

City and county will meet on 'law,' airport matters

The Post City Council voted Monday night to hold a joint meeting with the Garza County Commissioners Court in the near future to discuss law enforcement matters.

Sheriff Jim Pippin and Chief Deputy Donnie Walker appeared before the council at the March meeting to request approval (1) for the employment of a sixth deputy, (2) the purchase of a new law enforcement car by the city

with a "police power package", and (3) an annual clothing allowance for members of the sheriff's department.

Pippin told council members that the sheriff's department now is operating three cars, but only his own has the heavy duty "police equipment" and that the other two purchased from vehicles available at the time are having mechanical problems.

The city and county have been alternating in the purchase of the vehicles with two of the county's now in use and one of the city's thus making it the city turn to buy.

Pippin told the council that another deputy is needed to provide the community and county with adequate protection. While two deputies are now on duty at night on the weekend such assignments cannot be maintained

throughout the week due to lack of manpower.

As for the uniform allowance, a \$150 annual allowance is being proposed.

There was no real discussion of the requests by the council which decided to take them up at a joint meeting with the commissioners court.

Another subject sure to be taken up at the joint session is the city's refusal up to the present to pay a half share of improvements

made by the county to the county jail and law enforcement building to meet state jail standards and prevent the jail from being closed by the state jail standards commission.

County Commissioners Ted Aten and Herbert Walls appeared before the council Monday night to discuss the matter. The city held up payments totaling \$4,187.24 in December and January to the county on items the city figured to be jail

improvements.

The city's position is that it is illegal under state law for the city to pay for capital improvements on property owned by the county and have been so advised by Harvey Morton, its attorney.

Aten pointed out the city had agreed to share law enforcement expenditures on a 50-50 basis with the county and the improvements were required to keep the jail open for

benefit of the city.

After the county commissioners left, Mayor Pro-tem Bill Pool, who presided over the session in the absence of Mayor Giles McCrary who is in Africa, instructed City Manager Pete Maddox to check the invoices the city held up on and see if any of them did not involve capital jail improvements so that the city could pay these.

The city earlier had requested a copy of the

invoices on which payment was held up but had never received them from the county.

There were indications that council members were willing to work out a solution but only if the city could do so legally.

Another item ticketed for the joint meeting agenda was airport improvements to runways which the city wants to let on bids in the next few weeks.

City delays rate boost

The city council Monday night at its March meeting voted to suspend institution of the Southwestern Public Service Company's proposed 14.78 percent rate boosts for 120 days from April 4,

the effective date for the increases.

The suspension is to provide time to what action the Texas Public Utilities Commission takes on the proposed increases.

SPS manager Glen Barley appeared before the council to discuss his firm's first rate increase request in two years and to answer any council questions concerning it.

Barley said the increase is requested for three reasons: the high cost of money, inflation, and the fact the utility firm will have to almost complete its conversion to coal-fired plants by 1990 with only 20 percent of gas now being used permitted at the turn of the next decade.

He said Southwestern already has put two new coal-fired plants into service.

The council got into a discussion on transferring the cable TV franchise to High Plains Cablevision with Attorney Harvey Morton saying he has written seeking more information on the Omni Corporation, holding company of High Plains.

Morton told the council that the cable TV contract with the city calls for the payment of two percent of all service charge receipts to the city, and this would legally include proceeds from Home Box Office (See City Council, Page 14)

Morrel rites held Friday

Funeral services for Clyde Douglas Morrel, pioneer Post resident, were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday in the First Presbyterian Church here with its pastor, Rev. Tom Pass, officiating.

Burial was in Terrace Cemetery under the direction of the Hudman Funeral Home.

Morrel died about 5 p.m. Tuesday in University Hospital in Lubbock.

A native of Milford and a graduate of Austin College in Sherman, Tex., Morrel moved to Post in 1909 and was for many years a prominent business man and civic leader.

He was an original staff member of the First National Bank and served as director and vice president of that institution for about 25 years.

He helped organize the Graham Coop Gin and also helped organize and was a long time director of the Coop Oil Mill in Lubbock.

After his years of service with the bank here, he became business manager of the Slaughter Ranch.

Morrel was a member of the Masonic Lodge and had received his 50-year membership pin a number of years ago.

He married Johnnie Mae Shepard of Snyder Dec. 21, 1910. She preceded him in (See Morrel rites, Page 14)

Henry Wheatley is reported doing fine in St. Mary's Hospital (room 315) after undergoing an operation. Rotarians were told Tuesday he was already up and walking around — some.

Hooper Shelton of Rotan, (See Postings, Page 14)

Death takes Mr. Williams

Funeral services for Claud Williams, 85, of Post are pending at Hudman Funeral Home today. He died at his home early Wednesday morning. He was a retired farmer.

Born May 17, 1894 in Rockwall, Tx. he married Sara Burcham in Greenville, Tx., Dec. 13, 1916, and moved to Garza County in 1923.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, Curtis and Clifford of Post, Melvin of Center, Tx.; one daughter, Onieta of Post; three brothers, Bill and Charlie of Post and Earl of Lubbock; two sisters, Ollie Cooper of Post and Ruth Meirs of Lubbock; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Another \$100 to Bum's fund

The Caprock CB Club has donated \$100 to the new Bum Phillips Scholarship Fund.

"We hope that all of the local civic clubs will follow suit and make a contribution to the new scholarship fund so that some of those who are unable to help themselves to receive a higher education, club officials told The Dispatch.

The fund now stands at \$2,850.



SADDLE BRONC CHAMP — Jess Knight, shown above in the only picture The Dispatch has of him, won the saddle bronc championship of the big Houston stock show rodeo Sunday.

Wins \$6,000 plus prizes —

Jess Knight is Houston champ

Jess Knight, the Justiceburg cowboy who is back to riding saddle broncs on the pro rodeo circuit after recovering from a leg broken two years ago, scored his biggest win ever Sunday night when he became champion saddle bronc rider of the Houston Livestock Show rodeo in the Astrodome.

He not only won slightly

more than \$6,000 in prize money for his victory but these other prizes as well:

A saddle, buckle, six shirts, down coat, Stetson hat, a portrait to be painted of him aboard a saddle bronc, and jewelry.

Knight has been riding on the PCA circuit for about six years and the Sunday triumph was his biggest yet.

Both Garza, nationally —

Beef referendum is defeated

The "Beef referendum" proposal has gone down to defeat both in Garza County and across the nation.

Ranchers and stockmen decisively turned down the plan to collect \$40 million annually to promote beef via a checkoff of 20 cents per \$100 worth of beef sold. The money would have

been used for beef research, promotion and foreign market development.

Fifty-nine Garza producers registered for the referendum vote, but only 45 voted.

The ballots counted here last Wednesday at the ASC office showed 17 voted in favor and 28 against.

In Scurry County to the south the vote was 85 to 41 against the program.

According to the U.S. Agriculture Department, 231,032 cattlemen voted on the proposal with 65.4 percent, or 151,119, against the program and 79,913 or 34.6 percent in favor.

The plan was approved in 18 states and rejected in 32 states including Texas where cattlemen voted 23,902 to 7,888 against the plan.

Chamber breakfast set for March 14

A quarterly Post Chamber of Commerce membership breakfast will be held in the community center at 7 a.m. Friday, March 14 with the meal catered by Jackson's.

The First National Bank will sponsor the breakfast. Tickets are \$1. A drawing will be held for \$25 cash to be awarded if the member whose name is drawn is present. Door prizes also will be awarded.

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School board, city contests develop

Late filings have developed contests for both school board and city council seats this week.

Four have filed for the two school board positions.

Neither A.C. Cash nor K.W. Kirkpatrick has filed for reelection to positions 4 and 5 but there are now two candidates there for each position.

Edwin Lewis and Jim Prather have filed for position 4, and Prudencio Basquez and Dr. William Wilson for position 5.

Dr. Wilson told The Dispatch Monday he had filed that day for the school trustees and did not plan to seek reelection to the city council of which he is now a member.

Basquez ran unsuccessfully for the school trustees several years ago.

Dr. Wilson led the parents fight against drug use by young people two years ago and led a parent group to a confrontation with school trustees on school discipline that same year.

Neither Lewis or Prather have sought elective office before.

Max Chaffin in sheriff race

The Garza County Republicans will hold a primary

to.

The party has one party candidate, Max Chaffin has filed for the Republican nomination for sheriff.

The filing was with Republican chairman Giles McCrary. It was in advance of the filing deadline, Mrs. Mary Prather told The Dispatch Wednesday.

It just wasn't announced when it happened.

McCrary is on a trip to Africa. The Republicans plan a Texas presidential primary for their candidates. Whether the two will be held at the same time, The Dispatch didn't learn.

Hedrick due operation

Bil Hedrick, injured in an unusual automobile accident Feb. 19, is scheduled to undergo surgery Friday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Chief Deputy Donnie Walker told The Dispatch yesterday that the local woman told him in an (See Hedrick due, Page 14)

In the city council election, Jerry Riedel and Jack Ault entered the race this week to bring to five the number of candidates seeking the three council positions. The other three are

Ronnie Ammons, Jack Alexander and Jim Jackson.

Deadline for filing in both city and school board races was Wednesday, March 5, a few hours after this edition of The Dispatch went to

Benefit flea market and farm sale March 14-15

The Garza County Junior Livestock Association will hold a Flea Market and Farm Sale at the new show barn on the Lubbock Highway, Friday and Saturday, March 14 and 15. All proceeds of the sale will go toward paying for the new

show barn.

The flea market is open to anyone who would like to have a garage sale, a bake sale, to sell arts and crafts or anything you can put in a 10 by 10 rented space. The rent on the space will be donated to the showbarn

fund, but each individual may keep all proceeds of their individual sale. Clubs and organizations are also invited to rent a booth.

The farm sale auction will be held on a commission basis, which means the individual may book anything in the sale and will only be charged a commission on the sold item. The commission will be divided between the Livestock Association and the auctioneers, Herb Henderson and Associates of Wolforth.

The concession stand will be open both days and manned by the Garza County Extension Clubs, and Garza County 4-H families with all the proceeds going to the association. On Saturday, a noon meal will be served, consisting of ham and all the trimmings.

Anyone wishing to book sale items is asked to call Noel White, at 327-5344 or Jerry Bush at 495-3363 or any member of the Livestock Association Directors.

Everyone is invited to attend the flea market and auction sale.

City to fight phone boost

The Post City Council voted to pay up to \$600 and join with the Texas Municipal League and other cities served by General Telephone of the Southwest in fighting its proposed \$58

million rate increase before the Public Utilities Commission.

In its motion to participate in the rate hearings, the council included in its motion its desire to present testimony from residents of this city on the quality of General Telephone's service here.

A letter from Texas (See City to fight, Page 14)

Charlie Kiker rites held

Funeral services for Charlie Kiker, 79, of Post were held Saturday Morning, March 1 at 10:30 a.m. in the Trinity Baptist Church with Ralph White, pastor, officiating.

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

Kiker died at his home Wednesday, Feb. 27.

He married June Payne, Sept. 28, 1928 in Johnson County, Texas and moved with his family to Garza County in 1939 to farm. He later worked for the county until his retirement in 1966.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Charles Ray of Charlotte, N.C., William Wayne of Santa Maria, Calif.; four daughters, Jeanne Brown of Carlsbad, N.M., Mrs. Joyce Lynn Farina and Alice Kiker of Irving; Mrs. Diane Watts of Fairfax, Vir.; three brothers, I.M. of Abilene, Lewis of (See Charlie Kiker, Page 14)

Rites held for cancer victim

Isaac Gutierrez, 28, the cancer victim who in early February received \$1100 from a benefit pancake supper sponsored by the Post Rotary Club, died at 3 p.m. Sunday in Garza Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the Church of God of Prophecy (Spanish Speaking) with pastor Willie Rangel officiating.

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

Gutierrez attended Post schools and was employed by Postex Plant prior to his illness. He was married to Caroline Torres Sept. 29, 1974 in Lamesa, and was a member of the Church of (See Rites held, Page 14)

SPS files for rate increase

Southwestern Public Service Company last Thursday filed a request with the 66 cities it serves in Texas for an increase in its retail rates. The request, if approved, would increase Southwestern's revenues by 14.78 percent.

Information outlining SPS's needs was presented to city officials here Jan. 28.

Bert Ballengee, executive vice president for SPS, said the increase is needed for three primary reasons: inflation, the high cost of money and the cost of switching from gas to coal-fired power plants.

SPS also filed a similar request with the Texas Public Utility Commission for an increase in rates for the company's rural customers in Texas.

HBO is coming to Post via cable TV

Home Box Office (HBO), the nation's largest cable TV network, will be offered to viewers in Post beginning with a free trial from March 15 to 31, it was announced today by Jimmy Evans, manager of High Plains Cablevision.

According to Evans, HBO will be offered to all cable subscribers without cost or obligation for the 17-day

trial period so they can decide if they want to keep it as a regular part of their cable service. The price for HBO is \$9.95 per month, which is added to the regular monthly cable rate.

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decide. Anyone who does not want to begin paying for HBO in April can simply let us know and we will shut-off HBO at their home."

Evans adds that there will not be any installation charge for HBO because of the free preview. However, anyone who cancels after the preview will be charged \$15 installation if they ever

want HBO service restored.

In order to make room for HBO, Evans explains that KTVT will be moved on March 15 to Channel 9. HBO will be seen on Channel 3.

The HBO programming is made possible by the large satellite receiving station which is being installed in Post. The large "dish" on the receiver picks up TV

signals from an RCA satellite some 23,000 miles out in space, and relays the pictures over the Cablevision system.

"We hope everyone will take time to watch the HBO preview beginning Saturday, March 15," says Evans. "If anyone has any questions about HBO they can call Betty Looney at our office, 495-3127.

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1980 politics too expensive

The most amazing thing about the 1980 presidential campaign is the "horrible" amount of money the candidates have already spent for voter exposure.

The week of the New Hampshire primary, the very first one in a long, long trail until convention time, a survey of the candidates shows that virtually all of them, except President Carter, are broke.

For about 50 convention votes they have squandered something like \$30 million dollars (John Connally spent \$10 million and won one convention vote).

According to current campaign laws, by which taxpayers funds in sort of "matching quantities" are provided for this political extravaganza, the end is now in sight.

Each candidate now is looking at his limit on further campaign expenditures.

Carter has the advantage here. He has most of the national treasury at his disposal to win reelection. Thanks to the "hostage situation" which has degenerated into a mumbo jumbo as far as the United States efforts are concerned, Carter remains in the

White House which cuts his campaign expenses considerably.

His strategists can find federal projects to aid states with upcoming primaries and Carter has no trouble making "news" to keep his name at the head of the list.

He even embraced the U.S. Winter Olympics team in their triumph although he refuses to allow to the U.S. Summer Olympic team to compete in Moscow.

The way it looks from here, few Republican candidates can afford to stay in the race Senator Ted Kennedy is all but already "gone" just because of finances if nothing else.

When the campaign is over, we can only hope that sensible lawmakers will take another look at our new campaign financing law now that experience has shown it doesn't work.

In the last five weeks, the politicians have blown a whole lot of money which we doubt has done anything beneficial. It probably even fueled our runaway inflation a notch or two higher — at least in Iowa, Maine and New Hampshire.

Today's TV 'horror shows'

Cable television here in Post is about to offer local residents a program of late movies without commercials. What's more a 17-day free viewing period is offered.

This is the "pay television" we heard so much about only a few years ago and it comes to our West Texas town via satellite high in the sky. It certainly could be a change for the better from today's commercial television.

American television today has what you might call too strikes against it. One is too many commercials to distract the viewer. And the other is the aiming of most of the programming at the 10-year-olds' level.

The present night after night of slapstick comedy is quite distressing. Especially when all the stations and the three major networks all carry the same fare.

That's why the winter Olympics were so refreshing.

What television needs — and to where we hope it soon comes — is the recognition of diverse audiences and the effect to please each segment of that audience with various program choices.

One interesting development just over the horizon is the construction of an all-sports TV network. It may not be too long until one can follow a baseball team through its summer schedule just like we do the professional football teams.

Educational TV is so important because it dares to break the networks' monotony.

What amazes us the most about TV is that while virtually all intelligent people recognize the pathetic efforts of today's TV programming no network has the inclination to do anything about it.

Surely intelligent people offer as worthwhile a products market as do all those who might be better called "10 year old kids."

Speed solution nearing

The head of the state highway patrol announced Sunday that his officers will try new means and undertake new tactics to slow Texas traffic to a legal 55 miles per hour.

He indicated the troopers may use unmarked cars and even employ "slapped on red lights" like the New York television cops employed by which to give chase.

Texas must slow 30 percent of its drivers to the national speed limit or stand to lose some \$300 million in federal highway funds each year.

Detroit can be handed much of the blame for making powerful cars. But that is changing. Small, fuel saving imports are virtually taking control of the new car market in this country now while the sale of larger American cars has continued to fall rapidly from month to month.

One thing about four cylinder engines. Most of them aren't so quick, or so speedy.

In becoming fuel efficient the new small car doesn't burn up the highway either. Slowly, but surely, as the price of gasoline continues to rise, the final solution appears in sight. But it may take a few more years.



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10 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Helen Livingston is head of Community Center committee at Lorenzo Alexander Community Center; Tommy Young of Post Jaycees is elected state vice president; Don Davenport leaves for San Antonio Church; Mrs. Maxine Marks named vice president of Chamber of Commerce; Livestock show barbecue goes to school luncheon; Rev. Joe Vernon to head Rotarians; White River plant wins state award; Capacity crowd of 500 seen for sports banquet; Garza fair dates are March 12-14; Big Sunday night fire at home of T. A. Loyd touched off by candle; Sarah Vernon is Post Junior High spelling winner; Seven Post Does are all-district.

15 YEARS AGO

Chamber of Commerce purchases four Garza winners at livestock show; Chamber to issue tourist brochure; Rattlesnake program is presented to Jaycees; Post mixed choir wins sweepstakes; Miss Diane Maxey is honored with shower in Graham Community Center; Mrs. Tillman Jones, 'Mrs. Culture Club' is honored at Texas Heritage program here; 8th Birthday for Marshall-Brown's; Post track team to Stephenville for Saturday meet; Ronnie Pierce on third team, all-state; 13 new members in Honor Society.

25 YEARS AGO

D. C. Arthur resigns to take college post; Forrest Lumber Co., which has built more than 40 houses here in

the past five years, announces plans to build 10 more on lots west of Garza Memorial Hospital; Post Girl Scouts begin week-long celebration; Post Jaycees make plans to reactivate; Sgt. F.A. Taylor is 25,000th separatee from Army at Fort Benning, Ga.; 248 Garza County 4-H members to observe National 4-H week; San Angelo coach Max Baumgardner speaks at football pep squad banquet; Culture club honors Girl Scout troop with tea.

Two new WTG field wells

Garza added two new WTG Exploration, Inc. produces this week in the WTG field, 10 miles north of Post.

They are the No. 3 Post-Montgomery, which produced 127 barrels of oil daily plus 47 barrels of water from a 3,178-3,246 foot interval, and the No. 5 E. W. Williams, which produced 89 barrels of oil daily plus 44 barrels of water from a 3,150 to 3,262 foot interval.

One new location also was reported — Palmer Oil Properties No. 3 I.N. McCrary, 12 miles east of Post which will be drilled to 3,000 feet.

CORPUS CHRISTI VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bush spent the weekend in Corpus Christi with Mr. and Mrs. Dan McMaster's and Diana. Also visiting the McMasters were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fluitt and Debra Taft from Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fluitt of Edinburg and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Fluitt, Shawn and Heather, and Mr. and Mrs. Bo Dakas and Roman Dakus of Corpus Christi.

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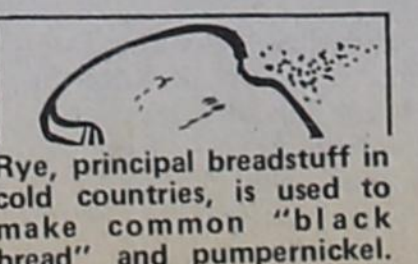
The PTA members wanted to do something nice for our teachers and a luncheon was suggested. When we started to get it together, it turned out to be quite a job. We were worried not enough food would be donated, but the response surprised us all and enough food to feed 81 teachers, officials, staff and board members, plus the people who helped were fed. We thought we'd have enough left to feed 30 teachers who weren't there Wednesday, but there was nothing left. Could be because it was delicious, ladies! So we had to get back on the phone and more parents volunteered and we did it again Thursday.

A letter from PTA headquarters was sent to all teachers and one paragraph sums up what the Post PTA stands for. PTA works with schools to provide quality education for children and youth, recognizing that the legal responsibility to make decisions has been delegated by the people to the board of education. We in no way infringe upon teachers duties and fully leave all the educational teaching to the personnel of the school, but are available to help when called upon by them. With communication comes understanding and cooperation.

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FOR RENT: 3 bedroom house for rent! Delwyn Hodges. 512 West 13th. 1tp 3-6

Help Wanted

WANTED: Driver Ed Instructor for summer session, June, 1980. Contact Superintendent Alvis at the Southland I.S.D. for more information. Phone (806) 996-5339. 2tc 3-6

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FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with sunken den and 2 fireplaces; large fenced backyard. 1209 W. 10th. Shown by appointment only. Call 495-3336 after 6 p.m. tfc 9-27

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage house. 8311 Geneva in Lubbock, south of the loop. 2577 after 7 p.m. 1tc 2-28

FOR SALE: 6 room house, can be moved, or torn down. Call Spence Bevers 996-5432. 2tp 2-28

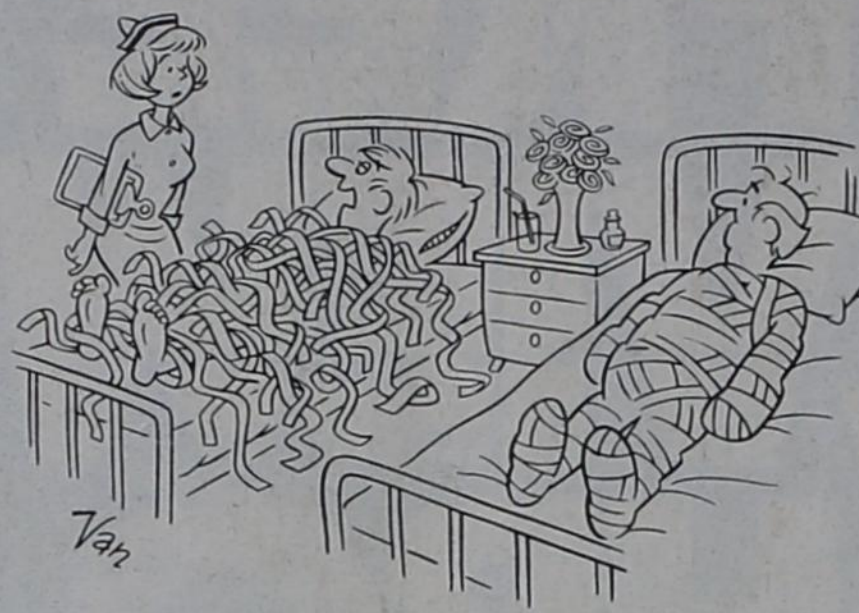
FOR SALE: Nice clean home for sale, approximately 1580 square feet; 3 bedroom; 2 bath; large living room and kitchen; just painted; 2 car carport; on two lots; backyard fenced; storage building; fruit trees; pen for pte. Call 3603 for appointment. tfc 11-28

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Public Notice

BID NOTICE
 The Southland Schools are receiving bids to March 10, 1980, for the sale of a 1965 Ford pickup which may be viewed at the school in Southland by prospective bidders. For any additional information desired, Supt. Tom Alvis may be reached at 806-996-5339. The school reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 2tc 2-28

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For Sale

FOR SALE: 1940 H Farmall Tractor, good condition. See at Post Machine Shop, Clairmont Highway or call 2736 or 3237. tft 2-28

FOR SALE: 12 foot aluminum boat, 7 1/2 hp. gas motor, 12 volt trolling motor, camper shell for long, wide bed, needs small repair, best reasonable offer. 410 West 11th. 495-2593. 2tp 2-28

FOR SALE: 1976 Chevrolet rear-end and truck bed. Call 495-3102 or 793-6925. tfc 12-20

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Thank You

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the people of Post for the kindness shown to us through food, flowers, memorials, calls, prayers, cards and visits during the brief illness and loss of our beloved Mother, mother-in-law and grandmother. All who knew her, loved her, and her love for people will be remembered always. A very special thanks to the nurses of Garza Memorial Hospital, Dr. Wilson, Bro. Ashworth and Dee Justice. We thank God for beautiful friends like you and love each of you in a very special way. May God's richest blessings be with you.

The Family of Mattie Hays
 Mr. and Mrs. James Hays and family
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 Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hays and family
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hays and family
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Propst and Pam
 Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Hays and Cody
 Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Hays and family

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our friends who shared in our sorrow in the loss of our dear husband, father and brother, Howard Teaff.

To Brother Reece and Brother Morgan Ashworth for your visits, prayers and the beautiful service. To the VFW for the beautiful Memorial Service at the cemetery.

To the choir and musicians for the beautiful music tribute. All was deeply appreciated.

To Dee and Janet for their kindness and concern.

To you who served the dinner at the First Baptist Church and brought food to our home, the beautiful flowers, memorials, cards, love and prayers, made our sorrow more bearable and will be remembered always.

May God Bless each one of you.

Mrs. Howard Teaff
 Howard Lee Teaff
 Brothers and Sisters

Thank you to each one who met our needs and comforted us in our sorrow. Each prayer, deed, and thought is gratefully accepted and appreciated.

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For Rent

Have trailer space for rent. One full lot. Call 495-3705.

We the juniors and teens of the Post Church of the Nazarene would like to thank all the mothers who baked for the bake sale and all the people who bought something or donated money to help us to get to Abilene. We appreciated it very much. Thank You.

The Juniors and Teens of The Post Church of the Nazarene

We wish to express our gratitude to all the friends and neighbors of Charlie Kiker for all the love, respect and support you have shown during our time of sorrow.

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 Charles Ray
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 Diane

Thank you very much to the Close City Gin for purchasing my heavyweight Cross-Bred Hog. It was your support and that of many others that made this year's Garza County Junior Livestock Show such a success.

Tommy Payton

Garage Sales

INSIDE HOUSE Rummage sale: Lots of men, womens and childrens clothes. Other miscellaneous. Friday and Saturday 9 to 5. 215 West 12th. 1tc 3-6

GARAGE SALE: 3 family garage sale, all sizes clothing; miscellaneous items; good used carpet; Friday only. 109 South Avenue Q. No early callers! 1tc 3-6

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LUBBOCK — The trigger is about to be pulled on raw cotton imports under the "import trigger mechanism" written into 1977 farm law. Thus the sometimes heated controversy over possible effects on U.S. cotton prices should soon be settled.

The law provides for a U.S. raw cotton import quota of about 500,000 bales beginning whenever the average of U.S. spot prices for any month exceeds 130 percent of the previous 36-month average.

USDA has reported that the special import quota will be opened up if spot prices for grade 41 staple 34 cotton in February average 78.45 cents per pound or higher. Officially USDA is expected to announce the February average on March 3. But since the average for the first three weeks of February was 81.02 and daily quotes since that time have been above 80 cents, there's little room for doubt that the 78.45 cent level will be exceeded.

So beginning some time in March, U.S. textile mills in the aggregate will have 90 days in which to import up to a 21-day supply of cotton, calculated to be around a half million bales.

Those who have urged against this provision of the law since 1977, primarily producers, have based their objectives on the belief that, when triggered, the import provision would put a ceiling on prices for U.S. cotton.

Other producers and producer groups, including Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, have maintained that U.S. prices would never reach 130 percent of the previous three-year average until there was a tight supply of cotton worldwide. Therefore, they contend, U.S. interests will be unable to find any substantial volume of foreign cotton for sale at a price which, plus freight, is below the U.S. price.

Despite the possibility

that a small volume of cotton in qualities unavailable from U.S. suppliers may be imported, the consensus in the trade and among other observers at this point seems to side with the latter argument.

For example the respected Cotton Outlook magazine, published in Liverpool England, said in early February, "There is of course little likelihood that cotton will be imported into the U.S. in large volume since offers from elsewhere are by no means plentiful."

However, as PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson observes, "all we can do at this point is speculate. The market, as always, will make the final decision."



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The proposed changes in rates will affect all customer classes and are designed to increase the Company's gross annual revenue derived from local service by 37%.

A complete set of revised rate schedules has been filed with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and is available for public inspection in each of the Company's Business Offices in the State of Texas. A summary of the Company's rate filing has also been sent to the Mayor's Office of each affected municipality.



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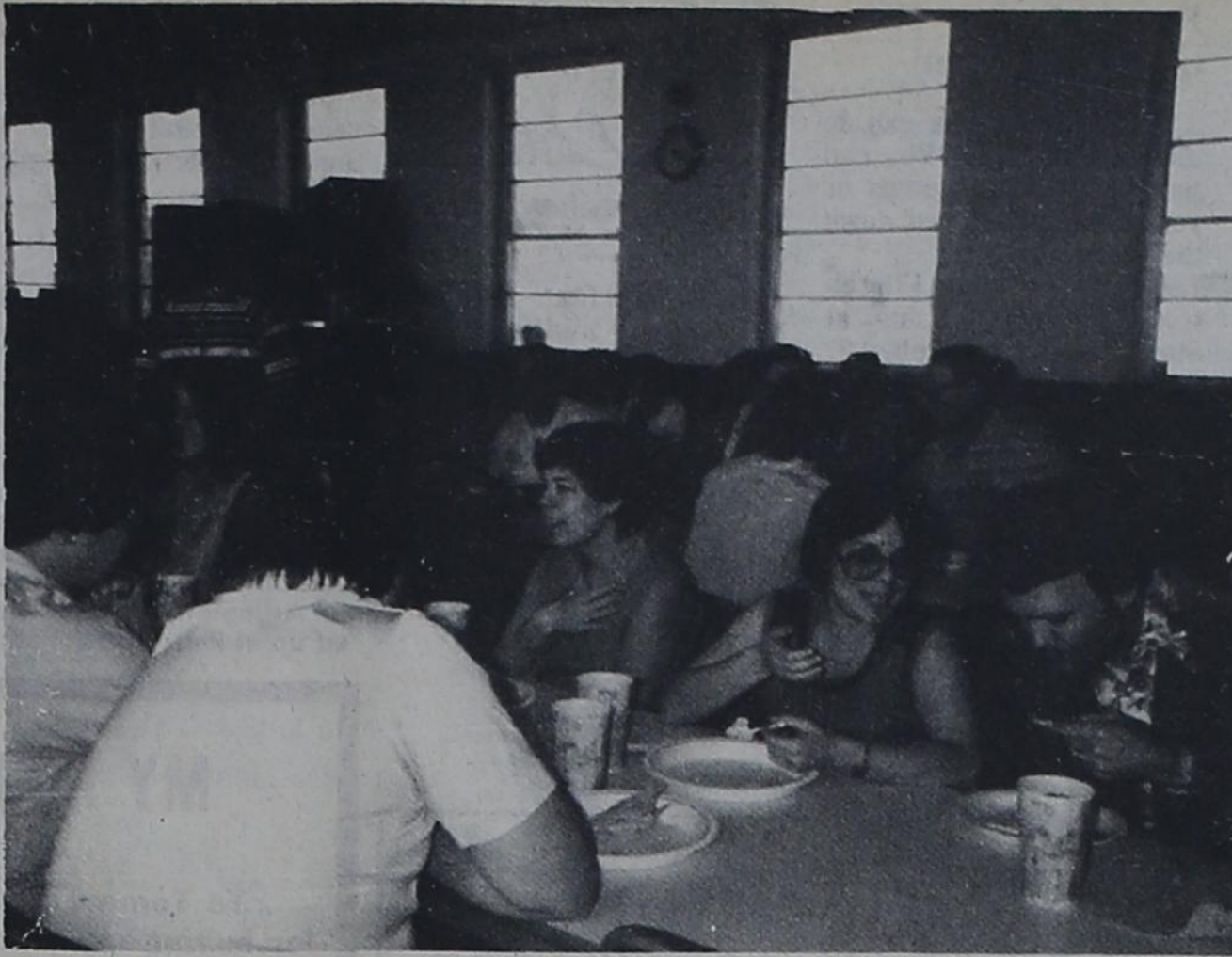
ROBBY WILLIAMS

PTA honors school staff with salad luncheon

The Post Parent-Teachers Association on Wednesday, Feb. 27, treated teachers, staff, administrators, and school board members to an appreciation salad luncheon in the school cafeteria. Approximately 80 guests from the schools attended the luncheon. PTA members and other volunteers supplied the

food. Approximately 30 teachers who were absent Wednesday from the work day because they had gone to an instruction session on teaching reading were served Thursday in the primary building. PTA special guests at-

tending were Mrs. Elsie Smith, president of PTA district 14; Mrs. Alice Temple, vice president of the Lubbock County PTA and aide to Mrs. Smith; and Mrs. Marilyn Brown, vice president elect of the Lubbock County PTA.



APPRECIATION LUNCHEON — Shown above are some of the teachers, staff and School Trustee Mike Flanigan at the appreciation salad luncheon given by the PTA in the school cafeteria.

Needlecraft club served luncheon

A delightful George Washington Celebration luncheon was served by Minnie Graeber to the Needlecraft Club members and guests on Feb. 22 at the Graeber home. The buffet table, laden with food, was centered by a pink carnation flower arrangement. Cherry pie dessert climaxed the bountiful feast.

The Rev. Don Travis captivated his audience with his songs of olden days and gospel hymns, accompanying himself on guitar.

A silent prayer time was observed by the group for Mrs. Sadie Storie, long time member of the club.

Mrs. Graeber led the guests in playing the game, "Who Am I" which proved to be hilarious, as each one tried to guess the identity of the others.

The program concluded with Mrs. W. B. Little relating her experiences in Sydney, Australia, where she attended a convention for china painters, and also her teaching painting in Perth for two weeks. Many interesting sidelights on her trip into Israel provided the audience with thought provoking ideas.

Members attending were: Bessie Bowen, Katherine Johnson, Eula Evans, Lucy Callis, Katharine Cathcart,

Dorothy Travis, Helen Richards, Zella Webb, Maxine Marks, Alma Hutto, Selma Kennedy, Linda Malouf, Marcylee Demming, Opal Williams, and the hostess.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Little and Necia Rogers of Lubbock, Joy Parker, Eula Mae Dodge and Ethel Shields of Amarillo, Hazel Lewis of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Stone, Rev. Don Travis, Roberta Heron, Mr. Boone Evans, Ruby Kirkpatrick, and Virginia Rachael and Mrs. Hoffman of Midland.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. David Woods announce the birth of a son, Samuel Aaron, born February 29, at 12:53 p.m. in Garza Memorial Hospital. He weighed 9 lbs, 1 1/2 ozs.

Riley and Mandy Holly announce the birth of their brother, Davis Ryan, born February 29 and weighing 7 lbs., 10 1/2 ozs. The parents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Holly.

Weather stripping is one of the easiest and least expensive ways to save energy in the home.

Mrs. Marks to state meetings

The Garza County Historical Commission met Tuesday in the Bank Community Room. Mrs. Maxine Marks was selected to represent the GCHC at the annual meeting of the Texas Historical Commission and Texas Historical Preservation Conference to be held in Corpus Christi in April. Mrs. Marks will also attend the Moody Texas Heritage

Project Conference while there.

In a report from the Museum Association, it was learned that guidelines for the sales shop in the Museum have been established and operations begun. The shop is now open 9-12 and 1-3 daily Monday through Friday, and features hand crafted items, historical objects, books and other items of interest to the collector. Funds generated from the shop will be used toward museum operating expenses.

The Garza County Historical Commission voted to purchase books to be donated to the Museum Shop for sale.

A descriptive list of Historic Sites and Markers in Garza County will be updated, and made available to tourists through the Chamber of Commerce Office and the local museum.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. Marks, Ruby Kirkpatrick, Frank Runkles, Lottie Shelton and Vada McCampbell.

Program is about Japan

Pearl Storie gave a program on Japan to the Woman's Culture Club when it met Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 3 p.m. in the women's clubhouse.

Mrs. Storie gave a very informative resume on the background resources and religion of Japan.

Mrs. Consie Thuett, a guest of the club who had visited Japan a few years ago, told some interesting sidelights of her trip. She had some beautiful artifacts with her. Also she showed slides that were enjoyed by all.

Those present were Mmes. Buena Bouchier, Lillian Potts, Linda Malouf, Estelle Davis, Ruby Kirkpatrick, Ruth Duckworth, Peggy Ellis, Pearl Storie, Maxine Marks, Ruth Young, Beulah Pickett and guest, Mrs. Consie Thuett.



SPECIAL GUESTS — Special guests at the PTA's appreciation luncheon for teachers Feb. 27 were, left to right, Mrs. Marilyn Brown, Mrs. Alice Temple, and Mrs. Elsie Smith, PTA officials from Lubbock.

Music Club hears WTC students

Jani Womack and musical students from Western Texas College at Snyder presented the program at the Post Music Club, member of the National Federation of Music Clubs, Tuesday evening in the First United Methodist Church.

Selections included "Don Giovanni" and "Finch al dal Vno" by Mozart, "E Luee Van da Stella" and "Visse Darte" by Pucini, and the "Toreodor Song" from Bizit's opera Carman.

At a short business meeting presided over by Mary Ann Gordon, club president, the club voted to assist Rhonda Rodgers with the summer European tour by providing her with pocket calendars authorized by the National Federation of Music Clubs which the public can purchase during the month of April.

The club collect was read and minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Those attending included members Phil and Rhonda Alford, Mary Ann Gordon, Mary Prather, Ruby Kirk-

patrick, Boo Olson, Sue Shytle, Linda Lewis, Sylvia Evans and Andrea Willard, and guests, Jane Womack, Martha Fagin, Noel Nease, Sheryl Burk, and Gary Miller.

Home economist presents program

Miss Emily Cauhape, home economist, for Pioneer Natural Gas will present a program for Graham Extension Homemakers on Friday March 12, at the Graham Community Center.

All persons are invited to attend this free demonstration.



ENGAGEMENT — Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rodriguez of Lubbock announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Patty, to Mark Williams, of Wichita Falls, son of Mrs. James Dooley of Post. A March 15 wedding is planned in Wichita Falls.

March studies on home colors

Decorating home interiors with color will be the program for county Extension Homemaker groups in March. Color schemes will be discussed by trained leaders.

The clubs will meet the following dates and places: Close City EH Club, Tuesday, March 18, at 2:30 p.m. and you must contact Hooter Terry for the meeting place; Graham EH Club, Friday, March 7, 2 p.m. in the Graham Community Center; Barnum Springs EH Club, Tuesday, March 25, 7:30 p.m. at the courthouse.

80th birthday is celebrated

Innis Thuett celebrated her 80th birthday with her children, grand children and great-grandchildren, Sunday in her home.

Those present for the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. John Drake, Michael, Whitney and Steven, Mrs. Larry Noland, Bert and Ashley, all of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. M.D. Benton from Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Thomas from Wink, A. C. Thomas from Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Thomas and Haley of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. David Nichols, and Radley, Leroy Holly, Riley D. and Amanda all of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Tol Thomas, J.J. from Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. Wagoner Johnson from Post.

The group attended Church Sunday and filled 2 1/2 pews.

Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Thuett, Jr., Mrs. Betty Young and Mrs. Willie McBride.

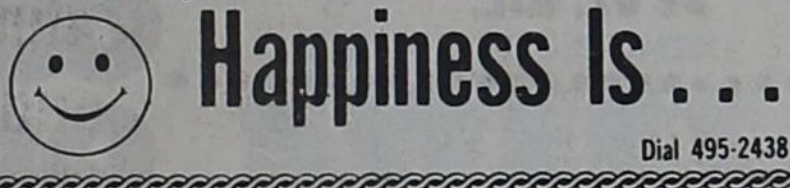


ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED — Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Polk announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cindy, to Johnny Wayne McKibben, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McKibben of Tahoka. The couple plan a June 7 wedding at the First Baptist Church in Post.

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Farm Topics

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How to take a soil sample in yard or garden, step by step.

Taking a soil sample is not a difficult or complicated job if a few basic "do's and don'ts" are followed. Soil tests can be only as accurate as the samples on which they are made. Proper collection of soil samples is extremely important. Chemical tests of poorly taken samples may be actually misleading.

Here are three basic steps in the selection of site and actually taking the sample:

1. Take one soil sample from the lawn and one from the garden.

2. The sample should be taken from over all the area. This can be done by taking a small amount of soil from 5 to 10 different places. Place these in a clean container (plastic bucket, paper sack, etc.) Mix thoroughly and take approximately one pint for

the composite sample.

3. When taking the small samples, use a spade, soil auger or soil sampling tube. Scrape the litter from the surface. To use an auger or tube, make the boring six inches deep in the soil. To use a spade, dig a V-shaped hole and take a one-half inch slice of soil from the smooth side of the hole. Repeat in 5 to 10 different places.

When the sample has been placed in the sample box, the box should be numbered to correspond with the number on the soil sampling sheet. Be sure to keep a record of sample numbers and where they were taken. These sample boxes and information sheets are available in your Post Extension office.

The Sample, along with the information sheet should be mailed to the Soil Testing Lab, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Presbyterian ski team has 'fun'

Skiing is fun. You can do almost everything. You can jump over small humps or you can be going fast down the mountain.

The Presbyterian Church took ten people skiing at Sierra Blanca Feb. 27 through March 2. They skied for about seven hours on both Thursday and Friday. Shannon Adkins bumped his chin against his knee.

They also saw the movie "Going in Style" and looked around the ski shops.

"I had a good time, but it sure hurts when you fall down," said Giles Dalby.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

Big Springs State Hospital has \$102,000 available for the placement of children (12 & under) into private psychiatric hospitals. If any Dispatch readers can identify any children who may be in need of inpatient care, please feel free to contact me for more information.

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has been named to head the '80 Spring Bike-A-Thon campaign in Post.

William J. Kirwen, St. Jude's Development Director, made the announcement and said more information will be forthcoming concerning the date, place, time, etc.

"We are proud to find such a dedicated person for this important task," Kirwen said. "St. Jude Children's Research Hospital offers hope to stricken children everywhere that would not be possible

without such volunteers".

"St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is the only research center dedicated exclusively to the study and conquest of catastrophic diseases of children. Its work, particularly in leukemia and other childhood cancers, has been internationally acclaimed and cited as a leading example for basic and clinical research."

"Since Danny Thomas

opened this institution in 1962, his dream of conquering the deadly diseases of childhood has continuously been brought closer to reality. Mr. Thomas is still the very active president of this organization and inspires us in this cause," Kirwen said.

If anyone would like to help with the 1980 Bike-a-thon, please contact Miss Ratliff or Linda Ratliff at 495-2182.

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Public Notice

Southwestern Public Service Company, pursuant to law and the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of its intent to apply for a general rate increase affecting all classes of its retail consumers in the county of Garza whose rates are subject to the original jurisdiction of either the municipality of Post or the Public Utility Commission of Texas. A copy of the Company's statement of intent and proposed tariffs has been filed with said municipality and said Commission.

The revised tariffs are proposed to become effective April 4, 1980. Applied to all affected consumers in the 31 counties comprising the Company's Texas service area, they will increase the Company's retail operating revenues by approximately 14.8 percent.

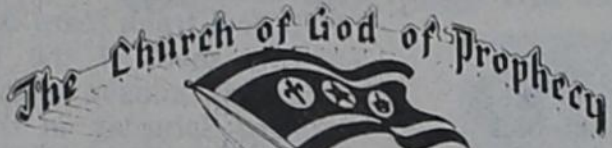


SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE

Lunchroom Menus

LUNCH
 Monday, Spaghetti with meat sauce, blackeye peas, cabbage slaw, special K cookies, cornbread and 1/2 pint of milk.
 Tuesday, taco, lettuce, pinto beans, apple fritters and 1/2 pint of milk.
 Wednesday, chicken fried steak with gravy, green beans, whipped potatoes, jello with fruit, hot rolls and 1/2 pint of milk.
 Thursday, Bar-b-que on a bun, baked beans, buttered corn, pineapple cobbler, home made buns and 1/2 pint of milk.

BREAKFAST
 Monday, cold cereal, peaches and 1/2 pint of milk.
 Tuesday, oatmeal, Bacon, toast, orange juice and 1/2 pint of milk.
 Wednesday, apple fritter, pears, 1/2 pint of milk.
 Thursday, rice, toast, sausage, grape juice and 1/2 pint of milk.
 Friday, cold cereal, orange and 1/2 pint of milk.



Psalms 60:4

Sunday School 9:45 am Sunday Evening 6 pm
 Bible Study 7 pm Tues. Wed. Evening 7 pm
 602 West 14th St. Post
 Pastor Leon Flemmer — 495-3474

Floydada has rabies cases

The Floydada-Dougherty area has been hit by a real rabies scare with the state laboratory in Austin confirming a second case of rabies in a "two striped skunk."

No humans or pets apparently have been infected as yet in the area. Trappers have been advised to take precautions when skinning coyotes. Cat and dog owners have been encouraged to have their pets vaccinated.

Post Veterinarian Larry Mills told The Dispatch Tuesday that the state law requires owners of dogs and cats to have their pets vaccinated by the time they are four months old and that thereafter the pets should receive annual booster shots.

Dr. Mills said local folks need to become aware of the danger and secure necessary vaccinations before the threat moves into this area and a sudden emergency is created.

Huntley Nursing Home News

Every Wednesday, Patsy Craig conducts a Bible study at our home. Her lessons provide us thoughts for the week. Our thanks to her for the time she spends with us.

Exercise to music is fun and we do this three times a week. Besides being fun, it is very beneficial. Not many people get the exercise they need with the busy schedules we follow.

We enjoyed the movie "Skating Rink" Feb. 22, and the movie, "The Popcorn Lady" Feb. 29. Popcorn plus a movie means a good time for all.

Winners at bingo Monday were Bonnie McMahon, Henrietta Nichols, Vivian Hall and Iva Sanders. Prizes were fruit. We invite all of you to come play bingo with us. Some of us can't see as well as we used to, and a helping hand would be welcomed.

We have been busy in Arts and Crafts this week. We are working on decorated waste cans, paper

flowers, decorated vases and quilted lap robes.

Calvary Baptist Church made our dining tables very attractive. They brought us flower name tags for our tables. Our thanks to this group for being so thoughtful.

There are a lot of nice young people in Post. This was demonstrated to us again when Post Middle School made flag decorations for our residents. It made our day brighter.

We want to thank Socorro Storie for the beautiful pot plant and Hope Robinson and Etta McMahon for donations to our craft program.

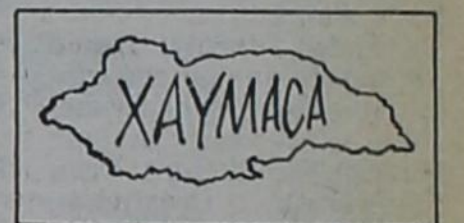
Our Sunday Devotional was brought to us by the Methodist Church. We enjoyed the singing and the message. Our thanks to all the Churches that make it possible for us to have services at our home.

Mrs. Innis Thuet celebrated her 80th birthday Sunday at her home with 5 of her 6 children. Mr. and

Mrs. M. D. Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas and children from Hereford, A. C. Thomas from Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thomas and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wagoner Johnson accompanied Mrs. Thuet to church and had lunch with her at her home. Many more happy birthdays to you Mrs. Thuet.

Our employees have turned artists with our Nurse "No No" Contest. They really put some thought in their pictures. Winners are Frances Nalls first place, Johnnie Wilson second place, Honorable mention to Elizabeth Huffman, Betty Ribble and Opal Rudd.

Until next week, a wise saying from a wise little lady, Winnie Rogers told us a smart man changes his mind many times but a fool never does.



Jamaica's Indian name Xaymaca means "island of fountains."

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12 schools in Antelope Relays Saturday

New track to be inaugurated

Post High School will inaugurate its new all-weather track Saturday by hosting the first annual Antelope Relays.

Eleven other schools have accepted invitations to participate in the relays with all but one of them, Crosbyton, bringing their girls' track squads as well as their boys track teams.

Athletic Director David Thompson announced that participating schools besides Post will include Lorenzo, Ralls, New Deal, Petersburg, Crosbyton, Frenship, Roosevelt, Idalou, Lockney, Cooper and Friona.

Preliminaries will begin at 9 a.m. with finals scheduled to get under way about 2:15 p.m.

Trophies will be awarded the champion and runnerup in both boys and girls divisions. Plaques will be presented relay team winners and medals for first through third places will be given in individual events.

"We're hoping for good weather," Thompson told The Dispatch. He said everyone is invited to come out and watch the competition. There will be no admission charge.

A concession stand will be provided.

Athletic Director Thompson said the Post Junior High relays will be held the following Saturday, March 15.

Those will be the only two track events held here during this spring track season.



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Doe tracksters to open season

Doe Track Coach Sonja Curry says this week she is looking forward to a good track season for the local girls with 12 candidates working out regularly and five meets already on the spring schedule.

The Does will open as hosts in the girls division of the first annual Antelope Relays here Saturday on Post's new all-weather track.

Remainder of the girls' schedule includes an Odessa Relays, March 14-15; Coahoma March 22; Lorenzo, March 28-29; and the 5AA district meet at Seminole April 3.

Track candidates include

Darla Jackson, Tina Greene, Monique Claborn, Charlie Dalby, freshmen; Sheryl Anderson, Trushell Marts, Jerri Baumann, sophomores; Dee Dee Redman, Marinette Hays, Amy Thuett, and Luann Kennedy, juniors; and Donna Baumann, senior.

Coach Curry said at present these are the event assignments:

440 relay: Amy Thuett, Tina Greene, Dee Dee Redman, and Marinette Hays.

880 relay: Amy Thuett, Luann Kennedy, Marinette Hays and Trushell Marts.

Mile Relay: Hays, Sheryl Anderson, Redman and

Kennedy.

100 yard dash: Monique Claborn, Thuett, and Greene.

400 meter run: Claborn, Darla Jackson, and Charlie Dalby.

220 yard dash: Redman, Claborn and Greene.

880 yard run: Kennedy, Anderson and Jerri Baumann.

Mile: Marts.

Long jump: Marts, Greene and Hays.

Triple jump: Marts, Greene, and Hays.

High Jump: Donna Baumann, Kennedy and Claborn.

Shot and discus: Jerri Baumann, Dalby and Jackson.

18 are out for Post Antelope track

Coach Lane Tannehill has 18 candidates working out regularly for the Post High School track team with the first meet of the 10-meet spring season coming up here Saturday in the first annual Antelope Relays.

Ten lettermen are returning — Rance Adkins, Jackie Ayala, Lance Dunn, Mark Holly, Drew Kirkpatrick, Alonzo Luna, Deb Palmer, Walter Perez, Lynn Simpson and Leslie Willard.

Of the ten, five scored points in the 1979 district meet. They include Ayala, Holly, Kirkpatrick, A. Luna, and Perez.

Events in which the team members will compete are:

Adkins, hurdles, mile relay; Mike Anthony, weights; Jackie Ayala, sprints and sprint relay; Dunn, half mile and quarter mile; Roy Gonzales, mile and hurdles; Jerry Hawkins, hurdles; Holly, 880, sprint and mile relays.

Kirkpatrick, hurdles, sprint and mile relays; A. Luna, 440, sprint and mile relays; Mario Luna, weights; Billy Martinez and Palmer, weights; Perez,

mile; Frankie Saldivar, mile; Simpson and Mike

Prayer breakfast to be Saturday

A prayer breakfast will be held in observance of World Day of Prayer at the Church of God of Prophecy located at 14th and Avenue O Saturday morning, March 8 at 9 a.m.

Ladies of the church welcome all ladies of the community who are interested in prayer to come and take part.

Guest speaker for the program will be Mrs. Maudie Wood of Littlefield who will be speaking on "Prayer."

Sullivan, weights; Willard 880 and mile; and Barry Wyatt, hurdler.

The remainder of the spring schedule: March 15, Tornado Relays at Lamesa,

March 22 Canyon Reef Relays at Snyder; March 29-29, San Angelo Relays at San Angelo (overnight trip); April 4, Reunion Relays at Stamford; April 11-12 5AA

district meet at Denver City; April 18-19, regional meet at Denver City; April 25-26 Region I meet at

Lubbock; May 3, state qualifiers meet at Lubbock; and May 9-10, state meet in Austin.



Congressman

Charles W. Stenholm

Congressional Comment

WASHINGTON, D.C. — In today's world, it often seems that everything influences everything else. The current state of the U.S. economy and our lagging defense capability indicates the need for significant changes if we are to meet the challenges which lie ahead. There is no question that a healthy economy and a strong defense are inter-related, and are of vital concern to our national security.

Following the end of World War II, the U.S. emerged as the undisputed leader and spokesman for the "Free West." At that time, the U.S. had unequalled productive capacity, economic strength, and a seemingly endless supply of resources within our own borders. Through short-sighted policies, however, we have failed to maintain this position of prominence. As a result, we are experiencing high inflation, a dependence on unstable foreign energy sources, and an inability to deal with the global and political events which are threatening our national security.

Energy is, perhaps, the most serious issue facing the American people today. Current policies have tended to prolong our dependence on foreign energy sources, and have discouraged incentives for more domestic production. Short-sighted policies have prevented the U.S. from developing alternate energy sources, have failed to

stockpile energy reserves, and have done nothing to reduce consumption of precious energy supplies. No one will dispute the importance of maintaining and guaranteeing our oil supplies, and this can best be accomplished through the use of a strong defense, which can only be provided through a strong economy.

President Carter has proposed increasing defense expenditures by 4 1/2 percent a year in real terms (or beyond the rising costs which have occurred because of inflation) for the next five years. I think it is noteworthy that defense expenditures in the U.S. in real terms, have been lower in recent years than at any time since before the Korean War. Some will ask how our economy can possibly afford more government spending on defense, but not on social programs. The answer is simple: the survival of the country is not threatened by the scope or effectiveness of our social programs — it is threatened by our inability to provide for an adequate defense.

The United States can use its economic and military power to strongly influence the behavior of those who control foreign energy sources. In years past, great powers have guaranteed themselves their supply of essential materials by using their economy to support a strong military force which was willing to assure access to foreign resources. Our own economic strength can provide us with the capacity to do the same thing. Considering the present state of world affairs, the only option available is to provide for an increase in defense expenditures; this, in turn, will help to guarantee our national security.

Classified advertising has to be in The Dispatch office no later than late Tuesday afternoon.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Gov. Bill Clements promised voters he would improve relations with Mexico, and he apparently is working to comply on that issue.

Last week the Governor escorted visiting Mexican Gov. Manuel Bernardo Aguirre of Chihuahua around the Capitol and Austin. The two officials reportedly discussed a variety of issues, including illicit drug flow, energy, tourism, agricultural and beef imports and other economic developments.

Both Clements and Aguirre are cattlemen and Chihuahua is a major cattle producer and beef exporter to the U.S.

Aguirre is the second Mexican border governor to visit Clements this year.

Touring around Austin is not the only traveling Clements is planning for his near future.

The Republican governor, who has said he will do anything to defeat President Jimmy Carter, said last week he will spend about \$50,000 traveling extensively throughout the state and nation with an anti-Carter message.

That news prompted Texas Democrats to speculate Clements is really going off on a campaign to win the vice presidential nomination for his party. Should his fel-

low Texans John Connally and George Bush deadlock in their efforts to get the top spot on the ballot, Clements would be a likely compromise choice for a winner — Reagan for example, seeking Texas and regional votes.

A spokesman for Clements said that wasn't the case, and two days later announced the plan had run into snags.

Clements' top political fund raiser Jim Francis said a provision in federal election laws might force Clements to give up the trip idea.

Since the Governor plans to spend more than \$1,000, he would have to file with the Federal Election Commission, as he had intended all long. However, the com-

mission interprets federal law to mean that Clements would have to stop spending independently once he has consultation with any presidential candidate.

The legal problems are being examined, apparently with an eye on continuing as planned.

New Hampshire Fallout

What will happen to two Texas Republicans following former California Gov. Ronald Reagan's primary victory last week in New Hampshire?

George Bush, despite earlier caucus wins, is not going to pull a sweep to the national Republican convention — he placed second behind Reagan.

And former Texas Gov. John Connally, who gained only two percent of the New Hampshire vote, is suddenly fighting a "loser" image, a new twist in his political career.

Connally reportedly is banking on a comeback in the March 8 primary in South Carolina.

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CB Club discusses Jamboree plans

The Caprock CB club discussed plans for its annual jamboree for Muscular Dystrophy when it met Sunday at 1 p.m. in the community room.

A free barbecue for those who attend the Aug. 17 event is planned. Anyone who would be interested in donating their time for entertainment may contact Marie Bartlett at 495-2523.

The club voted to donate \$100 to the Bum Phillips Scholarship Fund at its business meeting.

The group enjoyed a covered dish luncheon before the meeting.

The club will present the

member who sells the most main door prize tickets an inscribed Silver Eagle D-104 Mike. The runnerup will receive a \$15 check.

Three new members were accepted into the club, Alfred Lingnau, Larry Ford and Connie Halford.

Members present were Robert and Marie Bartlett and children, Jake and Mary Baldree and children, Barbara Torres and children, James and Dora Halford, Freda Schronk and son, Connie Halford, Daisy Redman and sons, and Carolyn Halford.

The next meeting will be held Sunday, April 13.

Happy Birthday

March 6
Cynthia White
Kathleen Yarbro
Mrs. Everette Windham
Robert Mareau
Lance Mathis
Sofie Martinez

March 7
Kay Peoples
Jay Bird
Mrs. H. L. Patty
Glen Norman
Mamie Hamm
Mason McClellan

March 8
Mrs. Gene Kennedy
Don Jones
Mrs. R. B. Dodson
Mrs. Candy Cash
Karen Calloway
Mrs. Jane Gordon
Don El Dale
Judy Alice Jones
Scottie Lee
Tim Pettyjohn
Willie Ann Harper

March 9
Dee Caffey
Mrs. Lester Josey
Mrs. L. H. Tittle
Lee Cobb
Jeff Yarbro
Tonya Baker
A. J. Payne
L. B. Pate
Preston Leake
L. D. Harper

March 10
Rheba Propst
Larry Lusby
Mrs. Ann Bishop
Auey Lee McBride
Mrs. Clovis Hudman
Jo Ellen Miller
Dorothy Sparlin
Judy Davis

March 11
Starls Kim Huffaker
Kerry Jan Proffit
Lanny Lynn Blacklock
Mike Waldrip
Bobby Baker
Sheila Warren
Alonzo Luna

March 12
Dalton Copple
Zelika Tuck
W. C. Graves
Mrs. Billy Hahn
Clay Cowdrey

Former Postex manager dies

Funeral services for Claude H. Bailey, a retired manager of the Postex Plant, were conducted Feb. 26 in the Malcolm-Stone Funeral Chapel in Gladwater, Tx.

Bailey, who was 83, died Feb. 23 in Amarillo following a lengthy illness.

Burial was in Gladwater Memorial Park.

Bailey was a former resident of Gladwater, having lived there from 1964 to 1978.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Clarence Potter of Amarillo, Mrs. Raymond Gatzki of Slaton and Mrs. Guy Harrison of Irving; a son, Claude Bailey, Jr., of Amarillo; two brothers, Tom Bailey of Meridian, Miss., and Henry Bailey of Mobile, Ala.; a sister, Mrs. Myntice Powell of Meridian, Miss.; seven grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Robt. Compton retires Mar. 1

Robert B. Compton of Levelland, former Post resident, retired from Amoco Pipeline Company March 1 after more than 34 years of service.

Born at Temple, Compton graduated from Mexia High School. He joined the pipeline in 1945. He served in a number of positions, including machinist and crew clerk, in central and west Texas before transferring to Levelland. He worked there as a Technician II for the past 11 years.

Compton served four years in the U.S. Air Force during World War II, being discharged as a sergeant. Mr. and Mrs. Compton will continue to make their home at Levelland after his retirement.



The great Duomo Cathedral of Milan, begun in 1386, contains the world's largest stained glass windows.

Eagle Roundup

SOUTHLAND SCHOOL NEWS

Field Trip Taken to Odessa
Southland's sophomores, juniors, and seniors attended a performance of William Shakespeare's play "Julius Caesar," presented in the Globe of the Great Southwest in Odessa Feb. 28.

Twenty-eight students and four sponsors attended the play. The sponsors were Supt. Tom Alvins, Rodney Warren, Ms. Jo Ann Martin, and Mrs. Laura Jo Wheeler.

The Globe of the Southwest is a replica of Shakespeare's original Globe Theater in England.

Volleyball Tournament
Southland's Annual Volleyball Tournament is scheduled for March 13-15 in the school gym.

Games will begin at 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday and will continue all day Saturday. The tournament is sponsored by the Booster Club. Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students. A concession will be open.

New National Honor Society Members

Three new members were initiated into the National Honor Society Feb. 26 in the school cafeteria.

The new members are Cynthia Wheeler, junior, and Sherri Alvis and Dennis Becker, sophomores.

Other members are David Becker, Connie Buskemper, Debra Crawford, Gena Farquhar, John Valdez, seniors; and Stacie Callaway, Cindy Courtney, and Teresa Nelson, juniors. Coach Sharon McIlroy is the sponsor.

Eagles Win Bi-District
The Southland Eagles won Bi-District Beb. 26 by defeating Sundown 62-55 at Levelland.

Thirty-seven of Southland's 62 points were scored by twins Perry and Gerry Hill. Gerry led Southland's attack with a game high of 20 points. Perry scored 17 points. Sherman Daugherty, a senior, helped with his 8 points. Chris Flores and Freddie Lucero, also seniors, had 7 and 6, respectively. David Becker had 4 points, and Adam Rodriguez also saw action in the game.

Eagles Defeat Western Hills
The varsity boys rolled over Western Hills 78 to 38 Feb. 22 on the homecourt. The Eagles were led by Gerry Hill with a game high of 27 points. He was followed by Perry Hill with 17. Sherman Daugherty pumped in 14.

The tiny island of Iona in the Scottish Hebrides is known as the "blessed isle" because it was the center of Celtic Christianity.

THANK YOU

I would like to say thank you to all the donors to the Jackpot for purchasing my 4th place steer. Your continued support of the Garza County Stock Show is greatly appreciated.

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COMMUNITY Potluck Supper

7:30 pm Saturday, March 8
Graham Community Center
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- Register to win \$500 Gift Certificate. Person that describes Hollon's the best will receive the prize. (to be announced March 31)
- Special Drawings every 15 minutes, win valuable gifts for your home.

IN STORE EVENTS

- 6:00 Reopening Registration and Welcome Scheduled Entertainment
- 6:15 First Quarter Hour Prize Drawing Decorator Seminar - Lea Howell - "Give Your Room a Facelift"
- 6:30 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing
- 6:45 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing
- 7:00 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing Scheduled Entertainment
- 7:15 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing Decorator Seminar - Syd Moore, A.S.I.D. "Balance Your Room"
- 7:30 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing
- 7:45 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing Scheduled Entertainment
- 8:15 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing Decorator Seminar - Susan West, A.S.I.D. Assoc. "Decorating On a Budget"
- 8:30 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing
- 8:45 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing
- 9:00 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing Scheduled Entertainment
- 9:15 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing Decorator Seminar - Lea Howell - "Give Your Room a Facelift"
- 9:30 Quarter Hour Prize Drawing
- 9:45 Grand Prize Drawing
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General Telephone Files for First Statewide Rate Changes Since 1976; New Rates Should Be More Equitable

For the first time since the Public Utility Commission of Texas began regulation of Texas telephone companies, General Telephone Company of the Southwest is asking for rate changes designed to produce about \$58 million in additional annual local revenues. Because this case is being filed on a statewide basis, adhering to statewide rate making principles, there is no "average" increase we can quote for an "average" customer. Increases will vary from community to community. Rates for all General Telephone customers in Texas will be affected, but there will be no changes in long distance rates. Here is our case:

Alternative 1: Downgrade customer service.
You don't need us to tell you prices have gone up. But the price for phone service hasn't gone up as much as you may think. In fact, you may easily spend more on coffee for coffee breaks than you do for a month of basic local service. Contrast that with the prices you pay for shoes and sugar or gasoline and hamburger. Or contrast it with what we pay for poles, wires, cables, etc. We can't sell 1980 service at 1976 prices...and stay in business.

Alternative 2: Defer plant and equipment additions.
We've already done that...or as much as we possibly could. Texas has been experiencing unprecedented growth and that's nice, because growth is healthy. The trouble is we have had to spend (and borrow) unprecedented amounts of money (at unprecedented interest rates) to provide the facilities to meet that growth. And the dollars we spent in 1979 and will spend in 1980 don't buy as much as they used to. They don't even buy as much as they did the last time we had increases in rates - 1976. We've had customers tell us, "Look, my service is fine. Let it stay the same until 1999, just leave the rates alone." Sounds great, but it's not that simple. Even if it were possible, we'd still be spending millions each year just to maintain what's out there now. Practically speaking, however, we can't stand still. The rules under which we operate say we must meet all reasonable service requests in a timely manner. Telephone equipment is complex and it can't be put in overnight. With the way Texas has been growing and the way inflation is rampaging, some days it seems as though it will take all the running we can do and all the dollars we have just to stay in the same place. The engineering and construction work we do (and pay for) today determines the quality and quantity of service tomorrow.

Alternative 3: Let our shareowners' investment deteriorate.
Everyone loves this answer...except the shareowners...and they may be you directly, or indirectly, if you have a pension plan, life insurance or own mutual fund shares. Realistically, however, shareowners have to earn a reasonable return on their investment. Otherwise, they don't invest. Would you? It was yesterday's investment money which bought the equipment serving you today and today's investment money is needed to buy the equipment to serve you tomorrow.

Alternative 4: Ask our employees to give up justified wage increases.
Our employees are skilled and dedicated and we need them. To cut costs by denying them justified increases would be counterproductive. We must pay competitive wages and benefits to attract and hold employees with the skills and productivity we need. As Texas grows, we'll need even more. If we lose or can't find quality employees, your service could suffer.

Alternative 1: Downgrade customer service.
You expect phones to work as close to 100 percent of the time as is possible and when phone service is out, you want it fixed. Fast. We agree. And you don't want to wait to get service to begin with, no matter how fast Texas grows. We also agree. Therefore, we can't let service deteriorate simply because costs of providing it increase. In fact, from our point of view, service in some spots could stand improving...and we ought to know: we've been in this business a long time. But improvements cost money.

So what's left?
That's pretty obvious: a rate increase. But it won't happen right away. It's not that simple and it isn't automatic. Most businesses, if their costs go up, simply raise their prices or drop the service. We are a regulated utility and even when we aren't receiving enough money for service, we must continue providing it and keep on doing so until we can

prove to the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) that we're in financial need. Only then can we plead our case for a rate increase. What's more, it takes time before we receive authority to increase rates. By then, inflation may have lowered the buying power of the dollar enough so we're right back where we started or worse.

The tax collector wins
We're asking for about \$58 million in additional annual local revenues, half of which will go to increased taxes. Just about half of any increase we ever get goes to increased taxes.

About those varied increases
We can't give you an "average" increase for an "average" customer. Increases are going to vary, literally, all over the map of Texas. The chief reason is a shift from city-by-city rate-making to statewide rate-making. When this shift is completed, you will be paying rates based on the number of telephone numbers you can call without a long distance charge. We think you'll find this system fairer to all.

No increase is popular
We know you aren't going to like an increase in phone rates. In today's economic climate, we don't blame you. We don't like it, either. We also didn't like the astounding increases in electricity, gasoline, telephone equipment, taxes, interest rates, etc., we've faced over the last few years...but we've had to pay them.

We're consumers ourselves
We're trying to be as open and aboveboard as we can. There's nothing hidden about our operations and we aren't some giant out to gouge the consumer. We're consumers ourselves and we're doing our best to protect you and your phone service...and to keep the rates for it within everyone's reach.

We'll talk and listen
So, there it is. We've got to earn more money and raising rates is our only choice. If you have questions about your individual service rate, call your local business office or your division manager. Division managers are listed in the front of your phone book. They'll even help arrange speakers for your club or organization. We're all people you can talk to...and we want to keep you talking.

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Cotton price moves higher

LUBBOCK — Cotton prices moved higher during the week ended Feb. 28 after fluctuating widely, according to Paul R. Dickson, area director for the Texas High Plains Cotton Division Offices. Trading was slow to moderate while demand was light to moderate most of the week. High Plains growers sold mixed lots of mikes 30 - 32 around 1575 points over 1979 loan rates, up 50 points from a week earlier. Mixed lots of mostly mikes 27 - 29 brought around 1350 over 1979 loan, up about 225 points, Dickson said. Lubbock's Marketing Services Office graded about 19,500 samples in the week ended February 28. This brought the season's total to 2,448,000, according to USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service. About 1,894,000 had been classed by the same date last year.

Courthouse News

Marriage Licenses
Erineo L. Botello and Maria V. Botello Vergara, Ronnie Jewel Parrish and Ruby Faye Hall Elmore, Johnny Milton Robison and Betty Lou Grandstaff Dixon.

Oil, Gas and Mineral Leases
Virgil Fred Long, Verna Dell Long Baxter, Carol Jean Long Grigsby, Walter Arda Long and wife, Jewell Maud Long to Duane Magee and Co. a 471.9 acre tract of land being the West 1/2 of Southeast 1/4 of Sub-division "A", Isaac Scott Survey, Abstract 454. Save and except a 10.91 acre strip of land 30 feet in width off the South, East and North sides.

Norma Jean Reeder, joined by her husband Ted Reeder, individually and as trustee for Roy Long, to Duane Magee and Co. a 471.9 acre tract of land being the West 1/2 of Southeast 1/4 of Sub-division "A", Isaac Scott Survey, Abstract 454. Save and except a 10.91 acre strip of land 30 feet in width off the South, East and North sides.

Ruth Ann Long Young, joined by her husband Tommy Young a 471.9 acre tract of land being the West 1/2 of Southeast 1/4 of Sub-division "A", Isaac Scott Survey, Abstract 454. Save and except a 10.91 acre strip of land 30 feet in width off the South East and North sides.

Velma Long Brown, a married woman dealing in her sole and separate property to Duane Magee and Co. a 471.9 acre tract of land being the West 1/2 of Southeast 1/4 of Sub-division "A", Isaac Scott Survey, Abstract 454. Save and except a 10.91 acre strip of land 30 feet in width off the South, East and North sides.

Don W. Long, joined by his wife Marcille Long to Duane Magee and Co. a 471.9 acre tract of land being the West 1/2 of Southeast 1/4 of Sub-division "A", Isaac Scott Survey, Abstract 454. Save and

except a 10.91 acre strip of land 30 feet in width off the South, East and North sides.

Edgar E. Long, dealing in his sole and separate property, to Duane Magee and Company a 471.9 acre tract of land being the West 1/2 of Southeast 1/4 of Sub-division "A", Isaac Scott Survey, Abstract 454. Save and except a 10.91 acre strip of land 30 feet in width off the South, East and North sides.

Ray Langford and wife Joy Langford to Duane Magee and Company a 296.8 acre tract of land, more or less, in the East 1/2 of Section 701, Certificate No. 257, Abstract 346, TT RR Co. Survey.

William G. Henderson, dealing with his separate property and Edith Henderson, a widow to Marcul L. Oquin, All of South 1/2 of Section 59, Block 6, H & GN Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 168, containing 320 acres of land more or less; all of North 1/2 and Southwest 1/4 of Section 60, Block 6, H & GN Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 1013, containing 480 acres more or less; all of S 150.5 acres of Section 807, Block 97, H & TC Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 220.

Henry T. Lester and Wife, Jean F. Lester to Marcus L. Oquin, all of S 1/2 of Section 59, Block 6, H & GN Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 168, containing 320 acres more or less; all of N 1/2 & SW 1/4 of Section 60, Block 6, H & GN Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 1013, containing 480 acres more or less; all of S 150.5 acres of Section 807, Block 97, H & TC Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 22.

Lucille Sims Richardson, dealing with her separate property to Marcus L. Oquin all of Section 808, Block 97, H & TC. Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 1016.

William W. Sims, dealing in his separate property to Marcus L. Oquin all of Section 808, Block 97, H & TC. Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 1016.

James S. Sims, dealing with his separate property to Marcus L. Oquin all of Section 808, Block 97, H & TC. Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 1016.

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Ed Kelly Sims to Marcus L. Oquin, description same as above.

David C. Sims to Marcus L. Oquin, description the same as above.

Robert Mosbacher; Emil Mosbacher, Jr. and wife, Patricia Mosbacher to Threshold Development Co. all of Section 8, Abstract 1057, Block 2, T & NO Rr. Co. Survey, Containing 640 acres more or less.

James S. Sims dealing with his separate property to Marcus L. Oquin all of Section 808, Block 97, H & TC. Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract 1016.

Middle School cast named

Tommy Payton plays Red Chief and Mike Gwinn and Jim Rainbolt are cast in the roles of the kidnapers in Post Middle School's UIL play "The Ransom of Red Chief". The UIL one-act play competition will be at Roosevelt Junior High April 24 at 9 a.m.

The play is from a short story by O. Henry and is about a rebellious lad who is kidnapped by two con men. Using his wild imagination, the boy makes life miserable for the kidnapers as they wait for the ransom demand to be paid.

Others in the cast include Kent Duren as his uncle, Kim Carlisle as his aunt, Judy Tanner, Trudy Adams and Dana Dudley as his cousins. Leigh McCook is a friend and Melissa Morrow is her mother. The housekeeper who has been the former target of Red's mischief is played by Terri

Hodges. Adam Mendoza is Constable Jones.

Dana Jackson is the student director. The three alternates who will serve as crew for the play are Belinda Reece, Misty West and Todd Wilson. During the first three weeks of rehearsal, cast changes will be made if necessary. Mrs. Priscilla Williams is the director.

A performance for PMS students which will include the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade oral readers is set for April 23.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Those admitted to the Garza Memorial Hospital since Thursday of last week were, Laticia Rodela, Ped.; Ruby Yates, Medical; Enid Gossett, Medical; Carl Cederholm, Medical; Brent Howard, Medical; Isaac Guitierrez, Medical; Jose Criado, Medical; Voda Beth Gradine, Medical; Trena Woods, O.B.; Della Horton, Medical; Tammye Holly, O.B.; Jody Wright, Medical; Lelia Siewert, Medical; Julius Siewert, Medical; David Vance, Medical; Mattie White, Medical and James Stephens, Medical.

Those dismissed were Helen Livingston, Alpha Jean Plyant, Rosie Bouchier, Dawn Olive, Neil Crosby, Edna Trull, Voda Beth Gradine, Jody Wright, Jose Criado, Trena Woods, Tammye Holly and Nona Smith.

Dickens show to open today

SPUR — A record number of 548 livestock, poultry and rabbit projects have been entered in the Dickens County Junior Livestock Show which opens her today for a Thursday and Friday run.

This is the 38th annual show and is expected to be one of the biggest on record. The premium sale will be held Saturday.

THANK YOU

I would like to thank all the Garza Co. Jr. Livestock Association members for their support and devotion which helped make our county show the success it was. I would also like to thank Jim Prather for buying my grand champion gilt.

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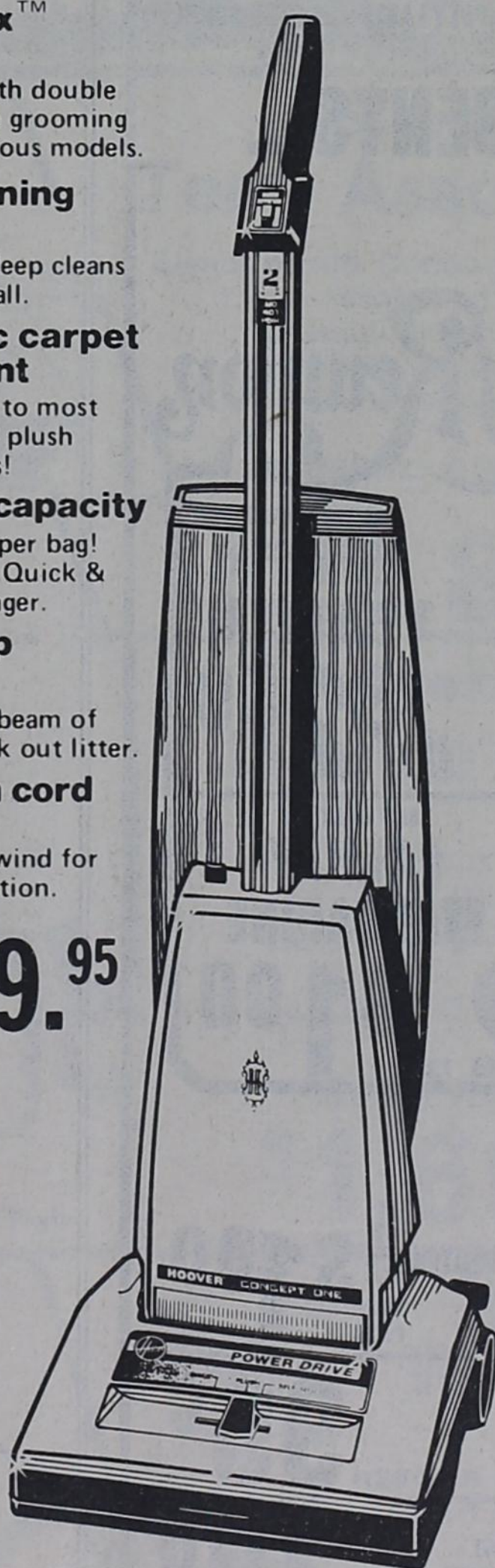
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the bookworm

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NEW BOOKS FOR SPRING
When colorful packages of flower and vegetable seeds start appearing in the stores, one knows that spring is not long from bursting into bloom. These really serve to get a person into a mood to get close to nature by nurturing green growing things, and when the sort of pleasant weather such as we recently had pops up, that really enhances that mood. But Mother Nature (the old gal) says "sorry, not yet" to spring home-steading for a while, and like an unyielding mother giving us an unwanted dose of medicine, blasts us with

more winter chill. Although the great outdoors are still off limits for vegetation, we still have the great indoors, and this is a sufficient environment for gardening a jungle of foliage.
The library has a wealth of books on plants, flowers, shrubs, vegetables, (whatever you prefer to grow) but I have chosen three of the newer books for review this week. First let's look at "No Time For Houseplants" by Jerry Minnich. If you are busy working, going to school or college, travel frequently, or just plain lazy, and love to be surrounded by bright, green

and flowering plants but have precious little time to devote to attending to plants, this book will interest you.

On the cover of the book is a houseplant, wrapped in cobwebs, with a disgusted look on its "face," pouring water on itself, dousing itself with fertilizer, and pulling the window shade up to give itself more light.

The book gives simple advice for growing plants successfully, even if you don't have a "green thumb." The main secret of success is to choose the right plants for your home conditions along with giving your plants the best conditions your home can offer. The right plants given the right conditions will thrive with little attention. Light, water, temperature and humidity, all play a part in the life of a plant, and the book gives you an understanding of how all these factors work together.

The book lists thirty-six plants that are tolerant and the easiest to maintain such as cactus, English Ivy, spider plant, "mother-in-law tongue", rubber plant, and Wandering Jew.

Also included are important considerations such as the proper type of soil for each plant, containers with proper drainage and repotting every several months. There is a chapter on caring for flowering houseplants, with a subtitle on how to force spring-flowering bulbs indoors, which is a very interesting thing to try. Included is a listing of the bulbs that are best suited for indoor forcing, and the best times to do it.

Another chapter tells how to grow vegetables indoors, plant terrariums, and grow plants from kitchen scraps such as carrot tops, avocado pits, and tropical fruit seed.

Dealing with indoor pests is discussed and also how to overcome plant diseases.

An easy guide to growing over 200 "no-work" plants, "No Time for Houseplants" really helps you achieve success with houseplants without really working at it.

Our second selection we'll look at is "Herb Gardening at It's Best", by Sal Gilbertie with Larry Shee-

han. Herbs are another group of easy plants to grow, if you do it right, and the uses for these plants are numerous. The most familiar use for them is in cooking and cooking foods, but did you know that they can also be used as insect repellants, to make fragrant sachets, medicines, for flavoring drinks like wine and tea, and even love potions? The book covers these plus many more uses, how to build an herb garden, harvest and storage of herbs, and also an herb culture guide. The book really impresses on one the usefulness of this interesting group of plants.

Our last selection on Plants is "Green Immigrants" by Claire Shaver Haughton. This is not a "how to" book on plants but tells of the history, romance, legend and folklore of almost a hundred plants from far away places, telling how they came to America, and how they changed the nation.

An example is the apple Julius Caesar had a beautiful apple orchard in Rome which was plundered by Britons. Romans did not believe this, and called the apple theirs alone, the "stamp of Rome." Christianity came to Roman occupied Britain, having its roots in an older religion whose history began with a man and a woman in a garden - and an apple. Apples became symbols of Christianity. Most monasteries had apple orchards. Roman occupation of Britain ceased with invasion by Germanic tribes, but Christianity and apples survived. The Spanish Catholics in colonizing the new world, brought their Christian faith, and many of their plants, including the apple into the New World, America. From then on apples were an important part of every self-sustaining farm.

This was the result of the fasionable subjects of botany and agronomy at Oxford and Cambridge Universities.

Coffee was said to have been brought to America by Captain John Smith. It was originally considered a food, for centuries Africans ate the ripe berries, which

soothed their hunger and helped them in battle. The use of coffee spread to Persia, Egypt, and the Holy Land, and magical properties were attributed to it because of its stimulating effect. Medicine men, priests, and magicians prized it highly.

Brewing coffee as a drink was discovered by accident. It was peddled in the Near East on the streets soon thereafter. Coffeehouses sprang up everywhere men gathered to discuss politics and tell bad jokes, and soon the Catholic Church branded coffee as the drink of infidels, but a legend says that Pope Clement VII gave coffee his blessing when he tasted his first delicious aromatic cup, and made it a Christian drink. Coffeehouses opened throughout the world, including the American colonies, and coffee became an important drink in America as a result.

"Green Immigrants" really impresses on one the importance of plants on our planet, no form of life could exist without plants.

Special Note - For you fans of Houston Oiler Coach Bum Phillips, his new Book "He Ain't No Bum", is now available at our local library. If you're looking to check it out, you may have to wait a bit. First come, first serve.

Special Request - Please return all overdue books. Everyone is entitled to check out library books whenever they wish, but often cannot because someone checked out the book they wanted to read and either forgot to return it or decided to add it to their own personal library. The library has some 60 books either lost or overdue for quite sometime. This is a loss for everyone who depends on the library for resource materials and entertainment not to mention a monetary loss. So everyone out there (you know who you are) please

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Next week, is mystery week. Three new mysteries in review, plus an examination of the mystery. Bye-Bye till then.

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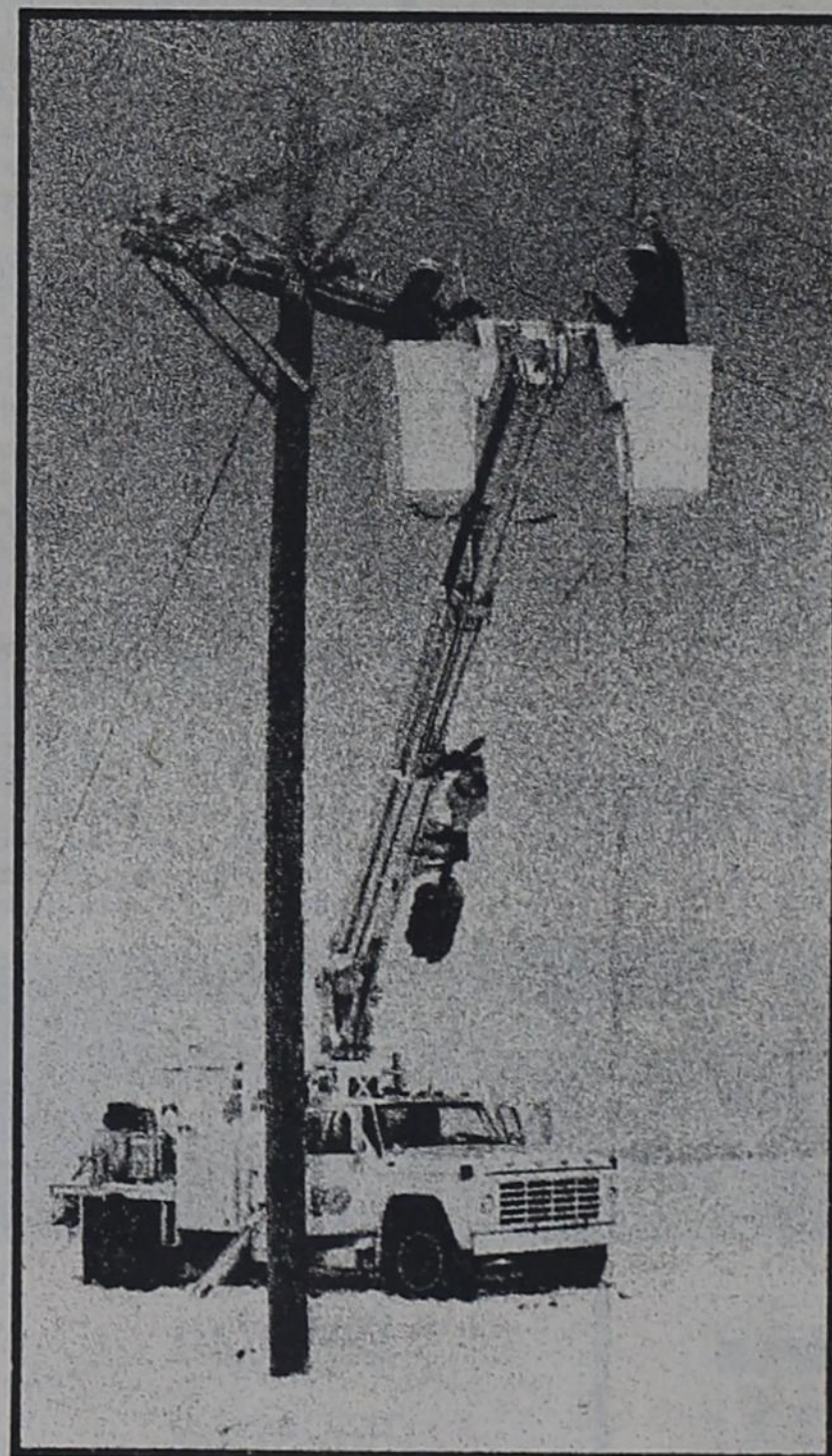
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Teams will chase spring tornadoes

LUBBOCK — Spring storms that bring anxious moments to West Texans create close teamwork for Texas Tech University researchers who chase the storms to gather new information. And they invite the public to participate in their studies.

The researchers are looking for cloud, tornado and hail storm data. They seek first to understand the formation of storms better. Then they hope to formulate better safety instructions and design safer buildings

for people. They are working through the Texas Tech Institute for Disaster Research (IDR).

IDR Director Joseph E. Minor said the institute seeks any tornado pictures taken by the public, wants to know about any storm damages glass, and wants collected any large and unusual hailstones. Pictures and hailstones should be labeled with the time, date and location of the storm. Hail that is golf ball size or larger or that has spikes or some other unusual formation is of value. The

hailstones should be packed separately in plastic bags and labeled and kept in a freezer until IDR members can pick them up from the collector.

Photographers and hail collectors can write or call the Institute for Disaster Research, Department of Civil Engineering, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas 79409 (806) 742-3476 for more information.

Dr. Richard E. Peterson of the atmospheric science faculty and his graduate students are documenting the growth and maintenance of thunderstorms to learn why some become dangerous while others drop only beneficial rain.

Dr. Minor and his colleagues in civil engineering specialize in wind engineering. Their primary interest is in taking pictures of ground level wind fields as tornadoes move across the land. Working with Minor

are Drs. James R. McDonald and Kishor C. Mehta.

Dr. Milton L. Smith of the industrial engineering faculty counts on chase teams as well as the public to retrieve hailstones. He studies the properties of different kinds of hailstones and their possible effects, particularly on solar collector covers. His work is supported by the Energy Foundation of Texas.

The Institute for Disaster Research has been gathering data on severe storms since its organization shortly after the 1970 Lubbock tornado, and the results of its research effort have contributed to building and safety standards nationwide.

The 1980 IDR Storm Chase organization will operate in April. Chase teams will rotate duty. Each team has a director, recorder and cameraman and is supported by a radar

observer stationed at the National Weather Service office in Lubbock.

Gear for the teams includes maps and compass, CB radio and antenna, binoculars, motion picture and still cameras, stakes and ribbon for marking camera locations for future reference, tape recorders, an ice chest with numbered plastic bags in which hailstones will be stored, and hard hats and other rain and hail protective clothing.

The nationally televised Skywarn program will be monitored by team members. If threatening weather is predicted, Peterson's group will make a late morning forecast for research teams. If conditions indicate a severe enough storm, a radar observer will be dispatched to the Lubbock weather station, and a chase team will be sent to get long distance pictures of

cloud formations and then move in as close as possible to areas having a potential for hail, wind or tornado damage to gather more pictures and other data.

The teams will be chasing storms from March 24 through April 30.

THANK YOU

I want to thank the FIRST NATIONAL BANK for purchasing my fourth place pig at the Garza Jr. Livestock Show Sale.

MARINETTE HAYS

Lawnmower & Garden Tool Sale THROUGH NEXT WEEK

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TEEN SCENE By Norm

The three day holiday from school is over and from what I hear most had a great time. Some are suffering from aches and bruises and some suffer from colds but most all have something to remember from their skiing experience.

And then there was Marinette who had a first flying experience and decided she didn't like it. She visited in College Station with her sister during the break and flew home. But she came to the conclusion she had rather drive.

I think most of Post gathered in Ruidoso for that last bit of skiing. Those I know of there were Rance Adkins, Charlie Dalby, Jennifer Ellis, Mike Tatum, Charla Williams, William Morrow, Channa Williams, Kim Carlisle, Gregory Adams, Bruce Waldrip, Kay Carter, Dee Ann Ammons, Eric Allison, Gary and Jeff Lamb, Rhonda Storie, Cindee Jackson, Casey Zachary, Mike Babb, Amy Babb, Jana Middleton, Barry Morris, Chuck Black, David Poole, Barry Wyatt, Holly Giddens, Rynn Norman and I know there were other Methodist Youth attending.

COTTON TODAY

NCC Comments on Air Proposal

The National Cotton Council has filed a statement opposing the Environmental Protection Agency's proposed policy for identifying, assessing, and regulating airborne substances posing risk of cancer. NCC maintains that the proposed rules: (1) are not needed since all hazardous air pollutants are already adequately regulated under the Clean Air Act, and (2) do not conform to the President's regulatory reform policy. Under the proposal, EPA would make and enforce rules. Any challenge of the rules would have to be made in the specific court where history has shown a preponderance of decisions favoring positions taken by EPA or environmental groups.

Reclamation Bill Introduced

Rep. Patterson (D-Calif.) has introduced a reclamation reform bill that would establish a subsidy scale based on the amount of water used rather than limiting the amount of land a farmer can own or lease. Farming operations purchasing 2200-acre-feet of water or less per year would pay a base cost for water on a per-acre-foot basis. Those purchasing more than 3600-acre-feet of water per year would pay the full cost of water. The bill also would encourage better waste management and conservation. Patterson said economics and not the federal government should dictate farm size.

Exports Reported

New Sales of upland cotton were reported at 21,600 running bales for the week ended February 17, bringing the season's total to 8,566,500. The major buyers were Canada, 11,300 bales, Korea, 6,000. The week's exports were reported at 262,700 running bales (114,400 to China), compared with 313,300 a week ago. This brought the total to 4,243,800 for the year.

And Cotton Yesterday

The first cotton yarn to be spun by machinery was in England in 1730.

but sorry I don't know the complete list.

We wish Coach Jerry Reynolds a speedy recovery. You are missed at school Coach, so hurry back.

Pam Baker of Idalou visited with Jerri during the weekend.

Mark March 22 on your calendar. The seniors will sponsor a dance at the Community Center. More details later.

CONTRATULATIONS to Kelly Mason and Tammy Reece. They announced their engagement this week. Kelly will undergo surgery Friday at Highland Hospital in Lubbock, and we hope that all goes well for him.

Don't forget the big track meet here Saturday. 12 schools are invited with both boys and girls participating, so you should see lots of exciting races and events. See ya there.

PHS students entered in UIL competition are having a practice meet here at Post today. Hope each and everyone gets a blue ribbon.

The tennis teams are entered in the Brownfield tournament this weekend also, so if you're not over there cheering someone on, come to the track meet.

Chow

Three are arrested here

Garza Romiro and Johnny Suifuentes, both of Post, were arrested here Saturday both charged with drunkenness and possession of marijuana under two ounces. Romiro also was charged with disorderly conduct.

Romior paid \$107 in fine and court costs in JP court on drunkenness and disorderly conduct charges and a \$750 appearance bond was set for his appearance in county court on the marijuana charge.

Suifuentes paid \$53 and court costs in JP court on his drunkenness charge and also was released on a \$750 appearance bond on the marijuana charge.

James Lewis Menefee of Lubbock was arrested here Monday on a revocation of probation warrant.

Post man held in Lynn thefts

Floyd B. Whitehead of Post was arrested here Monday on three Lynn county felony theft warrants to climax a long investigation involving the sheriff departments of Garza and Lynn counties and the Texas Rangers.

Justice of the Peace Pat Kitchens set bond at \$5,000 on each charge and Lynn officers took Whitehead to Tahoka and jailed him. They said other charges may be filed later.

Sheriff Jim Pippin said aluminum pipe, cutting torches, tractor weights, and scrap iron, most of it taken from Lynn County, has been recovered in a Lubbock salvage yard.

If we put all the people on earth together and weighed them and did the same with all the insects, the insects would weigh 12 times more than the humans, reports the National Wildlife Federation.

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VALUES TO \$2.98 YARD

Sale Price **\$1.69** yard

Mirage Pigment Prints

Poly/Cotton Blends
45" Wide

VALUES TO \$2.49 yard

Sale Price **\$1.48** yard

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Elastic Assortment
Polyester Braid
1/4"-3/8"-1/2"-3/4"-1" Widths

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Sale Price **5/99¢**

Stitch Witchery

Iron-On Bonding Net
15 Yard Roll

REG. PRICE \$1.00 roll

Sale Price **2/\$1.00**

Leno & Seerpucker Prints

Leno and Seerpucker Prints
Poly/Cotton Blends
45" Wide
Large Assortment of Prints

VALUES TO \$2.49 YARD

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Program launched on tax awareness

AUSTIN — Kenneth E. Graeber, executive director of the State Property Tax Board (SPTB), today announced a statewide program to make citizens more aware of their rights, remedies and responsibilities as taxpayers.

"This public education program is the most comprehensive effort of its kind in the state's history. It will involve the State Property Tax Board, local tax assessors throughout Texas, and the newspaper and broadcast industries," Graeber noted.

The state property tax official said the program consists of two elements. The first involves distribution of a comprehensive 12-page pamphlet titled "Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies and Responsibilities."

"The pamphlet discusses a broad range of tax-related matters, and will help Texans become much more knowledgeable on how the property tax system operates," the SPTB executive director said.

Taxpayers may obtain a free copy by contacting county, city or school tax offices in their area.

"The second element of the program consists of efforts by the news media to inform all Texans of tax rendition deadlines, and the procedures and requirements to apply for homestead exemptions and productivity values.

"Local tax assessors will also be cooperating in this part of the taxpayer education program," Graeber noted.

According to Graeber, the program is being conducted in March to enable Texans to apply for all tax relief to which they may be entitled before local tax rendition deadlines.

"To qualify for most homestead exemptions and productivity valuation for agricultural land, applications must be made to each jurisdiction before the rendition period ends. Most of the state's local taxing units have rendition deadlines of April 1 or April 30, and failure to make timely application causes loss of the tax relief until the next tax year," Graeber added.

He noted that when the new State Property Tax Code is fully implemented in 1982, all jurisdictions will

have a rendition deadline of April 1.

SPTB officials said these categories of homestead exemptions are available:

General Homestead. Those persons qualifying for a residence homestead are entitled to a \$5,000 exemption off the market value of the homestead for school tax purposes. An additional \$3,000 county homestead value is available against the portion of the county tax rate for farm-to-market roads or flood control.

Persons 65 or Older. Elderly citizens are entitled to an additional \$10,000 exemption off the market value of their residence homestead for school taxes. And, while an elderly citizen's property may increase in value through the years, the school taxes owed in any one year cannot be greater than the amount owed in 1979 or in the first year the property owner qualified for the exemption, whichever is greater. An annual application to the school tax office is required.

By local option, school districts, cities and counties may offer additional exemptions to elderly homeowners of not less than \$3,000.

Disability Exemption. Citizens who are disabled and qualify for the residence homestead exemption are entitled to an additional exemption of \$10,000 off the market value of their resident homestead. This exemption applies to school taxes only, and a property owner may not receive both the disability exemption and \$10,000 exemption for the elderly.

School districts, cities and counties may offer an additional local option disability exemption of not less than \$3,000.

Disabled Veteran or Qualifying Survivor. Certain disabled veterans or their survivors may be entitled to an exemption ranging from \$1,500 to \$3,000, depending on the percentage of service-connected disability.

This exemption may be applied against the value of any property owned on January 1 of the year in which the application is made. The disabled veteran must be a Texas resident and complete an annual application at local tax offices. Only one property

may receive the exemption, and VA or armed forces documents verifying disability are required.

State Property Tax Board officials said agricultural productivity values, mentioned earlier, may reduce the tax liability of qualified farmers and ranchers. Details on what types of land may be taxed on productivity rather than market value are available in local tax offices, or in the "Remedies" pamphlet.

Hedrick due—
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interview concerning the accident this week that she ran off a T intersection east of Graham after being harassed by two youths in a blue car who drove up beside her, got in front of her and slowed down, then prevented her from passing.

Finally when she succeeded in passing them and looked back she was too close to the T intersection to make the turn so she just drove off into the field.

She told Walker she hit her head on the steering wheel. She later drove home. Walker said he was told the boys in the blue car did not come into the field to help or hurt her.

Walker was prevented from discussing the accident with her by her physicians until out of intensive care with a clear head.

Postings—
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one of those old fashioned printers who took to writing history books around the area on the side, stopped in for a visit Tuesday afternoon. He was here visiting the Vachel Andersons. We would up offering to handle sales for a couple of his books here that a number of Garza Countians might be interested in. We'll tell you all about it next week. Hooper came to Post often a number of years ago, but says most of his local friends he hunted and fished with are gone now.

City Council—

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which High Plains Cablevision here, discussed the cable TV franchise with the council and promised whatever help he could give them.

Jimmy Evans, manager of High Plains Cablevision here, discussed the cable TV franchise with the council and promised whatever help he could give them.

Morton told council members they should read the article in the March issue of Texas monthly on Houston's problems with its cable TV franchise and the mistakes that city has made.

Morton said if the city didn't transfer its cable TV franchise to High Plains Cablevision as requested, the franchise would be "open" for any other cable company seeking it.

In other actions, the council:

Amended the city budget on first reading to take \$2,513 from the ending cash balance to finance the city's portion of the real property revaluation being undertaken by the new county-wide equalization district.

Decided to press for a street paving program here in 1980 as well as airport runway improvements even if some of the financing had to be completed by borrowing, as paving costs are rising more rapidly than available interest rates. The city has \$45,000 in its 1980 budget for paving with the cost now estimated at \$6,000 a block. Few contractors will move into town for a job smaller than 10 to 12 blocks, city manager Pete Maddox said.

Approved the appointment of a joint eight-member park board with the county to include Archie Gill, Sue Shytles, Zoe Kirkpatrick, Lonnie Gene Peel, Julian Smith, Danny Shaw, Ted Aten and Jack Alexander.

Was advised that Jerry Conoly remodeled trailer is now sitting on his lot in full compliance with the trailer ordinance and is tied down and underpinned.

Reappointed Arthur Kelly, Don Payne and Prudencio Basquez to the board of the Post Housing Authority.

Reappointed the city's 1980 board of equalization last year's board members, Mike Custer, Sexton Huntley and Robert Cox if they



GIVEN BIRTHDAY CAKE — Jack Burrell, butcher at Rick's Venture Foods, above holds his birthday cake topped with a miniature covered wagon which was presented to him by the store personnel last Wednesday on his 71st birthday. Burrell in earlier days served as a cook on wagon trains and for round-ups, hence the covered wagon on the cake.

Census tests offered here

The census bureau will conduct tests here next Thursday March 13, for persons seeking employment in the 1980 census.

The tests will be conducted at 2 p.m. in the Co-Ed Tax Service Office at 202 East Main.

Positions are open for crew leaders, enumerators, clerks and other positions.

The pay is \$4 an hour with 18½ cents per mile car allowance.

will accept appointment.

Approved Mayor Giles McCrary's request for authorization to make a trip to Austin to plan Texas Municipal League handbook.

Set meeting for 1 p.m. March 12 to assign ballot numbers for the city's spring election.

Call Beth or Norma if you have some news articles you would like to have in the paper.

City to fight—

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Municipal League reported a steering committee already has been set up to oppose General Telephone's request for big rate increases and that engineering and rate consulting firms as well as attorneys have been selected to present the city's side of the case.

General Telephone's rate increases for Post would include a 37.5 percent boost of residential rates from \$5.90 to \$9.21 monthly, and a 68.9 percent hike in business telephones from \$12 monthly to \$21.37.

Business phone rates in some cities would be increased over 100 percent according to the TML letter.

The city is pledging 15 cents per citizen to help finance the participation against the rate increase.

Rites held—

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God of Prophecy (Spanish Speaking).

Survivors include his wife; a son, Adam of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felipe Guterrez of Post; three brothers, Noah, Abraham and Hiram, all of Post; and five sisters, Norma Soto, Lydia Soto, Irma Flores and Ruth Guterrez, all of Post, and Diana Torres of Altus, Okla.

Pallbearers were Ray Soto, Pete Torres, Ricky Quinonez, Jamie Soto, Junior Flores and Toby Farres.

The family requests that any memorials be made to the American Cancer Society.

Local group to youth-a-rama

The juniors and teens of the Post Church of the Nazarene with church sponsors participated in the Youth-A-Rama held over the weekend in Abilene.

Accompanying the group were Wanda Dooley, Winnie Harrell, Sheila Melton, Wilma Yarbro, Rev. and Mrs. Tom Evans.

The group held a bake sale to raise the money for the trip and other activities.

Those participating were Sharla Riley who placed first in the clarinet solo; and the junior girls, Traci Haynes, Kim Haynes, Angela Melton, Theresa Evans and Kristi Pearson who placed sixth in the vocal ensemble; Jeanette Evans won a silver medal in vocal solo; Kristi Boulware won a bronze medal in art and also the teens, Jeanette Evans, Renea Melton, Kristi Boulware, Carla Odom, Dana Hodges and Mike Williams who all received a silver medal in vocal solo.

Honorary pallbearers included Tom Bouchier, Marvin Hudman, Carl Fluit, Dr. A. C. Surman, L.S. Turner, Elmer Cowdrey, Lonnie Peel, Lewis Herron, John Lott, Giles Dalby and J. B. Potts.

Rotarians shown Burlington film

Postex Plant Manager Don Smith showed an interesting film, "Workers of Burlington" at the Post Rotary club luncheon in the community center Tuesday.

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The Spanish are noted for their subtle ways of approaching simple, economical recipes. Beef is scarce in Spain and they make it go far with great tomatoey sauces. We've revised one of their original recipes to use a full-bodied canned Chef-life spaghetti sauce with meat that saves you time and adds a special heartiness. Vegetables complete the flavor complex. Served over rice, this rich tasty dish allows one-pound of meat to serve four to six. In these days calling for economy, that's sound Spanish thinking.

SPANISH STEW

- 1 pound beef cubes
- 4 tablespoons flour
- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 cup onions, diced
- 1/4 cup Burgundy wine
- 1 can (15 oz.) Chef Boy-ar-dee® Spaghetti Sauce with Meat
- 1-1/2 cups carrots sliced diagonally
- 1 cup green peppers, 1 inch chunks
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper
- 1 box small pearl onions, frozen
- 1/4 green pepper sliced lengthwise

Dredge beef cubes in flour. Brown meat in skillet; add garlic and onions the last few minutes. Add wine; cover and simmer 3 minutes. Stir in the spaghetti sauce with meat; add carrots, green peppers, salt and pepper. Cover and simmer over medium low heat for 1 hour. Stir occasionally. Cook pearl onions according to package directions; drain. Stir into stew just before serving. Serves 4-6.

We are proud to introduce



TOM MARRIER

and welcome him as a member of our staff. Tom was born in Seattle, Washington. After finishing school he entered the U. S. Army and completed nine years of service. He started his apprenticeship with the Scott Funeral Home in Gatesville, Texas in 1977. He graduated from Dallas Institute of Mortuary Science February 8, 1980.

WELCOME TO POST, TOM. We are glad to have you with us.

Hudman Funeral Home