require the installation of a septic system for the handling of wastewater.

The land purchase was made as part of the board's plan to relocate the existing district-funded clinic to an upgraded, more accessible location, district administrator Shirley Taylor said. However, the board cannot move forward with its plan to build a new clinic facility without approval from hospital district voters.

District officials, prompted by "expensive repairs" and ongoing problems with the existing facility in the old hospital building, have been eyeing the possibility of relocating the clinic for several months. Taylor said that unless the clinic is relocated, the district could face some "major repairs" to the building, which was constructed in 1952. No discussion regarding a timeline on the clinic facility project was discussed. In other business, board members:

- Received the Garza County Health Clinic report for October. The report showed revenues of \$30,364 and expenses of \$39,182 for a deficit of \$8,822. Visits totaled 910, while 1,750 procedures were performed. PNS's Paul Acreman said they still are working to iron out paperwork delays with Medicare, Medicaid and insurance and

indicated that more than \$102,000 worth of claims will be filed once these issues are resolved. Officials hope to have everything worked out by January.

- Received the indigent care report for October. Ten clients were served with bills totaling \$591.

- Taylor reminded the board that the district's annual audit would be conducted Nov. 27 and that she will be in Austin Nov. 28 through Dec. 1 to attend an election seminar. The board's next regular meeting is set for 6:30 p.m. Dec. 21 at the Citizens Bank Community Room.

Toys for Tots drive under way

The 28th annual Toys for Tots campaign, sponsored by the Post Lions Club, is collecting new and good, used toys for distribution this holiday season.

Local residents, organizations, churches and businesses are urged to participate in this effort, which last year served more than 100 Post-area youths. Contributions of toys or monetary donations may be dropped off at Rick & Carolyn's Burgers & Fries, 601 N. Broadway, or at The Post Dispatch, 123 E. Main.

Financial contributions may be mailed to the Post Lions Club Toys for Tots, P.O. Box 644. Applications for assistance also are available at Rick & Carolyn's at The Dispatch. Deadline for contributions and applications is Dec. 23.

Post Notes

Student Council collecting lids

The Post High School Student Council is collecting Yoplaits to help fund breast cancer research. Yoplaits USA is partnered with The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation is sponsoring the "Komen Race for the Cure." In addition Yoplaits sponsors the "Save Lids to Save Lives" program. For each pink lid sent in, Yoplaits will donate 10 cents to the Komen Foundation. The saved pink lids may be brought to the High School main office.

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.

PIP camp December 4

More than just basketball, the PIP (Players in Progress) start-up camp will be held Monday, December 4 at the Post Elementary School gym from 3:45. The camp is from 4 to 8 p.m. with a parent meeting at 7 p.m. Team practices are Thursdays from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Contact Stephanie James at the school or Kim Lott at 629-4340.

McVicker concert set December 6

Dove-award winning singer, songwriter and recording artist Mitch McVicker will perform live at 7 p.m. December 6 at Caprock Springs Fellowship, located at 316 N. Avenue I. McVicker's appearance is part of his Perfectly Flawed Tour. Admission will be free, but donations of money, food and winter clothing to be distributed to those in need will be accepted at the door. For more information call 495-3386 or visit www.myspace/mitchmcvicker.

Garza Co. Memorial Brick Project

Order your brick today for yourself or other citizens, veterans, or elected officials. If you would like to purchase one as a birthday or Christmas gift, there are gift cards available for you to present to the recipient.

Collazo fund set at Wells Fargo Bank

A benefit account has been opened for Johnny Collazo Jr. at Wells Fargo Bank. Contact Susie Barbosa at 495-2804.

Christmas Window Display Contest

Post City Merchants is sponsoring the Second Annual Christmas Window Display Contest. Displays need to be in place by December 1, 2006. All businesses will be eligible to win the \$150 cash award. For more information contact Donna Degan at 495-0888.

\$2,500 REWARD

A reward for \$2,500.00 has been offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the destruction done to the Close City Coop Gin office and the Graham Gin office sometime after Friday evening, November 3rd. Call 495-4418, you can remain anonymous.

Old Mill Trade Days Angel Tree

The OMTD Angel Tree in booth #217 in the Weaving Room will have the names and ages of individuals in Garza County that will need a little extra help at Christmas. Choose an angel from the tree, purchase an appropriate Christmas gift(s) and bring them to the Trade Days office by December 11 for distribution. Also, Santa Claus will be at Trade Days Saturday, November 26. Call 495-3529 for more information.

Historic recipe book reprinted

The popular 400 page 1958 Methodist Church Recipe book has been reprinted, with a limited number available for sale at the First United Methodist Church. Recipes in the book are handwritten and signed, all from members of the church in 1958. Copies may be purchased at the church office or by contacting any member of the First United Methodist Church Choir.

Christian School Calendar Sale

The First Baptist Church Christian School students are selling beautiful inspirational calendars as their annual fundraiser from November 13 through November 30. Calendars are 9" x 12" with photos and scriptures for each month. Calendars are \$10 each and may be purchased from any Christian School student or teacher, or at the church office.



PHS Student Council collecting Yoplaits for cancer research

Post High School Student Council members participating in the Yoplaits fund raiser to help stamp out breast cancer are (back row left to right) Kim Mills (Student Council Sponsor), Wilson Cash, Colter Creech, (front row) Marc Ayala, K'Nell Dalby, Kylie Easterling and Claire Kirkpatrick. For every Yoplaits lid collected, Yoplaits will donate 10 cents to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.
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This Week In Post City

By Rosa Latimer-Bell
**THE VITALITY OF
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We often hear that Post is different from other small towns and are asked by "outsiders" just what makes us distinctive. I believe Ric Walton may have said it best. Soon after he arrived in Post to begin his job as City Manager, he described our town as having a vitality that was missing in many other communities our size.

Another word for vitality is energy. We certainly do have energy, but what is the source? Of course, one can attribute some of this enthusiasm to our founder, C. W. Post, who was certainly known for his high-energy approach to everything. But, that was almost 100 years ago. How is it that this attitude continues today?

The driving force that keeps Post "alive and kicking" is its people. Many different people who find something in this community for which they have an excitement. This wonderful blend of business people, ranchers, farmers, scout leaders, historians, teachers, artists and many others combines to make Post what it is today and ensures its promising future. However, just having a variety of people injecting their enthusiasm and energy into the town isn't sufficient. The key factor is that these people continue to make a difference through the years at whatever level of participation they are capable of performing. They do not lose interest nor does their vitality and passion fade.

Often, as individuals get older they become less involved. They express the need to "let the young

folks do it" or "it's time to let someone else have a turn." You just don't hear that much in Post City!

This style of meaningful involvement by our "senior" Post citizens is like a strong human cord that runs through every part of life in our community and so, we all share on some level in the loss of one of these vibrant, involved individuals.

**TRIBUTE TO MRS.
KIRKPATRICK**

This is certainly true with the recent passing of Mrs. Ruby Kirkpatrick. I asked Linda Puckett, who had a close relationship with Mrs. Kirkpatrick to write a brief statement about her memories. Last year, Linda, Director of the Garza County Historical Museum, and Ruby worked together on a museum exhibit of "Miss Ruby's Hats." I, along with many, was delighted with the exhibit and the glimpse it provided into the life of this fine woman.

Here's what Linda wrote: "Ruby Stoker Kirkpatrick was an amazing lady and will be greatly missed by those who knew her personally and even those who only knew of her. She had experienced so many wonders throughout her lifetime of 101 years and 9 months, and to have her share those experiences with you was a real privilege indeed. She was a devout Christian and taught Sunday school for 70 years. She loved Post and was a great supporter of community service organizations such as the Garza County Historical Museum, Post Art Guild, Women's Club and so many others. She was the first woman to become a Post

Rotarian, the first president of the Women's Chamber of Commerce.

Her family purchased land in Garza County in 1921. In 1927 she married Willard Kirkpatrick and moved from Pomona, California to Post to live on a ranch located 5 miles south on the Snyder highway. This happy union produced two sons and ten grandchildren of whom she was most proud.

All the years of knowing her I never called her Ruby, but affectionately called her Miss K. She thought that was so funny. She confided in me that she loved the church and the Lord all her life, and thought that having been born on Sunday had something to do with it. She called herself a Sunday Child, and when she learned that I was also born on Sunday, she deemed that was our attraction to each other."

The enthusiasm for the quality of life in Post demonstrated through the years by individuals such as Mrs. Kirkpatrick is a great example to all of us. Each generation faces the challenge to continue this legacy.

**TOWER THEATER OPENING
THIS WEEKEND**

Newcomers to Post, Joey Cardel & Sharron Simmonds are already doing their part to keep the vitality of Post alive. They, along with many helpers, have worked long, hard hours preparing the Tower Theater on Main Street to reopen. Whether Elvis is your usual choice for entertainment or not, pick a night (or Sunday afternoon) and join the fun at the Tower this Thanksgiving weekend!

That's it for this week in Post City. Have a safe, happy Thanksgiving!



Gena Lott (center) takes care of her business "It's About Moi" during last week's Holiday Happenings in the Lubbock Civic Center. Assisting Lott are Rachel Redman (left) and Kaycee Gorman (right).
(Staff photo by Tim Burnett)

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Participating in the Holiday Happenings event in the Lubbock Civic Center are (left to right) Shawna Abernathy of Abilene and her mother Donna Degan, owner of Plum Crazy.



Jackie Cruse demonstrates sculpting during last week's Holiday Happenings in the Lubbock Civic Center. Cruse sold Santa Claus displays of various sizes at the event.



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Billy Ray Mitchell

Billy Ray Mitchell, 60, of Spring died Nov. 14, 2006. Born June 19, 1946, in Nocona to B.A. and Thelma Mitchell, he began working in the oilfield as a young man and married Connie Wartes Nov. 26, 1965. His work took the couple to locations around the world and his experience led to his current ownership in oil and gas interests in Houston.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Kristi; two sons, Benny and Zed; six grandchildren; and several brothers- and sisters-in-law, relatives in the Post area, aunts, uncles and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Elaine; and two brothers, Herbert Glenn and Kenneth Don.

The family has suggested memorials be made to the National Transplant Assistance Fund, 150 N. Radnor Chester Road, Suite F-120, Radnor, PA 19087. Reference should be made to Billy Mitchell of Spring, Texas/DOB June 19, 1946. Donations to this fund also can be made via the Web at www.transplantfund.org/Contributions/index.cfm.



Beth Ault

Graveside services for Beth Ault, 76, of Oxford, Mass., formerly of Post, were scheduled for 3 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 22, 2006, in the Terrace Cemetery in Post. The Rev. James T. Egan, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Post, will officiate. Services will be under the personal care of the Justice-Mason Funeral Home.

Visitation and viewing will be Wednesday, Nov. 22, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the funeral home.

She died Sunday, Nov. 19, at Sunbridge Care & Rehabilitation - Sandalwood Nursing Home at Oxford.

Born June 3, 1930, to Benjamin B. and Mary Allene (Crowley) Ault at Comanche, Okla., she attended school in Comanche and received BA and FA degrees from the University of Oklahoma. After graduating college she lived in Beverly Hills, California and worked at 20th Century Fox Studios for several years.

She came to Post in 1962 to be with her parents. In 1999, she moved to Oxford to live with her daughter and son-in-law.

Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law, Amy and David Mann of Oxford; two brothers, Jack Ault and his wife, Sara, of Post and John E. Ault and his wife, Colleen, of Eulless; and three grandchildren, Benjamin H. Britnell, Beau Mann and Brandi L. Britnell.

She was preceded in death by her father, Ben Ault, on June 30, 1968, and by her mother, Mary Allene Ault, on May 10, 2003. She also adored her grandchildren, fashion design and portrait art.

The family has suggested memorials be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 919 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1000, Chicago, Ill., 60611-1676.



Ramon D. Garza

Services for Ramon D. Garza, 82, of Post were conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 22, 2006, in the Holy Cross Catholic Church with Father David Cruz of Lubbock officiating. Burial followed in the Terrace Cemetery under the direction of the Hudman Funeral Home. Rosary was at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 21, at the funeral home.

He died Saturday, Nov. 18, in Post.

Born Aug. 9, 1924, in McAllen, he farmed in Garza and Lynn counties for many years and was a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include five sons, Antonio Garza of Michigan, Raymond J. Garza of Post, Ruben Garza of Michigan, Epolito Garza of Slaton and Pedro Garza of Michigan; five daughters, Maria Garza of Michigan, Irene Gonzales of Edinburg, Esperanza Medrano of Lubbock, Hilda Flores of Michigan and Lucinda Davey of Michigan; two brothers, Pedro Maldonado and Donato Garza, both of Aurora, Ill.; three sisters, Elida Rivera, Paula Rios and Ortencia Soto, all of Illinois; 35 grandchildren; and 31 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son, Joe Luis Garza.

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On God's Word

By Timothy W. Burnett

The church of God ... 1 Corinthians 12-14

After 1 Corinthians 12:7-11 the subject changes to the one body of Christ. Verses 12-14 say, "For as the body is one and has many members. And all the members of that one body, being many, are one body, so also is Christ. For by one spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we are Jews or Gentiles, whether we are bound or free. And have been all made to drink into one spirit. For the body is not one member, but many."

There is truly one body of Christ made up of many members. First it is important to understand that this is not about Jesus Christ during his ministry on earth. The body of Christ is not made up of people who agree that Jesus was alive at one time.

It is made up of people who have believed with their hearts that God raised Jesus from the dead. In other words it is about the body of people who have the spiritual seed of Jesus Christ in them. Jesus Christ is alive and in heaven sitting on the right hand of God's highest authority.

Notice how the word "one" is used so many times. There is only one body of Christ made up of many members that have been baptized into the body by one spirit. Let's compare this with our local communities. Every town that I've visited has a number of different churches. At first glance I would be really happy about it because people desire to find others to fellowship with. Yet, the word "one" in the scripture shines light on a major problem. That being the church of God is greatly divided.

The reason there are different churches in a town or city is because there is division among the

Christians. The church is divided over doctrinal and practical beliefs and practices. The one body of Christ is divided in a huge way.

You might ask what does it matter as long as people are in a church? It matters a great deal when we consider that God calls it the one body of Christ. In other areas He refers to the singular church. In even other scripture He talks about the unity of faith. When we compare the church today with what God's word says, it is clear that the one body of Christ is divided in a big way.

If we called together every teacher of God's word and told them to rightly divide any subject from the scriptures, they would all come up with the same understanding of the scripture. This is because God is not ambiguous. It does not have different meanings for different people. When God used a figure of speech, it was meant to be understood in a specific way. We can address the mostly highly charged issues that differ in the various churches and find exactly how God defines what it is suppose to mean. This only works when we allow God's word to interpret itself.

"Knowing this first that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation. For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Ghost." (1 Peter 1:20-21)

God set up a dynamic body of Christ made up of many members who have been baptized by one spirit that is from God through Christ Jesus our Lord. The body of Christ does exist today. And we can be thankful to God for helping us to see that it still exists within the divided church.

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Who will save the babies?

by Bill O'Reilly

There is something terrible going on in Kansas, and you should know about it. A doctor named George Tiller is performing hundreds, perhaps thousands, of late-term abortions using a variety of medical reasons, including a mother's depression.

In Kansas, there is a mental health exception that allows an abortionist to terminate a fetus at any time up until birth. The exception is vague, and so is Tiller's oft-used depression diagnosis, according to documents currently under investigation by Kansas authorities. So the deal is this: If you want to walk away from your pregnancy at any time, just contact Dr. Tiller; he'll help you out.

But only if you have at least \$5,000. The doctor, known as "Tiller the baby killer" among some people who object to his practice, lays it all out on his website. He'll terminate your baby, and even cremate it for you if you wish. He's one-stop shopping.

According to published reports, Tiller injects the fetus with poison while in the womb, removes it and disposes of the body. While it's true that sometimes a mother's health is severely impacted in late term, most doctors agree this is rare. Babies can now live after 22 weeks when removed by C-section. Late-term abortions are almost never necessary.

Unless the mother wants out, that is. And that's what some people believe Tiller is doing: terminating viable, healthy babies because the mother simply doesn't want the child.

While the American media wails about alleged human rights violations at Guantanamo Bay, champions fetal stem cell research in the name of compassion, and hollers aplenty at the atrocities in Darfur, the press is largely ignoring the Tiller story, with the exception of the Los Angeles Times. It has glorified Tiller.

An article by Times reporter Stephanie Simon focused on Tiller terminating babies who are seriously ill. Ms. Simon makes no mention of the "depression" factor. She does, however, report that Tiller is aborting Down Syndrome babies, which, when you think about it, is kind of chilling.

George Tiller could not do what he's doing in ultra-liberal France or even in permissive Holland. In France, a baby cannot be aborted after 12 weeks unless two doctors certify a woman's physical health is endangered or the fetus has a serious abnormality.

In the Netherlands, abortion is prohibited at all times once the baby is viable outside the mother's womb.

But in Kansas, if the mom is feeling a bit blue on Tuesday and carries a certified check, Dr. Tiller is willing and able to terminate the baby. Is this what the Founding Fathers had in mind when they created the Constitution?

I don't think so, but the secular press disagrees. Just this week The New York Times, whose editorial writers worship at the altar of abortion, called the investigation into Tiller's gruesome practice a "gross assault on privacy and legal rights ..." You see, to the Times' editorial board, no baby in the womb deserves any protection at any time. It's all under the secular-progressive banner of "reproductive rights."

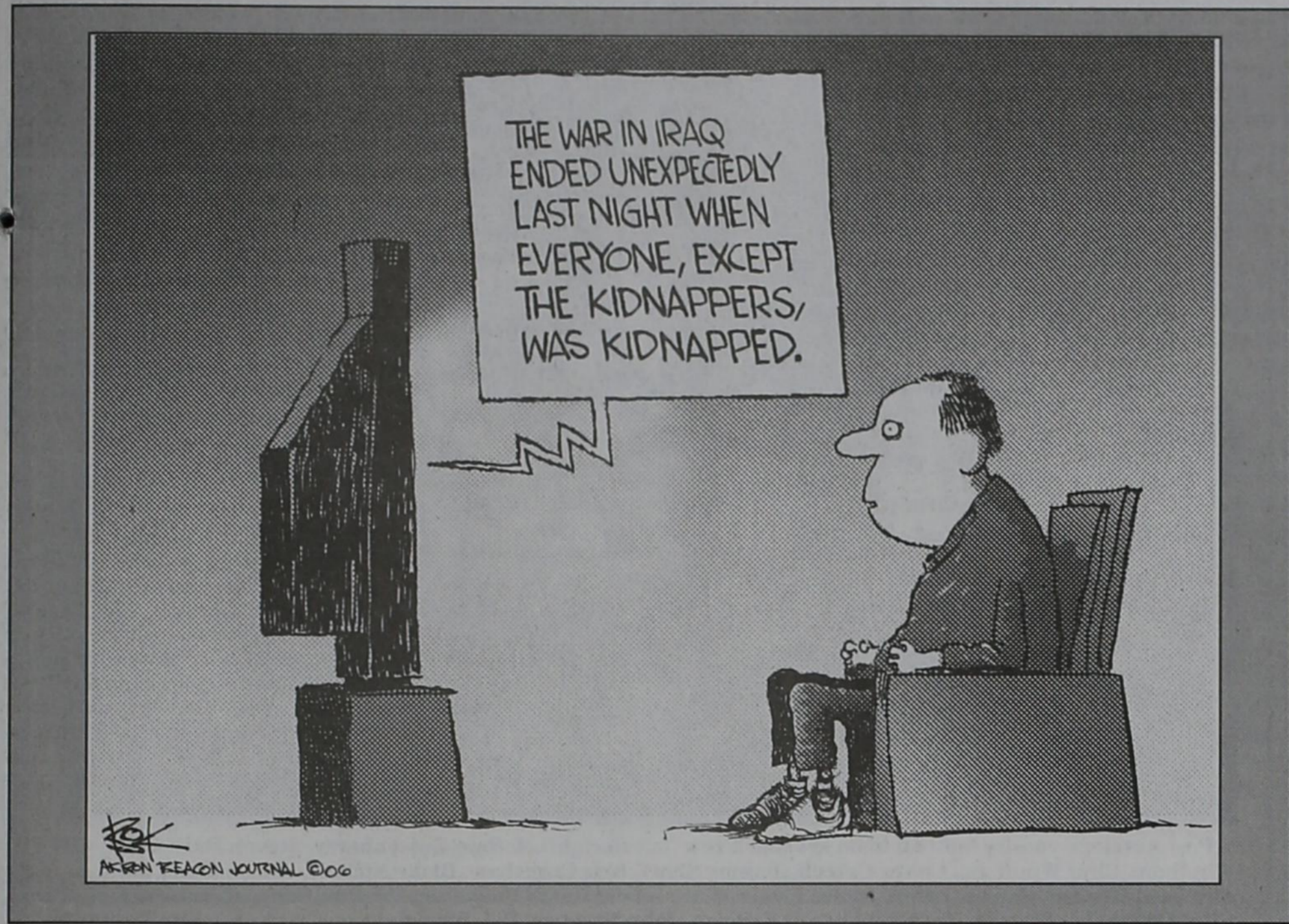
But even the secularists who run France and Holland are not that militant. It is hard to believe that babies have more protections in Paris and Amsterdam than they do in Wichita, Kans. But that's the truth.

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Opinions



Demographic reality and the entitlement state

by U.S. Congressman Ron Paul

The Government Accountability Office, or GAO, is an investigative arm of Congress charged with the thankless task of accounting for the money received and spent by the federal government. As you might imagine, people who spend all day examining the nitty-gritty realities of federal spending and deficits might not share the voters' enthusiasm for grand campaign promises.

David Walker, Comptroller General at GAO, has been on a speaking tour of the U.S. recently—and he pulls no punches when explaining just how precarious our nation's entitlement system really is.

He explains that Social Security and Medicare are headed for a train wreck because of demographic trends and rising health care costs. The number of younger taxpayers for each older retiree will continue to decline. The demand for "free" prescription drugs under Medicare will explode. If present trends continue, by 2040 the entire federal budget will be consumed by Social Security and Medicare. The only options for balancing the budget would be cutting total federal spending by about 60%, or doubling federal taxes.

Furthermore, Walker asserts, we cannot grow our way out of this problem. Faster economic growth can only delay the inevitable hard choices. To close the long-term entitlement gap, the U.S. economy would have to grow by double digits every year for the next 75 years.

In short, Mr. Walker is telling the political class that the status quo cannot be maintained. He is to be commended for his refreshing

honesty and unwillingness to provide excuses for the two political parties, the administration, or the even the entitlement-minded American public.

I urge everyone interested to visit the GAO website, where you can view a report entitled: "Our Nation's Fiscal Outlook: The Federal Government's Long-Term Budget Imbalance." This report should be required reading for every politician in Washington.

Are ever-growing entitlement and military expenditures really consistent with a free country? Do these expenditures, and the resulting deficits, make us more free or less free? Should the government or the marketplace provide medical care? Should younger taxpayers be expected to provide retirement security and health care even for affluent retirees? Should the U.S. military be used to remake whole nations? Are the programs, agencies, and departments funded by Congress each year constitutional? Are they effective? Could they operate with a smaller budget? Would the public even notice if certain programs were eliminated altogether? These are the kinds of questions the American people must ask, even though Congress lacks the courage to do so.

If we hope to avoid a calamitous financial future for our nation, we must address the hardest question of all: What is the proper role for government in our society? The answer to this question will determine how prosperous and free we remain in the decades to come.

Thank you, Milton Friedman

by Sheldon Richman

Milton Friedman, the Nobel Prize-winning economist who died at 94 last week, told the economics profession and the public many things they needed to hear.

After World War II, thanks to the theories of John Maynard Keynes, most economists and policymakers believed that government should manage the economy through broad discretionary powers over the money supply and the budget. Friedman went against the grain and showed the dangers that lay in permitting such powers to fallible government officials. He pointed out that economic fine-tuning through inflation would do no good in the long run and a lot of harm by reducing people's buying power. While he did not favor ending the Federal Reserve System and the government's control of money and banking, he opposed discretionary power, understanding that politicians and bureaucrats could never know enough to run an economy.

He also understood that inflation was purely a government creation. While some blamed generally rising prices on businessmen, workers, or consumers, Friedman insisted, "Inflation is always and everywhere a monetary phenomenon." Without new money being created, consumers couldn't possibly bid up all prices.

And since government controls the monetary system, inflation was therefore a political phenomenon. In his work with Anna Schwartz, he went further and showed empirically that Federal Reserve policies caused the Great Depression. He said this at a time when mainstream economists blamed the free market for that catastrophe.

Friedman was one of the great public intellectuals, teaching noneconomists that nothing could improve individual and social well-being as dramatically as free markets. Through his Newsweek column, which ran from 1966 to 1983, and his 1980 television series, Free to Choose, he clearly explained how economic freedom, competition, and the profit-and-loss system make life better for everyone.

When President Nixon imposed wage and price controls in 1971, no one was better at showing the disastrous effects of that policy than Friedman. Government decrees, he said, can't repeal the laws of economics. For example, he added, if government forbids the price of candy bars to rise when economic conditions require it, there inevitably will be more air and less chocolate in the candy than before. So the real price will be higher despite the regulation.

He applied this impeccable economic reasoning to issues across the board, including the minimum wage. Considering that people still think government should set the minimum wage, it's clear that the lessons of economics have to be taught to each generation. That's one reason Friedman will be missed.

He was nothing if not courageous. What else would you say about a University of Chicago economist and advisor to Republican presidential candidates who opposed the war on drugs, as well as medical and other occupational licensing?

And speaking of courage, Milton Friedman was an indispensable part of the effort to end the military draft in the 1970s. At the height of the Vietnam War, when the government was forcing young men to fight, kill, and die thousands of miles from home in a conflict with people who had done them no harm, Friedman put his prestige on the line and demanded that conscription be stopped. He did this publicly and also as a member of Nixon's Commission on an All-Volunteer Force.

As Brad DeLong related on Salon.com., when Gen. William Westmoreland, who commanded American forces in Vietnam, testified in favor of the draft before the commission, he said he did not wish to command "an army of mercenaries." Friedman retorted, "General, would you rather command an army of slaves?" Westmoreland took umbrage, replying "I don't like to hear our patriotic draftees referred to as slaves." An undaunted Friedman shot back, "I don't like to hear our patriotic volunteers referred to as mercenaries."

His advocacy of the all-volunteer army was powerful and perhaps even crucial. The draft was abolished and hasn't been revived. Everyone to this day who would have been at risk of being drafted should say "thank you" to Milton Friedman.

Sheldon Richman is senior fellow at The Future of Freedom Foundation, author of *Tethered Citizens: Time to Repeal the Welfare State*, and editor of *The Freeman* magazine. Visit his blog "Free Association" at www.sheldonrichman.com. Send him email.

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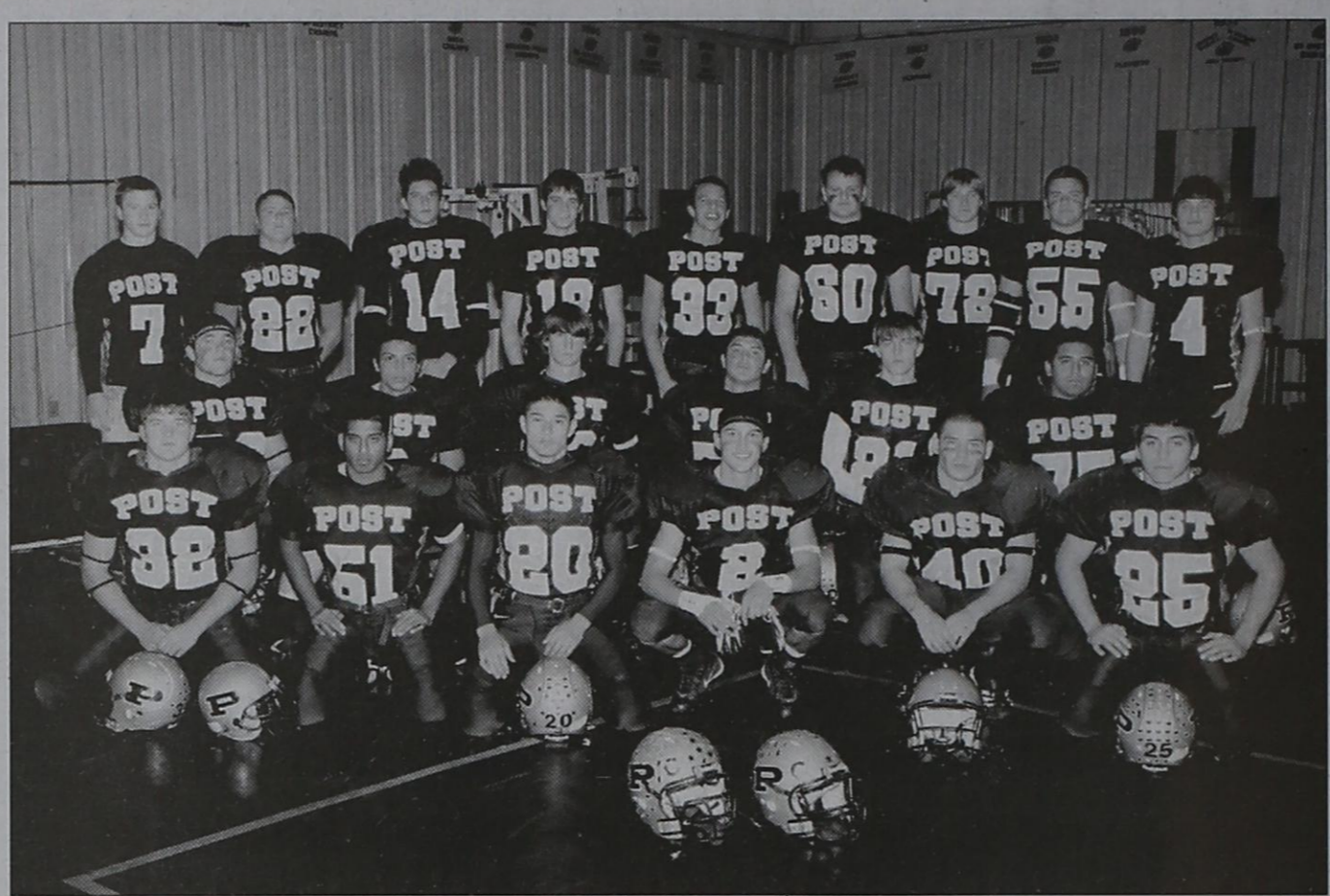
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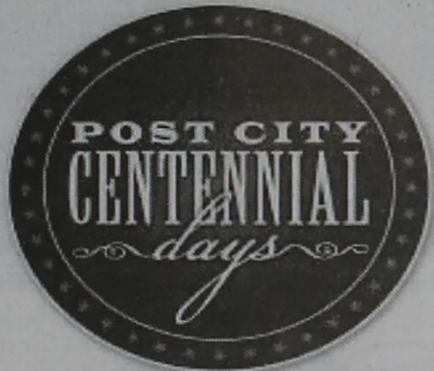
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In and around Close City

by Traci Freeman

-All of us here in Ragtown want to wish everyone a very happy Thanksgiving. I know that many will have family in town so be sure and let us know who your visitors are.

-Danny and Susan Gonzales took a short trip to the Dallas area this past weekend to visit with their son, Steve, his wife Flora and their son Stevie.

Susan says "It's a grandma thing."

-The Charles Morris family had a get-together Saturday night. Kayla, their granddaughter was in town but had to be back in San Angelo during the Thanksgiving holiday so Mims fixed a big meal a little early. Those present were; Charles and Sharon; Chuck, Kristi and Dylan Morris; Barry, Amy

and Kayla Morris and Rowdy, Brooke was spending time with her other grandmother, Barbara Babb. Tim and Diane were out of town so they were unable to attend as well.

-Get Well Wishes~ Lucille Bush has been under the weather and in the hospital, as of Monday she was feeling a lot better, Fannie Balentine has also been a little under the weather,

hope they are both feeling better real soon.

-As of Monday at noon the official bale count for the gin was as 504

-Birthdays this week November 21st, Cuco Lopez We want to wish Ruby Carpenter a belated Happy Birthday, Ruby celebrated Her birthday on November 7th.

-I hope everyone enjoys our news each week. Be sure to call me @ 495-2753 with all of your close city news, birthdays and anniversaries or you can e-mail me at close.city.coop@pcca.com and put close city news in the subject line.

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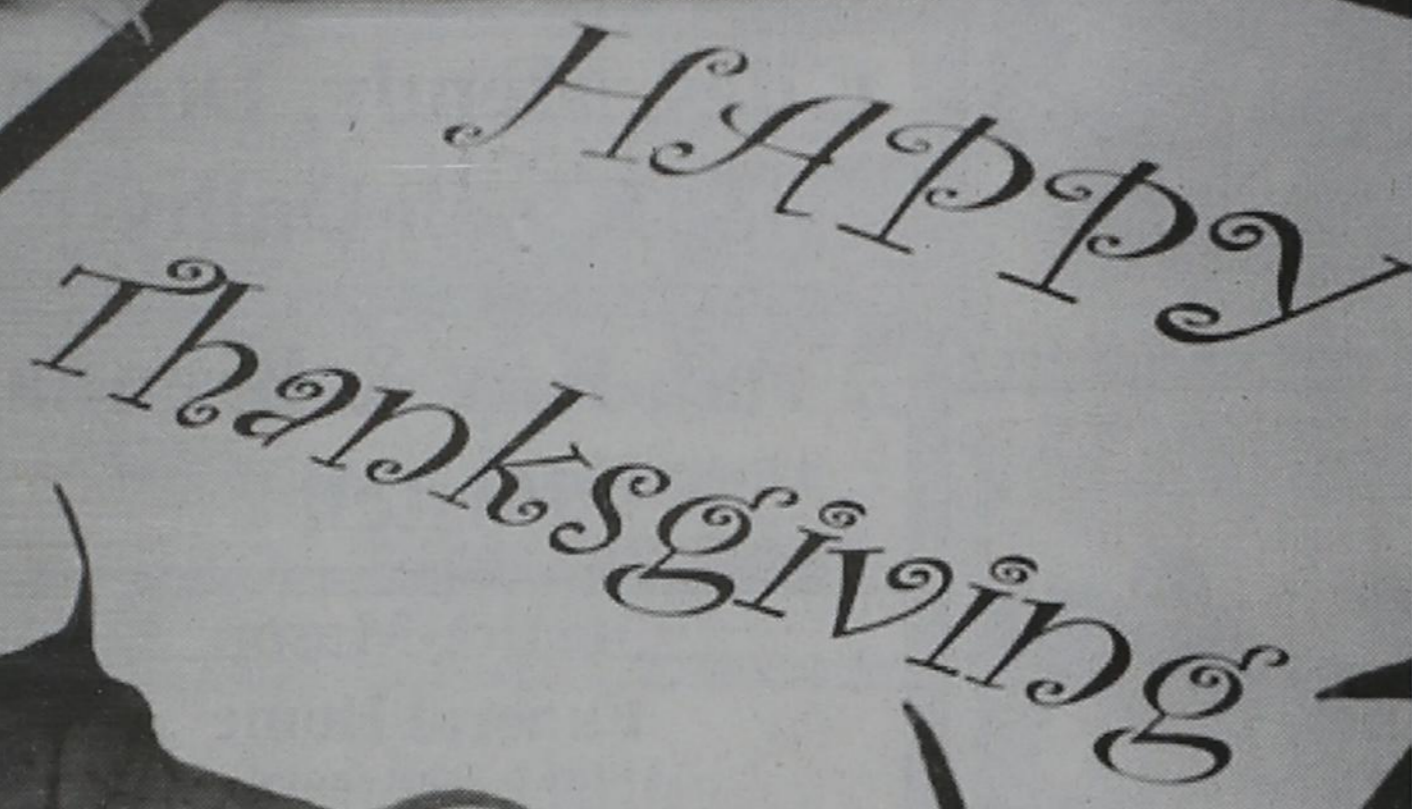
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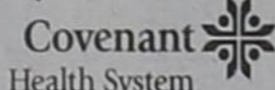
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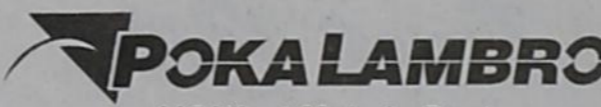
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Southland Lady Eagles basketball team with their championship trophy during last weekend's Wilson tournament are (back row left to right) Ashley White, Lauren Arguello, Kaylee Farquhar, Maricela Guerrero, Courtney Rackler, Coach Dustin Wall and Head Coach Leann Heinrich, (front row) Kelli Martin, Kristin Lewis, Melissa Morin and Gloria Martinez.
(Staff photo by Tim Burnett)

Lady Eagles clinch Lynn County Cotton Classic championship

by Kristin Lewis

The Southland Lady Eagles are flying high! This past weekend the Lady Eagles participated in the Lynn County Cotton Classic Tournament and came out victorious. Their first opponent was the Hermleigh Lady Cardinals. The Eagles were able to keep a 30+ point lead on them to win their first game of the tournament. The next opponent the Lady Eagles were up against was the Plainview Christian Lady Eagles. Once again Southland stepped up and beat Plainview by 20 points. Going into the final round of the tournament Southland faced Cotton Center for the second time this year. The game was a very intense game, but Southland was able to pull out a 47-40 win on the Elks to become the champions of the tournament. WAY TO GO LADY EAGLES!!!



Courtney Rackler (23) pushes the ball up court for the Southland Lady Eagles during the Wilson tournament championship game against Cotton Center.
(Staff photo by Tim Burnett)



Southland Lady Eagle Melissa Morin (42) shoots for two more points in the post position during last Saturday's Wilson tournament championship game against Cotton Center.
(Staff photo by Tim Burnett)

Lady Lopes edge Roby 32-28

The Post Lady Lopes defeated the Roby Lady Lions 32-28 last Friday to improve their season to 3 wins and 1 loss.

The Lady Lopes were getting good looks at the basket out of their offense by had a hard time getting shots to fall as they shot 33%, the lowest of the young season.

Even though the Lady Lopes shooting problems prevented them from pulling away from the Lady Lions, their defense kept them in the game allowing the Lady Lions to score double digits in only one quarter.

The Lady Lions scored 5 or less in the other three quarters. In the fourth quarter the Lady Lopes were down by four points

when the Lady Lions slowed the offense down to try to drain the clock.

The Lady Lopes man defense tightened up and managed to force the Lady Lions to turn the ball over.

Rachel Gray had two steals that she converted into Lady Lopes points and Brenna Postell scored inside and was fouled to make it a three point play that put the Lady Lopes up by 3.

In the final seconds of the game Lauren Gonzales went to the free throw line with the Lady Lopes up by three points.

The Lady Lopes needed one free throw to make it a two possession game and Lauren came through for the Lady Lopes to seal the victory.

Scoring for the Lady Lopes were Rachel Gray 18, Brenna

Postell 7, Cheyenne Miller 4, Kylie Easterling 2, and Lauren Gonzales 1.

Rebounding for the Lady Lopes were Rachel Gray 7, Brenna Posell 6, Cheyenne Miller 3, Lauren Gonzales 3, Samantha Hoover 2, and Kylie Easterling 1.

Defensively for the Lady Lopes Rachel Gray had 5 steals, Brenna Postell 4 blocked shots, Samantha Hoover 2 steals and Cheyenne Miller 1 steal.

In the JV game the Lady Lopes JV defeated the Lady Lions JV 35-18. The Lady Lopes JV are now 4-0 for the season.

Scoring for the Lady Lopes JV were Branda Stevens 15, Danica Williams 5, Sabrina Sanchez 4, Bethany Berry 4, Whitney Williams 3, Alex Miller 2, Darlene Araiza 1, and Tony Wait 1.

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Yesteryears

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10 Years Ago

November 21, 1996
A 351-page book, "Artistry in Silver & Steel" outlining the artistry of bit and spur maker Adolph Bayers, was compiled, written and illustrated by J. Martin Basinger of Slaton and Ben Miller of Gail.

Post voters turned down a proposal calling for the issuance of \$2.5 million worth of certificates of obligation that would be used for the development of a new municipal water supply.

1995 Post High School graduate Roman Perez received special recognition at Ft. Carson for saving the life of a 9-year-old Colorado boy.

Post Chamber of Commerce directors Chuck Harris, Wanda Mitchell, Leslie Acker and Bill Dornier joined Thresa Harp during grand opening ceremonies

at Post Automotive on W. Main Street. Raquel Martinez and Randy Britton exchanged vows in the First Baptist Church in Post.

20 Years Ago

November 19, 1986
Morton Smith manager of Hackberry Gin announced that David Becker brought in the first bale of cotton in Garza County. The cotton was baled October 31, 1986.

Dan Fumagalli of Post, came away with Best Show with his picture "Sunbeams: Homer, Alaska" in the 1986 Caprock Photographer Show.

Mayor Giles McCrary presented a check for \$60,000 to Post Economic Development Corp. directors for the purchase of a tract of land to be used for industrial development. The funds were from the Ershel Franklin Charitable Unitrust Fund.

The Women's Culture Club enjoyed a traditional Thanksgiving dinner at the monthly meeting. Noted harpist Betty Anderson of Lubbock, was the featured guest.

The Gamma Rho chapter of Alpha Chi Omega proudly presented the pledge classes of 1986 at the Lubock Plaza Atrium. Miss LaDonna Craig, a member of the Spring 1986 class was an initiated member. She was escorted by her father, Neil H. Craig.

30 Years Ago

November 23, 1976
Coach Jackie Brown's Post Antelopes triumphed over Stamford 42-12 in Snyder for the bi-district football crown.

The lights went out at Snyder's Tiger Stadium during the Antelope Band's halftime show to permit Post's four twirlers to treat fans to a twirling routine with flaming batons. Twirlers were Kerri Pool, Peggy Jackson, Donna Ammons, and Karla Duren.

Mrs. Joy Parker was presented a framed copy of a resolution of the Garza County Commissioners Court commending her husband, Coutny Judge J. E. Parker for his "untiring service and many valuable contributions."

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Byrd were honored on their 48th wedding anniversary with a reception held in their home. Sam Byrd and the former Anna Stanley were married October 28, 1928 in Claiborne.

The Gold Rushers got all the breaks, as they beat the Broadway Gang 28-0 in the second Powder Puff football game. Trena (Wipeout) Woods scored two of the touchdowns and Vickie (Golden) Gannon the other two for the team.

40 Years Ago

November 24, 1966
Headed for UIL competition in Big Spring were Post High School twirlers Jo Beth Dillard, Brenda Lee, La Gaylua Young, Elaine Bland, and Janice Gordon. Also trying for top honors were Post High School's twirling quartet, Patti Peel, Kay Herron, and Sharon and Karon Windham.

The Garza County Commissioner's Court decided to sell their 227 acres of "school land" in Bailey County to the highest bidder instead of leasing the property.

The Rev. Dale Dozier and family moved from Odessa to Post where he assumed the pastorate of the Calvary Baptist Church, replacing the Rev. Lee R. Jones.

Boyd Dodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dodson, moved to Carlsbad where he was employed as cardio-pulmonary technician at McKnight's State Hospital.

50 Years Ago

November 22, 1956
Miss Bonnie McMahon, a second grade teacher in the Post Elementary School was presented a pin for 20 years of service at the teacher recognition banquet held in the school lunchroom. The lone award was presented by R. K. Green, superintendent of schools.

The 1931 Cadillac used at one time by the notorious John Dillinger was on display in Post. The armor plating and bullet-proof glass automobile was here under the auspices of the Post Volunteer Fire Department.

Col. and Mrs. L. A. Elliott announced the marriage of their daughter, Anne Janet, to Gerald Max Chaffin. The couple exchanged vows in Las Cruces, N. M.

A daughter, Virginia Nan, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bilberry in Garza Memorial Hospital.

A large crowd attended the showing of Frigidaires for 1957 at McCrary Appliance. At the free drawing, Larry Waldrip won the electric range and Mrs. Roy Stevens, the gas range.

60 Years Ago

November 21, 1946
Football fans welcomed the news of change in the 1947 redistricting for 6-A football. The proposed change moved the five oil towns, Andrews, Denver City, Sundown, Seagraves and Seminole from 6-A to 7-A. The new assignment placed Post with O'Donnell, Slaton, Tahoka, Abernathy and Petersburg for the 6-A field.

New citizens in Post were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barnett who arrived from Dickens, Texas. The couple operated the new business firm - The Plains Lumber Company. The lumber company was owned jointly by T. A. Porter and C. A. Forrest of Slaton.

Mmes. Lee Davis, B. J. Edwards and Willard Kirkpatrick traveled to Amarillo where they attended a state P-TA convention.



Shoppers browse through the Angelglo Booth at Old Mill Trade Days during the early November event. Angelglo owner, Gloria Rackley from Red River, New Mexico, stocks a great variety of home decor and Christmas decorating items. Trade Days will be open Thanksgiving weekend, November 24 - 26, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Sunday, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday with over 125 vendors scheduled for this extra event. Santa will be at OMTD Saturday and Sunday afternoon to hear your Christmas wishes.

Menus

Post ISD

November 27

Breakfast: Pancakes, sausage, fruit, syrup & butter, milk

Lunch: Chicken nuggets, mashed potato, carrot coins, fresh apple, hot roll, milk

November 28

Breakfast: Cinnamon roll, sausage link, fruit, milk

Lunch: Crispy tacos, lettuce & tomatoes, spanish rice, pinto beans, fancy gelatin, milk

November 29

Breakfast: Oatmeal, bacon, toast, fruit, milk

Lunch: Grilled cheese sandwich, chicken noodle soup, fresh broccoli w/ranch, strawberries & bananas, saltine, crackers, milk

November 30

Breakfast: Muffins, sausage link, fruit, milk

Lunch: Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, seasoned corn, tossed salad, french bread sticks, sliced peaches, milk

December 1

Breakfast: Cereal, toast, fruit, juice, milk

Lunch: Chicken patty sandwich, tater tots, western beans, orange smiles, milk

Southland ISD

November 27

Breakfast: Breakfast pocket, peach cup, milk

Lunch: Hot pocket, beef ravioli, salad, fruit, cookie, milk

November 28

Breakfast: PBJ sandwich, banana, milk

Lunch: Chicken fried steak, cream potato, green beans, rolls, strawberry shortcake, milk

November 29

Breakfast: Sausage patty, pop tart, juice, milk

Lunch: Chicken spaghetti, tossed salad, peas, texas toast, pudding, milk

November 30

Breakfast: Cereal, muffins, juice, milk

Lunch: Dorito casserole, salad, rice, apple crisp, milk

December 1

Breakfast: Mini loaf, yogurt, juice, milk

Lunch: Cheeseburger, hb fixings, fries, ice cream, milk

TRAILBLAZERS

November 27

Chili, noodles, peas, corn bread, fruit

November 28

Roast beef, potatoes, carrots, tossed salad/ranch dressing, cake

November 29

Salmon Patty, macaroni and cheese, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, cornbread, chocolate pudding

November 30

Chicken, scalloped potatoes, spinach, roll, frosted cake,

December 1

Not available at press time

Blood drive Saturday

On Saturday, Nov. 25th United Blood Services will be bringing their mobile coach to Post so that Post United Supermarkets can host a blood drive at their location from 10:00am to 1:15pm. FOUR \$10 gift cards will be handed out as door prizes. Donors must be 17 years of age, weight 110 pounds and be in good health.

Donors must have a picture ID and a list of any medications that they are currently taking. All donors will receive their choice of a T-shirt, mug, cap, etc. With holidays here, United Blood Services will be urgently needing all types of blood in the next couple of months!! Thanks for your help!

Concealed Handgun License Class in Post December 5 & 7th
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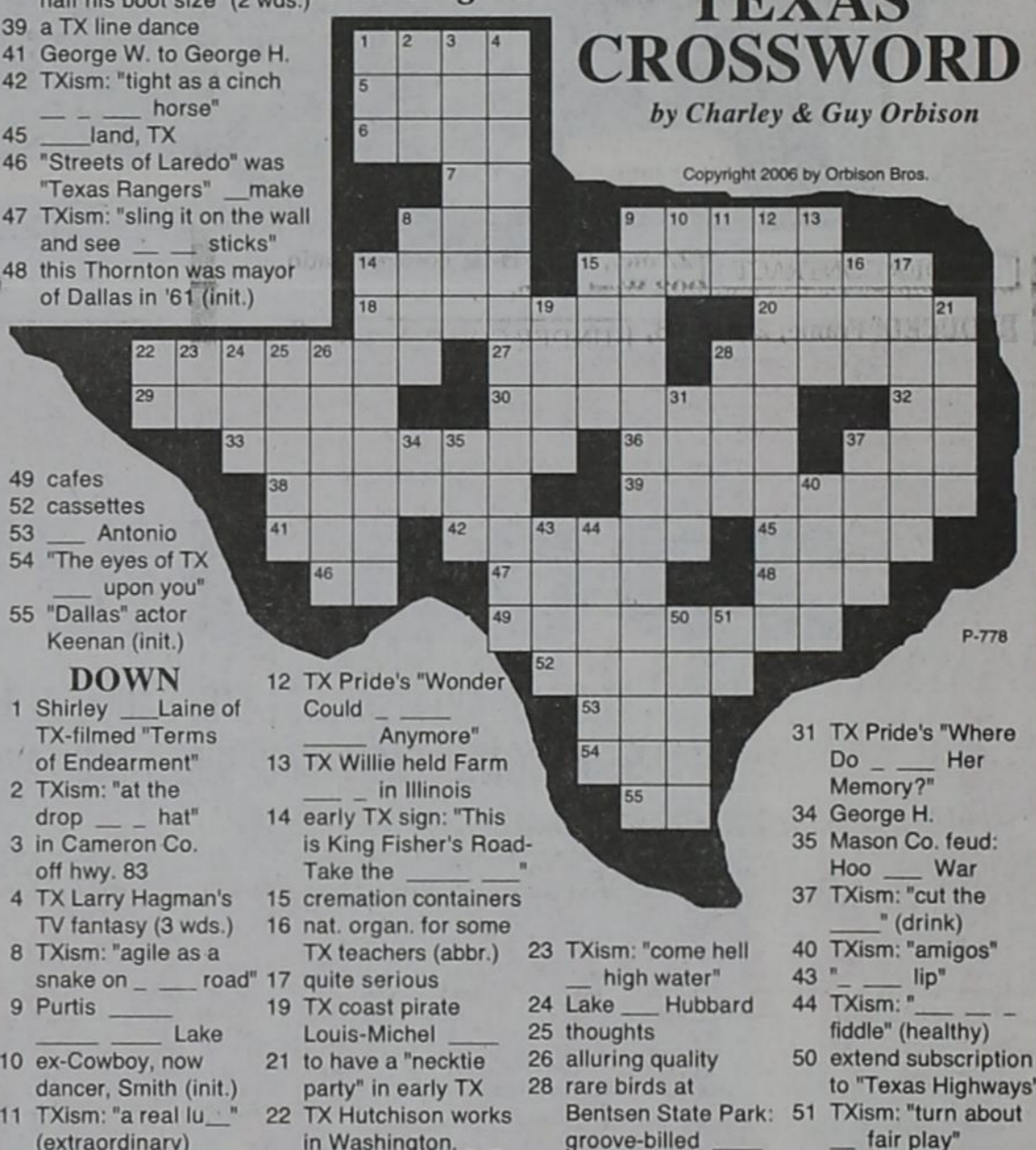
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- Dallas girl's prep school: The Academy
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- ex-Cowboy lineman Nate (init.)
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- TXism: "sling it on the wall and see sticks"
- This Thornton was mayor of Dallas in '61 (init.)
- TXism: "Where Do Her Memory?"
- George H.
- Mason Co. feud: Hoo War
- TXism: "cut the" (drink)
- TXism: "amigos" "lip"
- TXism: "extend subscription to "Texas Highways"
- TXism: "turn about fair play"

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Going Berserk

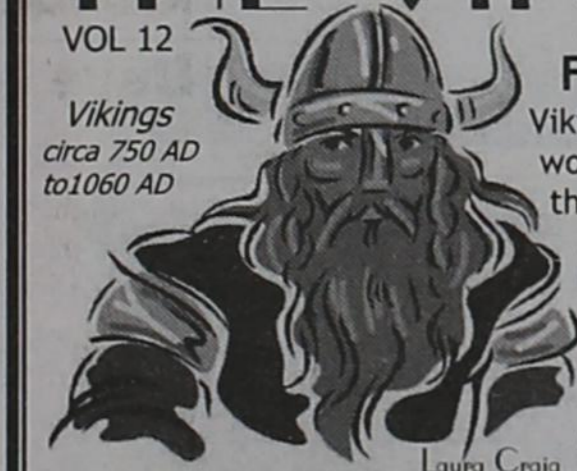
In Old Norse language a berserk was a bear skin shirt. Viking warriors would wear bear skin and work themselves into a frenzy before a raid (much like a pep rally for the big game). This fighting rage became known as "going berserk". We still use this expression today.

A VIKING RAID



A tale of two horns...

A 19th century costume designer for a German opera added horns to a Viking stage costume. In spite of the fact that there is no evidence that real Vikings ever had horns on their helmets, the false image endures.



For 300 hundred years the Vikings were a powerful influence on the world. Leaving their Iceland homeland, these expert ship builders traveled far and wide, finding new lands, (Greenland and "Vinland"/North America) as they searched for trade and treasure. Vikings were fierce warriors and often used violent raids to gain power.

VIKING FACT & FICTION

- Vikings were expert shipbuilders
- Vikings wore animal horns on their helmets
- Vikings discovered America before Columbus

Two of the statements at the left are fact, but one is fiction. Read on to find the truth.

Viking artifacts have been discovered in Newfoundland, Florida and New England, which means Vikings discovered America 500 years before Columbus!

ACROSS

- Viking homeland
- Never found on real Viking helmet
- Discovered N. America

DOWN

- Old Norse for bear shirt
- Vikings built the fastest—

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