



**FOOTBALL SCOREBOARD** — The First National Bank of Post has mounted the Post school with a new scoreboard for Antelope Stadium, shown above, costing several thousand dollars. The scoreboard got its use at the Friday opener against Lockney. One of its new features is that it can be lighted for daylight as well as night reading. — (Staff photo)

# Sheriff Pippin seeks pay boosts for department

The Post city council and the Garza County Commissioners Court are waiting to hear Sheriff Jim Pippin's recommendations on a higher wage scale for his deputies before the county holds its public budget hearing Monday. They hope to head off Sheriff Pippin's proposal to disband the joint city-county law enforcement effort by turning Post's law enforcement back to the city. That suggestion was made by the sheriff at a

special meeting of the city council at 6 p. m. last Thursday night. The special meeting was called at the sheriff's request without any advance notice on his part as to what he wanted to discuss. At that short session, Pippin said he was tired of working about 13 hours a day supervising deputies who were being paid higher salaries than he was — and then being kidded about it. He then went on to say that his deputies were discontented with their salary scale and that he was simply "running a training school" because he was losing so many of them to better paying jobs, which made his job harder. As for his own salary, Sheriff Pippin said he was not going to the county commissioners court and talk about that "because I knew what the salary was when I ran for the office last year."

He told the council he knew the council couldn't do anything about his salary either. So he said he thought probably the best thing to do was turn Post's law enforcement back to the city council. Pippin said he wasn't in any rush and he really hated to see joint law enforcement end. Council members expressed themselves as far more satisfied with the present joint law enforcement effort than with any city police operation in the past and urged the sheriff to reconsider his decision. The council decided to seek a joint meeting with the county commissioners court as quickly as possible. With the Labor Day weekend upon them that (See Pay boosts, Page 12)



**ATTEND 1928 PHS CLASS REUNION** — In the two pictures shown above are members of the class of '28, and their husbands or wives, together with teachers who attended the only reunion the class has held in 49 years last weekend. In upper photo, bottom row, l to r, Irvin Cross, Winston Wharton, Glenn Voss, A. B. Stewart; second row, Helen Cross, Weaver Moreman, Louise Wharton, Victor Hudman, Huston Hoover, Ruby Stewart; third row, Pearl Moreman, Iva Hudman, Lura Hoover and Coach Harry Taylor. Bottom picture, bottom row, l to r, Foster Davis, John Cearley, T. J. Davis, Orus Parr and Nancy Parr; second row, Elizabeth Pickett Davis, Bonnie Cearley, Alice Davis and Agnes Fletcher; third row, Jim Hundley, a guest at the banquet, Leroy McCrary, Bert Tomlinson, Bland Tomlinson and Lee Fletcher.

# The Post Dispatch

Post, Garza County, Texas Thursday, Sept. 8, 1977 Number 15

CONTRIBUTIONS MOVED TO 3 P. M. FRIDAY INDOORS

## Queens to be named at pep rally

The queen and beau naming, annual fixtures of the Post High School pep assembly, will take place during the 3 p. m. pep rally in the high school gym instead of prior to the game in Antelope stadium. The move indoors is to avoid any washout of the

coronations as occurred two years ago. The three senior girls selected as football queen candidates by the Antelope grid squad are Cindy Kirkpatrick, Kelly Mitchell, and Peggy Jackson. All returning alumni and adult fans who want to attend are invited.

Both the football queen and the band sweetheart and their alternates will be introduced during halftime ceremonies at the homecoming game between Post and Coahoma. The two weeks move-up of the homecoming game to avoid a conflict on OS weekend in late September

apparently came too fast for alumni to make any plans for festivities. The only announced alumni activity will be a short business meeting and visitation in the bank community room after the game. All exes are invited to attend.

## Record 800 riders in Sunday's enduro

Everybody involved with the enduro has a problem of concern about what the weather is going to do and what the public opinion will be to the story. —

Eight hundred motorcycle riders — the most ever to ride in an enduro here — will compete in the Post Caprock Enduro Sunday over an 89 mile range course on the U Lazy S Ranch south of Post. Some 500 of them will come to town Saturday night for the annual state enduro banquet at the Post Community Center at which some 100 trophies will be

given as circuit awards for the previous year, which began last fall. Two Garza youths and one former Post resident, Bob Carpenter, are scheduled to receive trophies at the banquet for points scored during the competitive year. Jay Lott will receive a second place trophy in the 16 years and under class. His brother, Jeff, will receive a sixth place trophy in the 200 men's A class. Carpenter, who has moved from Post to Dallas, will receive a ninth place trophy in the 125 men's B class. The Enduro is sponsored by the Lubbock Trail Riders.

## Enrollment is down 58 here

Enrollment in the Post schools is down 58 students from a year ago. An enrollment of 1,075 students was reported this year as compared to 1,133 students at this same time last September. The only enrollment gains were shown in kindergarten through fifth grade with 493 students this year, as compared to 479 a year ago. Middle school enrollment, sixth through eighth grades, is 258, down from 290 last year. High school enrollment is 324, down 40 from 364 in 1976.

## Post's moisture for week only .12

Post's only moisture during the last week was .12 of an inch which fell Sunday night as a cold front passed through. —

The first insecticide treatment in the 1977 Diapause Boll Weevil Control Program started Tuesday, Sept. 6. Mapping has been completed in a 15-county control zone area along the Caprock and survey teams have already finished their first field inspections according to county Extension Agent Syd Conner. "The general survey is carried out by 44 two-man survey teams."

These teams provide weekly information on the 400,000 acres within the control zone which serves as a basis for selecting fields which need treatment. According to Conner, bollworm counts are being made right along with weevil counts. Special attention will be given to fields treated during the early part of the program to avoid creating any bollworm problem. (See Boll Weevil, Page 12)

## Three plead guilty here

Three guilty pleas were made in Garza district court here Monday with Judge George Hansard probating three and five year prison terms. Sylvester Garcia pleaded guilty to carrying a prohibited weapon on premises licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages. He received probation of a three-year term. Jose Lara Rios, who walked into the Long Branch recently with a holstered pistol on his belt, pleaded guilty to carrying handgun on his person on premises licensed for sale and service of alcoholic beverages. He was given a five-year probated sentence. Carlos DeLeon Romero pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense, and was probated a three-year term.

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## Graham homecoming is attended by 250

The Graham Community Center was the scene for a homecoming for approximately 250 ex-students and former teachers at the Graham Chapel School over the Labor Day Weekend. The homecoming activities began Saturday evening at 7:30 p. m. with registration, an ice cream and cake supper and lots of visiting. Several exes attended church at the two commun-

ity churches on Sunday morning followed by an afternoon meeting at the center. Registration began at two o'clock with Orabeth White and Diane Graves registering the guests. The welcoming committee was Lonnie Peel, Viva Davis and Bryan Maxey. Loucille Morris served as master of ceremony, giving a brief history of the

Graham Chapel, later Graham School. The invocation was by Bobby Cowdrey; Quannah Maxey gave the welcome, stating that there were four out of his 1917-18 first grade class attending. They were Bob Lusk, Wink Thompson, Arthur Bates of Tulsa and Maxey. Everyone was then entertained by four "cheerleaders", Mary Stone, Janet (See Graham, Page 12)

## Adult classes to start soon

Adult Basic Education classes will begin the last of September or early October according to Lane Tannehill for adults who would like to obtain their diploma. Any adult who is interested in obtaining their GED are asked to contact Tannehill at 2770. The ABE program is for adults who dropped out of school and would like to obtain their certificate. Further details will be announced in The Dispatch at a later date.

## \$2,592 given in telethon

Post and Garza County folks pledged \$2,592 to the Jerry Lewis telethon to aid the fight against muscular dystrophy over the weekend. This amount was raised through the local pledge center at the VFW hall which was manned for the full 22 hours of the telethon and via a door-to-door canvass conducted by local youngsters. The man's father was called in Lubbock and he

## PHS class of '28 in first reunion here

The graduating class of 1928 of Post High School held its first class reunion ever this past weekend with 17 of the 31 class members attending. The festivities opened with the class members attending the Post-Lockney football game Friday night, where Coach Harry Taylor was introduced to the crowd by Athletic Director Jackie Brown. Following the ball game, a gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hudman. A 10:30 a. m. coffee was held Saturday morning with Mrs. Iva Hudman and Mrs. Bert Tomlinson as hostesses. The group then toured the Garza County Museum. A banquet was held in the Post Community Center Saturday night at 7:30 with A. D. Stewart leading the invocation. Coach Harry Taylor opened the program with a talk. He was coach here for three years, coaching football and basketball. His first year here his team lost only one game, the second year, they won every game including defeating Mineral Wells, and his third year, they lost only one game. Following his tenure in Post

he taught school for three years at Colorado City and 10 years in San Angelo. He was city recreational director for the City of Fort Worth until his retirement. Following Coach Taylor's talk, each class member attending the banquet gave

a talk on their life history following their graduation. Following the class history, Bland Tomlinson gave a necrology for deceased class member Pete Knox, Louise Wharton gave Evelyn Richardson McCrary. (See '28 class, Page 12)

## Pat Walker's second trial opens Tuesday

The second trial of Pat N. Walker of Post on a felony theft charge got under way in Scurry County District Court in Snyder Tuesday afternoon after the morning session was spent in completing jury selection. Scurry district attorney Lealand Greene of Snyder is handling the prosecution this time, assisted by Garza County Attorney Prestor Pool and District Attorney Joe Smith. The trial is being heard before Scurry District Judge Wayland Holt. It was Holt who ordered a new trial for Walker in June after Walker had been

found guilty at his first trial in Holt's court in May. James Kennedy of Post, Walker's oil partner, was acquitted of the same charge at the May trial in which Walker was found guilty. The trial was moved to (See Walker trial, Page 12)

Rotary gets grid report Head Football Coach Jackie Brown in a talk before Post Rotarians at their weekly luncheon Tuesday reported that Post High School with a student body of 324 students has 95 out for football. With 64 others out for seventh and eighth grade football that puts 159 boys in the six-year football program, Brown said. He expressed his thanks to the First National Bank for the new scoreboard and time clock for Antelope Stadium, to the Antelope Booster Club for a \$2,500 commitment which is being used to purchase a new weight machine, to Jackson Brothers Meat Packers for the new down and distance markers now being used at home games, and to all local business men for their advertising support in the football program. Brown introduced all the coaches on his staff, who also were guests of the Rotary for the luncheon, and spent a considerable portion of his time answering football questions from the audience.

## Lubbock driver shot near Justiceburg

Somebody in a "small white car going only 20 miles an hour" shot and wounded a Lubbock man on US-84 between Snyder and Justiceburg Monday night. That's the story that Jimmy Clifford Buntin Jr., of 1304 49th, Lubbock, told sheriff deputies here about 10:35 p. m. Monday as blood dripped from a wound in the back of his head. Buntin was taken to Garza Memorial Hospital where his wound was treated but was not serious enough to require hospitalization. The man's father was called in Lubbock and he

came to Post and drove his son on to Lubbock. Deputies who examined Buntin's white over yellow 1972 pickup and found a bullet and found what appeared to be a .38 caliber bullet in the seat of the truck. Sheriff Jim Pippin told The Dispatch that Buntin didn't get the license number of the "small white car" and couldn't remember exactly where the shooting occurred. Buntin did tell officers the shooting started when he was passing the slowly moving vehicle.

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# Dispatch Editorials

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## Workable agreement seen

This newspaper is reasonably confident that the three sides in the current law enforcement problem can get their heads together and work out an agreement which will permit joint city-county law enforcement to continue here.

We can well understand all positions. We believe Sheriff Pippin now has the attention of both city council and county court in the consideration of law enforcement problems as he sees them.

We agree with city and county that the joint effort has been most successful. Along with the required training of all law enforcement officers and the considerable upgrading of their salaries, young men are attracted into law and order and once trained do an excellent job for the community.

Sheriff Pippin obviously is reluctant to take the step to end joint law enforcement unless there is no other way out in his own eyes.

Nobody is threatening, nobody is acting uptight. As Sheriff Pippin says, "I'm not mad at anybody."

Under such circumstances, there is no need for public alarm or public outcry. The Dispatch believes forthrightly in the citizens' right to understand what the problem is.

We are hopeful though that the public also has the good judgment to give its duly elected officials the opportunity to work out the problem without any unnecessary pressure.

This is the way democracy is supposed to work — and thankfully, at least in small town America, it usually works very well.

## Our unpopular treaty

The most unpopular act of President Jimmy Carter's administration so far is his signing of the Panama Canal treaty yesterday in Washington.

Terms of the treaty provide the canal will become the property of Panama in the year 2,000 — which is just 23 years ahead.

It is estimated that far less than half the American people support the canal treaty. We expect one of the polls to come up with an actual "projected figure" in the next week or two to tell us just how intense the public opposition is.

Few Americans are ready to give away a canal which conceivably could play a vital role in our own self preservation should war ever come with the Soviet Union which is fast building the world's No. 1 navy.

The Panama Canal gives American fleet units the opportunity to operate in both oceans.

Most Americans, at least as of Tuesday,

have had no opportunity to read the treaty's details because until yesterday's treaty signing they weren't made available to us.

It remains to be seen whether or not the treaty, actually begun under a Republican administration and now supported by Gerald Ford, will be ratified by the United States Senate by the necessary two-thirds vote.

The vote isn't there today — and probably will be postponed until next year. Certainly, if the American public generally refuses to support the treaty, the Carter administration should be hard pressed to muster the two-thirds senate vote required.

It would seem in the gala signing last night in Washington before all those foreign dignitaries that Carter placed the apple cart before the horse.

Woodrow Wilson made the same mistake after World War I when the United States Senate refused to ratify his treaty terms and join the new League of Nations.

## Airport needs are on agenda

AUSTIN — A Texas Airport System Plan regional planning meeting will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, Sept. 9, in Crosbyton in the Crosby County Pioneer Memorial Building.

Airport development needs of Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, King, Lynn, and Motley Counties will be discussed. The meeting will be conducted by the Texas Aeronautics Commission.

All area citizens with an interest in air transportation and airport development are invited to attend. Participating in the meeting will be city and county elected officials, airport board members, airport managers, representatives of the South Plains Association of Governments, and citizens.

During the meeting, the airport development needs currently identified in the Texas Airport System Plan for area airports will be reviewed. Airport movement maintenance and rehabilitation programs will be covered. The availability of state and federal funds for airport development will be discussed. Information on area economic development, community goals and objectives, and other factors that may influence the need for, or timing of, airport development will be requested.

The Texas Airport System Plan, developed for Texas and the Federal Aviation Administration by the Texas Aeronautics Commission, was published in Jan. 1976.

## Happy Birthday

Sept. 9  
Bill Fumagalli  
Wilma Johnston  
Mrs. Teresa Williams  
Mrs. B. F. Evans  
Walter Boren  
Carl Webb  
Mrs. Glen Barley  
Vicki Gannon

Sept. 10  
Mrs. Graydon Howell Jr.  
Danny Pennington  
Susie Bates

Sept. 11  
Billy Joe Meeks  
Mrs. E. E. Peel  
L. C. McCullough

Sept. 12  
Mrs. Bill Hall  
J. D. Dawson  
Judy Lynn Dudley  
John Thomas Bilberry

Sept. 13  
James Babb  
Clayton Pennington  
William Warren  
Ray Wayne Burnes  
Ray Bishop  
Mrs. Doug Hill  
Robin Stone

Sept. 14  
Mrs. Bobby Pierce  
Mrs. Ozell Williams  
Voda Beth Voss  
Mrs. J. O. Hays  
Kim Turner  
Robert Cash  
Joshua Solis  
Curtis Williams  
F. E. Shannon  
Marilyn Hadderton  
Randy Gordon  
Loveta Josey  
Lometa Epley  
Mrs. Fred Gossett

Sept. 15  
John W. Beggs  
John Webb Carlton  
Mack Ledbetter  
Mrs. Elton Nance  
Mrs. T. L. Jones  
Diana Pruitt  
Carolyn Gray  
Mrs. Marion Scott  
Bill Rose  
Ardell Williams  
Susie Jane Smith  
Gerald Bradley  
Bryan Compton

## Homecoming set for Sundown

Sundown High School exes are advised that the Sunday homecoming will be Oct. 7-8. On Friday there will be an open house at the high school with the homecoming game between the Sundown Roughnecks and the Anton Bulldogs at Slaughter Field at 6 p.m. Oct. 7.

On Saturday, class meetings will be conducted and a supper held.

Contact Gaylene (Fariss) Helme, Box 433, Sundown, Phone 806-229-7821 for further information.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
Joey Cowley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Cowley celebrated his first birthday recently in the home of his great-great-grandmother, Mrs. Wesley Stephens. His cake was made by his great-great aunt, Mrs. Bob Lovingsgood of Odessa.

## Remember When

### 10 YEARS AGO

Arnold Sanderson elected president of the Garza County Junior Livestock Association, Benjamin Owen Jr., 20 of Post promoted to Army Specialist five in Vietnam where he is serving with the 87th Engineer Battalion. Post Music Club opens its new year with a lunch at Floyd's Steak House, with Mrs. Bill Pool presiding. Post Antelopes and the Lockney Longhorns, both upended last Friday night, will square off against each other this week at Antelope Stadium. Mrs. Tommy Young elected to serve as president of the Garza County Young Homemakers at the annual membership drive. First pep rally of the season is held in the gym with Coach Glenn Gregg introducing the players.

### 15 YEARS AGO

Post Merchants come up with another brand new idea for Howdy Days in Post, a double-barrelled auction. Opening their 50th year, the Women's Culture Club begins this year with a brunch. Post High pep squad prove they have that spark of spirit by turning out 85 strong for the big game. All ministers of Post expressed favorable regard to the very fine spirit by the community in the smooth integration of Post schools. The Post 46-56 club announces its players of the week in football, Ken Rankin, Buddy Moreland, Danny Pierce and Freddie Simmons.

### 25 YEARS AGO

A 1952 firetruck is latest addition to the Post Volunteer Fire Dept., Homer McCrary, fire chief, announces. When the school term of 1958 starts the confusion on the first grade teachers faces will be from

the six sets of twins born in Garza County before Sept. 1, 1952. The community scholarship fund for 1952 has been completed with the latest donation from Brown Bros., et., Mrs. B. E. Young, secretary, announces Auvy Lee McBride is made patrol leader in Scouts. He spent the summer in Las Vegas, N. M., where he took a green bar course. Piggly Wiggly advertises a six bottle carton of Coca-Cola for only 19 cents. Parents of school age children welcome installation of a signal light at the school here this week.

## Sam Heintz's father dies

Funeral services for George Heintz, 83, of Mangum, Okla., were held at 2 p. m. Saturday, Sept. 3 in St. John's Lutheran Church in Granite, Okla. He is the father of Sam Heintz of Post.

Heintz died Tuesday at his home of an apparent heart attack.

He married Mary Etcheber in 1913 in Russia and they came to the United States that year and settled in Bessie, Okla.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Elsie Thomason, Mrs. Clara Ogle, Mrs. Peggy Semkoff of Clinton, Mrs. Amelia Hamilton of Lawton, Miss June Heintz, Albuquerque, N. M., and three sons, Sam of Post, Emanuel of Sumpter, S. C., and Alvin of Pueblo, Colo., 15 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

His wife and a son, Henry preceded him in death.

Burial was in the Lutheran Cemetery in Granite.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Those admitted to Garza Memorial Hospital since Tuesday of last week were: Ethel Redman, medical; Angelita Rosas, obstetrical; Chris Reiter, medical; Grace Keaton, Helen Livingston, Irene Fry, obstetrical; Jose Ortega, medical; Jackie Lester, obstetrical; Chris Reiter, medical; Karen Palmer, obstetrical; W. B. Williams, medical; Lupe Morales, obstetrical; R. A. Jackson, medical.

## DISMISSED

Bryan Scarbrough, Ethel Bruton, Julie Mason

Matilde Torres, Jimmy Light, Roy Gary, Nora Hennesson, Ethel Redman, Angelita Rosas, Melvin Stewart, Chris Reiter, Jose Ortega, Grace Keaton, Helen Livingston, Irene Fry, Jackie Lester, Lupe Morales, W. B. Williams

## CANYON VISITOR

Mrs. Mell Pearce of Canyon visited recently the home of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Stephens and her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Windham.

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# An important message to our customers.

The House of Representatives has just voted to raise the price of your electricity. And the Senate is looking at the same legislation. These bills are going to cost you plenty — nearly \$50,000,000 a year for the next ten years. That's almost half a billion dollars!

Who cares? Of course you care. And we care. That's the reason we want you to know what's happening in Washington.

Not only did the House vote to raise your electric bill, there's a strong chance you'll get less reliable service, too. The Government is trying to take over regulation of your electric company. That's right! A Washington bureaucrat will decide who gets electric power and how much instead of your state and local officials.

That means your electric company will lose control over how we operate our own power transmission lines and facilities. We might not be able to give you — our customers — first priority. The Federal Government could use some of the money you pay for your electric service to make your electric company build a transmission line for a government subsidized utility. You pay twice that way — in your electric bill and in your taxes. And you don't even get to see the line.

Let's not beat around the bush. The cost of doing business is going up. It costs you more for your electric service than it used to. But now when you pay your electric bill, you pay only what it costs to serve you, plus a controlled profit, so that we can keep updating our generation facilities and our technology to keep serving you better.

Well, if some Congressmen have their way, some people will pay less than their fair share of the electricity cost. Who will decide who gets the special rates? You can bet it won't be you . . . or us . . . or your state and local government who know our needs best.

It will be some government official in Washington!

There's a whole lot more bad news in this legislation that has passed the House and is now being considered in the Senate. It's all part of Senate Bill 1468, Part E . . . and . . . Now for more bad news . . . Senate Bill 1472!

That's a dandy. It's the one that taxes you because some of your electricity is generated with natural gas. The gas user tax is a case of the Government telling us to build coal-fired power plants faster than you can afford them.

It's as though the folks in Washington just woke up one day and decided there was an energy crisis and decided to try to right all the wrongs over night. The facts are that your electric company has been doing something about conserving natural gas reserves for more than six years. We haven't planned or constructed a gas-fired generation facility since 1971. And since that same time we've been planning to use coal as our primary generation fuel. We've just started and put into operation Harrington Station — a coal-fired generation plant near Amarillo.

But we need the opportunity to phase out the gas-fired facilities at a very economical to you, our customers. New power plants cost money . . . cost you money, because you are our only source of money. We have a program that makes it possible for us to stop using natural gas to make electricity by 1995 at the latest.

It's a program you can afford. It's a program that will help alleviate your costs. Sure, you'll pay more for electricity in the future. You'll be paying more for everything. But under our plan you'll pay a lot less than you'll have to pay if Senate Bill 1472 passes. \$423,000,000 less between 1983 and 1990.

Why? Because Senate Bill 1472 says that even though we are building coal-fired power plants as fast as you can afford them, you're still going to be penalized by almost a half billion dollars. Just because some part members of Congress think you should build them faster. And remember it's your money that builds these new plants.

The Good News in all this is that your Congressman voted against raising your electric bill, voted against giving you poor service . . . but he was outvoted. Now what you can do is write your United States Senator. His name and address are printed below for your convenience and tell him to vote against Part E of Senate Bill 1468 and against the gas user's tax in Senate Bill 1472. Why? BECAUSE YOU CAN'T AFFORD THESE BILLS. And that's a darn good reason. Let the people in Washington know that YOU CARE what they're doing with YOUR MONEY!

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# Farm Topics

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Garza Extension Agent

**FIELD DAY TUESDAY**  
An experimental furrow-diking device will be demonstrated during the 10th annual field day of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Tuesday, Sept. 13 at the Texas A & M University Research Extension Center located 7 1/2 miles north of Lubbock on Highway 87.

Field tours will be conducted throughout the afternoon with special presentations planned on cotton varieties and diseases, nematode research, soil fertility research, water-use efficiency, and grape research.

Cooperating agencies are the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, High Plains Research Foundation, Agricultural Research Service-USA, and the National Weather Service.

Tractor-drawn trailers will stop at various points of interest to allow specialists to discuss subjects of vital concern to High Plains agriculture. These include cotton varieties, diseases and harvesting, sorghum and soybeans, nematode studies, herbicide tests, soil fertility and water-use efficiency, grape, apple and vegetable work, and other research. Displays of farm machinery and irrigation equipment will be of interest to visiting agriculturists.

Also, specialists will be centrally located to answer questions and discuss specific problems for agricultural producers, home-owners, and gardeners.

The field day annually attracts over 1000 visitors. Agricultural researchers claim the use of dikes in furrows has resulted in substantial increases in crop yields and is inexpensive. While furrow diking was attempted as far back as the 1930's and 1940's on Texas High Plains farms, machinery and planting techniques were never perfected to the point that the system was economical and beneficial.

In recent years, Agricultural Research Service scientists, Elmer Hudspeth and Dr. J.D. Bilbro, and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station researcher Dr. Bill Lyle, have been developing and testing diking machinery for today's farming. The latest device developed by Dr. Lyle will be demonstrated during afternoon field day activities.

An estimated 1200 or more persons are expected, says Dr. Lyle, who is field day chairman. The Experiment Station, ARS-USA, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A & M University, National Weather Service and the High Plains Research Foundation are all cooperating in the event.

Activities get underway at 1 p.m. at the Texas A & M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center which is just north of the Lubbock Regional Airport, off Highway 87.

Hudspeth, Lyle, and Bilbro, list a number of advantages in the diking system over other soil and water conservation methods. It is inexpensive, does

not require movement of top soil, benefits both small and large farming operations, provides an ideal reservoir for rainfall, and the diking operation can be done simultaneously with other operations such as cultivation.

"The device," says Lyle, "can be attached to the tool bars of various pieces of equipment used in field operations. It is designed to operate at high speeds and has simple adjustments for changing the spacing between the dikes, and their height."

Hudspeth says "busters" are attached to the front of the tractor to break out the dikes ahead of the tractor tires, and sweeps can be used to break out the dikes ahead of the gage wheels. However, if the dikes are placed in alternate rows, the busters and sweeps are not necessary. This type of arrangement, he adds, will permit alternate row irrigation without dike removal, and the diked rows are very effective in keeping the furrow stream in the same furrow in which it was set.

The scientist report that in dryland tests, yields of cotton have been increased by an average of 14.7 percent on land with a 0.2 percent slope, and by 10.7 percent on a 0.9 percent slope.

No rainfall runoff occurred in the diked plots, they add, but runoff and soil erosion were very evident on undiked plots.

## Voice sought for elderly

Mrs. Betty Shannon, project director of South Plains Association of Governments, met with the Garza County Committee of Aging Monday morning in the community center to organize a Garza County committee to assess the needs of persons over 55.

Mrs. Shannon explained that the functions of the committee are to be a voice for the elderly and to link the aging board of Garza County into the aging board of SPAG, to identify the needs of the county's aging group and report them to SPAG advisory council and to assist in public hearing to get input into the SPAG aging plan.

It was noted that over 1000 persons over 60 live in Garza County based on a 1974 estimate.

Upcoming events for aging persons will be a workshop at South Plains College in Levelland Sept. 20, Senior Citizens Day Sept. 29 at the Fair Park Coliseum at the Panhandle South Plains Fair.

Attending the meeting were board members, Maxine Marks, Ruby Kirkpatrick, Bandy Cash and Mrs. Sam Ellis. Other attending were Paula Cawthon, Rev. Conrad Ryan and Mrs. Ola Keeton.

**CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**  
Reitha Roxanna Smithy, daughter of Sonja Smithy, celebrated her third birthday Saturday, Aug. 27 in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Windham. Mrs. Ima Smithy, her paternal grandmother, also attended.

## \$3.1 billion in tourism

AUSTIN — A record \$3.1 billion was spent in Texas during 1976 by 17.2 million auto visitors from out of state, according to data released this week by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

Coincidentally, a new dimension regarding long-staying visitors to Texas has been developed for the first time by the Department's tourist industry analysts. The new data parallels the characteristics of the two distinct types of auto travel parties.

Short-term visitors, those who stayed 29 days or less, amounted to 94 per cent of all auto visitors to Texas during 1976. Long-termers who stayed 30 days or more, often called "Winter Texans", totaled less than six per cent of last year's auto visitors, but their spending topped \$800 million and accounted for 26 per cent of all auto traveler expenditures.

The disproportionate impact, according to the highway department, hinged on the extraordinary length of stay by Winter Texans—nearly 85 days in the Lone Star State compared to an average of 6.68 days for their more numerous short-term counterparts.

## State tax gal here Sept. 13

AUSTIN — State Comptroller Bob Bullock announced he is sending a representative from his Lubbock office to Post on Tuesday, Sept. 13 to assist local taxpayers and answer questions about state taxes.

Bullock said Enforcement Officer, Alice Knox will meet with local taxpayers at the Post Court House from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

"If Post-area merchants, or anyone else for that matter, have any questions about state taxes or need help in preparing tax forms, Miss Knox will be there to assist them," Bullock said.

"We're trying to cut the red tape in this office and we believe these face-to-face sessions with taxpayers help to do just that," Bullock added.

Bullock reminded those taxpayers who are unable to meet with his representative on Sept. 13 that they can still get their questions answered quickly by calling his TOLL-FREE tax information number in Austin. That number is 1-800-252-5555.

The Lubbock office, headed by Donald F. Paxton, serves Lubbock and surrounding counties.

# Accent ON HEALTH

In the current school year, more than one million children will undergo hearing screening, and the Texas Department of Health is making sure that the equipment used is accurate.

Early in August, the Department took charge of a new mobile laboratory to be used in calibrating audiometers, the sensitive devices used to test hearing. The new van has a sound proof work room at each end where a technician and his assistant can test the audiometers. The middle of the van is the administrative area, where the paper work is done and the reports are made out.

The special van will be used on location throughout the state, such as local health departments and schools. The van is equipped with air conditioning and heating, a dehumidifier, a built in burglar alarm system, and carries its own diesel generator in case a power outlet is not available. The van will be sent to a central location in a city, and then the audiometers from the schools, doctors offices and hearing clinics can be brought to it for testing.

The need for such service was brought out from a survey made by the Department. The results of a survey made of 1471 school-owned audiometers checked for sound pressure level and frequency, showed that 81.7 percent didn't meet national standards. Any type of hearing screening program can only be as good as the equipment used. If the screening is not accurate, and there are a lot of over referrals, or under referrals, then the public will lose confidence in the health delivery system.

The new van will provide the quiet facilities needed to operate the sensitive equipment used to check audiometers. Screening Audiometers will be tested for such things as sound pressure level, frequency, distortion, mechanical ha-

zards, and shock problems. All audiometers must meet standards set by the American National Standards Institute.

All Health Department audiometers, those used in training and those loaned to schools for screening, are checked regularly. Audiometers owned by the schools are checked once a year by the Department.

The Department instituted hearing and vision screening programs of children more than 20 years ago. Operating through the Maternal and Child Health Division, the hearing and vision conservation programs are part of a continuing effort aimed at ensuring accurate and complete screening of the state's pre-school and school-age youngsters.

Workshops conducted over the state train public health nurses, school nurses and volunteers in the techniques of screening children for hearing and vision problems.

Schools actually do the testing with equipment they own. A limited supply of audiometers is available on loan from the Department on a temporary basis to school systems and local health departments needing equipment to start new programs on a pilot basis.

The schools report their screening results on a voluntary basis for compilation, and the record has been very encouraging.

Reports for the 1975-76 school year show that hearing screenings numbered 1,129,350 children, and vision screenings numbered 1,480,406. For hearing, 2.3 percent were referred as a result of hearing screening, and 6.9 percent who received vision screening were referred to medical specialists. Actual treatments from referrals numbered 11,334 for hearing and 48,420 for vision.

Children with hearing and vision losses are frequently regarded as slow to learn, inattentive, and often quite vague. These children may

## High price home is good investment

COLLEGE STATION — The average cost of a new single-family home has increased more than 100 per cent in 10 years, and this trend is likely to continue, says Kenneth E. Graeber, economist in real estate with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. His information is based on recent U.S. Department of Commerce reports.

Given population and inflation trends, Graeber projects an average home appreciation rate of 8 per cent annually. "If the trend continues, homes selling for \$35,000 today might sell for \$63,000 in 10 years," contends the Texas A & M University System specialist.

"Many families have postponed purchasing a home in hopes of saving up to buy or build their 'dream home'. However, inflation may prevent these individuals from ever owning their own home," notes Graeber.

Studies indicate that buyers of similar income levels who previously owned homes pay 20 to 30 per cent more for homes than buyers who previously rented.

"This is, in part, due to an accumulation of equity in the first home which can be reinvested in the next," points out the economist.

"Other individuals have postponed purchase until interest rates decline. Any be characterized as over-aggressive or under-assertive in school and are frequently called problem children.

Sensory or physical impairments forestall the full development of school-age children.

benefits gained by waiting for lower interest rates be offset if homes cost increased.

"A properly selected and cared-for home will remain one of the better investments for most families," contends Graeber. "The motto of 'Wait Til Next Year' might best be reserved for football."

**VISITS IN PLAINS**  
Mrs. Wesley Stephens returned home last Tuesday after spending a week in the home of her son, Bowen Stephens and family.

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**In Memory of George (Scottie) Samson**  
By GLADYS WRIGHT

We, the Homemaker Service Aides, appreciate this opportunity to publicly acknowledge the privilege of assisting with the needs of Mr. George Samson during his stay in the local hospital. Some of us, now having the privilege of making his acquaintance before, through sitting with him in his last few days we became to know and love "The Wee Scotsman" as do so many others.

Not only for all of his accomplishments (too many to mention here). But also for the kind of truly great person that he was.

The kindness he showed as he greeted us each day, even after his feeble body became so frail and his voice weakened. Still he was warm hearted and kind.

Sometimes he quoted "Roses are red, violets are blue, sugar is sweet and so are you." Also "Sister Bless You," when we did little things for him. Long will we remember the experiences in his life that he shared with us. This has truly enriched the lives of each one that had a part in sitting with him.

To George "Scottie" Samson, though now departed from this life your memory will long linger on.

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**NOTICE**  
 The Public Hearing on the budget for Garza County, Texas, will be held from 9:00 o'clock a.m. until 5:00 o'clock p.m. Monday, September 12, 1977, in the district courtroom of the County Courthouse, Post, Texas 79356. The budget is for the calendar year 1978. A copy of the budget is on file in the County Judge's Office and is open to the public.

**GILES W. DALBY**  
 County Judge  
 2tc 9-2

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given: The Garza Memorial Hospital District will receive bids until 6:30 p.m. September 12, 1977, for repair and alterations as follows:

1. Install a new heating and air conditioning system in patient rooms and dining rooms.  
 2. Replace the existing heating and air conditioning system serving the surgery area.  
 3. Replace all domestic hot and cold water lines excluding kitchen water pipes.

Make all proposals to Garza Memorial Hospital, 608 West 6th Street, Post, Texas. Attention: Perry Hunsaker.

Instructions to bidder, plans, and all specifications may be obtained at Garza Memorial Hospital.

Bids will be opened publicly and the hospital district reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Wayne Childers  
 President, Hospital Board  
 Garza Memorial Hospital District

Gene Moore, Secretary  
 Hospital Board  
 Garza Memorial Hospital District  
 1tc 9-8

## Garage Sales

**SUPER GARAGE SALE:** September 10, 8 a. m. Our lack of storage is your gain — everything in good condition — furniture, clothes, etc. Bert Dennis Ranch, five miles north of Gail on Post Highway.  
 1tc 9-8

**PORCH SALE:** Friday and Saturday 8 to 8. Miscellaneous, 515 West 13th.  
 1tp 9-8

**YARD SALE:** 415 S. Ave. H. 8 to 6 Saturday. Some furniture.  
 1tp 9-8

**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday from 8 until 12 noon at 119 North Avenue P. Lots of clothes, dishes, furniture, and miscellaneous.  
 1tp 9-8

**YARD SALE:** Friday and Saturday til noon. 406 May Street.  
 1tp 9-8

**GARAGE SALE:** Lots of good clothes, misses and mens, shoes, miscellaneous. One mile south of Close City Friday 9 to 5 and Saturday 9 to 2.  
 1tp 9-8

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## For Sale

**SEED FOR SALE**  
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**INTERVIEWERS**  
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**SALESPERSON NEEDED:** Come in for interview. You will be properly trained in Tom Power Agency.

## Thank You

We would like to express our appreciation to those of you who came to see us during Lorryes stay in Methodist Hospital. Your visits helped make our days a little shorter. Thanks also to those who phoned our families to ask about us, and a special thank you for all your prayers. We are grateful to each of you. Bruce, Debbie and Lorrye Ledbetter

Your kindness and sympathy are more deeply appreciated than any word of thanks can ever express. Our sincere thank you to the good people of Post on the passing of Bertha Printz. The Harp family

The kindness and sympathy of our neighbors and friends will always remain a precious memory of our time of sorrow. We wish to thank those who helped with George, also for the food, flowers, visits, and prayers — may God richly bless you. Family of George Samson

The Rev. Kelly and the children of the New Home Baptist Church thank every one for purchasing tickets on the lounge. Mrs. Lupe Perez of Post won the chair.

We would like to express our deep gratitude to the many friends of Bertha Printz for their thoughtfulness, sympathy and prayers in our loss. A special thank you to the ladies for the food sent both to the house and church. Helen McMillin, Jessie Phemister, Jeanne Henderson

Our total for the Jerry Lewis telethon in Post this year was \$2,592. We almost made our goal. Maybe next year. I would like to thank all of the beautiful people that took part in helping me. A very special thank you to Stuart Price and his kids. They brought in \$438 from door to door pledging. Thank you to Banjo Office Supply for their help. And a thank you to the ones who answered telephones. I cannot name all of you but you are great. See you next year. Rosemary Rogers

We would like to thank our friends and neighbors for each act of kindness shown to us during my recent stay in the hospital and since returning home. Dee and I appreciated it very much. Dee & Jeanette Hodges

We want to take this opportunity to thank every one for the prayers, phone calls and inquiries following Jerry's accident. The Gerald Normans

## Wanted

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## Navy man in Mediterranean

Navy Data Processing Technician First Class Eugene W. Prevo Jr., son of Rev. Eugene W. Prevo of Post, is currently on an extended deployment in the Mediterranean Sea.

He is serving as a crewmember aboard the aircraft carrier USS Independence, homeported in Norfolk, Va. His ship is operating as a unit of the U.S. Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean.

He and his shipmates visited Naples, Italy during a recent port call and toured the Italian cities of Rome, Florence, and Pisa. During the remainder of the cruise, his ship is scheduled to participate in training exercises with other Sixth Fleet units and visit several other Mediterranean coastal cities.

The Independence is a 1,046-foot long, "Forrestal" class aircraft carrier. She carries a crew of 2,790 officers and enlisted men, plus 2,150 personnel assigned to an attack aircraft and can travel at speeds of up to 35 knots.

A 1971 graduate of Tarleton State College, Stephenville, with a bachelor of arts degree, he joined the Navy in Aug. 1972.

## Real Estate

**FOR SALE:** Three bedroom house, located at 143 Ridge Road. If interested contact Mrs. Mike Custer, 495-3145.  
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**FOR SALE:** Three bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, fenced back yard, fireplace. Shown by appointment only. Call 3075.  
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**FOR SALE:** Six room house, bath and carport, double garage, and large utility room. Approximately two acres of land, two inch house well. Approximately half way between Tahoka and Post. \$22,500. Friday or Saturday only call 996-5457.  
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## Devaluation hits tourism

AUSTIN — The impact of Mexico's peso devaluation was reflected by fewer Mexican visitors who spent substantially less in Texas throughout 1976, according to figures just released by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

The department cited Immigration and Naturalization Service counts showing 37 per cent fewer visitors from Mexico to Texas than during the previous year. Coincidentally, the current dollar value of the peso has also shrunk by 37 per cent compared to the former exchange rate.

Finding travel to Texas more expensive than ever before, Mexican visitors declined from 1975's record high of 1,222,000 persons to 770,000 in 1976, a net loss of 452,000 visitors. These are not daily border-crossers, but visitors who stayed more than 72 hours in Texas and traveled more than 25 miles from the border.

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# COTTON TALKS

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

**LUBBOCK** — Program has announced the first spraying of the High Plains Boll Control Program scheduled to begin Sept. 6.

After permitting, aerial sprayers within a few miles will have put ultra low volume malathion on about 100,000 acres of weevil-infested cotton along the eastern edge of the High Plains program, initiated by Cotton-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., has each year since the spread of weevils across the huge acreage west of the Red River. Its cost is borne by High Plains cotton growers. The U.S. and State Departments of Agriculture, USDA matches contributed by private and the TDA.

acreage to receive treatment in the first year this year is only two-thirds the 125,000 covered in early Sept.

There are two reasons for this said PCG Field Service Director Ed Dean.

"First, thanks to the excellent kill achieved by the program last year and a cold 1976-77 winter, there have been fewer weevils coming out of hibernation this year. Second, because of the unusually serious threat of bollworm infestations this year, only fields with very large numbers of weevils will be treated on the first application," Dean explained.

"The 90 'weevil checkers' that mapped out acreage for the initial treatment counted bollworms right along with weevils," he continued, "and we won't be spraying in fields where the killing of beneficial insects would bring on more crop damage from bollworm than is expected from weevils."

Ultimately officials expect to spray an aggregate of 750,000 acres this year. "Base acreage" of between 200,000 and 250,000 will be sprayed from one to five times as necessary until frost or harvesting destroys the weevil's food supply.

The program control zone is divided into three units, each to be treated under a separate contract with an aerial applicator. Contracts were let recently to the three lowest of 24 bidders.

Successful bidders for the 1977 operations, all Texas firms, were Nimmo Spraying Service of Plainview, Stribling Spraying Service of Dawn, and Perryton Aviation of Perryton.

Officials figure the average cost of insecticide application in 1977 will be about \$2.38 per gallon. The average per-gallon cost under 1976 contracts was \$2.70.

The three applicators will operate from bases in Matador, Spur and Lamesa. Pilots, planes and other equipment were checked in at Matador and Spur and approved on Sept. 1. The applicator for unit number three (Lamesa) is scheduled to report on Sept. 7 and begin treatments on Sept. 8.

Treatments will begin with a total of ten planes but this number will increase to 18 or 20 with subsequent treatments and enlarged acreage.

## Arrivals

Mrs. Felix Rosas announce the birth of a son, Mario N., born August 31, 1977, at Garza Memorial Hospital weighing 8 lbs., 10 3/4 ozs.

Mrs. Gary Lester announce the birth of a son, Bobby Nell, born September 1, at 8:40 a.m., at Garza Memorial Hospital weighing 8 lbs., 10 3/4 ozs. Parents are Mrs. Doris and Mr. and Mrs. Moore.

Mrs. Alfonso announce the birth of a daughter, Melody Lee, born Sept. 3 at 6:22 p.m. in Garza Memorial Hospital weighing 8 lbs., 10 3/4 ozs.

Mrs. Sammie announce the birth of a son, Robert Charles, born Sept. 3 at 2:37 p.m. in Garza Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 lbs., 6 1/2 ozs. Parents are Mrs. Pruitt and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Palmer.

Mrs. Roger E. announce the birth of a son, Montie Lee, at 10:30 p.m. Sept. 3 in West Lubbock Hospital, weighing 8 lbs., 5 ozs.

## Exchange today of patterns, recipes

There will be a Pattern, Recipe, Craft Exchange at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Sept. 8, at 603 West 10th. The general public is invited to attend at no charge.

Each participant is asked to bring at least one of the items to be exchanged or as many as they would like. June Cline, state organizational specialist for the Texas Agriculture Extension Service will have a part on the program.

Refreshments will be served and everyone is asked to participate.

## Trail Blazers to hold luncheon

The Garza Trail Blazers will hold their monthly covered dish luncheon Thursday, Sept. 8 in the community center.

Those wishing to play table games or just visit are urged to come early and enjoy the day.

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## SPC sets day of training

A training session entitled "You: Your Mind; Your Body; Your Hands" will be held Sept. 20 at South Plains College in Levelland beginning at 8:30 a.m.

The training has been designed to relate directly to all staff employed by Service Providers contracting for Title III funds, through the South Plains Office on Aging.

Since this is an all day session arrangements have been made for use of a private dining room at the college. Each individual should either bring his or her own sack lunch or for the cost of \$1.50 may purchase lunch from the college cafeteria.

All interested persons in the Aging Program are encouraged to attend this session.

## Keetons hold reunion here

Thirty members of the Ola Keeton family were together over the Labor Day weekend for a family reunion held at the Post Community Center, Sept. 5.

Those attending the occasion were Mary and Rick McKibbin of Seminole, Okla.; Milton and Ruby Goins of Eunice, N.M.; T.C. and Wanda Dulaney, Darlene Dulaney and Mike Seals of Pasadena, Tex.; Mike, Deb, Scott, and Keith Copeland of Hobbs, N.M.; Leda, Tonya, Dogie, Skeeter and Dee Dulaney, Johnny, Glenna, Julie and Janie Dulaney all of Ft. Stockton.

Also Wayland, Dora and Jennifer Hood, Dale Hood, Debbie Hood all of Lubbock, and Linda, Jackie, Judy and Steve Curb all of Post.

## Micro-wave oven workshop Sept. 30

There will be a micro-wave oven workshop sponsored by the Family Living Committee, on Sept. 30 at 2 p.m. in the Post Community Center.

Mrs. Betty Phillips, Ft. Worth, free-lance home economist, will demonstrate the usefulness of the micro-wave oven in the home. She will be preparing food, and giving tips on cookware already in the home which can be used in micro-wave cooking, also she will be telling of new items made especially for these ovens now on the market.

Everyone is especially invited to attend this informative session, for further information, contact Paula Cawthon, 495-2050.

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*Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe McKamie*

*Mr. and Mrs. Ray (Jeep) Hancey*

## Twin Cedars Nursing Home News

**BY FLETA WALLS**

Sunday services were brought to us by the Faith Lutheran Church with Rev. Don Neumann officiating. Next week's services will be by Rev. Robert Elliott of the Church of Christ.

Some of the Lutheran Church ladies brought cake and Kool-aid and served it to all the residents after the service.

Rose Mary Stelzer brought fresh bananas to the residents. Mrs. Glen Slater brought watermelons and Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Sneed also brought watermelons and cantaloupes to everyone. Our residents appreciate these thoughtful gestures.

Other visitors this past week were Cludy and Lucille Walker, Geniva, Garth and Dan Addison, Walter and Myrl Mathis, Nona Smith, Louise and Tina Greene, Hooter Terry, Paul and Lois Sherrill, Bea Myrl and Ann White, Mrs. Lucille Clary, Ruby Kirkpatrick, Jim Hurdley, Phyllis and Don Neumann, Ruby Bostick, Shirley and Tanya Bland, Mrs. Arlie Nelson, W.R. and Jena Pierce of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Donna Kirk of San Antonio, and other who failed to register.

One of our residents Mrs. Beatrice Florence fell and broke her arm but is doing better now. Mrs. Florence is 96 years old and says this is her first broken bone. She is quite cheerful about her mishap.

Mrs. Jimmy Kennedy brought fresh flowers from the Calvary Baptist Ladies Bible class.

We have a new resident Virgil Dudgeon. Virgil is not a new comer. He has often played dominoes with us. Anyway we are glad to have him with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Addison and son, Dan of Weatherford, visited Dee and Billie Caylor over the weekend. She is Billie's niece.

Until next week....

## Music Club to hold brunch

Members of the Post Music Club are reminded that the first meeting will be Saturday, Sept. 10. Brunch will be served at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Christian Church.

Guest speaker will be Mrs. E.C. Christmann, president of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs. Topic of her talk will be "10-4 and Much More."

Federation day music will be presented by members of the Club and Year Books will be presented.

## Local group to AARP workshop

There will be an AARP workshop at the Ramada Inn South in Lubbock Sept. 14 with Mr. Jerrell of Dallas as moderator.

This workshop will be on insurance for AARP members. Mrs. Ruth Dale, local president and a committee from Post will attend this program.

Another workshop will be held Sept. 15 at the Carriage House in Lubbock for all AARP officers.

**Beetles get their English name from the Anglo-Saxon word bitan, meaning to bite, because they're such great chombers.**

## John Bilberry has birthday party

A birthday party honored John Wayne Bilberry on his seventh birthday Monday, Sept. 5 at 2 p.m.

Refreshments of Kool-aid, cake and ice cream were served to guests, Diane Ammons, Timmy Williamson, Eric Fisher, Keith Deramus, Stephen Reece, Cody Crenshaw, Robert Terri and Bobby Brunley, Nanette, Shana, Arthur and Patrick Sanchez, Dawn Bilberry, Joni Huffman, Liz and C.J., sister and brother of the honoree and his mother Edna Bilberry.

The guests enjoyed games of bobbing for apples, pin the tail on the donkey and breaking a pinata.

Hostesses for the occasion were Jodi Huffman, Dian Bilberry and Virginia Fuentes.

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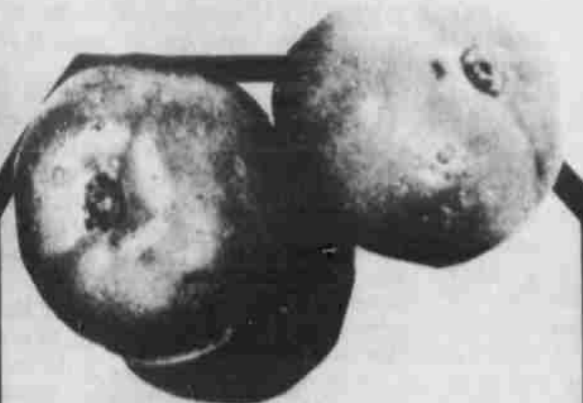
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# Baker's TD run in final minute defeats Horns

## Tough defense, long punt sets up chance

Coach Jackie Brown's Post Antelopes got their 1977 season off to an exciting, if not an overpowering start in Antelope Stadium here Friday night when Wingback Randy Baker hammered 24 yards for the come-from-behind touchdown with only 43 ticks left on the new scoreboard clock (courtesy of The First National Bank).

That rambled gave the Lopes a 14 to 7 victory over the Lockney Longhorns and removed the "goat horns" from Baker who had fumbled a punt late in the

been stopped by mistake when Post was on Lockney's seven yard line after a line of scrimmage fumble and that there would not have been time to line up for the scoring play if the clock had kept running.

What happened was that Lockney got its touchdown with only 38 seconds left in the first half when Tailback Danny Clark slashed six yards off tackle for a score on a drive which had begun with the fumbled punt on the Post 19.

John Arjona then converted the point from placement to give the visitors a 7-6 as Leslie Looney had missed his first varsity conversion try in the first period for Post.

The Lopes showed their desire at this point. Baker ran a short Lockney kickoff to the Lockney 46 yard line and officials stepped off another 15 yards toward the Horn goal for a personal foul on the tackle.

Shepherd overthrew a wide open Tight End Ronald Bratcher from the Lockney 31, but then hit Split End Evans Heaton crossing over the middle for a 17 yard gain. Baker got seven through the line, from the 14, but on the second play with 13 seconds on the clock the Lopes fumbled at the line of scrimmage. The clock was stopped by mistake when an official appeared to wave a timeout as he dug in for the fumble.

On the next play, Shepherd faded to pass, couldn't find any receivers and scrambled into the left corner of the end zone for an apparent touchdown.

| STATISTICS              |          |
|-------------------------|----------|
| LOCKNEY                 | POST     |
| 9 First Downs           | 15       |
| 108 Net Yds Rushing     | 211      |
| 2 of 3 Passes Completed | 1 of 4   |
| 17 Yds Passing          | 17       |
| 0 Passes Int By         | 1        |
| 3 for 35 Penalties      | 3 for 45 |
| 1 Fumbles Lost          | 2        |
| 8-33 Punts - Average    | 4-37     |

first half on the Post 19 to set up Lockney's only scoring opportunity.

Baker also scored the other Post touchdown "that counted" on a three yard plunge and had the biggest offensive night of his football career.

He ran for a net of 161 rushing yardage in 20 carries, an average of slightly over eight yards a try. Six times he broke away for 10 yards or more as the Longhorns had a hard time bringing him down in the open field. The only time he lost ground was when his feet slipped out from under him on a pitchout and he skidded to a stop for a five yard loss.

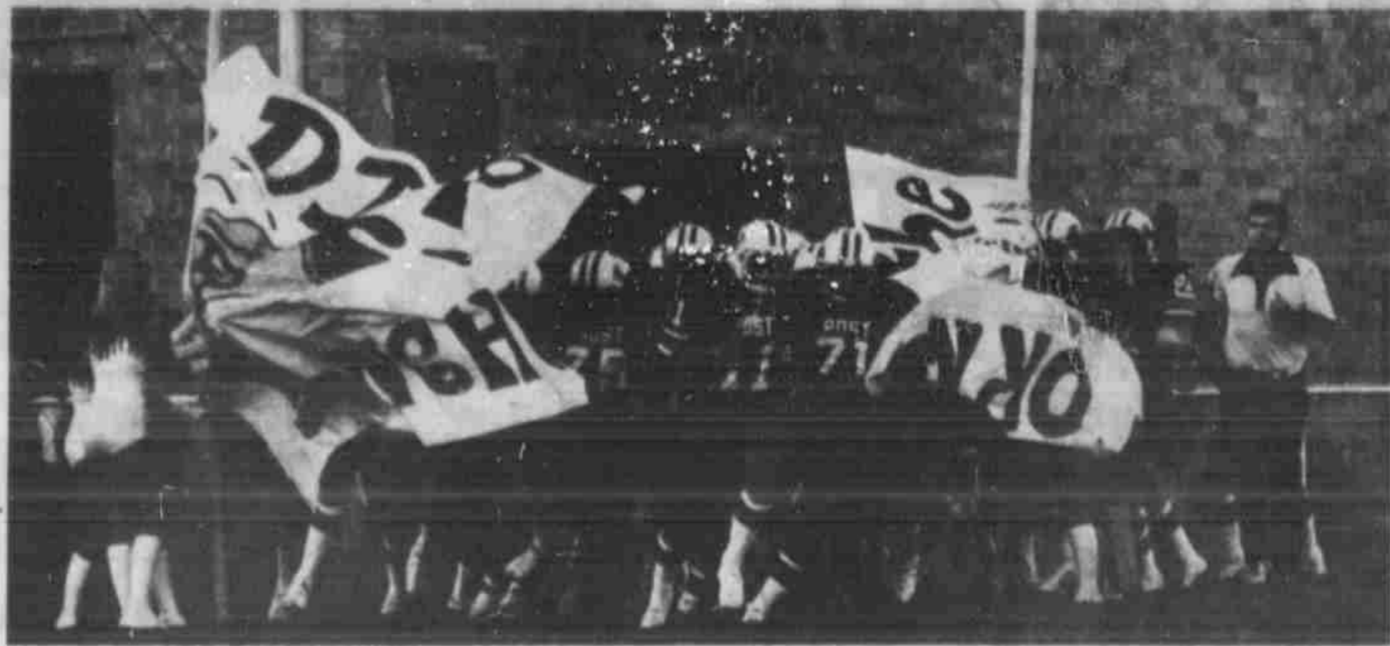
Baker also scored one of Post's two touchdowns that didn't count. It came on a 50 yard punt return in the first period when he picked up a wave of blockers and had clear sailing down the west sidelines. But a flag was thrown for a block below the waist by an Antelope.

Baker provided most of the Lope attack the first night with Fullback Butch Booth getting 40 tough yards in 11 carries up the middle where the stacked Horn defense was the toughest.

Halfback Cliff Kirkpatrick had 25 yards on 7 carries. Despite having to come from behind in the final minute to win, the Lopes had several good scoring opportunities. The first time they got the ball they drove to the Lockney four and they fumbled away other chances at the Lockney 22 and 35 yard lines.

Post had the same trouble with their passing game it ran into at the start of last season - Quarterback Brad Shepherd was "sacked" several times for losses and managed to get only four throws away.

He scrambled out of a hole to "score" the Lopes' other "touchdown" that didn't count after officials agreed - time had run out in the first half. That's why it didn't count. The officials said the game clock had



COMING OUT FOR NEW SEASON - The Post Antelopes break through the pep squad's banner as they break onto Antelope Stadium turf for their 1977 opener with the Lockney Longhorns.

## Tough Coahoma is Post homecoming foe

The Coahoma Bulldogs come to town for the Post Antelopes' 1977 homecoming game Friday night smarting from a 14 to 6 loss to a tough Class A Wall ball club in their home opener.

If the Lopes get the idea things are going to be easy, they are in for a long evening.

Coahoma ripped the Post defenses for 27 points last season in an easy 27-7 victory and they're bringing 13 to 16 lettermen with them this trip from that ball club.

The Bulldogs run a split-T offense which gave the Lopes fits last year and they have another good fullback in 190-pound Tracy Frazier to make it go.

Local fans will recall the last great Coahoma fullback was Putt Choate, who is a starting linebacker for SMU in the Southwest Conference, this fall.

Defensively, the visitors employ a split six. The Bulldogs are almost entirely a running team, using the pass very little to date in either scrimmages or their opener.

Two seniors and two juniors will start for Coahoma on the attack. Tim left Kirkpatrick got one. Baker then burst up the middle on a counter and slashed into the end zone for the winner.

That made the score 12-7. On the point try, Shepherd, the holder took the snap and ran around right end for two conversion points, "just in case."

Lockney tried to go to the air in the final seconds and managed one first down after Looney had toed the kickoff through the end zone.

But Heaton picked off a desperate long heave by Lockney Quarterback Billy Sesson on the Post 40 and one play later it was over.

Tailback Clark was the only real offensive gun in the Lockney attack, getting most of his yardage on tackle slashes. He failed repeatedly to get outside.

Heaton punted four times for a 37 yard average and the only reason his average was over 40 was because one of his high kicks he aimed for the sidelines near the goal line sailed out of bounds on the Lockney 23 instead for only a 25 yard kick.

Greenfield, the 138-pound quarterback, and Dusty Douglas, 143-pound right halfback, are the seniors, with Frazier, the fullback and Ronald Sundry, a 145-pound left halfback, the two juniors.

Up front, there is only one senior in the offensive line with five juniors and one sophomore supplying most of the muscle.

James Dever, 170-pound junior, and Randy Phillips, 170-pound junior, are at the ends; Jim Reed, 168-pound junior, and Terry Roberts, 200-pound senior, at the tackles; Mike Ritchey, 160-pound junior, and John Mulkey, 155-pound junior, the guards; and 195-pound sophomore, Jerry Roener, the center.

The Lopes came out of the Lockney opener without any

serious injuries, only the normal assortment of bruises.

Coach Jackie Brown, commenting on the Lockney game, pointed out "that although a lot of the breaks went against us"-with big penalties at the wrong times-and some fumbles, "we felt like the kids gave us a good effort and despite the breaks came back and won the football game."

As for Coahoma, he termed them a good, strong football team-and one which "is a little bigger than we are."

The kickoff is at 8 p.m. Crowning of the homecoming football queen, band sweetheart, and football beau will take place during the Friday afternoon pep rally in the high school gym.

## Wilson loses opener 15-0

WILSON - Friday, Sept. 2 was the first game for Wilson and Ropesville, and the visitors came out on top of a defensive battle 15-0. Scoring came early in the game and late for the Eagles, but the Wilson Mustangs lost several scoring opportunities.

Coach Danny Chisum used a junior and sophomore dominated team, and the young players showed promise for opponents to come.

Leading rusher for Wilson was Billy Nava with 12 carries for 28 yards. Nava also caught four passes for 34 yards while Senior Pete Hernandez grabbed off two aerials. Junior Mike Nettles played quarterback and also proved outstanding on defense as he came up with 15 tackles. Calvin Wilke, junior strong cornerback, also hit the Eagles for 16 stops. Sophomore Gilbert Acuna recovered one fumble while working with other defensive stalwarts Robert Ortiz, Quintin Talkmitt, Nava, Wilke and Nettles.

"The turning point," said Coach Chisum, "was our inability to score when we were inches from the goal line. Out offense just couldn't function without making mistakes. But we're a young team... a fighting team... and I expect those young men to improve steadily as the season progresses." Assistants Mike Carroll and Pat Mouser echoed Chisum's thoughts, so Mustang fans have some bright hopes for future contests in District 3-B.

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This time they went for the two-point conversion and the win and missed it.

Post was driving goalward at the final gun. The locals got inside Cooper's 20 on two occasions during the game.

## Lopes picked to notch win No. 2

One thing you can be sure of in the football forecasting business. It is no place for a large ego because it's not so hard to be wrong-frequently.

Off to a slow start last week, your old prognosticator doesn't have what you would call any "easy pickings" this Friday night either.

Here's the way we see them:

Coahoma at POST-The Bulldogs won't be easy despite being "upset" by Walls last week at home, but the Lopes should squeeze out another.

Colorado City at SWEETWATER-The Wolves took a whipping at Slaton last weekend and now invade a AAA school's home grid. Sweetwater lost to Breckenridge 7-3, but that's more than Colorado City managed at Slaton.

Tahoka at PLAINS-Plains is a real Class A grid power with a 30-0 whipping of Morton to its credit. Tahoka got a lot of yards in losing last week, but not many points. Plains got the points.

MULESHOE at COOPER-It's too much to expect Cooper to make it two in a row. The Mules beat Portales 21-13 in its opener.

Lorenzo at FRENSHIP-Lorenzo whipped Roosevelt last week, but Frenship is much stronger, and also at home.

SLATON at DIMMITT-Dimmitt managed a 13-9 win

over Crosbyton Friday night which aren't victory credentials in opposing the Tigers.

CANYON at FLOYDADA-A real toughie to pick at Canyon dropped a 7-0 opener to state-ranked AAAA Lubbock Monterrey while the Winds won a close "turn-over battle" at Friona.

ROOSEVELT at CROSBYTON-The Eagles should even their record in this one.

Our "upset special of the week" is DENVER CITY over Kermit at Denver City. Kermit, rated with more manpower than the Mustangs, got off the winning foot by beating Alpine by two touchdowns. Still and all, you have to go into the wind to pick any upset.

We knew that first week of "pickings" was going to be tough-and it was. We were right on only five of nine for a 55.5 percentage and if we hadn't been right on the "upset special of the week" - Wall 14, Coahoma 6 - we would have been under the break even percentages for the first time ever.

Here is the way Post and its opponents did in the first Friday night of the season:

POST 14, Lockney 7.  
Slaton 32, Colorado City 0.  
Floydada 14, Friona 7.  
Wall 14, Coahoma 6.  
Cooper 15, Rails 7.  
Lorenzo 14, Roosevelt 6.  
Stanton 26, Tahoka 14.  
Frenship 35, Hale Center 0.  
Seminole 26, Denver City 14.

## Scott Walker stars in San Antonio game

Scott Walker, recently transferred from Post High School, was the starting halfback for the Madison High AAA team in San Antonio.

Last Thursday evening the Madison team defeated McArthur's Junior Varsity by a score of 6-0. McArthur is picked number four in the state among AAAA schools.

Madison is a new school (this being its second year of operation) and as such, all players are either freshmen or sophomores. Madison plays a schedule of AAAA junior varsity teams and next year will be in the district with Cuero, Uvalde, Seguin and several San Antonio schools.

While the game was rather raggedly played from an offensive standpoint, it was a solid defensive game that finally won it for Madison. Madison scored its lone touchdown by starting on its one and driving 99 yards to finally score.

Walker carried the ball 11 times and came up with 60 yards yet rushing. His only pass resulted in a 37 yard touchdown play. Scott returned one punt for 33 yards, and played rover back on defense.

It appears that Madison may be a school to watch in AAA circles in the next few years since all its starters are either freshmen or sophomores.

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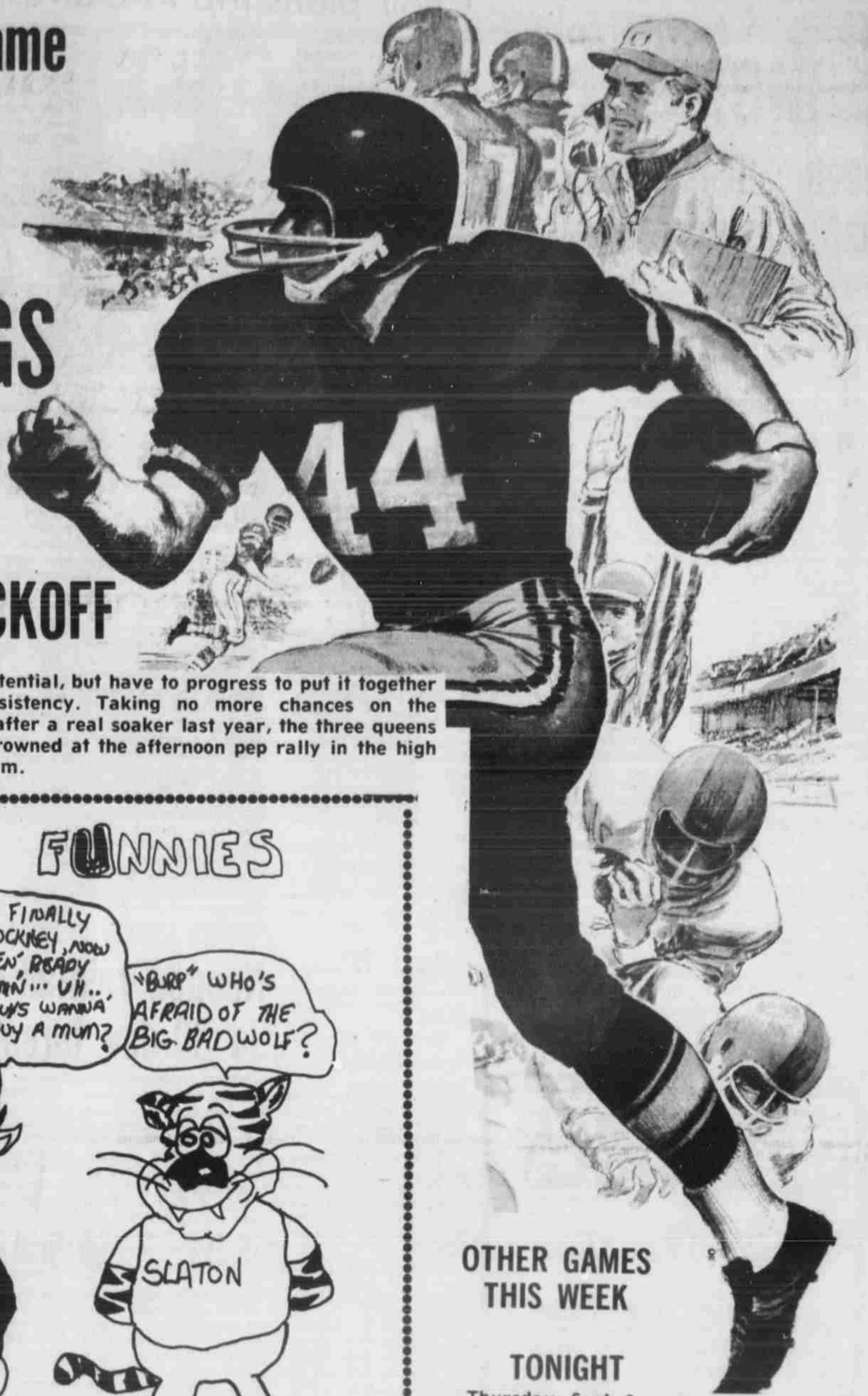


# Post's 1977 Homecoming Game

# POST ANTELOPES VS. COAHOMA BULLDOGS

IN POST'S ANTELOPE STADIUM

FRIDAY, SEPT. 9---8 P.M. KICKOFF



The Coahoma Bulldogs should provide the Post Antelopes and their homecoming crowd plenty of action here Friday night despite their opening loss, 14 to 6, to a very good Class A Wall club. The Lopes in winning their opener in the final minute of play displayed

strong potential, but have to progress to put it together with consistency. Taking no more chances on the weather after a real soaker last year, the three queens will be crowned at the afternoon pep rally in the high school gym.

## FOOTBALL

## FUNNIES



### OTHER GAMES THIS WEEK

#### TONIGHT

Thursday, Sept. 8  
5:30—Post 7th Graders at Lockney, followed by Post 8th Graders vs. Lockney there.  
5:30—Lockney Freshmen vs. Post Freshmen, here.  
7:30 Lockney JVs vs. Post JVs, here.

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## Tune in to Morrow

By DAVID MORROW

Homecoming is just around the corner and both personal and public plans are being made for having a "high of time" during the game (and afterwards). The guys around PHS are looking through their lists of prospective dates for the festivities and the girls have been hoping (and possibly praying) that Handsome So-and-So will pin a mum on her (shedding all the petals in the process) and ask her to be his date. And who knows? Homecoming romances can grow into

something that has "more meaning, more richness..."

The first pep rally saw the gym filled to overflowing with Antelope pride and spirit. Cheerleaders, band, twirlers and the student body really gave the spirit a boost, with the junior class winning the spirit stick. Coach Tannehill spoke a-bout everyone "pulling together" to back the Lopes toward a victory. And this cooperation climaxed in the last 45 seconds of the game, as the Antelopes scored to wipe out Lockney 14-7.

## Band elects new officers

The Post High School Band has been very busy preparing for the 1977 marching season.

Friday they elected this year's band officers. They are Dana Giddens, president; Larisa Shiver, vice president; Leanna Davis, secretary-treasurer; Terry Smith, reporter; and Tricia Craig, freshman representative.

The band also voted for their three candidates for band sweetheart. These candidates are Peggy Jackson, Danna Giddens and Terry Smith. The coronation of the sweetheart will be during the pep rally Friday.



The word "fate" comes from the Latin "fatum" meaning "that which is spoken."

## Choir plans trip to Galveston

Parents of the Post High School Choir met Thursday night, Sept. 2 at 7:30 p.m. in the choir room of Post High School.

Officers were elected at this meeting with Robert Elliott elected as president. Other officers elected were Joann Blacklock as vice-president; secretary-treasurer, Virginia Babb.

reporter, Doris Shedd. Fund raising projects were discussed for the choir's planned trip to Galveston in May. A total of \$3600 will be needed for the trip.

For the first project, the choir needs aluminum of any kind, old newspapers, magazines and Coke bottles.

The newspapers and magazines may be taken to Mason Furniture any time, but bottles and aluminum will be picked up at a later date. If you need someone to pick these items up call 2171, 2071, 2320, 2324, or 3378.

The parents will meet the first Tuesday of every month in the choir room.

## Antelope Tracks

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## Other 3 PHS classes also elect officers

The junior, sophomore and freshmen classes held class meetings last week and elected their officers for the 1977-78 year.

The junior class will be headed by Dale Redman. Vice-president will be Lisa Cowdrey, secretary-treasurer will be Shorty Bilberry and the reporter will be Nita Jo Gunn. Student Council representatives will be Karla Duren and Karen Perkins, with alternates Darrel Reece and Larry Dodson. Junior class sponsors will be Mrs. Carolyn Black and Miss Christy Morris.

The sophomore class president will be Kirk Stevens. Other officers are vice-president, Susan Strawn; secretary-treasurer, Donna

Baumann; class reporter, Leanna Davis; student council representatives, Lynn Simpson and Carolyn Pringler, with alternates, Mike Macy and Susan Sawyers. Sponsors for the sophomores are Mr. George Pierce and Mrs. Carolyn Sawyers.

The freshmen class elected Alonzo Luna as its president. Barry Morris was named vice president; secretary will be Barry Wyatt, treasurer, Sharla Macy; and reporter, Holly Giddens. Student Council representatives will be Marinette Hays and Jesse Taylor, with alternates, Patricia Craig and Drew Kirkpatrick.

Class sponsors for the freshmen will be Mrs. Pat Thompson and Mr. Arthur Tunnell.

## Parking space is assigned

The first student council project — the assigning of parking spaces around the building — was completed last Thursday. Since the sidewalk numbers of the spaces had become almost illegible because of weathering, a group of students headed by president Donna Josey and vice-president Nita Jo Gunn spent an afternoon repainting the numbers on the sidewalk. These students were Terry Smith, Kelly Mitchell, Karen Perkins and Peggy Jackson.

The following morning, seniors were given first choice in the drawing of spaces. The drawing was conducted on a first-come, first-serve basis and most of the students were satisfied with their space. All 33 of the student parking spaces were assigned.

## Lunch Menus

The school lunchroom menu for next week is as follows:

Monday: Hot dogs with chili, green beans, apple cobbler, homemade buns, mustard, half pint milk.

Tuesday: Turkey and gravy, sweet peas, lettuce salad, pineapple salad, hot rolls, half pint milk.

Wednesday: Hamburger with ounce of cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, and pickles, buttered buns, peaches, homemade buns, salad dressing, mustard, half pint milk.

Thursday: Frito pie, lettuce salad, pinto beans, jello with fruit, cornbread, half pint milk.

Friday: Fish, cole slaw, whipped potatoes, peanut butter cake with peanut butter icing, biscuits, orange juice, half pint of milk.

The sandwich menu for next week:

Monday: Chicken salad sandwich, lettuce wedge, fruit cocktail, cookies, potato chips, half pint milk.

Tuesday: Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, carrot sticks, half apple, cookies, half pint milk.

Wednesday: Pimento cheese sandwich, lettuce wedge, pork and beans, plums, peanut cookies, and half pint milk.

Thursday: Bologna sandwich, celery sticks, orange, cookies, half pint milk.

Friday: Tuna sandwich, lettuce wedge, peaches, orange juice, cookies, half pint milk.

## Needed rainfall is in 30-day forecast

COLLEGE STATION — Texas farmers and ranchers can look forward to some improvement in the rainfall situation during the next 30 days, if the National Weather Service is right in its predictions.

Most of the state should get some reprieve from the extended dry weather, says NWS officials. They are calling for above average rainfall in all regions through the middle of Sept. At the same time, temperatures should remain normal, which means a continuation of generally warm weather. Of course, some relief from the summer heat wave that has plagued much of the state should begin to show up by the first of Sept. as cold fronts start winding their way down from the northern part of the nation.

The possibility of increased precipitation during the next 30 days should brighten the ranching picture considerably, according to the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Most pastures and ranges are brown and the grass is dry and of poor quality. Supplemental feeding has begun in many counties due to the lack of grazing. Also, stock water is short over much of the state, and some ranchers have

resorted to hauling water for their livestock.

Rain in the next few weeks would also boost hay production which has been extremely short this spring and summer, notes the Extension Service. Yields are off as much as 50 per cent in some sections of East Texas. There is a growing concern about adequate hay for this winter due to the short crop and the fact that hay barns were emptied during last winter's severe weather.

Peanuts, soybeans, fall planted small grains, fall gardens and commercial vegetable crops would also benefit from the rainfall, said the Extension Service. Of course, the increased precipitation would delay harvest operations, especially cotton harvesting in southern, central and eastern areas, and grain harvesting in the Plains.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR  
Thursday, Sept. 8 - Trailblazers Luncheon. Garza HD Council meeting at 2:30 and 4-H Club meeting at 4:00.

Friday, Sept. 9 - Wedding Rehearsal Dinner

Saturday, Sept. 10 - Lubbock Trail Riders Banquet

Tuesday, Sept. 13 - Rotary Club Luncheon. Youth Night

## Real daredevil set for fair

LUBBOCK — A helicopter trapeze daredevil who has thrilled crowds at many of the nation's top fairs and expositions will appear throughout the 60th annual Panhandle South Plains Fair here Sept. 24-Oct. 1.

Steve L. Lewis, fair general manager, said Dave Merrifield would present 18 shows over the barns. He is one of several attractions scheduled to highlight the fair.

Suspended 100 to 200 feet high on a trapeze mounted beneath a helicopter, Merrifield performs the back balance, hangman's noose spin, free heel catch, toe-hang and many other feats. The shows are climaxed with Merrifield performing on a free-swinging trapeze as the chopper zooms upward amid a burst of fireworks.

Merrifield has performed 635 shows in the past two seasons.

Night shows are especially impressive because the helicopter is equipped with a high intensity lighting system.

Lewis said officials of other fairs where Merrifield has performed indicate the shows are "really crowd-pleasing."

Shows will be presented at 5 p.m., 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. on Sept. 24 and 26 and at 7 p.m.



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## Pay boosts---

(Continued From Page One) resulted in a joint session of the city and county dads in the Post library at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday with Sheriff Pippin present.

When Mayor Giles McCrary, who was presiding, declared the group would be "in executive session to discuss personnel matters" The Dispatch representative left the session.

County Judge Giles Dalby told The Dispatch after the meeting that Sheriff Pippin was asked to present his recommendations on deputies' salaries and on any other of his problems to the court before its Monday budget hearing when it is set to adopt its 1978 budget.

## '28 class-

(Continued From Page One) Huston Hoover for Jack Samson and T. J. Davis for Stanley Brannen.

The group attended the First United Methodist Church Sunday morning for the 11 a. m. worship as this was the church where they held their baccalaureate services.

Those attending the reunion were John and Bonnie Cearley of Pecos, Orus and Nancy Parr of El Paso, Bland and Bert Tomlinson, Slaton; Lee and Agnes Fletcher, Morgan Hill, California; T. J. and Alice Davis of Lubbock, who incidentally is the father of popular singer, Mac Davis; Huston and Lura Hoover of Bovina; Leroy McCrary, Marble Falls, Tex.; A. B. and Ruby Stewart of Glen Rose; Lena Belle Rogers Maxwell of Lovington, N. M.; Louise Morrel Wharton and Winston Wharton of Tahoka;

Irvin and Helen Cross, Snyder; Elizabeth Pickett Davis and Foster Davis of Crowell; Weaver and Pearl Moreman, Glenn Voss, Victor and Iva Hudman all of Post and Coach Harry Taylor, Fort Worth.

## Rev. Miller to speak in Lubbock

The Rev. George L. Miller, former local pastor who has authored a book on his fight against alcoholism, will address the South Plains Writers' Association at 7:30 p. m. Monday, Sept. 12, in the Lubbock Garden and Arts Center.

This program opens the new year for the writers organization and the public is invited to hear Mr. Miller and to attend the autograph party which will follow the meeting.

As The Dispatch understands it, the city and county will hold another meeting after Pippin's recommendations are received to consider them.

Mayor McCrary told The Dispatch that although the city already has adopted its new budget it has included cost of living salary adjustments for all employees.

Pippin told The Dispatch Tuesday afternoon that he has lost five deputies since he took office last November to better paying law enforcement jobs. He also mentioned to both city and county officials they should also consider uniform allowances and the providing of housing.

"I'm not mad at anybody", the sheriff told The Dispatch. "I don't expect to get any increase in salary myself. But I am losing men and those I have are dissatisfied and dissatisfied men don't do their best work under such conditions."

In checking at the courthouse, The Dispatch was told that the county sheriff's salary has been increased twice since the joint city-county operation began (which started before Pippin took office) and that Pippin now draws \$695 monthly, or \$5 less a month than his highest paid deputy.

Sheriff Pippin told the city council last Thursday that if he turned Post's law enforcement back to them, he planned to handle "all the sheriff's duties by myself without a deputy."

Judge Dalby said Tuesday afternoon that the court didn't know there were any law enforcement problems until he was briefed on Pippin's meeting with the City Council.

As for the county budget, present plans call for the current 95 cent county tax rate to continue for the coming year. The county valuations have increased \$4,500,000 during the past year to \$37,600,000. The taxable property valuations will continue at only 25 percent of the full value.

Judge Dalby pointed out that the valuation increases from year to year, mostly in oil, have enabled the county to meet inflationary costs of government without a tax increase so far.

## Legion post will meet Tuesday

There will be an American Legion meeting Tuesday, Sept. 13 beginning at 8 p. m. to be held in the American Legion Hall.

All members are urged to attend.

## Boll weevil-

(Continued From Page One) blems for program participants. Only those fields having large numbers of weevils or square damage will be treated with the first application.

The second application is planned for Sept. 19. "This and later treatments will be more intensive," he said. "The purpose of these applications is to reduce the numbers of diapausing boll weevils."

Overall, boll weevil infestations have been light up to this time. However, some fields have developed heavy weevil infestations. It is important that treatment be initiated on these fields with the first application to prevent damage and to limit the spread of weevils into other fields, Conner said.

## Graham exes---

(Continued From Page One) Hall, Jane Mason and Christi Morris. They were dressed in green and white basketball tops worn at Graham. Mrs. Stone wore purple and gold, the school colors until the new brick building was built. They led the group in the Graham School Song, "Graham Will Shine" and "School Days." Keitha Beth White was the mascot and did a tumbling routine. She wore a 1953

## Walker trial-

(Continued From Page One) Snyder on a change of venue.

The felony charge of theft by exercising control concerned the taking of scrap iron belonging to Erwin Young, formerly of Post, who now lives in Colorado, by Walker.

George Thompson, Lubbock attorney, was hired as a special prosecutor for Walker's first trial by Smith for a reported \$2,500. It is still unclear for the record who is going to pay the \$2,500. The Garza County Commissioner's Court told The Dispatch it has not been advised on the matter by Smith or presented with any bill.

Greene told The Dispatch Wednesday morning that the prosecution expects to complete its presentation by mid-afternoon Wednesday and it will depend upon the number of witnesses the defense puts on the stand when the case will go to the jury.

He said it could go to the jury late Wednesday, but more probably sometime Thursday. The defense has subpoenaed about 10 witnesses.

In the first trial, Walker took the stand in his own defense and a number of character witnesses testified in his behalf.

## PHS 'exes' plan only short session

The only activity that the Post High School Ex-Student Association has planned for homecoming Sept. 9 is a short business meeting and visitation after the Post-Coahoma football game. It will be at the community room of the First National Bank. All exes are invited to attend.

## Joe Hubenak in race for ag commissioner

AUSTIN — State Representative Joe A. Hubenak has formally announced his candidacy for Commissioner of Agriculture.

Hubenak declared that his campaign and his tenure after election will be to "engineer a serious approach to the problems facing the farming and ranching industry and the consumer in Texas."

Hubenak stated that while more than 25 percent of the Texas labor forces are employed in agriculture and agribusiness, the state still lost more than 2,000 farms and ranches in 1976 alone.

"These people didn't leave because they got richer, either," Hubenak stated, "they left because there was a higher return on their investment elsewhere."

"Nothing is being done today to attract young men and women into agriculture," he charged. "In a few short years," Hubenak stated, "Texas will be facing the 21st Century... agriculture no longer belongs in the horse-and-buggy age."

"Agriculture," Hubenak stated, "has an economic impact amounting to more than 24 billion dollars a year."

"I believe that the agriculture upon which much of our economic survival is based is at the stage that our oil and gas industry faced a decade ago. Nothing is being done to save it."

"Agriculture in Texas must not become a mistreated stepchild, and we need to institute new ideas and new programs to bolster the production and incomes of our farm and ranch population."

Hubenak is representing Fort Bend County and part of Brazoria County, has been a member of the Texas House of Representatives for the last 10 years, and has served as chairman of the powerful Agriculture and Livestock Committee for the last three terms, or six years. Hubenak also serves as vice-chairman of the 15 Southern State Agricultural Conference.

## 953 books read during August

Post Public Library patrons checked out 953 books during August to bring the 1977 circulation total for the first eight months to 8,793 books.

Forty-two new books were added to library shelves during the month, according to Librarian Pee Wee Pierce's report to bring the new book total for the year to 495 volumes.

A total of \$27.90 in miscellaneous revenue from book fines, donations, book sales, etc. was reported to bring this figure for 1977 to \$280.59.

## Garza 4-H girls in ranch camp-out

The Garza Community 4-H Girls had a camp-out held at the Arnold Sanderson ranch in the Verbena community. They had a nature hunt, a picnic, and rounded out the evening with games. The camp-out was entitled "Recreation and Crafts".

Junior leaders for the outing were: Katrina Chaffin and Cynthia Wheeler, adult leaders were: Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson, Winnie Harrell, Shirley Bland and Paula Cawthon.

## Protecting Our Environment

Now that the dolphin has had its day, the porpoise, who is distinguished from the dolphin by its blunt snout, can have its turn. The snout of the dolphin, by the way, is long and sharp.

The day of the porpoise began when captains of the U.S. tuna fleet—who depend on the porpoises to find tuna—succeeded in inventing new porpoise-saving equipment and developing new fishing techniques which permit them to net tuna while releasing practically all of the porpoises.

In 1976, according to government reports, nearly 99 percent of all porpoises surrounded by American fishermen were released. The day of the porpoises has arrived indeed.

mascot suit worn by the former Annette McBride.

Next, Noel White led the audience in singing "America," "Long, Long Ago," and "When You and I Were Young Maggie." He was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Lonnie Peel.

Mrs. Morris then presented gifts to the following special recognitions:

Earliest Day Pupil — Oliver McMahon, Post, from the first class at Graham in 1904.

Earliest Day Teacher present on Sunday was Mrs. Geneva Voss Snell of Lubbock, who taught 1931-33.

Another teacher present and recognized was O. G. Lewis of Rule who taught in 1937-41.

Mrs. Bob Lusk was presented a special gift and recognized as the teacher with the most students present.

Frank Rogers of Azusa, Calif., and Buck Gossett of Stryker, Mont., were recognized as traveling the longest distance to attend the reunion.

The recognitions were followed by a special "remember when" as McMahon, Frost Maxey of Wichita Falls, Pauline Coleman, Naomi Thompson Morris of Plainview, Mary Stanley Stone, Alvin Davis of Brownfield, Bobby Cowdrey, Orabeth White, Jane Mason and Christi Morris, all related funny incidents and memories of school days at Graham.

The benediction was led by Frost Maxey.

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served by Lenona Stone Eblin, Slaton; Kay Maxey Oakley, and Leta Stone Pierce of Lubbock. The serving table was covered with a green cloth and centered with a fall arrangement.

## Last call on adult survey

An Educational and Occupational Disadvantaged Adult survey has been taken for the last two weeks but response has been slow.

This is the final notice for any interested adult to call and express your preference of interests.

The survey is to determine the interests and needs of adults in Post. This is not a poverty program. It is merely a program to help adults in their present jobs or to help obtain better positions.

Persons interested in this survey must be 16 years of age or older and out of school.

Examples of preferences are farm mechanics, welding, typing, office machines, furniture renovation, etc.

If interested call the high school principal's office at 2770 or Lane Tannehill at 2178.

A silent movie of the opera Carmen was made in 1915.

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