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## Weaver, McGehee Named Top Grads at Southland High School

Tammy Weaver, of Southland High School, is the 18 year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Billy Weaver.

Tammy, carrying on the tradition from her eighth grade year, was named Valedictorian of the 1988 graduating class with a grade point average of 96.21. Tammy has attended Southland School for 13 years, and is also Vice-President of the National Honor Society.

Tammy plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in pharmacy.

Michelle McGehee, of Southland High School, is the 18 year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Dennis McGehee.

Michelle is the Salutatorian with a grade point average of 92.65 for the graduating class of 1988. She has attended Southland School for 13 years and is Secretary of the National Honor Society.

Michelle plans to attend Wayland Baptist University and major in physical therapy.

In Junior High, Jesse Collazo, the 14 year old son of Mr and Mrs Lee Collazo, was awarded Valedictorian with a grade point average of 95.92. Cori Weaver is the 14 year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Billy Weaver. Cori's grade point average of 95.75 awarded her Salutatorian of the eighth grade class.



Tammy Weaver



Michelle McGehee

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## Tornado Skips Over Post City

by Wes Burnett

The "Caprock Effect" seemed to take the steam out of a tornado that formed from a thunderstorm just west of Post Thursday evening, and minutes after the storm sirens were activated, the funnel cloud disappeared into the swirling mass as the storm moved rapidly to the east.

We watched the development of the storm from our back yard, from where we have a clear view to the west.

It was the first time that I had witnessed the formation of a funnel cloud from the beginning of a storm.

I first noticed the possibility of a tornado at approximately 7 p.m. as the "anvil" cloud in the western part of Garza County began to move east and northeast.

Being an avid "cloud watcher," I was more or less aware of the ingredients in a thunderstorm for the development of a funnel.

Garza County Sheriff's Department deputies were out watching also, as they had been alerted by the Lynn County Sheriff's Department that a funnel had been spotted in the storm earlier near Grassland.

Constable Lonnie Peel reported to the sheriff's dispatcher as he headed west that "there is rotation in this cloud, although I haven't seen a funnel yet."

That was at 7:15 or so, and he continued to report the progress of the storm.

At about 7:30 Peel radioed to the dispatcher that the cloud was "boiling and it looks like there is real strong rotation, better sound the siren."

At that moment those of us in our neighborhood could see why the sirens needed to be sounded, a funnel was dangling out of the cloud just a few miles west of town, and it fell about half way from the cloud to the ground.

And now I can understand what happens to people when they stand around and watch...it is so powerful and exciting, you almost become captivated by the sight.

But common sense prevailed, and we all scurried inside and got ready to hide in the hallway.

Fortunately, as the cloud passed over town, the funnel climbed back into the cloud and then we watched the back side of the storm as it headed east.



SCHOLARSHIP WINNER - Eric Reece, graduating PHS Senior, signs the papers for a Performance Scholarship from the Department of Music at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, Oklahoma. Over 300 students from Oklahoma, Texas, Colorado, and Kansas competed for 40 scholarships to the school - one of the region's largest and best music schools. Present at the signing were Eric's parents Barbara and George Reece and choir director, Mike Jones (right).

## Sales Tax Rebate Check Shows Sales up in Post

Sales were up locally judging by the \$22,960.70 city sales tax rebate check mailed to Post on May 11 by the State Comptroller's office.

Representing taxes collected in March, the current rebate is a 38.73 percent increase over the \$16,550.84 check received for the comparable period in 1987.

Post's tax rebate payments to date, \$69,914.57, also show an increase of 18.29 percent over the date total of \$59,102.14 for the same period in 1987.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent checks totaling \$120.7 million to 1,041 cities and 81 counties that levy local option sales tax.

"The economy of Texas is recovering," Bullock said, "and the consumer confidence is reflected in the rebates going to local governments."

Area towns and sales tax rebate receipts include:

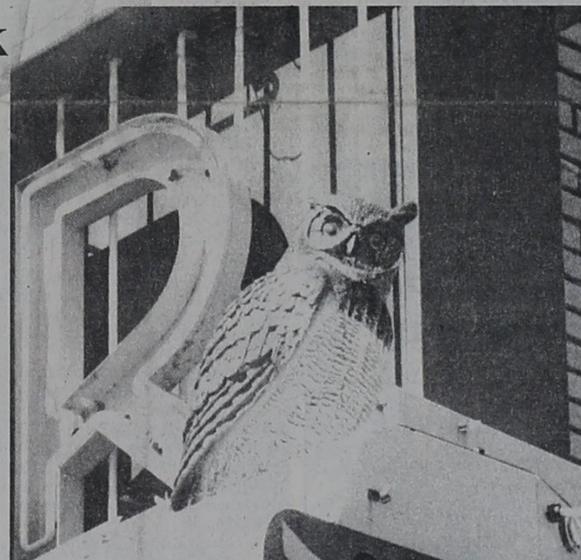
Slaton-\$31,732.06, a 56.28 percent increase over 1987, \$20,304.38. 1988 payments to date \$91,051.05, 31.85 percent over 1987, \$69,056.22.

Tahoka-\$8,565.05, a 10.35 percent increase over 1987. 1988 payments to date \$27,170.65, 7.32 percent over 1987, \$25,318.49.

Crosbyton-\$6,630.48, an 8.10 percent increase over 1987, \$6,133.81. 1988 payments to date \$22,601.73, 20.75 percent over 1987, \$18,718.38.

May's checks represent taxes collected by monthly filers in March and quarterly filers for the first quarter that were reported to the Comptroller's office by April 21.

- Local News
- Local Pictures



LOOKING FOR PIGEONS - Hopefully the pigeons in downtown Post don't know that this wise old owl is also a fake old owl as he sits atop the Tower Theatre marquee and goes about his job of keeping the pigeons off the building.

## Owls Play Part in Post Pigeon Patrol

by Lonnie Welborn

Yes, folks, that was an owl you saw perched on the old Tower Theatre marquee.

Not a live owl, mind you - and not a stuffed owl - but a plastic owl filled with sand.

But don't confuse this owl with plastic flamingos and other such lawn and garden decorations.

This owl is not merely for ornamentation; although it certainly is ornamental enough to rank right up there with the best plastic flamingos.

This owl is the opening shot of the city of Post's war on pigeons in the downtown business area.

City Manager Bob Turner received a municipal newsletter containing an article about the use of owls to keep pigeons away from buildings. The type of owl didn't seem to matter - plastic, paper, halloween-type, whatever - just so it represented an owl.

The theory seems to be that pigeons are afraid of owls and avoid them whenever possible. This could be because owls are much larger than pigeons; but it very well may be that owls have been known to make a meal of pigeons. The Discovery Channel would probably be a good place to check the accuracy of this.

Whatever the reason, the fact that pigeons stay away from owls is backed up by Melissa

## Country Is In Your Heart

The famous country storyteller Tom T. Hall hit the nail on the head when he wrote the lyrics for his memorable song "Country Is." Music that will warm the hearts of country music lovers can be found in this season's edition of "Country Caravan" scheduled for a performance on Friday, May 27 in Post.

Showtime is 9 p.m. in the West Main area across from the courthouse. Admission is free to the performance being sponsored by the Post Main Street Project.

Produced annually by South Plains College in Levelland, Texas, this down-home music celebration has delighted country music fans for 12 summers now, bringing genuine family entertainment to communities throughout West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. And like its predecessors, this latest edition of "Country Caravan" builds a country mansion out of an energetic blend of top country music hits, classic standards, colorful costumes, sizzling vocals, topflight musicianship and precision dancing. The net result is 90 minutes of nearly non-stop country music fun.

The foundation that holds up the entire framework of "Caravan" is entertainment, and plenty of it.

"We're here to entertain," says John Hartin, general director for "Caravan" and instructional coordinator of SPC's unique country and bluegrass music program. "The magic of country music come alive in our show, and we want people to leave the performance with a happy feeling -- one that they will talk about for days."

To achieve just that, Hartin and his crew have put together a show that features powerful country tunes which have deep roots in the music industry and which bring home the spirit of country music. "Country Caravan" combines contemporary songs with all the colorful nuances which have influenced country music throughout the years and have made it great.

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## Garza County News Briefs

### Anchor Brothers Band

The Anchor Brothers will be in concert at the Grassland Community Church of the Nazarene, Sunday, May 29 at 6 p.m.

The band was formed some eight years ago and make their home base in Sudan.

They perform an average of 70 concerts a year singing in churches, at banquets, civic meetings and fairs. They have recorded nine albums and written and composed some 45 songs.

For two years straight, the Anchor Brothers have been nominated as group of the year in the Texas Southern Gospel Association.

### Choirs in Concert

The time for the choir concert on Tuesday, May 24 has been changed to 7 p.m.

This final concert of the school year, featuring the elementary, middle and high school choirs, will be held in the elementary school auditorium.

The concert will last approximately one hour and the public is urged to attend this end of school program.

### Pool to Open

Come sunbathe or swim when the City Swimming Pool opens on Tuesday, May 31.

The pool will be open this year from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday; family night will be on Tuesdays from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m.; and ladies aerobics will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

The pool will be open on July 4 with a full concession stand and please remember that no alcoholic beverages are allowed.

Church groups, youth organizations, adult groups and adult and children birthday parties are welcome - and gift certificates make great birthday presents for those parties.

### Head Start Graduation

Post Head Start Commencement exercises will be held Monday, May 23 at the Holy Cross Catholic Church at 8 p.m.

### Baptist School

Registration is now open at First Baptist Christian School with pre-school classes available to those children who will be three or four years old before September 1. Elementary classes are available for grades kindergarten through sixth grade.

For further information, call 495-3554 from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and after 3 p.m., or come by the office at 402 W. Main.

### Yard of the Week

The Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce "Yard of the Week" contest is now underway, and if you would like to suggest a yard for the contest, please call Judy at the Chamber of Commerce, 495-3461.

### Reunion Meeting

The first planning meeting for the Close City-Garlyn reunion will be held at the Senior Citizens Center on Monday, June 13 at 7 p.m. For further information on the August 29 reunion, contact Faye Mathis at 495-3171.

### Baptist School Program

The pre-school program for three and four year olds at the First Baptist Church Christian School will be presented Tuesday, May 24 at 7:30 p.m.

Following each program, refreshments will be served and student's work and curriculum materials will be available for viewing.

### SPAG Academy

The South Plains Association of Governments Law Enforcement Academy will offer the 400 hour Basic Law Enforcement Certification class beginning June 20, 1988 through August 26, 1988. The class is scheduled to run 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day, Monday through Friday.

Contact the SPAG Academy at 806/762-8721 for further details.

### Country Caravan

"Country Caravan," the South Plains College country music show is coming to Post on Friday, May 27 and will appear on West Main Street at 9 p.m. sponsored by the Main Street Project

### Taylor Account

Friends of R.B. and Bonnie Taylor, who have opened a special account for the Taylors at the First National Bank, ask you to help defray the family's medical expenses by making a deposit to this special account.

### Post Cares

Post Cares, located at 222 E. 8th, is still in need of donations of canned goods, canned meats and all types of clothing.

Post Cares is open from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday.

STORM CLOUDS OVER POST - Thursday evening clouds brought some welcome rain to the Post area, but they also brought some tornadic activity that formed from a thunderstorm west of Post and quickly moved out of the area to the east. (Photo by Rodney Marshall)

## Letter to the Editor

Dear Wes,  
I just wanted to write and thank all of the people who helped organize and participate in the Junior Girls Basketball Program this year.

To start out with we had a total of 76 girls, ranging from 3rd through 6th grade, in the program.

These girls participated in a weekly program that emphasized basic fundamentals of basketball - dribbling, passing, shooting and playing defense.

We later went into an offense trying to teach the girls to play as a team, not on an individual basis.

We ended our season with a round robin tournament in the first week of May.

Those that came and watched these young ladies were really amazed at what they had learned and how they put their teaching into practice in a game situation.

There are many people that I would like to thank.

First I want to thank all of the girls that played for their attention and dedication in practice. They are all a great bunch of girls and we look forward to seeing good things from them in the future.

Second, I want to thank the Post ISD and the athletic department, particularly coaches Billy Gordon and Lou Allen. They allowed us to use the gyms and also allowed the older girls (5th and 6th grade) to use the regulations women's basketballs to practice in the gym and during the tournament.

The younger girls (3rd and 4th grade) used a smaller size ball better designed to be handled by the smaller girls. To do this we asked businesses to help in purchasing the balls.

We had a tremendous response to our call with 22 basketballs being purchased.

Those that helped in this matter were the First National Bank, Hudman Furniture, Happiness Is... Wallace Lumber Co., Main Street Cut Ups, Weldon Construction Co., Ammons Printing, The Post Dispatch, Junior Gossett and The Country Curl.

We thank Handy Hardware and Gifts and Sandra Kirkland for helping with uniforms and equipment.

At the end of the season we had our tournament which was a great success. We thank KPOS for broadcasting the games and reaching more people that just could not get out to personally watch the games and The Post Dispatch for

recapping the tournament with the scores and pictures.

None of that would have been possible except for the businesses that helped sponsor the air time and buy space. To them we give a hearty thanks.

During the tournament we had a tremendous amount of help in refereeing, keeping the clock and keeping the score book.

Thank you Traci Tannehill, Keitha White, Angela Graves, Margaret Wynne, Christina Martinez, Kim Wulfjen, Heather Wulfjen, Shal Sneed, Tana Pyson, Linda Oden, Sandra Mathies, Rebecca Haney, Jane Odom, Dusti Cash, Megan Bush, Cara Cash and to Charles Hardin and Marta Holly who refereed almost all of the games Saturday night. We could not have completed this thing without you.

Of course you need a lot of help to coach and train the girls in the fundamentals. These people were very faithful and dedicated to this program coming every week to practice.

These are the coaches; Rebecca Haney, Christina Martinez, Sandy Tomlinson, Linda Oden, Jean Morris, Kay Wallace, Janet Mathies, Barbara Gossett, Cindy Bird, Charles Hardin, Tana Pyson, Jane Odom, Meg Nelson, Casey and Pay Zachary, Sherry Pollard and Angela Hammond.

There were also some high school varsity girls that took time out to help in our practices; Sneed, Wynn, White, Graves, Dana Morris and to Christina who came almost every Monday and Thursday to help these young girls.

But last of all I want to thank the parents for their cooperation and help. We made some mistakes this year and hopefully we will learn from them. We will probably make mistakes next year. But with the cooperation we received from you and the understanding you had, things went very smoothly.

Your love of your children and wanting to see them participate and grow in this sport was shown by your attitude and encouragement.

I am sure that someone has been left out. If that has occurred please forgive me and let me assure you that your help was very much appreciated.

Before I end I want to thank two people who this program could not have done without. They are the vice president and secretary of the organization, Kay Wallace and Linda Oden. They put in a lot of extra hours to see that things went off well. They deserve a great big THANKS.

Next year we look to be bigger and better and to do that we will need the help and cooperation that we had this year.

Thanks to everyone again.  
Rodney Marshall  
President of the PJGBP



Minnie Ola Stewart

## Minnie Ola Stewart Artist of the Month

Paintings by Minnie Ola Stewart, Post Art Guild's artist of the month, are now on display at Post's First National Bank.

She began studying art in 1964 when she attended a class taught by Neta Berry of Spur.

Later she studied with Lonnie Mason, Ken Gore, Jon Birdsong and Mac Carow.

She has also studied with a number of other instructors, including Conny Martin, Leo Smith, Michael McCulloch, Dick Cheatum, Jeannie Elliot, Joanie Horton, Pat Krahn, Charles Lyles, Vanita Smithey, Naomi Brotherton, Paul Wylie, Ben Konis, Mike Thornton and Paul Milosevich.

The artist works in pen and ink, oils, pastels, and does pencil drawings of portraits, still life and landscapes.

In an earlier interview, when she was artist of the month in May 1986, Mrs. Stewart said that she had kept a record of sales and gifts of pictures over the past 14 years.

"I have painted around 500 pictures, including many miniatures. I gave a picture to each senior when I had a child graduate and when I learned so much from the practice."

Mrs. Stewart is a member of the Spur Art Guild and the Post Art Guild.

Her paintings will be on display at First National Bank through the end of May.

## Culture Club Closes Year With Luncheon

Members of the Woman's Culture Club closed their 1987-88 club year with a luncheon at Jackson's Cafe, Wednesday, May 11.

Social Committee members Ruby Kirkpatrick, Danielle Chapman, and Peggy Ellis were hostesses for the occasion.

Carol Newby played selections on the Omnichord while guests were arriving. The invocation was given by Mrs. Kirkpatrick.

Maxine Earl, club president, presided over the business meeting.

In an impressive installation service, Inez Hartel installed the following as club officers for the next two years: President, Maxine Earl; First Vice-president, Lillian Potts; Second Vice-president, Danielle Chapman; Recording Secretary, Doll Haire; Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, Dorace Wilson;

Music Chairman, Carol Newby; Civic Chairman, Melissa Cunningham; Press Representative, Katharine Cathcart; and Literary Chairman, Inez Hartel.

Tuesday, May 24, club members will take a guided tour of the Historical Costumes and Textiles division of the Museum of Texas Tech. Danielle Chapman will be tour guide.

Following the tour, members will be luncheon guests of Mrs. Chapman at the Lubbock Women's Club.

Club members present at the luncheon were Glenda Morrow, Donna Craig, Joyce Strubhart, Estelle Davis, Isabel Stelzer, Janet Ratliff, Newby, Chapman, Ellis, Earl, Hartel, Potts, Kirkpatrick and Cathcart.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, September 14, with a high-tea to celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Woman's Culture Club in 1913.

General Federation Women's Club members from each club in the Caprock District are being invited to be our guests and to help us celebrate our Diamond Jubilee.

## Benefit for John York Raises Funds at VFW

A group of friends and neighbors, with the help of the VFW and the Ladie's VFW Auxiliary, recently held a benefit barbeque, auction and drawing for John York and raised over \$4,400 to go toward medical expenses for York, a VA Hospital patient in Temple.

As part of the benefit, several items were auctioned off - including a barbeque pit from ABC Welding which was donated for the auction by Joy and James Dawson.

A gun was also given away in a drawing which was won by Robbie King.

Those responsible for the benefit express their appreciation and thanks to: the VFW for the loan of

the building; all merchants who donated auction items; The Windmill for displaying the gun to be given away; and to the Anson VFW and the Post Ladie's VFW Auxiliary for donating grocery baskets.

Thanks also to: the ladies who donated over 30 cakes and prepared salads for the barbeque; to Nolan Williams who served as auctioneer; to Tommy Jones, Curtis Haynes, Noah Sweeten, Roy Morris and Nolan Williams who cooked the barbeque; and to Jim Boles for advertising.

And special thanks to all the people of Post for sticking together and helping a neighbor.

## Caprock Girl Scouts to Host Texas Rendezvous

May 27-29, 1988, the Caprock Girl Scout Council will play host at the Texas Rendezvous '88 to girl scouts, their families, adult volunteers, and former girl scouts from across Texas and Eastern New Mexico.

The event is planned to provide girls from the Caprock Girl Scout Council an opportunity to meet and share a weekend of planned events with girls and women who are committed to the girl scout promise and law.

The Caprock Council includes Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Farmer, Swisher, Terry and Yoakum counties.

Girl scouting is a worldwide movement that seeks to provide tomorrow's women with skills and experiences that will help them to fulfill their promise.

Recognizing that young women of today must develop an awareness and an appreciation for their peers around the world, girl scouting has long promoted wider opportunities, events planned for girls from different geographic areas in the United States as well as from three countries.

However, only recently have

Texas girl scouts begun to share such opportunities on a statewide basis.

The Caprock Council is particularly proud to welcome home a former Lubbock girl scout, Jo-Ann Turnbough Anthony, who has recently been elected to the Board of Trustees, Girl Scouts of the United States of America.

She will be honored at a reception on Friday, May 27, 1988 at 6:30 p.m. in the First Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. The theme for the evening will be "But Keep the Old" and items reflecting girl scouting in the past, particularly the Caprock Council, will be on display.

A musical program by the Denver City Chorale and a sing-song of familiar camp songs will also be part of the evening's activities.

All current and former girl scouts and volunteers are invited to attend the evening's reception.

The public is also invited to share in the activities of a full schedule of events on Saturday, which includes a parade, a picnic, a fiesta and an evening program.

For more information on Texas Rendezvous '88, contact Kathy Hunt, program director, 745-2855 or Liz Sisco, 792-9466.

## Panhandle Land Prices End Downward Trend

Prices for Texas Panhandle rural land appear headed upward again after several months of steady decline.

"Agricultural observers have detected strengthening in Panhandle crop land prices," says Dr Charles Gilliland, assistant research economist with the Real Estate Center at Texas A&M University. For the past two years, Gilliland has monitored reports from a network of rural land observers across Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona.

Gilliland credits good commodity prices, the Conservation Reserve Program and the depletion of foreclosed property inventories with turning farmland prices around.

"Texas Panhandle observers project 1988 land prices will increase for the first time since the Real Estate Center quarterly survey began in 1986," said Gilliland. "Mindful of recent prolonged distress in the agricultural sector and the number of properties still on the market, some panelists in other regions of the state see weak land prices this year."

The latest Real Estate Center survey shows buyers to be more discerning than they have been. Properties with marginal qualities

are selling slowly, if at all, and at reduced prices. Good quality properties sell less frequently with more stable prices than does the typical tract.

"Buyer attitudes have changed," said Gilliland. "Automatic increases in rural land values have vanished from the market. Even those areas that previously escaped land price declines have seen a softening of prices."

Overall, Texas panelists participating in the Real Estate Center survey see little change in land prices for 1988. Irrigated crop land was valued by panelists at \$908 per acre in Texas with the median at \$675. Panelists projected no change through November.



Nothing fishy about it—one of the flounder's eyes travels to the other side of its head as the fish develops. The winter flounder's eyes are on its right side, while the summer

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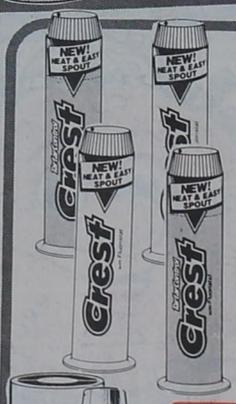
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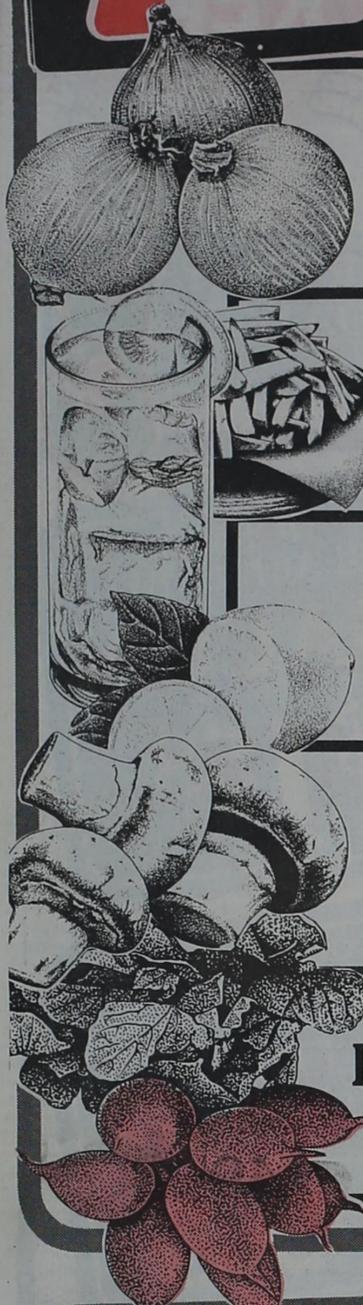
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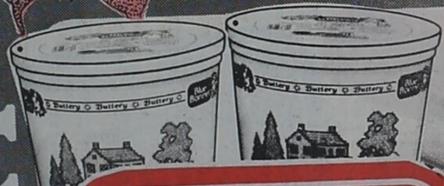


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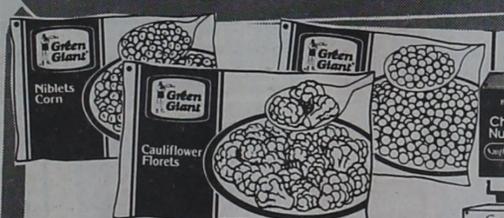


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### A-1 Legal Notices

#### Advertisement for Bids City of Post Post-Garza County Municipal Airport Notice to Bidders

Sealed proposals addressed to the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Post, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Manager, City Hall, Post, Texas, until 2:00 p.m., June 2, 1988, for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence, and labor for constructing certain improvements at the Post-Garza County Municipal Airport, Post, Texas.

Immediately following the closing time for receipt of bids, proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened. The work to be done under this proposal consists of a Base Bid and two Additive Alternate Bids. The Base Bid includes reconstruction of approximately 6,300 square yards of existing apron and taxiway pavement, construction of a single course bituminous surface course on the reconstructed base course, marking and related items of work. Additive Alternate A provides for a second course of bituminous surface on the pavement included in the Base Bid. Additive Alternate B includes construction of approximately 3,900 square yards of new pavement consisting of a caliche base course and a two course bituminous surface course, grading, drainage, marking and other related items of work.

Bidders must submit a Cashier's Check or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bid Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of THE CITY OF POST, TEXAS, is an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bonds and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. If a Bid Bond is submitted as bid security, it shall be executed by an approve surety company authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and accepted according to the latest list of companies holding certificates of authority from the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States of America. Bids without the required Check or Bid Bond will not be considered.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, written by a responsible Surety Company, authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and satisfactory to the Owner.

The City of Post, Texas, reserves the right to hold all proposals for a period not to exceed 60 days after the date of receiving bids, to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. No bids may be withdrawn, after having been opened, within the 60 day period set out herein.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions under which the work is to be done.

Attention is called to the fact that there must be paid on the project not less than the general prevailing rates of wages as set out in the SPECIAL PROVISIONS. However, the inclusion of such minimum schedule of wages does not release the Contractor from compliance with any State Wage Law that may be applicable. The Contractor must abide by the Wage and Hour Laws of the State of Texas

and must pay not less than the rates legally prescribed or as set forth in the SPECIAL PROVISIONS, whichever is higher. Information for Bidders, proposal forms, plans and specifications are on file at the offices of the City Manager, Post, Texas, and Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 4010 Avenue R., Lubbock, Texas 79412.

Copies of the plans and specifications and contract documents may be secured from Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 4010 Avenue R., Lubbock, Texas, 79412, (Phone 806-747-0161) upon payment of a \$50.00 deposit for each set of documents. The entire deposit will be refunded provided all documents are returned within ten days after the date for receiving bids. No refund of deposit will be made on documents returned later than ten days after the date of receiving bids.

City of Post, Texas  
Giles McCrary, Mayor

The Garza Co. A.S.C.S. Office invites interested persons to submit sealed bids for assorted office equipment, such as a 1983 Canon Photo copier, a 1971 IBM Selectric Typewriter, calculators, etc. Sealed bids will be received in the Garza Co. A.S.C.S. Office, 208 West Main, Post, Texas 79356, until 2 p.m. May 31, 1988, and will be publicly opened and read at the time and date above mentioned. Bid items may be viewed in the lobby of the A.S.C.S. Office and bid sheets will be available.

#### Notice to Bidders

The City of Post will accept sealed bids until 2 p.m. June 2, 1988 for roof repair to City owned buildings in Post, Texas.

Bidders should provide list of jobs completed within the last two years, under current ownership, which exceed \$10,000.00.

Specifications of work to be completed may be picked up at City Hall, 105 East Main, Post, Texas. Bids will be opened at 2 p.m. June 2, 1988 in the Council Chambers. The City reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.

Robert J. Turner  
City Manager

Contractor Notice of Texas Highway Construction  
Cleaning and Reshaping of Ditches of State Department of Highways and Public Transportation Right-of-Way

Sealed bids for cleaning and reshaping ditches in Garza, Crosby, and Lynn Counties will be received, publicly opened and read at 1:30 p.m., on June 1, 1988, at the Lubbock District Office, 601 Slaton Road, Lubbock, Texas.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, and further it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications are available at the Maintenance Office for the above mentioned counties and at the office of Woody Marcy, Maintenance Construction Superintendent, 601 Slaton Road, Lubbock, Texas. Usual rights reserved.

#### A-3 Card of Thanks

Dear Friends - We thank you for the words of sympathy, written and spoken - the food brought and served at the home and the church - the beautiful flowers at the home and church - the clasp of your hand or a hug - the shared memories, laughter and tears - the memorial in Mama's name - the beauty of the service and the music - the comfort and consolation it gave us. May God richly bless you all.  
The family of Beulah Gilmore

Thanks to all our friends and loved ones for your thoughts, prayers, calls, cards and flowers while I have been sick. We will always remember and love all of you.  
Johnny & Opal Ray

#### A-9 Personals

**Alcohol-Drug**  
Awareness Seminar Mondays - 8 p.m. Postex Plant (east entrance) Open Group Discussion and films, public invited.

City County Drug and Alcohol Abuse Program, South Ave C., Postex Plant, 495-2818 or 495-3788 - 24 hours. Glenda Baker, director; Lynette Massey, assistant.

The Post group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Thursday night at the Presbyterian Church, 910 West 10th, at 8 p.m. Closed meetings are held, except on the last Thursday night, which is an open meeting. We have supper at 7

p.m. and the speaking starts at 8 p.m. Anyone who wishes to talk or ask about an alcohol problem call 495-3377 or 495-4173.

**Vote Tuesday, May 24 for Maxine Earl as Silver-Haired Legislator**  
Senior Citizen Center  
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

#### A-17 Services & Repairs

Lawn mower repair service - 495-2065.

**Professional Dog Grooming**  
All Breeds  
Tim Tatum  
495-4189

Lawn mower & tiller repair. Authorized factory service - 495-2455.

Rotary lawn mower blades sharpened and balanced. Call 495-2455.

Lawn mower and small engine repair - Jim Bob Shults - 495-2796.

#### Mason Shoes

Our shoes walk on everything but water!!! Call 495-2238.

Poodle grooming - call 495-2796 - Nedra Shults.

I do carpenter work and concrete work - FREE ESTIMATES - call 495-3755.

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#### B-1 Help Wanted

SALES REP.....HYDROTEX Inc. a multi-million dollar 50 year old National Lubrication Company needs a Sales Representative to call on Commercial and Industrial Accounts in the POST area. High commissions. Training provided. Life/Health Insurance available. No inventory required. For personal interview call 1-800-443-1506 or sent resume to: Hydrotex - Dept 2110-G, P.O. Box 560843, Dallas, Texas 75356.

Unicare Health Facilities, a leader in the long term care field is looking for dynamic nurses. Wages and benefits competitive. Various locations and shifts available. Contact Charlotte Wright - 806-675-2415.EEOC Employer.

#### B-3 Jobs Wanted

Housecleaning or babysitting at reasonable prices. Call 495-2416.

**LOCAL COMPANY** - to do roofing, painting and yard work - FREE estimates - come by 505 West 7th after 5 p.m. for more information.

**Medicare Supplement Claims** filed - FREE pickup - 20 years experience - call Linda Robinson - 495-2100.

#### C-1 Homes for Rent

For rent - small 3 bedroom house - paneled, carpet and kitchen range furnished - call 495-2162.

Farm house - 3 bedrooms - 1 mile south of Graham Community and 1/4 mile east. If interested call 745-2881.

For rent - 3 bedroom/1 bath - carport. 407 West 14th - 495-2546.

#### C-3 Apartments for Rent

Apartment coming up for rent - Tom Power - 495-3051.

For rent - one bedroom apartment - call 495-2373 or 495-2988.

#### C-4 Office Space for Rent

Office space for rent at 302 West 8th - call 495-3113 after 5 p.m. or 495-2268 - Donald Windham.

#### C-7 Wanted to Rent

Need summer pasture for 50 to 100 cows - call 253-2368 or 253-3097 - Ralls.

#### D-5 Mobile Homes for Sale

For sale - 2 bedroom mobile home - must sell - take up payments - \$200 per month - 495-2605.

**TRADE-IN YOUR OLD MOBILE HOME** for a new 3 bedroom, 2 bath house built on your lot, up to 100% financing. (806) 763-4474.

For Sale - 1982 14x80 3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home. Built in range, dishwasher, refrigerator, microwave, garbage disposal, fireplace, central air and heat. For more information call 495-3701.

**FINISH IT YOURSELF!** 3 bedroom, 2 bath - \$195.95 month. (806) 763-4475.

#### Abandoned Homes

Take over payments on 2 and 3 bedroom homes. Qualify by phone  
**1-806-763-4051.**  
Alliance Homes

#### E-1 Homes for Sale

For sale - 5 room house, reasonable. Call 495-4015 after 6 p.m.

For sale by owner - brick - 3 bedroom, two bath, central heat and air, large fenced backyard - good neighborhood - call 495-3829 - 201 Mohawk.

For Sale: 3 bedrooms, 2 bath brick home on three lots. Privacy fence, large storage/work shed, pecan trees, double garage. Interior paint and carpet in excellent condition. Central heat and air. 510 West 10th. Inquire at 514 West 10th or call 495-2338 after 5 p.m.

**GOVERNMENT HOME** from \$1.00 (U Repair) BUY Properties for back TAXES! Info, REPO Listings 1-518-459-3546 Ext H6698CC - 24 hrs.

House for sale - 3 bedroom - 1 bath - central heat and refrigerated air - call for appointment - Joe or Jarita - 495-3752.

House for sale - 16,000 sq. ft. - 4 bedroom - 2 baths - big storage building in back - \$26,000 - \$5,000 down - no interest - by owner - call 495-3755.

#### F-1 Miscellaneous for Sale

Visit Bob Hudman's Greenhouse - the most STUPENDOUS garden spot between Clairmont and Close City. Although we have no rigid hours we're usually there by 2:00 or 3:00 and stay late. We do close for funerals, storms and extremely severe hangovers.

Blackeyed pea seed - J.B. Rackler - 996-5436

Vacation Special - Round trip for two by air to Hawaii - \$249.00 - call 495-2238.

For Sale - 1 twin size bed with mattress and box springs - very good condition - 495-2107 after 5 p.m.

**MOVING - MUST SELL** - 4 year old electric Tappan stove, older Maytag washer, large capacity upright deep freeze. Call Jim at 629-4443.

**While supply lasts -- Heavy duty "WTD" cultivator** sweeps, weathered, 14" - \$4.50, 16" - \$6.50, 18" - \$7.50, 20" - \$8.50, 22" - \$11.00 -- 24" Piper chisel sweep - \$15.50.

**Adams Farm Equip.**  
Idalou, Hwy. Lubbock  
762-2510

For sale - 2 refrigerated air conditioning units - call 495-4032 after 5 p.m.

For sale - 2 downdraft evaporative air conditioners, 1 fiberglass, 1 metal - both in good condition - call 495-3859.

#### F-3 Garage Sales

**Vacuum Cleaner**  
Washer - Dryer Repair  
Free Pick-Up & Deliver  
Seals Furniture & Appliances  
720 North Broadway  
495-3190

**Big Carport Sale** - Coming Soon - to be held June 3 - 4 - at

115 West 4th (in back) - cedar chest - \$50 - lots of clothes and shoes - lots of misc items. To start at 9 a.m. on both days - keep watch on your calendar and mark the days!

For sale - 1979 Ford Van - very good condition - good motor - \$2,600 - see at 1206 West 10th.

#### G-9 Autos for Sale

For sale - 1977 Thunderbird, good condition - \$800 - call 495-3366.

**BUY GOVERNMENT** Seized vehicles from \$100. Fords, Chevys, Corvettes, etc. For info call (602) 842-1051 ext 3088.

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Slaton, Texas  
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#### Priced to Sell

3 BR - 2 bath, basement, central heat and air, large living room.

#### Lots of Lots

2 bedroom, 1 bath, good condition.

## Mitchell Real Estate

Kim  
495-3719

Travis  
495-2480

Mike and Wanda  
495-3104 or 828-5878

Barbara  
495-3987

## Angela Cruse Selected for Canadian Trip

Angela Cruse, 17 year old daughter of Marion and Pat Cruse, and a Junior at Post High School, has been selected by Caprock Girl Scout Council to attend an international encampment of Girl Scouts and Girl Guides in Echo Valley, Saskatchewan, Canada, this summer.

Pat Cruse was chosen as an alternate to the adult leaders. Angela Tobias, 15-year-old daughter of Francisco and Carol Tobias, was selected as a girl alternate.

Joining 2,500 Canadian Girl Guides will be 150 Girl Scouts from the U.S.A. plus 150 girls from countries around the world, including Nepal, Sweden, Guatemala, Kenya, Peru, Pakistan, Australia and Singapore.

Caprock Council was one of 15 councils in the nation chosen to participate in this opportunity and will send ten girls and two adults to the scout meet in Canada.

The group will travel in the council van, enjoying such attractions as Wind Cave and Mt. Rushmore National Parks in South Dakota, the International Peace Garden on the border between North Dakota and Canada, Yellow-

stone and Grand Teton National Parks in Wyoming, and many points of interest in and around Denver and Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Upon arrival in Manitoba, Canada, girls and adults will receive five days home hospitality with Canadian Girl Guide's families, learning more about Canada's land and people, and undoubtedly making many new friends.

At Echo Valley, participants will live in tents and enjoy a wide range of activities including overnight backpacking or canoe trips, a service project day, a day devoted to studying issues of worldwide concern, a day of camping skills "challenges," and a day touring the nearby area.

Classes will be offered in waterfront activities such as kayaking, arts and crafts such as wheat or cattail weaving and Ukrainian Egg Painting; sports such as archery and lacrosse; instruction in songs and dances native to various areas of Canada and the world, and instrumental instruction on handbells, keyboards, guitar, recorder and glockenspiel; drama behind the lights or behind the scenes; plus

photography, orienteering and much, much more.

Both girls and adults were required to submit detailed applications as well as two references atesting to primitive camping skills and ability to live amiably with persons of widely varied backgrounds.

Participation in pre-trip training was a requirement, and all participants will be required to speak on their experiences and impressions to at least three groups during the year following their return.



Angela Cruse



MAIN STREET RENOVATION - Jan Crawford (left) inspects the remodeling of her store, Jan's, and the construction work being done on Manna Square, a new addition to downtown Post. Manna Square, a number of specialty shops under one roof is scheduled to open soon.

## In the Neighborhood

by Lonnie Welborn

Candace McConnell, PHS drama teacher, will be one of the directors in a Theatre Arts Workshop to be held at Lubbock's Coronado High School, June 9-17.

The workshop, an opportunity for area students to participate and to get new talent involved, is expected to attract 100 high school theatre students from the South Plains.

Candace will be joining Susan Masters of Coronado and Chuck Perryman of Borger as a director of the workshop.

### SPC Graduates

Six students from Post were among a record number of 659 persons who received degrees or certificates Friday, May 13 during South Plains College's 30th commencement exercises.

Post graduates are Stacy Bell, associate of applied science, accounting associate; Eddie Gannon, AAP, petroleum technology; and Rhonda Adams, AAP, respiratory therapy.

Additional Post graduates are

Samuel Binford, certificate of proficiency, automotive service technology; Alicia Pettyjohn, CP, cosmetology; and Diana Carrasco, general secretary.

### Howard Payne Graduate

Jimmy Dale Pruitt, son of Mrs. Shirley Pruitt of Post, was one of 90 seniors awarded degrees at Howard Payne University's 93rd commencement exercises held May 14 in the Brownwood Coliseum.

Pruitt received a bachelor of arts degree in practical theology.

### Marsha Denena Booth

Marsha Denena Booth, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Bilberry and Mrs. A.E. Crenshaw of Post, will be graduating from J.L. McCullough High School in The Woodlands, Texas, Friday evening, May 27 at 8 p.m.

The graduation ceremony will be held at Johnson Coliseum, Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, Texas.

Marsha is the daughter of Jim and Glenda Booth of Spring, Texas and the granddaughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Elwood Davenport of El Paso.

### WTC Exercises

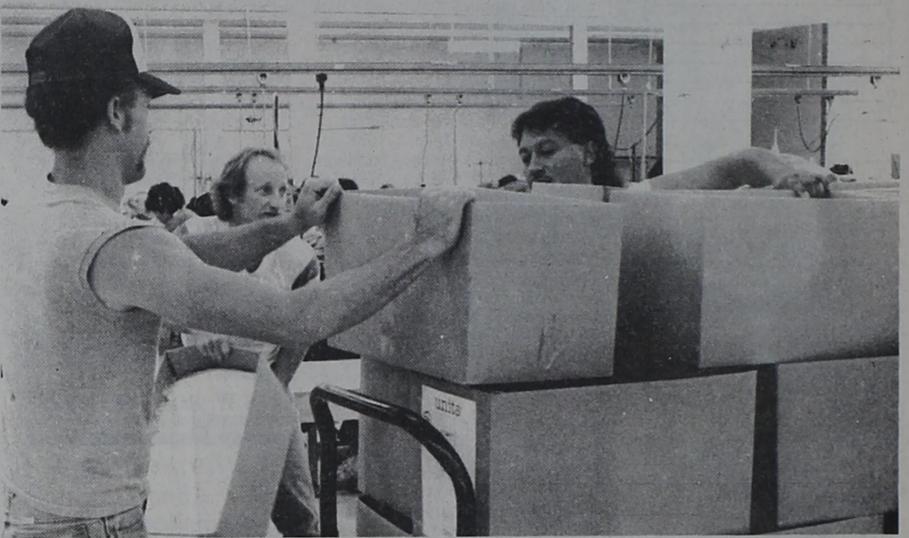
Lisa Hutto and Gayla Leary of Post received certificates of technology in cosmetology from Western Texas College in commencement exercises held May 13.

One hundred thirteen students received degrees and certificates of technology in the spring commencement exercises. The graduates and their families were honored at a reception in the Student Center following the program.

### McClellan Fish

That fish Mike McClellan donated to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department - that 12 pound 12 ounce bass he caught while fishing with his parents Glenda and Mason McClellan at Houston County Lake - is coming to Post.

A representative of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will be at the Post Middle School on Wednesday, May 25 at 9 a.m. with the "alive and well" fish on display in a tank.



MADE IN POST - The first complete order sewed and shipped by the local United Sewing Agency is ready for shipment by United Sewing employees (left to right) Chuck Smith, Clay Dobitas and Henry DeLeon. The order is being shipped to Dallas and distributed from there to Unit stores.

## Country Caravan

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The program for the 1988 season runs the gamut of contemporary country chart-busters. In fact, Tim McCasland, assistant professor of music at SPC and the show's musical director, says "Caravan" has become more contemporary with each passing year. "Current artists are reviving a lot of the country styles that were prevalent 15 to 20 years ago," he says. "They are adding a different twist to the songs they write and perform today."

So the program of songs include

hits like Rosanne Cash's "Tennessee Flat Top Box", acclaimed as the most requested country music song since Kenny Rogers' "The Gambler"; Hank Williams, Jr.'s, "Born to Boogie" that helped earn him 1987 Entertainer of the Year; Asleep at the Wheel's "House of Blue Lights" that revives western swing; Reba McEntire's "Last One to Know"; and Los Lobos' movie hit "La Bamba".

But the show would be missing a key element to the country music story if it didn't touch on the country classics. Hartin and McCasland have orchestrated a wonderful medley of seven country music favorites that are sure to please. "Country music is like culture itself," says Hartin. "You touch part of it, and you wind up touching it all. These particular artists touched a part of country music when strengthened the industry and certainly contributed to the collective nature of country music."

So take a walk down memory lane with songs made famous by country music greats Mel Tillis, Tammy Wynette, and Ray Price. The styles of Kitty Wells, Conway Twitty and Ernest Tubb are represented in memorable tunes like "Honky Tonk Angels," "After the Fire is Gone," and "Walking the Floor Over You." And who could forget the Sons of the Pioneers' "Tumbling Tumbleweeds."

In addition, you'll find further enjoyment in a medley of inspiring country gospels, authentic Appalachian-style clogging to "Alabama Jubilee," banjo licks in a parody of George Jones' "Window Up Above." A medley of country saxophone tunes and a touch of patriotism round out the more than 35 songs and instrumentals packaged into "Country Caravan."

The instrumental and vocal talent found in "Country Caravan" is at an all-time high, say both Hartin and McCasland. The cast consists of 11 multi-talented students from South Plains College's country and bluegrass music program and four faculty members.

Student performers for "Country Caravan" include seven musicians who form the nucleus of the Caravan Band which backs-up the vocal

talent found in the show. They include Shelby Hines, Jacky Howard and Paul Zamora, all from Levelland; Mike Huffman from Seminole; Donnie Larkin from Slocum; Steve Garner from Durant, Oklahoma; and Brent Jobe of Lubbock.

Hines and Zamora are featured vocalists who also play guitar. Howard is featured on saxophone and Huffman is the band's percussionist. Larkin plays guitar and keyboards, while Garner plays banjo and is a vocalist. Jobe is the group's bass guitarist.

In addition to Hines, Zamora, and Garner in male vocal roles, the talents of four young ladies are showcased in "Country Caravan." At the head of the list is Paula Horton of Perrin, Texas, who thrilled audiences last summer with her ability to yodel.

Newcomers include Latrell Houk of Littlefield, Texas; Amy Price of Lubbock; and Kendra Pirkle of Sanger, Texas.

"We certainly have the best singers and best musicians in our entire history," Hartin boasts. "Their skills and talents are of professional quality."

Faculty members in the band in-

clude Hartin, who plays the electric guitar with a passion and sings the classic country style. McCasland, in his 12th season with the show, plays the pedal steel and guitar.

Joe Carr, SPC bluegrass instructor, serves as the show's host, gauging the pace of the performance and interjecting a unique brand of humor. Carr also picks the guitar, mandolin, and fiddle. Ed Marsh, assistant professor of music, has been with the show eight seasons, providing expertise on the fiddle and on vocals.

The sum total of everyone's efforts is a memorable entertainment experience. "Country Caravan" is set to tour 37 towns and cities, with stops in East Texas, the South Plains, Central Texas and Eastern New Mexico. When the "Caravan" presents its traditional finale July 4 in Levelland, the cast will have logged more than 10,000 miles and will have played to more than 25,000 country music fans.

It's family entertainment at its best, says Hartin. "There are three forces in the USA that provide quality family entertainment --- Disneyland, Opryland, and Levelland," he quips.

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