



# Dispatch Editorials

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"LOOK, ED, THERE GOES ONE OF THOSE SKI NUTS."

## Block grant thoughts

We hear a lot all the time about the big city slums. But few of us talk about small town depressed areas, although just about every small town we know has them, including our own community of Post.

Trying to rid small towns of their "depressed housing areas" is what the HUD block grant program for community development is all about.

Uncle Sam finances the program 100 percent — and every dollar is to go to help low income citizens improve their living conditions via sewer connections, paved streets, park improvements, and the upgrading of their standard housing.

Many of the facts concerning Post's proposed plan for a big block grant will come as a surprise to local readers because Post hasn't applied for such a grant before.

Federal money can be handed directly to substandard home owners for housing improvements. Other dilapidated houses beyond salvation can be demolished and the sites used to build new homes.

Slaton has operated such a program for five years now and the results in its depressed areas are striking.

Of course there is not enough federal money to accept every small town's application. There is going to be such an intense competition for grants in 1981 only

those with the best development plans will be selected for financing.

Post up to now has done what it could with its own resources to do away with housing blight here through the tearing down of abandoned houses.

But those who really drive around town and take a look-see with eyes wide open know this is far from enough. Post can't do the job on its own resources.

The psychology behind the block grants is that when a neighbor starts "fixing up things" next door, you are inclined to do the same and thus general neighborhood improvements steadily build up.

We don't know what is going to happen to the big city slums. The financial cost to renovate that housing is almost astronomical though the government is aiding in financing the improvement of old houses in deteriorating areas before they slip into the slum class.

The community block grants, if carefully used, do offer small towns real hope of cleaning up their rundown areas.

The Dispatch hopes Post can land a 1981 block grant and turn its energies to improving the bottom rung of its housing problem — upgrading substandard housing here and thus improve living conditions of our low income citizens.

## Saluting our council

Being mayor or a city council member is not only a "low pay job" but a thankless one most of the time.

Council members usually get all the gripes and very few compliments. In other words, they hear more jeers than cheers.

If Dispatch readers will spend a few minutes reading the front page story on the audit of city operations last year, they are going to be pleasantly surprised.

The city's financial condition is excellent plus. It has plenty of cash reserves, is able to pay cash for all its "big ticket" purchases.

Property taxpayers here foot only about 25

percent of the cost of operating the city. And that isn't bad. Long-term debt is non-existent and the only short-term debt is for some notes on the new fire station and the new municipal trash collection system which were put on five-year payouts.

Each and every council member shares in this fiscal achievement — and it is a real fiscal achievement.

Citizens should speak up this week to our council members and pat them on the back and tell them they're doing an excellent financial job in running municipal affairs.

## Remember When

### 10 YEARS AGO

Hahn resigns grid post; search on for successor; New coach will name assistants; Amity Junior Study Club again sponsoring 'Cookies for Vietnam'; friends and neighbors of Ray A. Siewert strip cotton for ill farmer; Jim Pippin new deputy sheriff; Santa Claus to arrive by 'copter' Saturday; Cotton ginnings at 21,172 bales; Mary Cheshire named winner in Voice of Democracy essay contest; Barbara Ann Birmingham becomes bride of James David Elliott; Martha Miller's engagement to

### 15 YEARS AGO

24.40 acre ball park track deeded to city; 572 lights of new 'tree' turned on; A. T. Nixon is first drawing winner for \$100 cash Christmas gift; City asked to amend oil drilling rule to permit new production; Reta Fern Jones becomes bride Saturday of Norman Settemire; Jan. 15 set as wedding date for Miss Windham, Mr. Mock; 28 students make PHS honor roll; Cagers try for top trophies in Abernathy tournament; Does rip Dimmitt for third place in Floydada tournament; November fines total \$420 in city court.

### 25 YEARS AGO

Funeral services held for Mrs. S. T. Bright; last rites read for J.H. McCampbell; land being leased for uranium mining in the county; seniors on the high school honor roll included, Tommy Mayfield, Jimmy Bowen, David Chatham, Tommy Murray, Lee Sullinger, LaJuan Davis, Sonja Childs, Darlyne Husley, Loyce Josey and Sara Ray; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young visited in Comanche during the weekend; Mrs. L.G. Thuett Jr. and Lester Nichols, worthy matron and patron welcome guests at Order of Eastern Star Friendship Night; Ardell Williams returns to Army base in Massachusetts accompanied by his wife and two children; Gilbert Blodgett home is scene of shower for Mrs. Billy Snow.

## Happy Birthday

### December 11

Vickie Odom  
Don Pennell  
Mrs. Cletus Graves  
Marilyn Rains  
Jolena Bilberry

### December 12

Mrs. Herman Mosser  
Janet Matthes  
Debra Blevins  
Auda Vee Teaff  
Joy Baker  
Sheryl Cooper  
Kyle Duren

### December 13

Buck Gossett  
Janie Stanaford  
Vickie Jenkins  
Deborah Oden  
Gary Shepherd  
Dana Oakley  
Willie Robinson  
Lowell Bryan  
Mrs. Ronnie Bouchier  
Terry Kennedy  
Bruce Redman  
Roy Sappington

### December 14

Dink Taylor  
Ricky Lee Morris  
Dorothy Custer  
Clovis Hudman  
Paul Duren  
Rita Mendieta  
Jeff Lamb

### December 15

Lorene Benson  
Bobby Hodges  
Lillie Dee Short  
Ricky Joe Blacklock  
Cletus Graves  
Mrs. C. H. Hartel  
Carol Conrad  
Ila Workman  
Kim Brumley

### December 16

Mrs. L.C. White  
Mrs. Lee Bowen  
Mrs. Jimmy Sharp  
Bobby Hodges  
Dwayne Martin

### December 17

Leanna Bowen  
Mrs. D.C. Williams  
Syble Workman  
Luann Kennedy  
Roger Garcia  
Lance Goen

## 539 library books read in November

A total of 539 books were checked out of the Post Public Library in November, Librarian Pee Wee Pierce reports in her monthly report of library activities.

This brings total library circulation for the first 11 months of 1980 to 8,406 books.

Seventeen new books were put on library shelves during the month to bring 1980 acquisitions to date to 369 volumes. The library now contains 13,755 books.

Seventeen reference questions were answered during the month to bring this 1980 total to 205.

Five interlibrary loan books were obtained from other Texas libraries for local use to bring such loans to 43 for the year to date.

A total of 106 persons saw movies shown on the library's projector, mostly in nursing homes, during November to bring the total for 1980 to 1,224.

Fines, book sales, and donations for the month totaled \$18.45 to bring this miscellaneous income total for 1980 to \$322.02.

## PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF POST HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The City of Post is planning to submit a pre-application to the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. This pre-application will be submitted on or about January 5, 1981.

The City has scheduled a final public hearing on this proposed CDBG program to give citizens of the City of Post an opportunity to review the activities included in the CDBG program and offer additional comments and suggestions on the City's needs and priorities. Citizens will also be invited to comment on the City's past performance in providing housing and community development programs.

This public hearing will be held at 7:00 p. m. on Tuesday, December 16, 1980 in the Post City Hall, 105 E. Main Street.

Interested citizens and citizen groups are encouraged to attend this important public hearing and present their views and comment on the City's proposed CDBG program and to assist in evaluating the City's past efforts in housing and community development programs. Written proposals and comments from citizens will be accepted and considered by the City up until the time of this final public hearing.

Handicapped individuals who may have difficulty in attending this public hearing should contact the Post City Hall to arrange for special assistance.

For further information, contact Wanda Wilkerson, City Secretary at 495-2811.

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## What's Happening in Home Economics

By MRS. CHERYL WALKER  
County Extension Agent — Home Economics

Eight 4-H'ers will be participating in the District 4-H Food Show on Saturday, Dec. 13 in Lubbock. Janell Jones, Korren Payton, Leigh Ann Sneed and Keitha White will represent Garza County in the junior division while, Tanya Bland, Janis Greathouse, Kayla Peel and Melissa Striblin compete in the senior division.

Below are some of the recipes of the 4-H'ers.

### FRUIT SALAD

Leigh Ann Sneed  
1 can pears (drained); 1 can pineapple chunks (drained); 2 cans mandarin oranges (drained) 1 can peaches (drained) 1 bottle of cherries (drained) 3 bananas and 1 can peach or apple pie filling.

Put fruit in a bowl. Add pie filling. Mix gently. Decorate with remaining cherries.

### HAM DELIGHT

Janell Jones  
1 8 oz. package cream

cheese (softened); 1 2/4 oz. can deviled ham; 1/2 cup sandwich spread; 1/4 cup diced green pepper; 1 tablespoon diced onion; and 2 tablespoon chopped pimento.

Combine cream cheese and ham; mix until smooth. Stir in remaining ingredients, mix well. Chill. Spread as desired.

### PORK CHOP CASSEROLE

Keitha Beth White  
4 medium pork chops; 4 cups thin sliced potatoes; 1 small chopped onion; 1/2 green bell pepper chopped; 1 can of cream of celery soup; 1 can of milk (soup can); 1/2 cup shredded cheddar cheese; salt and pepper to taste.

Sprinkle pork chops with salt and pepper; brown on both sides in a small amount of vegetable oil in medium skillet. Drain on paper towels. Place chops in lightly greased casserole dish. Top with layer of

potatoes, chopped onion and pepper. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Mix can of soup and milk in bowl. Pour over potatoes and pork chops. Bake at 350 degrees for one hour. Then sprinkle top with cheese and return to oven to melt and brown slightly. Serves 4 people.

### MARBLED ANGEL FOOD CAKE

Korren Payton

1 cup sifted cake flour; 1 cup sifted confectioners sugar; 1 and two-thirds cup egg whites (about 12) 1 1/2 teaspoons cream of tartar; 1/4 teaspoon salt; 1 cup sugar, granulated; 1 teaspoon vanilla and 2 or 3 drops red food coloring.

Sift together cake flour and confectioners sugar 4 times using double-screen sifter, 8 times using single-

screen sifter; set aside. Beat egg whites, cream of tartar and salt in large mixing bowl until stiff, not dry, using electric mixer at medium-high speed. Gradually add granulated sugar and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Put egg white mixture into larger bowl, gradually fold in cake flour and sugar mixture, then add 2 or 3 drops of food coloring. Fold through mixture to obtain marble effect of pink and white. (Any color food coloring can be used). Place mixture in 10-inch tube pan. Bake in 350 degree oven 40-50 minutes, or until top springs back when lightly touched with finger. Invert tube pan on funnel or bottle to cool. When completely cooled, remove from pan. Frost with favorite icing. Makes 10 one inch slices of cake.



Happy Birthday  
Leslie  
Grandma & Grandpa

**BUTTER FROSTING**  
1 1/2 cups sifted confectioners sugar; 3 tablespoons soft butter or regular margarine; 1 tablespoon milk; 1/2 teaspoon vanilla.

Combine above ingredients in bowl. Beat with electric mixer until frosting is smooth and of spreading consistency. Add 2 or 3 drops red food coloring (may use color of your choice and use more or less to obtain desired color) and blend into frosting mixture.

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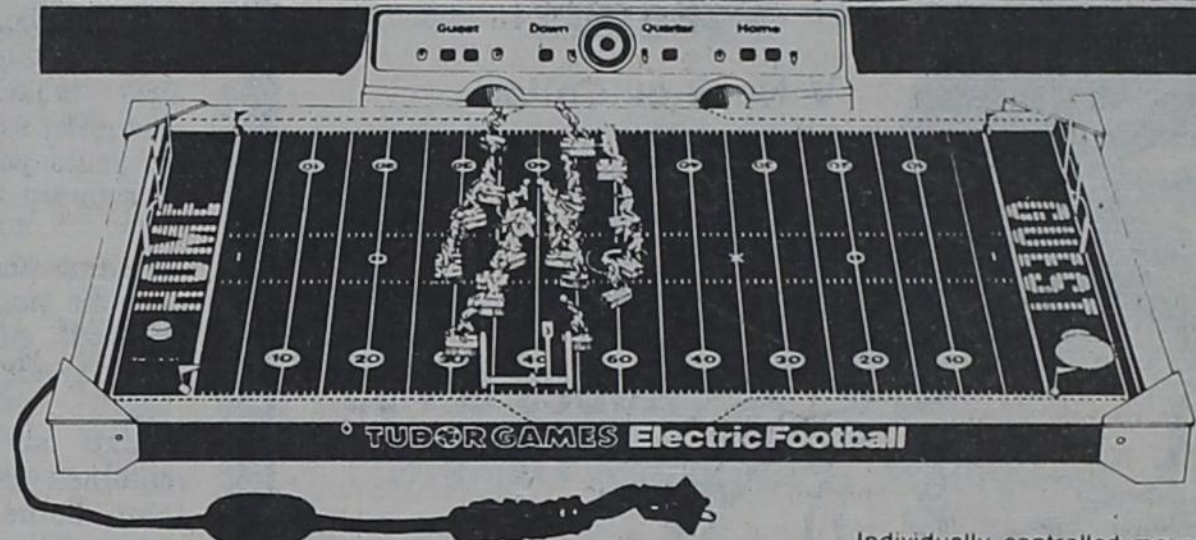
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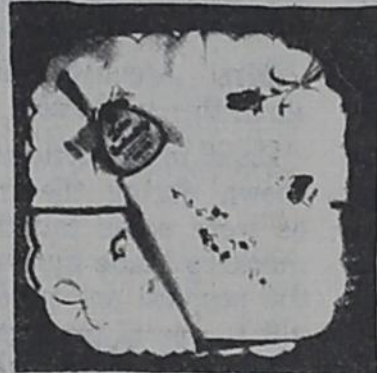
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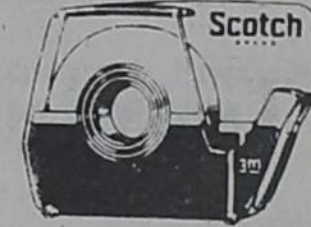
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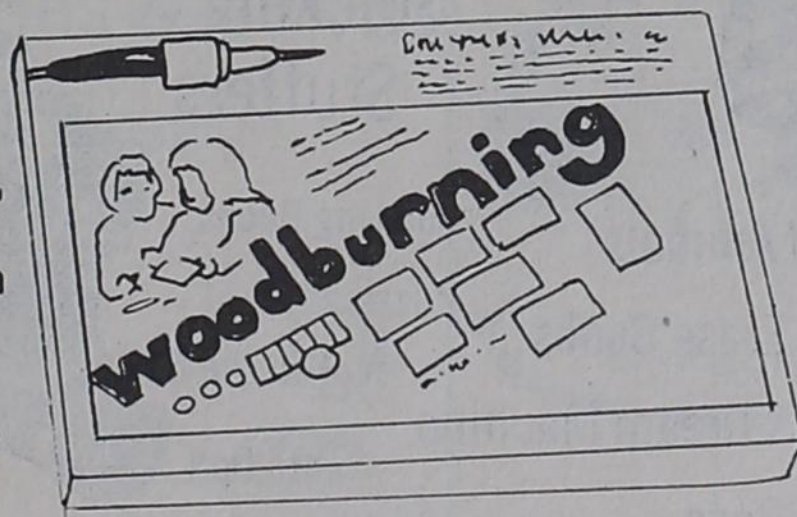
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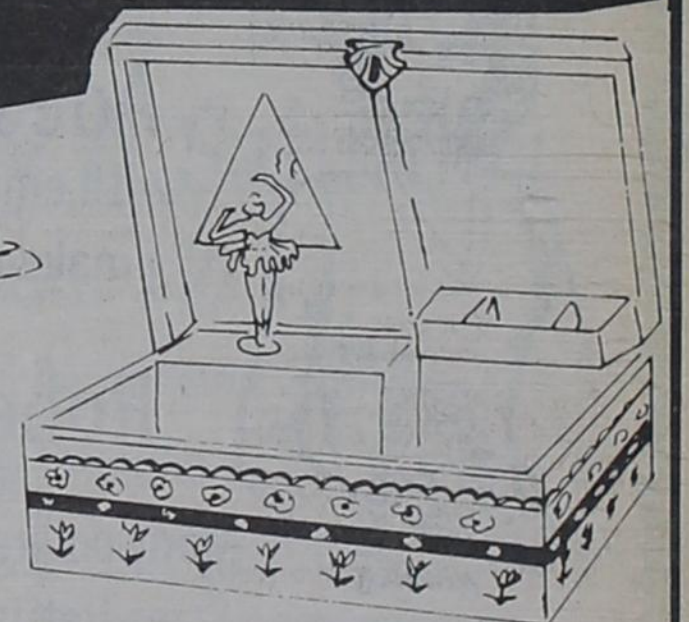
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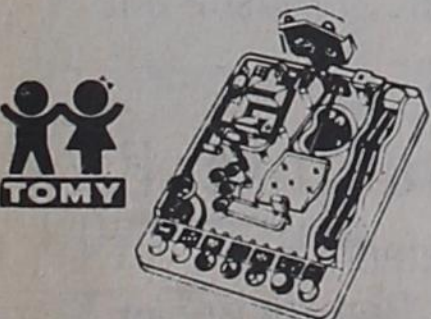
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**TEEN SCENE** By Norm

Coach Curry was given an early birthday present when the Lady Lopes won the championship trophy at the Idalou tourney last Saturday night. Congrats to the Lady Lopes and to all the teams for their finish in their respective tournaments.

Happy birthday this week goes to Lance Dunn, who celebrates that infamous 18th, John Helton, Starlet Riedel, (somewhere in the paper); Jeff Lamb, Twila Pewitt, Luann Kennedy, Tim Tatum and Toni Ammons.

Basketball seems to be taking its toll among some players. Karen Davis and Carol Holleman are now sporting an extra set of legs to get around on. Karen has a severe sprain and Carol broke hers.

Don't forget the annual FCA tournament for freshmen here this weekend. Play begins today at 12:30 (Thursday) and continues through Saturday. Also during the tournament, the FCA members will have on sale Lope caps and scarves. These make great Christmas gifts, so if you haven't got yours yet, now is your opportunity.

Donna visited at home over the weekend to attend the ball game at Idalou Saturday night.

Just one more week mammas and you'll have them home for a whole month. Yippee!!!

While thumbing through the pages of time here at the ole Dispatch, I came across these Santa letters printed approximately 10 to 11 years ago.

Dear Santa Claus, I hope you get a good rest before Christmas eve. Will you please bring me an electric football set, dump truck, a soldier set, playing cards, basketball set, candy and chewing gum? Don't forget Polly, my brother Larry and my sisters, Sudie and Trasi. Larry wants a PTO jacket, Sudie wants a wig, Trasi wants a doll and Polly wants her Pa Pa. Love to you from, Toby Craft

Dear Santa, Please bring me a stove, piano and record. I love you. Darla Jackson

Dear Santa, Please bring me a car race, a bike and a tool set. I love you. Chris Belongia

Dear Santa, Please bring me some drums, and a cotton candy maker. I am seven years old and have been pretty good. Traci wants a pretty doll. Love, Tim Tannehill

Dear Santa,

I want a baton, a pair of skates, a blue pants suit and matching tennis shoes. Love Dana Hodges

Dear Santa, Please bring me a little doll, a carriage and an easy bake oven. I love you, Crystal Mason

Dear Santa, Please bring me a football helmet, football and a football suit. I like Texas Tech's red colors. I love you, Will Kirkpatrick

Dear Santa, Please bring me a doll that grows hair, a bicycle with a basket and a bubble gum machine. I love you, Toni Ammons

Dear Santa, I would like a table and chairs and a doll named Tammy that sucks a bottle and a see it bake oven and a Coke machine, a baby crib that rocks and a white wig. Laura Lea Mason

Dear Santa, I have been good. Please bring me a Baby Tenderlove, a watch and a TV. Love, D'Linda

More next week Chow . . . . .

**Hobby club in recent meeting**

The Grassland Hobby club met in Tahoka last week in the home of Mrs. Lena Short. Mrs. Laura Watson presided over the meeting in the absence of president, Mrs. Fay Melton.

Mrs. Bernice Gribble gave the invocation.

Hand made articles were shown during the meeting as were some tatted book-markers made by a man in the hospital and given as a gift to one of the members.

Lorine Gerner drew the door prize, a nice hand towel and two crocheted pot holders.

Refreshments of cake, cheese crackers, nuts rolled in sugar, coffee and punch were served to 10 members by the hostesses, Mrs. Short and Wilma Gerner.

The next meeting will be Dec. 2 for the Christmas luncheon to be held at the community center in Grassland. Christmas gifts will be exchanged and secret pals revealed.

**VISIT CHILDREN** Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClellan spent the weekend in Lewisville with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thane and family. While there they helped Amy celebrate her 11th birthday on Dec. 7.

Correct addresses speed SS checks

The Social Security Office in Lubbock announced today that persons in this area who do not have the correct address on their Social Security or Supplemental Security checks may have them delayed delivery of mail by the post office department gets the best service when the correct address and zip codes are shown on the check.

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- SOCKET SET — Mrs. John Shults, Rt. 3, Post
- HOT POT — Jim Jackson, Rt. 3, Post
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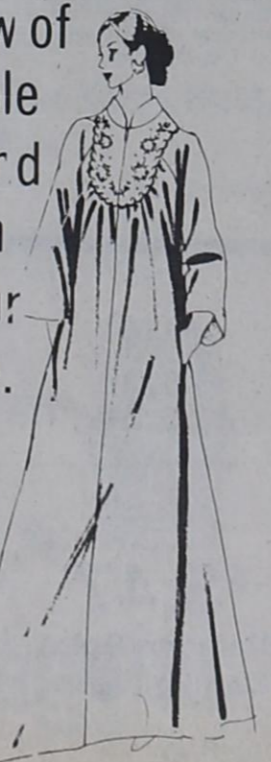
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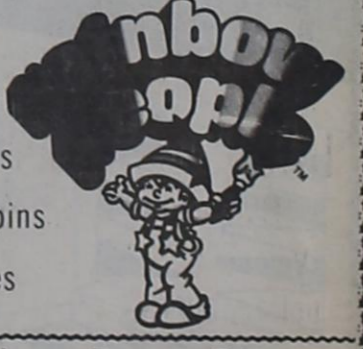
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DISTRICT FOOD SHOW BOUND — These six girls plus two others not shown will compete in the District 4-H Food Show following their wins in the Garza County Food Show. Pictured top row, l to r, Keitha Beth White, Kayla Peel, Melissa Striblin and Janell Jones, bottom row, l to r, Leigh Ann Sneed and Korren Payton. Not pictured are Tanya Bland and Janis Greathouse. (Staff Photo)

**Art guild in  
yule party**

The annual Christmas party of the Post Art Guild was held in the home of Billie Lou Robison on Dec. 8th at 7 p.m.  
A buffet supper was served with the hostesses being Polly Cravy, Sheri Riedel, Geraldine Butler, Quinie Cook and Betty Boren.  
JoAnn Mock showed a film entitled "The Treasures of King Tutankhamun". Gifts were exchanged.  
Members attending were Lil Connor, Polly Cravy, Billie Lou Robison, Geraldine Butler, Quinie Cook, Jo Ann Mock, Sheri Riedel, Marie Neff and Nancy Childers.

**VISITS GRANDPARENTS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Rick Reavis spent the weekend visiting with Mrs. Reavis' (Donna Faye Rose) grandparents, the J.P. Rays' of Post.

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**Huntley Nursing Home News**

The holiday season is with us and everyone is getting in a festive mood. Our tree is decorated and it is beautiful. We have Santa, the reindeer and the sleigh. They are waiting for the big night and Rudolph is already pulling on the reins. Now if we can be good boys and girls until Christmas, just maybe he will visit us. Please don't forget our Christmas Party and program Dec. 19th at 7:30 p.m. We were happy to receive a Christmas tree and a variety of decorations from the ladies of the Eastern Star. Patsy Sanderson brought us a Christmas arrangement and it looks very pretty on the piano.

Tuesday morning, Dec. 2nd, a group of ladies of the Methodist Prayer Group met in Bonnie McMahon's room at Huntley Nursing Home. They enjoyed re-

freshments of cake, punch and coffee. Mrs. Travis gave the devotion. All of the group joined hands and each one said a prayer for everyone and for the Christmas Season and days of rejoicing. It really was a treat for all of us and a surprise for some. We want to say thank you to all of our friends Agnes Welch, Roberta Herron, Mozelle Hutchins, Dorothy Travis and Joy Parker. Come again says Bonnie McMahon and the Nursing Home residents.

We have been busy bees in arts and crafts. We have made many Christmas ornaments and Grandma and Grandpa Dolls and Mr. and Mrs. St. Nicholas.

We welcome Ralph Heibner back. He has been in the hospital in Lubbock. We would like to welcome our new resident W. C. Morris. We are happy to have him with us and happy to have Ralph back.

Cordelia Stewart has put in her order to Santa. She wants Lemon Meringue Pie instead of pumpkin. Willie B. Sullivan indicated with a twinkle in her eye that she would share it with Cordy.

Johnny Hodges and his wife came last Sunday evening from Lubbock to visit his aunt, Estelle Samson.

**Sorority in  
yule plans**

Xi Delta Rho held a meeting Dec. 8 in the home of Janice Smith.

It was decided the club's Christmas party will be held at 6:30 in Voda Gradines' home with a buffet supper being served on Dec. 13.

Tickets for a Christmas drawing for \$100 worth of groceries were distributed to members for sale to the community.

Members present were Christy Morris, Jenny Francis, Cheryl Blair, Susan Cardinal, Bernice Eubank, Voda Gradine, Lois Kennedy, Margaret Price, Nancy Shaw, Janice Smith, Joyce Teaff, Phyllis Bennett and Karen Pennell.

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**EAGLE ROUNDUP**  
Southland School News

**Boys**  
Nov. 18, Southland 44 - Union 66, leading scorer, Adam Rodriguez - 21.  
Nov. 21, Southland 41 - Lubbock Christian H.S. 75. Leading scorer, Bud Courtney, 10. J.V. score, Southland 44 - LCHS 49, leading scorers, Louis Milo 20 and Gilbert Valdez 15.  
Dec. 2, Southland 49 - Union 60, leading scorers Louis Milo 13 and Adam Rodriguez, 12. JV score, Southland 61 - Union 29, leading scorers, Amador Vasquez 19 and Gilbert Valdez 18.

**Girls**  
Nov. 15, Southland 43,

LChS 58, leading scorers, Sherri Alvis 16 and Camille Wheeler 15. JV score, Southland 30 - LCHS 44, leading scorer, Monique Adamek 12.  
Nov. 18, Southland, 78 - Union 24, leading scorer, Sherri McElroy 15, and Sherri Alvis 14.  
Nov. 21, Southland 36 - LCHS 46, leading scorer, Camille Wheeler, 14.  
JV score, Southland 36 - LCHS 39, OT, leading scorers, Rosie Vasquez 16, Monique Adamek 10 and Bonnie Koslan 10.  
Dec. 2, Southland 58 - Union 18, leading scorers, Sherri Alvis 14, Terri Hiracheta 12, and Samra Rush 10.

**Coming Events**  
Dec. 11-13, Meadow High School Basketball Tournament.  
Dec. 15, Junior high basketball games at Wilson, 4:30 p.m., A girls and A & B

boys.  
Dec. 16, High school games at McAdoo, 6:30 p.m., A girls and boys.  
Dec. 18-20, O'Donnell High School Basketball Tournament.  
Dec. 19, school dismisses at 2:30 p.m. for Christmas holidays.  
Jan. 2, High school games at O'Donnell, 5 p.m., A girls and A & B boys.  
Jan. 5, school resumes.

**Junior High Basketball**  
The Sundown Roughnecks defeated the boys' junior high basketball team 43 - 12 at Sundown Nov. 20.

Ignacio Vasquez scored four points for Southland. The junior high girls also won 31-23.

**Junior High Teams Sweep**  
The junior high teams won all of their games Nov. 24 and Dec. 1 against New Home and Smyer.

Eddie Moreno put in eight points to lead the boys' B team to a 30-2 victory over New Home Nov. 24 at Southland.

Darrell Becker and Gilbert Armendariz contributed six more points apiece. The A team took their cue from the B team's performance and rolled past New

Home 35 - 24. Gregg Haire led all scorers with 11 points, and Steve Ellis scored six.

Dee Farquhar scored 11 points as the A team slipped by Smyer 21-19. Dec. 1 at Southland. Gregg Haire added six more.

The junior high boys team's record now stands at 3-1.

The girls have won consecutive games against Sundown, Smyer, and New Home and stand undefeated for the season.

**9 band members in Lubbock benefit**

Nine members of the Post High School band joined 600 other bandmen from area schools in a benefit for children of selected foster homes, which was held in Lubbock. The concert was sponsored by KMAC-TV.

The girls won at Sundown 31-23 Nov. 20. The team continued its winning ways against Smyer, defeating them 29-14 at Southland Nov. 24.

The Post bandmen were a part of the Pops Band. Students going to Lubbock were Tammy Ashworth, Irene Moreno, Jay Norman, Belinda Reece, Byron Ro-

bertson, Rhonda Rogers, Danny Sherrill, Darla Sherrill, and Todd Wilson. The concert will be televised on Channel 28 in Lubbock on Dec. 24, from 6 to 7 p.m.

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## Farm group okays 3 'front runners'

ROPEVILLE — Marvin Meek, chairman of the National American Agriculture Movement, named three "front runners" for secretary of agriculture in the Reagan cabinet and said the AAM movement endorses all three in a recent talk to about 100 farmers here. They are Seely Lodwick,

Iowa farmer; John Block, Illinois farmer and also commissioner of agriculture in that state, and Tom Haggard, a Minnesota congressman.

Meek also told farmers there would be possibly six members from the American Agriculture Movement hired by the new administration and he felt certain there would be at least four appointed from the organization to help formulate agricultural policies.

He said Gerald McCathern of Hereford would be one of these.

Meek told his audience the government was now beginning to listen to what the American Agriculture Movement had been saying for the past four years.

The Plainview farmer had many harsh words for the Carter Administration and

said 418,000 farmers had gone out of business during Jimmy Carter's four years in the White House.

Meek said the consumers would need to be "groomed" to paying high prices for food in the future, as he claimed increased prices of agricultural commodities along with increased exports would put the country back on its feet again.

Meek said the national convention of the American Agriculture Movement will be held in Pueblo, Colo., Dec. 13-14, and the AAM is trying to get Ronald Reagan to appear before the farm group to announce his secretary of agriculture at that time.

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## Rotarians hear of Forum

Mary Ann Gordon spoke before Post Rotarians at their weekly luncheon Tuesday in the community center on the organization of the Post Eagle Forum here.

Mrs. Gordon is president of the organization which contains 35 members and was formed here in September. The Eagle Forum has 50,000 members nationally.

Purpose of the organization is for citizens to become involved in the issues of government at every level and support the programs they favor.

Without citizenship responsibility, she said, "we will lose our nation through default."

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## Relief near for royalty owners

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Congress on Wednesday approved and sent to the White House legislation co-authored by Senator Lloyd Bentsen that will provide relief to small royalty owners hit hard by the so-called "windfall profit" tax.

The Bentsen bill amends the Crude Oil Windfall Profit Tax Act to permit royalty owners, when they file their 1980 income tax returns, to apply for "windfall profit" tax refund (or credit) of up to \$1,000.

The provision is included in the Budget Reconciliation bill which has now been forwarded to the White House for the President's signature. The Senate late Wednesday gave final approval to the measure by a vote of 83 to 4. Secretary of Energy Charles Duncan

announced the Administration's support for the "windfall" tax credit in Houston earlier this fall, at a joint press conference with Senator Bentsen.

"I am pleased that Congress has acted to provide relief to small royalty owners and hopeful that the President will sign it quickly into law," said Bentsen, who last summer presided over a hearing in Austin attended by 3,500 Texas royalty owners pro-

testing the tax. "There are some 650,000 royalty owners in Texas and for approximately 80 percent of them this bill means that they will pay no 'windfall' tax."

## Tahoka seeking big block grant

TAHOKA — The City of Tahoka last week decided to make application for \$2,250,000 three-year block grant from HUD for street paving, water and sewer extensions and improvement for housing rehabilitation and other purposes in the south and east parts of town.

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James and Sammie Pollard, Jay and Sherry Pollard of Handy Hardware and Gifts donated beautiful floral arrangements for all our residents' rooms. Some of them are wicker baskets with holiday pine cones and fruit. Also miniature sleighs with Christmas flowers and greenery. We want to thank them for their generosity and thoughtfulness during this holiday season. Also thanks to Doris Lester one of their employes and our dear friend.

We are really enjoying the Christmas that was given to us by Zelma Moore. Frances Camp brought some beautiful things for Minnie Graeber.

We would like to invite all friends and relatives to our residents Christmas Party December 23rd at 2:30 in the afternoon.

We would like to thank the McCrarys for the beautiful flowers that they gave us.

The VFW Auxiliary ladies came and gave us our monthly birthday party last Tuesday. Edith Inkleburger was the only person that had a birthday this month. They gave her a beautiful

swan soap holder. We look forward to them coming each month. They serve us such good punch and cake.

Patsy Craig came and visited with the residents last Wednesday. She also gave us a good Bible lesson. Evelyn Roach went out and had coffee with her daughter Saturday morning. Irene Wheeler went with Vivian Duncan to church Sunday morning.

Bingo winners last week were Evelyn Roach, and Irene Wheeler. Bean bag toser of the week was Blanche Graham.

Maude Dobbs brought us two real good cakes. We thank everyone for the kindness they show in so many ways.

### Hospital Notes

Those admitted to Garza Memorial Hospital since Thursday of last week were:

Lottie Sanders, medical; Madeline Mathis, medical; Edith Mauldin, medical; Anna Sinclair, medical; Helen Coffee, medical; Gloria Abraham, medical; Lillian Nance, medical; Ralph Heibner, medical; Ruby Ripley, medical; Mary Alice Teaff, medical; Vickey Gist, O.B.; Matilde Valdez, medical; Neva Bishop, medical, and Joseph Yates, medical.

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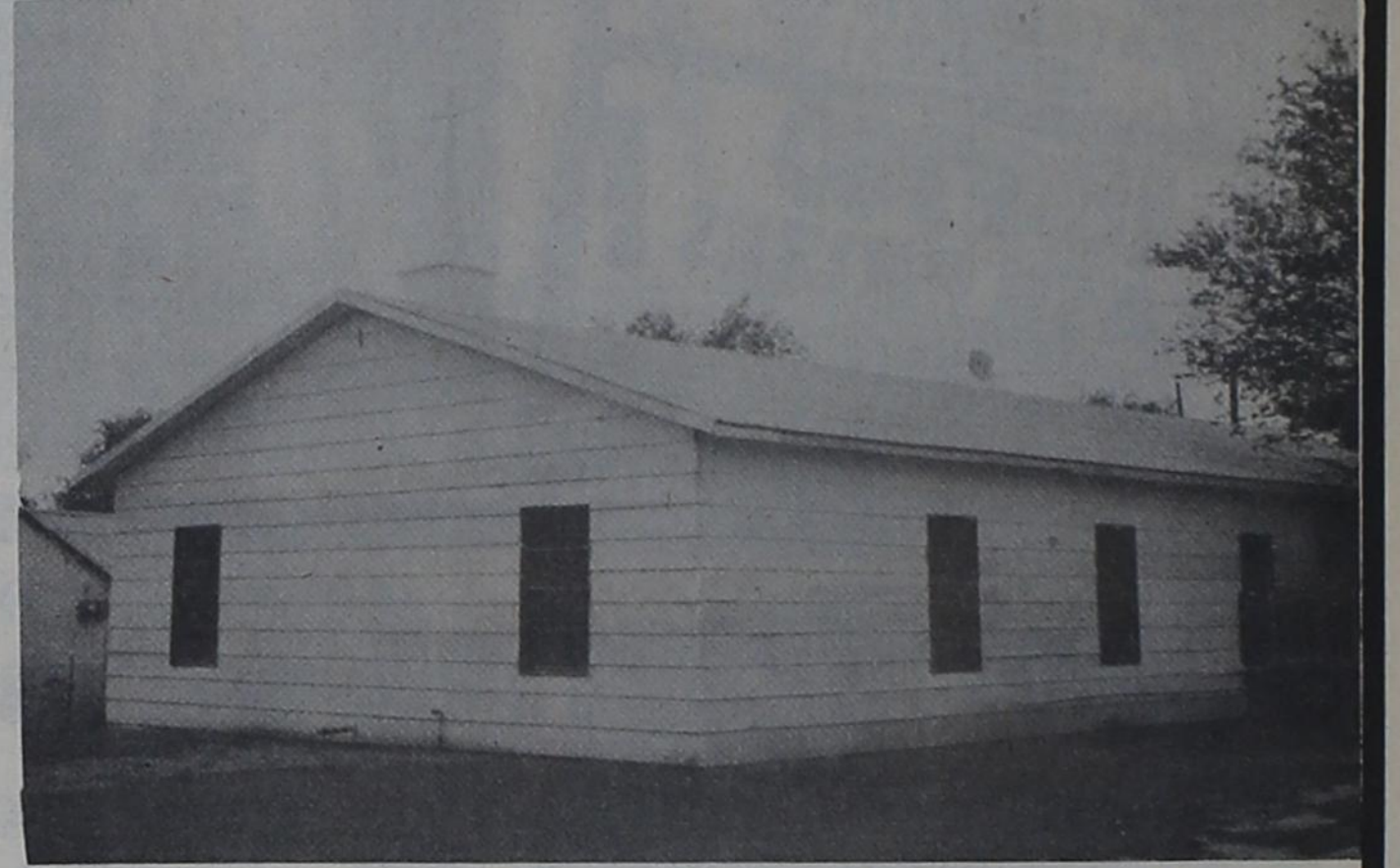
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Sunday Worship: 11 a. m.

The Ministerial Alliance meets at 4 p. m. the First Monday of each month at damon's Restaurant.

### Three sing in regional choir

Jimmy Ticer, Jack Ryland and Mark Stark, local choir members, who made all region and all area choir, attended the High school and junior high all region clinic at Monterey Clinic in Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

Clinicians were high school, Ken Fulton from the Southwestern University at San Marcus, and junior high was Carol Casey who is currently with Southern Music co.

The three Post students participated in the final concert held Saturday evening.

Jack was named 4th chair out of 6 in the all area choir and will travel to Odessa to audition for the all state choir to be held in San Antonio on Feb. 11-14.

**VISIT BROTHER**  
C. F. Sanders of Albuquerque, N.M. and Hiram Sanders of Carlsbad, N.M. visited in Post during the first of the month to be with their brother, Bill Sanders, who has had surgery.

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# Congress passes bill to aid small rural hospitals

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Congress on Wednesday approved and sent to the White House legislation by Senator Lloyd Bentsen to override federal regulations that threaten the existence of rural hospitals in Texas and other states.

The Bentsen bill, included in the Budget Reconciliation Act sent by Congress to the White House for the President's signature, renews exemptions for rural hospitals from some Medicare regulations. The Senate completed Congressional action on the measure late Wednesday, approving it 83 to 4.

"To cite but one example, there is a regulation requiring that hospitals participating in the Medicare program provide registered nurses on duty 24-hours a day," Bentsen said.

"Rural hospitals have a shortage of registered nurses are frequently located in areas that cannot attract enough qualified persons. Even though these hospitals aren't always able to have a registered nurse on duty around-the-clock they all have registered nurses on call 24-hours a day."

"Congress, recognizing that rural hospitals cannot comply with all the regulations that apply to urban hospitals, allowed the smaller facilities to seek exemption from this and other Medicare regulations," Bentsen said.

The Congressional exemption, though, expired at the end of 1978. The Department of Health, Education and Welfare and its successor, the Department of Health and Human Services, have deferred enforcement of the regulations awaiting the disposition of the Bentsen bill.

The Bentsen bill renews the exemption and makes it permanent.

"Rural hospitals offer the best possible medical service to their communities. If they lose participation in Medicare they would be effectively destroyed. I'm familiar with one area in Texas where a closing

# Navy man is with 6th fleet

Navy Storekeeper 2nd Class Fred L. Gonzales, whose wife, Gloria, is the daughter of Achano Gonzales of Post, Texas, is deployed to the Mediterranean Sea.

He is crewmember aboard the guided missile destroyer USS Coontz, home ported in Norfolk, Va., and currently operating as a unit of the U.S. 6th Fleet.

While deployed, his ship is participating in training exercises with other 6th Fleet units and those of allied nations. The crew will have the opportunity to visit several Mediterranean coastal cities.

The Coontz is 512 feet long and carries a crew of 377. It is outfitted with guns, missiles, torpedoes and anti-submarine rockets.

A 1972 graduate of Eastern New Mexico University, Roswell, N.M., Gonzales joined the Navy in January 1973.

# Post teachers lead mini-sessions


Two Post teachers, Mrs. Kathie Rankin of the Middle School and Mrs. Marita Jackson of the Primary School, conducted two mini-sessions on "Teacher-Administrator Teams — The Post ISD Experience" at the first annual Conference for Administrators of Community School held Dec. 1-3 on the Texas Tech campus.

Their mini-session, according to those attending, was one of the high points of the three-day meeting.

would leave people without hospital care in a 90-mile radius," Bentsen said.

"I am pleased that Congress has finished this long overdue business and hopeful that the President will quickly sign the legislation into law. Rural areas of our country must not be denied the medical care they need," Senator Bentsen said.

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**City council—**

(Continued From Page One) Macy, Buck Craft and Cecil Foster, Jr., be appointed to two-year terms on the city-county airport board.

Authorized City Manager Pete Maddox to sell some old machinery in the city barn, but to keep the 1931 fire engine.

Authorized the city manager to file criminal complaints in city court against local trailer owners not in compliance with the city's trailer house ordinance. The council agreed to meet with those deemed "hardship cases."

**City audit —**

(Continued From Page One) operation the other substantial costs in this total.

It might be pointed out that \$26,453.08 in city court fines if applied to law enforcement costs would leave the city spending but \$65,436 from its general fund for such activity.

Costs for the year of other city departments, as shown by the audit include \$79,885.43 for general administration, \$38,436.05 for the fire department, \$72,413.79 for

the sanitation department, \$16,597.59 for the cemetery, \$8,020.37 for the park department, and \$5,480.44 for the Post Public Library.

Another unusual aspect of the city's financial year was that the city reduced its delinquent taxes over \$5,000 with a program which called for the publication of such delinquent accounts if the delinquent taxpayers didn't pay up.

The program was so successful that the city published only a very few names of tax delinquents in The Dispatch under public notices. The rest paid up.

The city started its fiscal year with a cash balance of \$128,210.80 and ended it with a balance of \$399,149.13.

The city's water and sewer fund operation, which is conducted separately from other city operations, also was "profitable" last year though in a much smaller way.

The revenue totaled \$215,051.01, mostly in \$184,149.88 of water sales and \$27,567.66 in sewer rentals with operating expenses of \$200,955.42. This provided a new operating revenue of \$14,095.59 and with interest earned of \$5,470.48 and \$5,263.33 in farm rent from the former city water field brought total revenue (or profit) to \$24,940.69 for the year.

**Sioux Lodge fire**

A fire at the Sioux Lodge early Monday morning caused an estimated thousand dollar damages, according to Fire Chief Neal Clary.

The roof of the night registration anti-room of the motel caught fire, probably from an electrical short in the light tubing.

The fire was contained in the anti-room and porch and there appeared to be little, if any, smoke damage, Clary reported.

**United Fund—**

(Continued From Page One) United Fund effort in this division in several years.

"We may not go over the goal this year," Cornish said, "but if the regulars stay in I think we still have a chance."

**Calvary Baptist plan caroling**

The Calvary Baptist Church will have worship service only on Sunday night, Dec. 21 beginning at 6 p.m. Those attending will then participate in church wide caroling. Members and visitors alike are encouraged to participate in this activity.

**FCA tourney—**

(Continued From Page One) adults and 50 cents for students. A concession stand will be open throughout the tourney with Antelope scraves and caps on sale.

The tournament is sponsored by the local chapter of Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

**Mini-twister hits—**

the stained glass.

In that same neighborhood, a shed belonging to Ruby Carpenter was blown in pieces atop her house and Ray Bagby's storage shed was blown into the street.

The "mini" then lifted to come down on North

Broadway at the Dairy Queen, the Ince-Fina Service Station, and the Wylie Oil Co. service station.

Two corner plate glass windows were blown out at the Dairy Queen — thank-fully more out than in. Most of the 10 customers and employes took shelter from possible flying glass in the restrooms.

Across Broadway, the letters were blown right out of the high Fina sign. A smaller sign at the same station was bent over and another metal one was blown through a plate glass window and door at the Wylie Oil station next door.

The winds also lifted a portion of the roof of the Wylie Oil station letting the downpour of rain come through.

A heavy rain, bringing 1.26 inches of moisture, followed the "mini" with the rains continuing through the night.

**Postings—**

(Continued From Page One) The Dispatch will start printing its Christmas greetings ads in next week's paper and on Christmas week will print on Monday afternoon, just like we did for Thanksgiving.

That final edition not only will be stuffed with yule greetings ads but several hundred letters to Santa Claus from local boys and girls. We'll print those letters — and forward them on to Santa — if the parents or kids will bring them in or mail them to us.

**Rites held—**

(Continued From Page One) Antonio, Mrs. Ivy Young of Post, Mrs. Cordie Swann of Tahoka, Mrs. Winnie Pearl Savage of Quanah, and Mrs. Nannie Cooper of Post; 13 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Kelly Laws, Steve Jones, Billie Guinn, David Norman, Noel Normand and Randy Jones.

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