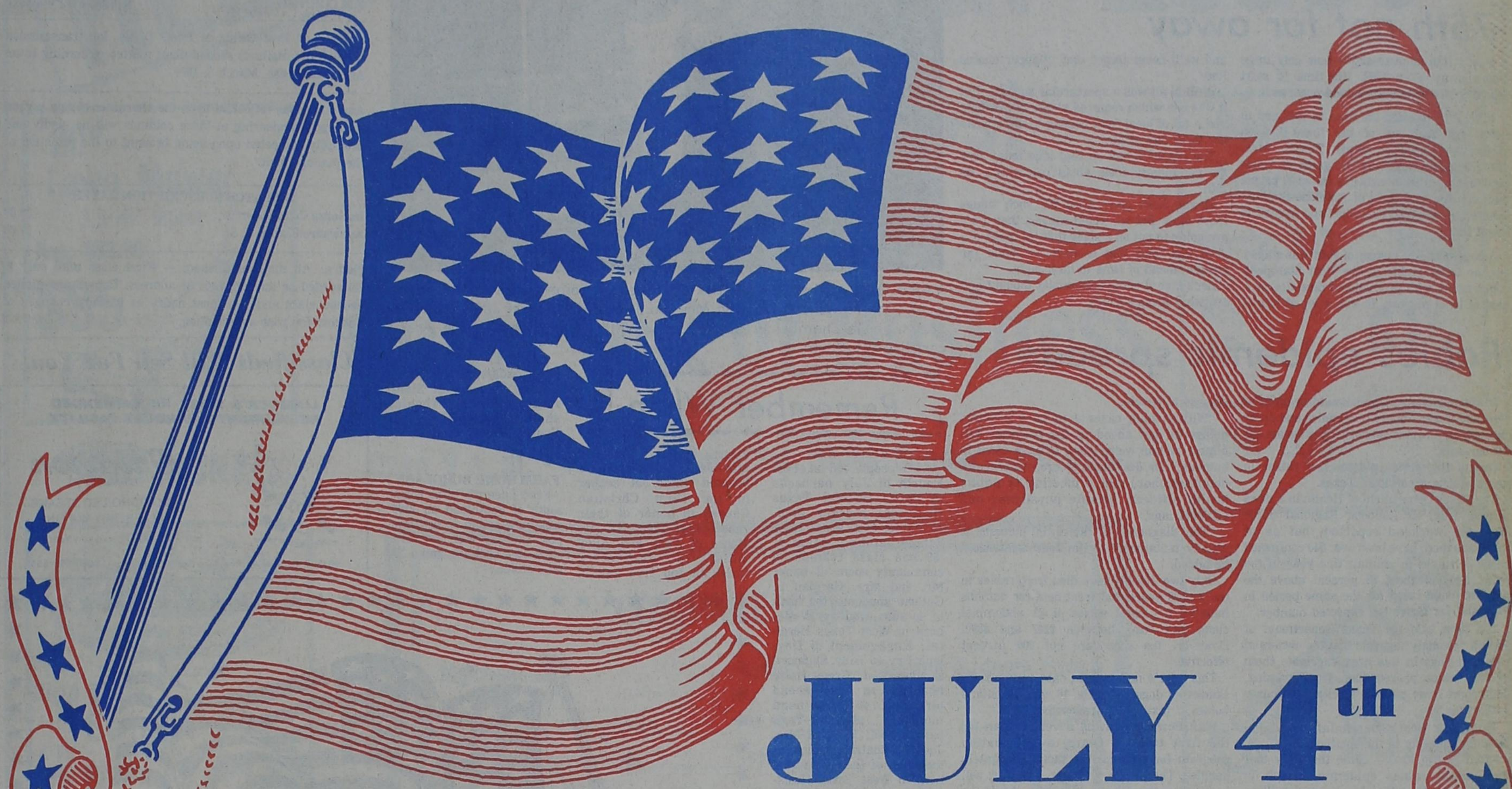


# Y'all come to Post's July 4th celebration!



## JULY 4<sup>th</sup>

### A Time to Repledge Ourselves...

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# The Post Dispatch

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Post, Garza County, Texas

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## Biggest, best ever holiday set

The ingredients are going to all be there for the biggest and best Fourth of July Celebration in Post's

history Wednesday. There will be 6½ hours of music, all kinds of contests from watermelon eating to

frisbee throwing, lots of food and entertainment booths, a big evening beef barbecue, all topped off the the most unusual fireworks display ever here.

There will also be a reunion of the PHS class of '59 — and just a whole lot of visiting during this town's only annual community get together.

The 13-hour star spangled show, which the sponsoring Chamber of Commerce terms a "jubilation", gets under way at 10 a.m. with a flag raising by the Boy Scouts and the Firecracker 500 bike race.

There's not much of a letdown anytime from then on to the hour-long or more fireworks display which will get under way at 10 p.m. and feature some novel new fiery things like "welcome" high in the sky to open the show, "goodnight" up there too to close it, with an American flag exploding in the sky somewhere in between.

The six and one-half hours of music will begin at 3:30 p.m. with local groups and individuals occupying the bandstand to 6 p.m. when "The County Boys" from Snyder with three other out-of-town bands alternating in a four-hour concert from 6 to 10 p.m. when the fireworks start.

The long awaited beard judging contest is slated for 4 p.m. with trophies going for the longest, ugliest, and best groomed, beards, and to the contestant "who tried the hardest". That last one sounds sort of like a booby prize, doesn't it?

Long lines are expected to form shortly after 5 p.m. for the traditional beef barbecue which gets underway at 5:30. Some 1,200 pounds of beef brisket will cook all night over wood coals in the park under the supervision of a crew of cooks headed by Bob West.

Some 1,500 or more persons are expected to pay \$2 a plate for the barbecue

which will be served over a two-hour period.

One thing the Chamber doesn't want to do is run out of food so an ample surplus is always cooked. Leftover barbecue will be sold at the end of the supper.

All the details of the big program appear on a two-page ad sponsored by

local merchants on pages 6 and 7 of today's Dispatch.

All that will be needed to make the celebration an outstanding success is a decent break with the weather.

The summer heat wave has yet to settle in here and the Chamber is hoping it can offer fine weather too for the holiday outing.

## POSTINGS...

By Jim Cornish

### Class of '43 in reunion July 7-8

The Class of 1943 will hold its first class reunion ever, July 7-8 at the Post Community Center.

The event will begin at 2 p.m. Saturday with a catered supper to follow at 7 p.m. with former members, spouses, teachers and room mothers expected to attend. The reunion will begin at 2

p.m. Sunday, July 8 with the event open to anyone who wishes to attend.

There were 53 members in the graduating class and all but one has been contacted with excellent response. This will be the first time for some to have seen each other since graduation day, May 14, 1943.

Responses have been received from Ralph Blasingame, Gradyline Osborne Burrow, Anna Jean Carpenter Elgin, Doris Hudman Kress, Ed Lawrence Robertson, Betty McElroy Ethel, Frances Lee Gollehon Crume, Edna Faye Dooley Yeager, John Malouf, J.W. Hodges, Maxine Redman Cook, Lois Taylor, Ramsey, with 12 members of the class living in Post.

Teachers heard from include Howard Price, Jess Wright, Catherine Royalty, Geneva Bingham Justice, Harold Childs, Juanita Gregg Nunn, Margie Stone Smith, Thelma Propst McGaugh and room mothers, Mrs. C.W. Terry and Mrs. Linda Malouf.

This promises to be an exciting, fun time with the name of the game, "Who in the World is That?"

### Postex shut for vacations

The Postex Plant closed after the second shift Friday for the employees' annual vacation during Fourth of July week.

Before their departure, plant employees received summer vacation pay with amounts determined by individual employee length of service and earnings.

Vacation pay totaling some \$7,500,000 was distributed by Burlington Industries to production employees in 10 states last week as most Burlington plants close during Fourth of July week for the summer holiday.

Postex operations will start up again Monday morning, July 9.

### 8th street to be torn up, repaved

A six weeks project to tear up Eighth street from Broadway to Avenue S and resurface it is expected to get under way this week as a part of the US-380 resurfacing project from Post west to the Lynn County line, Julian Smith announced today.

The resident highway engineer said Western Pavers of Lubbock will

handle the project. He added that with good summer weather, the contractor hoped to complete that portion of the project before the fall term of school starts.

Highway traffic will continue to be handled down Eighth street, Smith said, while construction is in progress rather than try to reroute it.

On the portion of the project west of Post, the contractor's crews are about ready to put down the base and surface, Smith reported.

Smith said some of the cross streets on Eighth will be closed from time to time because of the work and that Post drivers probably will wind other east-west routes more convenient.

the last century.

The "little dollar" is not much bigger than a quarter and costs only 40 percent of the amount needed to make the much bigger Eisenhower dollars which will no longer be minted.

The government has already issued 500 million of the little Anthony dollars and figures it can save \$5 million a year in printing costs if it can get the little coin to replace a significant amount of dollar bills.

Come to think of it, the new little dollar not only honors a woman but in its reduced size indicates just about what our dollar is worth these days.

If you haven't taken a good look at the Algeria (See Postings, Page 9)

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## 75th not far away

Post's 75th anniversary is now only three years away — in 1982. It's time to start thinking about how we should observe it.

C.W. Post founded the town in 1907 and in 1957 Post had one of the finest Golden Jubilees staged in West Texas. Mrs. Merriweather Post was the guest of honor and laid out a free barbecue for 3,000 people between the goal lines of Antelope Stadium where she received everyone who wanted to meet her.

A pageant of the history of Post was staged two or three nights at the Post Stampede rodeo arena with professional direction of a cast of local players. It was a lot of fun —

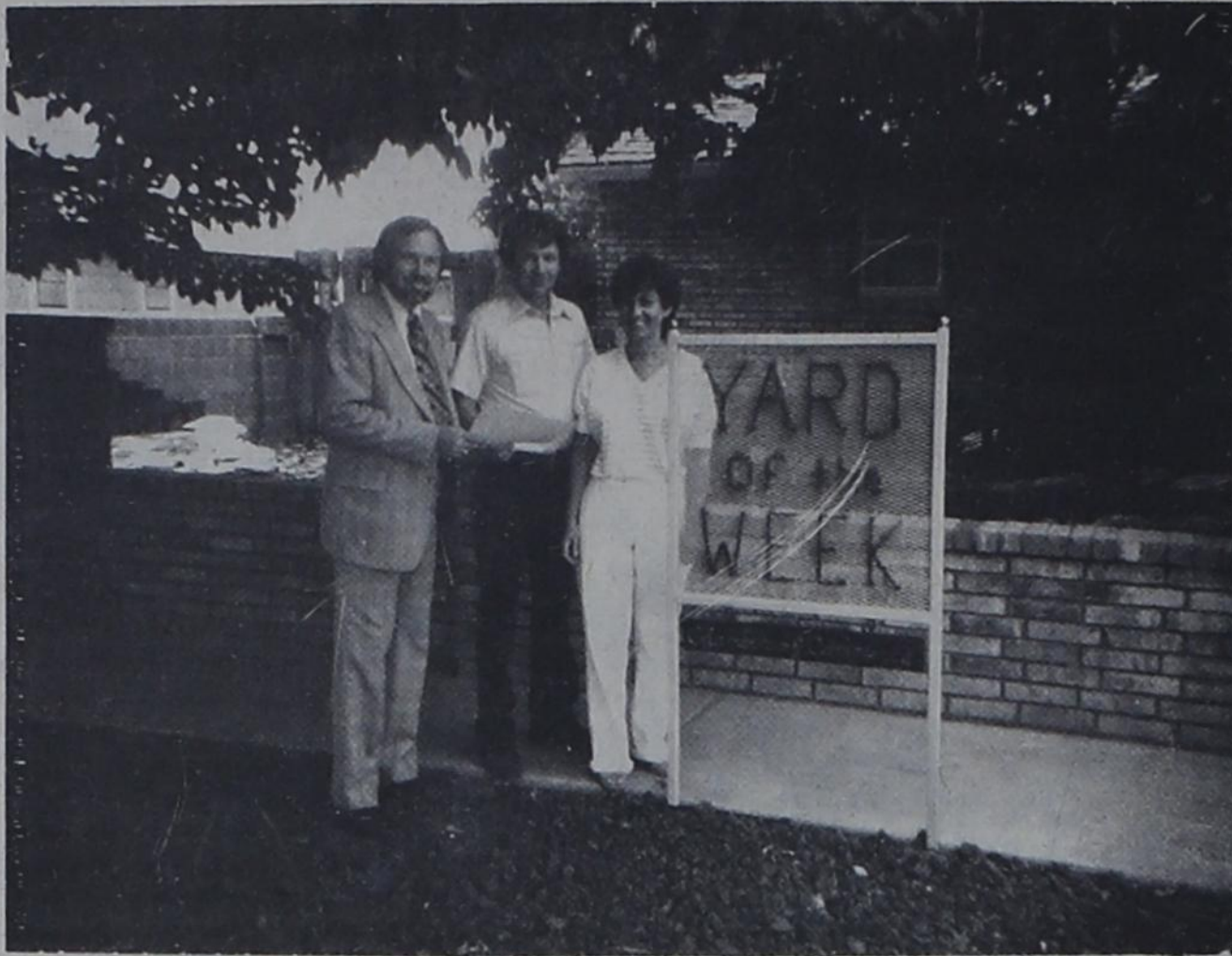
and we'll never forget that "flapper chorus line."

It all in all was a spectacular success. But it was one which required plenty of planning and a lot of local fund raising to underwrite the three-day affair.

The Dispatch has no real idea today how the community feels about celebrating its 75th.

Maybe folks don't care for such things these days. But we would suggest that if we are going to put on a show that we make it a good one, and that a start be made far enough ahead of time to do it right.

Let's give it some community thought and see what ideas surface.



**YARD OF LAST WEEK** — The Chamber of Commerce's "yard of the week" award went to Mr. and Mrs. Bo Jackson, 905 West 4th, last week. Shown above Chamber president Larry Willard, left, presents the award certificate to them.

## Remember When

**10 YEARS AGO**  
1,500 people fed at Post Fourth of July barbecue in park; Official Texas Historical marker dedicated at old Post High School building; Class of '59 has class reunion in community room of bank; Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Guthrie announce the birth of a son, Rodney Wade, born in West Texas Hospital; Engagement of Doylene Fry to Billy Shumard is announced; Gregg Haire honored on his second birthday; 40 Post band members attend Tech band school; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kirkpatrick announce the birth of their fifth son, born in West Texas Hospital; Tower Theater shows "The Odd Couple" with Jack Lemon and Walter Mattheau.

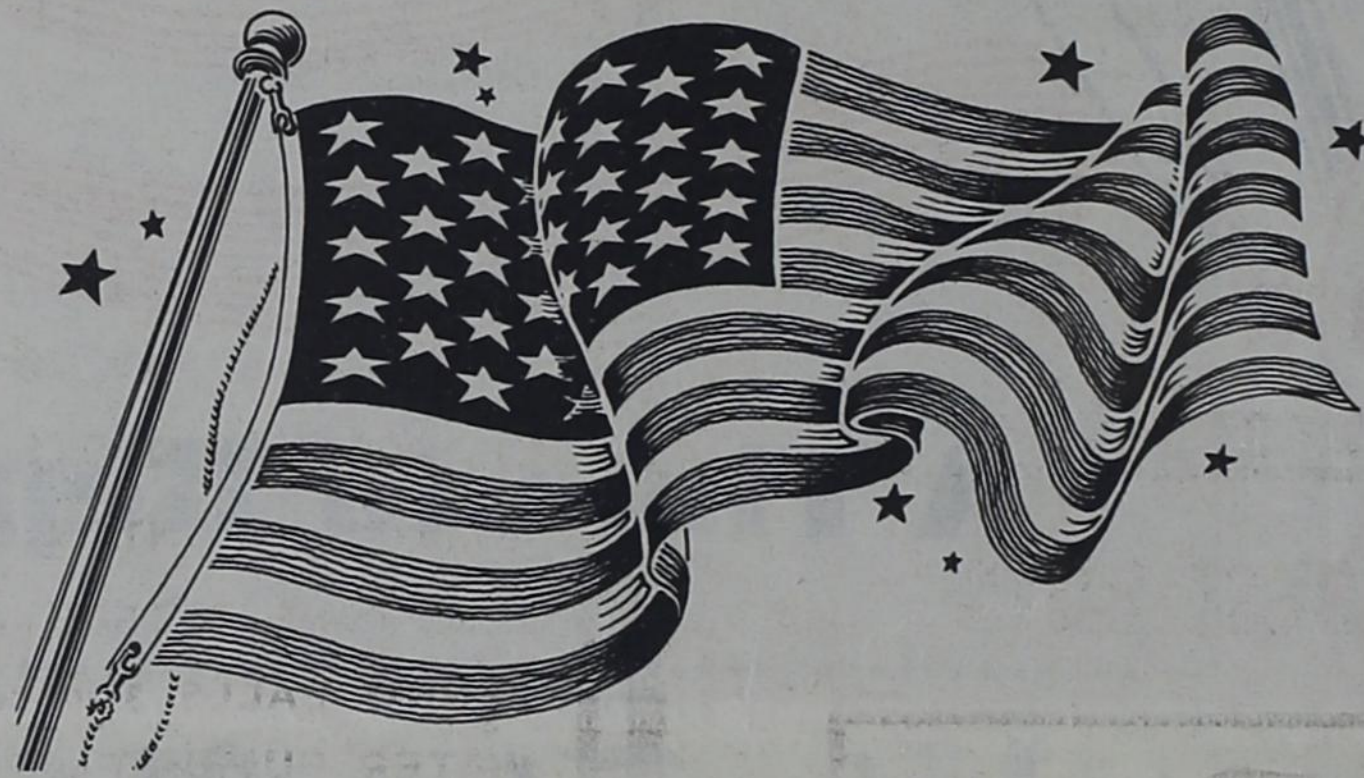
**15 YEARS AGO**  
Mrs. Tillman Jones establishes \$1,000 scholarship fund for Post graduating senior; Citizens respond to city water crisis and turn off water sprinklers; City is working on electric code and fire zone revisions; Danny O'Neal and Charlie Brown attend FFA workshop in Amarillo; Argan Robinson of Post chosen finalist in Miss West Texas contest in Odessa; Engagement of Donna Smith to J.W. Basinger announced; Julius Stelzer wins fourth flight to give Post golfers their only championship at Brownfield tourney; Bobby and Lee Norman attend baseball camp at Baylor University in Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rivera announce the birth of a daughter, Julia, born in Garza Memorial Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hays and family spent holiday in Six Flags.

**25 YEARS AGO**  
Jumbo grasshoppers cause some crop damage in Garza County, reports Lewis Herron Jr., county agent; 77 cases of beer taken in raid by Post police department; Carol Davis, Sue Stephens, Auvy McBride, Mrs. L.H. Peel and Scotty Samson named superintendents of Post fair; Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCrary host a barbecue in their back yard on

Fourth of July; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kirkpatrick are honored guests at supper in the First Christian Church in honor of their recent marriage; Jimmy Moore of Post and Riley Miller of Justiceburg finish in top five saddle

bronc riders in the Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford; Tower Theater shows "Gypsy Colt" for Fourth of July feature.

**FARM HOME BURGLARY**  
Fred Lucero's farm home south of Southland on 2106 was burglarized in daytime last Tuesday with a television set, a shotgun, and a .22 rifle stolen.



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My Blue Field . . . indicates God's heaven under which I fly.  
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"Old Glory" is my nickname, and proudly I wave on high.  
Honor me, respect me, defend me with your lives and your fortunes.  
Never let my enemies tear me down from my lofty position, lest I never return.  
Keep alight the fires of patriotism, strive earnestly for the spirit of democracy.  
Worship Eternal God and keep His Commandments, and I shall remain the bulwark of peace and freedom for all mankind.  
I am your flag.

. . . Thomas E. Wicks, Sr.



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## Rabies epidemic spreads

In the next few weeks it would be well for Post and Garza County to organize and carry through on a rabies vaccination program for all our pets.

One of the worst epidemics of rabies in years is now reported in Texas.

The Texas Department of Health in a news release from its Lubbock Regional office over the weekend reported that as of mid-June there have been over 540 confirmed cases of rabies in animals this year in the state. This is about 85 percent above the number found rabid for the same period in 1978, and far above the expected number.

The item said the Texas Department of Health "strongly suggests that the owners of cats and dogs in this area vaccinate them against rabies, prevent them from roaming, and report stray animals to city and county authorities."

This puts Post's perennial stray dog problem squarely in the spotlight again.

From Austin Frid, y came the story that the animal rabies epidemic, which is spreading north out of Mexico and spilling across Texas, could easily spread the fatal

disease to people.

"With as many cases as we have in Texas, unless we get ahead of the problem, I'm almost certain we're going to have cases in humans," Dr. Raymond Moore, state health commissioner, told a meeting of public health officers, private physicians and veterinarians.

"The diagnosis of rabies in humans is usually tantamount to the death sentence," he added.

Only two Texans have died from rabies in the last 20 years, but treatment for humans includes a painful series of 21 abdominal shots that costs between \$247 and \$390. However, the shots are not 100 percent effective.

This year's outbreak to date includes 450 skunks, 44 dogs, 24 cattle, 16 cats, 12 bats, 9 horses, 7 foxes and 5 raccoons.

With Post now having a veterinarian for the first time in years, a vaccination program for pets can be more adequately handled. The pickup of strays, however, will be neither simple nor easy but should be undertaken without delay by the city.

## 'Crash program' needed

Odd and even days at the gas pump is not really rationing. It doesn't mean anyone is going to do less driving, and thus buy less gasoline. It means only that maybe the lines won't be quite so long.

The "odd and even days" for gas buying have now come to Texas in the metropolitan areas of Houston, Dallas and Fort Worth according to the governor's decree.

In Houston these days, many spend their downtown lunch hours out driving around looking for a station where they can "top their tank." Company officials with secretaries even send out their secretaries to wait in the gas lines with their cars.

We got that straight from daughter, Chris, and son-in-law Walt who were through from Houston one day last week enroute to the New Mexico mountains to visit our other daughter, Susan.

In fact, they were about two hours late getting out of Houston for their trip here because Walt had a near empty gas tank. So he started the trip with a car wash and ten gallons of gas, after waiting the line.

There is still a significant segment of American public which refuses to believe that an actual oil shortage exists in our world of wheels.

And there is another large segment which regards everybody in the oil business, at whatever level, as conspiring to force up the price of gas by helping to create the shortage.

Generally speaking, both groups are almost totally wrong. Human nature being what it is, some are going to grab for a bigger profit. But certainly the oil industry overnight has not turned into a bunch of conspiring crooks. That's absurd!

What we have is a real oil shortage on our hands and our system of producing, transporting, refining and servicing at the retail level is so complex that when we get right down to a no reserve level, the results border on the disastrous.

The average American isn't going to knuckle down to tough gas restrictions until he has to — and that day is coming faster than we thought.

We are convinced that gasohol is a practical solution to part of the problem and that full speed ahead should be taken by both government and industry to produce alcohol in vast quantities from stuff the farmer can plant in his fields, or discards as culls in the marketing process.

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PAMPERS, DAYTIME 30s		\$2.55
PAMPERS, NEWBORN 30s		\$2.09
HAVOLINE 30 MOTOR OIL, Qt.		63¢
QUAKER STATE 30, Qt.		69¢
FREON	.99c	73¢
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TEEN SCENE By Norm

## Shell-Newcomb vows exchanged in garden

Carroll Shell and Kent Newcomb exchanged wedding vows Saturday, June 30 at 7 p.m. in the garden of Mr. and Mrs. Bo Jackson at 905 W. 4th.

Performing the outdoor, double ring ceremony was John Otey, Presbyterian minister.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Shell of Saudi Arabia and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Faye Baluocius of Upland, California and Richard Newcomb of Lubbock.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of soft quiana knit with long fitted sleeves trimmed in silk venise lace. The bodice was cut out at the neckline with a choke bank around the neck trimmed in venise lace. The gown was empire waisted and gently flowed to a natural waistline in the back and into a flowing chapel length train edged in silk venise lace. The bride wore a wide brim picture hat with a silk venise lace crown. The illusion softly gathered around the crown of the hat into a bow in back. Additional illusion fell softly behind the length of the train.

Donna Orr of Lubbock served as matron of honor with bridesmaids being Jane Tice of Norman, Oklahoma and Mary Richardson of Dallas. They wore matching blue and peach pastel voile gowns with raglan sleeves and gathered collars. They all carried baskets of blue carnations, baby's breath and eucalyptus and wore flower accents of white carnations and blue ribbon in their hair.

Serving as best man was Tim Moore of Woodard, Oklah, with groomsmen, Scott Foster, Buffalo Groves, Illinois and Mike Blackledge of Lubbock.



MRS. KENT NEWCOMB (Carroll Shell)

Acting as ushers were Blake Shell, brother of the bride of Houston and Rick Orr of Lubbock.

Wedding music was provided by Marita Jackson as she sang, "Paris Nocturne", "Since You've Asked" and "The Lord's Prayer" accompanied by Cliff Sherrrod. A reception followed the ceremony in the garden setting with guests registered by Tonya Nance. Members of the house party were Brenda Weemes of Fort Worth, who served the bride's cake; Joyce Sherrrod of Midland, serving lemonade and Cleo Hahn served the groom's cake. Following a wedding trip to Kerrville, the couple will

live in Post where the bride is employed by the Post Primary Schools.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. H.W. McIntyre of Buffalo, Okla., Mrs. J.W. Bartee, Ardmore, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Bray, Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Travers, Dallas.

## Hobby club in meeting

The Grassland Hobby Club met recently in the community center with 12 members and three visitors present.

Due to the illness of the president, the meeting was conducted by Laura Watson.

Helen Gerner of Post gave the program on "Redecorating the Home, the Use of Coordinating Materials and Making of Bedspreads and Curtains to Give a New Look."

Mable Smith showed the club a gold and black afghan and Lura Mae Gather showed the club a doll with a crochet dress to cover bath tissue and rosettes of crochet thread fastened to cover a bar of soap.

Due to the 4th of July holiday and upcoming vacations, the club will not have a July meeting, but will meet again Aug. 7.

## Health agency is operational

LUBBOCK — The South Plains Health Systems, Inc., has received notification of full designation as a health system agency from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare (HEW).

The South Plains agency serves 15 counties, including Garza. Post Mayor Giles McCrary is Post's representative on the 47-member board of directors of the agency.

South Plains Health Systems, Inc., was organized in late 1975 and received its initial funding in 1976. During the past three years the agency was conditionally designated as a health systems agency.

Principal functions of a health systems agency are health plan development, health resource development, and evaluation of the health projects undergoing local, state and federal review.

The agency has an approved long-range health systems plan and a short range annual implementation plan to guide the developments of the area health resources and the evaluation of projects.

As a fully designated health systems agency, it will continue to develop and implement a plan for delivery of needed health services and to review capital expenditures and service proposals of area hospitals, nursing homes and other health providers.

The agency also reviews and comments on the proposed use of federal grant funds for the local programs such as mental health and retardation, primary care, alcoholism, drug abuse, family practice residency programs and family planning programs.

Additional functions associated with full designation include the approval or disapproval of applications for federal funding for certain local health projects.

The agency also is expected to advise the state within three years of the appropriateness of the programs of area health service providers.

Although Congress has not appropriated any such funds as yet, the agency is authorized to award federal dollars through an area health services development fund grant program to organizations seeking to improve health care.

The South Plains Health Systems, Inc., has a staff of seven persons with offices located at 1217 Avenue K in Lubbock. Its board of 47 area consumers and providers of health care was appointed by the South Plains Association of Governments in consultation

with local elected officials.

Dr. John H. Selby is chairman of the board. Ronald D. Warner is the agency's president and chief executive officer.

## 5 new wells completed

The George R. Brown oil interests here have announced the completion of five more small wells in the Garza field in southwest and southeast Post.

They are a part of the developing water flood by the firm.

The five and their amounts of production on tests included No. 38-CP-A-WF-1, inside Post townsite, 42.5 barrels of oil and 139 barrels of water daily from 3,060,100 feet; No. 39-A Post Estate, two miles southeast of Post, 6.8 barrels of oil and 16 barrels of water from 2,766-2,930 feet; No. 40 A Post Estate, 2 1/4 miles southeast of Post, 3.4 barrels of oil and 12 of water from 2,770-2,196 Feet; No. 47 Post Estate, 2 miles southwest of Post, 3.9 barrels of oil and 20 of water from 2,968-3,014 feet; and No. 52 Post Estate, 1 1/2 miles southwest of Post, 3.4 barrels of oil and 40 of water from 2,916-3,046 feet.

## Mrs. Rudd is honored

Mrs. Delbert Rudd was honoree for a layette shower Saturday morning from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church.

The theme of the shower was "A Happy Face". Yellow and white colors were used in the decor. Pat Heidelberg and Linda Lewis served cake and punch to the approximate 30 guests. Crystal appointments were used.

The hostesses were attired in baby knick-knacks which were presented to the honoree. Hostesses for the occasion included Mmes. Patsy Craig, Pat Heidelberg, Paula Cawthon, Kay Lamb, Sharla Wells, Linda Lewis and Maritta Jackson.

The hostesses presented the honoree with an infant seat.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Those admitted to Garza Memorial Hospital the past week and half included: Wanda Bethany, OB Dorothy Sparlin, med. Edna Trull, med. Clovie Ellis, med. Thelma Epley, med. Oliver McMahon, med. Etta Mae McMahon, med. Pearl Crisp, med. Anna Sinclair, med. Toni Ammons, med. Rodney Tidwell, pediatric Lela Kennedy, med. Pearl Crisp, med. Letha Thompson, med. Leonard Deluna, pediatric Sarah Espinoza, OB. Baby Boy Espinoza, NB DISMISSED

Mattie Hays Beatrice Perez Kirk Painter Joy Parker Leatha Thompson Dorothy Haas Dorothy Sparlin Wanda Bethany Thelma Epley Clovie Ellis Pearl Crisp Elna Trull Oleain Seals Oliver McMahon Mae McMahon Rodney Tidwell Anna Sinclair Pearl Crisp Letha Thompson Toni Ammons Leonard Deluna

**CORRECTION PLEASE** Services for James Porter were held Thursday, June 28, instead of June 21 as was reported in last week's Dispatch.

## Sewing course to be offered here

A sewing course, "Time Saving Sewing" will be held in three parts beginning July 12, 19 and 26.

The course will be held in the Southwestern Public Service Reddy Room at 2 p.m.

No admission charge will be made and the public is invited to attend each course.

## VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Koerselman of Houston and their two daughter, Andrea and Lara, visited two days here last week with their father, Jim Cornish. They were enroute home after visits with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shaffer in Chamisal, N.M. and Walter's brother and family in Canadian, Tx.

## HOUSEWARMING SET

A housewarming will be held for Mr. and Mrs. Mason McClellan and family Sunday night, July 8 from 7:30 until 9:30 p.m. The McClellans live on Route 3.

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# Program for Post's 13-Hour

## FOURTH OF JULY

# CELEBRATION

### 10 a. m. Flag Raising Ceremony

By Boy Scouts, Park.

### 10 a. m. First National Firecracker

#### 500 Bicycle Race

at Little League Park. Three age divisions: 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, trophies and ribbons to winners.

### 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Turkey Shoot

with B-B guns, sponsored by Garza Soil & Water Conservation District Youth Board, park, with 3 p. m. shootoff among top five for live turkey.

### 11 a. m. Swim Meet

at park pool, sponsored by First National Bank, open division for diving, and three race age divisions, 4-7, 8-12, 13-15, trophies and ribbons.

### 1 to 5 p. m. Canoe Rides

sponsored by Post Lions, on South Lake at park, 50 cents per person for five minutes.

### 1 to 4 p. m. Water Polo

free to all, sponsored by Post Volunteer Fire Department, park.

### 1 p. m. Dunking Booth

cheerleaders on dunking board to 2:30 then coaches remainder of afternoon, sponsored by Antelope Booster Club, 2 throws 25c, park.

### 2 p. m. Watermelon Eating Contest

\$2 entry fee at Rick's Venture Foods booth in park. One who eats most equal slices of ice cold melon in 30 minutes wins \$75 cash first prize. Second prize is \$25 Rick's Venture Foods gift certificate. Third is \$20 Rick's Venture Foods gift certificate. Ice cold melon sold by slice, half or whole from 11 a. m. until dark.



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**2 p. m. Community Bingo**

25 cents a card, sponsored by Women's Division of Post Chamber, park.

**2 p. m. First National Frisbee Futurity,**

in Little League baseball park, trophies and ribbons, age divisions 6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15, 16-17 and 18 and over, distance and accuracy measured.

**2 p. m. to 7 p. m. Post Public Library Booth**

with free balloons for kids, free washout paint tatoos for kids, display of children's books, and signing up of youngsters for library cards.

**3:30 p. m. Free Afternoon Concert**

at bandstand in park, featuring group of Emmett Shedd, Joe Shedd, Steve Shedd, Danny Fumagalli and Keith Wilkes 3:30 to 4 p. m.; Georgie Willson, 4 to 4:30 p. m.; and group composed of Noel White, Morris Tyler, Bobby Cowdrey, James Aten, Paul Martin, Steve White and Lisa Cowdrey, 4:30 to 6 p. m.

**4 p. m. Beard Growing Contest**

sponsored by Post Chamber of Commerce with trophies for longest beard, ugliest beard, best groomed beard, and to the "one who tried the hardest."

**CONCESSION BOOTHS**

Popcorn and Cokes by Junior Class, Cokes by Gamma Mu, Homemade Ice Cream by high school and junior varsity cheerleaders, Snow Cones and Tamales by Holy Cross Catholic Church, Hot Dogs and Balloons by Post Rotary Club and Hot Dogs and Cokes by Church of God of Prophecy.

**5:30 p. m. Beef Barbecue**

begins, lines open to 7 p. m., \$2 per plate, also including potato salad, beans, onions, pickles and bread.

**6 p. m. to 10 p. m. Free Four-Hour Concert**

by "The Country Boys" of Snyder plus three other country music bands of Snyder alternating with them, bandstand in park.

**7 p. m. Awarding of all prizes**  
for day's events from bandstand.

**7 p. m. Benefit Raffle**

for 100 gallons of gas, sponsored by Post Lions Club, \$1 per ticket, park bandstand.

**Time Not Listed: Puppet Show**  
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**10 p. m. Free Fireworks Display**

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# 5 Dodgers named Little League all-stars



**BABE RUTH WINNERS** — The Babe Ruth League ended its regular season Saturday night with the awards ceremony following the game. First place trophy went to the league winning Braves. Shown l to r, back row, Coach Roy Sappington, Irving Price, Ronnie Price, Steve Curb and Mario Luna; front row, l to r, Gilbert Perez, Milton Williams, Chris Belongia, Felix Bustos and Daniel Gonzales. — (Staff Photo)

## Babe Ruth district pairings released

The Post 13-year-old Babe Ruth League All-Stars were scheduled to open district tournament play at 8:30 p. m. Monday night against Lamesa at Lamesa.

The 14-15 year old Babe Ruth All Stars will host their district tournament in the local park, the following week and will meet Lamesa at 8:30 p. m. Monday, July 9,

in their first rounder.

Both all star clubs were named at the trophy presentations Saturday night following the final league game.

Named to the 13-year-old all stars were R. J. Greathouse, Danny Valdez, L. D. Harper, Curtis Cline-Smith, Gilbert Perez, Tony Soto, Daniel Gonzales, Michael Valdez and Felix Bustos.

If you'll count them there are only nine players, just enough for a team, but those are all who are eligible because only nine 13-year-olds participated in the league play this year.

Selected for the 14-15 year old all-star squad were Roy Gonzales, Irving Price, Milton Williams, Mario Luna, Ronnie Price, Steve Curb, Chris Belongia, Paul Valdez, Tim Tannehill, David Foster, Brad Greer, Melvin Wynne, Jerry Hawkins, Dana Scott, Kevin Craig, Richard Cisneros, Mark Odum and Bill Black.

Richard Cisneros, who batted .458 for the season, was awarded the batting award Saturday night.

If Post 13-year-old all-stars win Monday night they are scheduled to play at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday against the winner of the Lynn County-Tri-City first rounder. If they lose they will play the loser of that same game at 6 p. m. Tuesday in the losers bracket.

The 14-15 year old tournament here next week will have exactly the same pairings with Lynn County meeting Tri-City Monday at 6 p. m. and Lamesa playing Post at 8:30 p. m. in first round play.

First round losers then would meet at 6 p. m. Tuesday, July 10, with winners playing at 8:30 p.

## 1st girl named one alternate

Five First National Bank Dodgers from the Post 1979 Little League champions were named to the league all-stars squad Thursday night in the awards ceremony winding up the league schedule.

But probably the biggest news about the all-stars selections is that for the first time every here a girl was named.

Deborah Martinez of the Red Sox was named as one of the two alternates to the 14-player all-star squad.

Dodgers named were Javier (J-Bird) Valdez, Greg Massey, Paul Perez, Sammy Basquez and Tommy Basquez.

Others named to the squad were Danny Storie of the Yankees, Scotty Cline-Smith of the A's, Curt Greer of the Tigers, Tracy Price of the A's, Mike Johnson of the Red Sox, Todd Angerer of the Cardinals, Tim Couch of the Cardinals and Danny Foster of the Tigers.

Simon Salinas of the Yankees was the second alternate for the squad besides Deborah.

John Valdez of the Dodgers will manage the all-stars with Manager Don Eilenberger of the runnerup Storie Gin Tigers as coach.

A player representing each of the six league teams were presented with sportsmanship trophies.

These included Greg Massey of the Dodgers, Donny Payne of the Tigers, Delton Osborne of the A's, Gregory Adams of the Yankees, Benny Hair of the Cardinals and Deborah Martinez of the Red Sox.

The team championship trophy was presented to the Dodgers as the highlight of the awards ceremony.

Little League officers were recognized including David Perez, president; Archie Gill, player agent;

and Dedra Adams, secretary and treasurer. Also recognized were minor league officers including Lonnie Peel, president; Cheryl Blair, vice-president and Margie Pennell, secretary.

Head scorekeeper Claudette Gill was also cited for her good work.

In the two games played Thursday night, the Yankees scored a 17 to 2 victory over the Cardinals with Danny Storie throwing a one-hitter in the four-inning game.

The Dodgers completed their league season undefeated by finishing their "lights out" game with the Red Sox with a 15 to 10 victory. The Dodgers were leading 12 to 10 going into the bottom of the fifth before the lights went out June 14.

They held the Sox scoreless their last two at bats Thursday night and tallied three times themselves in the top of the sixth.

## Tahoka wins 3rd straight

The Post Teenage baseball team suffered its third straight loss to Tahoka Saturday afternoon by a score of 8 to 5.

Mark Holly and Bryan Compton divided mound duties for Post, giving up but five hits but putting eight more runners aboard on walks and two others who were hit by pitches.

Tahoka got a run in the first on two hits and then scored four in the third after two were out, knocking out Holly and bringing on Compton.

Compton yielded the three winning hits in the fifth on three hits, two walks and a hit batsman.

## Braves run off with BR title

The Braves closed out the Post Babe Ruth League season here Saturday night, befitting the champions they are, by socking 10 hits for a 14 to 8 victory over the White Sox. When it was over they took the championship trophy home with them.

The Braves lost only one game in their four games each with the league's other two teams. It was strictly no contest as far as a league race was concerned almost from the very start.

The White Sox and Indians tied for second, or last place, with only two wins in seven starts. The Indians beat the White Sox 16 to 8 Thursday night.

Ronnie Price hit a two-run

home in the fifth inning of their final game after four consecutive hits in the first inning, including a double by Irvin Price and a triple by Steve Curb, had rocketed the Braves into a 4-1 lead.

The Indians scored seven runs in the fifth and five more in the sixth to route the White Sox Thursday night with Shortstop Kevin Craig getting two singles and a double for the winners.

BR STANDINGS

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Braves	7	1	.875
White Sox	2	5	.285
Indians	2	5	.285

m. No games will be played Wednesday with the losing bracket winner playing the winners' bracket loser at 7 p. m. Thursday, July 12. The championship game will be played at 7 p. m. Friday, July 13.



**LITTLE LEAGUE CHAMPS** — The First National Bank sponsored Dodgers won the Little League trophy during awards held Thursday at the Little League Park. Shown l to r, front row, Lupe Perez, Clifford Redman, Mike Bartlett, Roy Holly, Richard Curtis, Rodney Guthrie, and Mark Valdez; back row, l to r, Manager John Valdez, Greg Massey, Javier Valdez, Paul Perez, Sammy Basquez, Tommy Basquez, Elias Martinez and Coach Dickie Massey. — (Staff Photo)

## Dodgers win at Lubbock

The First National Bank Dodgers came up with two runs in the final inning to come from behind and score a 10 to 9 triumph over the Lubbock Dixie League No. 2 team Saturday afternoon to advance into the second round of the Lubbock invitational Little League tournament.

The Post Little League champs were scheduled to play again at 7:30 p. m. Monday at Western Field.

Post's other entry in the tournament, the Storie Gin Tigers, were eliminated Saturday afternoon by Southwest Lubbock champions, 31 to 3, as the Lubbock club slammed out a total of 28 hits and scored 20 runs in the top of the fifth to win going away.

Post didn't get a hit but scored three times in their half of the fifth on four walks.

In the Dodgers' victory Post trailed 9 to 8 going into the bottom of the sixth and their last turn at bat.

Pitcher Greg Massey, who went the route on the mound for the winners, led off the inning with a single. Javier Valdez walked and Clifford Redman singled Massey home with the tying run.

Rodney Guthrie walked to load the bases again. The Lubbock pitcher got a strikeout and Valdez was thrown out at home on Lupe Perez' grounder.

That left the bases loaded with two gone and Richard

Curtis, the last man in the batting order up. Curtis singled the winning run home and the game was over.

Redman got three singles in four trips and Massey two hits in four. Paul Perez walked four straight time as the leadoff man and scored three runs.

## Parents to play coaches

A Fourth of July double-header for the girls softball league is scheduled to start at 5 p. m. Wednesday at the softball park at Fourth Street and Avenue K., Joe Giddens announced Monday.

Any of the girls on any of the four league teams can play in the first game.

The nightcap will be between coaches and parents.

"We'll be through in time for the Fourth of July barbecue in the park," Giddens told The Dispatch.

## Teenagers drop first 2 games

Manager Boog Holly's Post Teenage team dropped back to back games to Tahoka last week for their first losses of the 1979 season after four straight victories.

That gives the club a record of four wins and two losses for the first half of their 12-game season in the three-team teenage league.

The locals bowed to Tahoka at Tahoka last Tuesday night 4 to 1 and then dropped the return game, 8 to 4 to Tahoka here Wednesday night.

The two losses came after Post defeated Slaton 7 to 2 here Sunday night, June 24. Leslie Looney went the

route against Slaton, striking out 12 and giving up but four hits.

First baseman Mike Kelly hit a homerun and a triple and scored three times. Post got only four hits but a flock of walks to get baserunners aboard.

Tahoka got four runs in the second to win the Tuesday night game on a walk, single, triple and error. Post got its run in the fifth.

Catcher Danny Gunn hit a first inning homerun with one aboard in the Wednesday night loss but that was about the only bright spot in the game for Post.

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**Molly Boat Is Prize**

The Garza County Junior Livestock Association as a fund raising project to help retire debt on new livestock pavilion will give away a Molly Boat, as pictured above, during the Post Stampede Rodeo in August. Tickets are \$1.

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# \$75 prize offered to watermelon champion

One of the "treats" of Post's Fourth of July celebration Wednesday will be a 30-minute watermelon eating contest with a \$75 cash prize to the winner.

Rick Loving, who operates Venture Foods here, completed details for the contest over the weekend.

The watermelon eating is scheduled to begin promptly at 2 p.m. at the Venture Food watermelon booth at the fair.

Second and third prizes of \$25 and \$20 in Venture Food gift certificates also will be awarded.

Loving told The Dispatch he plans to weigh out equal watermelon slices in advance of the contest, so everyone gets a fair shot.

The contest rules are very simple. There is a \$2 entry fee with no age limit on entries. The three prize winners will be the ones who eat the most watermelon in 30 minutes.

Those who plan to enter should pay their entry fees in advance of the two o'clock start because a late comer will simply start behind the field.

All watermelon will be ice cold.

The food store plans to sell ice cold watermelon in slices, halves or wholes from 11 a.m. to dark in the park during the Fourth of July celebration, with time-out for the eating contest at 2 p.m. when Loving hopes his watermelon tables will be filled with busy contestants.

# \$13,475 lost by veto for roads

Governor Bill Clements' line veto of county road funding by the state is going

to hit Garza County right in the pocketbook to the tune of \$13,475 which will have to be replaced from county tax funds.

County Judge Giles Dalby said other counties receive up to \$50,000 in state subsidy for their county road program.

Dalby pointed out that this won't affect the county until 1981 as the regular funding for the coming year is due to be received in September.

The loss will mean a cut in state funds of \$3,368.75 for each of the county's four road precincts.

The county judge said if there is a special session of the legislature efforts will be made to restore the funds.

On the brighter side of budget prospects is the fact that oil valuations in the county are expected to jump another \$4,500,000 this year.

But that doesn't mean the county will have any surpluses. In fact, Dalby predicts that fiscal prospects for the new budget, due to sizzling inflation, will be "closer this year than in any recent year."

While the county commissioners court has already held several "work sessions" on the new county budget, no totals are going to be added up until after the July 11 county equalization hearing when the court will find out how much in county property valuations it has to work with.



**MINOR LEAGUE PLAYER AWARDS** — Five Minor League players received player award trophies and one sportsmanship award was presented during the final game of the Minor League teams Friday night. Receiving the award trophies were I to r, Karl Gerner, sportsmanship, Dustin Ammons, Greg Benham, and Mike Wells, player awards. Not shown are Trey Jones and Lex Dunn who also received player awards. — (Staff Photo)

# Pair charged in holdup

Rudy Guerra and Joe Louis Gonzales, both 21-year-old Slaton youths, were released from the Garza jail here Sunday on \$5,000 bail bonds charged with the felony of aggravated assault.

They are charged with robbing Leonard Spencer at knife point of \$86 five miles southeast of Post on US-84 Saturday.

The two allegedly talked Spencer, address unknown, into paying half the gas for them to drive him to Dallas. They picked him up at the Lubbock bus station.

After stopping at one of their homes in Slaton, they filled up with gas with Spencer paying and then drove southeast on US-84 to the robbery point where they took Spencer's money at knifepoint and put him out of the car.

Spencer hitchhiked into

Snyder, reported the holdup and was returned to Post in a deputy's car. Garza officers then took him to the Slaton home where they had stopped on the trip down and Guerra himself answered the officer's knock. He then implicated Gonzales as his companion.

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# Blood unit here July 12

The South Plains Blood Services Mobile Unit will be in Post Thursday, July 12 at Garza Memorial Hospital from 2 until 5 p.m. for a blood drive.

The blood drive is sponsored by Garza Memorial Hospital.

At the present, blood requirements are approximately 80 pints per day and this is not consistent as blood needs fluctuate from day to day depending upon the number of scheduled surgeries and emergencies.

During the past two years, blood needs have increased by 40 percent.

South Plains Blood Services is a non-profit, medically sponsored organization whose sole purpose is to provide blood and its components to all local and area hospitals as it is needed.

Blood is taken on a voluntary basis only and there is no monetary value for the blood donation given. A blood donation is a

# Mrs. Thaxton rites Sunday

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Post Church of Christ for Mrs. Loree Thaxton, who came to Post as a young woman of 19 over a half a century ago to teach in the local schools.

Mrs. Thaxton died Thursday afternoon in the Twin Cedar Nursing Home after a lengthy illness. She was 72.

Mrs. Thaxton was one of the first speech therapists in this West Texas area and was also one of the first to be certified as such in West Texas.

She continued to work with persons of all ages in speech therapy until her final illness.

She taught in the Post schools, but completed her teaching career in South Texas following the death of her husband, C.R. "Si" Thaxton here Jan. 31, 1972.

Born in Bluffdale, Tex., April 29, 1907, Mrs. Thaxton came here as a teacher. She was married to Mr. Thaxton in May of 1931.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Helen Prather of Houston; three sisters, Alta Wood of Lubbock, La Verne Curry of San Antonio, and Helen Gilley of Lawton, Okla.; and three grandchildren.

Mrs. Thaxton was a member of the Eastern Star and the Post Woman's Culture Club and had been a member of the Church of Christ since childhood.

Robert Elliott, pastor of the Church of Christ, officiated for the funeral.

Pallbearers were Walter Boren, Ed Warren, Phil Bouchier, Carl Webb, Mason Justice, and J.D. McCampbell.

Burial was in Terrace Cemetery under the direction of Justice-Mason Funeral Home.

selfless act for the benefit of others in need of this precious, life-sustaining fluid.

Any man or woman age 17 through 65 years of age is eligible to give blood on Thursday, July 12.

# Public Notice

Southwestern Bell, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas effective August 3, 1979.

It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish a 6.09 percent increase in the company's intra-state revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas.



# Postings —

(Continued From Page One)  
Hotel recently, you're in for a surprise. David Newby has really given the historic old building a face lifting.

All the windows on the long east side of the building have been reboarded and painted. David began installing the new front door Saturday. When that is in and the front trim painted, the front is going to be awfully easy on the eyes.

David is planning to install shutters inside the front windows to hide the messy interior. In the fall, after his summer vacation at Grand Lake, Colo., David plans to build a wooden awning across the front and down the side of the old hotel to make it look almost like it used to look. He'll build as much awning as he has money left to finance.

As for the interior front part of the building, Newby says it will be remodeled to suit a tenant of any long term lease with the remodeling financed by a loan to be repaid from the lease payments.

Don't be too surprised either if in the next five years, the Algerita doesn't get a business tenant up front. In case you've forgotten, the Algerita is owned by the Garza Heritage Association of which Newby is president.

# Library to show movie

Seventy-two youngsters are enrolled in the Post Public Library's Summer Reading Club and each of them has read at least one book about Texas.

The theme of the summer program this year is a "search for Texas treasures."

Librarian Pee Wee Pierce announced today that the club program will end Friday afternoon, July 13.

Certificates to those who have read one or more books will be presented the young readers at 2:30 p.m. July 13.

At 3 p.m. a Hollywood movie, "Davy Crockett" will be shown free for the youngsters in the library as a reward for participating in the summer program.

# Golf event is planned

The Caprock Golf Course will hold a golf tournament July 7-8 for local golfers.

The tourney will be a two-man partnership low ball event with flights to be determined by the number of entries.

First, second and third place finishes will be awarded merchandise prizes and a player getting closest to the No. 8 hole will win a half of dozen balls and a sand wedge.

Entries fees of \$15 per man or \$30 a team has been set with the registration deadline Friday, July 6 at 8 p.m.

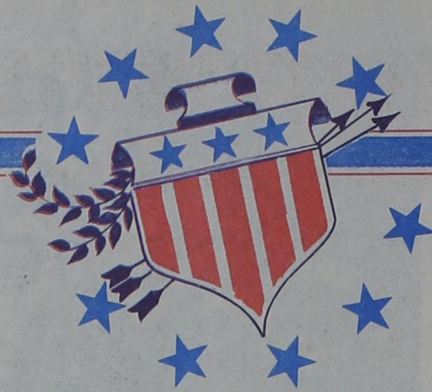
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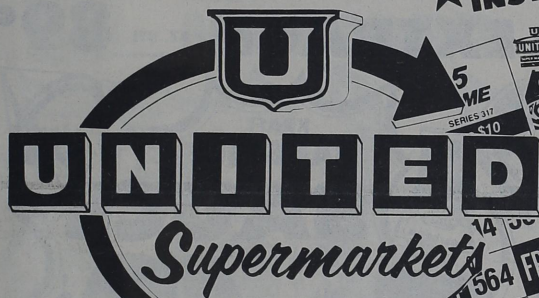
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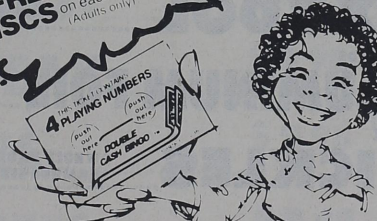
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**52 WAYS TO WIN**

**ODDS CHART**

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Odds Effective July 1, 1979				
Prize	Number of Prizes	Odds for 1 Store Visit	Odds for 13 Store Visits	Odds for 26 Store Visits
\$2,000	16	184,688 to 1	14,207 to 1	7,103 to 1
1,000	32	92,344 to 1	7,103 to 1	3,552 to 1
200	96	30,781 to 1	2,368 to 1	1,184 to 1
100	192	15,391 to 1	1,184 to 1	592 to 1
50	296	9,983 to 1	768 to 1	384 to 1
25	592	4,992 to 1	384 to 1	192 to 1
10	1,024	2,886 to 1	222 to 1	111 to 1
5	2,048	1,443 to 1	111 to 1	55 to 1
2	23,760	124 to 1	10 to 1	5 to 1
5 Stamp Bk	1,666	1,774 to 1	136 to 1	68 to 1
3 Stamp Bk	2,778	1,064 to 1	82 to 1	41 to 1
2 Stamp Bk	4,166	709 to 1	55 to 1	27 to 1
1 Stamp Bk	8,338	354 to 1	27 to 1	14 to 1
Total	45,004	66 to 1	5 to 1	3 to 1

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**BIG ONE COLD CUPS** ..... 18 CT. **69¢**

**MORTON ICE CREAM SALT** ..... 4 LB. BOX **33¢**

**OLD SMOKEY CHARCOAL** ..... 10 LB. BAG **\$1.29**

**HAWAIIAN PUNCH** ..... PRE-SWEETENED ALL FLAVORS 2 QT. CANISTER **39¢**

**FINE FARE VANILLA EXTRACT** ..... 4 OZ. BTL. **89¢**

**REG. OR SUGAR FREE DR PEPPER**  
6 BTL. 32 OZ. **\$1.59**  
PLUS DEP.



**WYLER'S LEMONADE MIX**  
8 QT. CAN **98¢**



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15 OZ. CANS **\$1.49**



**KRAFT BARBEQUE SAUCE**  
ALL FLAVORS 18 OZ. BTL. **49¢**

**UNITED TORTILLA CHIPS**  
REG. NACHO 6 1/2 OZ. **49¢**

**UNITED POTATO CHIPS**  
REG. ONLY 8 OZ. **49¢**



**OXYDOL** ..... 49 OZ. BOX **\$1.49**

**REYNOLDS ALUMINUM FOIL** ..... 37 1/2 FT. ROLL **79¢**

**HEINZ PICKLES** ..... •WHOLE PROCESS DILL •HAMBURGER DILL SLICES 32 OZ. **89¢**

**PACE PICANTE SAUCE** ..... 8 OZ. **59¢**

**BORDEN EAGLE BRAND MILK** ..... 14 OZ. CAN **69¢**

**SCHILLING SALT** ..... •GARLIC 3.87 OZ. •ONION 3.75 OZ. **59¢**

**Coca-Cola**  
32 Oz. 6 Bil. Carton **\$1.59**  
Plus Deposit



**RUSSET ALL PURPOSE POTATOES** ..... 10 LB. BAG **89¢**

**PEACHES** ..... LB. **49¢**

**RED RIPE CHERRY TOMATOES** ..... PT. **49¢**

**16 OZ. CELLO BAG CARROTS** ..... **2 FOR 49¢**

**AVOCADOES**  
**3 FOR \$1**

**RED ONIONS**  
LG. SWEET ..... **29¢** LB.



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- HOLSUM SALAD OLIVES 10 OZ. JAR 98¢
- LIBBY'S SLOPPY JOE BEEF 15 1/4 OZ. CAN 98¢
- HORMEL TENDER CHUNK •CHICKEN •HAM •TURKEY 6 3/4 OZ. CAN 98¢
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LB.

- BLADE CUTS CHUCK ROAST LB. 98¢
- UNITED TRUTENDR BEEF ROUND STEAK LB. \$1.98
- UNITED TRUTENDR BEEF RIB STEAKS LB. \$1.98
- FRESH FAMILY PACK GROUND BEEF LB. \$1.49
- WASTE FREE BEEF CUBED STEAK LB. \$2.69
- EXTRA LEAN CUBES-OF-BEEF BONELESS STEW LB. \$1.89

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- COLES GARLIC BREAD LB. 79¢
  - ORE IDA •REG. •W BACON •W ONION TATER TOTS 2LB. BAG 79¢
  - Morton Dinners MORTON DINNERS 59¢
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# PUBLIC NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
 COUNTY OF GARZA  
 STATE OF TEXAS  
 The Commissioners Court of Garza County make notice of a general budget and general revenue sharing funds hearings for solicitation of monies for the upcoming fiscal year 1980, to begin October 1, 1979 and end September 30, 1980. The hearing will be held in the commissioners' courtroom, 2nd floor of the Courthouse, Post, Texas, 79356 at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, July 9th, 1979. All persons interested,

that are eligible, should be present for the hearing with supportive solicitations to be considered by the Commissioner's Court. For the Commissioner Court  
 Giles W. Dalby  
 County Judge  
 2tc 6-28

**EXEMPTION NOTICE**  
 The Post ISD hereby announces that all persons are entitled to receive an exemption of \$5,000 from the market value of their residence homestead for the purpose of school taxes. In addition, all persons who are

65 or older or under a disability for purposes of payment of disability benefits under Federal Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance are also entitled to an additional exemption of \$10,000 from the market value of their residence homesteads for the purpose of school taxes.

To qualify for these exemptions, an application must be filed with the school district tax office by July 15. Application forms are available at the school tax office located at: 200 West 6th.  
 3tc 6-28



**SPORTSMANSHIP AWARDS** — These six players of Little League were awarded sportsmanship trophies during awards ceremonies held Thursday night at the Little League Park. Shown l to r, back row, Greg Massey, Deborah Martinez, and Gregory Adams. Front row, l to r, Donny Payne, Benny Hair and Delton Osborne. — (Staff Photo)

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**NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING**

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the School House in the Town of Post, County of Garza, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock A.M. on Thursday, the 12th day of July, 1979, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Post Independent School District, Garza County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1979, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

By Order of the Board of Equalization  
 Lee Norman  
 Chairman of the Board  
 Post Independent School District  
 Garza County, Post, Texas  
 28th day of June, A.D., 1979  
 2tc 6-28

**VISITS MOTHER**  
 A.C. Thomas and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hurt and two daughters visited recently with his mother, Mrs. Innis Thuett.

**CB IS STOLEN**  
 A CB radio was stolen the night of June 27 from the vehicle which Billy Pool had left in the United Super Market parking lot here unlocked. Sheriff Jim Pippin reported.

## Certification deadline for farms is July 16

All farms are required to certify, even zero planted farms if they have cropland, the Garza ASC office announced Friday. Peanuts, upland cotton, grain sorghum, sunflowers, and set-aside must be certified by July 15th. (Because the 15th falls on Sunday, July 16 will be the final date.)

Cotton acreage is binding after it is reported, and must have a disaster application filed before it is destroyed. A zero yield may be assigned in lieu of an appraisal under certain conditions.

Farms will be measured from aerial slides as all farms will be photographed. Measurement variance for NCA crops is one acre or five percent not to exceed 25 acres. The county committee may determine good faith effort above the five percent error up to ten percent. Penalty will be assessed and would be 1/4 of target price times farm yield times the over or understated program crop acres. A straight cotton farm with 500 lb. farm yield would pay \$72.00 an acre on erroneous acreage report.

Errors over ten percent must go to the state committee and it is doubtful they will be favorably considered. Such a determination will result in producers on that farm being ineligible for any program benefits.

Measurement service will be available at a small cost of \$11 for first slide and \$9.00 for each slide thereafter. After producer files request and pays the cost of measuring service, will

**UNDERGOES SURGERY**  
 Mrs. Susan Shaffer of Chamisal, N.M., underwent eye surgery Friday in the Espanola, N.M. hospital and was released Sunday from the hospital.

notify him when his acreage has been determined and he will have five days to call

at the county office and complete certification.

### Happy Birthday

- July 6**  
 Ruth Martin  
 Cheryl Martin  
 Mrs. Jack Kennedy  
 Mrs. Bud Everette  
 Jimmy Moore  
 E.R. Moreland  
 Deborah Kay Kemp  
 Leo Barker  
 Gayla June Miller  
 Ben Kirkpatrick  
 Brian Wheeler
- July 7**  
 Mike Bingham  
 Lacy Jolly  
 Marion D. Cruse Jr.  
 Dorothy Arhelger  
 Damon Lamar Bilberry  
 Robert Lee Mock  
 Gregg Haire  
 Robby Huestis
- July 8**  
 Charles Lynn Baker  
 Benny Clary  
 Harold Lucas  
 Mrs. Ira Farmer  
 Boyd Bowen  
 Paula Jo Foster
- July 9**  
 Mrs. L.G. Thuett Jr.  
 Skipper Sloan  
 Anne Harmon  
 A.J. Howell Jr.  
 Mrs. Ozella Hill
- July 10**  
 Judy Carol Norman  
 I.L. Chandler  
 Ann Hendrix  
 David Rivera
- July 11**  
 Mrs. Max Gordon  
 Jimmy Hundley  
 Travis Gilmore  
 Delwin Fluitt  
 Lois Rosenbaum  
 Wilma Jean Cary  
 Brandy Lee Bilberry
- July 12**  
 Terry Marc Lyman  
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## Remembering America

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- You never dreamed our country could ever lose.
- You left the front door open.
- You went to church and found spiritual consolation . . .
- People knew what the Fourth of July really stands for.
- You took for granted that women, the elderly and the clergy were respected.
- A girl was considered daring if she smoked in public.
- A girl was a girl.
- A boy was a boy.
- You didn't feel embarrassed to say this is the best country in the world.
- Socialist was a dirty word.
- The poor were too proud to take charity.
- You weren't afraid to go out at night.
- Protestants and Catholics thought enough of their beliefs to argue about them.
- Ghettos were poor neighborhoods.
- You knew the law meant justice, and you felt a little shiver of awe at the sight of a policeman.
- Young men tried to join the Army and Navy.
- You wrote love notes.
- Criminals went to jail.
- You bragged about your home, state and town.
- Politicians proclaimed their patriotism.
- Clerks or repairman tried to please you, or else.
- You had to be brave to fly.
- You could always find someone willing and able, whenever you wanted something done.
- Riots were in other countries.
- The clergy talked about religion.
- The flag was a sacred symbol.
- Our government stood up for Americans, anywhere in the world.
- A man who went wrong was blamed, not his mother's nursing habits or his father's income.
- Everyone knew the difference between right and wrong, even some professors.
- Things weren't perfect, but you never expected them to be.
- You didn't feel guilty enjoying dialect comedy.
- You considered yourself lucky to have a job.
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