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PRESENTS \$300 CHECK — Frank Runkles, head of the Garza County Museum Association, presents the biggest purchase award check of the Easter Art Show today afternoon to Theresa Martin of Lubbock for her wood carving, "Escupir Aguzar," which means "Spit and Whistle." — (Staff Photo)



...tremendously encouraged this week on "updating" appearance of Post's news area.

...encouraging was the one picked up at city hall...

...own appearances are great for the merchant...

...have been many ideas about how to spruce up business district.

...say you can get such converted into reality...

...day Easter celebration for schools

...will be out until next morning when they will take up at the same time.

...years only Friday and have been school during the Easter weekend...

...\$150 PURCHASE — J. B. Potts, left, and Earl Chapman, right, are shown with the pastel, "The Fawn," by Nancy Griffith of Lubbock, which was selected for its purchase award.

...Photo)



EARL CHAPMAN JR., AWARD — Giles McCrary makes the presentation of a \$150 check to Juna Smith of Brownfield for her oil painting, "West Texas Oil," which was selected by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chapman, Jr., for their purchase award. — (Staff Photo)

Quality of work was best yet in Easter Art Show

The fifth annual Easter Art Show, sponsored here last Saturday and Sunday afternoons by the Post Art Guild drew a total of 158 entries with the overall quality of the artists' work judged the best in the history of the local show.

A total of \$975 went to seven artists for purchase awards made by individuals or firms with four \$25 merit awards given by the art guild to artists selected by Judge Jodie Boren of Abilene for incentive awards.

The merit awards went to Kerry Young of Snyder for his painting, "The Navajo"; Mineola Stewart of Spur for her pastel, "Fisher Woman"; to Ray Lawrence of Lubbock for his oil, "Fence Under Hill"; and to Ted Bell of Floydada for his watercolor, "The Loading Chute."

The seven purchase awards included \$300 to Theresa Martin of Lubbock for her wood carving, "Escupir y Aguzar" from Friends of the Garza County Museum; \$150 from First National Bank to Nancy Griffith of Lubbock for her pastel, "Mosa, the Fawn"; \$150 from Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chapman Jr., to Juna Smith of Brownfield for her oil, "West Texas Oil"; \$100 from Dalby Cattle Co., to Suzanne Teykl of Plainview for her oil, "Hereford"; \$100 from Mayor Giles C. McCrary to Mac Carow of Lubbock for her pastel, "First Bouquet"; \$100 from Post Branch of Slaton Savings and Loan to Marie Neff of Post for her watercolor, "The Hame"; and \$75 from Texaco Wholesale to Leo Smith of Lubbock for his watercolor, "Rimrock Revisited."

The circle-division film presentation "The Holy Land" while an artistic success drew only enough people to make expenses. The art guild had hoped to raise some funds through its presentation for renovation of the old American Legion building into the art guild's headquarters.

The judging results in the various divisions of the show, along with merit ribbons awarded are as follows:

Oil Landscape
A blue ribbon was presented for "Ring Around the Moon" by Jerry Teaff of Bula; "Old Mans Dusk" by Michael Greer of Littlefield was awarded a red ribbon and "Dreams of Windmills" by Jerry Teaff was presented a white ribbon. Merit ribbons: Sharon Bell of Post; Paul Wylie of Smyer, Marie Neff, Post; Leo Smith of Lubbock; Octavia Thompson of Lubbock; Marie Neff, Post; Jerry Teaff, Bula; Michael Greer, Littlefield; and Paul Wylie of Smyer was presented with two ribbons.

OIL STILL LIFE
First place blue ribbon went to "Paulas' Posies" by Louise (See Art Show, Page 10)

Rites held for William Smith
Funeral services for William George (Willie) Smith were held in the Post Church of Christ Friday afternoon with Bob Connel, minister, officiating. Interment was in the Terrace Cemetery with Hudman Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Smith died March 19 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock at the age of 62 and had been a resident of Post since 1954. He was a retired textile worker. He was married to the former Velma Cowser in Dallas in 1940. He is survived by his wife, one son, Johnny of Post; two daughters, George Ann Claborn, Post and Sharon Mahar, of Little Rock, Ark. Also three brothers, Randall, Borger; Roy, Amarillo; and C. T. of White Deer; three sisters, Leora Robinson, Carter, Okla.; Buelah Winters, Lone Wolf, Okla.; Margaret Doney of Waverly, N.Y.; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Hans Hudman, Connor Howell, Stoney Staleup, Mutt Rankin, A. D. Halford and Ricky Bush.

Council lets insurance to low bidder

The Tom Power Agency was the low bidder Monday afternoon as the city council inaugurated its new policy of taking local bids on the city's insurance coverage.

Power, who was present, was awarded a \$45,500 three-year policy for fire and extended coverage of City Hall, the Post Public Library and library contents on a bid premium of \$547.

He was the only one of the four local insurance agencies to submit a bid meeting the council's telephoned requirements of the previous week. This is only part of the city's insurance coverage on the city hall and the library.

The Garza County Insurance Agency submitted a bid by long distance phone on the full city hall and library coverage, and was not considered because the council had asked only for the amount of insurance in the policy expiring March 29 with the Post Insurance Agency.

Harold Lucas, who had appeared before the council the week before to submit a combined bid for all fire and liability insurance on buildings and their contents now in force, said he was not interested in bidding if the city's insurance business was to be divided up among several companies and agencies.

The Bryan Williams and Son agency did not submit a bid.

Action to accept the Tom Power Agency bid came on a motion by Bill Pool, seconded by Jim Wells. The motion passed on a 4 to 1 vote with Councilman William C. Wilson voting no and Mayor McCrary not having a vote.

Dr. Wilson said he was qualifying his "no vote" because "I'm not liking the whole mess."

His comment came after Mayor McCrary told the council that he thought "the council was very negligent in not..." (See City Council, Page 10)

Balloting to come April 5

Spring elections for city, school and hospital districts are scheduled here Saturday, April 5, but to date there has been only a smattering of campaigning by any of the candidates.

City voters will choose a mayor and three councilmen, two school board members will be named, and three selected for the Garza County Hospital district board.

Mayor Giles C. McCrary who seeks re-election is being opposed by Ewell E. Gandy.

Jim Jackson is unopposed for the one-year term on the city council, but there are four candidates for the two two-year terms. The four are incumbents Ed Sawyers and Bill Pool and Joe McCowen and Ronald Simpson.

There is no contest in the school district election with incumbent Silas Short seeking re-election to Place 6 and incumbent John Boren unopposed for Place 7.

There are four candidates for the three hospital board positions. Sexton Huntley, present board chairman, is the only incumbent. The other three are James Sweeten, Joel Dobson and Bo Jackson.

Rotarians told ideas sought

Chamber Secretary Joy Greer asked Post Rotarians for their community ideas in a talk before the civic club in city hall Tuesday noon.

She said questionnaires have been sent out to all Chamber members as the first step in developing a Chamber program of work for 1975, and to determine who is interested in what committee assignments.

Mrs. Greer listed housing as Post's No. 1 need and said the Chamber would like to work for the improvement and beautification of the downtown business district.

Governor Briscoe reappoints Post man

Bryan J. Williams has been reappointed by Governor Dolph Briscoe to a six-year term on the board of directors of the Brazos River Authority with headquarters in Waco. The new term will expire Feb. 1 1981.



PRESENTS NEW POST BROCHURE — Patsy McCowen, right, president of the Women's Division of the Post Chamber of Commerce presents one of Post's new brochures to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Floyd and sons, Jimmy, 12, and Philip, 7. The Floyds were enroute from their home in Houston to Santa Fe on a ski trip with a church group. The Post brochure is the newest completed project of the women's division. — (Staff Photo)

New Post brochure is ready for tourists

The biggest and best tourist brochure on Post in this community's history rolled off the printing press last week, the product of a joint Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce and Chamber project.

The large brochure, which folds to fit a No. 10 envelope, contains 17 pictures and is printed on thick, fine grade paper in green and black.

The pictures were prepared by Ed Neff, local photographer, and the brochure was designed by Marie Neff.

The front picture is an aerial view of Post with the words, "Scenic, Post, Texas, Historic" overprinted on the picture.

Other pictures include the county courthouse, the Texas highway department grounds with old windmill, the former C. W. Post home, a bull being ridden in the Little Britches rodeo, Indian Head Peak at Camp Post, an aerial shot of the Postex Plant, steer ropers lined up on horseback at the start of the O. S. Ranch Benefit Steer Roping, the Caprock golf course, front of the Post Public Library, Post's Sextuple oil well, the First National Bank, the old Presbyterian church, the Tabana Yuan'e ceremony, city county park, the Post Caprock Enduro, and C. W. Post Boy Scout camp entrance.

The brochure lists doctors, hospital, dentists, restaurants,

motels, churches, and parks, calendar of local events, and a map and listing of Garza County's historical markers.

Four thousand copies of the brochure have been printed and should be available over the next several years.



ALL OVER TILL NEXT YEAR — Frank (Chief) Runkles and Noah Stone pose together after the Chamber's Tabana Yuan'e crop forecasting ceremony in city-county park Saturday morning. Runkles puts on the show and Stone passes the judgement on wind direction which was out of the west at sunrise Saturday. — (Staff Photo)

Sunrise wind is from west -- average crop

The wind was out of the west at sunrise here Saturday. According to Indian legend,

which has been tested here each March 22 for the last 70 years, that means an average crop year.

Some 175 persons were on hand to see Frank (Chief) Runkles perform his Tabana Yuan'e (sunrise wind ceremony) in city-county park after eating a Jackson Cafeteria catered breakfast in the 4-H building on the south side of the lake.

Actually, by the time Runkles former Camp Post ranger, in full Indian regalia had rubbed sticks together to start a small fire and moved through the brief ceremony it was a few minutes past the 7:48 a. m. sunrise when he got to the wind's direction.

By that time the wind had shifted slightly to the west-southwest, which would have indicated a poor crop year.

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SCIENCE FAIR WINNER — Matt Lemon, Post eighth grader, poses with his "Tornado Generator" exhibit with which he won first place in the recent Post High School Science Fair and a certificate of achievement from the U. S. Air Force in the 19th annual South Plains Science Fair held last weekend in Lubbock. — (School Photo)

Cost sought on renovating half hotel

Representatives of all local taxing units met Monday night with Jim Hundley and representatives of the Garza County Historical Survey Committee to determine just where the Algeria Hotel restoration project now stands.

Hundley was asked to obtain a bid for the complete renovation of the front portion of the historic hotel including all utilities. This action came after Hundley said he had \$4,100 with which to build a new back wall and reroof the building.

The cost of putting the front portion into usable shape for rental, however, has not been figured, and representatives of local taxing units don't want to start on partial restoration unless there is the means and way to complete it.

The Lubbock engineer employed by the city has written that it will be at least six months before any action can be expected on the city's application for hotel restoration funds and then only a portion of the estimated \$250,000 needed could be expected to be provided by the grant.

The engineer has estimated the cost of putting just the front portion of the landmark hotel back into business use would run over \$100,000 according to Mayor Giles McCrary.

The representatives of the taxing units will meet again next month to consider the proposition further and hear Hundley's report on costs.

Clyde Chandler rites today

Funeral services for Clyde Chandler, 70, of Terrell, will be at 2 p. m. today in the Post Church of Christ with Bob Connel, minister, officiating.

Burial will be in Terrace Cemetery. Hudman Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Chandler died at 7:30 p. m. Monday at a Terrell hospital.

Born at Cleburn in Johnson County, Chandler had been a longtime resident of Garza County before moving to Kaufman County and Terrell. He worked on the Slaughter Ranch and also farmed in Garza County.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Betty Joe Walser of Commerce; three sons, Phillip of Denver City, Winston of Amarillo and Billy Clyde of Gruver; a sister, Mrs. Oleta Young of Midland; four brothers, Clarence and Ervin, both of Post, Clifton of Houston and Eldon of Midland and several grandchildren.

New auto tags Tuesday 'must'

Next Monday will be the last day for auto owners to purchase 1975 license plates and get them on their car bumpers without penalty.

Beginning Tuesday, April 1, drivers without 1975 plates will be ticketed by the highway patrol.

County Tax Collector-Assessor T. H. Tipton told The Dispatch yesterday that 1,473 sets of passenger tags had been sold in Garza County which leaves about 525 more sets to be sold by the April 1 deadline. He said the county has "around 2,000 passenger cars."

RMA office is moved

The Retail Merchants Association of Post moved its downtown office into the former police headquarters behind city hall from the old Garza theater building.

The Post Chamber of Commerce also plans to move into the front room of the police building but is obtaining estimates on paneling and carpeting, so it may be a few weeks yet.

TO MEET TUESDAY

The Garza County Historical Survey Committee will hold its regular meeting, April 1 at 10 a. m. in the bank community room. Plans for Bicentennial Observance during History appreciation week April 13 thru 19 will be discussed.

Dispatch Editorials

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Our local election position

The spring elections are only a little more than a week away — Saturday, April 5.

Up to now, although there are three contested city races and a voter's choice in the hospital district election, there has been little political noise, no campaigning, and very little interest being shown.

That is too bad of course because it is important for every community to select the best candidates for the mantle of leadership.

The Dispatch of course has its own opinions on which candidates we think would do the best job, but long ago we have taken a position against editorial endorsement.

In local races, we think every voter thinks he or she knows best and any efforts to alter that outlook on our part would be greeted by some degree of reader animosity and resentment.

We have a feeling that we probably would hurt the candidates we favor more than help them by presenting logical arguments on their behalf. So we just keep our editorial mouth shut.

We have been through enough local political campaigns in 35 years on the small town newspaper beat to know that a good politician would merely brand the candidates the newspaper would endorse as "the newspaper's candidates."

You think it sounds ridiculous? Well, the statistics show editorial endorsements simply don't win votes.

We haven't explained this for the last several elections so we are repeating ourselves

so community newcomers will understand our position.

We ARE interested in community elections, very interested, just as any progressive citizen is.

We also have another political rule. We don't permit any wild charges in political ads in The Dispatch on the final issue before the election because the candidate who has been lambasted has no fair opportunity to reply.

And we've quit trying to run all the candidate's pictures and get them to state their positions on what might be considered campaign issues in our news columns. Why? Simply because most of them don't have pictures of themselves they want to see printed and because they hedge around so much in replying to any set of questions the attempted article turns out to be a horrible waste of space.

We don't solicit advertising from local political candidates either. The office is open if they desire to buy some space to reach the voters via The Dispatch.

We will say that our advertising deadline is Tuesday noon the week of publication and we stick to that for political advertisers as well as business advertisers. While some newspapers have special political rates which are higher we don't. We charge the same rates to politicians as to the business firms of this community.

Well, now we've got that off our chest for another five years, let's get on with next week's elections.

Statebeat

By KURT E. JOHNSON
AUSTIN — It was noted last week that "rumblings" regarding the viability of a successful bill establishing a personnel board were surfacing at the capitol.

Such a bill would assist in regulating unfairness to state employees who work under different commissioners, eliminate wastefulness and increase efficiency in state employment. One has now been introduced (H. B. 820) by three Representatives: Ronald Earle, Gib Lewis and Ronald Bird. It carries 56 co-sponsors.

In simple language, the bill packs a lot of punch because it has a broad base of support. It establishes a state personnel director who would help to standardize employment practices and procedures involving all state agencies. For reasons noted last week, the bill would take some power away from agency commissioners and their respective personnel offices, but such action has been needed for a long time.

For the taxpayer and citizen, the bill has two most notable assets: it would go a long way toward eliminating the "political" nature of state employment, allowing people to work for the State of Texas because they are qualified rather than because of having friends or acquaintances in high political places; it would also give applicants for state jobs a central personnel office through which to apply instead of having to go to the many different personnel offices of the many different state agencies in order to find employment with the state.

On another matter, Rep. Robert Davis of Irving has introduced H. B. 898 which is so incredible that it really defies both description and sanity.

If passed in its present form, the bill would make it impossible for certain grandparents to see their grandchildren by their own visitation privilege, which is now allowed under the Texas Family Code.

It works like this. A couple is divorced with children involved, and one of the ex-spouses gets custody with the other ex-spouse getting visitation rights. Let us say, for example, that the ex-spouse with visitation rights, not custody, either dies or moves a long distance from the children.

If this situation were to occur, and the surviving ex-spouse who has custody decides (for any reason) that the parents of the dead ex-spouse are never to see their grandchildren again, this law (H. B. 898) would so order it. It wouldn't matter how much emotional attachment these grandparents might have for their grandchildren. There would be no legal remedy.

The bill is currently under study by the House's Judiciary Committee, and a recommendation is now being formulated by the committee. Committee members are Ben Z. Grant (Chairman), L. Dewitt Hale, Melchor Chavez, Ronald Coleman, Robert Maloney, Paul Moreno, David Stubbeman, John Bryant, Woody Denison, Pike Powers and Craig Washington.

The Judiciary Committee had a public hearing on the bill on March 18, and it appeared that many members were not favorably impressed. In fact, Rep. Davis, the sponsor, had no citizens, witnesses, parents,



SLATON SAVING & LOAN AWARD — Mrs. Iva Hudman, manager of the Post Branch of the Slaton Savings & Loan Association, left, presents a \$100 check to Mrs. Marie Neff of Post for the purchase award of Mrs. Neff's watercolor, "The Hame." — (Staff Photo)

Remember When

10 Years Ago

Suspect shot here Sunday in main street burglary reported in good condition, charged with burglary of Marshall-Brown and Santa Fe Railroad; new playground equipment at city-county park installed for younger children; Vickie Wilks and Cheryl Martin named to the all-star cast in one-act play contest in Denver City, the Post play won second place in UIL; Miss Betty Jo Hill, bride-elect of Jimmy Sharp, complimented with bridal shower in the home of Mrs. T. C. Clark; Margie Ann Harrison and Don Harlan Pennell to be wed June 11;

engagement of Stanna Butler to Larry Welch is announced; 30-team volleyball tournament opens here.

15 Years Ago

Cy Thaxton, Walter Duckworth and Harold Lucas win council posts; Pierce and Bull elected to board in Saturday's voting; The Post High School golf team wins the District 3AA championship, members were Leo Williams, Roger Camp, Leslie Acker, David McCampbell and Mike Cornell with Coach Charles Hopkins; Sam Ellis, Pearl Nance and L. G. Thuet Jr., re-elected to the Garza County board of education; Garland Huddleston begins his duties as mortician at Hudman Funeral Home here; Post Antelopes to try for district track title.

25 Years Ago

James Minor heads cancer campaign with goal of \$897; four new businesses are moving into Post locating on the Clairmont highway; George Samson named Post Chamber of Commerce head; Paul Jones and Monta Moore re-elected to school board; Royce Ray Hart honored with party on his seventh birthday; Priscilla Sewing group is Post's oldest organized social club, begun in 1912.

I'm not a grandparent yet, but if I were I know this bill would upset me even more than it does now. The rights of people (grandparents and grandchildren in particular) as related to this law, particularly when deep emotions are involved, makes H. B. 898 a moral issue to my way of thinking.

I wish Rep. Davis could explain just where it is he dreams up crazy stuff like this. At least he could tell us who suggested it to him in the first place.

BROWNWOOD VISITORS — Mr. and Mrs. Truett Fry of Brownwood visited Mrs. Tom Williams one day last week.

Relays good for Post

The Postex Relays here Friday were probably the biggest sports event ever held in Post, judged by the number of participants. An estimated 800 to 1,000 youngsters took part.

Reported one sport fan volunteer who helped the local coaching staff run off the big meet: "We had 149 kids throwing the shot in the four divisions." That will give you a good idea as to size.

The relays are good for Post and track development here for a number of reasons.

They are providing (1) a great junior high base for the development of track as a major high school sport, (2) by being a junior high event instead of a high school meet, it is one of the few if not THE meet for all junior high tracksters of the area, which makes it an excellent sports promotion for Post, (3) to provide proper facilities for the mushrooming relays, local track facilities are being constantly improved, (4) in enlisting the

volunteer sport of dozens of male sports fan to help operate the meet and in providing an excellent track show, the relays serve to heighten fan interest here in track.

Of course to these four reasons one can add the standard Chamber of Commerce basic of "good advertising for Post."

Track provides an interesting sport in itself and also a spring bulwark for any community's high school football program.

The objective of Athletic Director Bobby Davis's school sports program here is to be competitive in all sports. The Postex Relays are helping a lot in track.

The coaching staff and the Antelope Booster Club, which provides a lot of volunteers, are to be congratulated for another fine meet.

Our prediction is that the 1975 record participation will last for only a year — until the next Postex Relays are held.

Austin game still same

Already bills are being introduced in the Texas Legislature to modify some of the stringent requirements which resulted from Texas' own Sharpstown scandals.

Legislators have been warned it's "against the law" to sell \$100 tickets to lobbyists for campaign fund raising dinners while the legislature is in session. But some have already done it, and returned them reluctantly when threatened with prosecution. So they have introduced bills to make this legal again.

It won't be long, at this rate, until Texas politics is back into the old "payoff days."

If you remember, the legislature, the governor, and the attorney-general didn't break their backs to cleanup the Sharpstown mess after federal authorities broke it open. In fact, few of those politicians who benefitted from buying rigged Sharpstown stock were ever prosecuted.

It took the people at the voting box to sort of clear the decks and retire a lot of the politicians to their home pastures.

The story one usually hears is that the lobbyists run the show in Austin and despite post-Sharpstown curbs on lobbying, the story hasn't changed any.

Probably the biggest reason that things don't seem to run entirely on the up and up in the state capital is that the people back home don't seem to care. The voter doesn't understand, nor does he follow the state legislative process. The legislative stories, except for the session's final, hectic days are always buried on the inside pages of the dailies and make no news at all on television or in radio.

This is just a friendly reminder to our readers that the game hasn't changed in Austin, and until the voters make a real, tough stand it isn't going to either.



Some say that to make a forgetful debtor pay up, one should drive some nails into a locust tree in the shape of a cross, and he will come unsummoned to pay his debt.

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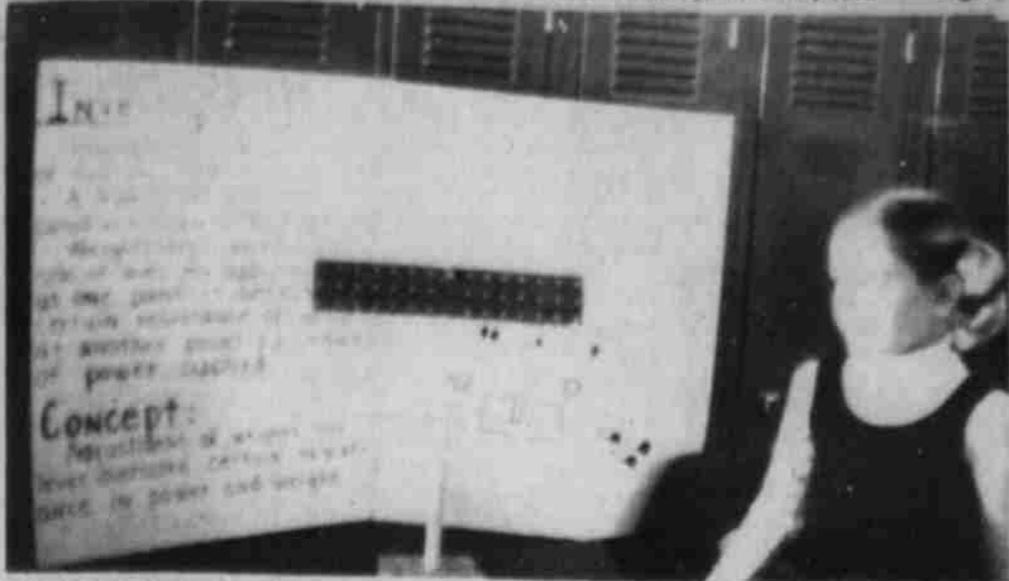


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Supak new agronomist

Dr. James R. Supak assumed the position of agronomist — cotton — Texas Agricultural Experiment Station here. Supak, who has served as agronomist for the Southland Extension Service for the past three years, worked primarily with cotton. He will be headquartered at the A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center here. Supak vacated the position vacated by Robert Metzger, who was transferred to College Station to Extension cotton specialist October.



PRIMARY DIVISION WINNER — Cindee Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Jackson, poses with her exhibit, "Fulcrum and Lever" with which she recently won first place in the Primary Division of the Post Science High School Science Fair. — (School Photo)

Volleyball meet planned

The Southland Booster Club is sponsoring a men's and women's volleyball tournament next week in the Southland gym. Play opens Monday night and continues through to Saturday night except for Wednesday night. Six games will be played each night beginning at 7 p. m. with separate divisions for men and women. Two Post teams are entered in the event. Home-cooked food will be sold at the concession stand. Everyone is invited.



TEXACO WHOLESALE AWARD — Mrs. Frances Camp appears with artist Leo Smith of Lubbock with Smith's watercolor, "Rimrock Revisited" which Mrs. Camp selected for the \$75 Texaco Wholesale purchase award. — (Staff Photo)

WEEKEND GUESTS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Roberts over the weekend was their son, D. C. of Irving, David Roberts of Hobbs, N. M., Mrs. L. D. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. David Midkiff of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gollehon and daughter, Twila, of Portales, N. M.

Easter seal response good

Garza County's Easter Seal Representative reported today that the 1975 Easter Seal Appeal of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults is going well but urged all citizens who have not responded to the appeal to do so. Mrs. Martha Compton, of Post, serves as Easter Seal appeal treasurer for the county. The 1975 Easter Seal Appeal will finance the Easter Seal Society's rehabilitation program for crippled children and adults in Texas. Last year the Society helped 20,152 persons through its program of assistance in finding and making effective use of services for the disabled and their families.

3 accidents in February

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated three accidents on rural highways in Garza County during the month of February, 1975, according to Sergeant H. E. Pirtle, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area. These crashes resulted in no persons killed and one person injured. The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first two months of 1975 shows a total of four accidents resulting in no persons killed and three persons injured. The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for February, 1975 shows a total of 435 accidents resulting in 12 persons killed and 199 persons injured as compared to February, 1974, with 322 accidents resulting in ten persons killed and 208 persons injured. This was 113 more accidents, two more killed and nine less injured in 1975 at the same period of time. The 12 traffic deaths for the month of February, 1975, occurred in the following counties: two in Potter; one each in Archer, Cochran, Collingsworth, Hale, Hockley, Hutchinson, Lubbock, Palo Pinto, Randall, and Wichita.

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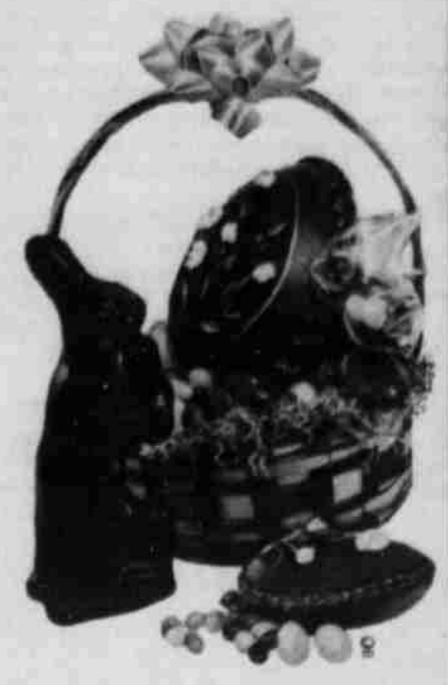
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Focus
By PAULA GAWTHON
Assistant County Extension Agent
on Home Economics

FASHIONS FOR '75 REFLECT FEMININITY

The fashion mood for '75 reflects freshness, softness and femininity. Styles are pleasant to the eye for a new loveliness. Clothes are designed to be serviceable and multi-purpose. Few gimmicks or fads will be seen. More classic styling coupled with seasonless fabrics will enable clothes to be worn for several seasons.

Emphasis is placed on quality fabric and construction to make clothes more durable. A refinement of the big shapes of '74 is evident — with soft full shapes, often belted to reveal the feminine form, leading the fashion scene.

While pants continue to be popular, flared skirts add new freshness to the wardrobe and may be coordinated with jackets and blouses from pantsuits of former seasons.

The length? Wear it where you like. Most popular look in knee length or slightly below. In keeping with the practical, relaxed mood for '75, clothes have an easy, natural look never binding or restricting. Many designers are featuring fabrics of natural fibers, with cotton and cotton blends the summer preferences.

Colors for this year are softly bright with pure colors sharing the spotlight with ever popular neutrals. Last season's heathered tones can be brightened with a few carefully chosen pure colors to coordinate.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Cockrum and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cockrum here this past week. The Cockrums were en route to South Wellfleet, Mass., where he will be associated with Cape Cod National Seashore as a civil engineer.

Mayor makes growth talk to Culture Club

Mayor Giles C. McCrary was guest speaker for the Woman's Culture Club when it met March 12 in the Post Club House with Mrs. J. H. Haire and Mrs. Herman Havis as hostesses.

Roll call was answered by "Ways to Improve Texas." Members were urged to attend the Caprock District Convention March 14 and 15 in the Hilton Hotel in Lubbock.

Mayor McCrary presented a talk on "Industrial Growth in Texas and Garza County."

Some of the points he made was that Garza County now has a good water supply from White River without the tax; sales tax has increased 100 per cent; agricultural outlook is optimistic; Postex Mills is now producing a variety of products; there is more wild life in this county than ever before; assistance programs have developed for the elderly; food stamps are helping the poor. Mayor McCrary concluded his talk by saying "I am proud to be a citizen of Post and Garza County and am looking forward to having a part in the future of Post."

The St. Patrick motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments were served to members Mmes. Bob Dickson, Jack Burress, I. L. Duckworth, Estelle Davis, M. J. Malouf, Ralph Welch, R. L. Marks, Williams, Haire, and Havis. Guests were Mmes. Ed Warren, Morris Neff, Walter Boren, C. H. Hartel and Mayor McCrary.

Ferns are topic for garden club

"An Affair with Ferns" was the theme for the program when the Green Thumb Garden Club met March 13th in the home of Mrs. Robert Cox.

The program was given in three parts with Mrs. L. C. Herron giving the varieties of ferns, Mrs. N. R. King the care of ferns, and Mrs. Hansford Hudman concluded the program showing common and rare plants Bob Hudman is growing in his green house.

Plans were discussed for a pilgrimage in the near future. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Dan Cockrum, Victor Hudman, Homer McCrary, Jess Hendricks, Douglas Buchanan, Ivan Jones, Donald Windham, James Mitchell, Fannie Ballentine, Nita Burress, program committee and a visitor, Alma McBride.

Six 4-H girls in food show

Six Garza County 4-H girls participated in the District 2, 4-H Food Show Saturday. The contest was held in the University Center on Texas Tech University Campus. About 150 4-H boys and girls from 20 counties participated in the contest.

Sandra Bostick received a blue award in the Senior main dish division. Kelly Chaffin, received a red award entering in the Senior breads and desserts division.

Junior entries were Melinda Morris, blue award in snacks and beverages; Cindy Harrell, blue award in main dish; Renea Melton, red award in breads and desserts; and Lisa Johnson, red award in side dishes.

Those attending from Garza County were Ann and Kelly Chaffin, Shirley and Tanya Bland, Ruby and Sandra Bostick, Winnie, Cindy and Carl Harrell, Judy Bland, Lisa Johnson, Mrs. Jerry Morris, Melinda Morris, Sheila, Renea and Angela Melton, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cawthon.

Graham HD club meets in center

The Graham Home Demonstration club met Friday in the center. Roll call was answered with "Mistakes I Have Made in My Wardrobe."

The program "Make Yesterday's Today's Fashion" was discussed.

Iris McMahon, hostess, served refreshments to Sue Maxey, Pearl Wallace, Nona Lusk, Bernita Maxey, Loucille Morris, Rene Fluit, Mary Cowdrey and Viva Davis.

The club will meet April 4 for the next meeting.

RETURNS HOME

C. V. (Pete) Smith has returned to his home this week after undergoing surgery in West Texas Hospital last week and is reported to be doing very well.



FIVE GENERATIONS — Five generations of the R. V. Dudgeon family, were represented recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dudgeon of Post. Pictured above left to right, Mrs. Olefa Reece, daughter from Sudan, Tex., R. V. Dudgeon, Post, Mrs. Maurine Thomas, granddaughter, Diana, Tex., Mrs. Deniece Evans, great-granddaughter, Diana, Tex., and Clifton Evans, great-great-grandson.



Layette coffee for Mrs. Cook

Mrs. Kenneth Cook and new baby son, Cliff Jay, were honored with a layette coffee, Tuesday morning, in the home of Mrs. Quannah Maxey. Guests called between the hours of 10 a. m. and 11 a. m.

Sausage quickies, miniature jelly muffins, donuts, chocolate easter eggs, coffee and orange juice were served by Mrs. Bruce Ledbetter.

The serving table was laid with a yellow cloth and centered with an easter arrangement. Blue napkins and silver and crystal appointments were used.

Hostesses for the coffee were Mmes. Bryan Maxey, James Stone, E. E. Peel, Viva Davis, Pearl Wallace, Bobby Cowdrey, Lewis Mason, Delmer Cowdrey, Noel White, Elmer Cowdrey and Maxey.

MALAKOFF VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Z. G. Robinson of Malakoff, Tex., were guests over the weekend with brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Racy Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson, also with his sister, Mrs. D. C. Roberts. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kellum of Slaton.

GILES McCRARY AWARD — Mayor McCrary admires the pastel, "First Bouquet" by Mac Carow of Lubbock, right, which McCrary selected for his \$100 purchase award. — (Staff Photo)

Brief history of Girl Scouting here in Post

By VADA CLARY
"We've come a long way, baby."

In December 1949 it was realized that a Girl Scout program was needed in Post. After a survey of the schools was taken, it was learned that 130 girls were interested in being Girl Scouts or Brownies. So interested parents got busy and the first Girl Scout Troop was organized in Post.

Those who have served as Neighborhood Chairman are 1960, Vada Clary; 1961, Mrs. D. D. Cooper; 1962, 63, 64 and 65, Kathryn Cathcart; 1966, 67 and 68, Janie Davis; 1969 and 70, Carol Peppers; 1971 and 72, Nell Morris; 1973, Nell Morris and Carol Peppers and 1974 and 75, Patty Kirkpatrick.

Engagement is announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Myers of Southland announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debbie Craddock to C. V. Siler Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Siler of Slaton.

Debbie is a senior in Southland High School. Siler is employed with Case Power & Equipment in Lubbock.

A wedding date of July 12 has been set.

Aaron Davis has 1st birthday party

Aaron Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie G. Davis, celebrated his first birthday Sunday. Guests during the day were Aaron's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Justice, Mrs. Ada Oden, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace and Angela, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Johnson and family.

Easter cake and punch were served to all present.

STUDENTS STOP FOR VISIT

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Horton this past weekend were Nancy Maddox, Debbie Culp of Chillicothe, Avonna Bratcher of Artesia, N. M., all students of Wayland Baptist College in Plainview. They had just returned from Seattle, Washington, where they took part in a weeks crusade.

Troops met in homes, churches, or wherever we could find the room.

On March 6, 1955 our first open house was held in the Girl Scout Hut, which, was a house donated and land donated by Brown Brothers.

The scouting program was inducted into the Caprock Girl Scout Council in 1960.

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On March 9, 1975 an open house was held in a new building which replaced the old Girl Scout Hut. The new Girl Scout house is something we can all be proud of, because promoters of scouting have worked so hard through the years to accomplish this goal, and yes, we have come a long way as we celebrate our Silver Anniversary.

Thursday club meets with Mrs. Morris

The Graham Thursday club met in Post, Thursday, with Mrs. Loucille Morris.

The afternoon was spent with some members doing hand sewing and some visiting.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Sue Maxey, Iris McMahon, Ada Oden, Pearl Wallace, Viva Davis and the hostess, Mrs. Loucille Morris. Mrs. Noel White and Keitha Beth visited during the meeting. The next meeting will be April 10, with Iris McMahon.

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... farewell, so long
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... of the latest hit
... Western recordings to
... couldn't be more
... That's a westbound
... telling an eastbound
... good-bye on a Citizen's
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... if you think it takes a
... to say good-bye, you
... to hear them say hello.
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... Smokey
... and just plain conver-
... for years and their
... has evolved into one
... most colorful, most
... most gregarious
... most complicat-
... of Americana ever
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... where are you?" It's
... your 1970?" If you're
... but not talking, you're
... on the side," and if
... people actually
... speak to one another
... "How
... Ragtail (or Pretty
... Head, Blue Babe, or
...)?" and the other
... "Come-on, you got it."
...
... patrolmen are call-
... "Smokey
... as in "Ol' Smokey is
... in Lubbock Town,
... passing out bubble
... to the locals."
...
... conversation be-
... truckers passing on
... the Caprock, then, might
... like this:
... "Come-on."
... "Breaker."
... the weather up there
... here and ol' Snyder
... come-on."
... fine, man, come-
... eastbound
... report coming out of
... Post Town, come-on."
... Smokey's down by ol'
... Town taking pic-
... giving green stamps,
... do appreciate
... you've got a clean
... way to Lubbock
...
... this time, the truckers
... too far apart to hear
... other very well but they
... say that. They say,
... "That's negatory con-
... that ol' 18 wheeler,"
... pictures," of course, is
... and "giving green
... or "passing out
... gum cards" (sometimes
... wrappers) is giving tic-
...
... Smokey reports
... of Smokey is
... "clear and on the
... himself. Although they
... talk on CB, most
... patrolmen monitor it,
... can bet your wheels
... the truckers know where
... knows where they are
... slowing them down is
... had in mind in the first
... though, the reports are
... right with him."
...
... Smokey and the
... don't have enough fun
... their radios, there's
... the local CB owners, but
... story in itself and
... just have to wait until
... Keep on trucking,
... Bye-bye, farewell, so
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... aircraft club
... Easter poem
...
... Aircraft Club met
... March 21 in the home of
... Kennedy.
... evening was spent
... and the hostess read a
... of "Easter and the
...
... the Easter theme
... refreshments
... served to members Mmes.
... Max Jones, Helen
... Bowen, Mar-
... Eula Evans, Linda
... Sadie Storie, Alma
... Katharine
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ELECTION ORDER AND NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GARZA

On this the 10th day of February, 1975, the Board of Trustees of Post Independent School District convened in regular session, open to the public, with the following members present to-wit:

Mr. K. W. Kirkpatrick, president, Mr. Bob Macy, Mr. A. C. Cash, Mr. W. E. Chapman, Jr., Mr. Silas Short, Mrs. Margaret C. Wilson and Mr. John Boren, constituting a quorum and among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following:

WHEREAS, the term of office of Silas Short, Place 6, and John Boren, Place 7, members of the Board of Trustees of this School District will expire on the first Saturday in April, 1975, and said first Saturday being April 5, 1975, and on said date a trustee election will be held in said School District.

WHEREAS, it is necessary for this Board to pass an order establishing the procedure for filing and conducting said trustee election.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF POST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

1. That an election be held in said School District on April 5, 1975, for the purpose of electing to the Board of Trustees of said School District Positions 6 and 7.

2. That all requests by candidates to have their names placed upon the ballot for the above mentioned election shall be in writing and signed by the candidate and filed with the secretary of the Board of Trustees at the superintendent's office not later than 30 days prior to the date of said election.

All candidates shall file with said application the loyalty affidavit required by Art. 6.02 of the Election Code.

The secretary of this Board of Trustees shall post on the bulletin board in the building where the Board of Trustees meets the names of all candidates that have filed their applications in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Order, and said Secretary shall otherwise comply with the terms and provisions of Art. 13.32 of the Election Code.

3. That said election shall be held at the following place and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election:

At Post High School Building in Post, Texas, in said School District with Mrs. Elizabeth Hart as Presiding Judge.

The polls at the above designated polling place shall on election day be open from 8 o'clock a.m. to 7 o'clock p.m.

4. Mrs. Ann Lowe is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting with Mrs. Glen Barley and Mrs. Ruth Ann Young as deputy clerks for such absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at Superintendent's Office in Post High School Building within the boundaries of the above named School District and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least eight hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on each day for said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee Clerk's mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail shall be sent.

5. The manner of holding said election shall be governed as near as may be by the Election Code of this State and this Board of Trustees will furnish all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

6. Immediately after said election has been held the officials holding the same shall return to the president of the Board of Trustees in a sealed envelope a copy of the returns, poll list and tally sheet for said election and this set of election returns shall be used by the Board of Trustees in canvassing said election.

Another copy of the return, poll list, and tally sheet of said election shall be delivered to the present of the Board of Trustees in an unsealed envelope and this envelope shall be available in the office of the

ATTEND GRAND OPENING
Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hudman and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hudman were in Stephenville Sunday to attend the open house of the new Lacy Funeral Home there. Percy Parsons, formerly of Post who now operates a funeral home in Frisco, is owner of the Stephenville funeral home.

superintendent open to inspection by the public for 30 days from the date of the election.

7. The presiding judge for said election shall return to the Superintendent immediately after the votes have been counted, the ballot box containing the voted ballots and all other election supplies and said ballot box shall be preserved and kept in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Texas Election Code.

8. The Board of Trustees shall give notice of said election and this combined Election Order and Notice shall serve as Notice for said election. The President of the Board of Trustees is hereby authorized and instructed to post or cause to have posted said combined Election Order and Notice at three public places where notices are customarily posted in this school district, and said posting

shall be made at least 30 days before the date of said election.

The President shall also cause a copy of this combined Election Order and Notice to be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where this school district is located. Said publication shall be not more than 30 days nor less than 10 days before the date of said election.

9. It is further found and determined that in accordance with the order of the Board of Trustees the Secretary posted written notice of the date, place, and subject of this meeting on the bulletin board, located in the administrative office, a place convenient to the public, and said notice having been so posted and remained posted continuously for at least three days preceding the date of this meeting.

It is further found and determined that this district is located in one county and that written notice of the date, place and subject matter of this meeting was furnished to the County Clerk of each county in

which this district is located and that said notices were posted by the County Clerk of each of said counties on the bulletin board at the door of the courthouse for said county, a place convenient to the public, at least three days preceding the date of this meeting. The returns of said posting shall be

attached to the minutes of this meeting and shall be a part thereof for all intents and purposes.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that the same do pass. Thereupon the question being called for the following members of the Board voted AYE: Mr. W. E. Chapman, Jr., Mr. Silas Short,

Mr. Bob Macy, Mr. K. W. Kirkpatrick, Mr. A. C. Cash, and Mrs. Margaret C. Wilson.

K. W. Kirkpatrick
President, Board of Trustees
ATTEST:

John Boren
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Family is visiting in Post
 The Hon. C. E. Hipp and his family appeared during appearances of the Graham Riding Club in rodeo parades.
 Mr. and Mrs. Hipp now produce their own all-championship rodeo, known as the "Possum Kingdom Roundup" in August in Graham.

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Rotan rites for brother
 Funeral services for John Robert Strayhorn, 83, a retired Rotan automobile dealer killed Friday in a two-car crash near LaGrange, were held Monday in the First Baptist Church in Rotan.
 Mr. Strayhorn was a brother of Mrs. Phil Bouchier of Post and the brother-in-law of Mrs. Pauline Warren.
 Mr. Strayhorn's wife, Vera, was injured in the collision but is reported in satisfactory condition in a Rotan hospital.
 Survivors include, his wife, two sons, Bart of Rotan, and Wallace of Burk Burnett; three sisters, Mrs. W. W. Cork of San Angelo, Mrs. Phil Bouchier of Post and Miss Naomi Strayhorn of Rotan; three grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Library Bookshelf
 Among new adult fiction books on the shelves of the Post Public Library are "The Understudy" by Elia Kazan, "Streets of Gold" by Evan Hunter, and "Marathon Man" by William Goldman.
 New adult non-fiction include "Easter Eggs for Everyone" by Evelyn Conkey, "Bronzes of the American West" by Patricia Broder, and "All Things Bright and Beautiful" by James Herriot.
 New mysteries include, "Hercule Poirot's Christmas" and "They Do It With Mirrors" both by Agatha Christie.
 Among junior non-fiction are "Walking Catfish and Other Aliens" by Charles E. Roth, and "The Chess Book" by Jane Sarnoff. Junior fiction books added include "She, the Adventurer" by Dorothy Crayder.

Cattle feeding down in Texas
 COLLEGE STATION — Cattle feeding is down in Texas, but the number of cows and calves is up, point out a livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.
 Cattle feeding in Texas on Feb. 1 was 47 per cent below levels last year compared to a drop of 37 per cent in the seven major cattle feeding states. Placement of cattle into Texas feedlots was down 56 per cent in January compared to the same month a year ago.
 On the other hand, the number of breeding cows in the U. S. is up four per cent over last year, with cow and heifer numbers up six per cent in Texas.
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 Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilks Jr.
 ONE FOR EASTER BUNNY
 Dear Easter Bunny,
 Will you please leave my eggs at Meme's and Pa pa's house at Post. Hide one in Pa Pa's shoes. We will be there.
 Mark and Mindy Polson
 Cousin Vi wants her friends to be perfectly frank—about other people.

Many Graham visitors here for Mrs. Herring's rites
 By MRS. GLENN DAVIS
 Out of town visitors of Mrs. Johnnie Rogers last Tuesday were Tom Herring of Corpus Christi and Kim Fornby, stationed with the Navy in Conn. and Mr. and Mrs. Granville Fornby of Amarillo. Also Rev. Dale Harlen of San Antonio and Rev. Butler of Corpus Christi. There were other visitors from around close. They were here to attend funeral services for Mrs. Tom Herring of Corpus Christi.
 Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Quannah Maxey were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones and Dorenda, the Noel Whites, Lewis Masons, Ronnie Graves and Sam Butler, a small boy from the Lubbock Children's Home spending this week with the Noel White family while school is out for the spring break.
 Mrs. Kenneth Cook and baby were honored with a coffee and shower last Tuesday morning in the Quannah Maxey home. Mrs. Cook and children and her mother went to Amarillo that afternoon where the family will be making their home. Mrs. Mack Ledbetter returned home last Friday.
 Charlotte Taylor is spending the spring vacation at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor and sister Helen Vern. Other visitors have been Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fondy and baby daughter of Lubbock. Mrs. Vera Gossett has been a visitor.
 Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Dodson and sons of Abernathy spent Saturday night with her mother Mrs. Mary Ethridge. Mr. and Mrs. Daymon Ethridge and daughters visited Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Fluitt and family visited last Friday evening with the Lewis Mason family.
 Jo and Dorenda Jones, Diane Graves, Sue Maxey, and Jane Mason visited Sunday afternoon with Brenda King and Mrs. Elmer Cowdrey.
 Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ambers Parrish, and Ronnie, were Wayne Parrish and a friend and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Parrish.
 Mrs. Jewell Parrish, Iris McMahon, Pearl Wallace, and Rene Fluitt visited last Tuesday afternoon with Brenda King and on Wednesday with Mrs. Lola Peel.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Parrish met the Jimmy Parrish family in Lubbock last Saturday. They ate out together and later visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lee Parrish.
 Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Williams visited in Slaton Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Williams sister, Mrs. Floye Gilbow and children of Odessa were also visitors in Slaton.
 Mrs. Elvus Davis and grandsons are visiting her son Jerry Ligon in Hobbs, N. M. this week. The sons are on spring vacation from a Lubbock school.
 Claude Williams, returned home from Garza Hospital Monday where he had been hospitalized with hepatitis.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gossett visited in Petersburg last Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jason Justice. They went to Lubbock Tuesday, then returned home.
 Mrs. Rene Fluitt visited her mother in Tahoka last Thursday.
 Word has been received here that J. L. Hedrick is in room 207 in a Uvalde Hospital seriously ill. The family was residents of this community before moving to Uvalde. We wish it could be possible for him to be well.
 Mrs. Innis Thuet had Sunday lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Wagoner Johnson and Jerry.
 Mrs. Esther Ward has returned home to Post after a visit in Slaton with relatives.
 Mrs. Melvin Williams visited Brenda King on Monday.

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Postex Relays biggest sports event in Post history

Scott Walker scores 34 points as local standout

A record field, estimated at between 850 and 1,000 athletes, made the fourth annual Postex Relays here Friday the largest competitive sports event in Post's history.

Floydada won the seventh grade division, Colorado City, eighth grade division; Slaton, ninth grade division; and Post, the junior varsity division.

Despite the record size of the field, the meet finished only 15 minutes behind schedule after the afternoon finals got under way 10 minutes late.

Meet Director Lane Tannehill praised all the cooperation the coaches received in running off what has grown to be the biggest junior high relays in West Texas. Twenty-nine adult volunteers took the day off from work to assist with the operation of the big relays.

Scott Walker, Post's talented seventh grader, was the Post standout of the relays.

He scored 34 of Post's 35 points in the seventh grade division with first places in the 230 yard intermediate hurdles, 31.4 seconds, and the high jump, at five feet; a second in the 70 yard high hurdles at 11.8 seconds; and a third in the long jump with a 16 foot, 1 inch leap.

A sixth place in the shot put by Deb Palmer was Post's only other point in the division.

The locals tied for eighth place in the eighth grade division with Cooper and Ropes with 18 points.

Cliff Kirkpatrick was the big winner for Post in this division



OUTSTANDING PERFORMER — Scott Walker was the outstanding Post performer in the Postex Relays scoring 34 points with two first, a second, and a third in the seventh grade division. — (Staff Photo)

with a first in the 70 yard high hurdles in 10.4 seconds and a sixth place in the high jump at 5 feet, 2 inches.

Other eighth grade points for Post came on a sixth by Dale Redman in the pole vault at 8 feet and a fourth in the high jump by Shorty Bilberry, also at 5 feet 2 inches.

Post's freshmen finished sixth in the ninth grade division, scoring 37 points.

Post points came with a third in the 440 yard relay (Josey, S. Davis, R. Baker and D. Greathouse); a third by Eddie Reece in the 120 yard high hurdles, a fifth by Steve Davis in the 220, a fourth by Baker in the 330 yard intermediate hurdles; a tie for third with two others by Tommy Reed in the pole vault, a third by Baker in the long jump, and a tie between Greathouse and Brad Shepherd in the high jump.

In the junior varsity division Post rolled up 144 points to 114 for Tahoka in second and 101 for Floydada in third.

Post won seven of the events in the division as follows: Bryan Davis, 16.7 in 120 high hurdles; Joel Nesmith with 2:14.1 in 880; Ralph Howell with a 5:01.7 mile; Mike Waldrip with a 5 foot, 8 inch high jump; Garland Dudley with a 124 foot discus throw, and Jimmy Dorland with a 21 foot, 1 1/2 inch broad jump and an 11 foot pole vault. See results for rest of Post scoring.

7th Grade Results
440 relay: Floydada, Roosevelt, Slaton, Lockney, Frenship and Tullia, 52.1 seconds.

660 yard run: Bitter, Frenship; Wright, Tullia; Marcado, Floydada; Pena, Sundown; Hanks, Colorado City, and Garza, Tullia, 1:42.9.

70 yard high hurdles: Bouds, Slaton; Walker, Post; Moel, Colorado City, McGinnis, Crosbyton; Gonzales, Floydada; Acosta, Tahoka, 11.5 seconds.

100 yard dash: Jackson, Crosbyton; Arredondo, Floydada; Jones, Frenship; Wright, Ropesville, Flores, Crosbyton,

Lair, Tullia, 11.9 seconds.
330 yard dash: Vasquez, Roosevelt; Cornish, Sundown; Browning, Tullia; Delgado, Lockney; McCormick, Idalou; and Lurea, Colorado City, 41.0 seconds.

230 yard intermediate hurdles Walker, Post; Rocha, Roosevelt; Marquis, Floydada; Edmunds, Slaton; Alaniz, Lockney; and Gonzales, Floydada, 3:4 seconds.

220 yard dash: Coppage, Crosbyton; Wright, Ropesville; Cosonacia, Crosbyton; Flores, Crosbyton; Cluver, Slaton; and Joiner, Frenship, 24.4 seconds.

1320 yard run: Gallagher, Idalou; Johnson, Colorado City; Jimenez, Tullia; Sistos, Crosbyton; Martinez, Colorado City; and Re. Guerrero, Lockney, 3:49.0.

880 relay: Crosbyton; Floydada; Roosevelt; Slaton; Lockney; and Frenship, 1:45.1.

Discus: Canto, Roosevelt; Vasquez, Roosevelt; Coppage, Crosbyton; Infante, Cooper; Williams, Colorado City; and Jones, Frenship, 104 ft. 11 inches.

Shot put: Vasquez, Roosevelt; Canto, Roosevelt; Griggs, Floydada; Lair, Tullia; Jeffcoat, Sundown; and Palmer, Post, 29 ft. 4 inches.

Long jump: Arredondo, Floydada; Coppage, Crosbyton; Walker, Post; Rocha, Roosevelt; Kiem, Tullia; tie between Ohgas, Tahoka and Gutierrez, Floydada, 17 ft. 9 inches.

Pole vault: Hanks, Colorado City; Welch, Lockney; Jackson, Crosbyton; Westbrook, Floydada; Debusk, Idalou; and Phillips, Idalou, 8 feet.

High jump: Walker, Post; Gonzalez, Floydada; Arredondo, Floydada; Otto, Lockney; Gentry, Cooper, and Justin, Frenship, 5 feet.

Team totals: Floydada 95 1/2, Roosevelt 86, Crosbyton 80, Post 35, Slaton 35, Lockney 33, Colorado City 31, Frenship 25, Tullia 23, Idalou 15, Sundown 14, Ropes 12, Tahoka 7 1/2 and Cooper 6.

8th Grade results
440 relay: Tahoka, Colorado City, Crosbyton, Tullia, Lockney, Floydada, 48.7 seconds.
660 yard run: Aguayo, Tullia; Infante, Cooper; Hays, Cooper; R. Garcia, Colorado City; Martin, Ropesville; and Molina, Lockney, 1:34.0.

70 yard high hurdles: Kirkpatrick, Post; Vinyard, Idalou; Chambers, Ropesville; Covington, Floydada; R. Sanchez, Colorado City; and Scott, Tahoka, 10.4 seconds.

100 yard dash: Cruse, Ropesville; Day, Floydada; Willard, Frenship; Foster, Lockney; Armentrout, Tullia; and Gomez, Frenship, 11.7 seconds.

330 yard dash: Waygood, Sundown; Gomez, Tullia; R. Garcia, Colorado City; Cavillo, Tahoka; Luna, Floydada; and Harkness, Frenship, 39.9 seconds.

230 yard int. hurdles: Bailey, Tahoka; Smith, Roosevelt; Aquayo, Tullia; Vinyard, Idalou; Salazar, Cooper; and Armentrout, Tullia, 28.4 seconds.

220 yard dash: Reed, Crosbyton; Selvara, Colorado City; Garcia, Colorado City; Padilla, Tullia; Gonzales, Frenship; and Cavillo, Tahoka, 25.2 seconds.

1320 yard run: James, Tullia; Aguilar, Tullia; F. Martinez, Colorado City; Aguilar, Colorado City; Maldonado, Frenship; and Reem, Frenship, 3:42.5.

Shot put: Anderson, Idalou; Weems, Idalou; Tijerina, Lockney; Griggs, Floydada; Mann, Roosevelt; and Moore, Tahoka, 49 feet, 7 inches.

Long jump: Bourn, Slaton; White, Tahoka; Baker, Post; Wilks, Tullia; Williams, Crosbyton; and McDonald, Lockney, 19 feet.

Pole vault: Carpenter, Sundown; White, Tahoka; three way tie for third, Reed, Post, Meek, Tahoka, and Rucker, Idalou; and Adams, Colorado City, 10 feet.

High jump: White, Tahoka; Burliesmith, Idalou; Cook, Tullia; Rodriguez, Frenship; Hammond, Colorado City; and a tie for 6th, Greathouse, Post, and Shepherd, Post, 5 feet, 10 inches.

Team totals: Slaton 81, Idalou 72, Crosbyton 52, Colorado City 51, Tahoka 40, Post 37, Tullia 34, Floydada 33, Lockney 30, Frenship 21, Cooper 19, Sundown 18 and Roosevelt 2.

JV Results
440 relay: Tahoka; Post (B. See JV Results, Page 10)

880 relay: Colorado City; Tahoka; Tullia, Frenship; Sundown; and Cooper, 1:43.8.

Discus: Soliz, Floydada; Womack, Colorado City; J. Garcia, Colorado City; Franco, Colorado City; Moore, Idalou; and Radiott, Floydada, 132 feet, 5 inches.

Shot put: Foster, Lockney; Rameriz, Crosbyton; Soliz, Floydada; Reed, Crosbyton; Arellano, Floydada; and Bailey, Tahoka, 44 feet, 4 1/4 inches.

Long jump: Day, Floydada; Garcia, Colorado City; Padilla, Tullia; Scott, Tahoka; Gomez, Tullia; and Gonzales, Frenship, 18 feet, 3 1/2 inches.



JV RACE WINNERS — These three members of the Post Antelope track team won running events in the junior varsity divisions of the Postex Relays. Left to right, Joel Nesmith, 880 run winner; Bryan Davis, 120 high hurdles; and Ralph Howell, mile run. — (Staff Photo)



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Lopes to compete Friday in big Monahan Relays

The Post Antelope track team will journey to Monahans Friday to find new competition in the Monahans Relays.

Preliminaries are scheduled to start at 1 p. m. with the finals beginning at 7:15 p. m. that night.

Coach Lane Tannehill this

week announced the following entries in the various events:

440 Relay: Alfred Pena, Edward Price, Joe Moore and Jackie Blacklock.
880 yard run: Chris Wyatt, Randall Wyatt, and Joel Nesmith.

120 yard high hurdles: Blacklock, Tony Conner and Bryan Davis.
100 yard dash: Price, Pena and Moore.

440 yard dash: Ken Curtis, Duke Bell and Bruce Sander-son.
330 yard intermediate hurdles: Blacklock, Mike Waldrip, and Jimmy Dorland.

220 yard dash: Price, Sander-son, and Dale Odom.
Mile: Jay Kennedy and Ralph Howell.

Mile Relay: Moore, C. and R. Wyatt and Pena.
Shot Put: Odom, Danny Saldívar and George Hester.

Discus: Garland Dudley, Dusty Webb and Saldívar.
High jump: Conner, Waldrip and Odom.

Long Jump: Price, Dorland and Conner.
Pole vault: Dorland, Sander-son and Grayling Johnson.

White, Tahoka; Baker, Post; Wilks, Tullia; Williams, Crosbyton; and McDonald, Lockney, 19 feet.

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High jump: White, Tahoka; Burliesmith, Idalou; Cook, Tullia; Rodriguez, Frenship; Hammond, Colorado City; and a tie for 6th, Greathouse, Post, and Shepherd, Post, 5 feet, 10 inches.

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Long jump: Day, Floydada; Garcia, Colorado City; Padilla, Tullia; Scott, Tahoka; Gomez, Tullia; and Gonzales, Frenship, 18 feet, 3 1/2 inches.

Pole vault: Bailey, Tahoka; Covington, Floydada; Helms, Floydada; J. Garcia, Colorado City; Pool, Frenship; and Redman, Post, 10 feet.

High jump: Hawthorne, Tahoka; Day, Floydada; McKinney, Frenship; Bilberry, Post; Aguayo, Tullia; and Kirkpatrick, Post, 5 feet, 4 inches.

Team totals: Colorado City 102, Tahoka and Tullia 79 each, Floydada 65, Crosbyton 34, Frenship 30, Lockney 19, Cooper, Post and Ropes 18 each, Idalou and Sundown 14 each, Roosevelt 8 and Slaton 0.

8th Grade results
440 relay: Crosbyton, Slaton,

Antelopes third in D. C. Relays

Coach Lane Tannehill's Post Antelopes placed third Saturday in a seven-team field in Division I of the Denver City Relays with the Floydada Whirlwinds again taking top honors.

Floydada scored 154 points as it continued its spring domination of Class AA track in West Texas and Olton was runnerup with 90. Following Post were Frenship 68 1/2, Lockney 51, Denver City 46, and Tahoka 10 1/2.

Post's 440 yard relay team

scored the only first place points for the Antelopes with a 45.1 clocking to beat out the Whirlwinds by a full half second. Members of the sprint relay team were Alfred Pena, Edward Price, Joe Moore and Jackie Blacklock.

Other point winners for Post were:

Randell Wyatt, second in 880 yard dash; Tony Conner fifth in 120 yard high hurdles; Edward Price, second in 100 yard dash; Chris Wyatt, fourth in 440 yard dash; Jackie Blacklock, sixth in 330 intermediate hurdles;

Alfred Pena, fifth, and Dale Odom, sixth in 220 yard dash; Jay Kennedy, fourth in mile; mile relay team of Pena, R. Wyatt, Price and Chris Wyatt, fifth; Price, third in long jump; Conner, second in high jump; Jimmy Dorland, tie for sixth in pole vault; and Dusty Webb, second in discus.

Cage tourney raises \$300

The Post huddle of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes cleared over \$300 last weekend with the county basketball tournament it sponsored in the high school gym.

The money will go to sponsor local athletes to the third annual West Texas FCA retreat, which will be held April 25-27 at the Plains Baptist campgrounds south of Floydada.

The Jive 5, a black team, won the tournament title Saturday night defeating the coaches in the finals of the six-team double elimination event.

At the retreat athletes will hear Steve Sloan, new Texas Tech football coach; Harvey Martin, Dallas Cowboys lineman, Ted Koy of the Buffalo Bills, Will Cureton of the Cleveland Browns, and Donald Rives of the Chicago Bears.

G. B. Brant rites here

Funeral services for Gordon Boman Brant, 65, of Lubbock were held in the Hudman Funeral Home chapel Saturday.

Mr. Brant, a former Post resident, died March 21 in Lubbock, and was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include one brother, Ralph Brant, Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Boyd Reo of Sinton, and Mrs. Jim Cloud of Lubbock.

Interment was in Terrace Cemetery under direction of Hudman Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Sid Cross, Glenn Voss, J. D. McCampbell, Victor Hudman, Lester Nichols and Tom Power.

LOCKNEY GUESTS
Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Racy Robinson was her sister, Mrs. Luke Grantham and husband of Lockney.

Mrs. Tom Herring is buried here

Mrs. Tom Herring, the former Jimmie Lou Kimmens, of Corpus Christi was buried in Terrace Cemetery, March 18. She died March 14, at Wilford Hall, USAF Medical Center in San Antonio.

She is survived by her husband and one son, Kim, who is serving in the Navy in Connecticut.

Her great-grandparents were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rogers, early settlers of the Graham Community.

Uncle Ed envies his psychiatrist who he says doesn't have to worry as long as enough other people do.



JV FIELD WINNERS — These three Post won four first places in the junior varsity division of the Postex Relays here Friday. Left to right, Dudley, first in discus; Mike Waldrip, first in high jump; and Jimmy Dorland, first in both pole vault and pole vault. — (Staff Photo)

Does finish 2nd at Olton

Coach John Morrow's Post Does track team edged out Tullia by half a point for runnerup honors Saturday in the Filices Relays at Olton.

The locals tallied 70 points to 69 1/2 for Tullia with the host Olton girls winning their own relays with 136 1-3 points.

Trailing Tullia were Roosevelt 54, Abernathy 40, Littlefield 33, McLean 29, Bovina 23, Petersburg 20, Sudan 16, Amherst 13, Frenship 12, Muleshoe, 10, Texline 4, Hart and Morton each zero.

The Does didn't succeed in winning any firsts but the 440 relay team of Karen Williams, Patricia Bilberry, Jodine Tipton and Brenda Price turned in their best time of the year in taking 12 points for third place. The relay team ran a 51.4 in the preliminaries and a 51.6 in the final.

All told the Does won points in 10 events with two seconds, four thirds, two fourths, one fifth and one sixth.

Patricia Bilberry was runner-up in the 220 yard dash with a 27.8 in the preliminary and a 28 flat in the finals. Teammate Tipton took a fourth in the same event with a 27.9 in the prelim and a 28.3 in the final.

The other second came in the 880 relay with Williams, Tipton, Bilberry and Price — the same

team that ran the relay — picking up with a 1:49.5 clocking.

Price took a third in the 110 yard dash in 11.9 seconds getting her second in the season in the prelim. She ran a 11.6 in Frenship.

Post's other top pick was a sixth in relay in a 4:47.6 clocking. Sharon Johnson, Kennedy, Hope Johnson, and Kennedy completed the team.

Ann Mitchell won both the shot and discus with a 26 foot heave in the 101 feet, 3/4 inch discus.

Price also picked up in the long jump with 16 feet, 8 inches to make high point winner for counting her two points efforts anchoring the 880 relay teams and the 100.

Sharon Johnson got points, two for fifth in triple jump with a 30 inch effort.

The Doe track team compete today in the City Girls Invitational in Denver City.

James Kemp into honor society
James R. Kemp, a student at West Texas State University, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kemp was recently initiated into the Delta Xi Chapter of Beta Beta Beta. This is a national biology honor society.

Qualifications for membership include having biology as a major course of study, completion of 45 semester hours, an overall grade point average of 2.0 on a 3.0 scale, completion of three biology courses with enrollment in a fourth and a 2.0 GPA in biology.

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Deering of Lubbock; second place to "Essentials" by Pat Krahn of Lubbock and third place to "Wild Flowers" by Immogene Bowlin of Brownfield. Merit ribbon was awarded to "Daimar" by M. Conway of Big Spring.

OIL PORTRAIT
First place went to "West Texan" by Mac Carow of Lubbock; second, "Pollyanna" by Ruth Sparks of Lubbock and third place to "The Dreamer" by Connie Lock of Slaton.

WATER COLOR LANDSCAPE
Blue ribbon winner was "To Seed" by Pat Krahn of Lubbock; second, "Rimrock Revisited" by Leo Smith of Lubbock and third place, "Jack Winters Old Place" by Ted Bell of Floydada. Merit ribbons: Ted Bell of Floydada, Leo Smith, Lubbock; and Lois Lawrence of Idalou.

PASTEL LANDSCAPE
First place "Barn in the Meadow" by Dolores Williams of Seagraves; second, "Late Day" by Dolores Williams, Seagraves, and third, "Ranch in the Brakes" by Dolores Williams, Seagraves.

PASTEL PORTRAIT
First place blue ribbon winner "First Bouquet" by Mac Carow of Lubbock; second, "Good Neighbor" by Nancy Griffith of Lubbock and third, "Sand Dollars" by Nancy Griffith. Merit Ribbons: Leo Smith of Lubbock, Irene Ezell, Lubbock two.

PASTEL STILL LIFE
First place award went to "Last Bouquet" by Irene Ezell of Lubbock, and second, "Something Old, Something New" by Irene Ezell of Lubbock.

GRAPHICS
First place, "Broken, Bent and Over Grown" by Pat Krahn of Lubbock; second, "Old Homestead" by Kenny Miller of Snyder and third, "The Gift of Flight" by Lindy Severns of Lubbock.

PENCIL PEN AND INK PORTRAIT
Blue ribbon first place, "Sleeping Infant" by Julie Story, Lubbock; second, "Back Porch Fiddler" by David Leake, Slaton; and third, "Debeanna" by Helen Hatter of Snyder.

OTHER MEDIA
First place, "Fall Flowers" a quilling by Kay Fleming of Lubbock; second, "Dodge City Law Man" by Frances McDonald of Rotan.

ABSTRACT LANDSCAPE
First place blue ribbon to "The Trophy" by David Dacosta of Lubbock, and a merit ribbon to David Dacosta.

SCULPTURE
First place, "Spooked" by Paul Wylie of Snyer; second, "Delicate Decision" by Paul Wylie of Snyer and third, "BiCentennial Chess Set" by Wilma Ferris of Rotan, with Theresa Martin of Lubbock winning a merit ribbon.

City council —

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setting up the ground rules for handing the city's insurance. He termed it "an awkward, downright embarrassing situation" when the council received three totally different kinds of bids.

Wells and Pool quickly replied that they couldn't see that the different bids were the council's fault.

The council has struggled through one insurance renewal and one bidding now as emergency measures with policies expiring or in the first case having expired before the council got around to setting up a method of insurance bidding.

According to Mayor McCrary, Post's insurance bidding is as unique effort and as far as is known the only one of its kind. The mayor reported to the council at its "work session" last week that the Texas Municipal League did not recommend the bidding system and no other local taxing agency was using it.

The council has talked the insurance bidding over for the last three meetings, but has yet to establish its rules for bidding and what rated insurance firms the council would accept for its insurance.

Background of the growing city council controversy over accepting bids for insurance is that in the past the city's insurance coverage had been divided with one agency having the coverage of buildings and contents and another the city's vehicular insurance.

Those favoring the bidding of the insurance contend the city will benefit from lower insurance costs just as they do in bidding vehicles.

Opponents to such bidding contend that to have more than one insurance firm with coverage on the same city building probably will bring delays in settling any losses incurred, and with the insurance coverage to give good service or be willing to settle controversial claims.

TAX EXEMPTION DEADLINE

April 1 is the deadline for senior citizens, 65 years of age as of January 1, 1975, to go by City Hall and sign rendition sheets for tax exemptions.



DALBY CATTLE CO. AWARD — County Judge Giles Dalby and his daughter, Charcie, pose with Suzanne Teykl of Plainview with her oil painting, "Herefords" selected by Dalby for the \$100 cattle co. purchase award. — (Staff Photo)

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights
by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Legislators are getting nervous over new reform laws which restrict their political fund-raising. House Speaker Bill Clayton has advised representatives to postpone their efforts to retire campaign debts until after the legislative session in view of warnings by a district attorney.

Travis County District Attorney Robert O. Smith told House leaders direct solicitation of Austin-based lobbyists to campaign warchests is a violation which he would feel called on to take before a grand jury.

The issue came to Smith's attention when a Texas Civil Liberties Union official, who is a registered lobbyist, complained that he had been solicited for a contribution to a representative's fund-raising reception in Dallas.

A provision of the new penal code makes it an offense for a legislator to solicit any benefit from a person known to have an interest in legislation. There are less-strict interpretations than the one by Smith, but the district attorney is the one lawmakers feel they must stay on the right side of.

Serious attention is being given to amending some of the laws passed in 1973—particularly the penal code provisions which cast a legal cloud on a lawmaker's accepting a "benefit" from a person who has an interest in any matter before the legislature or "contemplated" by the legislature.

LOSS REPORTED

A Texas Education Agency indicates students lost more than 2.4 million in tuition refunds they should have received from 19 proprietary schools.

When a student quits, he is supposed to get back the unused portion of his tuition within 30 days.

Woodrow W. Bean of El Paso, State Board of Education member, called on Gov. Dolph Briscoe and Atty. Gen. John Hill for a complete audit of all Texas Education Agency financial transactions during the last four years.

Bean charged refund losses may be as much as \$5 million to \$8 million. He also claimed (while admitting he could not confirm) that about \$100 million in public funds administered by TEA has been "misused, misapplied or otherwise lost somewhere."

SMOKE BAN VOTED

Smoking in public places could bring a stiff fine under a bill just passed by the Texas Senate and sent to the House.

The ban covers elevators, theaters, movie houses, libraries, museums, hospitals, school facilities, intrastate buses, planes or trains—except in specifically designated areas.

SCHOOLS CRITICIZED

Some public schools and junior colleges have been criticized by House members for allegedly using emergency funds to raise teachers' pay, make investments and pave parking lots.

Rep. Tom Massey of San Angelo, House Education Committee chairman, said a special report is being compiled on the "abuse."

Rep. Fred Head of Troup proposed to repeal an \$18

Garza ropers to reorganize tonight

Jay Wet, president of the Garza County Ropers Association, has announced there will be a meeting tonight, Thursday, in the bank community room at 7:30 p. m.

The meeting is for anyone interested in the association and to reorganize for the coming year.

JV Results —

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Davis, J. Dorland, Sanderson and Odum; Floydada, Slaton, Roosevelt, and Lockney. 45.8 seconds.

880 yard run: Nesmith, Post; Stofee, Floydada; Rojas, Roosevelt; Lianas, Frenship; Quintanilla, Ropesville; and Bobo, Roosevelt. 2:14.1.

120 high hurdles: Bryan Davis, Post; Culston, Floydada; Waldrip, Post; Brooks, Tahoka; Dorland, Post; and Moore, Ropesville. 16.7 seconds.

100 yard dash: Graves, Tahoka; Bailey, Tahoka; Womack, Floydada; Bailey, Slaton; Riddley, Lockney; and Snyder, Ropesville. 11.0 seconds.

440 yard dash: Ratliff, Floydada; Means, Ropesville; R. Wyatt, Post; Gray, Slaton; Sansom, Roosevelt; and Smith, Slaton. 54.6 seconds.

330 int. hurdles: Culston, Floydada; Raindl, Tahoka; Waldrip, Post; Davis, Post; Byrd, Slaton; and Brooks, Tahoka. 43.8 seconds.

220 yard dash: Bailey, Tahoka; Odum, Post; Womack, Floydada; Snyder, Roosevelt; Bond, Floydada; and Haynes, Slaton. 24.6 seconds.

Mile run: Howell, Post; Mathis, Tullia; Martinez, Floydada; Luna, Tullia; Tejada, Tahoka; and Moya, Tullia. 5:01.7.

Mile relay: Lockney, Floydada; Slaton; Roosevelt, Tahoka and Post, (Bell, Odum, Waldrip, R. Wyatt.) 3:50.2.

High jump: Waldrip, Post; Raindl, Tahoka; Odum, Post; Moore, Ropesville; Gardner, Tahoka; and Graves, Tahoka. 5 feet, 8 inches.

Shot put: Bishop, Floydada; Bailey, Tahoka; Odum, Post; Saidivar, Post; Riddley, Lockney; and Hester, Post. 46 feet, 5 inches.

Discus: Dudley, Post; Stice, Tahoka; Bishop, Floydada; McCloud, Roosevelt; Gunnels, Tahoka; and Greene, Post. 124 feet.

Long jump: Dorland, Post; Bailey, Tahoka; Graves, Tahoka; Moore, Tahoka; Riddley, Lockney; and Bond, Floydada. 21 feet, 1 1/2 inches.

Pole vault: Dorland, Post; Bailey, Tahoka; Westbrook, Floydada; Sanderson, Post; Bell, Post; and Byrd, Slaton. 11 feet.

Team totals: Post, 144; Tahoka 122; Floydada 107; Slaton 33; Lockney, 28; Roosevelt, 25; Ropesville 20; Tullia 13; and Frenship 4.

Taba'na —

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average crop predictions based on the wind actually become good if there is sufficient underground moisture at the beginning of spring, as there is this year.

The Indian legend is that the wind's direction at sunrise March 22 will indicate the kind of crop year to come.

Last year, the Taba'na Yuan ceremony correctly predicted a bad crop year.

The ceremony was filmed by Channel 28 Lubbock, broadcast here by KPOS radio, and drew a number of out-of-town visitors.

Dalby buys, will remodel building

Giles W. Dalby has purchased the business building at 228 East Main, formerly occupied by the Barnett Insurance Agency, and has taken out a city building permit to spend \$2,000 remodeling it for offices.

TEXAS TALK
By FRED MYERS

Q: As far as feed and feed grains are concerned, what are the differences between concentrates and roughages?

A: Fiber content and the amount of nutrient which is digestible by the animal are the basic criteria for separating these classes.

CONCENTRATES—are feeds generally high in nutrients and low in fiber content. Virtually all grains are in this class, as well as several by-products including linseed meal, cottonseed meal, hominy feed and wheat bran. Many of the concentrates have a high protein content, although this is not a prerequisite of the class.

ROUGHAGES—are high in fiber and low in nutrients. Feeds other than the grains are generally classed as roughage. These include: straw, silage, hay and a variety of coarse by-products of the plants utilized in feed grain production.

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New state taxes may be needed, comptroller says

AUSTIN — Comptroller Bob Bullock issued a revised revenue forecast Friday showing that legislative spending since January has cut deeply into the state's surplus and that the question of a tax bill may be here today and not gone tomorrow.

"It's as close as bark on a tree," Bullock said of the likelihood of a tax bill. "It rests solely on the priorities the Legislature sets in the next 60 days."

Bullock's revised estimate shows a drop of \$312.2 million, leaving \$3.7 billion the state can expect to be available for the 1976-77 budget.

The new estimate shows the state's surplus will be \$750.6 million at the end of this budget year on Aug. 31, down \$248.8 million since January because of emergency spending bills passed by the Legislature.

"The day of the billion dollar surplus is gone and the day of the 'no-new-tax' talk is fading fast, especially if we are serious about school finance reform," Bullock said.

He pointed out that with the \$3.7 billion available, there would be a safety margin of only \$100 million if the Legislature adopted recommendations of the Legislative Budget Board, which does nothing about school finance but does include a \$500 million piggy bank reserve recommended by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby.

He said that adoption of Gov. Dolph Briscoe's recommended budget and utilities sales tax cut would leave \$700 million available for school finance — a figure some experts say won't do the job — and probably insure a tax bill in 1977.

Bullock said the adoption of full requests from all state agencies — many of which, he said, "are as fully justified as our own" — would mean a \$900 million tax bill this session and still leave nothing for school finance.

"As I said in my January estimate, Texas has been fortunate, but good fortune most often depends on good judgment," Bullock said.

Bullock's updated estimate is the first time a Comptroller has given the Legislature a revised forecast during the session. He also promised to make another estimate as the Legislature finalizes its budget work.

The new estimate points out that the Legislature already has approved special appropriations bills totaling \$165.2 million and set aside another \$120 million for state employee and teacher retirement increases to be voted on as constitutional amendments April 22. Another \$65 million was earmarked in Bullock's estimate for increased medical assistance spending on advice of the Welfare Department.

In the tax picture Bullock estimated an overall gain of \$38 million above his January forecast, with increases in oil production taxes, cigarette taxes and inheritance taxes, plus picking up an additional \$47 million on investments of the surplus.

On the downside Bullock forecast declines from his January figures for income from taxes on natural gas, special fuels, sales, franchise and liquor.

The largest decrease he projected is \$41 million in natural gas production taxes because of what he called an alarming decrease in production in recent months.

On the sales tax, an indicator of inflation, Bullock projected a continued climb through 1975, a cooling off in 1976 and a stabilizing in 1977 as actual dollar collections continue to increase but the rate of increase drops.

HALE CENTER VISITORS
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Berry, Jr., from Hale Center, were guests of the Silas Shorts this past weekend.

Lunch Menus

The Post schools lunchroom menus for the coming week are as follow:

Monday: Easter Holiday, No school.

Tuesday: Easter Holiday, No school.

Wednesday: Green enchilada casserole, green beans, applesauce, cornbread, orange juice, half pint milk.

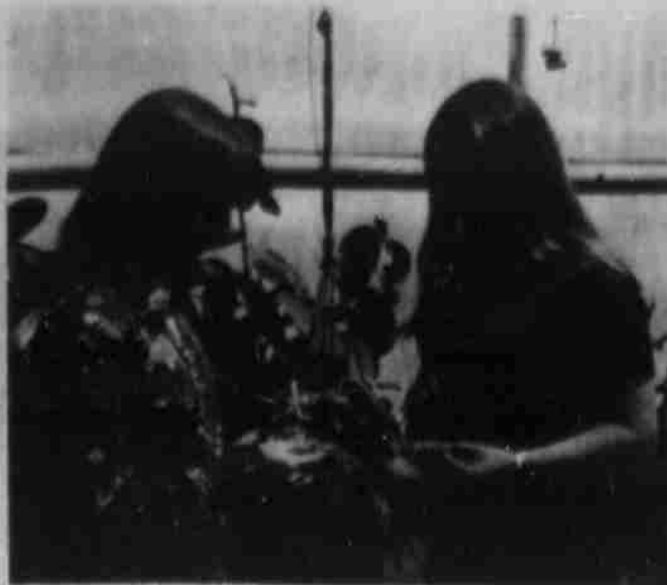
Thursday: Beef with gravy, lettuce salad, buttered corn, grandma's oatmeal cookies, hot rolls, half pint milk.

Friday: Hot dogs with chili, french fries, cabbage slaw, apple halves, orange juice, half pint milk.

Poka-Lambro to hold meeting

The annual meeting of members of Poka-Lambro Rural Telephone Cooperative Inc. will be held in the Community Center, one block west of the Post Office in Tahoka. The meeting will be held on Thursday, March 27, with registration beginning at 1:30 p. m. The business meeting will begin at 2 p. m.

In connection with the election of three directors scheduled for this meeting, the following members have been nominated for directors: District No. 2, Robert L. Fleming, Incumbent; Eddie Foshee District No. 4, Donald Love, Incumbent; Louie Drennan; District No. 6, C. O. McCleskey, Incumbent and A. L. Norman.



BUSY INSPECTING—Sandra Dudley, left, and Debbie Epley inspect a hanging basket for insects at the high school greenhouse during their afternoon horticulture class.—(Staff Photo)



TRANSPLANTING TOMATO PLANTS — Shown above are Joy Strofer, Ronnie Case, and Eddie Gannon transplanting tomato plants in the high school greenhouse as part of their horticulture class instruction.—(Staff Photo)

Plant sale begun by horticulture students

The Post High School ornamental horticulture class has begun its annual spring sale of plants for both expenses and profit.

Tomato, pepper and other garden plants, along with hanging baskets and pot plants are being sold by the 18-student class with the profits divided each had four points.

Little Girls Defeat Slaton
The nine and 10-year-old girls defeated Slaton 12-10 March 14 at Southland. Teresa Hambrick ran up eight points, and Carla Nelson scored four.

School Board Places for Election Drawn
Trustee election places have been drawn for the April 5 school board election. The places are 1. Pat Adamek, 2. William Becker Jr., 3. Sammy Ellis, 4. Glenn Kiesel, 5. Robert Lee Mock, and 6. H. C. Dunn.

after expenses between individual students and the Future Farmers of America chapter.

All the plants have been raised in the high school greenhouse which has automatic heating and cooling, plus automatic liquid fertilizing. The greenhouse is licensed annually by the state department of agriculture.

The class in its third year under E. A. Howard is open to junior and senior boys and girls. During the full year course taught for two hours each school day, the youngsters learn production of plants, merchandising and selling of plants, and landscaping techniques.

The class spends at least an hour each school day in the greenhouse besides essential classroom work for the course.

This is the third year the course has been offered and it is proving quite popular among students.

As advertised in today's Dispatch, the hanging baskets and pot plants are being sold at both United Super Market and Raferti, and all the garden plants are being offered at Garza Feed and Supply at retail prices, and at the high school greenhouse on school days from 8:30 a. m. to 4 p. m. both retail and wholesale. Wholesale prices are only for garden plants sold in units of 50 or more.

NEW MEXICO VISITOR
Lisa Morris from Clovis, N. M., is spending Easter holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. Vera Gossett, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morris.

SUNDAY GUESTS
Visiting in the home of Mrs. Wesley Stephens Sunday were her daughter, Mrs. Mansell Richardson and daughter, Robin of Lubbock.

Farm loans bigger in '74

COLLEGE STATION — The average size of agricultural loans increased in Texas last year, but credit quality appears to be deteriorating, says an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

In a survey of 100 Texas agricultural lenders, 69 per cent said the average loan size increased the past year, but 49 per cent indicated that loan repayment was lower. Thirty-six per cent reported more loan applicants that couldn't be served, due mainly because collateral requirements were increased at 28 per cent of the financial institutions.

Average interest rates were 9.84 per cent for feeder cattle loans, 9.57 per cent for farm and ranch operation loans, and 8.93 per cent for real estate loans.

E. E. GANDY for MAYOR

Pol. Adv. Paid for by Lloyd Mock

Bartlett ninth in, state checker meet

Durwood Bartlett, has just returned from San Antonio where he played in the State Checker Tournament. He placed ninth, in the major division of the tournament.

Durwood has competed in the minor division. The tournament was held in the Bluebonnet Hotel in San Antonio. He was accompanied on the trip by his wife and daughter, Mrs. Arden Ruth Williams.

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| | 1-14 Ft. Krause tandem disc |
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| | 2-Ford scrapers |
| | 2-4 row crust busters |
| | 2-4 row stalk cutters |
| | 1-1610 MM grain drill |
| | 2-4 row knives |
| | 1-Ford 3 bottom plow |
| | 1-5 Ft. Ford one way |
| | 1-Rolling cultivator |
| | 3-8 row sand fighters |
| | 1-Chemical tank cradle |
| | 1-15.5 x 38 duals |
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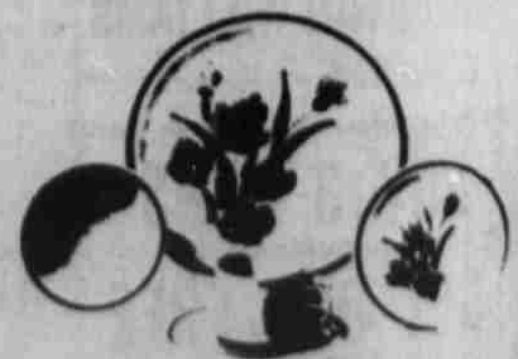
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Texas commission restores Rayburn home as museum

BONHAM — Former colleagues, friends, and constituents of long-time congressional leader Sam Rayburn will gather at the "HOME PLACE" just west of Bonham, Texas, to officially dedicate and open the Sam Rayburn House Museum at 11 a. m., April 1, announced Mrs. Wesley B. Blankenship, chairman of the Texas Historical Commission.

The museum which will present exhibits studying the life and work of the former Speaker of the U. S. House of Representatives is the first historic house museum operated by the Texas Historical Commission.

The dedication ceremony will feature Congressman Wright Patman from the First Congressional District as principal speaker.

The Commission has restored the home and surrounding grounds and outbuildings to the way they were in 1961, the year of Speaker Rayburn's death. The house was originally constructed in 1916.

Over 2,600 Rayburn family items ranging from a bottle of window cleaner to a four-poster bed and Mr. Sam's saddle have been returned to the site for exhibit just as he left them.

Free guided tours of the home will be conducted by volunteer guides who are training in preparation for the opening.

Plans for museum programs call for an oral history project

on the life and home of the late Speaker of the House. "Living exhibits" in crafts and agricultural demonstrations and seasonal garden, as well as seminars and workshops, will be held at the basic museum operations.

Sam Rayburn served Speaker of the House for 20 years, more than as long as any other person in the history of the Fourth Congressional District which was reapportioned into the District.

Throughout his career Rayburn backed measures which benefited the farmer and the man, and he discouraged isolationist foreign policies.

He was born on a Tennessee farm in 1882 and with his family to a cotton plantation in Fannin County, Ga., in 1887. He bought the house outside Bonham shortly after his election to Congress in 1913. He maintained it as his home until his death on November 17, 1961.



POST STUDENT HONORED — Howard Halford of Post, second from right, is among outstanding students honored in the automotive-diesel mechanics program at South Plains College in Levelland at a school banquet. He was the outstanding student in Diesel Mechanics 1406.

As It Looks From Here . . .

OMAR BURLESON, M. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Malpractice suits against doctors and hospitals are reaching such proportions that, in some areas, doctors are withdrawing from practice and young doctors are avoiding the high-risk specialties.

This is a situation which not only affects doctors and hospitals but everyone who receives medical care.

During the last several years, malpractice suits have spread like an epidemic. Malpractice insurance has spiraled upwards of \$20,000 annually and some

hospitals have seen their insurance costs rise ten-fold or more. In some places this means a boost of \$12.00 a day in a hospital. This means that patients are paying multi-millions annually for "defensive" medicine such as x-rays, various tests and the like not needed medically but which might be needed legally if the doctor is later sued.

Companies writing malpractice insurance claim that even with the staggering rise in premiums, it's a losing proposition and some are threatening to quit the business altogether. Perhaps even more serious —

there is no way of calculating the human costs in terms of the mounting pressure on doctors to avoid those risks that might save a life or cure a patient. Because of such risks, the doctor might land in Court on the wrong end of a million dollar malpractice suit.

Some 90 per cent of the malpractice cases in the U. S. have been brought since 1964. Verdicts of \$100,000 have become commonplace and million dollar verdicts are no longer a rarity. This does not mean that 90 per cent of all malpractice has occurred in the past decade nor does it mean that the quality of medical care is slipping. In some cases it could be easily interpreted that a few doctors are incompetent and should be weeded out by the medical profession.

The problem, however, is more complicated than just the fact that some few may be incompetent or that some hospitals may make a mistake. An example is the encouragement to file suit on the basis of a contingent attorney fee and the prospect of getting a settlement before trial in the Courts. Here again, this may be a small number engaging in these questionable practices but a few is too many. The same ethics need to be looked at within the legal profession itself.

The fact that technical matters are being dealt with in the suits makes it difficult for a jury to contend with "expert" witnesses-for-pay and to apply sophisticated medical judgment.

No one would argue that an injured party should be denied access to the courts but it has evidently become a professional racket, particularly, in some of the big cities. The practice shifts the burden of excessive costs to those who must have medical care.

This is a matter which is having the attention of the medical and legal profession and, hopefully, some answers can be found before the Federal Government steps in to try to meet a situation which it can not do as well as the professions. As a matter of fact, legislation has already been proposed to investigate these matters. Suggestions have been made that medical-legal screening panels be set up to inquire into the merits of malpractice claims. Another is that non-fault-based medical injury compensation be made by the Federal Government or Federal reinsurance. Any of these would involve fundamental changes which could seriously affect all health care.

The most done thus far is to request the Office of Technology Assessment to conduct studies towards how to meet this very serious problem which has the prospect of getting a lot worse.

Four other top speakers have been named to address the gathering of area leaders, industry representatives and guests. They are Donald Johnson, executive vice-president of Plains Cotton Growers Inc., of Lubbock; Norman Brints, area economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Vernon; Dr. Ronald Smith, Extension grain marketing economist from College Station; and Marvin Sartin, area Extension farm management economist of Lubbock.

Hutchison will speak on the concept of area economic programs. SPD is one of seven economic programs in the state. All are composed of leaders in the respective areas, with Texas Agricultural Extension Service, USDA and other public agencies providing guidance, resource and leadership assistance.

Afternoon agenda includes presentations on outlook of corn, grain sorghum, soybeans, and cotton, and on criteria to use in selecting the most profitable crops.

A report on the economic status of the South Plains will conclude the annual event.

This meeting will be of great interest to farmers who are deciding on the most profitable crop," Gunter says. "Information on price outlook, improved cultural practices and economic trends should be of importance to both producers and agribusinessmen."

Primary efforts in the SPD program are generated by the program building committee of each of the participating 19 counties in the SPD area. Task forces spearhead the activities of these local groups, he added. They range from swine and cotton to machinery and a feed grain committee currently being organized.

No. 1 B. Jones small producer

R. S. Anderson Inc., has completed its No. 1 Barnie Jones in the P-M-A (Glorieta field, seven and one-half miles northeast of Post, as a 50-barrel-a-day producer.

The new well also produces 80 barrels of water daily, all through perforations from 3,277 to 3,337 feet.

Four and one-half inch casing was set at 3,369 feet.

The well is located 660 feet from south line and 660 feet from east line in the southwest quarter-section of Section 18, block 4, K. Ayeck survey.

A man is about as big as the things that make him angry.

Beef both reasonable and plentiful now

Courthouse Notes

COLLEGE STATION — Beef is plentiful at reasonable prices, with no major changes in sight for awhile, one observer predicted this week.

"The nation's beef herd is at an all-time high with beef and calf supplies well above last year's level — a trend which is expected to continue," Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt said.

"For economy, look for pot roast specials at bargain prices. Also, check values on round steaks and roasts, ground beef,

arm and blade pot roasts and steaks," the consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, advised.

Vegetable news this week centers on potatoes and onions, while fruit bargains are oranges and grapefruit.

"Potatoes are at record levels with substantially lower prices, and best grapefruit economy is by-the-bag in medium sizes," Mrs. Clyatt said.

Other vegetable buys are broccoli, cabbage, carrots, celery and some squash, particularly hard-shell varieties. Also cooking greens, turnips and rutabagas.

Fruit buys include pears, bananas, pineapple, tangerines and strawberries.

"Pork values focus on loin roasts and chops, shoulder roasts and steaks, while fryer chickens remain a bargain in most meat departments," the specialist added.

"Retail prices on fluid milk will continue edging upward to reflect higher feed prices, but supplies of manufactured dairy products, especially butter, cheese and nonfat dry milk, are plentiful."

CONSUMER WATCHWORDS: Pears sold in the markets aren't completely ripe — but they will ripen at room temperature in four to six days and will yield to gentle pressure of the hand.

\$17.50 fine for 'dog ticket'

Post isn't the only West Texas town with dog problems.

Perryton, Tex., up in the Panhandle, has a lady animal warden who is enforcing the law on pets who are not fenced or kept on leash.

The penalties if given a "dog ticket" is \$17.50 fine plus an additional \$1 per day pound fee to get the animal back, with a \$3 minimum on the pound fee.

Cooperation is cotton must

EL PASO — "Every man to himself" in this time of the bleak cotton picture would be disastrous to the entire cotton industry, especially as far as producers and ginners are concerned. Instead, close cooperation is essential.

That's the contention of a cotton ginning and mechanization specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, speaking at the Western Cotton Production Conference here Mar. 5.

"Cotton is in the doldrums right now as low market demands have caused a severe drop in prices," pointed out Dr. Calvin B. Parnell. "Farmers are planning to reduce plantings considerably this year, possibly by as much as one-third from the 1974 acreage. That, in turn, will put pressure on gins and cause a number of them to shut down, at least for this year."

The specialist expected about 10 per cent fewer gins to be operating in Texas this year. Cotton production is estimated at about three million bales.

"But the cotton picture is not all bleak," reassured the Texas A&M University System specialist. "With the national policy of decreased dependence on foreign oil, the competitive position of cotton fibers with synthetic fibers should improve.

Farm Topics

SYD CONNER
Garza Extension Agent

The economic outlook of major cash crops of the South Plains will be focus of discussions in an annual meeting of the South Plains Development Program Friday, March 28, according to District Extension Agent Billy C. Gunter.

Dr. John E. Hutchison, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, is keynote speaker for the event, which gets underway at 1:30 p. m. at Lubbock's Koko Inn, 50th and Avenue Q.

South Plains Development Program, commonly known as SPD, is a volunteer organization of area citizens interested in the social and economic growth of the South Plains.

Included in SPD's program area are 19 counties extending from Bailey, Hale, Lamb, and Floyd counties on the north to Andrews, Martin and Howard, on the south, and extending east to Crosby and Garza counties.

Roadblock set up near Post

The Texas Highway Patrol had a roadblock on US-380 west of Post last Wednesday afternoon in efforts to apprehend a white bandit who held up the F&S Pharmacy in Brownfield at 2:40 p. m. that day.

He escaped with \$133 in cash and \$200 worth of drugs which he called out to the druggist by name, explaining he was a drug addict and needed them.

Brownfield police were reported Saturday to have two suspects in custody.

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NURSING STUDENT OFFICERS—Representing the Odessa College Vocational Nursing class this school year as officers are (left to right) Mrs. Sue Barnes of odessa, president; Sherry Robitson of Odessa, secretary; Jodi Norman, daughter of Gerald Norman of Post, treasurer; Dianne Loper of Crane, vice president; and Mrs. Barbara Ramos of Odessa, parliamentarian.

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Newmont Oil Co. to Griffin and Burnett, Inc., all of Section 707, I&GN RR. Co. Survey, Abstract No. 451.

Jean Basinger and husband, J. Martin Basinger to Griffin and Burnett, Inc., all of Section 707, I&GN RR Survey, I&GN RR Survey, Abstract No. 451.

Zoe Carol Ham and husband Jack Ham to Griffin and Burnett, Inc., all of Section 707, I&GN RR Co. Survey, Abstract No. 451.

Sam C. Sanders and wife to George R. Brown, 104.4 acres of land, more or less, in Section 1233, Abstract No. 303, EL&RR RR Co. Survey.

Estate of Marjorie M. Post, deceased, by National Savings and Trust Co. Executor; Henry A. Dudley, Executor; Fred Korth, Executor; Meyer Handelman, Executor to Southland Royalty Co. all of Section 52 in Block 2, T&NO RR Co. Survey.

Allen W. Maddox and wife, Sammie Maddox to George R. Brown, 41.76 acres of land in Section 1225, Certificate 10, EL&RR RR Co. Survey.

George Beggs III and Deborah Beggs Moncrief, Trustee of the George Beggs Trust to Glen H. Smyth the South 1/2 of G. W. Dalton Section 22, Kent Co. Abst. 518, Garza Co. Abst. 1070, Block 7, H&GN RR Co. Survey and South 1/2 of Section 21, Kent Co. Abst. 148, Block 7, H&GN RR Co. Survey.

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